

ENTRIES ARE COMING IN FOR TIMES MARBLE TOURNAMENT

Every School in City Expected to Be Represented in Championship Games—Announcement of Plans Is to Be Made Soon.

Marble Players, Attention!

Fill out this coupon NOW and mail it to the Marble Editor of The Indianapolis Times.

I want to enter The Times Championship Marble Contest.

Name Age

Address

I attend School

(Write the name or number of your school in the blank space). Girls as well as boys are eligible.

Marble contest plans were rapidly going forward today, but were not quite complete enough to make definite announcement of the date when every boy and girl in Indianapolis will be given an opportunity to compete for the championship of the city.

Under present plans, the city champion will take part in a district contest and the district champion will be sent with one of his or her parents to Atlantic City to take part in the National tournament. Maybe an Indianapolis boy or girl will make that trip. All expenses will be paid by The Times, of course.

But you will not have an opportunity to make the trip if you do not register. It is necessary that you fill out the accompanying blank and mail it to the Marble Editor of The Times today. Or write him a letter, giving your name, age, address and the school you attend. The Times wants a whole lot of boys and girls entered from each school. Tell your schoolmates about it and have them enter the tournament.

Age Is Important

Be sure and tell the marble editor your age and the school which you attend. These things are important. If you will be 15 before June 15 you cannot enter. But if you are under 15 and will not be 15 before that date, you may join the other boys and girls of Indianapolis in the marble-shooting game for the championship.

You want to get into this thing yourself and you want your school to be represented, don't you? Then mail that blank today.

There are no strings tied to this contest. You don't have any work to do. The Times is putting on a marble tournament because it believes every boy and girl in Indianapolis is interested in marbles; because it wants to know who is the best marble shooter in Indianapolis, and because it believes Indianapolis has the best marble shooters in the United States. Let's prove it.

Some Entries

Here are some of the boys and girls who registered today.

School No. 67—C. B. Urbans, 9, of 456 Berwick Ave.

School No. 70—Harold Gubin, 9, of 4314 Park Ave.

St. Philip's School—Dan Mooney, 12, of 518 N. Beville Ave.

Benjamin Harrison School—Albert Greenberg, 12, of 930 Broadway; William Greenberg, 14, of 930 Broadway.

School No. 14—Norman Pentress, 11, of 1932 S. East St.

Augusta Grinstead, 311 Douglas St., sent in her name, but she didn't give her age or the number of her school. She will be entered, however, unless she is over 15.

William C. Vulzen, 13, of 1352 W. Twenty-Sixth st., got his entry in early before instructions on how to enter were given. He will have an opportunity to show how good a marble shooter he is.

SUES ON DRYER PATENT

Chicago Firm Asks Damages From Norkyke & Marmon Co.

Suit charging infringing of a patented process for drying paint and varnishes was filed against the Norkyke & Marmon Co., of this city by the Wenborne-Karpen Dryer Company of Chicago, in Federal Court today. The defendant was charged with using a dry kiln violating patents owned by the plaintiff. An injunction, accounting and triple damages were asked.

MAN DIES SUDDENLY

Reed Smith Succumbs at Home at 1 A. M. Today.

Reed Smith, 45, 712 Douglas St., died suddenly at 1 a. m. today. Mrs. Blanch Smith, his wife, said he was in the habit of sitting up until midnight reading. She went to bed and at 1 a. m. discovered that he had not gone to bed. She went downstairs and found him lying on the floor. She telephoned for a physician but Smith was dead. Coroner Robinson is investigating.

HUNGRY BURGLARS WORK

Eggs, Hams and Butter Among Grocery Loot.

Hungry burglars entered the grocery store of Melvin Eithens, 1002 S. Sheffield Ave. sometime during the week-end, police were told today. A case of eggs, three smoked hams, 10 worth of butter, \$15 worth of cigarettes, and three boxes of cigars were taken. Entrance was gained by using a key.

BOLD BURGLAR WORKS

Rear Door Forced While Family Sits in Dining Room.

While J. L. Campbell and his family, 2047 Bellefontaine St., were sitting in the dining room of their home Sunday night they heard a crash at the back door. A burglar had forced the door, Campbell looked around the yard, but failed to see the prowler.

FORMER RESIDENT DIES

Word was received Sunday from New York City of the death of Mrs. F. W. Baugher, formerly of Indianapolis. She is survived by two sons, residing in New York City, and a sister, Mrs. E. B. Baker, 222 E. Tenth

OOZY MUD AND DARK STREETS IN OAK HILL MAKE LIFE JUST ONE INCONVENIENCE AFTER ANOTHER

Residents Ask City Council for Sidewalks and Lights.



ABOVE—INTERSECTION OF TWENTY-NINTH ST. AND SCOTFIELD AVE. LOWER LEFT—VICTOR HARRIS, 5, OF 2854 SCOTFIELD AVE. WITH HIS FATHER, JOHN P. HARRIS, WADING ACROSS SCOTFIELD AVE. LOWER RIGHT—MRS. R. B. TOWNSELEY, 2824 SCOTFIELD AVE. AND MRS. CLAUDE GARRITY, 2801 SCOTFIELD AVE. (RIGHT) PICKING THEIR WAY ACROSS SCOTFIELD AVE.

Mad? Miles of it. Yellow, oozy, sticky, chummy mud. For more than ten years citizens of the Oak Hill addition have been fighting for sidewalks and street improvements. But no action has been taken by city officials.

Oak Hill is the district from Twenty-Eighth St. to Thirtieth St., and Ralston Ave. to Rural St. It was laid out shortly after the Civil War. New homes are being built.

Ninety per cent of the residents own their own property. Yet there are no sidewalks, no street lights, no street improvements.

Flappers may wear their gossamer, but the residents of Oak Hill go them one better. Gum boots are the fad there. Children wear boots to and from school. They park them in the cloak room.

When J. T. Zimmerman, one of the pioneers in the fight to get improvements for Oak Hill, died last January, an undertaker refused to attempt to hold a funeral in the addition, according to neighbors. It would be impossible to get cars through the mud, he said. The funeral was held downtown.

People who buy their coal by the ton are frequently forced to go to the coal yards with a wheelbarrow to bring in their winter's fuel, according to John Harris, 2854 Scotfield Ave. Coal wagon drivers refuse to try to plow through the muddy streets.

Doctors refuse to come to the community except in the most urgent cases, because of the difficulty of getting there.

The few wagons and trucks that brave the muddy streets frequently are forced to drive on the space set apart for sidewalks. Back in 1920, residents put a cedar walk along Twenty-Ninth St. The streets went from bad to worse. Wagons were forced to drive on the walk. Today there is not a trace of the walk. Nothing but mud.

Petitions In On one occasion delivery men were forced to carry boxes of groceries several squares to the grocery of George W. Wilson, Twenty-Eighth and Sangster Sts., according to Mrs. Wilson.

Five petitions for improvements are now before the board of public works. They demand streets and sidewalks for Scotfield Ave. from Twenty-Eighth St. to Thirtieth St.; for Marlowe St. from Twenty-Ninth to Thirtieth St.; street lights on Twenty-Eighth and Twenty-Ninth Sts. from Scotfield Ave. to Baltimore St.; a fire plug at Thirtieth and Keystone, and a water main on Twenty-Ninth St. from Keystone to Baltimore St.

MORE ON BIG WIND HERE

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The light building rocked like Noah's Ark on a breezy day and after the window panes started to blow away the pupils were sent home.

Many window lights were broken in schoolhouses all over the city.

The heaviest money damage was suffered by utility companies. Wires were blown down and poles snapped off in all parts of the city.

Telephone, electric light and street car service were crippled seriously.

At Twenty-Third St. and North western Ave. poles and wires were down for a distance of three blocks. In the downtown district plate glass windows were smashed and signs blown into the streets.

McFarland, one of the injured persons, was passing the Fox Film Corporation, 232 N. Illinois St., when a large metal sign fell on him. He suffered a fractured leg and severe bruises.

Window Crashes. Mrs. Bachmann was cut by broken glass falling from a large window in the store of D. Sommers & Co., Washington St. and Capitol Ave. She was taken home in an automobile.

Mrs. Johnson and Winstead were passing the new Riley Memorial Hospital last night when the rain storm caught them. Mrs. Johnson stepped into an open elevator shaft and fell sixteen feet.

Winstead, seeking in the darkness to assist her, also fell into the shaft. Roy Cron, 28, 1012 W. New York St., night watchman at the hospital, called the police and Motorpolice Schultze and Wadley sent both victims to the city hospital.

Amblances Are Stuck

Mrs. Johnson refused to remain at the city hospital. The ambulance in which she was being taken home was stuck in the mud. A relief ambulance was sent and she was taken back to the hospital. Winstead was at first taken home and then an ambulance was sent to get him. It became stuck in the mud on the way to the hospital and a relief ambulance was sent to complete the trip.

Mrs. O'Sullivan and her daughter were in an automobile driven by George O'Sullivan. He was blinded by the rain and his car struck the elevated track abutment at E. Washington St. and the Belt Railroad. Ralston was struck by a car driven by Isidor Farber, quartermaster corps at Ft. Harrison. The accident occurred at Massachusetts Ave. and East St. Farber was unable to stop because of the wet street, police said.

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herd St., Congress Ave. and Clifton St., 1200 E. Washington St., 1322 Wilcox St., 1057 W. Twenty-Seventh St., 4210 Cornelius Ave.

Telephone service suffered severely. Officials of the Western Union Telephone Company said. Not less than fifty poles have been reported down in Indianapolis and the number may run higher, they said. Conditions are bad throughout Indiana, they said.

The high wind was not limited to any particular section and service has been interfered with in many parts of the State.

E. A. Montrose, general superintendent of plant for the Indiana Bell Telephone Company, reported 1,000 Bell poles down in the State. As fast as reports of wires down came to Indianapolis, Montrose dispatched emergency gangs.

The Indiana Bell long distance service was crippled about 65 per cent immediately after the peak of the gale and the American Telephone and Telegraph Company service about 75 per cent, according to one report.

The fire department assisted in clearing away wreckage where it proved dangerous. Large billboards hanging in menacing positions were removed by firemen at 1514 N. Illinois St., 302 W. Washington St., and 802 E. Washington St.

Storm doors were broken off the Alabama St. entrance of the courthouse and the glass broken out of an inner door.

Firemen removed a large metal sign at the C. B. Howard Company, 1415 E. Washington St., after it had been blown from its fastenings.

Lightning Sunday night caused the high feed wires of the Indianapolis Light and Heat Company serving Zionsville to be put out of commission at Thirty-Eighth St. and Northwestern Ave.

Reports of trees blown down continued to pour into the city park and street commissioners' departments all morning. Trees blocked traffic at some points and city employees were busy clearing them away.

Southern Indiana Hit

Southern Indiana suffered much damage. All buildings were demolished on four farms in Harrison Township, Knox County. The Lee good electric light plant smoke stack was wrecked. The roof of the City Drug Store at Mitchell was badly damaged. At Oolitic the water tank of the Indiana Quarries Company was damaged. The roof of a large dwelling at Rockford was torn away and hurled onto a road.

Baltimore & Ohio Railroad service was hampered when many poles carrying telephone and telegraph wires went down near Mitchell. Temporary dispatchers' offices were set up at Seymour, communication with Washington, Ind., where the regular office is located, virtually being cut off. Reports from many towns told of broken windows, uprooted trees, mud traffic and wire communication demoralized and roofs torn off.

The roof of the parcel post substation on S. Illinois St. was torn off. It was of a composition paper material.

West doors of the Federal building were locked today when it was found that the wind rushing through the entire length of the corridors interfered with business transactions in the postoffice corridors.

Schoolboy Is Killed

By United Press

PORTSMOUTH, Ohio, March 12.—James Dennis Boggs, 9, was killed and five companions injured today when wind blew off the roof of a schoolhouse. The boys, playing marbles, were buried beneath the wreckage.

Price Poultry Pilfered

Police here and in other cities will be watching poultry shows from now on. Twenty-seven prize chickens valued at \$200 was reported to the police by the police.

80-Mile Wind Hits Central States Region

By United Press

CHICAGO, March 12.—A gale which reached eighty miles an hour, accompanied by rain, sleet and snow, swept up the Mississippi Valley and across the Great Lakes region during the night causing heavy damage.

Many cities were isolated. Hundreds of miles of wires were down. Railroad traffic was demoralized.

Twenty were injured in Chicago alone in accidents due to the storm.

Thousands of people spending Sunday evening at downtown theaters and cafes, were caught by the storm and unable to reach their homes. Street car and elevated line traffic was tied up by a heavy snow fall. Autos were stalled along all drives, unable to buck the high wind and snow drifts.

With hotels crowded, late revelers spent the remainder of the night in restaurants, lobbies, or sitting in stalled cars. The sudden fall of wet snow and rain, clogged drains, flooding cellars.

The snow continued today, although forecasts were for fair and colder weather tonight.

SNOW COVERS SOUTHWEST

Fall Is Valued at Millions to Winter Wheat Crops.

By United Press

KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 12.—A million dollar blanket of snow covered the Southwest today.

Rain followed by snow, covering the country Southwest from Missouri to Texas was of untold value to the winter wheat crop.

The storm, paralyzed wire communications and seriously interfered with railroad traffic.

KENTUCKY STORM FATAL

Father and Two Children Killed When House Collapses.

RICHMOND, Ky., March 12.—A wind storm taking form of a tornado swept over this county last night, causing the death of William Hall and two of his children outright and seriously injuring his wife and seven other members of his family, when the home was blown several hundred yards and demolished.

Damage in the town and country is estimated at \$30,000.

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PARISH ABANDONS HOPE OF FINDING MISSING PRIEST

Mystery of Disappearance of Father Vrainiak Still Unsolved.

By United Press

ST. LOUIS, March 12.—The mystery of Father Vrainiak, who was being sought in Illinois, Missouri and Kentucky, was still unsolved today.

While members of the parish of the Slovak Catholic Church at Virden, Ill., abandoned hope of finding their pastor in the vicinity of his home and church, police nets were extended throughout three States in an effort to find the young clergyman who has been missing for a week.

The priest, who was last seen in St. Louis on last Monday, was being sought in Illinois, Missouri and Kentucky.

Authorities lacked clues as to the cause of his disappearance and admitted they were baffled after a three days' search.

Rev. Vrainiak, for six years pastor of the Slovak Catholic Church at Virden, drove his automobile to St. Louis last Monday to purchase merchandise for a church bazaar. While in the city he called on the Rev. W. F. Linek, pastor of the Holy Trinity Church here, but finding Father Linek away, he left a note and apparently started his return trip to Virden.

The priest's automobile was found in a side street here the following day, and, despite reports indicating he had been seen driving his automobile toward Virden late Monday afternoon, police were inclined to believe the young pastor did not leave St. Louis.

BUSINESS IS IMPROVING

French Banker, Visiting in City, Is Pleased With Conditions.

Business conditions in France have improved steadily within the past few months, according to M. Christian Lazard, partner in the banking firm of Lazard Freres of Paris. M. Lazard was the guest Sunday of Lemuel Polles, national adjutant of the American Legion. The two served together during the war at headquarters of the 41st Division in France.

Burglars Lost Cape

Burglars entered the Detroit restaurant, 111 N. Alabama St., early today, police were told, taking a pay telephone estimated to contain about \$5, tobacco and then helped themselves to some food. Entrance was gained by forcing a rear window.

Chew a Few!!!

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