

LA DOUTE POLICE

LA PORTE POLICE CHIEF DEFENDANT IN \$10,000 SUIT

Geo. V. Wilson Claims Damages
for Arrest Following Cook
Murder in 1918.

By United Press
LA PORTE, Ind., Nov. 2.—A suit
for \$10,000 against Chief of Police
J. H. Morris of this city, filed by

Porter County Circuit Court at La Porte.

Wilson claims damages for being arrested Dec. 30, 1918, on the charge of murdering Earl Cooke, a La Porte man, shot to death as he closed his business on New Year's eve. Wilson charges police put him through the third degree, endeavoring to gain a confession. The State dismissed the charge of murder against Wilson at a preliminary hearing.

Hoosier Briefs

MUNCIE—The Navajo Club of the Muncie Normal School has adopted as its official insignia "matador" trousers. They are brown corduroy

FACE—fringed with purple cloth with a white band.

SOUTH BEND—Mrs. Clara Keller has brought suit to recover her house which was built on the wrong lot by contractors hired by her. She did not discover the mistake until the building was practically completed.

RICHMOND—The D. A. R. of this city is planning to mark the birthplace of Oliver P. Morton, Indiana's first Governor. The site of the town, the salary, and the old Morton home, are both in dispute.

MUNCIE—Walter Thornburg and his uncle, Paul George, both play on the same football team.

ELKHART—An automobile containing a man and his wife and their seven children upset near here. None as injured.

EVANSVILLE—"Boys ain't boys my more," said John O. Chewing, principal of Central High school, when two freshman boys came to him today asking for a room for a window may break after school hours, when no one was around.

SOUTH BEND—Fifty years to the minute from the time Charles DeWitt took Angela Claeys for his bride, he died. All arrangements had been made for a double wedding anniversary when Mr. Dewitt became

FRANKLIN—Prof. Jesse E. Adams, head of the department of education at Franklin College, says "a girl can be just as sweet with low neck dresses and skirts to her knees as she can with high collared blouses and long skirts. The thing is her dress so high it covers her ears."

FF. WAYNE—Nine years after George M. Wayne filed a suit against E. J. Aldering and others, the defendants were ruled to answer. The case has been before the Appellate court. Thirty-seven lawyers have been employed in the case.

HARTFORD CITY—Reports that the body of a dead man had been

was quieted when a party sent to investigate returned, saying the man is now "dead drunk."

FT. WAYNE—When Judge Ballou found out that Mrs. Olive Haviland and her household goods were packed ready to go to Chicago, where she was to be married, he said he would hold up her divorce plea indefinitely.

KOKOMO—Otto Spencer, of Tipton, was too liberal with his "mule" at a football game here. He offered a lady to ride on the mule and later paid a fine of \$50 and costs.

MUNCIE—A motorist driving into this city at night said that he was

which had been built across the road. He said he was a good sport, however, and would submit everyone he passed through.

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BLUFFTON—A war against the sale of cigarettes to minors has been started here. Twenty-two high school boys have been called before the prosecutor for examination.

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TIPTON—The Rev. Mahlon Teter and Jake Lentz, greenhouse man, have collaborated in a statement that he coming winter will be a mild one. They say most of the cold weather will be in the first part.

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CONNSERVILLE — John Payne

Friday working in his office. He has presented a history of the local Masonic lodge of which he is the oldest past master.

GREENSBURG—Because her husband stayed out late at night and couldn't go to church with her Mrs. Maud Newcomb has asked for a divorce.

RIGHT ARM HURT

Arthur D. Williams Arrested for Running Down Negro.

Phillip Glenn, negro, 1423 N. Missouri St., got off of a street car at Washington St., and Beville Ave.,

tomobile driven by Arthur D. Williams, negro, 1223 Cornell ave. Glenn's car was indicated. Williams was arrested on charges of assault and battery and passing a street car while discharging passengers.

RECEIPTS INCREASE

Bryson Says Postoffice Is Doing Land Office Business.

According to postoffice receipts, prosperity in Indianapolis is on the increase, Robert H. Bryson declared yesterday in announcing the sale of stamps for other postoffice receipts for October.

The report showed an increase of

total sale of stamps and excess postage last month amounted to \$255,088.59 as compared with \$219,864 for October 1921. Total receipts for the month were \$283,589.90.