

SILENCE REIGNS AFTER ATTACK BY COUNCILMEN

Freeman Says Board of Works Will Say No More.

"Shush," the word of caution immortalized by William H. Freeman, board of works member, when city engineers and those connected with the board spoke right up in public about negotiations to determine proportionate cost of the \$1,400,000 Belt Railroad bridge over White River, is again the "good word."

Freeman has announced that no more comment will issue from the board of works with respect to the councilmanic rebellion, which resulted from the board's refusal to move the city barns from Shelby St. near Fountain Square to the Lavelle foundry building on Palmer St., east of Madison Ave., and alleged unfulfillment of promises to councilmen made by city officials and board members.

Mayor Also Silent

Mayor Shank is also silent concerning the insurgents. "Watchful waiting" for the next move is his policy.

Otto Ray, rebellion leader, announced hostilities are in temporary abeyance, but there are definite rumors that the insurgents are moving up heavy artillery behind their lines.

Thompson Says Act

The temporary lull in the rebel camp is due largely to Ben H. Thompson, president of city council, who has sent forth the word to act, not talk. Ray attempted to confer with Thompson Monday, but was unable to find him.

Board of works members will test the temperature of councilmen with the introduction of an ordinance to appropriate \$5,000 for redecoration of the city hall. Part of the money would be spent to repair the council chamber.

KNAPP CLEWS PROBED

Scatter Photographs of Hunted Man From Planes.

By United Press
NEW YORK, July 14.—While Army airmen prepared to scatter 100 photographs of Phillip Knox Knapp, "thrill slayer" from Plattsburg, along the Canadian border, the State wide manhunt doubled back today to Syracuse, the missing man's home town, and to Long Island.

Authorities were endeavoring to check a report that the Cornell graduate and Army deserter, who is wanted for the murder of Luis Panella, July 1, returned to Syracuse after the crime, later fleeing with a companion in a stolen automobile. They also had a mysterious long distance telephone call from Long Island as a possible clue that the fugitive had returned to a hiding place near the scene of the crime.

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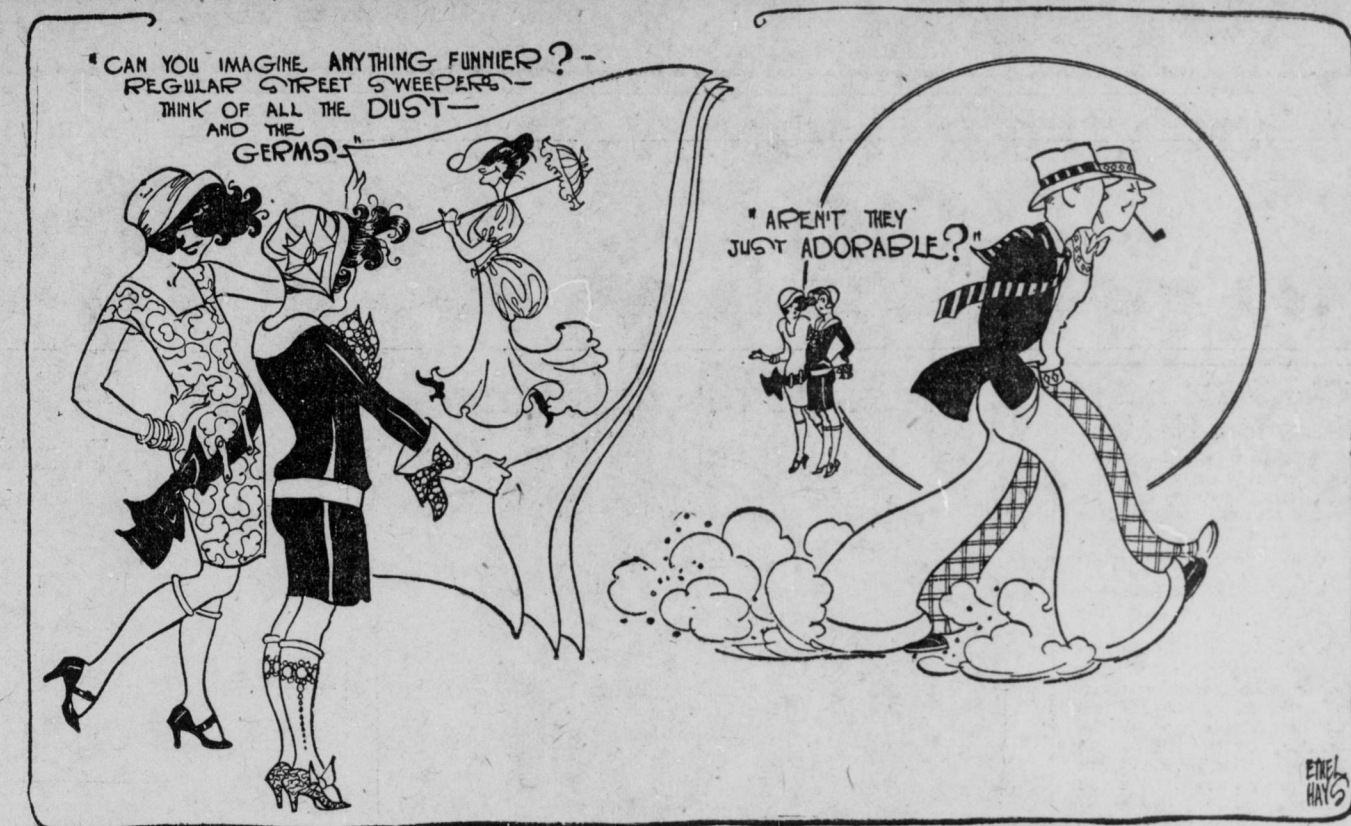
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CHAIR MAKERS PLEAD GUILTY

Four Are Fined for Trust Law Violations.

By United Press
CHICAGO, July 14.—Three chair manufacturing companies and one individual today pleaded guilty in Federal Court here to violation of the Sherman anti-trust act and were fined a total of \$9,000 by Judge Adam C. Cliffe.

The fines today brought the total fines required by the Government since it opened its drive on the furniture trust to \$431,000. William B. Baker, secretary of the National Association of Chair Manufacturers was fined \$5,000. The Wertz-Kramer Furniture Company, Evansville, Ind., was fined \$2,000.

BALANCE IS FAVORABLE

United States Exports Exceed Imports Nearly a Million.

By United Press
WASHINGTON, July 14.—The United States had a favorable trade balance of \$1,042,651,497 for the fiscal year just ended June 30, the department of commerce announced today.

The balance this year was \$285,058,960, in excess of the balance last year.

Exports during the year amounted to \$4,867,654,344, against imports of \$3,824,972,848.

AUTO STORE ROBBED

Tires and Accessories Worth \$229 Taken, Police Told.

Automobile tires and accessories valued at \$229.20 were taken from the Associated Service Company, 1430 Kentucky Ave., Monday night, police were told today.

For the third time the pump at National Refining Company filling station at Kessler Rd. and Speedway Ave., was broken Monday night. Ten gallons of gasoline were taken.

DRIVER NOT TO DRIVE

Privilege Denied for Ninety Days—Gets Sentence in City Court.

Privilege of driving an automobile during the next ninety days was denied Paul Jones, 2005 Shelby St., in city court today.

Jones was also fined \$1 and costs and sentenced to fifteen days on the Indiana State Farm on a charge of driving while intoxicated, and fined \$10 and costs on a drunkenness charge. He is said to have collided with another machine on July 5.

INCREASE ASKED IN CITY BUDGET

Police and Fire Departments Want More Money.

Increases are provided in 1925 estimates for budgets of both the city fire and police departments, as approved today by the board of works. Estimates will be submitted to Joseph L. Hogue, city controller.

Fire Chief John O'Brien is seeking ten more men for the Broad Ripple station, though an ordinance providing for such an increase was turned down by the city council as an opening skirmish in the recent war of councilmen against the city administration. The increase is included in the budget figure of \$1,285,181.47, compared to the \$1,211,064.25 figure for this year.

Separate figures submitted for the fire prevention department call for \$23,971.50, while this year's budget allows \$21,466.25.

Police Chief Herman Rikhooff does not ask for any additional men, but wants an allowance of \$1,148,044.25, which is \$81,784.75 more than the amount allotted this year.

BANKERS GOOD HUMORED

Twenty-Third Convention Holds First Business Session.

By United Press
KANSAS CITY, July 14.—Business is good humored.

At least, such is the state of mind, if the general good feeling and fellowship of the 1,200 delegates to the twenty-third annual convention of the American Institute of Banking, in session here, can be taken as a business barometer.

The bankers yesterday opened up their accounts with Kansas City with no forged or feigned enthusiasm and today held their first business session.

COOLIDGE SEEKS ACCORD ON CHINA

President Wants Obligations Carried Out.

By United Press
SWAMPSCOTT, Mass., July 14.—President Coolidge is trying to promote an international accord under which all the obligations made to China at the Washington arms conference will be carried out, including conferences soon on both extra territoriality and customs.

The president knows of no joint action in the Chinese situation by the United States, Great Britain and Japan, his spokesman said at the summer White House today. Dispatches from Tokyo reporting such an agreement with a view of postponing the conferences on these two important questions are based on a misunderstanding, Coolidge believes.

MOTORIST IS INJURED

Earl Auburn, 553 Dorman St., was held on assault and battery and speeding charges today after his car side swiped that of William Roberts, 441 N. Denny St., Monday at Fifty-Fourth St. and Guilford Ave. Roberts' left arm and shoulder was injured.

AT 28 HE FELT LIKE OLD MAN, FINDS EASY WAY TO REGAIN PEP

Jay Weston, Indianapolis, Ind., Says "Todd's Tonic Did the Trick." Gives High Praise.

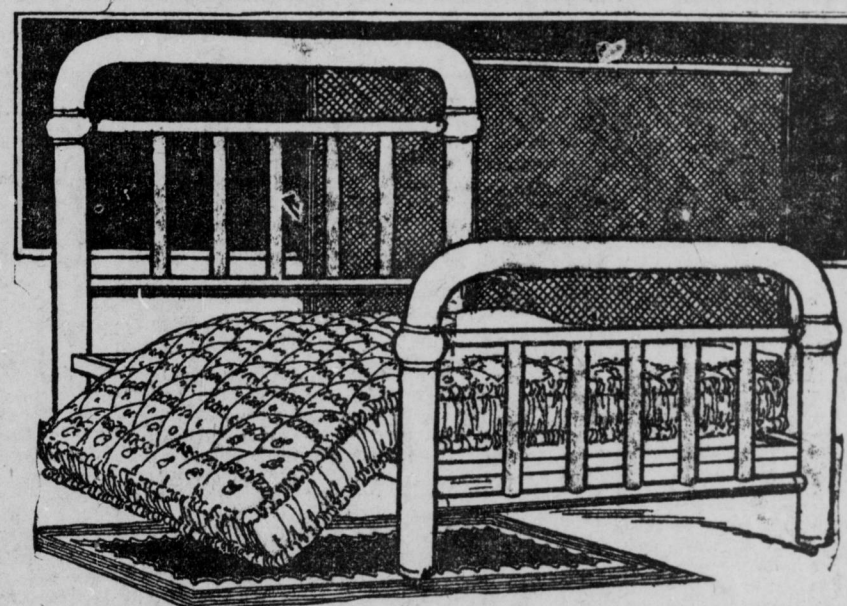


"Although a young man, I have been feeling like an old man for the past six months. I was losing weight and pep. Nothing a good meal with me. I felt miserable all the time and nothing seemed to matter to me. I tried a good many so-called remedies, but I was very much disappointed in all of them. I

was persuaded by a salesman in Haas's drug store to try Todd's Tonic and it certainly did the trick. I am feeling better, and in place of losing weight, I have gained four pounds and am back to normal again. Todd's Tonic is a true health and strength builder and I recommend it highly to all who need a life-building tonic."—JAY WESTON, 406 N. Alabama St., Indianapolis, Ind.

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SCRUMP SKIP FREE AT LAST

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the fishes friz. That's when you'll get out of jail."

But instead—well listen to the story of what happened to me today in city court:

It was the same old crowd that I met Monday morning.

"Hear ye, hear ye," said the bailiff, and although I "heard" with all my might, I lost out on the remainder of his speech.

My hearing must have been exceptionally bad, for when my case was finally called some one said:

"Hold up your right hand. Do you solemnly swear—bubbe."

I swore like a true pedestrian. Then Elton F. Leffler, prosecutor—I just know he isn't affected by the latest boost in gasoline—said:

"Guilty or not guilty?"

The Plea

"Mmm," I said, and he wrote not guilty.

Boy, law sure works fast.

Judge Wilmett looked stern as he roared:

"Who's the prosecuting officer?"

"I am, your honor," said Officer Viles.

"Did this man say walk?"

"Yes, sir."

"How long has he lived in Indianapolis?"

"Huh?" Officer Viles was up a tree.

"Buzz-buzz," I said to him.

"Your honor, he lives in Hopville."

Judge Wilmett looked at me suspiciously. "Tell how it happened, officer."

The Story

"Well your honor, the prisoner was on the northwest corner of Washington St. at Capitol Ave., and he walked diagonally across the street to the southeast corner. I waved at him, but he kept on going. I arrested him."

Judge Wilmett turned to me.

"Didn't you know there is a law forbidding jay-walking?"

I gaped noisily and said "No."

He read the ordinance:

"All pedestrians crossing the street intersections in the congested district shall cross at right angles and shall not cross diagonally at such intersections. Such pedestrians shall cross only on the signal of the traffic officers, if one is stationed at such crossing and shall move only in the direction of the traffic."

The Charge

"This is a serious charge, young man. I can fine you \$300 and costs and sentence you to 180 days on the Indiana State Farm."

"Suppose everyone crossed the street as you did. What kind of conditions would we have? Motor cars couldn't move at all. Scores of pedestrians would be killed and hurt every day. We'd have chaos at every crossing."

"We are trying to help you pedestrians as much as we can. We want you to obey the traffic signals the

same as the automobiles. Then we will have orderly procedure. Street crossings will be made safer for both you and the driver."

"Is there anything you wish to say before I pronounce sentence?"

"Yes, sir, your honor," I said. "I wasn't trying to jay walk."

"What do you call it?" demanded the judge.

"Your honor," I explained, "I walked across to ask the traffic officer what time it was."

"Oh," said Judge Wilmett.

"Yah, yah," went some baby. Eternity passed before the judge as he spoke.

The Sentence

"Well, Scrumpious Skip of the

Harassed Order of Pedestrians, I'll suspend judgment with one recommendation, and that is—

"Buy a watch."

Many HOPS have sent in their harrowing experiences as pedestrians. We are going to use them, so don't get discouraged because yours is not in print.

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