

YOUTH SHOT BY POLICEMAN MAY DIE OF WOUND.

Millard Williams, 17, Surprised in Offices of Downtown Store.

Millard Williams, 17, who said he lived at 826 Torbet St., may die from gunshot wounds received Monday night when he was surprised by a merchant policeman in the offices of the White Furniture Company, 243 W. Washington St., according to police.

Williams B. Dunlap of the Indiana Merchants' Protective Association found himself facing Williams' revolver when he went to investigate a light in the offices, police say. He dodged and shot twice. One bullet struck Williams near the left lung.

Williams was taken to the city hospital by police where he is held in the detention ward.

Police are searching for two auto handits who got \$50 from the Piggy-Wiggy store at Ft. Wayne Ave. and New Jersey St. after slugging Albert Ewbank, 2456 Salem St., cashier.

According to police, the men made purchases in the store and slugged Ewbank as he made change for them. They forced Ewbank and John Saunders, 1144 E. Ohio St., manager, to the rear of the store and escaped in an automobile parked in front.

Mrs. Roy White, 922 N. Highland Ave., was at her neighbor's telling how she stood inside her house quietly watching the vain attempts of a prowler to unlock the front door and windows. When she returned she found her house ransacked. A box of silverware ready to be taken away had been left behind in the burglar's flight.

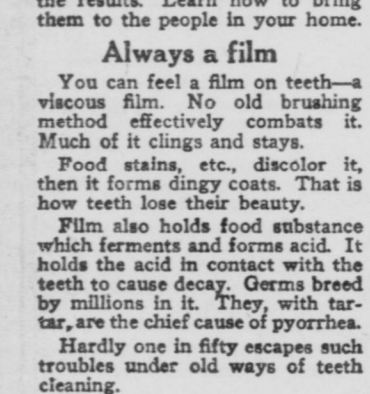
EFFIE'S POLITICAL ACT FALLS FLAT

Runs Poor Third in Race for Mayor.

By United Press
CEDAR RAPIDS, Iowa, March 18.—Effie Cherry of vaudeville fame, is back in her baker shop today after taking a severe beating in her campaign for mayor. There were three in the race and Effie landed a bad third. The ballots cast Monday showed J. F. Hall, former mayor, 3,742; C. D. Huston, present incumbent, 3,243; Miss Cherry \$61.

Effie made her campaign on a blue law platform, promising to oust the "sofflaws" and removing temptation from the path of the youth at Cedar Rapids.

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Landlords in Vera Cruz Unable to Oust Families Who Refuse to Pay Rent



VERA CRUZ HOUSES (UPPER) ARE SEIZED BY THE TENANTS. HERON PROAL (LOWER LEFT) IS THE LEADER OF THE VERA CRUZ RADICALS. ONE TENEMENT HOUSE (LOWER RIGHT) HOME OF SIXTY FAMILIES, HAS A SIGN DECLARING THEIR FREEDOM FROM LANDLORDS AND THEIR ADHERENCE TO THE RADICAL CAUSE.

By BOB DORMAN
NEA Service Writer
VERA CRUZ, Mexico, March 18.—Ten thousand families pay no rent in the city of Vera Cruz.

Ten thousand landlords find themselves unable to collect the rental of their property, and equally unable to dispossess their tenants. The law cannot or will not help them.

The red flag waves from each house so held. In front of some of the larger tenements are large signs cheering the social revolution.

The leader of the Reds is Heron Proal, a Mexican by birth, of French and Guatemalan parentage.

He came to Vera Cruz in February, 1922, where he found a situation ripe for his radical activities.

The close of the World War had brought great prosperity to Vera Cruz. Salaries went sky high. But rents went the salaries one better.

Houses that formerly rented for 15 pesos a month were raised in some cases to as high as 125 pesos.

Naturally there was much bitterness against the landlords. Heron saw his chance and took it. He began making speeches on the street corners. He advocated the taking over of the houses—he refused to pay rent.

At first he was jeered—even stoned. But gradually he built up a following.

Today he claims a following in the city of Vera Cruz of 45,000 and in the State of 300,000.

The 45,000 in the city comprise 10,000 families who do not pay rent. Proal has his headquarters near the magnificent custom house built by Porfirio Diaz, the former president of Mexico, who, thirty years ago, put down a similar rent agitation in Vera Cruz by shooting the leaders in the plaza.

As he talks, he works himself into blind fury. I asked him to tell me something of his movement.

"We are not Bolsheviks," he almost shouted. "I hadn't said anything about Bolsheviks. 'All you Americans claim that I and my people are Reds. We are not. We merely want a square deal for the people."

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"And the people pay. 'But the time is coming when the people will rule—when the workers will have come into their own—and then there will be peace and plenty for all."

Proal explained that the \$5,000 he received each month from his followers in Vera Cruz that pay no rent, goes into the furthering of the cause.

That out of it he maintains himself and his fellow workers who devote their whole time to the work.

That he is feeding twenty-seven of his followers who are in jail, and maintaining their families.

That he has erected a model tenement house such as he believes the workers should live in. (The tenants of which pay rent to the cause.) But—Proal rides in a big auto.

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ALLEGED DIAMOND ROBBERS HELD AS 'TRUST' MEMBERS

Man Arrested in Indianapolis One of Four Picked Up in Chicago.

By United Press
CHICAGO, March 18.—Four persons are in jail and a dozen suspects are being watched in a diamond robbers' trust investigation under way by two private detective agencies and police of Chicago and New York.

The operations of the trust netted some \$8,000,000 in gems and insurance money, State's Attorney Crowe estimated.

Morris Levinson, Chicago diamond merchant; Lawson Jaffe, salesman employed by Levinson; James Probasco, former cabaret owner, and Miss Julie Smith, companion of Probasco, were taken into custody last night.

Other Chicago diamond dealers and salesmen are under investigation. Detectives also are investigating a beautiful young woman of "oriental caste" who played the siren and lured diamond salesmen into submitting to fake robberies.

The girl with the "oriental caste" resided in a fashionable South Side hotel, detectives declared. She had an unerring nose for salesmen with valuable consignments and after a round of dances and flirting, would suggest fake robberies.

If the salesmen agreed she passed the word to her confederates. When the salesmen disagreed, they were held up and robbed just the same.

Detectives charged Levinson was involved in many of the fake robbery deals; that Jaffe is an accomplice and that Probasco and Miss Smith also aided in the deals. Miss Smith directed the police to a \$50,000 cache of diamonds. She told them Jaffe took the diamonds to Indianapolis last week, but was unable to dispose of them.

Lewis Radt, salesman for A. Lorsch Company, New York diamond merchants, is under watch in a New York sanitarium. Crowe said. Six weeks ago Radt was robbed of \$25,000 worth of diamonds by bandits who kidnapped him from a railroad station on his arrival from St. Louis.

Jaffe investigated HERE
Released After Telling Story of Loss of \$15,000 in Diamonds.

Lawson Jaffe, 19, was held in Indianapolis last Friday and released Saturday.

Jaffe reported theft of \$15,000 worth of diamonds from a purse to police here. He said he was a diamond salesman representing the Maurice Levinson Company of Chicago. Detectives Houlihan and Englebright investigated his story that he missed the jewels while at lunch.

MOVIE TO SHOW FLOOD CONTROL

Engineering Bodies Sponsor Special Exhibition.

Motion pictures showing flood control methods employed by the Government and railroads will be shown at a joint luncheon sponsored by the engineering and building clubs of Indianapolis at the Board of Trade Thursday noon.

Secretaries of the Indianapolis chapter American Association of Engineers, Scientific Club, Architects' Association of Indianapolis, Building Contractors' Association and Indiana Engineering Society urge their members to attend.

The pictures are of interest here in view of recent action by the board of works toward completing the White river flood prevention program.

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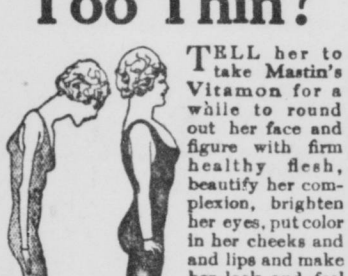
Candidate Says He Is for Law Observance

Frank C. Riley, 955 N. Rural St., candidate for the Republican nomination for prosecutor, announced he is running on an anti-Ku-Klux Klan platform.

Riley has been active in Republican politics in Marion County for many years. He has been a candidate for prosecutor before.

Riley, in announcing his candidacy, promised impartial enforcement of the law, asserting he believes it is the will of the majority that observance of all statutes be compelled.

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