

## GIBSON GROPPES FOR PEACE KEY IN NAVY MAZE

Japanese Reported to Have Tentative Plan Looking Toward Accord.

By United Press  
GENEVA, Aug. 2.—Hugh S. Gibson, chief of the American delegation to President Coolidge's naval limitations conference, visited the Japanese and British leaders today, but there was no announcement of his purpose.

The visit to the Japanese took place first and it was reported that Viscount Ishii and Baron Saito offered a conciliation proposal along the lines of the British suggestion that there be a naval holiday.

A plenary session of the conference, with full representation of Japanese, British and American delegations, has been set for Thursday. The session apparently will provide each delegation with opportunity to state its position and to explain why it was not responsible for the difficulties which have developed here, after which the conference presumably will adjourn.

Cruisers Are Snag  
There has been no progress toward limitation of the cruiser class of warships. Submarines and destroyers were less difficult. The question of cruisers involved naval bases, of which Britain has many widely scattered along the world's trade routes and the United States has few.

With bases from which to operate small cruisers, Britain preferred to limit the number of 10,000-ton cruisers as much as possible. The United States wanted to build 10,000-ton cruisers according to its needs, within the tonnage limit to be decided upon.

In principle, the conferees agreed to parity in naval strength as between Britain and the United States. Britain now has considerable superiority in auxiliary vessel strength and parity would have been obtained either by Britain scrapping vessels or by the United States building up to the British strength.

Far Apart on Ideas  
Gibson suggested that 300,000 tons be maximum cruiser strength and that within such quota each nation be permitted to build ships up to 10,000 tons, according to requirements.

The British countered by explaining their necessity for a large number of smaller cruisers, so many of the 300,000-ton quota there would not remain enough to permit building of many large cruisers.

To provide parity in the British sense, the British delegates proposed that there should be further limitation within the 300,000-ton quota. Thus each nation would be permitted to build only a certain number of large cruisers and on the smaller cruisers the caliber of guns would be reduced from eight to six inches.

That proposal was objectionable to Gibson. It would require the United States, he said, to build ships of the small cruiser class, which it did not need or to permit Britain to have the stronger Navy.

## POSTOFFICE SURVEY IS RENEWED BY U. S.

Needs of Cities to Be Determined More Fully.

By United Press  
WASHINGTON, Aug. 2.—A re-survey of many cities where the Government proposes to erect new Federal buildings under its five-year \$250,000,000 construction program has been ordered by Carl T. Schenck, assistant Secretary of the Treasury.

The second survey was considered necessary to learn more accurately needs of various localities.

Six Federal architectural engineers are making studies at Albany, N. Y.; Camden, N. J.; Kansas City, Mo.; Newark, N. J.; Flint, Mich.; Fargo, N. D., and Duluth, Minn.

## PLANE VICTIMS BURIED

Funerals for Three Held at New-castle Today.

By Times Special  
NEWCASTLE, Ind., Aug. 2.—Funerals for three victims of an airplane crash at the flying field four miles south of this city Sunday.

Services for Louis George C. Myers, owner of the plane, and Paul Wise, one of the passengers, were held at the First Christian Church. The funeral of Evan Davis, third victim, was held at the home of his parents.

All the bodies were placed in sealed caskets which were not opened during the last rites. The bodies were burned almost beyond recognition.

## FREE ELEVATOR VICTIM

Boy Going After Ball Crushed to Death in Shaft.

By United Press  
BROOKLYN, Aug. 2.—An hour's work with pick axes tore a hole through a foot and one-half brick wall and into the elevator shaft where 12-year-old Ignacio Costa had sacrificed his life trying to recover a baseball.

The ball went down the shaft. Playmates said that Ignacio started the self-service elevator thinking to go down. Instead it went up, the boy jumped for the open door and was caught between the machine and the edge of the shaft.

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Chain Store Buying Enables Us to Sell for Less!  
**GLOBE STORES**  
Main store—330 W. Wash. St.  
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## Fifty Beauties Enter Gardens Beach Contest



Beulah Oldham

## Bathing Revue Will Be Held Aug. 13 and 14 at Walnut Resort.

Miss Beulah Oldham, 1720 Prospect St., will represent the Fletcher Cafeteria in the American Bathing Beauty Revue at Walnut Gardens, Aug. 13 and 14. She is one of fifty Indianapolis beauties already entered in the contest, and it is expected that at least 100 contestants will participate. Revue preliminaries will be at 8 o'clock Saturday night, Aug. 13, and the finals at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon, Aug. 14.

Recent entries include Ruth L. Johnson, 430 Massachusetts Ave., Apartment 505, representing the Circle exchange of the Indiana Bell Telephone Company; Elsie Johnson, 1701 N. Alabama St., from the Rain-bow Beauty Shoppe, Inc., five from the Selig Dry Goods Company store, Carol Craft, 731 W. Thirty-first St.; Ruth Cox, 352 N. Hamilton Ave.; Lucille Maley, 1544 Shelby St.; Eleanor Barnum, 1427 Bellefontaine St.; and Emma Munk, 1511 Ingram St. From the Rink Cloak House, Kathryn Powers, 604 N. Jefferson Ave., has been entered.

Other entries filed with Carl Freyn, manager of the Walnut Gardens, during the last few days are Roxana Mae Abel, Southport; Ruth Shaad, 1146 College Ave.; Anna Ernsting, 1126 Woodlawn Ave.; Thelma Geis, 36 S. Johnson Ave.; Florence Kain, 628 Holly Ave.; Florence DeMoss, 1758 N. Alabama St.; Edith Alexander, 1113 Holiday St.; and Helen Shapiro of Brownsburg. Chic Jackson, cartoonist, has been named chairman of the judges for the revue.

## PLAN M'CUULLOUGH RITES

Funeral of Indianapolis Man to Be Held Wednesday.

Funeral services will be at 2:30 p. m. Wednesday at his home for Frank B. McCullough, 69, of 2539 Park Ave., who died Monday after three months' illness.

Services will be in charge of the Rev. Orin W. Pifer, pastor of Central Avenue M. E. Church, of which Mr. McCullough was a member, assisted by the Rev. W. B. Farmer, former Broadway M. E. Church pastor. Burial will be in Crown Hill cemetery.

Mr. McCullough was born in Marietta, Pa., moving to Indianapolis in 1876. Survivors include the widow; a daughter, Mrs. S. J. Carr, Indianapolis; three sisters, Mrs. Leonard Saxton of Lewistown, Pa.; Mrs. Joseph Cassell of Marietta, Pa.; and Mrs. C. W. Mills of Long Beach, Cal.

## Sues Theater For \$3,000

By Times Special  
TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Aug. 2.—The Fourth Avenue Amusement Company, operating the Grand Opera House here, is defendant in a \$3,000 damage suit filed by Mrs. Lydia Samuels, widow of Andrew Samuels. She alleges Samuels died from an infection in one of his hands following a wound inflicted by a bolt protruding from a Grand Opera House seat.

## Tax Refund Claim Application

Tax Refund Claim Department, Indianapolis Times.

Will you kindly prepare my Horizontal Tax Increase REFUND claim from the following information?

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Township ..... Name of individual or company appearing on 1919 tax receipt .....

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When my claim is ready you can call me at this telephone .....

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## SOURBIER WILL GET AMUSEMENT FIRM PROPERTY

Negotiations in \$1,050,000 Stock Deal Here Are Under Way.

Negotiations in a \$1,050,000 stock deal whereby Ed G. Sourbier will acquire ownership of Central Amusement Company properties were underway today.

Central Amusement owns the Lyric Theater and a 45-foot strip of ground at 42 W. Washington St., now leased by the Thompson dairy lunch. The Washington St. property formerly was the Alhambra Theater site.

## Form New Concern

A new corporation known as the Washington and Illinois Realty Company will be formed with Sourbier as president. The corporation will have as its holdings the Central Amusement Company properties.

Sourbier is president of the Public Savings Insurance Company and the Stutz Fire Engine Company. The Wimmer Bldg., New York and Illinois Sts., and two business properties at southwest and southeast corners of Illinois and Michigan Sts., will be operated by the new company. Fletcher American Company, trustee, will offer \$875,000 of 6 per cent stock to the public.

## Others Theaters Not Effected

Sourbier already owned 25 per cent of the amusement company stock. Under the purchase agreement he will obtain 54 per cent of the stock of Charles Olson, now president, 1 per cent of Mrs. Jessie Barton, secretary, 5 per cent of Gene Marks, treasurer, and 14 per cent of Martin H. Hugg, attorney.

Hugg announced the Apollo, Alamo and Regent picture houses, in which Marks, Olson and Hugg are interested, are not affected by the deal and will continue present policies.

## GOVERNOR HEARS LAST SACCO CASE APPEALS

Decision Will Be Handed Down Wednesday by Fuller.

By United Press  
BOSTON, Aug. 2.—Governor Alvan T. Fuller today heard final arguments for the government in his investigation of the Sacco-Vanzetti murder case.

The executive has announced he will make public his decision tomorrow night.

Summoned from Brockton, Assistant District Attorney Dudley P. Ranney of Norfolk County, spent an hour with the Governor. Afterward he said he had made an informal presentation of the government's case.

## REAL SILK WINS MEDAL

President of Hosiery Mills Gets American Institute Honor.

W. C. Kobin, president of the Real Silk Hosiery Mills, has on display in his office the gold medal and diploma of excellence awarded the local firm by the American Institute of New York City.

The award was given the Real Silk company, according to a letter from Edwin Forrest Murdock, president of the institute, in honor of Kobin's achievements in originating and perfecting direct to consumer distribution of silk hosiery and for the distinguished accomplishment of the company in developing, manufacturing and sale of silk hosiery to the point of national and international leadership.

## PLAN FOUR CONCERTS

Indianapolis Military Band Will Have Busy Week.

In addition to the free band concert Thursday night at University Park, the Indianapolis Military Band will give three other concerts this week in city parks. W. S. Mitchell, conductor, announces. A concert will be given Wednesday at 7 p. m. at Camp Sullivan; Friday at 7:30 in Brookside Park; and Saturday at 7 at the Finch playground, State and Fletcher Ave. Vaughn Cornish, tenor, and Pasquale Montani, flutist, will be the soloists at all four concerts. The concerts are part of the summer park entertainment program arranged by Park Superintendent R. Walter Jarvis.

## Hoosier in Films

By Times Special  
HARTFORD CITY, Ind., Aug. 2.—Sidney Ballam Jr., former resident here, is featured in a motion picture with Hoot Gibson, western feature film star, now in production. Ballam is to return to Hollywood, Cal., on completion of the present picture to become affiliated with Universal Pictures.

## Late Pastor Saw Church Grow From Humble Start

The Rev. F. M. Buchanan Served in Indianapolis for 30 Years.

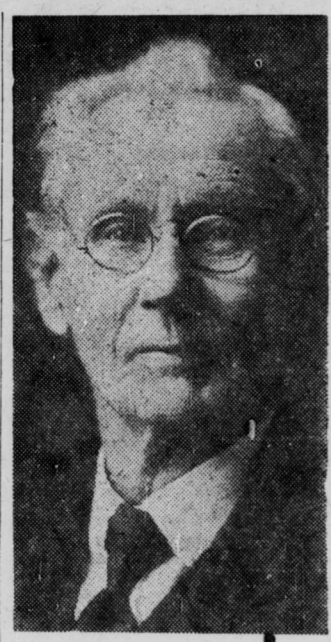
Only one man sat in the auditorium of the Hill Crest Baptist church seven years ago when the Rev. Francis Marian Buchanan preached his first sermon as pastor of the church.

But his desire to see the church building formally dedicated before a large congregation was realized three years ago, before his death Sunday at his home, 622 Division St. The church had grown to a membership of nearly 1,000 before he resigned three years ago because of illness.

He was succeeded by the Rev. J. R. Himmelman. Mr. Buchanan was born in Hendricks County, eighty-five years ago. He began an evangelistic career about thirty-five years ago in Clayton. He has lived in Indianapolis thirty years and has held charges chiefly in the city and in Shelby County.

Funeral services will be Wednesday afternoon at the River Ave. Baptist Church, River and Stand-ard Aves. Burial will be at Crown Hill cemetery.

Mr. Buchanan is survived by the



Rev. F. R. Buchanan

widow, Mrs. Nevada M. Buchanan; a son, Hayden W. Buchanan, former city councilman; two daughters, Mrs. Mary McKara and Mrs. Edith Dickenson; and a brother, Howard Buchanan, all of Indianapolis.

## Joy Echoes Over Sea to Cheer Priest

BY DENNIS J. O'NEILL

IF SOUNDS of Italian laughter and shouts of Italian joy reached the ears of Father Priori beneath Latin skies Monday night, the sounds were the echoes of the laughter and voices of his people of Holy Rosary Church, 526 Stevens St.

For there is little laughter now in the little home in Italy where Father Priori is visiting. His sister is expecting blindness soon to blot out her last view of the warm Italian sky and her last glimpse of the sparkling blue Mediterranean.

And that is why Father Priori is in Italy. His sister would want to see him before the dark came. And, too, God has been known to weave the bright thread of a miracle into the gray patterns of life.

Father Priori probably has worried a little, too, about the debt on the new church and school which he and his loyal people completed not so long ago. And that is the reason for the laughter and shouts on Stevens St. night, and the night before, echoed on Stevens St.

For the Altar Society, Holy Name Society and St. Rita's Society of the church sponsored a little carnival. On rows of long tables bright bits of color called scarfs, pillow tops, handkerchiefs, candy, and other home-made articles were sold to make up a purse for Father Priori when he comes back. He is expected by Aug. 15.

The money will help to pay on the church and school debt and Father Priori will have another proof of the loyalty of his people.

## PAPERS MERGE IN PITTSBURGH

Hearst and Block Buy Four; to Publish Two.

By United Press  
PITTSBURGH, Pa., Aug. 2.—Two morning and two evening newspapers have been consolidated into one morning and one evening paper by their owners, William Randolph Hearst and Paul Block, national advertising executive.

Hearst purchased the Gazette Times (morning) and the Chronicle-Telegraph (evening). Block bought the Post (morning) and the Sun (evening).

The two morning papers were merged into the Post-Gazette and the evening papers into the Sun-Telegraph. Consolidation became effective with today's editions.

The Hearst-Block consolidation has reduced the number of Pittsburgh papers to three: The Press, a Scripps-Howard paper; the Sun-Telegraph and the Post-Gazette. Four years ago Pittsburgh had seven papers.

The Post-Gazette will be known as a Block paper, while the Sun-Telegraph will be known as a Hearst paper. Sunday editions of the Post-Gazette will be discontinued, while the Sun-Telegraph will publish Sunday morning papers.

Block is owner of the Lancaster (Pa.) New Era; the Toledo (Ohio) Blade; Newark-(N. J.) Star-Eagle, and Duluth (Minn.) Herald.

## CHINESE IN COMPOUND

Standard Oil Stronghold Occupied by Hankow Faction.

By United Press  
WASHINGTON, Aug. 2.—Chinese Hankow troops occupied the Standard Oil Company compound at Wuhan yesterday, according to advices to the Navy Department from Rear Admiral C. S. Williams, who added that efforts were being made to obtain evacuation.

Williams reported that total forces in the Hankow stronghold are about 60,000.

## Receiver for Apartment

By United Press  
SOUTH BEND, Ind., Aug. 2.—The fashionable Washington-Corfax Apartment Hotel was thrown into receivership in Superior Court here Monday by the Indiana Trust Company which asks a judgment of \$90,000.

## "Burglar" Was Rat

By United Press  
JEFFERSONVILLE, Ind., Aug. 2.—Most of the city police force, with weapons drawn, waited in front of a grocery store from which a burglar alarm had sounded. But they missed their quarry because they failed to bring a rat trap. Finally rushing the place, they discovered a large rat running about inside.

## Earthshock in Caribbean Registered

By United Press  
NEW YORK, Aug. 2.—An earthshock believed only 1,700 miles distant from New York in the Caribbean Sea was registered at 8:56 o'clock last night on the seismograph of Fordham University, the station announced today.

Bills Taken by Burglars  
Adam Haynes, rooming at 1011 S. Alabama St., reported to police that a burglar who ransacked the house while every one was away, Monday evening took two ten-dollar bills from beneath a paper in his dresser drawer.

Kick of Horse Fatal  
GOSHEN, Ind., Aug. 2.—George Madlem, farmer, living in Lagrange County, east of here, is dead of an injury inflicted when he was kicked over the heart by a horse.

## GIRLS BELIEVED STRANDED HERE

Seek Young Frankfort (Ky.) Sisters and 4 Others.

Two girls, residents of Frankfort, Ky., who ran away from their homes Saturday to visit a sister here, are believed stranded in the city, unable to find their relative and without funds.

Mrs. A. V. La Sara, 612 N. East St., the sister, told police Bernice Cavitt, 16, has light hair, blue eyes, fair complexion, wore a brown dress, but no hat or coat. Virginia Belle Cavitt, 16, wore a red dress, light slippers and stockings, and was without hat and coat. Both are about the same height and description.

Four other persons were reported missing to police.

Police were asked to search for David Tieman, 14, who left his home, 935 Parker Ave., to play in the park.

Abraham Kuferberg, 16, left his home, 3468 N. Illinois St., at 11 p. m. Sunday, police were told.

His interest in aviation, led parents of Claire Arnold, 17, of Plainfield, Ind., to believe he might be found at a flying field.

Kenneth Siffer, 18, of 20 E. Northwood St., left his home early Monday with two other youths to seek employment, his father reported.

## Bobbed Bandit Given 3 to 15 Years in Pen



Thelma Christler

## Girl Who Held Up Bank to Get Money for Mortgage Payment Sentenced.

By United Press  
SAGINAW, Mich., Aug. 2.—Thelma Christler, 19, bobbed-haired bank bandit, was sentenced today to serve from three to fifteen years in the Detroit house of correction.

The girl attempted to hold up the People's Savings Bank here recently to obtain money to pay off the mortgage on the farm where she lived with her father in a log cabin.

By pleading guilty, the girl was liable to a sentence of life, but Judge W. H. Martin imposed the lighter sentence, with recommendation that she serve only three years.

His investigation of the case, he said, led him to believe that Thelma was a victim of circumstances rather than a criminal.

## DROP WORLD FAIR PLAN

Mayor Thompson Says Exposition Would Be Provincial Today.

By United Press  
CHICAGO, Aug. 2.—Plans for a Chicago world's fair in 1933 have been abandoned, according to Mayor William Hale Thompson's advisory committee.

"There will be no world's fair, because the last successful event of that kind was held in Chicago in 1893," it was said. "Instead we will work toward public improvements for Chicago, including a subway, which we hope will be finished in that year."

A world's fair would be provincial today, according to the committee.

## Pope Receives Pittsburgh Pilgrims

By United Press  
ROME, Aug. 2.—Pope Pius today received 125 pilgrims from Pittsburgh, Pa., in an audience which was one of the most solemn and impressive of the year.

## AMUSEMENTS

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Aug. 5.....Sigma Epsilon Night

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## GOODRUN JOINS GHOST TOWN LIST OF STATE

Removal of Street Car Tracks Serves As Last Chapter.

By Times Special  
CHESTERTON, Ind., Aug. 2.—Goodrun has been added to the list of Indiana ghost towns. Removal of street car tracks to the site of the proposed town recently was the last step in wiping out a venture that cost thousands of dollars.

Twenty years ago promoters dreamed of a fast electric