

# G.O.P. AWAITS GRAND JURY PROBE INTO MCCRAY FINANCIAL

## AUTOS COLLIDING AT CORNERS LEAD TRAFFIC MISHAPS

Four Machines Smash Up at Street Turns—Inquiry Is Recommended.

When Harry M. Wolf of the Puritan Bed Springs Company turned at South St., and Senate Ave., his car collided with a machine driven the opposite way by Frank M. Cotton, 449 Blake St., police say.

47 Persons have been killed in automobile accidents in Marion County this year.

1365 Have been injured in traffic accidents. It is your duty to make the streets safe.

Robinson, colored, 1563 Vandae St., collided at Massachusetts Ave. and Bellefontaine St.

August Peckin of Camby, Ind., was slightly injured when his car collided with a machine driven by Roger Stephenson, 816 N. Keystone Ave., in front of 926 Pleasant Run Blvd., at 5:45 p. m. Monday.

## POLICE ASSIGNED TO CITY SCHOOLS

Motorcycle Officers Used to Aid Students.

Boy traffic officers at school No. 54, Dearborn and E. Tenth Sts., felt very much aggrieved when a uniformed motorcycle officer appeared at their corner.

They were satisfied today, however, when it was explained that the boys were doing their duty like real "cops" but that a uniformed officer was assigned at every school. Motorcycle police are being used in districts where the district officer has more than one school.

For the second time in a week, Roland Aufderheide, officer at school No. 11, Capitol and Thirteenth St., reported to the accident prevention bureau that a driver failed to stop when he gave the signal. Trafficman Paul and Owens were given the license number to investigate.

Another driver, whom this boy reported, explained that he had not read of the school prevention campaign and thought the boy wanted a ride.

Owens and Paul were to speak at 2 p. m. today at the Indianapolis Teachers College, 2301 N. Alabama St., and at 4 p. m. to employees of the Yellow Cab Company.

## GAS TAX TRANSFER ASKED BY BRACKEN

Move Planned to Provide Funds for Highways.

State Auditor Robert Bracken was to recommend to the State finance board this afternoon that \$1,000,000 in gasoline tax funds, protested by payees, be loaned to the State general fund as a way out of the fund scarcity of the State highway commission.

Rights of the firms which paid gasoline tax under protest would not be jeopardized because, if the gas tax is declared unconstitutional, the payees could get their money back from the general fund, the auditor believes.

Meanwhile, Bracken has stopped payments on highway commission vouchers against \$400,000 of gas tax money, transferred to the commission's credit several days ago. He said he did this on advice of private attorneys.

## BOYS ARE THIEF VICTIMS

Five Bicycles Taken From Youths as Activities Continue.

These school and working boys report theft of bicycles:

Fred Herford, 937 S. New Jersey St., from the Sacred Heart School.

William Fear, 1333 Hoyt Ave., from home.

Henry Houppert, 701 Bates St., from home.

Joe Carmichael, 722 N. Pine St., stolen while he was in library.

Ralph Lemcke, Jr., 1004 N. Delaware St., from home.

## TRAFFIC OUTLET WANTED

Community Center Plans Move for Martindale Ave. Paving.

Plans for a new paved traffic outlet from the center of the city to the nearest section were under way today as one of the new projects of the East Thirtieth St. Community Center.

Monday night in the Sutherland Avenue Presbyterian Church a committee was appointed to confer with the city board of safety on the paving of Martindale Ave., from Sutherland to Massachusetts Ave.

Valuable Rings Gone

Mrs. K. C. Hamilton, 1307 Ashland Ave., reports the theft of two rings, valued at \$225, and \$15 in money from a desk in her home.

## Hoosiers Escape Death in Jap Quake



LEFT TO RIGHT—MRS. DORA ABEL, DOROTHY ABEL, AND FRED ABEL. IN FRONT, ESTHER ABEL.

Loyal members of a little missionary band in Japan, who had taken summer refuge in the mountains to escape the terrific heat, are now performing rescue work in Tokio, according to letters full of graphic

## MISSIONARIES TELL HORRORS OF QUAKE

Earth Rocked Like 'Waves of the Sea' While Fire Forced Human Mass Into Sea, Letter Says.

"Please hold us in prayer constantly," is the appeal of Fred Abel, a missionary of the Pentecost Band of the World, stationed in the devastated area of Japan, in a letter received by O. H. Nater, Salem Park, Indianapolis, general secretary of the band.

Abel, his wife and two daughters are in Japan. Their home was in Terre Haute, Ind. They have been missionaries for eight years. They are well known here.

Mr. and Mrs. Nater, according to the letter, were in Karuzawa, a summer hill station where missionaries go for the hot season. A cable sent to Indianapolis, according to the letter, did not arrive, Nater said.

The letter from Abel, in part: "We are more than thankful that we can write you again and can report our family all safe, as we were still in Karuzawa (hill station where missionaries go for hot season) when it happened."

"Like Waves of Sea"

"The thing all seems too awful to comprehend, and the truths of all that did happen are not known yet. But enough is known to say that Tokyo city is three-fourths burned and what is left is badly shattered by the quake, and Yokohama is worse off, and stations south of there for fifty miles."

"It shook so hard here, nearly 100 miles from Tokio, that no one thought the houses would stand."

"We all ran out into the open with the ground waving before us like waves of the sea and it seemed as if we would be with the Lord at once."

"Three hard quakes followed each other in quick succession and lighter ones have followed about every two hours since. They are very light at present. It struck Japan right in its densest population, which made the death toll so heavy."

Unable to Enter Tokio

"Some from here started for Tokio the same evening after the quake but could go by train only two stations beyond Fukaya, but the next day they could go within eight miles or so."

"I started down on the third day but could get only as far as Fukaya, as strict martial law had been declared and so could not get admittance into Tokio, but am hoping to be able to get in soon."

"The railway up through here is the only usable one out of Tokio and they are bringing refugees out as fast as they can."

"This was a great strain on nerves, and we have not had our clothes off since it happened, nor have we tried to sleep. Suffice to say that we are in the Lord's hands and we know He doeth all things well."

"Escaped With Our Lives"

"We know absolutely nothing about the Shinjuku and Itabashi mission halls (missions in suburbs of Tokio) or about the workers occupying them. Fukaya is all right. "We have escaped with our lives and what shudder clothing we have with us here. Our Japanese workers are in dire need of help, all that have survived."

"Disease and famine must naturally follow."

"I doubt if any calamity in history has ever equaled this. Please hold us up in prayer constantly. The Lord bless you. If this is our last to you, we say goodbye in His name, but we hope to write again."

"FRED ABEL"

"This summer has been a peculiar one," writes Mrs. Abel. "Several of the Holiness Missionaries came here with a burden for Japan which expressed itself continually."

Had Prayed for Revival

"About two weeks ago one became so burdened she called a day of fasting and prayer at her home where we gathered from 6 a. m. until noon a week ago today. That was Wednesday and on Saturday the awful catastrophe struck this land."

"Is this the beginning of the revival prayed for? 'Won't you there bear this up with us in special prayer that now the powers of darkness will not have away, but that God will send a real revival break in this land at once?'"

"Until yesterday a. m. there had

## Subcommittee Is Appointed to Take Up State Interests With Governor as Executive Refuses to Meet—Walsh's Course Indorsed by Body.

The Republican State committee, having reaffirmed the fact that Governor Warren T. McCray's financial affairs are in the hands of the courts and having adjourned, interest in the McCray crash today centered in the coming grand jury investigation and the fact the trust agreement has not been accepted by the required seventy-five per cent of the creditors.

The State committee met at the Severin at noon Monday. It ordered lunch sent in. An hour later it went into executive session.

James P. Goodrich, president of the National City Bank; Frank D. Stalaker, president of the Indiana National Bank; and Ora J. Davies, State treasurer, joined the session, stayed awhile and then came out.

At 4:30 p. m. the doors opened and Frederick E. Schortemeler, secretary of the committee, announced to a dozen eagerly waiting newspapermen that the McCray affair was in the hands of the courts.

Sub-Committee Appointed

Schortemeler also announced a sub-committee had been appointed in accordance with Governor McCray's letter to the committee in which he said he would be glad to welcome a sub-committee to discuss State affairs, but not his private affairs.

The sub-committee was composed of Clyde A. Walb, State chairman; Lawrence P. Cartwright, Portland; George Elliott, Newsmen; Ewing Emerson, Vincennes; and Stuart T. Fisher, Princeton. The committee invited Mrs. Edna Herr Bucklin, Brazil, vice chairman of the State committee, to join them. They went to the Governor's office.

At the Governor's office they were kept waiting for ten minutes. Then they were allowed to enter the private office.

The Governor was sitting at his desk. Grouped effectively around the room were two lawyers and a court reporter. The door remained closed for half an hour.

"Gordial Meeting"—Walb

Then Cartwright emerged.

"I am not saying anything," he said.

A few minutes later the rest of the committee came out.

"It was a cordial meeting," said Walb. "We offered the Governor the assistance of the sub-committee. So far as I know, neither the sub-committee nor the State committee will meet again on the McCray matter."

Then James W. Noel, one of McCray's attorneys, came through the swinging door.

"I can save you boys some time," said he. "The Governor agreed with the committee that he would not talk about what went on in his office."

Here is the statement made by the State committee after the executive session:

"The members of the Indiana Republican State committee unanimously

## 'FARM' INSANITARY, SAYS GRAND JURY

Prisoners Sleep on Floor, Report Shows.

That the Indiana State farm is "insanitary, insanitary, insanitary," said the grand jury in its report, "that the State is negligent in furnishing adequate quarters for prisoners and that prisoners are sleeping on the floor in an overcrowded county jail are allegations contained in the Marion County grand jury report of its inspection of the farm and jail made public today."

The jury recommended that Merrill Moore, congressman from this district, submit a bill to the next Congress allowing for the confinement of Federal prisoners in other than county jails in order that Federal prisoners may be sent to the Indiana State farm. Judges were asked to send prisoners to the farm whose sentences run over ten days.

Tattooing paraphernalia, valued at \$580, for stenciling designs on the body, were stolen from the Marsh Modern Museum, W. Market St., Monday night.

Two thousand stencils with various designs, such as the Statue of Liberty, the American eagle and others, were taken by the robbers, Frank Grant, manager, said.

Among the unusual loot were eight electric tattooing machines.

Garden Flower Society to Hold Stage on Big Electric Sign.

In behalf of the Garden Flowers Society, a committee today adopted the Merchants Heat and Light building, Washington and Meridian Sts., will carry a message, beginning tonight, as follows:

"Let's all help make Indianapolis a city beautiful—better flower gardens will do it—plant peonies, tulips, hydrangeas, and perennials now. Plant in October roses, shrubs and trees. Fall planting is always the best—J. H. Nicolas, president. The Garden Flowers Society."

NEW TABERNACLE URGED

E. Howard Cadle Proposes Downtown Business-Church Building

Plans for a new downtown tabernacle were under consideration today. At a meeting of business men and women Monday night, the plan was proposed by E. Howard Cadle, founder of the Cadle Tabernacle.

The new tabernacle, if erected, will have a seating capacity of 10,000 persons and will be a combination business building and auditorium with storerooms on the first floor.

Those attending the meeting represented largely the original organization of the Cadle Tabernacle and Gypsy Smith choir.

Wine Goes Back to Owners

Wine, truck loads of it—380 gallons to be exact—on order of Criminal Judge James A. Collins will be returned to the original owners, Engels & Krudwig Company, Bandusky, O., who claimed the "sacramental wine" seized when Samuel Hartman, 53 E. McCarty St., official distributor for the Orthodox Hebrew Congregation, was accused of quenching the thirst of members of the church.

Hartman, who drew a \$100 fine and thirty days in jail, appealed to the Supreme Court.

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## The Times Sworn Statement

MADE UNDER THE POSTAL LAW

Statement of the Ownership, Management, Circulation, etc., required by the Act of Congress of August 24, 1912, of The Indianapolis Times, published daily, except Sunday, at Indianapolis, Indiana, for October 1, 1932.

State of Indiana, County of Marion, ss: I, the State and county aforesaid, personally appeared Wm. A. Mayborn, who having been duly sworn according to law, depose and says that he is the Business Manager of the Indianapolis Times, and that the following is a true and correct statement of the ownership, management and circulation of the Indianapolis Times, published for the date shown in the above caption, required by the Act of August 24, 1912, embodied in Section 533, Postal Laws and Regulations, printed on the reverse of this form, to-wit:

1. That the names and addresses of the publisher, editor, managing editor, and business manager are:

PUBLISHER.....The Indianapolis Times Publishing Co., Indianapolis, Ind.

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3. That the known bondholders, mortgages and other security holders owning or holding 1 per cent or more of total amount of bonds, mortgages or other securities are: None.

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5. That the average number of copies of each issue of this publication sold or distributed, through the mails or otherwise, to paid subscribers during the six months preceding the date shown above is

56,439

WM. A. MAYBORN, Business Manager.

(Sworn to and subscribed before me this 1st day of October, 1932.)

(SEAL) J. H. WICKWANGER, Notary Public.

My commission expires January 23, 1934.

## SEVEN ARRESTED AS PARTY 'GETS ROUGH'

Taxi Driver Claims Shot Is Fired In Argument.

John Roberts, 34, of 1225 Lafayette St., is charged with drawing a revolver; Ernest Overton, 746 N. West St., and Cornelia and Elizabeth Overton, 37 and 35 respectively, of 901 Colton St., are charged with failure to pay taxi bill, and Dore Baker, 36, of 236 Corn St.; John Thomas, 46, of R. R. 1, Box 877, and June Baker, 236 Corn St., are held on vagrancy charges following a fracas at Clermont Monday night. All are colored.

## NEW FORD MOVE MAY SMASH OIL PRICE COMBINE

Wall Street Hears Manufacturer Plans to Refine Gas for Flivver Owners.

By United Financial

NEW YORK, Oct. 2.—Wall Street hears Henry Ford is about to deal a master stroke that will greatly affect the automobile business and the oil industry as well.

Certain well-informed men, who watch Ford movements closely, understand the move makes sense in negotiating for oil properties, planning to produce crude oil in huge quantities, refine it into gasoline and sell to Ford car drivers only at 16 cents a gallon.

## COMMITTEES AT TECH ARE PICKED

January Seniors Named for Activities.

Ted Nicholas, president of the January '24 class of Technical High School, has announced the following committees for the senior class activities:

Constitutional: Harold Shipley, chairman; Fred Gandy, Pauline Rentsch, Mary Boston and Virginia Barnes.

Motto: Edward Hyde, chairman; William Aspinall, Lillian Rose Leforge, Keith Marsh and Jane Wilson.

Play: Mary Elizabeth Neely, chairman; Theodore Steele, Mildred Frey, Milton Edred and Dorothy Williams.

Field Day: Brandt Steele, chairman; Mildred Ellis, Lettie Louise Gorman, Paul Kimbrell and Roger Tressard.

Finance: Raymond Drake, chairman; Peter Hinton, Ralph Albert Kreslow and Elizabeth Barnes.

Class Day: Dorothy Hill, chairman; Homer Carter, Martin Dobson, Dixie McKay and Ruth Orie.

Commemorative: Margaret Macy, chairman; Emory Searcy, Leroy Burey, Helen Bonham and Mildred Jordan.

Pictures: Kolia Willy, chairman; Fred Conroy, Alice Lancaster, Martha Dietz and Reneth Hamilton.

Social: August Siefelf and Jean Baker, joint chairmen; Sue Anne Engle, Dorothy Anne Allen, Barbara Meyer, Boyd Brown, Delmar Curtis, Albert Shalot and Rhea Ladd to the class.

Gift: Dorothy Whidden, chairman; Perry Wedder, Henry Wilson, William Dickens and Laura Allen Carroll.

Pin and Ring: Raymond Brown, chairman; Phil Silvers, Thomas Fred Tibbels, William and Abigail Magruder.

Biography: Lettie Leck, chairman; David Durbin, Louise Eleanor Ross, Bernard Perlin and Eleanor Iselin.

Announcement: Lettie Ayres, chairman; Theodore Lawrence, Mary Kiezner, Robert Dunaway and Edna Shuck.

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Brig. Gen. Dwight Aultman Speaks at Legion Meeting.

Fear that the move to limit air armament is a step in the direction of emasculation of the nation's man power, was expressed by Brig. Gen. Dwight E. Aultman, of Ft. Benjamin Harrison before McMillan-Kohe Post, American Legion, at the Athenaeum Monday evening.

General Aultman and members of his staff were the post's guests at dinner.

A Belgian film showing scenes in the Ruhr was exhibited.

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Efficiency Must Be Aided by Useful Buildings, Brew-baker Says.

"If we must build our Sunday school buildings for the greatest efficiency, we must build them for the future," declared Charles W. Brewbaker in an address on "The Church School Building" at Roberts Park Church today at the convention of the Marion County Sunday School Council of Religious Education.

"Many of our church buildings have been constructed for their beauty, and not for their usefulness," Brewbaker said. "Schools must be built today to care for all the needs of the Sunday schools. The children's vision, young people's division and adult division must be considered if we are to develop in the child a fourfold life."

Try to Live on Inspiration

"A lot of religious people today are trying to live on inspiration. They are not willing to provide for their young people a religious atmosphere in all phases of their development."

Sectional conferences opened the closing day of the convention.

Speakers in the children's division included Mrs. Charles E. Smith, cradle roll; Mrs. Margaret L. String, beginners; Miss Nellie C. Young, primary, and Miss Mildred Clark and Mrs. Joseph L. Stacy, junior.

"Making the Young People's Department Closer," was discussed by James H. Lowry. Wayne G. Miller, young people's superintendent of the Indiana Council of Religious Education, spoke on "The Place of Expressional Programs."

The adult and administration conference was led by W. E. Bell and Charles W. Brewbaker, national leader of the United Brethren Church.

The Rev. Otto B. Moor, pastor of the Immanuel Reformed Church, directed the song service. An address was delivered by Charles W. Brewbaker. The Rev. C. C. Gohn, gave the Bible message.

Mrs. Margaret L. String, national children's division superintendent of the Reformed Church, opened the afternoon session with an address on "Our Obligation to Childhood." Brewbaker spoke on "Graded Evangelism."

The parallel sectional conferences were continued throughout the afternoon.

A young people's banquet will be served 6:15 p. m. at the Y. W. C. A. A mass session 7:30 p. m. will end the convention.

\$500 REWARD OFFERED FOR MUNCIE SLAYER

Citizens Start Move to Buy Home for Patrolman's Widow and Children.

By United Press

MUNCIE, Ind., Oct. 2.—A reward of \$500 for the capture of Claude Michaels, a laborer, who Sunday shot to death Tony Heelis, Muncie policeman, was offered today by Delaware County officials.

While search is being continued here for Michaels it is now believed he succeeded in leaving the city. Word from Richmond is that a man answering his description was seen to leave a freight train there Sunday night and it is thought that Michaels is heading toward his former home in Kentucky.

A movement was started here today to raise a fund for the purchase of a home for Heelis' widow and children.

"A COMMON COLD DESERVES YOUR PROMPT ATTENTION"

Take Father John's Medicine

"A common cold deserves your immediate and serious attention." So writes a well-known physician, in warning of the danger of neglecting a cold.

"Early treatment of a cold will spare you days of