

# MRS. REMUS LOVE AFFAIR WITH DODGE IS CHARGED

## QUIZ MYSTERY WOMAN ABOUT AGENT OF U. S.

Justice Department Sleuth 'Played Around' With Wife, She Says.

### TOGETHER AT HOTEL

Bellboy Declares He Saw Pair in Same Room at Cleveland.

*By United Press*  
CHICAGO, Oct. 27.—The "mystery woman" in the George Remus case swore to a deposition today in which she lent strong support to Remus' charges that his wife, Mrs. Imogene Remus, had engaged in a love affair with Franklin Dodge, prohibition agent, while Remus was in jail on bootlegging charges.

The mystery woman, whose identity had been carefully hidden until today, was Mrs. Olive Webber Long, a sister of Mrs. George Helcher, an intimate friend of Mrs. Remus.

Mrs. Long swore that she heard a telephone conversation between Mrs. Remus and Dodge in which expressions of affection abounded, and said Mrs. Remus told her she was in love with Dodge.

**Said She'd "Fix Him"**  
Mrs. Long said she called on Mrs. Remus in a hotel here in the fall of 1924 or 1925, the night after Remus was released from jail at Portsmouth, Ohio, where he served a term in connection with activities gained for him the title of "millionaire bootlegger."

Mrs. Remus, she said, was telephoning to her mother in Cincinnati. Mrs. Long said she heard Mrs. Remus say, "Don't worry, I'll fix him."

Samuel Charles Clapper, bellboy at a hotel here, testified he had seen Franklin Dodge Jr. and a woman later pointed out to him as Mrs. Remus in a room of the Hollenden Hotel, Cleveland.

Clapper said he then was night clerk of the hotel and knew Remus well. At 2 a.m., Feb. 26, 1925, he said, Fred Yocke, night watchman, reported to him that a man and woman were talking in a certain room.

**Saw Woman in Bed**  
At 3 a.m. the watchman reported they still were talking. Clapper said he went to the room and knocked. After about fifteen minutes, he said, Dodge came to the door carrying his shoes. Clapper said he saw the woman in bed.

She said, he testified, that she had a sick headache and Dodge was caring for her. Dodge told him, Clapper said, he intended to marry the woman.

Clapper identified a picture of Mrs. Remus as the woman whom he had seen in bed and said he had also recognized her as the same woman when she had been pointed out to him some time after the hotel episode.

### SCHOOL HEAD MAKES FINAL BUDGET PLEAS

*By United Press*  
Cincinnati, Oct. 27.—The State tax board for cut of 43 cents in Levy.

The State tax board is determined to set the Indianapolis city school rate at \$1.02 and it doesn't give a damn about the result."

This was the assertion of President Theodore Vonnegut of the school board before the tax commissioners today, accompanied by other school officials, in a final effort to save the budget. Their original budget called for a \$1.45 tax levy.

The 43-cent cut is excessive, the schoolmen declare.

The final order has not been made by the tax board, but it appeared certain that they would stick to \$1.02. This would allow the special fund 30 cents; tuition, from which salaries are paid, 65 cents; library, 6 cents, and kindergarten, 1 cent.

*By United Press*  
INDIANAPOLIS, Oct. 27.—Wins \$12,000 damages

Former Butler Star to Pay for Automobile Crash.

Carl W. Rafert, 61, was awarded \$12,000 damages in Superior Court Two days against Robert W. Field, 22, of Ben Davis, a former Butler University basketball star.

Rafert suffered a broken arm and subsequently underwent amputation of one leg, when struck by Wakefield's auto, Sept. 21, 1926, as he was alighting from a street car at W. Washington and Blackford Sts. Wakefield was charged with speeding and reckless driving.

### HOOSIER GIVEN MEDAL

Soldier From Kokomo Showed Bravery in Explosion Disaster.

*By United Press*  
WASHINGTON, Oct. 27.—Staff Sergeant Arlie L. Downey, Kokomo, Ind., has been awarded the soldiers' medal among others who took part in rescue work during the Lake Denman (N. J.) arsenal explosion in May 1926, for exceptional bravery. Downey, seeing a woman lying near the scene of the heaviest explosions, ran to her and while the air was still filled with flying shells and magazines were exploding continuously, carried her to safety with the aid of two other men. He is now stationed at the ordnance school here.

**Campaign to Open Friday**  
*By United Press*  
EVANSVILLE, Ind., Oct. 27.—Albert Stump, Indianapolis attorney, will officially open the Lincoln Memorial drive of the First district Friday night when actual solicitation for funds will start at a dinner here. More than 100 campaign workers are expected to attend.

Does Friendship Without Love Work in Marriage? DIANA Will Tell You

### CLERGY VOTES AGAINST DRY'S

*By United Press*  
NEW YORK, Oct. 27.—In 2,500 responded to a questionnaire sent out to 5,000 clergymen of the Protestant Episcopal Church the majority opinion was against prohibition, the Church Temperance Society conducting the poll announced.

The society caused some dissension when it made a similar survey eighteen months ago. It has taken a stand against regulation of intemperance by legislation.

The vote on various questions follows:

"Regardless of one's attitude toward the use of liquor, do we believe a prohibition law offers the best solution for the problem of intemperance?" "Yes," 624; "no," 1,138.

"Should the Volstead act be modified?" "Yes," 1,032; "no," 593.

"Is prohibition a success in your locality?" "Yes," 445; "no," 745.

"Have we had the law long enough for a fair trial?" "Yes," 950; "no," 621.

"Should the Eighteenth Amendment be repealed?" "Yes," 825; "no," 793.

In commenting upon the survey, the Rev. Charles A. Livingston, chairman of the society's publicity committee, said the progress against prohibition is very satisfactory.

### THE CITY IN BRIEF

**FRIDAY EVENTS**  
Seventh District Federation of Clubs meeting, 7 p.m.; luncheon, Lincoln Knights of Columbus luncheon, Spin-Artists Club luncheon, Claypool.

Phi Delta Theta luncheon, Chamber Delta Tau Delta luncheon, Bosco of Trade Show Division Veterans' Association meeting and bowling, Capitol alleys.

Grocers' Club meeting, 6 p.m.

Chamber of Commerce, 8 p.m.

St. Patrick's Social Club skating party, Riverside Park, 8 p.m. evening.

**Arthur Smith, bulb and plant expert** of Sassenheim, Holland, today visited Indianapolis parks to survey city's needs for spring planting, with Superintendent R. Walter Jarvis and Assistant Superintendent George Morgan.

Three national officers of the Railway Mail Association and auxiliary were honored at a dinner attended by 200 members of the local branch Wednesday night at the Odd Fellow Hall. Speakers were W. M. Collins of Washington, national president; Mrs. Alta L. Schick of Columbus, Ohio, national auxiliary president, and B. G. Burris of Cincinnati, Ohio, fifth division president.

Charged with giving liquor to Negro high school girls, Miss Haddie Young alias Sims, 25, Negro, 603½ W. Eleventh St., was fined \$500 and costs and sentenced to six months in the Woman's Prison Wednesday afternoon by Special Judge William H. Faust in municipal court.

Now wouldn't that jar you?"

Meyers asked as he hung up the receiver. "I guess I'd better keep the phone near at hand because somebody will be calling in a few minutes to find out what time the next train leaves for Chicago."

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"They ask anything and everything," he continued. "What I need is a city directory, market prices and a train schedule, and then maybe I could help. I get as many calls for the Statehouse as I do for my office."

### CHINESE BEATS FT. WAYNE GIRL, KILLS HIMSELF

Yellow Man Spurned Love for White Girl Ends Tragically.

*By United Press*  
FT. WAYNE, Ind., Oct. 27.—The line from Kipling, "For east is east and west is west, and never the twain shall meet," is only a repetition of an old teaching in the Orient, and Allen Young, 24, Americanized Chinese, knew that. But he thought his ancestors unwise. Did not the United States tell its citizens that all men are free and equal? It did, and for two years Young wooed Miss Korea Weeks, 17, and pretty.

There was no response. The American girl was inexperienced, and did not know exactly how to go about it, so the manner in which she repulsed her Oriental suitor did not impress him as being final, and he kept courting.

Regrettably, he was right. There came a day when Young uneasily wondered whether hope ever was to be rewarded. For he had made no progress and it came to him that Miss Norea was colder than ever toward him.

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**WAIVES QUIZ IN STABBING CASE**

**'Phoney'**

Wrong Number Calls

Keep County File Clerk in 'Good' Humor.

Lucid Faces Indictment for Kin's Murder.

George Lucid, 35, of 926 Prospect St., today awaited grand jury indictment for murder after waiving preliminary hearing in municipal court Wednesday afternoon before Special Judge William Faust.

Lucid is charged with having fatally stabbed his brother-in-law, Leo Dewey Carpenter, 29, of 2021 Minnesota St., with a penknife, following a beer party Tuesday night at the home of George Lee, 1229 Laurel St.

Relatives told police that Lucid bore a grudge against Carpenter, who, as a "stool pigeon" for Federal prohibition officers, had testified against one of Lucid's friends.

Lee, at whose home the argument is believed to have started, was sentenced to ninety days on the State farm and fined \$100 and costs on a blind tiger charge by Judge Faust after Lucid's preliminary hearing.

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**MRS. STILLMAN IN AIR**

Trip From Quebec Lodge Is Cut By Two Days in Plane.

*By United Press*

NEW YORK, Oct. 27.—To the ranks of aviation enthusiasts today was added the name of Mrs. Anne U. Stillman, who has found that she can shorten by two days the trip from her lodge at Grand Anse, Que., to her estate at Pleasantville, N. Y.

Mrs. Stillman and her daughter, Mrs. Henry P. Davison, flew the 700 miles in a hydroplane yesterday, completing the trip in less than six hours. It was believed that the capitalist's wife would use aerial communication hereafter.

**REPORT 20 EXECUTIONS**

Peking Hears Students Are Killed for War on Government.

*By United Press*

PEKING, Oct. 27.—Widely published, but not officially confirmed reports today said twenty students at local universities, including a girl, had been executed within the last forty-eight hours, charged with subversive activities.

**Woman a Forger, Charge.**

HUNTINGTON, Ind., Oct. 27.—Miss Ethel Jacobs, 28, is at liberty today under \$2,100 bond following indictment for forgery. It is charged that Miss Jacobs, while manager of a Swift & Co. cream station at Banquo, issued checks to farmers for cream purchased but instead of turning the checks over to the sellers indorsed them in their names and cashed them.

**Statehouse newspaper reporters** have been supplied with a press room in the new allocation of departments made by Building Superintendent Orville Engle and approved by Governor Jackson. More space has been made in the building by transfer of the health and highway department to Statehouse Annex.

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### Sues for \$100,000 When Actress Says, 'You Wop'

*By United Press*  
NEW YORK, Oct. 27.—"You wop; you big wop," cried Hope Hampton in her late Broadway musical comedy, "The Princess," and Guido Ciccolini almost fell out of his seat.

Because his feelings were hurt, Ciccolini, a singer, has brought suit against the actress, her husband, and the producer of the show to collect \$100,000.

In his complaint, Ciccolini alleges the principal male character in "The Princess" has been named "Ciccolini," that he is indirectly held up to ridicule by the lines; and that \$100,000 and an injunction against road showings are all that will satisfy him.

The materials used, the methods followed, the cost and the results gained are similar to those tell of the Indiana State Highway Commission.

Under a new process of road construction Marion County taxpayers will be saved 20 per cent on road building if county employees do the work rather than contractors, it was revealed today in a report of the Indiana State Highway Commission.

"The problem of maintaining roads in Marion County has been solved into two considerations," he said. "One is to make a road strong and safe for travel and the other to control the dust and loss of aggregate from the surface."

Used on W. Thirtieth St.

He pointed out that the new process was used on W. Thirtieth St., from Flackville to the Georgetown Rd., and south on this highway to Sixteenth St., in 1926. This road, during the period of the Speedway races, is "subject to extremely heavy traffic," Tex said.

The newest performer, Frederick P. Schrader, 71-year-old German-American magazine editor, believes, like Thompson, that "King George should be chased out of American schools and libraries."

He believes it so firmly that he has astounded even Thompson's most ardent followers with his blunt condemnation of "British tactics in obtaining a foothold in this country."

Undaunted by a barrage of attacks turned on him by opponents of Thompson, he tore loose with statements far stronger than any yet made by the most vigorous backers of the "America First" movement.

Schrader was brought into the campaign by Thompson to aid in the prosecution of Thompson for the trial of Superintendent of Schools William McAndrews, who is on trial on charges of "favoring England in schoolwork."

McAndrews' trial again was recessed yesterday and will reopen Nov. 2.

The exterior of the memorial was completed today. Hoke Donithon is chairman of the executive committee of the Harding Memorial Association.

Although simple ceremonies are being arranged in connection with the entombment of a number of prominent persons throughout the United States have signified their intentions of attending.

A wreath will be placed on the tomb as part of the simple services by Mrs. Wilma Sinclair Levan, Republican national committee woman of Ohio.

**BRIEF DENIES PLOT TO HAUL ALCOHOL TO CITY**

Agents, Not Conspirators, Brought in Rum, Says Jorman.

Cornelius Jorman of Indianapolis did not enter into a liquor conspiracy for which he was fined \$500 and sentenced to two to fourteen years in prison by the Marion County Criminal Court, according to defense set out in his appeal brief filed today in Supreme Court.

He merely hired Charles Henry, Henry Elliott, Clifford Casette, and Mary Ellen Rhea to take his car to Chicago and bring back huge quantities of alcohol. The original car broke down on the return trip, so Jorman sent another which arrived in Indianapolis with the cargo, only to be picked up by Detective Jesse McMurry.