

## BONUS BILL AND TAX CUT CAUGHT IN SENATE JAM

Obstacles Threaten to Delay Final Passage Before Political Conventions.

By PAUL R. MALLON  
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WASHINGTON, April 17.—The bonus bill and tax reduction today were stalled behind obstacles that threatened seriously to delay their final passage.

Senate disputes have prevented these measures from coming before the Senate and unless that body decides to forgo its usual Easter recess the adjusted compensation bill cannot be taken up before next week.

Senator Curtis, who will be in charge of the bonus bill on the floor, has made arrangements to get it up as soon as the immigration bill is disposed of, but other pending matters may further delay action.

Only a little more than six weeks remain before the political conventions. The bonus will take a week and the tax bill—at the most conservative estimates—will require four weeks.

## BURGLAR ROUTED BY PISTOL SHOT

Woman Flies When She Sees Hand Through Window.

A burglar, who started to gain entrance to the home of W. E. Vogler, 2805 N. Illinois St., received a warm welcome.

Miss Helen Vogler, a daughter, awoke to see a hand creep through the window of her bedroom. She reached for a revolver and yelled, "Get away from that window or I'll shoot." Without waiting, she fired. Police found the bullet lodged in the house next door.

Mrs. Roy Butcher, 532 N. California St., told police she knows the man who entered her home and took a \$6 pair of slippers.

G. F. Coffin, Terre Haute, Ind., visiting at 3546 E. New York St., said he was standing at Washington and New Jersey Sts., when a man came up and demanded his valuables. He relieved him of a watch and ring valued at \$32.

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## COUNCIL EXTENDS INVESTIGATION OF CITY GOVERNMENT

Veil of Secrecy Continues to Envelop Results of Probe.

City council's probe of alleged irregularities in city government widened today, following investigation believed to involve paving contracts awarded by the board of works. City Hospital purchases and activities of the city building department, Wednesday night at city hall.

Another grilling session lasting several hours, in which eleven witnesses were examined, was shrouded in secrecy. Committee members announced that a partial report of their findings might be made public at the regular council meeting Monday night.

Lawrence Orr, chief examiner for the State board of accounts, was in the committee room nearly an hour. Francis F. Hamilton, city building commissioner, was summoned to appear with records back to 1922. It is believed permits for erection of gasoline filling stations were under fire.

Robert V. Fitch, president of the Union Asphalt Construction Company; Carolyn Fitch, secretary, and Charles G. Duvall and Charles Walsh, executive employees, appeared before the committee.

R. D. Sanders, purchasing agent for the Hoosier Drug Company; James A. Ross of the law firm of Matson, Carter, Ross & McCord; R. W. Parker of the Sanders Motor Company and O. F. Mann, former owner of two lots in W. Michigan St. taken over by the park board, were other witnesses.

Celebrates 103rd Birthday

By United Press  
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## PRESBYTERIANS TO HEAR ORATORIO

Choir Will Render 'The Man of Sorrows.'

Elaborate services have been planned in local churches on Good Friday.

"The Man of Sorrows," a sacred oratorio, including the last scenes in the life of Christ, will be given by the choir of the Tabernacle Presbyterian Church, Thirty-Fourth and Central Ave., Good Friday at 8 p. m.

The soloists: Narrator, Miss Mary S. Merker; "Jesus," George W. Kadel; "Penitent Thief," Floyd Chaffee; "Pilate," V. L. Cornish; "Judas," Herbert S. Wood, and "Impenitent Thief," C. L. Price. Fred Newell Morris is director and Paul R. Matthews, organist.

Friday night at St. Paul's Episcopal Church, a sacred cantata, "The Seven Last Words," will be given by the vested choir. Clarence H. Carson is choirmaster and organist. Soloists are Mr. and Mrs. Don R. Sidel, Mrs. Victor Hintze and John McConnell.

Former Resident Stricken  
By Times Special  
ANDERSON, Ind., April 17.—Oliver M. Wright, 58, sewing machine salesmen, who was found lying on a westside lawn in an unconscious condition, is in a serious condition at a local hospital. He has never regained consciousness. Physicians believe he suffered a stroke of paralysis. His former home was at 1521 N. Pennsylvania St., Indianapolis.

Fletcher Trust Buys Bonds  
By Times Special  
NOBLESVILLE, Ind., April 17.—The city of Tipton has sold a \$22,500 bond issue to the Fletcher Savings and Trust Company of Indianapolis at par, accrued interest and premium of \$356. Sherrin & Co. and the J. F. Wild State Bank of Indianapolis were among the bidders. The money will be used to pay for the work of dredging Cicero Creek.

Watson at Mother's Bedside  
By Times Special  
WINCHESTER, Ind., April 17.—Senator and Mrs. James E. Watson are constant visitors at the bedside of Mrs. Mary E. Watson, mother of the Senator, who lies in a dying condition at her little home here. The sufferer, who recently celebrated her 91st birthday, is in a semi-conscious condition and physicians say the end is only a matter of hours.

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## THE INDIANAPOLIS TIMES

### From Far and Near

For first time New York Republican delegation will go to convention and vote as unit for Calvin Coolidge for President.

Turkish government has closed medical branch of American Girls' College at Constantinople.

All houses along water front at San Jose, Guatemala, were burned Wednesday, including United States telegraph office.

Krupp factories in Germany are now exporting false teeth made of nickel steel used for making munitions in war time.

Navy Department is considering sending the entire American fleet on cruise to Australia next year.

Lawrence Aber, world war veteran, has confessed he killed Earle Remington, Los Angeles manufacturer and aviator.

Dave Katz, 450-pound taxi driver, got out of his cab in Chicago Wednesday and was arrested for blocking traffic.

John E. Andrus, millionaire New York "subway strap-hanger," has ordered a \$350,000 mausoleum built in "Kensico."

Chicago's chief of police has ruled a tail-light must be affixed to a horse if one goes horseback riding after nightfall.

Unless Supreme Court interferes, W. L. Gross will spring the trap that will end life of William B. Ward, negro slayer of his son. Theodore W. Gross, Warden Sims, Florida State penitentiary granted Gross' request for that bit of granite.

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Hold Man In Shooting

By United Press  
KOKOMO, Ind., April 17.—Thurman Smith, 38, is held in the county jail on a charge of shooting with intent to kill following a triple shooting at a fry Wednesday. Smith, according to police, shot Minnie Sapp and her daughter when the mother rejected his attentions and then turned the gun on himself. Mrs. Sapp and her daughter are in the hospital with wounds which may prove serious.

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Known from terrible experience the known to be caused by rheumatism. Mrs. J. E. Hurst, who lives at 1521 N. Pennsylvania St., Bloomington, Ill., is so thankful at having cured herself that out of pure gratitude she has given \$100 to the other sufferers just how to get rid of their terrible affliction.

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