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FIRE GONG HALTS BRIEF TALKS ON HOME EXPOSITION

Exhibitors Guests of Real Estate Board at Lincoln.

Clang. Time out. Next speaker. Every thirty seconds a huge fire gong loaned by Fire Chief O'Brien was hammered by Emerson B. Knight, assistant manager of the Home Complete Exposition, while exhibitors told the story of their business. Speeches were limited to half a minute.

The Indianapolis Real Estate Board entertained at the Lincoln today exhibitors in the exposition to be given at the State fairground April 27.

Scott R. Brewer, board president, presided. J. Frank Cantwell, exposition manager, discussed plans. He said the exposition will benefit exhibitors from a business-getting viewpoint. The show will appeal only to those interested in home building, he said.

James S. Cruse, local realtor, welcomed the exhibitors. He said the Real Estate Board is not only an organization of good business but one of good fellowship.

COOK CASE HELD OUT OF MADISON COURT'S POWERS

Supreme Body Rules Henry County Tribunal Has Jurisdiction.

Orders prohibiting further action by the Madison County Circuit Court, or the Commercial Bank and Trust Company of Alexandria, in exercising any jurisdiction in the business affairs of Henry H. Cook, Alexandria, were issued today by the State Supreme Court.

Cook, a millionaire Alexandria paper manufacturer, was adjudged mentally incompetent in the Madison Circuit Court by Judge William A. Kiltenger several months ago. The case for appointment of a guardian was referred to the Henry County Circuit Court on petition of his wife, Martha P. Cook. After the venue was granted to Robert H. Malone of Alexandria asked the Madison court to appoint a guardian for Cook. The court appointed the Commercial Bank and Trust Company.

In the petition, instituted by the State, it was alleged Cook's guardians caused him to be "spirited" away, leaving Mrs. Cook and their 5-year-old son, Hosford, without means of support.

WOMEN IN EUROPE DENIED CHILDREN

Tells of Slain Beauty's Life



SOME LIGHT ON THE STRANGE MURDER OF DOROTHY KING, THE "BUTTERFLY OF BROADWAY," HAS BEEN CAST BY THE STORIES TOLD BY HER ROOMMATE, HILDA FERGUSON (ABOVE) WHO IS IN THE CAST OF THE "MUSIC BOX REVUE."

CAUSE OF WOMAN'S DEATH IS SOUGHT

Post-Mortem Ordered on Body Following 'Party.'

By United Press

CHICAGO, March 28.—Examination of vital organs of Mrs. Elizabeth Orsinger, 28, beauty parlor proprietor to determine whether her death was caused by alcoholism following an alleged "hooch" party, was started today.

Coroner Wolff ordered an analysis made, to determine possible effects of liquor which Miss Edna Watson, the woman's companion on the "party," and Mrs. Orsinger drank.

Mrs. A. J. Ward, Lasalle, Ill., sister of the dead girl, told police she believed Mrs. Orsinger's death was caused by a relapse from influenza.

of that impulse is to a great extent the satisfaction of a need which makes the disproportionate number of women in any country a real tragedy."

Steps Taken to Aid Luckyless Children

Attributed the increase in illegitimacy to this yearning for motherhood is at least the charitable viewpoint.

Legislation has been undertaken in several countries including England, Norway, Sweden and Germany to require fathers to support children born out of wedlock and to make such children's right more broad and secure.

The various countries are striving in diverse ways to stimulate the birth-rate among the married. In France, fifty-three business associations combine to pay a million employees bonuses for each child. Christians, the capital of Norway, pays pensions to widows, women divorced or separated from their husbands and unmarried women who have children.

Single girls and women who must support themselves are finding it increasingly difficult to obtain employment or to hold jobs.

Willingness of many women to work for less than men demanded soon developed. This resulted in many instances in reduced wages for men supporting families. It kept single men with met with cheers.

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Unquestionably thousands of women have died of starvation, or of diseases bred of hunger; but many others have taken "the easy way," with the result that divorce records, as in England, show more homes broken up by unfaithfulness of husbands.

The woman lucky enough to have a husband has to fight to hold him.

The 20,000,000 superfluous women stand in the path of political progress of their own sex.

Women politically have added little to the gains they made in the way of equal suffrage and equal rights before the war. They have less political influence, if anything, France recently voted down woman suffrage. Europe's attitude seems to be, "Let nature take its course."

The result is a spirit of after-the-war recklessness pervades Europe. Men and women alike spend more of their wages, they are keener in pursuing pleasure, they are more defiant of the conventions and lax in their morals.

The male is supreme. At dances he has six girls to pick from, where formerly he had to compete for a partner. Everywhere you see many girls dancing together; hostesses giving balls have a hard time getting as many men as women.

A new type has developed: The paid male escort. In Paris, in Nice, even in Monte Carlo you'll see him dancing with well-to-do women of middle age while charming girls are with him.

In every class of society girls will put up with almost any sort of a man for the sake of having him to go out with.

To make themselves companionable girls smoke, drink, pet and risk other indiscretions.

More Babies Born
Out of Wedlock

More children are being born out of wedlock than ever before. In England the increase has engaged Parliament's attention, but the latest of official figures show England least badly off in this respect.

Out of every 10,000 babies born in England the number of illegitimate is 455; in France, 879; Sweden, 1,442; Denmark, 1,943.

Throughout Europe is an increasing movement to assist unmarried mothers and to give children born out of wedlock rights they never had before.

Maud Royden, the great British woman preacher, says:

"The right to motherhood is a claim based on the belief that the creative impulse is more—or more consciously—present in the sexual nature of a woman than of a man; and that in consequence the satisfaction

STORE OWNERS BANKRUPT

Amboy and Fowlerton Merchants File in Federal Court.

Petitions in bankruptcy were filed by two general merchants in Federal Court today.

Frank Loyd of Amboy, Miami County, scheduled liabilities of \$2,460.64 and assets of \$1,340.91, Solomon D. Key of Fowlerton, Grant County, listed liabilities of \$1,291.52 and assets of \$1,312.54.

Money Goes for Livestock Barns

Approximately \$500,000 of the \$70,000 available to the State board of agriculture, through sale of a \$1,000,000 bond issue Thursday, will be used in the construction of new livestock barns, members of the board said today.

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I want to enter The Times Championship Marble Contest.

Name Age

Address

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Board Asks Interested Persons to Attend Meeting Next Tuesday Night and Discuss Construction Plans.

Excavation for eight new grade school buildings will begin in June, Jacob H. Hilkene, superintendent of schools for the remainder of the year was announced today. The buildings are Nos. 30, 75, 76, 23, 38, 67, 62 and 70. The school board Tuesday night set next Tuesday night for a meeting with representatives of public and civic organizations to discuss plans for the first four buildings.

May Open Feb. 1, 1924

After suggestions and recommendations from the public have been considered the plans will be submitted to the State tax board.

"We hope to have these buildings in operation by Feb. 1, 1924," Hilkene said. "The high school building program will be next."

The majority faction alone was present. Charles L. Barry was reported sick.

Bert S. Gadd proposed a trip to Cleveland and Ft. Wayne before Tuesday to study schools. This was approved after some argument as to who would stand expenses.

Site Asked for Center

A delegation from the Southeastern Improvement Association, headed by W. E. Pellette, asked the site at Shelby and Bradbury Sts. for a community center.

BRITAIN PROTESTS RUSSIAN EDICT TO EXECUTE PRELATE

Archbishop Under Sentence of Death for Opposing Soviet.

Communist Trial Brings Out Program to Change Present Form.

By United Press

LONDON, March 28.—Possibility of the executing of a condemned Catholic prelate by the Russian soviet government today aroused all England and caused debate on the subject in the House of Commons and scores of telegrams of protest.

This nation may take some action if the Archbishop Zeppelak is sent to his death on charges of opposing the soviet system, for which he was condemned to die by a soviet court.

Poland already has sent a protest against the proposed execution, and the situation is causing the utmost concern throughout Europe.

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Elopers Outwit Father by Ruse

Wed in Illinois as False Tip Leads Parent Here.

The story of how a 17-year-old youth and a 16-year-old girl outwitted pursuing parents and police was told today after Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Renaubau, who eloped Monday, returned to their home in Lafayette.

Indianapolis police Tuesday were told the two were coming to Indianapolis and were asked to head them off. The girl was Georgia Kirkpatrick. In quick pursuit, her father came to Indianapolis. He told police he had information that the couple was hiding in Lockerbie St.

A search revealed Fred Rentschler, 522 Lockerbie St., who informed police that the couple told him Monday night, at his brother's home in Lafayette, that they had been married in Danville, Ill. He laughingly agreed to mail some postcards from Indianapolis to the parents of the boy and girl, to send them on a false trail, he said.

Hamilton Issues 80 Permits Daily

Rush at Office Indicates Building Boom.

Business in the city building commission's office is booming, Francis F. Hamilton said today that March has been an exceptionally busy month and an unusually large number of building permits had been issued.

Hamilton said about eighty permits a day are being issued and \$800 a week collected in fees. He estimated that if permits were taken out at the same rate the rest of the year \$40,000 would be collected in fees.

Hamilton recently asked an ordinance to pay a building inspector. To care for the extra work in the office a field inspector has been withdrawn from the field to work in the office.

BEDFORD POLICE SEEK RECORD OF SUSPECTS

Two Arrested Following Revolver Battle—One Badly Wounded.

Indianapolis detectives today were asked by Bedford police for information on Harry Trusner, 30, and Joseph Linsley (Skeeter) McBride, suspects, arrested following a revolver battle in Bedford Tuesday night.

The legion national commander recently cabled the Prince of Wales thanking him for his courtesy in attending a carnival held by the legion post of London.

Trusner was probably fatally wounded.

Bedford police said they approached what was reported to be a camp of "desperadoes" in the north part of the city and the gang opened fire on them. Three besides Trusner and McBride escaped.

It is good policy to establish a fire line around a fire by plowing a few furrows.

If possible, extinguish a fire before leaving it at night. If you must leave it, rake all combustible material far away.

CARTOONIST TO WED RICHEST HEIRESS

Lester Norris Issued License to Marry Daughter of John W. Gates.

By United Press

NEWKIRK, Okla., March 28.—The Knox Oil Company was restrained last night by District Judge Duvall from drilling for oil in the United Brethren Cemetery, in the heart of the rich Tonkawa oil field.

Relatives of those buried in the plot asked that the company be barred from drilling there.

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Farmers Win Fight to Prevent Drilling in Graveyard.

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NEWKIRK, Okla., March 28.—Lester J. Norris, cartoonist of St. Charles, Ill., today obtained a license to wed Delora Frances Angell, heiress to the fortune of John W. (Bet-You-a-Million) Gates.

Miss Angell, said to be the richest heiress in the country, was not present when the license was issued, although her father accompanied Norris to give his consent.

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President Promises Thorough

Probe of Manipulation