

# 'SWEETIE' OF LATE DOT KING IS FINALLY IN TOILS OF LAW

## OPTION OBSTRUCTS CITY'S MOVE TO BUY TABERNACLE

Offer of Land Adjoining Auditorium for \$195,000 Closes Nov. 15.

An option held by local interests on the vacant lot at the northeast corner of Alabama and Ohio Sts. located today as the first barrier to city purchase of the Cadle Tabernacle site and the adjoining land.

The option is for purchase of the ground for \$195,000 and will be the site of a proposed garage. It was today. The option expires but is held with renewal privilege.

Shows how valuable ground is, said the mayor when he announced the option. "Private corporations are not going to allow that land to be idle, and the city must act now."

Negotiations were under way between John B. Reynolds and James A. Daugherty of the Indianapolis Chamber of Commerce and Daniel L. Speicher and Walter Hansing, owners of the Tabernacle.

Acting as direct agents for the city, Reynolds and Daugherty were ordered by Mayor Shank to obtain preliminary prices for the tabernacle site and also for the quarter block directly west.

Meanwhile, the mayor ordered the city legal department to prepare a preliminary resolution for acquiring the land by the board of works this afternoon.

The sudden move for purchase of the tabernacle followed indorsement of the plan by the board of safety Tuesday after which the mayor arranged a luncheon at the Chamber of Commerce.

## CROSSING CRASH OF ENGINE-TRUCK HURTS PASSENGER

Driver, Clifford Rosebrough, Escapes Without Injury.

Charles Moore, 1054 W. Eighteenth St., was bruised about the body today when the truck in which he was riding, driven by Clifford Rosebrough, 1365

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1490 Have been killed in traffic accidents in Marion County this year.

was the engineer. Louis Tanner, 63, 1160 N. Warrman Ave., was cut and bruised about the head today when he was struck by an auto driven by Joe Smith, 763 N. Warrman Ave., at Indiana Ave. and Elsie St., according to police. Smith took Tanner to the city hospital for medical attention and then to Tanner's home.

Mrs. Evelyn Spuls, 74, Bellefontaine, Ohio, who was injured seriously when struck by steel rods extending from the rear of a motor truck at Madison Ave. and Ray St., Tuesday, is recovering today.

The truck belonged to the Service Construction Company, James Fields, 312 W. Vermont St., was arrested on charges of improper driving and assault and battery.

Mrs. Spuls was riding in an automobile driven by her nephew, Charles Arison, 1104 Knox St. Witnesses said the truck swerved and the rods pierced the automobile top, striking Mrs. Spuls.

H. J. Dale, 1002 N. Delaware St., received severe cuts on the head when an automobile which he was driving was struck by a southbound Terre Haute, Indiana, car at Eastern traction car at Northwestern Ave. and Twenty-Eighth St. Tuesday.

DISPUTE ENDS IN CUTTING Man in Hospital and Woman Is in Jail.

William Miller, colored, 30, of 518 Myrtle St., is in city hospital and Miss Nannie Morris, 23, colored, 315 Arch St., is in the city prison charged with assault and battery with intent to kill.

Miller staggered into the hospital with two cuts across his face and one on his neck. Doctors say the wounds will not prove fatal.

Miss Morris said an argument over a dinner tonight at the Claypool. The divisions to be represented are commercial, industrial, trades, mercantile, utility and public employees. About 600 will attend.

Disagree on Money Matters Fred P. Fieger, 36, of 3312 Central Ave., was arrested today on a charge of embezzlement. Fieger is alleged to have used \$131.75 belonging to Select Pictures Corporation, 66 W. New York St., where he is a bookkeeper. W. Dudley Williston, 3704 N. Pennsylvania St., made the complaint. The charge was denied on behalf of Fieger.

Finds Home Entered Claude Johnson, 442 W. St. Clair St., told police that his home was entered while he and his wife were at church. Nothing was missed.

## Bandits Held Upon Confession They Robbed California Bank



THOMAS DRANGINIS (LEFT) JACK DONOVAN. THE MEN ARE HELD UNDER \$10,000 BONDS UPON STATEMENTS OF DETECTIVES THAT THEY CONFESSED TO ROB- BING LOCAL FILLING STATION AND TO PARTICIPATION IN A \$15,000 BANK ROBBERY IN LOS ANGELES, CAL.

## STRICTER LIQUOR LAWS FAVORED BY WOMEN'S CLUBS

Resolution Is Adopted by State Body at Evansville Convention.

By United Press EVANSVILLE, Ind., Oct. 24.—The Indiana Federation of Women's Clubs went on record today as favoring stricter liquor laws.

The resolution, introduced by Mrs. W. N. Short, Salem, Ind., chairman of the resolutions committee, was received with great enthusiasm. More stringent enforcement of narcotic laws also was favored.

Restricted Immigration The federation approved restriction of immigration and urged examination of all immigrants before they leave their home ports.

"Marriage laws are like a patch-work quilt," Mrs. Edward Franklin White, chairwoman of the legislative committee, said in her address on "Uniform Marriage and Divorce Laws."

License to Marry "One should be required to apply for a license to marry one week and go back the next week for the license," Mrs. White said.

The fact that nine states permit marriages of colored and white persons was deplored by Mrs. White.

The pageant, "Americanization" written by Mrs. Albion Fellows Bacon and directed by Mrs. E. A. Torrance, will be given at 8 o'clock this evening.

## 'CUP' OVERFLOWS AS GIFTS POUR IN; \$115,572 RECEIVED

Splendid Donations From Plants Exceed Those of Last Year.

Today's initial gifts to the Community Fund brought the amount up to \$115,572.24, it was announced by G. Barrett Moxley, chairman of the initial gifts committee. This is an increase of \$26,010.52 over the subscription from the same people last year which totaled \$89,561.72.

James E. Bartlett, president of the Pittman-Moore Chemical Company, today said: "I never before saw such a fine spirit manifested as is being shown in the Indianapolis Community Fund campaign."

Another donor commented: "The splendid, consistent work of the workers should be promptly recognized by every public spirited citizen."

Large contributions received today: Schnull & Co., \$3,000, an increase of \$800; Hook Drug Company, \$1,500, increase of \$500; Linton Coal Company, \$1,000, increase of \$400; Fairmount Glass Company, \$1,500, increase of \$500; H. J. Huder, \$500; Clark & Cade, \$200; Joseph T. Stoh, \$500, increase of \$400; Pittman-Moore Chemical Company, \$500; Mooney-Mueller Ward Company, \$3,600, increase of \$600.

The employee divisions will hold a dinner tonight at the Claypool. The divisions to be represented are commercial, industrial, trades, mercantile, utility and public employees. About 600 will attend.

Home W. Borst, executive secretary of the Community Fund, said the fund organization has need for a number of volunteer workers. Mrs. W. B. Buserman is receiving names of additional volunteer workers by telephone. Main 1951, and assigning them to places with the various divisions.

Seasonal Franis Start Mrs. F. Hughes, 334 N. Summit St., told police the gangster of Halloween pranks-players stole two chairs valued at \$12 from her front porch Tuesday night.

Doctor's Office Robbed of \$12 Burglars entered the office of Dr. E. Lashler, 517 N. East St., and stole \$9 from the cash register and a small bank containing \$3.

Furniture Piled Up Vendors entered the home of Mrs. Charlotte Pennell, Apt. 10, 510 N. East St., while she was at work Tuesday and piled all the furniture in each room in the center of the floor, police said. Police were told of two girls roomers who left last Friday and took a door key with them.

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## Only Nickey Arnstein Remains of Non-Tolling Crew of Broadway's Night Life to Pass Time of Day With Detectives.

By WESTBROOK PEGLER United News Staff Correspondent NEW YORK, Oct. 24.—David Lamar has begun to serve his federal year in a Jersey jail; Bill Fallon, the Broadway lawyer, is having his own troubles fighting his way out of a serious fracas with the law; Fuller and McGee, the bucket shop brokers, have pleaded guilty and squealed, and now Albert E. Guimares, "sweetie" of the murdered Dot King, is spending a night in the Tombs, unable to raise \$5,000 bail.

This may be only the first of many nights on which Guimares may have a chance to study the outside world from an inside view, for he was arrested Tuesday on a charge of using the mails to defraud in the final descent of Federal officers on the free-spending, non-tolling leaders of the mercurial night life in the old clubs on and off Broadway.

Only Nickey Arnstein, husband of the faithful Fanny Brice of the Folies—only Nickey, of all that quondam carefree crew, is able to walk the west side of Broadway now, from Times Square to the seventies, with a cool and an unworried time-of-day for the dandy detectives who patrol the street.

"Plants" May Quit Now perhaps, with Guimares withdrawn from fluent circulation, some of the coolest little above-stairs plants where the walls are packed with felt and hung with heavy draperies to confine the sounds of revelry by night, will go out of business because of non-support.

Guimares was picked up by United States Inspector Graham, and rushed through a preliminary hearing before Commissioner Hitchcock.

He was game, Guimares was. For the lack of a mere \$5,000, which any good hustler should be able to pick up between noon and sundown in circumstances of such slight urgency, Guimares was committed to the toms on a charge of using the mails to get plenty for nothing whatever.

Dot's Other Man Guimares first became prominent, not to say notorious, at the time when Dot King was found crumpled amid the silks of her bed in a flat opposite the Calvary Baptist Church, where she pursued her career as a heavy sugar baby, within earshot of the pulpit where the famous John Roach Straton whanged the Bible with a righteous fist and preached damnation to doers of evil.

Guimares had been Dot's "other man." While her "heavy sugar daddy" was elsewhere, Guimares was with Dot.

After she had been killed for the rather cheap, but extremely flashy collection of jewelry, Guimares was asked many questions by the police and the district attorney, but in the end, the Dot King case joined the gentlemen Joe Elwood case in the files at police headquarters as one of the unsolved mysteries of Broadway.

Settled Down Some time after that, Guimares married Betty Piermont, a red-haired girl, and settled down to his business of getting the money. Hilda Ferguson, the chorus girl who was Dot's room-mate before the murder, took a trip to Paris, returned, and is now in the same show with Fanny Brice—the Folies.

They have a rather limited circle of personal acquaintance, after all, these characters in Broadway's big cases of the last few years, and their field of operations also is bounded by a few blocks between Forty-Second St. and prizefighter's corner at Ninety-Sixth and Broadway.

Had "Brokerage" Firm. At the time of the Dot's murder, Guimares was operating one of his many "brokerage" firms as a sort of name-sake of hers, which was the firm of King & Scott, which did business under Guimares' genius in the same building with four other of his enterprises. All of these were scrutinized by the postoffice inspectors in their search for evidence to support a complaint received from one of Guimares' "customers." Continuing their explorations in the realm of brokerage, they found Guimares was also "the firm" in five other concerns, which they investigated also.

Two other men, Henry W. Fields and William B. Kaas, associates of Guimares, were arrested and warrants are out for Henry Guimares, a brother of Alfred, and two others.

On Sucker List Graham, the Federal inspector, said the Government had evidence that \$150,000 had been obtained from a number of investors who had the misfortune to be named on a sucker list and who were approached by phone for their "business."

According to Graham, Guimares had more business ingenuity than any of the others who got into trouble. When, as the Government will allege, Guimares had sold an order of stock to an "investor" he would turn the customer's name over to his by-product plant.

In this plant, the Government claims, Guimares utilized even the squeal, for it was a private stock fraud bureau. The bureau would offer to investigate the deal transacted with the stock brokerage firm and would charge a fee for the service, obtaining in the process possession of all the evidence in the customer's hands.

Heinrich Hearing on Oct. 31 Fritz G. Heinrich, secretary-treasurer of the Realty Finance and Building Company, who is charged with embezzlement, will demand a preliminary hearing in City Court, Oct. 31, it was said today. Police continued their search for Lyle Laub, president of the company.

Unkind By United Press NEW YORK, Oct. 24.—"The roof is leaking; turn in a fire alarm," shouted a woman on the top floor of a tenement during a storm last night.

Michael McGrath, on the ground floor, complied. When six fire companies had clanged up to the corner he explained a woman on the top floor wanted the roof fixed.

Today McGrath was fined \$25.

Civil War Veteran Answers Last Call

Jason H. Greenstreet, 86, of 1109 N. Capitol Ave., whose funeral will be held Thursday afternoon, was a Civil War veteran and an Indiana pioneer.

James H. Clark Funeral at Home

Funeral services for James H. Clark, 54, who died at the Methodist Hospital Sunday morning, will be held at the home, 2009 S. Meridian St., at 2 p. m. today, and the Olive Branch Christian Church at 2:30. The Rev. E. L. Lowe, pastor of the Olive Branch Church, will conduct the rites. The body will be taken to Crown Hill cemetery for interment.

Mr. Clark's death came after five days of unconsciousness following a stroke of apoplexy last Wednesday. He had been in poor health since last July, when he was stricken with paralysis.

He was an active member of the Olive Branch church, having served as superintendent of the Sunday school for twelve years. For ten years he had been manager of the Garden Feed Store.

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## New Georgia Peach Is Crowned



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## POLICE GUARD TRAIN OF LLOYD GEORGE

Mysterious Actions of Stranger Causes Uneasiness in Party —Welshman to Address Workers at Pittsburgh.

By LAWRENCE MARTIN, United Press Staff Correspondent. WITH LLOYD GEORGE, PITTSBURGH, Pa., Oct. 24.—Wearied by a strenuous day in Cleveland, but more enthusiastic than ever over prospects of eventual American cooperation with Europe, Lloyd George arrived in Pittsburgh before daylight today.

He was allowed to sleep on his car before his regular rising hour and the ceremonies of reception by civic organizations and the many thousands of Welsh in this and nearby communities were deferred until 9:30 a. m.

Will Address Meeting Lloyd George has been looking forward to his Pittsburgh visit. He was born in Manchester, one of England's great industrial cities and he has a deep bond of sympathy and comradeship for the workers in such communities. His day was to be spent very largely in rest, preparatory to addressing a public meeting tonight.

The program called for conferring honorary membership in the American Gorsedd, a Welsh organization. At 6 p. m., he is to be the guest of honor at a Welsh dinner. Late tonight he will leave for Washington, D. C.

Eager for Message Lloyd George came to Pittsburgh eager to speak his message of international cooperation and of American aid to Europe to the industrialists of the region.

With the present situation in Germany to give point to his utterances, Lloyd George believes he will be able, before completing his tour, to give an impetus to American opinion that may hasten American intervention to save Europe.

\$140,000 PAID BY FAIRBANKS-MORSE County Treasury Enriched by Sale of Land.

Final payment of \$140,000 for the old county workhouse site, Twenty-first St. and Northwestern Ave., purchased for \$150,000 at public auction Aug. 27 by Fairbanks-Morse Company, was received by the county auditor today.

"We will not start expansion of the plant until next spring. In ten years we hope to have doubled the capacity," A. W. Thompson, general manager of the Fairbanks-Morse Company, said today, in turning over the payment to Leo K. Pesler, auditor.

Tech Club Elects Officers The Mathematics Club of Arsenal Technical High School elected the following officers Tuesday: Edward Gibson, president; Helen Schmitz, vice president; Harriet Simmons, secretary; Hubert Hodges, sergeant-at-arms; Donald Higgins, attorney general. Harriet Simmons and Robert Lowry were chosen for a program committee.

Thieves Get \$55 From Station NORTH VERNON, Ind., Oct. 24.—Thieves captured with \$55.76 in cash from the passenger station of the Pennsylvania Lines late Monday. Entrance was gained by breaking a window in the women's waiting room.

Disarmament Time-Honored Weapon —the Hat Pin—Taken From Women by Fashion

They Pad Their Millinery Instead of Hair to Keep Top Piece On.

The move for disarmament has struck women's styles. The hatpin—time honored weapon—the hatpin—has been taken away from her, and this without a peep of protest from the victims.

It took no council of grave diplomats to effect the "reform." Bobbed hair did it.

Indianapolis jewelers say they have not sold a hat pin for over so long. "While women's weapon lies in rust milliners tell us why: The short hair style does not leave enough on the head to hold a hat pin. Rats used to help those with scanty locks, but rats are not in fashion any more."

How do they keep their hats on? They crush the crown in. Some have the band padded in the back so it fits tightly right under where the hair leaves off. Some hats just naturally fit tight.

The girls need hat pins about as much as Lloyd George and Zev need press agents.

## VETERAN AID IS PRINCIPAL TOPIC OF WAR MOTHERS

Indiana Chapter Opens Two-Day Convention at Spink-Arms.

Immigration and hospitalization and long imprisonment of soldiers were questions to come before the Indiana chapter of the American War Mothers, at its two-day convention opening today at the Spink-Arms.

Mrs. H. H. McClure of Kansas City, Mo., who was elected national war mother at the national convention in Kansas City early this month, was expected to arrive this afternoon.

It is expected resolutions will be presented asking for stricter immigration laws and separate hospitals for tubercular soldiers, some of whom now are said to be quarantined with mental defectives.

Freedom of soldiers who were given severe prison sentences for military offenses during the war also was to be discussed. This question has been taken up by the national organization.

The resolutions committee is composed of Mrs. Dorothy Peterson of Bedford, Mrs. Mary Stem of North Vernon and Mrs. Anna Flick of Mitchell.

Interested in Peace Plan Mrs. Alice M. French of Indianapolis, founder of the American War Mothers, planned to go before the convention this afternoon with a proposal that the State organization submit a peace plan in the Edward Bok \$100,000 contest and that every war mother urge her Congressman to put aside partisanship in the fight for peace.

Election of officers will be held Wednesday. The outstanding candidate for the office of State War Mother is Mrs. John Huntington of Bloomington, who stepped into the office from the first vice presidency when Mrs. Daisy Douglas Barr resigned during the past year.

Banquet This Evening Mrs. Huntington will preside at a banquet at the Spink-Arms tonight. Mrs. McClure is expected to speak. The program: Prayer, Mrs. M. E. Harley; welcome, Mrs. E. May Hahn; responses, Mrs. Len L. Whetsell; duet, Miss Ruth Douglas and Paul Harley; reader, Miss Edna Cremer; solo, Mrs. R. S. Dadds; song written by Mrs. Martha J. Stubbs of Indianapolis, sung by audience, Indian song, led by Mrs. Rosella Cremer.

Thursday's program includes a memorial hour, flashes from the National convention, by Mrs. Melville Moon, Mrs. Alta Pence, Mrs. C. B. O'Donnell and Mrs. Oscar Lewis, reports of committees, and election and installation of officers.

BANDITS GET \$40,000 IN BOLD GEM ROBBERY Four Men Loot Kansas City Jewelry Shop and Escape.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 24.—Four bandits held up the S. Diamond Jewelry Shop in the downtown section here today and escaped with \$40,000 worth of diamonds.

Community Fund Honor Roll of Initial Givers

1923 1922 Increase over 1922

AMUSEMENTS Circle Theatre, \$1,200 1,100 90.00 AUTO DEALERS AUTO DEALERS, \$1,200 1,100 90.00 Frank Hatfield Co., 200 150.00

ATTORNEYS Rappaport, Simon & Co., 95.52 Newberger, Simon & Co., 80.00 Davis, Henry H., 80.00 100.00

FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS Indiana Natl. Bank, 2,500 2,500 0.00 Mr. and Mrs. H. H. 4,500 900.00 Mr. and Mrs. H. H. 1,800 300.00 Arthur Brown, 2,000 2,000 0.00 Fred C. Dickson, 2,000 2,000 0.00 Arthur Trust & Sav. Co., 480 78.00 L. M. H. 1,000 1,000 0.00 City Trust Co., 240 40.00 Fletcher Amer. Bank & Com., 2,500 2,500 0.00

DEPARTMENT STORES L. S. Ayres & Co., 10,000 10,000 0.00 DEVICES AND DRUG MATERIALS E. L. Lilly & Co., 18,000 18,000 0.00 Mooney-Mueller Ward, 3,600 600.00 Kiefer-Stewart, 3,600 600.00 Joseph T. Stokes, 600 420.00 Pittman-Moore Co., 500 100.00 Henry T. Huder, 500 100.00 Hook Drug Co., 1,000 500.00

FURNITURE People's Outfitter Co., 2,750 337.00 L. C. Huesman, 1,000 200.00 Polk's Sanitary Milk Co., 2,000 200.00

INDIVIDUALS L. C. Huesman, 1,000 200.00 Mr. and Mrs. Henry F. Campbell, 600 300.00 A. M. Giesbrecht, 1,000 100.00 Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lieber, 400 240.00 Herman Lieber, 240 240.00 Mr. and Mrs. John M. Carey, 1,200 1,200 0.00 Guy A. Walworth, 120 120.00 L. M. Walworth, 1,000 1,000 0.00 Arthur C. Newby, 2,400 400.00 Harry and Mrs. R. H. 500 80.00 Sherwood, 750 250.00 Aaron Wolfson, 1,500 1,500 0.00 Samuel E. Rath, 1,500 1,500 0.00 Mr. and Mrs. H. H. 480 80.00 Gould, 480 80.00

INSURANCE State Auto Ins. Co., 1,000 400.00 Indianapolis, 600 100.00

CUTTING Real Sh. and Box Co., 4,920.00 U. S. Co., 600 350.00 Paper Package Co., 300 60.00 Diamond Chain Co., 1,900 200.00 Kahn Tailoring Co., 1,600 300.00 One Piece Bifocal Co., 100.00 Holt Ice & Cold St., 300 60.00 Fairmount Glass Wks., 1,600 600.00

West. Oil Refining Co., 3,600 600.00 PACKING COMPANIES Kingston & Co. Ltd., 10,000 2,500.00

PRINTERS Trautott Bros., 500 100.00 Belt Ry. and U. S. Yds., 3,000 3,000 0.00

RETAILERS Sam Rubens, 1,800 200.00 Charles Mayer & Co., 1,800 200.00 Schloss Bros., 800 200.00

RETAILERS Crane Co., 300 300.00 Columbia Sch. Sup. Co., 400 60.00 F. Rath & Son, L. Co., 1,200 1,200 0.00 Schull & Co., 3,000 800.00 Tanager Manufacturing Co., 100.00 Central Supply Co., 1,800 1,800 0.00

Total \$115,572.24 \$29,010.52