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WATCH for Flapper Fanny. You will like her. She will be introduced to Times readers Monday.

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HAWKINS IN JAIL IN NEW ATTEMPT TO EVADE TRIAL

Fugitive Seeks Habeas Corpus Writ After Order for Removal Is Granted.

LOWER BOND OBJECT?

Final Hearing on Iddings Ruling Saturday at Cincinnati.

By Times Special
DAYTON, Ohio, Jan. 22.—Morton S. Hawkins, dapper erstwhile president of the defunct Hawkins Mortgage Company, Portland, Ind., voluntarily went to Montgomery County jail today.

Hawkins did this in a clever legal move to thwart the Government's effort to remove him to Indianapolis for trial on an indictment charging he headed a conspiracy to use mails in a \$6,000,000 stock swindle. He was captured here last month after a nation-wide search following his failure to appear for trial in Indianapolis in October.

Removal Ordered

United States Commissioners ordered S. Iddings in a brief hearing, ordered Hawkins removal today. This order goes before Federal Judge Smith Hickenlooper, Cincinnati, Ohio, Saturday for final order.

Beaten in his effort to have Commissioner Iddings hold the Indianaapolis indictment faulty, Hawkins surrendered his \$20,000 bond today and went to jail. Then he dispatched his attorney, Fred S. Warner, Marion, Ohio, to Cincinnati to file habeas corpus proceedings before Hickenlooper. It is understood he will attack the bond as unreasonable high. He had considerable difficulty in raising it.

Further Moves Planned

Should Hickenlooper grant Hawkins the habeas corpus writ another stumbling block would be in the Government's path and Hawkins would be at liberty without so much property tied up.

Warner was expected to see Hickenlooper before night.

Meanwhile Warner indicated that if Hickenlooper upholds the removal order Saturday he will appeal to Circuit Court of Appeals. Further delaying the Government, Hawkins has declared he will go to Supreme Court before he quits. His actions before the commissioner indicated that he is directing his own case.

FIGHT TO SAVE GIRL SLAYER ON

Dorothy Ellingson to Face Juvenile Authorities.

By United Press
SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 22.—The real fight to save Dorothy Ellingson, 16-year-old "jazz maniac" from punishment for murder of her mother, began today.

With the aid of her father's testimony that she was under 18, her attorneys have succeeded in having the case taken to juvenile court. Dorothy today will be brought before that body and an attempt made to prove she should be treated with "curative measures," rather than punishment.

Miss Teresa Mickle, assistant district attorney in charge of the prosecution, said she would demand the juvenile court exercise its right to remand Dorothy to the criminal courts.

ALBERT WARD FAVORED

Walt Believes Peru Judge Will Be District Attorney Here.

Albert Ward of Peru, Ind., judge of the Miami County Circuit Court, is practically certain to be the United States district attorney for Indiana, succeeding Homer Elliott, resigned, Claude A. Walb, Republican State chairman, indicated today.

It was said that some arrangement is being discussed for paying Ward's traveling expenses in handling cases over the state under the new Indiana Federal Court law.

It was also indicated that Thomas A. Slick of South Bend probably will be named as the second Indiana district judge.

Both Ward and Slick recently have been in Washington.

LOSES \$80; ENDS LIFE

Crap Game Is Blamed for Suicide at La Porte.

By Times Special
LA PORTE, Ind., Jan. 22.—Despondent over the loss of \$80 in a "scraps" game, John Chalek, 27, committed suicide by drinking poison. The tragedy was discovered when his landlady heard groans from an upper room and investigated.

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Shank Orders Those Who Would View Eclipse Protected From Pickpockets.

SORRY TO SEE SO MANY, SAYS SHANK ON SPEED BENCH

Mayor Sits With Judge Wilmeth as Motorists Are Arraigned in City Court.

114 CASES ARE HEARD

Sixty-Three Fined and Forty Continued — Four Ordered Rearrested.

Mayor Shank today sat on the bench with Judge Delbert O. Wilmeth in city court and heard sixty-three drivers fined on speeding.

Included was a city fireman, Oliver Hayworth, 25, of 861 Bradshaw St., who paid \$10 and costs for traveling twenty-eight miles an hour.

Meantime there is a race on between the eclipse and a storm area in the far northwest to see which gets here first, according to J. H. Armington, weather bureau meteorologist. If the eclipse wins the phenomenon will be visible, clearly. If the disturbed area wins or ties then the eclipse will be a total failure.

Armington has been asked to make a special report to the weather bureau at Washington, Friday. Upon observations made over the United States the bureau will issue a special eclipse bulletin.

The sun will arise at 7 a. m. partially in eclipse. The maximum will be about 8 a. m. when 92 per cent of the sun's surface will be darkened. The eclipse will end at 9:07 a. m. ***

A New York theater has arranged an outdoor movie show, which will be made possible through darkness caused by Saturday's eclipse.

The air service has ordered two McCook field fliers to Mitchell field, Long Island, with the most powerful camera in the service. It will be used in "shooting the sun."

"I hope they don't soak you too hard, but you'll get all you deserve."

Rikhoff Is Spectator

Fines of a dollar a mile were given by Judge Wilmeth. Chief Herman F. Rikhoff was an interested spectator, but did not speak.

Monday, first day of the drive, netted thirty-three motorists. Since then totals have dropped.

Those slated Wednesday night:

Edgar Syrus, 27, of 858 N. La Salle St.; James V. Rawlings, 22, of 93 N. Ritter Ave.; John Melton, 18, of 28 Kentucky Ave.; Charles Patton, 26, of Forty-First St. and Cold Spring Rd.; Albert Wolf, 21, of 219 E. Morris St.; Phillip Webber, 25, of 147 W. Pratt St.; Ray Robertson, 30, of 2451 Parkway Blvd.; Raymond Weaver, 21, of 2817 Broadway.

GUESSWORD
LIMERICK

JURY DISAGREES IN LIQUOR CASE

Further New Jersey Rum Prosecutions in Doubt.

By United Press

JERSEY CITY, N. J., Jan. 22.—Future prosecution of the New Jersey liquor ring is in doubt, authorities disagreeing on procedure to be followed after failure of the jury in the first trial, which ended today. Ten Weehawken policemen and two civilians were on trial.

"I think the Federal Government should take the case now," Prosecutor McMahon said.

Washington advises, however, indicated the attorney general's office favors a new trial in the county court.

The jury announced its inability to reach a verdict shortly after 11 a. m. It stood nine for conviction and three for acquittal.

COURT BILL PRESENTED

Gives Indianapolis Three City Judges and One Common Pleas.

Bills introduced today by State Senator Harrison, Indianapolis, Republican, would establish a court of common pleas to replace all but one justice of peace court, and establish a second city judge with concurrent powers with the present court in Indianapolis.

Twenty other bills were introduced. One by Senator O'Rourke, Ft. Wayne, would make legal all bond and note issues issued by the state.

The bill by Senator English, Indianapolis, which provides heavy penalties and a state-wide injunction against driving auto for persons convicted of driving while drunk was referred back to committee because of technical flaws.

Home Damaged \$700 by Fire

Fire thought to have started from spontaneous combustion in waste paper caused about \$700 damage at the home of Flavil Garnett, 1657 Cornell Ave., today. The two story frame house was badly damaged.

Action on Mortgage Bill

The Indiana House today passed on third reading the bill increasing tax exemption on mortgage real estate from \$1,000 to \$2,000.

FIRST ADVANCE NOTICE

Robin Sighted by Employees at the Beech Grove Exchange.

The first robin reported seen beneath the war mid-winter sun in Indianapolis was sighted by employees at the Indiana Bell Telephone exchange in Beech Grove today. Mrs. Margaret McDonough, operator, informed The Indianapolis Times.

Nerve Which Steelied Young Mother to Scores of Robberies Leaves as Prison Term Is Faced

Mrs. May Conrad Sobs
She Wants to See Her Babies.



MRS. MAY CONRAD

Forecast

GENERALLY fair tonight and Friday. Colder. Lowest temperature tonight, 20 to 25.

TWO CENTS

MOTOR SPEEDWAY BILL

KILLED BY UNANIMOUS VOTE IN INDIANA HOUSE

Action Eliminates Repetition of Fight in 1923 General Assembly Over Nearly Successful Attempt to Block Annual Race on Memorial Day.

INDICATIONS MEASURE WILL NOT BE PUT BEFORE SENATE

Representatives Accept Report of Public Morals Committee Recommending Indefinite Postponement Without Dissenting Word.

The Indiana House today killed the Indianapolis Motor Speedway bill, by accepting, without a dissenting word, a report of the Committee on Public Morals recommending indefinite postponement. Indications were the bill would not be introduced in the Senate.

The measure, which was introduced Wednesday by Representative F. E. Miller of Kokomo, would have prohibited commercial racing sports of any description on Memorial Day. A similar bill was vetoed by former Governor McCray in 1923, after it had passed both Houses following a bitter fight.

The public morals committee, of which Representative Russell V. Duncan, Indianapolis, is chairman, decided on its recommendation Wednesday night, at a meeting following a public hearing on the "blue Sunday" bill.

All committee members were present except Representative Plass, Decker. It was said he favored indefinite postponement, recommended unanimously by the other committee members.

Others on the committee are Mrs. Antoinette Hagenau, Representative from Terra Haute, and Representatives Sherwood of Mitchell, Wright of Randolph, Babcock of Rensselaer, Farrell, Hartford City, Gardner, Ft. Wayne; Knepper, Waz, Hinckle, Indianapolis; Wright of Clay and Kinney, New Albany. All except Kinney are Republicans.

WRITE IS DEMANDED
Habeas Corpus Action Started in Cincinnati Court.

By United Press
CINCINNATI, Jan. 22.—A writ of habeas corpus was demanded here today by Morton S. Hawkins, Portland, Ind., through his attorney, in Federal Court.

UTILITY HEARING TO BE RESUMED

Holding Companies Protest Senate Bills.

Immediately after adjournment of the Indiana Senate today judicial committee will continue consideration of bills designed to regulate public utilities. The committee heard lengthy argument Wednesday afternoon by Senator Quillen, Indianapolis, Republican, for the bill, which would put holding companies under jurisdiction of the public service commission.

"These utility bills are the last straw of an exasperated people to give the commission full chance to try to regulate public utilities," said Senator Quillen to the committee. "But I predict they will be evaded."

"Consistent law will be enacted by these companies will force public ownership of many utilities. It is a shame Indianapolis has to pay four times the water rates of Cleveland."

Samuel R. Artman, public service commission chairman, who drafted Quillen's amendment, spoke in favor of the bill. Representatives of public utilities protested vigorously that putting the holding companies under the commission would destroy their credit.

SPEEDERS ESCAPE SECOND PENALTY

Errors and Oversight Are Held Responsible.

MAYFIELD RETAINS SEAT

Senate Committee Dismisses Contest Brought by Opponent.

By United Press
WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—Senator Earl B. Mayfield, Texas Democrat, will be seated by the Senate despite contest brought by George E. B. Pddy, his Republican opponent. In the 1922 elections.

Pddy's contest, based on charges of intimidation, excessive expenditure of money and alleged support of the Ku-Klux Klan, was dismissed by a vote of the Senate sub-committee which investigated it.

G. O. P. EDITORS MEET

State Committee Will Play Host to Journalists.

Business session of the forty-seventh annual meeting of the Indiana Republican Editorial Association was scheduled to get under way at a noon luncheon at the Sevier today.

Herbert C. Willis, Waterloo, who will become new president by rotation of office, was to call the meeting to order in the absence of George E. Elliott, Newcastle, president, who is ill. The annual banquet will be at the Claypool Friday night. United States Senator Frank B. Willis, Ohio, will be principal speaker. The editors and State officials will be guests of the Republican State committee at a banquet at the Sevier tonight.

The State committee was called to meet at 2:30 p. m.

Logansport Man Dies

Funeral services for Charles O. Haffey, of Logansport, formerly

Insurance Company, who died Tuesday at Methodist Hospital, will be held at 10 a. m. Friday at Episco-

pal Church at Logansport.

IN LAST 24 HOURS

Four persons have been injured in traffic accidents in Indianapolis.

TOTAL INJURED TOTAL DEATHS

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