

## SHIP REPORTS REDFERN PLANE SEEN AT SEA

Signals Exchanged and Craft Then Flew On, Skipper of Vessel Says.

*By United Press*  
KINGSTON, Jamaica, Aug. 31.—What appeared to be proof that Paul Redfern, Georgia-to-Brazil flier, still was on his lonely way, twenty-four hours after leaving Brunswick, Ga., Thursday, was supplied here today in the log of the steamship Christian Krone, a Norwegian vessel. The log said that Redfern's plane was sighted between



Mr. and Mrs. Redfern

3 and 3:45 p. m. Friday in the Caribbean about 1,875 miles from Brunswick.

Redfern and the Christian Krone exchanged messages and signals, the log said, whereupon the flier pointed his plane in the direction in which land had been indicated and disappeared.

There was a detailed account of the meeting. The position given was 165 miles north of the nearest point on the Venezuelan coast.

Substance of the log was that the plane circled over the ship and dropped three notes, asking that the vessel point herself toward the nearest land and indicate the approximate distance thereto by signals. The Christian Krone, according to the log, complied with these requests, whereupon the plane flew away.

### Plane Seen in Wilds

*By United Press*  
WASHINGTON, Aug. 31.—Reports of sightings Saturday an unidentified plane over the Orinoco Delta, on scheduled route of Paul Redfern, missing Brunswick Ga.-Rio Janeiro flier were forwarded today to the State Department by American Minister Cook at Caracas, Venezuela. There was nothing in the message to show the plane was Redfern's.

The message follows: "Government telegraph operator at village of Tucupita in Orinoco Delta telegraphed Saturday to operator at Ciudad Bolivar that mail carrier who left Barrancas for Tucupita Saturday saw an airplane at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon flying over the Canomaca-Reoa River in the delta. The airplane was flying in a southeasterly direction toward Boca Grande, the main mouth of the Orinoco.

"In addition to the mail carrier, inhabitants of the village of Macareito also saw an airplane Saturday flying southeast toward Boca Grande.

"At 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon, a heavy storm broke over all that region. That part of Venezuela has very few inhabitants."

### Victim Clears Driver

*By Times Special*  
SEYMOUR, Ind., Aug. 31.—Benjamin Noell, 49, before he died of injuries suffered when he was struck by an automobile driven by Dytes Abell, called Abell to his deathbed and exonerated him from all blame in the accident.

### Faked Hold-up Tale

*By Times Special*  
FT. WAYNE, Ind., Aug. 31.—Fred Knapp is serving a fifty-day sentence at the penal farm, after admitting that he fabricated a story of a hold-up where he rooked to cover up his theft of \$12.

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## Hop With John



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## INDIANS LOSING LIVES, RICHES AT RAPID RATE

Extinction of Race Is Seen in Few Years Unless Congress Acts.

**By MAX STERN**  
SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 31.—The last vestiges of America's first families are being swept away, according to Secretary John Collier of the American Indian Defense Association. He says he will demand a congressional investigation of the condition of the country's wards.

Statistical studies by Dr. Haven Emerson of Columbia University, Collier says, indicate that soon the red men of the West will be as rare as the cigar store Indian of the nineties.

Collier declares that in the last four years the mortality rate among Indians in thirty-three States has risen 48 per cent.

### Death Rate Higher

The Indiana death rate for tuberculosis is six times that for the white population of the United States.

More than 21 per cent of the Indian population, or some 60,000 are suffering from trachoma, which causes blindness, according to Dr. Guthrie, chief of the Indian Bureau's medical staff.

The Indian estate, held in trust by the Government, has shrunken through the last four years at the rate of four per cent a year. Not counting the ever-mounting reimbursable indebtedness against tribes, the total shrinkage of the estate has been \$122,000,000 in the four years.

The Indian allotted lands held in trust have dwindled \$68,000,000, or 16.66 per cent in these years; the trust moneys 26.3 per cent and the Indian tribal funds 18.5 per cent.

Landed area of the Indians has dwindled from 160,000,000 acres in 1875 to 72,000,000, a shrinkage of 93,000,000 acres, or 56 per cent.

Projects enriching white men and changing the Indians have created a load of reimbursable debt totaling \$31,000,000.

Overcrowded and insanitary conditions in Indian schools have caused spread of disease and death among the young. More than 3,200 Navajo children are without any schooling.

Infant mortality among Indians under one year is 2.7 times higher than the general American death rate. The total Indian death rate is double the rate in the general population.

"The Indians and their civilization are rapidly and ruthlessly being destroyed," said Collier. "There are approximately 225,000 Indians left. Their property, held in trust by the United States Government, amounts to about \$1,000,000,000. Will this all be swept away within the next few years? It is not too late for Congress to act."

## WOMAN OPENS COURT FIGHT TO GET OFFICE

### Suit Filed at Decatur After Several Months' Dispute.

DECATUR, Ind., Aug. 31.—After a contest since last May between a man and woman for the office of Adams County attendance officer, the matter will come before Circuit Court Sept. 8, a suit having been filed by Mrs. Ella Peoples against Nathan Nelson.

Mrs. Peoples alleges she was duly appointed to the office May 2 last but that Nelson refused to retire in favor. Nelson announces he will file the suit, reiterating previous statements that Mrs. Peoples did not pass the required examination for the office and that he has letters from Blanche Merry, state attendance officer, advising him to continue his duties.

### TRUCK JAR BREAKS LEG

Vehicle Bounds Against Brick Pile, Causing Injury.

Albert Drayman, 21, of 401 N. Pennsylvania St., had his left leg fractured today when the truck in which he was riding at E. Washington and Bradley Ave., hit a hole in the street and was thrown against a pile of bricks being used by the street car company in repair work.

Drayman was thrown from the truck, driven by Joseph Maher, 49, 501 Eleventh St., driver for the National Guard air unit at Mars Hill. Drayman also was connected with the air unit.

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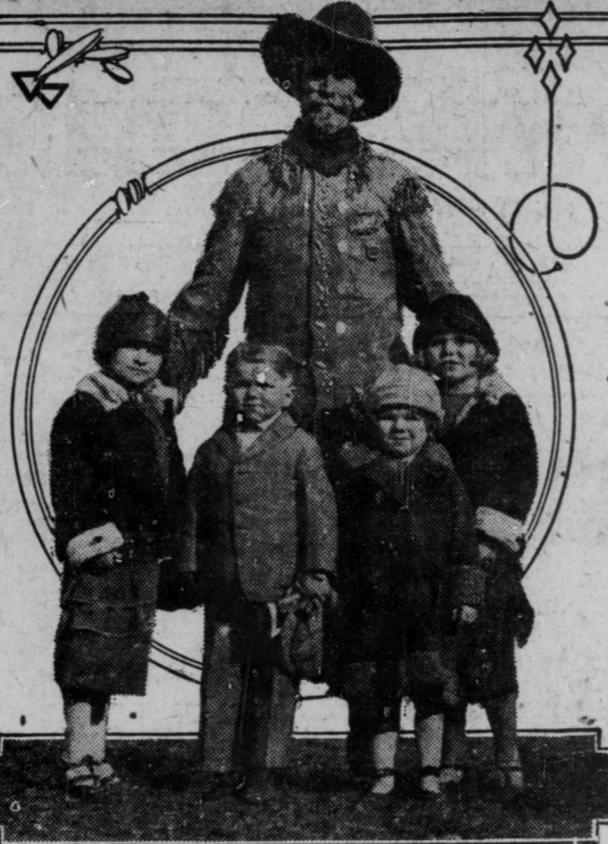
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## Old Frontiersman With Pals



Tex Cooper and Tiny Pals

The man who makes "Fog Horn" tions with the show—Cossacks, Arabs, Moors, Mexicans, Indians, South American vaqueros and all the rest. Here we have Tex jaunting about with some of the show's midgets, who hail from Hungary. The next instant, he may be showing some Cossack or Arab girls how to handle an old-style six gun.

**NAME SCHOOL CHIEFS**

**ELECTRIC LINE JUNKED**

**F. Wayne—Decatur Road Bought To Be Wrecked.**

*By Times Special*

DECATUR, Ind., Aug. 31.—Junking of the recently abandoned interurban line between this city and Ft. Wayne will begin next Tuesday. Three months will be required for the work.

J. F. Arnold, Decatur, and Walter A. Zehnicker, St. Louis, bought the physical property of the line from the Indiana Service Corporation. The deal was made on a weight basis. It is estimated there are 2,200 tons of steel rail in the twenty-one mile line. All bridges along the route will be torn down and the material salvaged.

**Fair Opens at Speed**

*By Times Special*

SPEED, Ind., Aug. 31.—The Speed community fair opened today to continue until Saturday with an announcement by officials that it will surpass the seven previous annual events.

The trustees will be Arthur V. Brown, Woodbury T. Morris, the Rev. Matthias L. Haines, the Rev. George A. Frantz, Hazel Dunlop McKee, May Orme Mackenzie and Geneva Carpenter. Vacancies that occur are to be filled by appointment by the board. A trust fund will be created to finance operation of the institution.

Trustees have formed a corporation with the following officers: Miss Matilda Allen, president; Henry C. Morgan, vice president; Henry A. Spears, secretary, and Miss Hazel Dunlop McKee, assistant principal.

More than 600 persons are believed to have been poisoned by an Italian woman named Toffana, who lived in the 17th century. She was apprehended and executed.

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50c P. D. Q. (½ pt.) 39c  
25c Black Flag (liquid) 19c

**FLASHLIGHTS**

\$1.50 Eveready 98c

\$1.75 2-Cell Flashlight \$1.24

\$3.00 3-Cell Flashlight \$2.48

2-Cell Battery (small) 24c

2-Cell Battery (large) 29c

3-Cell Battery 39c

**FACE CREAMS**

\$1.00 Krantz Lemon Cream 84c

60c Glebas Lemon Cream 49c

\$1.15 Othine 89c

25c Black and White 23c

75c Boncilla Cold Cream 59c

50c H. H. and Almond Cream 39c

75c Lourayne, 59c

**COUGH SYRUPS**

60c King's New Discovery 49c

60c Pine 49c

60c Fole's Honey and Tar 49c

35c Chamberlain's Cough 29c

60c Bull's Cough Syrup 49c

75c