

POLICE POWERS ARE SOUGHT FOR 15,000 MEN IN INDIANA.

FARM PLEASURE TO BE SHOWN AT STATE EXPOSITION

Experts to Discuss Agriculture for Members of Federation.

Remember that song, "How You John to Keep 'Em Down on the Farm?"

Well, you can find the answer at the State Fairground in the manufacturers' building next week, beginning Monday evening. The occasion is the Indiana Farmers' Exposition under the auspices of the State board of agriculture and the Indiana Federation of Farmers' Associations.

If you think farm life consists only of plowing, currying the horses, milking the cows, gathering the eggs and taking the milk to town in a flivver, you are wrong, all wrong.

One of the subjects for discussion will be "The Farm Beautiful." Miniature landscape scenes of farm homes will be shown. Booths will be fitted out to show various rooms.

The more material side of farming also will be given a place. Each forenoon will be devoted to inspection of exhibits and informal discussion by exhibitors, Purdue University representatives, county agents and others. Each afternoon, members of the agricultural extension department of Purdue will deliver lectures. For women arrangements have been made to serve tea each afternoon, and an orchestra will play during the day and evenings.

FIRE RUN TOTAL FOR COLD WAVE MOUNTS TO 120

Thirty Alarms in Last Twenty-Four Hours — Day's Loss Reaches \$7,883.

More than thirty fires during the past twenty-four hours brought the total in Indianapolis during the cold wave up to approximately 120 today. The damage during the last twenty-four hours, \$7,883.

Most of the fires were small ones, caused by sparks on roofs and burning soot in chimneys.

Employees of Allardice & Co., whose warehouse at 226 Kentucky Ave. was damaged by fire late Friday, were checking over water-soaked stock and preparing for resumption of business Monday.

Damages to the building were estimated at \$2,000 by August F. Guelhofer, owner. Damage to the stock was not estimated. Firemen said the blaze was caused by an overheated stove.

Among other fires:

Home of E. Craig, 54 N. Tremont Ave., \$1,500.

Business building at 1114-16 E. Nineteenth St., occupied by W. Allen furniture store, \$2,000.

Home of H. L. Chamber, 1515 N. Meridian St., \$1,200.

Home of A. A. Barnes, 2333 Pearson Ave., \$2,000.

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By United Press

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High School Girls Make Costumes to Show Styles Varying From Period of Grecian Dame to Flapper



CURTAILMENT OF CAR SERVICE IS PROTESTED

Stockyards Transportation Stopped at 10:30 p. m. Daily.

As a result of suspension of street car service to the stockyards after 10:30 p. m., a special committee of commission merchants, headed by Horace H. Fletcher, secretary and traffic manager of the stockyards, was ready today to protest to street railway officials.

After 10:30 stockyards cars go only to Stock St., six blocks from the yards. Commission men complain this causes great inconvenience to buyers who desire to reach hotels during the night.

Street railway officials said today that service was discontinued because of tie-ups at the Belt Railroad, making it impossible to maintain regular schedules.

TRIALS IN ALERT THEFT CONTINUED

Two Accused in Bank Robbery Ask for Juries.

Trial of seven persons accused by the State of complicity in the robbery of \$60,000 worth of registered bonds from the Alert State Bank, Alert, Ind., Aug. 1922, was continued until March 5 in Criminal Court to day.

The delay was caused by request of Mamie and Alfred Isley, accused of having \$40,000 of the bonds buried on their farm near Julietta, for jury trials on charges of conspiracy.

Prosecutor Evans asked that the State delay the trial of the other five suspected, some of whom have been in jail six months, until after the Isley trials.

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LEFT, MISS RUTH LEEK; RIGHT, MISS HILDA KREFT.

How milady has dressed from ancient to modern times is shown on the walls of a corridor of the main building at Arsenal Technical High School.

Girls in the clothing classes made and fitted the costumes on cardboard puppets. Miss Ruth Leek, 4257 Winthrop Ave., designed a colonial dress, while Miss Hilda

MAN INJURED IN FREIGHT WRECK

Engine Dragging Derailed Car Hits Handcar.

Clem Roome, 37, a section hand, living near the Monon station at Broad Ripple, suffered painful lacerations and bruises at 7:30 a. m. when a southbound Monon freight train dragging a derailed freight car struck a handcar by which Roome was standing and threw him to the ground. Roome's injuries were attended by Dr. G. F. Hesler, 6316 Bellfontaine St., and he was sent to his home.

Four other section hands who were with Roome said the train had dragged a freight car about a quarter of a mile with the trucks outside of the tracks. They were standing beside a handcar shanty, with the handcar on tracks at right angles to the main track ready to place it on the main track as soon as the train passed. The dragging trucks of the freight car demolished the tracks to the shanty, throwing Roome to the ground.

A square south the car jarred the track and fell to one side, causing another car to leave the track and fall to the other side.

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MILLER'S ABSENCE PUZZLE TO WIFE

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of work he has been doing," said Dr. Stalker. "At times he appeared worried over the great amount of work he had to do."

Dr. Stalker, a close friend of Miller, said his financial condition was excellent.

Wife Scouts Sudden Call.

"Miller's work was such that he might be called away to any part of the country," said Dr. Stalker. "He has previously been called away, but each time left word. Mrs. Miller did not believe it possible that her husband could have gone and left a message which she did not receive."

Miller entered the practice of law at Goshen and became prominent in Republican politics. He served one term as Attorney General of Indiana, and in 1908 was candidate for the Republican gubernatorial nomination. After a hard fight he was defeated by James E. Watson.

Appointed by Taft

President Taft appointed him United States district attorney in 1909, which office he held 1910-1914. It was as district attorney that Miller made a great reputation by his successful prosecution of the famous dynamite cases which resulted after a long trial in the conviction of many officers and members of the Bridge and Structural Iron Workers of America.

Motorcyclist is Injured

Mark H. Webb, 26, of 605 N. Pine St., is in the Methodist Hospital with a broken leg as a result of a fall from his motorcycle early today at Brookside and Commerce Aves.

Webb was on his way to work at Ft. Harrison when his motorcycle apparently skidded on the ice.

Two Held After Crash.

Eugene White, 38, colored, 852 W. Tenth St., is held at the city hospital on a charge of intoxication, suffering from severe bruises on the right arm, and James Williams, colored, 31, of 713 S. Senate Ave., is in the city jail charged with operating an automobile while under the influence of liquor, as a result of an automobile accident.

John W. Bales Dead

John W. Bales, 62, of 812 Chadwick St., deputy prosecutor in Superior Court, Room 1, died at the city hospital today. Surviving are the widow and a granddaughter who lived with

Devastation

Four lead pencils.

One box of matches.

One lunch.

So read the burglary record at police headquarters today. The articles mentioned were taken from the office of Sam Hurrah, coal dealer, 1450 Kentucky Ave., by a burglar who pried open a

safe.

Friends said today that for several months Miller has not seemed himself. He had a preoccupied manner and the cheerful friendliness for which he was well known had de-

MINISTER BEFORE COURT

Judge Takes Blind Tiger Case Under Advisement.

The case of the Rev. Lee Pursey, colored, living in the rear of the Zion Methodist Episcopal Church, 811 S. Senate Ave., charged with operating a blind tiger, was taken under advisement by City Judge Wilmethe.

A box containing thirteen half pint bottles and of "white mule" whisky and thirteen empty bottles were found in a shed in the rear of his home.

Many prominent colored ministers and laymen appeared in court to testify to the sobriety and integrity of the Rev. Pursey. He asserted in court that the box of whose contents he was ignorant was left in his shed by one of his parishioners.

WARRANT ISSUED FOR A. J. BAILIN

Former Detective Refuses to Tell of Work for Ford.

CHICAGO, Feb. 17.—The arrest of Albert J. Bailin, whose testimony in the Michigan deposition hearing implicated Burns and Thiel detective agencies, failed to materialize early today.

Authorities declared a warrant was issued for Bailin, but refused to state on what grounds it was issued.

Following refusal of Bailin to answer questions relating to his alleged activity in collecting anti-Jewish information for Henry Ford's newspaper, the Dearborn Independent, assistant attorney general of Michigan, W. L. Smith was undecided whether to continue cross-examination of the witness.

"But, mayor, did you mean that you might be a candidate for Senator in place of Governor?"

"Say," the mayor declared, "I'm not running for anything at present, and it doesn't make any difference who else runs."

"Oh, yes, I forgot to tell you that I'm leaving for Miami Beach, Fla., Sunday night and will be gone for three weeks."

The mayor and Mrs. Shank will spend a week at Miami Beach and then go to Hot Springs Ark., where they will be joined by Joseph L. Hogue, city controller.

PARK CONCESSION CONTRACTS LET

Privileges Are Awarded by Board.

Contracts for concession privileges at the city parks and resorts were let by the park board today.

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For privilege of renting canoes at the Riverside Canoe Club, to Harry Nicoll at \$1,000 for one year; park concessions at South Grove Park, to Thomas H. Heacock at \$1,000 for one year; Riverside Shelter House, to Roscoe Crist at \$4,200 for three years; restaurant privileges at Riverside Canoe Club, to Mark R. Gray for one year at \$210; Twenty-Sixth St. bathing beach, to James Angelo at \$100 for one year.

The insurance company paid the regular policy of \$10,000 to Mrs. James as beneficiary, but refused to pay the extra \$5,000 claimed under the "extra indemnity" clause for protection against death by violence.

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SCHOOL CHANGE BLOCKED

Amendments Recommended to Bill To Take Power From Board.

Changes in the present procedure of the Indianapolis school board to make four members of the board, instead of three, necessary to override the authority of the business director were blocked by the Senate Committee on Education in considering bills of Representative Rainey and Senator Miller.

Amendments recommended by the committee will leave the bill practically the same as the provisions of the present law.

Reorganization Is Set

Reorganization of the vocational department of the State department of public instruction will start March 15 when the resignation of E. A. Wright as director takes effect. Wright was asked by Benjamin J. Burris, State school superintendent, to resign. Z. M. Smith, State supervisor of agricultural education, will take his place.

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