

## MARBLE SHARKS READY FOR CITY GAME OF GAMES

Twelve Sectional Winners to  
Play for Trip to Na-  
tional Contest.

Indianapolis marble sharks are ready for the final game of the city championship. Twelve sectional champions have been revealed in elimination contests.

Every champion is a real contender, and every one hopes to be able to make the trip to Atlantic City to play for the national championship and to win the big prize offered by The Times to the city's best marble shooter.

Plans for the final games are being made. The date will be announced soon.

**City in Twelve Districts**

Here are the twelve district champions:

ROBERT NEAL, 13, of 1803 Single-  
ton St.

KENNETH SMITH, 14, of 406 S.  
Dearborn St.

KENNETH WILLIAMS, 9, of 1706  
Olive St.

LEROY SWEENEY, 14, of 619 War-  
man Ave.

LEWIS WILLIAMS, 13, of 1020 N.  
Haug St.

FOX THOMPSON, 14, of 1722 W.  
Washington St.

KENNARD ONG, 12, of 2361 Park  
Ave.

JOHN HAMILTON, 14, of 76 N.  
Ninth Ave., Beech Grove.

ROSS BEAVER, 10, of 115 W.  
Twenty-Third St.

JOSEPH STUBBS, 8, of 46 Johnson  
Ave.

ALEX BORNSTEIN, 9, of 1107 S.  
Capitol Ave.

ADRIAN GREENE, 13, of 1018 W.  
Twenty-Seventh St.

Many of the champions have at-  
tended sectional games other than  
those in which they have played in  
order to get a "line" on their op-  
ponents. Every one expects to be in  
the best of form for the city games  
and is practicing daily.

The Times has arranged with the  
Ringling Brothers-Barnum & Bailey  
Circus, showing in Indianapolis June 4,  
to have the twelve champions as  
guests. Each will be given two tick-  
ets.

### Life Pass to Circus

The John Robinson Circus will give  
a life pass to the national champion.  
Hundreds of Indianapolis boys and  
girls participated in the preliminary  
games, held at various school build-  
ings through the courtesy of the In-  
dianapolis school board. Many of the  
players were not fully familiar with  
the game, "ringer," the official cham-  
pionship game, but excellent playing  
was shown. Boys and girls of In-  
dianapolis have displayed real sports-  
manship.

### WHAT'S THIS? 50 MILES ON GALLON OF FUEL

"Baby Engine" Will Revolutionize  
Auto Industry, is Claim.

By United Press  
SAN FRANCISCO, May 22.—De-  
velopment of a "Baby Diesel" engine  
which it is believed will revolutionize  
the automobile motor construction,  
has been announced by Joseph C. Ty-  
nan, general manager of the Bethle-  
hem Shipbuilding Corporation.

The motor is able by actual test to  
propel an automobile fifty miles on a  
gallon of fuel costing 2½ cents a gal-  
lon, Tyman claims. A lighter oil is  
used for fuel.

The motor is of thirty horsepower  
capacity and works on the full Diesel  
principle. Improvement is the method  
of injection and combustion of the  
fuel oil constitutes chief features of  
the new engine.

**Utility Commission Re-elects**

John W. McCordie, chairman of the  
public service commission, and L.  
Chester Longrey, secretary, have been  
re-elected. Members held a reorgani-  
zation meeting Monday.

### Meetings Here Wednesday

Woman's City Club. Dinner.  
C. of C.

Associated Traffic Clubs of  
America. Convention. Seventh  
Indiana Dairy Products As-  
sociation. Dinner. Lincoln.

Indianapolis Athletic Club.  
Luncheon. Lincoln.

Indianapolis Traffic Club.  
Dinner. Claypool.

F. & A. M. Annual Meeting.  
Masonic Temple.

Buyers' Club. Luncheon. Seventh  
floor, C. of C.

Lions' Club. Luncheon. Lin-  
coln.

Delta Upsilon. Luncheon. Lin-  
coln.

Kiwanis Club. Luncheon. Clay-  
pool.

Officers of American Legion.  
Luncheon. Spink-Arms.

Sigma Nu. Luncheon. Board  
of Trade.

Indianapolis Real Estate Board.  
Luncheon. Seventh floor, C. of  
C.

Wednesday Club of the First  
Presbyterian Church. Luncheon.  
Seventh floor, C. of C.

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drug stores.

## 'Banco' Doesn't Tread on Firm Ground; '3 Wise Fools' Delightfully Acted

By WALTER D. HICKMAN.  
"BANCO" is a sort of a teaser.  
It would like to be down-  
right raucous but it hasn't  
enough backbone.

The program announces that  
"Banco" is a comedy of one clown-  
ing wife and two husbands, adapted  
from the French of Alfred Savoir by  
Clare Kummer.

I am afraid I am rather old-fash-  
ioned, as I do not relish the idea of  
seeing a divorced husband calmly sit-  
ting on the steam radiator in the bed-  
room on the wedding night of his di-  
vorced wife to another man.

Husbands don't run in twos, not in  
proper comedy. All the laughs I  
had last night at the Murat were  
hysterical laughs. Some of the situ-  
ations were brilliant (a few) but the  
main theme is stupid bunk.

"Banco" to me and I am speaking  
only for myself is a sort of a spicy  
French pudding made into a clumsy  
apple dumpling. In the first place,  
I am not fond of stupid second hus-  
bands and porch-climbing first hus-  
bands.

"Banco" hasn't enough backbone to  
be brilliantly rotten. The theme is  
not immoral, but rather a tiresome  
bore. It isn't so much what is said  
in "Banco" that counts, but rather  
how it encourages one to think in-  
dependently.

"Banco" is supposed to be a rather  
lase treatment of marriage and  
divorce. The entire treatment is too  
flippant even in a comedy. There is  
too much ultra-thought in this comedy  
for me.

This alley weed of a comedy,  
Stuart Walker has given it a setting  
of gorgeous beauty. Never has Walker  
given us more beautiful stage  
pictures. It is a pity to waste such  
beauty and such talented acting up-  
on such a mere nothing of a comedy.  
The settings are Stuart Walker at his  
best. The play is just a worthless  
and foolish brain child of French  
parents.

Let it be understood that I find  
fault with the play, not with the  
settings or the acting. The first act  
has an unusual situation, but it is  
nearly thirty spread out over twenty  
or more minutes. The second act has  
some clever playwriting while the  
third act tries so hard to just get over  
the cliff, but it can't make the grade.

There is one splendid acting tri-  
umph of the whole play. It is the  
work of L'Estrange Millman as Baron  
Henri Delignieres, the second but  
silly second husband. It is a most  
foolish role, but Millman brings to  
it some mighty true artistry. Too  
bad to give real talent to such an  
undertaking.

Tom Powers is cast as the gam-  
bling first husband of Charlotte. Count  
Alexander de Lussac (played by Pow-  
ers) is the sort of a man who doesn't  
have very much respect for mar-  
riage laws and he certainly has no  
sincere knowledge of what a divorce  
really means.

Spring Byington is cast as Char-  
lotte, whose views on domestic life are  
not so domestic. This role is not  
suited to Miss Byington. For the  
life of me I can't see that this role  
would be suited to any one.

The work of the entire cast is much  
better than the comedy. Others in  
the cast include William Kirkland,  
Boyd Agin, Kay Streeby, Donald Mac-  
donald and numerous others.

"Banco" remains on view at the  
Murat all week.

What I have said of "Banco" is my  
own opinion. Kindly have your own.  
—W.D.H.

**Concerning a Fine Performance  
of a Dandy American Comedy**

Close observation of the work of the  
Grand Players at English's this week

### He Owns a Musical Pitchfork at Palace



A WEAVER BROTHER

Here is one of the Weaver broth-  
ers, at the Palace the first half of  
the week. The brothers own a mu-  
sical pitchfork and they even get  
melody from a saw.

In "Three Wise Fools" leads me to  
believe that these players have been  
ideally cast.

The acting honors go to Don Mer-  
field, Norman Wendell and Larry Sul-  
livan as the "three wise fools." Claude  
Gillingwater made himself famous as  
Theodore Findley, the cranky old  
financier. To this exacting role of  
complete characterization, Merrifield  
of the Grand Players gives a most sat-  
isfying performance. I believe that  
Merrifield this week is giving the most  
complete characterization yet seen on  
the stage of English's during the en-  
gagement of the Grand Players.

Wendell as Judge Trumbull and  
Sullivan as Dr. Grant also gave per-  
formances of such high merit that the  
entire tone of the comedy is lifted to  
a high plane. These three men  
handled in masterful fashion both the  
comedy and the dramatic moments of  
the play. Indeed, here we have work  
which must increase one's respect for  
these players.

It is at the close of the second act  
that Jean Oliver proves her emotional  
ability. The test of emotional ability  
is not the tearing up of scenery or  
yells but it is the control of that out-  
burst to make it both physical and  
mental.

That is exactly what Miss Oliver  
accomplishes when she leaves the  
stage after the startling accusation  
made against Miss Fairchild (the char-  
acter impersonated by Miss Oliver)  
by the three old bachelors. It is such  
work as this which tests the best of  
players and the way Miss Oliver takes  
advantage of the opportunity gives  
added value to the comedy.

When the original comedy acted this  
comedy here I went into detail con-  
cerning the play. It is not necessary

to repeat it here, but state that  
"Three Wise Fools" belongs to that  
class of entertainment which makes  
playing a pleasure.

I am going to give the cast in full  
as proof that special mention of all  
players is deserved:

Don James Trumbull—Justice of the  
Federal Court. . . . . Norman Wendell  
Mr. Theodore Findley of Finley & Co.  
Bankers. . . . . Don Merrifield  
Dr. Richard Grant. . . . . Larry Sullivan  
Miss Fairchild. . . . . Jean Oliver  
Mrs. Saunders. . . . . Alice Delaney  
Gordon Schuyler. . . . . Eddy Waller  
Benjamin Suratt. . . . . James LeRoy  
"Foolie." . . . . Jack Martin  
Gray. . . . . Alice Wilton  
John Crawford. . . . . George Brady

The one set used is done in nice  
taste.

"Three Wise Fools" remains on  
view all week at English's. A series  
of three theater parties will be given  
this week by Sahara Grotto to raise  
funds to send its representatives to  
the supreme council meeting at Cleve-  
land, Ohio, next month.

**Weaver Brothers Win  
at the Palace**

Did you ever hear a musical pitch-  
fork?

Weaver Brothers have one at the  
Palace this week. Added to this they  
have a musical insect powder  
"squitter," musical saws and other  
quack instruments.

Their stunt is a rube act with a  
real laugh. The audience didn't want  
them to stop.

The headline act is a beautifully fan-  
tastic thing called by an equally fan-  
tastic name, "Bi-Ba-Bo." Beautiful  
dances by the Messrs Ramons and  
Virginia Bacon are the high spots in  
the act. The costumes in one phase of  
the act are most charming and un-  
usual. D. Apollon performs with skill  
on the piano and the mandolin.

A Chinaman who speaks fluently  
with an Irish accent, who makes it  
plain with a number of distinctly  
American songs that he is an Ameri-  
can citizen, appears in the person of  
Ben One. The audience liked him.

Nellie V. Nichols presents some  
jazzy songs and recitations, and she  
gets across. The Sally sisters and  
Jimmy Ritz do a catchy song and  
dance number. The girls are easy  
to look upon.

The phonograph feature is Constance  
Binney in "A Bill of Divorcement."  
(By an observer.)

**New Musical Comedy  
on View at Bialto.**

"Look Out" as the musical comedy  
at the Bialto this week is called, per-  
tains to the difficulties of a young  
married couple. The wife insists that  
husby buy an automobile for her  
birthday, while the husband wants  
to buy her a bungalow. In the end  
the husband promises to buy the car  
on condition that she remain ab-  
solutely quiet for ten minutes.

To make matters more complicated,  
the young husband's newly married  
cousin calls and wants him to assist  
her in her effort to break her husband  
of being jealous. This forms the basis  
for the comedy in the show.

Song numbers and vaudeville bits  
are worked throughout the piece.  
Dick Hutton in "The Blood Test"  
forms the movie portion of the pro-  
gram. (By the Observer.)

The Snow African hunt movies at  
the Circle; "Can a Woman Love  
Twice?" at the Ohio, and "Three  
Jumps Ahead" at the Master Smith's are  
the chief attractions on view today  
at local movie theaters.

Potato bug destroys \$25,000,000  
worth of potatoes annually in the  
United States.



**You Ought To Feel Fine in May!**  
But You Can't Be Happy When Every Day Brings Nagging  
Backache, and Finds You Tired, Weak and  
All Worn Out.

IS that constant throbbing backache  
keeping you miserable? Do you feel old  
and slow; tired out and discouraged? Are  
you so lacking in strength and energy,  
you can't join the good times of friends  
and family?

Then you should be taking yourself in  
hand. May is too fine a month to be so  
miserable. You want to be well, and the  
first step to get well is to find out what is  
making you feel so badly.

Have you given any thought to your  
kidneys? Your health, you know, depends  
largely upon your kidneys. Without them

you could not live a single day. When the  
kidneys weaken and fail to properly filter  
the blood, the whole system is poisoned.  
Your back aches, you are lame and stiff  
and suffer rheumatic pains and distress-  
ing urinary irregularities; your head  
aches, you are dizzy, and feel tired, nerv-  
ous, irritable and depressed.

Don't wait for some more serious kid-  
ney trouble. Get back your health while  
you can. Delay may mean dropsy, gravel,  
or fatal Bright's disease. Begin using  
Doan's Kidney Pills today! Doan's have  
helped thousands. They should help you.  
Ask your neighbor!

**"Use Doan's," Say These Indianapolis Folks:**

BERT EATON, 180 North Blackford  
Street.

says: "I was down with kidney trouble and  
my back ached so I couldn't straighten. Every  
time I stooped, sharp pains took me over my  
kidneys. The action of my kidneys was too  
often. I took different remedies, but nothing  
helped me until I used Doan's Kidney Pills.  
They were what I needed and before long,  
my back was well and strong and my kidneys  
didn't trouble me."

MRS. FRANK HARVEY, 239 North  
Davidson street, says:

"I never miss a chance to recommend  
Doan's Kidney Pills. They are the best reme-  
dy I have ever found for kidney trouble. My  
back ached and pained a great deal. I tired  
easily and had no energy. My work was such  
a burden. I often had to let it go undone. I  
had nervous, dizzy spells, and headaches, too.  
My kidneys acted too freely. I used Doan's  
Kidney Pills from Hook's drug store, and  
they soon relieved all signs of kidney trouble  
and restored my energy."

**Doan's Kidney Pills**  
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## COUNCIL KILLS ORDINANCE FOR CITY LAKE FUND

Members Insist Property  
Owners Are Raising Prices;  
Investigations Started.

Solid opposition by the city council  
to Mayor Shank's proposed lake fund  
was evident today.

An ordinance asking an appropria-  
tion of \$25,000 for surveys and borings  
on the site of the proposed lake failed  
to receive a single favorable vote  
when called before the council for  
passage Monday night.

Councilman Lloyd D. Claycomb  
seemed to express the feeling of the  
council when he said, "the mayor and  
the park board have a great idea, but  
since the lake proposition has de-  
veloped real estate prices in the  
neighborhood have skyrocketed and  
landowners seem to be trying to get  
everything and give nothing. I hope  
when a serious flood covers the dis-  
trict and property owners begin to  
demand flood prevention, this council  
or any other will flatly refuse it. I  
hope the council will defeat the mea-  
sure on this proposition."

Councilman Heydon W. Buchanan

W. Wise, Otto Ray and Thompson,

struck at the proposition from an-  
other angle. He declared such pro-  
jects should not be undertaken when  
playgrounds of the city were being  
neglected.

"I would take great pleasure in  
voting for an ordinance dis-annexing  
the whole territory," he said.

Mayor Shank has said the park  
board would go ahead with the propo-  
sition even if the council was un-  
favorable. It was pointed out that  
even if the territory were dis-annexed  
the board has authority over ground  
within five miles of the city limits.

### Session Is Lively

A lively session ensued when prop-  
erty owners around McPherson Ave.  
and Thirtieth St. and Forty-Sixth St.  
and the Monon Railroad who were  
present were told changes in the zone  
law concerning those districts would  
not be voted on because the changes  
had not been recommended to the  
council by the city plan commission.

Councilman Buchanan said he be-  
lieved that the plan commission was  
continually passing the buck to the  
council. The delegation applauded  
and one member declared they were  
tired of the plan commission's actions  
and believed the commission should  
be done away with.

Councilman Ben H. Thompson, who  
recently introduced an ordinance for  
repeal of the zone law, immediately  
presented a resolution saying it was  
rumored certain men in the employ  
of the plan commission were using the  
city's time and offices to do outside  
work, and asked a committee be ap-  
pointed to investigate.

The resolution passed and President  
King appointed Councilman Walter  
W. Wise, Otto Ray and Thompson,

Lawrence V. Sheridan, executive sec-  
retary of the commission, has recent-  
ly been employed as consultant for  
Anderson and Richmond in the prepa-  
ration of zone laws for those places.

The delegation was promised that as  
soon as the changes were recom-  
mended a special session of the coun-  
cil would be called to consider them.

An extension of time on Thomp-  
son's zone repeal ordinance was  
granted.

An ordinance asking for an appropria-  
tion of \$13,500 to pay the salaries  
of fifteen additional trafficmen in the  
police department was introduced. Or-  
dinance to annex these districts were  
introduced: Territory bounded by  
Southern Ave., Meridian St., Gimber  
St. and Bluff Rd; bounded by Key-  
stone, Walker and Churchman Aves.  
and Raymond St.

### Amendment Introduced

Owners of dwelling houses in  
apartment house districts who desire  
to convert them into two or more  
apartments or build sun or enclosed  
porches will be permitted to do so  
under the terms of a zone law amend-  
ment introduced by Thompson.

Ordinances passed: Appropriating  
\$8,554.16 for the purchase of two  
Mack trucks; requiring the Indianap-  
olis Union Railway Company to keep  
a flagman at the intersection of their  
tracks with S. State Ave.; annexation  
of a district in which the Broad Ripple  
school is included and annexation of  
University Heights.

Councilman Wise said he had heard  
city employees had been using city cars  
for personal use on Sundays and at  
night, and that the recreation depart-  
ment had bought a truck to take the  
"Me and Sarah" baseball team on  
Sunday trips. A committee composed

of Thompson, Wise and Ira L. Bramb-  
lett was appointed to investigate and  
report at the next meeting.

### Health Officers to Meet

The State board of health will be in  
charge of the twenty-ninth annual  
conference of Indiana health officers  
June 5 and 6 at the Claypool. Means  
of preventing goiter will be one of  
the principal topics.

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