

CHARGES 'LASH IS APPLIED' IN ACCOUNTS FIGHT

Day Discusses Tactics of Persons Backing Bill—Amendments Fail.

Charges that "the lash is being applied" to bring about the passage of the bill designed to give the State board of accounts power over road and school building were made in the House today by Representative James L. Day of Lake County. The bill passed to third reading with only minor amendments.

"In order that a check might be had on a certain State officer a gentleman of the Senate asked for certain things from the board of accounts," Day said. "In order to get this information, the minority pledged themselves to get behind this bill. After agreeing to this certain aspirants for Governor got together and decided to apply the lash. The lash is being applied and applied very thoroughly."

John W. Witch, Democrat, said he knew nothing of the story.

A motion that the bill be passed to third reading was withdrawn by Clifford Townsend in order to permit Day to introduce a series of amendments, all of which failed. The amendments would have required petition of twenty-five taxpayers to obtain an investigation of school or road contracts and plans; the filing of \$10,000 bonds by examiner and deputies against incomplete, inaccurate or fraudulent examination or reports; no examinations would be made until a reasonable effort was made by counties to check contracts. An amendment by Floyd V. Miller requiring reports be kept secret unless suits are filed, also lost.

An amendment by Harry Kretschman to exclude streets, roads and bridges from investigation by the board also was lost.

The bill was amendment to provide that twenty-five taxpayers instead of ten should petition for examination before any examination could be made. Examination would be made only after local relief could not be obtained.

IMPORTANT BILLS COME UP MONDAY

That two important administration measures would be up for passage Monday the last day of the Senate session was indicated when Senator Neild, Republican floor leader, failed to call down the gasoline tax and automobile license fee bill when they were ready for second reading today.

On Senator Neild's motion, the consideration of the Duffy House bill, providing for increased auto license fees, was made a special order of business in the Senate at 4 p. m. today. No action was taken on the gasoline tax bill, which also was ready for second reading.

Unless the rules can be suspended, these two bills, which have passed the House, must be considered Monday.

WELFARE SOCIETY HOSTS

150 Invited to Open House at Headquarters Tonight.

The Family Welfare Society will hold "open house" tonight for 150 invited guests at headquarters on the fifth floor of the Baldwin building. W. H. Insley, president, and Paul L. Benjamin, secretary, will head the receiving line. Frank J. Bruno, executive secretary of the Family Welfare Association of Minneapolis, will speak.

Officers of the Public Health Nursing Association and the child hygiene department of the city health department, on the same floor, also will be open tonight.

Miss May Reid, case supervisor of the welfare society, has general charge.

WILLIE CAREY IS FREED

Two Cases Against West End Character Dismissed.

Two cases were dismissed in city court today against Willie Carey, west end character. Carey, Joe Ford and Vola Kroff were charged with malicious trespass, vagrancy and assault and battery, as a result of an alleged "rough house" at the home of Agnes Floyd, 405 W. Ohio St.

Although Agnes Ford appeared in court with a scared face, she denied there had been a "rough house."

Mary Carey, 411 Douglas St., wife of Willie, denied Willie drew deadly weapons on her, as she had sworn in a warrant for his arrest a few days ago, according to police.

Carey and his wife left police court together.

'BLUE SKY' MEASURE PASSES SENATE 29-8

The administration "blue sky" bill amending the present laws to make them more workable, and adding penalties for violation, passed the Senate today, 29-8, under suspension of rules. It now goes to the House.

The attempt to suspend the rules was the third of Senator Holmes, and it passed, 34-10, having just the required 34 votes. Repeated roll calls, in which motions to excuse the absentees were tabled, made suspension possible.

The measure is a companion to a bill introduced by Senator Holmes that passed the Senate, but was lost in the House. The present bill is without features attached by the House committee.

Million Dollar Art Deal

NEW YORK, March 2.—One of the most important art transactions of many years was concluded today with the sale of the James W. Ellsworth collection to a syndicate headed by Knoedler & Company of New York involving \$1,000,000.

GROCER TRICKS MASKED BANDIT

Store at 2616 Ethel Ave. Is Scene of Early Morning Hold-up—Six Shots Fired—Would-be Thief Escapes—Nothing Is Stolen.

A gun battle at close range occurred when a masked bandit attempted to rob George Kofoure's grocery, 2616 Ethel Ave., at 5:30 a. m. today.

Two other stores were broken into and robbed early this morning.

Kofoure and the bandit each fired three shots. The grocer was not hit. He was unable to tell whether the bandit was.

Kofoure lives in the building occupied by his store. He had just unlocked the front door when a colored man, with a handkerchief over the lower part of his face, entered.

The caller said, "Hold up your hands; I want your money." He pointed a revolver at Kofoure.

"Go get it," invited Kofoure, pointing to the cash register. As the bandit started, the grocer drew a revolver from his pocket.

The bandit opened fire. Kofoure returned the fire, and the bandit ran from the store and went north.

Captain Ed Shubert and Sergeant O'Connor investigated. They took a dozen colored men to the store, but Kofoure failed to identify any.

Police found bullets lodged in the walls and furniture of the store. Nothing was stolen.

A burglar early today removed a glass from the side window of George Hilder's grocery store, 901 Harrison St. The thief robbed the cash register of \$25, and Hilder told the police another \$5 was missing from a can on the shelf in the store.

Burglars entered the store of Fred Hilder, butcher, 901 Harrison through a window, and took \$31.

HOUSE APPROVES FUND TRANSFER

McCray Financial Measure Ready for Signature.

A movement toward saving the McCray financial program was successful in the House today. The House passed a Senate bill allowing the State board of finance to transfer temporarily money from one fund to another. The vote was 57 to 39.

The bill is designed to permit the Governor to replenish the general fund in which there is a large deficit. It would require the money be paid back to the fund from which it was taken when taxes are received. At present, despite the deficit in the general fund, there is considerable money in a number of other funds.

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Chronic coughs and persistent colds lead to serious trouble. You can stop them now with Creomulsion, an emulsified creosote that is pleasant to take. Creomulsion is a new medical discovery with twofold action: it soothes and heals the inflamed membranes and kills the germ.

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WHEN KIDNEYS HURT DRINK MORE WATER

The American men and women must stand constantly against kidney trouble because we often eat too much rich food. Our blood is filled with acids which the kidneys strive to filter out; they weaken from overwork, become sluggish, the eliminative tissues clog and the result is kidney trouble, badder weakness and a general decline in health.

When your kidneys feel like lumps of lead; your back hurts or the urine is cloudy, full of sediment, or you are obliged to seek relief two or three times during the night; if you suffer with sick headache, or dizzy, nervous spells, acid stomach, or if you have rheumatism when the weather is bad, begin drinking lots of good soft water and get from your pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts. Take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys may then act fine.

This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with alkalia, and has been used for years to help flush and stimulate clogged kidneys, to neutralize the acids in the system so they no longer are a cause of irritation, thus often relieve kidney disorders.

Jad Salts is inexpensive; not injurious; a helpful effervescent lithia salt which belongs in every home. It will make a good kidney wash. All means have your kidneys flushed.

PROBE OF SUGAR 'SHORTAGE' ASKED IN RESOLUTION

Senator Brookhart Demands Congress Investigate Prices.

By United Press

WASHINGTON, March 2.—Immediate congressional investigation of the alleged sugar "shortage" and the recent sudden rise in sugar prices was demanded in a resolution introduced today by Senator Brookhart, Iowa.

The investigation would proceed while Congress is not in session, under the terms of Brookhart's resolution.

Sugar gamblers are now out to drive the price of sugar to fifteen cents, according to a report current in well informed Government quarters here.

On Feb. 27, manipulators started a new rumor in Wall St. that the Department of Commerce was about to issue another sugar statement estimating the coming Cuban crop at 3,000,000 tons. The immediate effect of this was to drive raw sugar from 41-3 cents per pound to 5½ cents.

Reputable sugar dealers who have refrained from purchasing during the present frenzy of speculation notified Government officials that if this report were true sugar would go to 15 cents. The report was denied, but sugar jumped just the same.

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VOTES NEW SPEED LIMIT

After having failed for want of a constitutional majority the House bill establishing new speed limits passed the House today, 67 to 17. The bill provides the limit shall be ten miles an hour in business districts, fifteen miles an hour in residence districts and twenty miles an hour on the public highways. The only change is a reduction in the speed limit in the country.

CITY CHOSEN FOR TRAFFIC MEETING

Accepting an invitation of the Indianapolis Chamber of Commerce, directors of the Associated Traffic Clubs of America, meeting in New York, voted to hold the association's annual convention here, May 23-24, said a letter to John B. Reynolds, secretary of the Chamber, from W. J. L. Bamham of New York, president of the association, today. One hundred and seventy-five delegates are expected.

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