

## TWO CHARGED WITH ARSON OUT ON BOND

Attorney and Wife, Indicted, at Liberty—Employe Held in Jail.

Jesse D. Hamrick, local attorney, and his wife, Mrs. Della M. Hamrick, indicted Tuesday by the grand jury on charges of arson and conspiracy to commit arson, were at liberty today under \$10,000 bonds each. Indicted with the two was their Negro watchman, James M. Ecton, 19, held in the county jail in default of bond.

Their bonds were signed by Frank M. Millikan, 2122 N. Delaware St., a personal friend of Hamrick. Criminal Judge James A. Collins fixed the bonds.

"This thing is dead wrong," said Hamrick. "I see the synopsis of the whole thing, but I don't believe it advisable at this time to make any statement," he said.

Hamrick is alleged to have engineered a plot by which his new

## Clyde Walks Through the Gutter and the Sunshine

### WEEKLY BOOK REVIEW

By Walter D. Hickman

LYDE GRIFFITHS — Meet him.

He is a product of this country, a result of life that touches us on every side.

You will find this lad as the central character of a gigantic study in Theodore Dreiser's "An American Tragedy."

It is so important I tell you that "An American Tragedy" was written by Dreiser, a Hoosier; published by Boni & Liveright, New York. Obtained my two volumes for review from the book department of L. S. Ayres & Co.

Have never said in this department before that the great American novel has been written. The great American novel has seemed to be miles off, as far as I am concerned, until Theodore Dreiser wrote "An American Tragedy."

A Big Truth

In presenting you to Clyde Griffiths, I offer you a chance to become acquainted with a lad, a lad of the real world—the sex world, the world of work, hate, doubt and con-

this is the fourth time Hamrick is alleged to have fired his home at the present location. He also was charged with burning two houses several years ago in south, Indianapolis.

Hamrick was arrested about 3:30 p.m. Tuesday in his law office, 513 Lombard Building, by Detectives McMurry and McGleann, prosecutor's office attaches, and John J. Willis, assistant State fire marshal.

Mr. Hamrick returned from a shopping tour later and was taken into custody.

Ecton has confessed that he acted under orders from Hamrick and hauled ten loads of wood and inflammable material into the basement of the Hamrick home. Wires were strung from various parts of the building and oiled soaked rags hung on them, Ecton said. Several gallons of oil were ordered and used, Ecton admitted.

## FEDERATION TO GIVE PROGRAM

Club Organization Will Broadcast Thursday.

The Indiana Federation of Clubs will broadcast the following program over WFBM, Merchants Heat and Light Company, Thursday afternoon at 3:30. The program is under the direction of Mrs. E. M. Schotzold.

PART I  
Lecture recital of "Music of the Americas Indian." Mrs. Clyde Tibus, accompanied by Miss Paula Kipp.

"Lover's Woods"—Zuni Tribe. "Trover My Lover Has Departed"—Chippewa Tribe. "Land of the Skyblue Water"—Omaha Tribe. "The White Dawn Is Stealing"—Cadmam Quile Tribe. "Bitterroot"—Nakota Tribe. "Lorraine Waters of Minnesota"—Slovene Tribe. "Long Root of Sun"—Oglala Tribe. "Canyon Song"—Ojibway Tribe. "Cadmam" "The Moon Drops Low"—Omaha Tribe.

PART II  
Talk: "The Proposed National Marriage and Divorce Law." Mrs. Edward Franklin White, vice president General Federation of Clubs.

PART III  
A Valentine luncheon menu planned by Mrs. W. J. Marks.

which yields, fights, conquers and falls against human problems.

It is so honest that you feel that you actually know Clyde Griffiths in the first 148 pages of the first book. He is a boy. He grows page by page even when he is fighting sex desire. While that thing, unknown to him is growing within him, is getting ready for his victories and defeat.

"An American Tragedy" is not a sermon. It is a story, but it is carved from the streets of life. It is not cheap. It is not dirt. It is not scarlet sensationalism. It is life and nothing but life.

It is the struggle of human flesh and a human mind against life and what makes or curses life. I make no excuses for asking you to meet Clyde Griffiths in the first book of the first volume.

And in a short time, when Clyde makes more discoveries in life, when sex isn't so cheap, when life takes on a bigger purpose, then I will tell you about the second book.

But start reading "An American Tragedy" if you want truth. I am not afraid of life.

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quest. He is not a saint. He is too honest in this work-a-day-world. He grows page by page in his adventures with the body, the spirit, the mind and his God.

I am concerned now only with Clyde Griffiths as you meet him in the first book of the first volume of "An American Tragedy." Clyde Griffiths is of life. He is the real raw, growing, marvelous stock of conquering and yielding to the world. He is not clear at first. He can't be. Sex, desire, fight, lust and partial understanding of what makes good and what makes bad starts to sink into his very being in the first volume of the first book. Not pleasant reading, some will say. But it is LIFE as it is seldom revealed upon the printed page. I know it is life. I know that it meets every honest test of realistic life.

Here is a drawing taken from life's cruel, honest, beautiful and horrible thing—called experience. It is more than a novel. It is the universe of emotions crowded in and upon many pages.

They can tell to me all they want about letting the boy grow up. But know that boy while he is growing. Study that thing which they call sex. I am not afraid to call it sex even in the most polite society.

### Feeling Life

As Clyde Griffiths has his experiences in life in "An American Tragedy," I am sure you will feel the heartbeats of a real boy. Not the weak, sad and sickening excuses, but the article in human form

## APPLIANCES TO SAVE WORK IN PLUMBING LINE

F. E. Trosky, Merchant, Plumber, Has Satisfied Customers.

"We believe that all appliances that tend to lighten the work of the housewife belong to the line of plumbing," says F. E. Trosky, merchant plumber at 2349 Central Ave., and we expect from time to time to add to our different lines as we prove their worth."

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These winter days make the subject of the Aladdin automatic down-draft oil burners of special interest. Even in some of the severest cold snaps the past few months, the Aladdin has given excellent satisfaction.

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## Apartment Houses On North Pennsylvania Exactly Alike



Apartments at 3454 N. Pennsylvania St.

room is the handsome polychrome interior light, suspended from chains. There are double windows here, and the room is cheerful, with especially handsome walls of an embossed blend of blue and rose on a gray background. The breakfast room is cozy, the electric fixture here speaking eloquently of many a future breakfast of crispy toast.

In the kitchen the housewife's eye will stroll straight toward the white enamel kitchen cabinet, which its dainty decorations of blue, this cabinet has many units and is complete, with an enamel dish cupboard to one side. The walls of the kitchen are a clean, fresh gray and wide windows to the west let in a flood of light. In an entry are a broom closet and a 100-pound ice box. An incinerator in the rear hall adds the last word to the convenience of the apartment.

The lighting fixtures in these apartments were furnished by the Sanborn Electric Company; plumbing and heating was installed by James C. Kreglo; Brixment and other building material was furnished by the Metropolitan Coal Company; the gravel roof was furnished and applied by C. Zimmerman & Sons, and hardwood floors were made, laid and finished by H. V. Cook Company.

## PLUMBING AND HEATING

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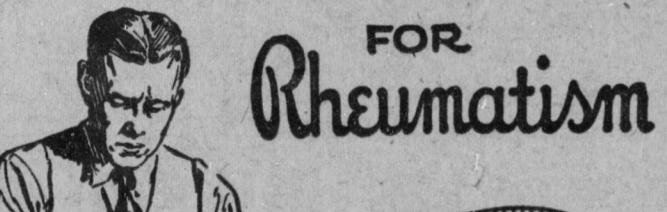
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