

FOES OF SCHOOL PLANS WILL GO TO STATE BOARD

Appeal to Tax Commissioners
Planned to Hold Up
Program

COST TO BE \$1,750,000

Architects Selected for Eight
Buildings—Similar Move
Made Year Ago.

Fees of the building program of the board of school commissioners will carry their fight to the State board of tax commissioners, it became known today.

In an effort to relieve overcrowded housing conditions now existing in the public schools, the board recently adopted a program calling for new buildings and additions at eight schools. The maximum cost of the buildings will be about \$1,750,000, according to estimates made by Jacob Hilkene, inspector of construction for the board.

Architects were selected and preparation of plans now is under way. Before bids can be received the school board must obtain the approval of the State board of accounts to the plans and specifications and the bond issue must be approved by the State board of tax commissioners.

On remonstrance of ten taxpayers the tax board is required to grant a public hearing.

More than a year ago construction of four buildings was defeated when the tax board refused to approve the bond issue after a long drawn-out hearing. In this case the remonstrance was signed by ten members of the Taxpayers League of Indiana.

It has been more than eighteen months since construction of a school building was started in Indianapolis. Meantime housing conditions have become so bad that several thousand pupils are housed in portables and other temporary buildings.

AMERICA MAY SWAY CONFERENCE

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LONDON, Dec. 7.—America is expected to dominate the conference of allied premiers here next Saturday in much the same manner as the United States made its voice heard at the peace conference at Lausanne, according to British officials.

Ambassador Harvey's speech at the Lyceum Club Monday night, in which he declared the fate of Europe hung upon the forthcoming week-end conference, was inadequately reported and officials here are just beginning to discuss it.

Considerable importance in this connection is attached to the arrival here of United States ministers to Brussels and Berlin.

Referring to the Brussels project, Ambassador Harvey said:

"If the premiers themselves are unable to agree, it is useless to expect results from a meeting of a few under-strappers at Brussels."

According to reliable information obtained from British sources, Premier Poincare does not welcome contemplated American participation in the London conference. It is said that Poincare and his government are likely to go under if the premiers fail to reach agreement.

Ambassador Harvey may play a role similar to that of Richard Washburn Child at Lausanne.

Judge Objects to Missing Anything

LOUISVILLE, Dec. 7.—A small photograph of a woman in undergarments was introduced at the murder trial of Walter T. Stump. It was passed around the table occupied by the Commonwealth's attorneys and then around the press table. Several spectators saw it before it was placed on the stenographer's desk.

In a minute, while the room was unusually quiet, Judge A. T. Burgevin rapped with his gavel and asked:

"Can I have a look at that picture?"

Order was restored after several minutes.

FRANCE MAKES NO MOVE TO PAY DEBT

Refuse to Negotiate With Regard to \$3,844,132.250 Owing U. S.

By United Press
PARIS, Dec. 7.—The French government has so far declined to enter into any negotiations for the funding or payment of the \$3,844,132.250 debt France owes America, according to a statement by Elliott Wadsworth, assistant secretary of the treasury, at secret hearings held by the House Appropriations Committee.

The statement was revealed today at the climax of former Premier Clemenceau's visit to Washington.

LEGION MAY NOT JOIN STATE FREE PLACEMENT

Attorney General Declares Contract Would Be Illegitimate

Indiana can not enter into any contract with the Family Welfare Society of the American Legion for the joint establishment of a free employment bureau at Indianapolis, according to an opinion of Attorney General Lesh in response to an inquiry made by Thomas R. Riley of the Federal free employment bureau.

Speaking of Stenographers!



DAUGHERTY CASE MAY DRAG TO ISSUE IN 1924

Indications Are Proceedings
Will Be Incomplete by
Next March.

By Times Special
WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Impeachment proceedings against a member of the President's Cabinet are slow affairs, those who are working for Attorney General Daugherty's ouster are discovering.

Indications now are that the case against the Attorney General will drag out until it becomes a campaign political issue two years hence, despite Representative Volstead's promise as chairman of the House Judiciary Committee to speed action on the Keller charges.

The Daugherty case will not be settled during the remaining three months of the short session of Congress. Regardless of the verdict of the House Committee, the impeachment proceedings will be incomplete when the Congress adjourns next March 4.

To prove each specification in the bill of particulars many witnesses will be examined and there will be inevitable delays.

If the House committee agrees with Mr. Keller that the Attorney General should be impeached a recommendation to that effect will go to the House of Representatives. Then the House will determine if it will recommend to the Senate that Daugherty be tried before the Senate. Should the House so decide, another long delay will be had in the Senate which will conduct the case as deliberately as it pleases.

BURNS CHARGES 'RED' CONSPIRACY

Attorney Speaks for Traction
Co.'s Power Plant Scheme.

By United Press
WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—The communists internationale, with headquarters at Moscow, Russia, is directing a wide-spread campaign in the United States for overthrow of the American Government and its deliverance into the hands of radicals, according to William J. Burns, head of the Federal bureau of investigation.

Direct statements to this effect were made by Burns before secret sessions of the House Committee. He said radical agents got into the Army and Navy "so they could bore from within." The recent Bridgeman meeting, Burns declared was largely for the purpose of putting youthful "reds" through an examination to see whether they could pass the Army and Navy examinations.

This statement followed that of Dr. Henry Jameson, president of the board of directors of the Indianapolis Street Railway Company, that the company was facing a serious situation with regard to its power supply which was so important to uninterrupted service to Indianapolis.

The petition of the traction company asks a certificate of public necessity and convenience which would grant authority to invest approximately \$7,000,000 in additional power equipment to give greater service to the local company and in addition serve a number of large power users who it claims are dissatisfied with the service being rendered by the two existing utilities, the Indianapolis Light and Heat and the Merchants Heat and Light Companies.

Taylor E. Groninger, corporation counsel for Indianapolis; William L. Taylor, who represents large power users; Dr. Jameson, representing the street car company; William H. Hart, representing the Portland Cement Company at Limaville, a user of current, and J. W. Beeken argued in support of the petition.

CLERK SLUGGED; 'DOPE' STOLEN

Hogue Orders Snider & Rotz Not Be Paid Until Baker Approves.

The investigation of the claim of Snider & Rotz for \$22,000 for services in public school construction, ordered by City Controller Joseph L. Hogue, was held up today by failure of the school board to send to the controller's office papers in connection with the Snider & Rotz controversy, Hogue said.

He has instructed Arthur Thomas, deputy controller and school board auditor, not to pay the claim, although the board has approved it, unless Albert Baker, school board attorney, advises in writing that the check be issued.

LACK OF PAPERS DELAYS SCHOOL CONTRACT PROBE

A petition in bankruptcy was filed in Federal Court today by Otto Eichel, merchant of Kokomo. He listed liabilities at \$4,683.88 and assets at \$2,254.91.



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INSURGENTS KILL NEW IRISH DEPUTY

By United Press

DUBLIN, Dec. 7.—Insurgents shot to death a member of the new Irish Free State parliament today and mortally wounded another deputy.

The man slain was named Hayes and the wounded man O'Malley. They were attacked by rebels with revolvers.

The deputies were sworn in as members of the southern parliament yesterday. They took the oath at the parliament house.

The Free State government is anxious that King George open parliament.

COSTS \$25 TO RESCUE WIFE, BABY AND MAID

Spicer Tells Judge Tale of Three Waiting in Cold for Him.

MILWAUKEE, Dec. 7.—Chester Nicolai, secretary of the Nicolai Co., furriers, was fined \$25 and costs for speeding twenty-eight miles an hour.

"I got a call from my wife," Mr. Nicolai explained in vain to Judge Page, "that she and the baby and the maid were locked out of the house. Mrs. Nicolai had been out walking with the baby and rang for the maid to let her in when she returned."

"The maid stepped out to help with the baby and the wind blew the door shut. My wife had no key and there is a spring lock on the door. It was cold and I was hurrying so they wouldn't catch cold waiting to get into the house."

DOG'S 'NEXT BEST FRIEND' SUES FOR \$20,800 LIBEL

SAN ANTONIO, Dec. 7.—Now comes Seedy Surpass, blueblooded collie dog, complaining he has been libeled in the amount of \$20,800. He petitions the court that E. Sam Tatcum, secretary of the San Antonio Kennel Club, be required to pay Eugene M. Hays, his owner and next best friend, that amount for making slanderous statements regarding the award of a certain prize ribbon to him in a recent kennel club show.

The reservation comprises about 1,000 acres of forest which has never been lumbered and it abounds with deer and other game, though it is within commuting distance of Broadway.

The chief's petition has now been considered by four Federal and State bureaus. Action is expected any year now.

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