

35 PERSONS IN POOLROOM AND LIQUOR RAIDS

Nine Women in Police Net—
Worley to Continue Law
Enforcement Policy.

Thirty-five persons, nine of them women, were arrested by police in raids Friday night in poolrooms, alleged bootleggers' haunts and resorts.

Two poolroom proprietors were charged with allowing minors in their places.

The raids, according to Inspector Claude M. Worley, were made by district officers and will be continued in carrying out his policy of continuous law enforcement, instead of sporadic raids.

Hilly Hart, 64, Negro, proprietor of a poolroom at 522 Patterson St., was arrested by Sergeant Deeter, who charged him with allowing two minor youths in his poolroom. The boys were held as witnesses.

Four Youths Found

Sergeant Volderer arrested William Shelby, 69, of 721 Massachusetts Ave., on the same charge. He said he found four youths in Shelby's place. Hart was fined \$20 in municipal court today.

Herman Johnson, 33, Negro, 334 Blackfoot St., was charged with operating a blind tiger by Sergeant Barge. Barge said he found eight men and three women, all Negroes there. They were charged with vagrancy. Five quarts of alcohol was confiscated, police said.

Blind Tiger Charged

Humphrey Cummings, 30, Negro, was charged with operating a blind tiger. Police found five gallons of white mule, they said. His wife, Lulu Cummings, 28, and six men and two women, all Negroes, were charged with status offenses.

Sergeant O'Connor charged Miss Lulu Graham, 29, Negro, of 1129 E. Fifteenth St., with keeping a gaming house. Five men, said to be shooting craps, were charged with gaming.

Other blind tiger arrests were Andrew Price, 26, Negro, and Willie Smith, 30, Negro, both of 1730 Mill St., and O. E. Treace, 28, of 228 E. Thirteenth St. Treace was also charged with driving while intoxicated.

UPDIKE READY FOR HEARING

To Oppose Bryson Nomina-
tion Before Committee.

By Times Special

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—Representative Ralph E. Updike is gathering affidavits from Indianapolis citizens opposed to Robert Bryson as Indianapolis Postmaster, which will be presented at the hearing of the Senate postoffice committee on Bryson's nomination by President Coolidge Monday.

Updike today said he has received more than 1,000 letters opposed to Bryson and about 100 letters favoring Bryson's reappointment.

He will tell the committee he feels his treatment in being overridden in his request for a civil service examination for the postmastership is outrageous, and will present letters showing that the Postoffice Department has invariably consulted Republican Congressmen before appointing postmasters, and has, almost invariably, followed their wishes.

Postmaster General New, who recommended Bryson, is to be present, and Updike said he will criticize New's course.

TO PREPARE FOR TRIP

Legion Committee Will Inspect
Boats for Paris Jaunt.

Members of the American Legion France convention travel committee, were to leave here this afternoon for New York City to inspect the liners to be used in transporting 30,000 Legionnaires and members of the Legion Auxiliary to France for the 1927 national convention of the World War Veterans' organization.

After the inspection, the committee will go to Washington to call on President Coolidge, Wednesday. All steamship arrangements will be completed on this trip, according to John J. Wicker Jr., chairman of the committee in charge.

'BOOM' FOR LUMBERMEN

American Wood Used in Many
Canadian Factories.

This will be a "boom" year for the hardwood lumberman, was the sentiment voiced by dealers at the Indiana Hardwood Lumbermen's Association, at the twenty-seventh annual session Friday at the Claypool.

Frank Oliver of Toronto, Ontario, said four-fifths of the lumber used in Canadian factories for manufacturing hardwood articles is American lumber.

ROTARY TO HEAR TALK

Development of Highways to Be De-
scribed in Address.

Development of national and state highways will be described by Roy E. Adams at a meeting of the Indianapolis Rotary Club Tuesday noon.

"Road Building Machinery, Its Origin, Use and Abuse," will be his subject.

DOUBLE FUNERAL HELD

Aged Sheridan Couple Die Within
Twenty-Four Hours of Each Other.

By Times Special

SHERIDAN, Ind., Jan. 16.—A double funeral was held today at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Griffin. The couple died within twenty-four hours of each other. The husband was 82 and a Civil War veteran and the wife was 76. Mrs. Griffin died first. Mr. Griffin was not informed of the death of his wife.

DRY LAW HAS ANNIVERSARY

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unpaid prohibitionists, declared the law's six-year record contains the most notable achievements of any governmental social policy, in spite of recent "organized resistance of a minority opinion."

"Prohibition has become a primary factor in the economic prosperity of the nation, decreased death rates, alcoholic insanity and industrial accidents, cut pauperism to the lowest ratio in our history, and eliminated the greatest source of political corruption—the saloon and brewery interests."

Much Opposition

"Prohibition has encountered as much opposition from enemies within its ranks as from enemies without, but even in the last six months I have noticed that the bottom has been touched in the hopeless situation and that the pendulum of popular support is swinging back. The people believe it is the law and must and will be enforced."

During the last year, the Government completely revamped its enforcement machine, drafting Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Lincoln C. Andrews of New York, a military man, from private life to take charge. Andrews appointed new deputy directors all over the country and pledged them to a more aggressive policy than ever before. A series of rum and extradition treaties have been put into force with foreign countries. President Coolidge pledged every available resource for enforcement and called on the States to do their share. Appropriations have risen to practically \$30,000,000 a year, divided between the prohibition service, coast guard and justice department.

On the other hand, court and Federal records tend to indicate prohibition is at least a bit wet. Ever-increasing volumes of court business resulting from alleged violations reveal open contempt, by at least a part of society for the statute.

Wets claim the fall elections this year will be fought over the dry issue and will result in a modification. Congress "dry" accot, pointing to a recent 139-17 test vote in the House in their favor, although the Anti-Saloon league recently held a "crisis convention."

Property Seized

Federal prohibition director's figures show that during the six-year dry war, \$50,000,000 worth of property was seized and mostly destroyed. This included more than 4,000,000 gallons of spirits and 28,000,000 gallons of malt liquors, 13,000 automobiles and 600 boats.

Optometrists' businesses boomed during the period. Bootleg liquor caused hundreds of deaths and inflicted illness on thousands.

The number of physicians issuing liquor prescriptions, in several States, jumped to about \$3,000 out of a total of 150,000 members of the profession.

Liberty League leaders and chiefs of other organizations opposed to the dry law refused to be interviewed on the subject, on the ground that they were unauthorized to speak in an official capacity and declining in a personal capacity as not wanting the publicity.

VOLSTEAD STATEMENT

Says Prohibition America's Greatest
Blessing.

By United Press

ST. PAUL, Minn., Jan. 16.—"No greater blessing has come to the American people in generations than the ban against the saloon," Andrew J. Volstead, father of the prohibition enforcement law, declared today.

"The national prohibition law," he said, "has been in effect six years today, a short time in which to wipe out this aging evil. The effect it has produced has not met the expectations of some many hoped and predicted it would prove utterly disastrous, other expected it to accomplish the impossible. In my opinion its effect has been that is reasonable, in view of the bitter opposition of the entrenched liquor interests with their millions for carrying on the fight."

AUTOPSY OVER PASTOR

Announce Death Was Natural; Heirs
Fight Over Will.

By United Press

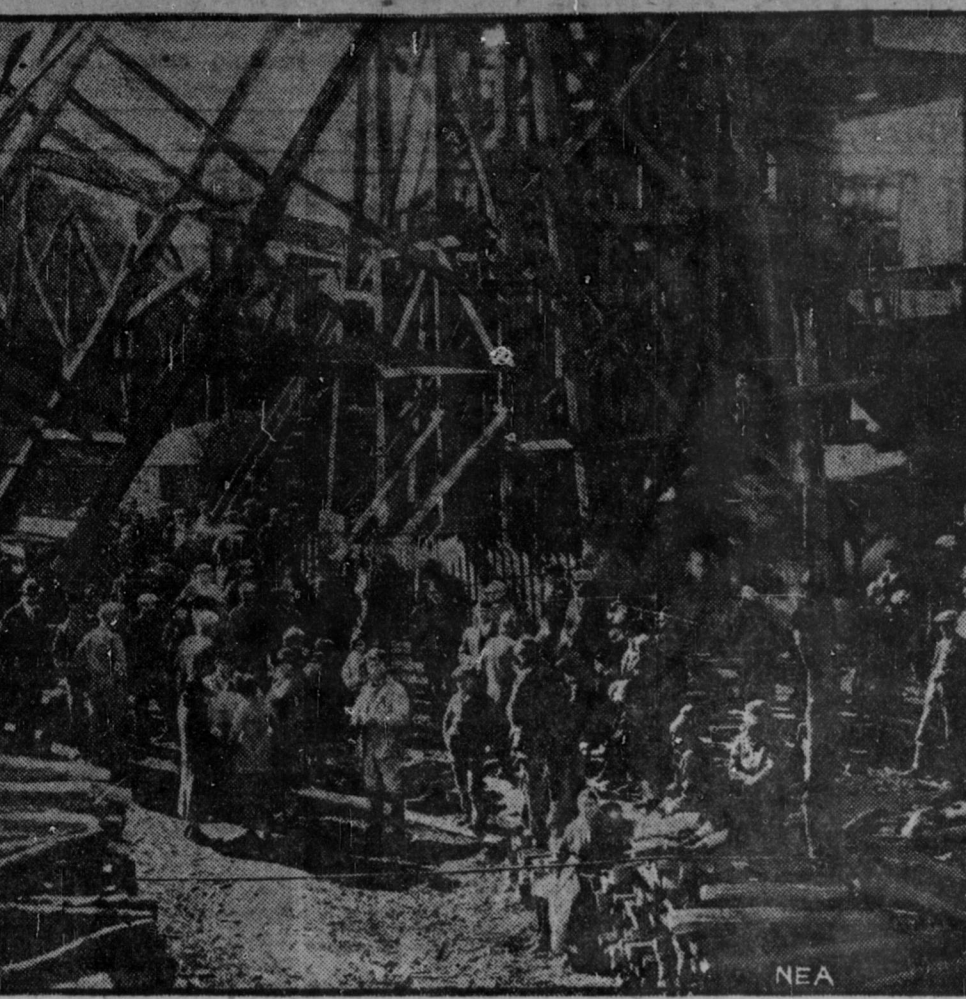
MT. VERNON, Ind., Jan. 16.—Death of the Rev. John Bailey, former Mt. Vernon minister, was due to natural causes, physicians reported today, after an autopsy.

The body of the Rev. Bailey, who died in St. Louis, Mo., in June, 1924, was exhumed from a cemetery here on request of two daughters, Mrs. Lee Ashworth and Mrs. Hattie Hinderliter of Greenfield, Ind. They are fighting to break the will of their father, which left \$15,000 of his estate to St. Louis persons.

WOMAN DIES AT SEA

SHANGHAI, Jan. 16.—Mrs. Ed R. Bradley, wife of the noted Lexington (Ky.) turfman, died today of heart attack while aboard the steamer Geigenland.

CROWDS AWAITING MINE DEAD



The picture shows the scene at the Degnan-McConnell mine, near Wilburton, Okla., just after an explosion within the mine entombed 105 men and took a death toll of ninety-one. A crowd of mothers, wives, children and other relatives of the entombed men stood for long hours watching the work of removing the bodies, which were brought up in an iron kettle and identified, one by one. It was one of the most disastrous mine accidents in recent years.

STATE OFFICER DIDN'T RESIGN

Mrs. Carina Warrington
Says Statement False.

Mrs. Carina C. Warrington of Ft. Wayne, State probation officer, in a statement today to the Indiana advisory juvenile probation commission at the Claypool, branded as false last week's announcement by Governor Jackson that she had resigned.

Jackson said Mrs. Florence Riddick Boyd of Plymouth, a campaign worker for Senator James E. Watson, would succeed Mrs. Warrington in March.

"I have never resigned a State probation officer," Mrs. Warrington declared. "On Jan. 1, Governor Jackson informed me 'he had appointed Mrs. Boyd, effective March 1.' I had relied upon definite promises and certain assurances concerning my reappointment, both before and after my term expired last June," she said.

Mrs. Warrington, an attorney, graduated from the University of Michigan Law School.

PLAN THROUGH SERVICE

Coach Company Asks to Amend
Adams St. Petition.

In a petition filed today with the public service commission, the Peoples Motor Coach Company asked to amend its application for an Adams St. line so busses may run east on Thirtieth St. to Sherman Dr.

It also asked to use four busses instead of three on the proposed route. Plan of the company is to offer cross-town service between Riverside Park and Brightwood.

CUTS OFF DOCTOR'S EAR

Man Mistakes Physician for Another,
Wields Razor.

By United Press

LAFAYETTE, Ind., Jan. 16.—Charles Beatty, a Negro, was a prisoner in the Tippecanoe County jail today charged with attempting to murder Dr. A. C. Ackerman, Lafayette physician.

Mistaking Dr. Ackerman for a man against whom he had a grudge, Beatty set upon him with a razor and slashed his face and arms. One of Dr. Ackerman's ears was "cut off."

BELGIUM PACT PASSED

House Sends Agreement to Senate
Along With Italy's.

By United Press

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—The House today ratified the United States world war debt commission's agreement with Belgium for payment of nearly \$417,000,000 owed this country. The vote was 314 to 24.

The agreement goes to the Senate now along with the Italian agreement, that nation's \$2,000,000,000 debt which was approved Friday.

OXFORD RATES BOOSTED

Commission Grants Phone Company
Slight Increase.

Slight increases in rates charged by the Oxford (Ind.) Telephone Company were authorized today by the public service commission. Monthly private residence phone rates were increased from \$1.75 to \$1.85. Other increases corresponded.

The company was ordered to set aside \$1,500 annually for the depreciation fund and to continue rehabilitation of the property.

WEATHER FOR WEEK

By United Press

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—Weather outlook for Jan. 18 to 23 inclusive: Region of great lakes: Period of snows toward middle and again toward end of the week. Temperatures will be cold for the week as a whole. Ohio valley and Tennessee: Period of rains or snows toward the middle and again toward the end of the week. Normal temperatures most of week except for a cold spell about the middle of the week.

ANNNOYED WIFE; FINED

Man Charged With Calling on Mate
Who Seeks Divorce.

When a man annoys his wife after she has filed suit for divorce, he is in contempt of court declared Judge T. J. Moll, of Superior Court Five, today when he found Samuel C. Boyd, 1919 Highland Place, guilty of violation of a restraining order.

Judge Moll suspended a ninety-day sentence on the Indiana State Farm when Boyd promised to pay a \$1 fine. Boyd was charged with calling on his wife in violation of a court order.

ALUMNAE HAVE PARTY

Fifty-Five Tables Reserved at West-
ern College Association Event.

Fifty-five tables were reserved for the benefit card party given this afternoon by the Western College Alumnae Association at the Columbia Club. The tables were attractively decorated with bows of Western blue ribbons, and the prizes were tied with bows in the college colors of blue and white.

Mrs. Carl J. Wehardt, chairman, was assisted by Mesdames Carl L. Rost, Harry Wells, Dwight Dunlap, and Misses Gertrude Shuller, Lucile Mower, Helen Coffey, Jane Brookbank and Helen Thompson.

SENTENCED SIXTY DAYS

Motorist Fined for Driving Trough
Safety Zone—Held to Jury.

Dominic Gioacchi, 131 N. Noble St., was fined \$1 and sentenced to sixty days on an assault and battery charge and \$10 on charge of driving through a safety zone, in municipal court today. He was bound over to the grand jury for failure to stop after an accident.

It is alleged Dec. 24, at Massachusetts Ave. and Noble St., Gioacchi drove through a safety zone, striking Steven Jackson, 50, of 621 Ogden St., and Mrs. C. A. Wright of 707 E. Forty-Ninth St.

STUDENT LEAVES HOME

Father Asks Police to Hunt Youth
Who Played 'Hooky.'

John Taylor, 14, is reported missing from his home at 519 St. Paul St. His father, Isaac Taylor, said the youth played "hooky" from Technical High School, and left home with another youth.

Police have been asked to search for Gilbert Parker, 45, who disappeared from his home 414 S. Gray St., Nov. 26. His wife said he was wearing dark clothing, has blue eyes and light hair, and was driving a sport model auto.

PRISONERS TAKEN AWAY

Twenty-Four, Sentenced by Judge
Collins, Start Their Terms.

Sheriff Omar Hawkins and his deputies have just observed "send away" week. On Thursday and Friday eighteen prisoners sentenced by Judge James A. Collins in Criminal Court were taken in county automobiles to the Indiana State Prison at Michigan City, Ind.

Four others were transported to the Indiana State Reformatory at Pendleton, and two to the Indiana State Farm. The large number of prisoners to take trips was caused by recent convictions in liquor cases prosecuted by William H. Remy, Hawkins said.

CABINET CRISIS LOOMS

French Premier—However Avoids
Battle in Chamber.

By United Press

PARIS, Jan. 16.—Though Premier Deland, had at least temporarily outwitted the finance commission and avoided a cabinet crisis still existed today. The finance commission which he had forced to reconsider the Doumer finance tax projects after the body had rebuffed Doumer and his work, met again today, but was reported to be in a hostile mood. This made it appear difficult to reach an agreement with the government on disputed phases of the Doumer plan, notably his stamp tax on sales.

KLAN SCORES WIN AS EXAM IS ANNOUNCED

Mayor Says Building Depart-
ment Employees Must
Take Test.

The Klan faction of the city organization today was enjoying a victory, scored when Mayor Duvall announced Francis F. Hamilton, building commissioner, and all department members must take an examination.

Hamilton has contended the law protects his personnel from further examination, which he said he feared might be so directed as to be unfair to present staff members.

Included on the examining board are: Daniel B. Luten, structural engineer; H. M. Stradling, electrical engineer; W. A. Breining, mechanical engineer; F. C. Atkinson, combustion engineer; L. J. Seaman, master builder; J. E. Woodard, architect; Harry A. Callon, master plumber; and George G. Schmidt, city engineer.

Backed by George V. Coffin, Republican city chairman, Hamilton and staff have withstood a Klan assault, directed mainly against Mrs. Maude Starr Reed, statistician, deemed a preliminary to a move against the entire department. Claude McCoy, board of safety secretary, is considered the prime mover to oust present building personnel.

INTIMATE RADIO RECITAL GIVEN

Three Artists Perform on
Times Program.

An intimate radio recital was given Friday night by three artists on The Indianapolis Times program. Miss Kathleen Bumbaugh, contralto, with Miss La Rue Black of the Music Shop on the Circle at the piano, was heard in several groups of Irish songs. Their success on their first appearance on The Times' program over WFEM, Merchants Heat and Light Company, was so pronounced that they will appear again soon.

Mrs. Seleta H. Morris, pianist and singer, again scored her popular and artistic success.

EVANGELIST TO PREACH

Revival Services at Brookside Park
United Brethren Church.

B. F. Ricker, evangelist of Winona, Ind., will take charge of revival services at Brookside Park United Brethren Church, Eleventh and Olney Sts., next Tuesday night. The meetings will last about two weeks.

Various ministers have conducted services the past week, the Rev. A. B. Arford, pastor, said.

Gone, but Not Forgotten

Automobiles reported stolen to police belong to:

Harold Rybolt, 22 W. Henry St., Ford, from same address.

Yellow Cab Company, H. C. S. Cab, 6048, from Tenth and Illinois Sts.

Wilbur H. Compton, R. R. 6, Box 361, Ford, '60-940, from Pennsylvania and Georgia Sts.

Meredith Nicholson Jr., 4515 N. Delaware St., Ford, 15-44, from Merrill and Meridian Sts.

William Lass, 2412 N. New Jersey St., Ford, T-5821, from Capitol Ave. and Ohio St.

BACK HOME AGAIN

An automobile pulled by police belongs to:

Leonard P. Green, 1441 N. Warman Ave., Ford, 12-131, at 416 N. Warman Ave.

NEW STUDENT EDITOR

BLOOMINGTON, Ind., Jan. 16.—Paul P. Thompson, of Peru, today was chosen editor-in-chief of the Indiana Daily Student for the second semester starting Feb. 2.

Christian Science—New Generation INDIANAPOLIS BRANCH 1

The Christian Science Parent Church

Sunday Service, 11 A. M.—"Lincoln Room" (14th floor)

LINCOLN HOTEL

Subject:

"The Mustard Seed"

Sunday School for Children up to the age of sixteen years, 9:45 a. m., "Lincoln Room." This church is not connected with the organization now known as The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.

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Big Problems for Young Official



John K. Ruckelshaus

No sooner had John K. Ruckelshaus assumed the office of city attorney than he was confronted with two situations that would have bothered even a much older attorney.

But Ruckelshaus solved the problem of the Crust St. widening in a manner to insure track elevation as well as to protect property owners from exorbitant assessments.

He also contributed to solution of the flood prevention situation which resulted in accord between city and county officials.

Whether a silent policeman is a policeman, in the sense motorists must obey its admonitions, is another puzzle Ruckelshaus confronted.

Marriage Licenses

James B. Lewis, 33 Cincinnati, Ohio; Mary Schamp, 19, 1738 Hoyt.

Omer B. Williams, 46, 1028 N. Tying; laborer; Astoria, Ore.; 40, 511 E. North, domestic.

Russell Cross, 21, Bridgeport, Ind.; laborer; Grace M. Stout, 43, 1340 S. Richard, domestic.

Clyde A. Bozarth, 42, Penna, Cal.; sign writer; Grace M. Stout, 43, 1340 S. Richard, domestic.

Carl L. Baker, 28, 2834 Wood, filling station manager; Ole N. Pitzer, 26, 2515 Station, domestic.

Building Permits

A. Alexander, warehouse, 1500 S. Capitol, \$12,000.

Charles Osaman, remodel, 403 W. Merrill, \$222.

Edie Hour Theater, partition, 684 E. St. Clair, \$500.

Orval Ceyron, garage, 31 S. Grace, \$458.

E. W. Hones, addition, 2311 E. Washington, \$40.

Loyal Order of Moose, repair, 135 N. Delaware, \$1,000.

Andrew Counsel, repair, 419 Centennial, \$1,000.

K. P. Laube, repair, 3325 Shelby, \$675.

Real Silk Company, tunnel, Walnut and Cincinnati, \$10,000.

Flord Peterman, dwelling, 6050 Crittendon, \$2,000.

FIRE DEPUTY NAMED

Harry Gates of Elkhart Given New
Post, by Hogsden.

Harry Gates of Elkhart has been appointed a deputy State fire marshal, by Alfred Hogsden, head of the department. It was announced today. Gates will assume his new duties Monday. He formerly was a deputy sheriff of Elkhart County.

Checker Cab

Accepts Standing Orders

Don't you think it's wise to lay up your car for the rest of the Winter and place a standing order for a Checker Cab?

Do you enjoy bucking the heavy and fast increasing traffic and running around in circles looking for a place to park your car?

You can't drive your own car anywhere in peace and comfort any more. You can't even drive to the theater without a vast amount of trouble.

Turn your burdens over to the Checker Cab. Let it call for you at regular hours every morning and every evening. Use it for the theater. Figure up the cost and you'll find it will be less than operating your own car, to say nothing of the inconvenience and grief it will save you, especially in bad weather.

Call up Lincoln 1515. Ask for the Chief Operator. Tell her to register a standing order for you. Then your transportation worries are over for the season.

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THE PUBLIC IS
cordially invited to attend these services and to use the reading room.

SUNDAY SCHOOL FOR CHILDREN, 9:30 A. M.

This church is a branch of the Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Massachusetts.