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Forecast

PARTLY cloudy tonight and
Tuesday. Possibly local
thunder showers. Cooler Tuesday

TWO CENTS

MARBLE KING HERO OF HIS CLASSMATES

Ross Beaver, 10, Will Take Trip to Atlantic City With His
Mother to Play for National Championship—

Bicycle Awarded by The Times.

Ross Beaver, 10, marble champion of Indianapolis, today was getting ready for the longest trip he ever has made, a trip to Atlantic City, where he will be sent by The Indianapolis Times with his mother to represent Indianapolis in the national marble championship, just as he won the city championship, and bring the honor to Indianapolis.

Ross was the hero of school No. 82 today. Although only 10, he is in the 7-B and makes good marks. The champion's mother, Mrs. W. H. Beaver, 157 W. Twenty-Third St., "rooted" for him in the final games at Willow Park Saturday. Ross says

"I ought to have had a lot of time to practice," he said.

Then the games were on. The boys were divided into two groups.

Each group played three games, the

champions of the two groups then

playing three games for the city

honors.

Preliminaries Close

Ross won the first set, after a hard struggle. John Hamilton, Beech Grove, and Fox Thompson, 1722 W. Washington St., were close behind him all the time. He beat Hamilton by one marble.

Kenneth Williams, 1706 Olive St., had an easier time in the second act. The nearest to him was Kenneth Smith, 406 S. Dearborn St., but the final score was Williams, 17, Smith, 10.

Then came the final games, with Ross and Kenneth Williams playing for the championship. They lagged for the line and Ross won first shot. The boys had a little difficulty connecting with the marbles at first, becoming slightly nervous. Finally Kenneth knocked one out and then Ross came back.

Kenneth Leads

When Ross had knocked four marbles out of the ring and Kenneth his Ross's shooter a hard wallop and knocked it from the ring. Ross had to give Kenneth his marbles. Score, Kenneth, 12; Ross, 0.

In the second game Ross came back. Neither knocked the other's shooter from the ring and when the cheering died down it was discovered Kenneth had knocked out four marbles and Ross eight. Total score: Kenneth, 16; Ross, 8.

It looked as if Ross did not have much chance in the final game, but the dice was upset. The strain was telling on Kenneth and he had a hard time connecting, but Ross continued to shoot with deadly accuracy.

Ross Victorious

Kenneth during the entire game succeeded in knocking only one marble out of the ring, although he got many shots. Finally Ross landed his shooter in the middle of the ring and with tremendously hard shots he hit one marble after another, knocking out eleven of them and winning the championship. Final score: Ross, 19; Kenneth, 17.

The crowd poured over the ring, milling about Ross and his mother. To one side was the bicycle offered by The Times to the winner. The champion shook off the crowd and ran to his "bike" to try it out. Then he stood for his picture.

All the sectional champions are going to the Ringling Brothers and Barnum & Bailey Circus tonight as guests of the circus and The Times. Then they are going to get busy and practice for next year.

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SUMMER RAIL SERVICE

Roads Plan Excursions to Northern
Resorts and Lakes.

Summer train schedules are going into effect.

Big Four announces that some summer fares are now effective.

On Tuesday and Friday, June 5-22, north Michigan service of the Pennsylvania system will take effect.

It will be possible to leave Indianapolis for Mackinaw City at 7:15 p. m., arriving there at 1 p. m. the next day.

This service will be daily, effective northward June 24 to Sept. 20; effective southward June 25 to Sept. 22, per cent.

County Health Plans.

Articles of incorporation were filed today by the Wabash Health Association of Wabash County. Promotion of public health and hygiene are the purposes. All citizens of Wabash County are eligible.

Man Sought for Message

Police Chief Rilkoff was asked today to find Mike Williams, colored, who is said to live at 427 Indiana Ave. His son, Osborn Williams, is seriously ill in Detroit.

SHANK AWAY ONCE MORE

There's a Reason—Determined Woman Makes Successful Grab.

When Mrs. Mary Custard, 215 N. Jefferson St., going up from the basement of her home today, saw a negro with a suit of her son's clothes, she grabbed the suit. The negro ran.

Mrs. Custard kept the suit.

THIEF GIVES UP SUIT

Twenty-one persons were killed and 117 injured in weekend automobile accidents in 37 cities throughout the country.

Eight were killed in Chicago, six in New York, four in

Hagerstown, Md.; three in Pittsburgh and Mount Union, Pa.; two in Cleveland, Philadelphia, Huntingdon, Pa., and Littleton, S. C.; Knoxville, Tenn.; Wapakoneta, Ohio; Milwaukee, Oshkosh, Wis.; Cresson, Pa.; Peabody, Mass.; Lewistown, Me., and San Francisco.

HOURLY TEMPERATURE

6 a. m. 71.10 a. m. 82

7 a. m. 73.11 a. m. 83

8 a. m. 76.12 (noon) 84

9 a. m. 78

They Set Eyes on
Atlantic City Trip



MRS. W. H. BEAVER AND ROSS
BEAVER.

YEGGS 'JAIL' COP AND WATCHMAN

Hands Up!! Greets Merchant
Policeman Upon Visit
to Theater.

How he was made prisoner by two of the yeggs who blew the safe at the Lyric Theater early today was told by William Cooney, 67, merchant policeman, 2271 Union St. His story:

"I always visit the Lyric between 3 and 3:30 a. m.," said Cooney. "It was about 3:25 when I unlocked the front door, this morning. I locked the door and went in through the second door. When I got inside a small man said:

"Hands up! There's a whole gang of us in here and we'll kill you if you don't put your hands up," he said.

"I've got a sore arm and can't get them clear up," I told him.

"Then lock them behind your head."

"I did and he ordered me to walk upstairs. He took my flash light and revolver. As we reached the landing outside the women's restroom we met a larger man who said:

"Don't look around. Did you shake him down?"

"The little man went through me again and took my 'billy.'

"Shall we tie him?" asked the little man.

"No," said the big one. "There's a man standing right out here."

"Locked in."

"They didn't tie me. They just pushed me in and told me to sit down and not to make any noise. The big man took my pocketbook, but the little fellow told him to give it back, and he did. It contained \$2.20."

"I heard one explosion as I sat there."

"Then they fastened the door by driving in two large screws. The janitor had to use a screw driver to get us out."

Cooney said he heard only two men talk, out heard footsteps on the stairs, which convinced him there were several more in the gang.

CITY COUNCILMAN
HELD ON CHARGES
OF INTOXICATION

Heydon Buchanan Arrested

While Driving Car—Says

He Was in 'Spell.'

City Councilman Heydon W. Buchanan was scheduled to appear in city court this afternoon to answer charges of operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of liquor and resisting an officer.

Buchanan was arrested by Patrolman George W. McDaniels, at 2:50 a. m. Sunday in the 1200 block of Blaine Ave. McDaniels said when he attempted to make the arrest Buchanan struck him several times.

The councilman was not taken to police headquarters in a patrol wagon as is customary, but was taken in an automobile driven by Sergeant Drinkut.

Buchanan denied he had been drinking.

"Ever since I had the flu," he said, "I have been affected with sinus trouble, a trouble in my head. When I get an attack it drives me nearly insane and one of the spells had hit me just before I was arrested."

"I did not hit the policeman. I merely tried to explain to him why I should not be arrested. He might have called that resisting."

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