

AL SMITH NOT REPEAL LEADER, COPELAND SAYS

New York Senator Asserts Governor's Stand on Dry Law Is Sane.

By United Press
WASHINGTON, June 1.—Governor Al Smith's wet position in his campaign for the Democratic nomination for President, will not go beyond a demand for modification of the Volstead act, Senator Copeland declared here today.

Intimating that his prediction was based on definite and recent communications with New York executive, Senator Copeland said Smith's attitude would be for revision of the Volstead Act so as to permit a State to legalize beers and wines that are held to be non-intoxicating in fact.

"There is nothing in Governor Smith's speeches or platforms," asserted the Senator, "which shows him to be demanding repeal of the Eighteenth Amendment. Never in his public life has he said or done anything which justifies attacks upon him as a nullificationist."

Copeland Made Tour

Basing his declaration upon an extensive tour of the West and several visits below the Mason and Dixon line, the New York Senator asserted that Smith was the only Democrat, who had a chance of election over Coolidge. In the Senator's opinion, however, Coolidge will not run again.

"The three great arguments made by some Democrats against Smith," said the Senator, "are his religion, his wetness and his connection with Tammany Hall. I don't think the people of the United States, or members of the Democratic party will deny a nomination or an election to such an outstanding and able public servant as Governor Smith merely on the ground of religious intolerance."

Stand Called Same

"His position on prohibition is perfectly sane. He believes in enforcing all the laws while they are on the statute books, and he has as fine an enforcement record as any executive in the land. But he thinks the Volstead act should be modified."

"I don't understand what the argument is against him on the score of his association with Tammany," Copeland continued. "He is able and honest. He has demonstrated his ability as Governor of New York."

In estimating Smith's chances, Senator Copeland gave him the following States:

The solid South, New York, New Jersey, Rhode Island, Connecticut, New Hampshire, Delaware, Maryland, Nevada, New Mexico, Arizona, Wyoming and Tennessee. These States total 306, or forty more than necessary for election.

SCHOOL REQUEST HEARD

The school board today had under consideration a request for a 19-room addition to the Broad Ripple High School.

The request came from a large delegation of Broad Ripple citizens who attended the meeting on Tuesday night, submitting a petition with 400 names.

Gone, but Not Forgotten

Stolen automobiles reported to police belong to:

Esker Brown, R. R. L., Stilesville, Ind., Ford, 503-843, from Capitol Ave. and Maryland Sts.

F. B. Kester, 205 N. Warman Ave., Nash, 552-743, from Washington and Illinois Sts.

Thomas Ford, 912 Broadway, Ford, 513-279, from in front of 156 Blackford St.

Raymond Herring, Westport, Ind., Ford, 128-199, from Ohio St. and Capitol Ave.

Clarence Newcomb, 1129 Laurel St., Ford, 555-095, from Sanders St. and Madison Ave.

William H. Martin, 440 Massachusetts Ave., Chrysler, 15-185, from Vermont and Capitol Ave.

R. H. McKinney, 1663 Union St., Essex, 593-937, from 1100 S. Meridian St.

Crescent Oil Company, Wyoming and West Sts., Dodge, from 800 Massachusetts Ave.

BACK HOME AGAIN

Automobiles reported found by police belong to:

Thomas S. Stroherry, Greenwood, Ind., found at 315 W. Ohio St.

J. P. Dorrell, 2008 Prospect St., Ford, found at Keystone Ave. and Pleasant Run Blvd.

Buchanan's Kin Dies

By United Press
PHILADELPHIA, June 1.—Miss Annie Buchanan, 90, niece of former President Buchanan and Stephen C. Foster, the composer, died at her home here today. She was a member of a prominent Philadelphia family and for years had been identified with religious and philanthropic activities.

Animated Pin Cushion

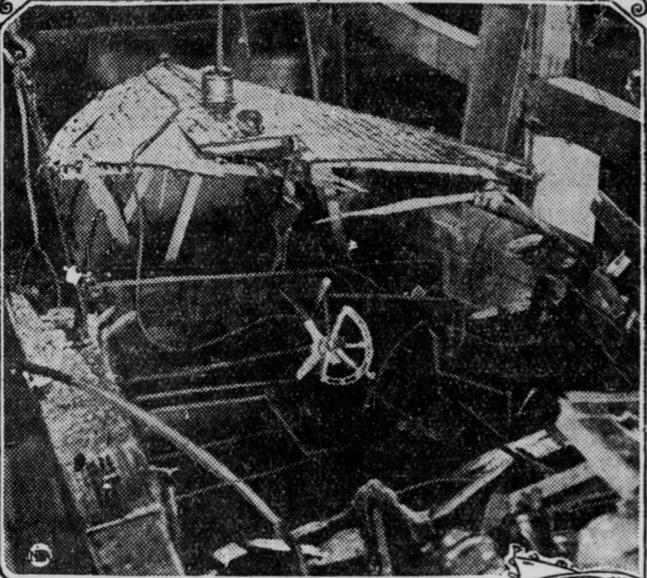
CAPE MAY, N. J.—More than fifty years ago, Mrs. George McNeil swallowed a needle. No ill effects resulted and after worrying for a while, the incident was forgotten. Recently she felt a pain in her hip and went to a doctor, who removed the needle.

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Rum Chasers Did This



PLANE, GHOST OF ATLANTIC, SEEN FOR 10 MINUTES

Rotary Ship Lookout Spies Light, Low in Sky, Fading Into East.

By United Press
ABOARD S. S. TRANSYLVANIA
AT SEA, June 1.—On May 30, at 11 p. m., G. M. T., the lookout in the crow's nest, reported a light, low in the sky, on the southern horizon which he believed to be an airplane. The sky was clear and there was a light easterly wind. The position of the Transylvania was latitude 45.57 north and longitude 32.29 west.

The officer on watch could not see the light from the bridge and sent Cadet King aloft with binoculars. King reported he observed a light in the sky moving eastward. He first observed the light low over the horizon and later it rose to a great altitude and disappeared in an easterly direction. The light was observed by two persons for ten to twelve minutes. The ship's officers suggested that the light might have been from a naval plane maneuvering in connection with fleet exercises.

JEWS PLAN FIRST COMMUNITY DRIVE

Goal \$80,382 — Previous Givers 'Too Few.'

Plans for the first Indianapolis Jewish Community Chest campaign were outlined at a meeting Tuesday night at the Elks Club. Goal was set at \$80,382.

Among speakers were Ralph Bamberger, attorney, campaign committee general chairman; Albert M. Rosenthal, director; J. A. Goodman, president of the Jewish Welfare Fund, which will conduct the campaign; Samuel Frommer, publicity manager.

"The funds that have been secured heretofore have been coming from too small a group," Rosenthal said.

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Lindy's Feat Starts Stampede for Sky

By United Press
WASHINGTON, June 1.—The air route to fame and fortune has brought the imagination of American youth.

Army air corps officials said today that what already is a record-breaking number of applications for army flying training promises to become a deluge as a result of the Lindbergh exploit.

There are approximately 800 applications to take the army cadet flying course, according to the Army air corps personnel director, who said that preliminary inquiries, inspired by the Lindbergh flight, indicate that this number will be increased enormously.

The number of applications, he said, is about twice as great as it was a year ago, with no limit in sight. The Army at present gives a week's training course at San Antonio, and in November will open a second flying school at Marshfield, Cal.

Graduates from this school are commissioned as second lieutenants in the flying corps reserve. Air mail pilots are recruited largely from this group.

The fact that Lindbergh got his start in flying at the Army training school is being heralded widely by army recruiters. His smiling face is emblazoned upon most of the "Join the Army" bulletin boards.

The rigid physical examination eliminates about 75 per cent of the applicants.

SPRING RAINFALL SETS NEW MARK

Moisture Recorded on 44 of 92 Days.

More rain fell during March, April, and May, 1927, than in the same months during any other year in the history of the Indianapolis Weather Bureau. Meteorologist J. H. Armstrong said today.

On forty-four of the ninety-two days at least one-hundredth inch was recorded. It sprinkled on other days, but the weather bureau does not notice a fall less than .01 inch.

The next wettest period was March, April, and May, 1922, when rain was recorded in forty out of ninety-two days.

The resultant damage to corn is inestimable, crop experts say. Many of 160,000 Indiana corn growers are thirty days behind in ploughing. Armstrong said the heaviest rain

MYSTERY SHOT IN WALL

Ray Wheasley Home Fired Upon by Unknown Assailant.

A bullet was fired through the kitchen window of the home of Ray Wheasley, 2230 Winter Ave., Tuesday night, narrowly missing members of the family and lodging in the opposite wall.

Wheasley ran out the back door, but found no one near his home. Police were called.

Realty Trading, Topic

"How to Make a Real Estate Trade," will be a topic for discussion at the meeting of the Indianapolis Real Estate Board Thursday noon at the Chamber of Commerce.

Speakers will be Z. B. Hunt, Paul L. McCord, E. K. McKinney, and Walter T. White.

Meeting Tonight

The Indianapolis Sheet Metal Contractors Association will meet at the Denison at 8 tonight.

NO WOMAN CAN KEEP HOUSE EFFICIENTLY Without Good Health



I was on a visit to my sister in Utica, Michigan, and she had taken Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Her husband got me a bottle and I took it and felt so much better that I got a second one. Now, whenever I feel run-down I take the Vegetable Compound and soon feel all right again. I have had three little girls in the last six years and do all my housework, sewing, washing, and ironing. My time is pretty well taken up, but I will answer any letters I receive."—Mrs. FRANK DINDBOE, Box 239, Lancaster, Ohio.

Sturgis, Michigan.—"I am very thankful for what your medicine has done for me and have recommended it to others. I took it to give me strength before my baby was born. I would have to stop work and lie down sometimes all the afternoon. I felt as if I did not care whether anything was done or not. I got tired out so easily. One day I found a little book on my porch and that night I showed it to my husband and he went down town and got me a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. The medicine has helped me so much that I was soon able to do my work, and when my baby was born, my nurse, Mrs. Forbes, said it was the easiest birth she had ever attended. I will be more than pleased if I am helping someone else by giving my testimonial."—Mrs. Edward Persing, 614 Sturgis Ave., Sturgis, Michigan.

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How to succeed in business affairs.
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THURSDAY, JUNE 2, 8 P. M.

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Bedroom Thief Alarm Works

E. H. Schroeder, 2200 Churchman Ave., troubled by chicken thieves, tied a rope to the coop door and the other end to a chair in his bed room.

Last night thieves upset the chair. Two fled across a field Schroeder jerked open a window and fired several shots.

Police said Schroeder missed, because tracks showed the thieves leaped a fence with undiminished speed.

VOTE SPLIT KILLS SHORTRIDGE CUT

School Board Majority Faction Suffers Break.

A split among majority members of the Indianapolis school board Tuesday night prevented revision of the Shortridge High School heating and ventilating system plans to cut the cost down to the \$230,000 bond issue approved by the State tax board.

The tax board declared the C. C. Shipp type ventilating system was too expensive and twice ordered the board to consider other systems, finally approving the Shipp system and ordering the cost cut.

The division occurred when a vote was taken on a proposal to eliminate approximately \$35,000 worth of construction from the heating and ventilating system.

Fred Bates Johnson, minority group member, objected on the ground that elimination of some listed articles would seriously impair effectiveness of the system. Johnson was backed by the other minority member, Charles R. Yoke, and two majority members, President Theodore F. Vonnegut and Mrs. Lillian Sedwick. Charles W. Kern, who has previously voted with Vonnegut and Mrs. Sedwick, voted for the plan.

Items the board objected to eliminating were temperature control, toilet ventilation and steam pipe line covering.

PADDLING SAVES BOY, 8

A mother's promise to have "father use the paddle" and a teacher's plea saved an 8-year-old pupil of School 4 from juvenile court Tuesday afternoon.

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B'nai B'rith's New Official



INJURED RACING DRIVERS BETTER

Kohlert Not Yet Out of Danger at Hospital.

Henry Kohlert, 34, St. Charles, Ill., driver seriously injured in a Speedway race crash Monday, did not know what had happened until he regained consciousness. Mrs. Kohlert disclosed today.

Mrs. Kohlert is with her husband. Physicians say he is not out of danger.

Jules Ellingboe, another dangerously injured driver, is improving, and Norman Batten, seriously burned when his car caught fire, is improving rapidly.

The three drivers are at Methodist hospital.

When Kohlert regained consciousness Monday, he asked who won the race, his wife said. Then he asked what happened to his car. Kohlert's head is swathed in bandages and he can not see his wife.

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ROCKY COURSE AWAITS POLICE IN GEOGRAPHY

City Officers Going Back to School for "Larning" on How to Protect Themselves.

Indianapolis policemen are going back to school.

And geography is going to be one of the most important courses—local geography. They're going to study physical culture, law, target practice, observation, first aid and general subjects. But there's no degree to be won, just the knowledge that the students will be better policemen.

The school will be opened in about sixty days. Police Chief Claude F. Johnson said.

Veteran "Larning"
At first only new force appointives will attend, but later some of the veterans may get a chance at "Larning."

Major Lewis Johnson, who probably will head the school, has been studying police schools in Los Angeles, New