

# COOLIDGE EATS TURKEY, SPEAKS IN 'MIKE,' RESTS

Day's Observance in Capital Is Far Cry From Time of Puritans.

By United Press  
WASHINGTON, Nov. 24.—Modern Americans, like the sturdy Puritans of old, ate turkey today, made merry and gave thanks.

But there the resemblance to the first Thanksgiving day ended. The sturdy New England fathers, who primed their muskets and tramped miles to exchange greetings with the nearest neighbors, would not recognize the holiday now.

In those days they had no President and no radio. They could not, therefore, foresee that President Coolidge would be standing in the White House study last night, broadcasting to millions of Americans a proclamation of national gratitude for blessings bestowed.

The President did not have to stir from his warm hearth to exchange felicitations with 120,000,000 "neighbors." And Rob Roy, the Coolidge collier, stretched lazily at the President's feet and once sneezed so lustily it was feared he may have registered on the microphone.

In the Puritan days there was no American army. Therefore it was not necessary for the nation to provide its soldiers with \$90 worth of turkey, as today. And no army band, such as planned to serenade the President at the White House this afternoon ever played to Puritan ears.

This forenoon there were church services, which the President and Mrs. Coolidge attended with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stearns of Boston. But even here there was indication of modernity, with the Thanksgiving sermon being preached in a downtown theater.

Turkey—the bird that makes all Thanksgiving one—was on the White House menu for dinner.

## M'ANDREW REFUSES TO REMAIN AT HIS TRIAL

Packed Jury, Prejudiced Judge, Is Charged by Superintendent.

By United Press  
CHICAGO, Nov. 24.—Chicago's school board, which has been trying its school superintendent, William McAndrew, on charges of "pro-British inclinations," today wondered if it would be legal to continue the trial without presence of the defendant.

McAndrew has complicated matters by deserting the hearings, saying he will not return until the board gets down to the business of the main charge against him.

McAndrew said he was under trial before a "packed jury," a prejudiced judge and a biased board. The hearings of the school board as a travesty on justice, following the statement he walked out of the school board rooms, deaf to pleas of his opponents that he remain.

## TEST FLIGHT IS FAST

Local Pilot Wings to Detroit in Two Hours Fifty Minutes.

Average speed of ninety-three miles an hour was made in a test flight between Indianapolis and Detroit Wednesday, when a ship pilot, made the 265 miles in two hours and fifty minutes.

The flight, with Andrew H. Hepburn, Travel Corporation manager, as passenger, was made with view of establishing passenger air service between Indianapolis and several large cities. The Indiana Aviation Corporation sponsored the flight in cooperation with the Travel Corporation of America.

Regular week-end flights are planned preliminary to the intercity service.

# These Fingers Don't Need Thimbles; They're Busy Building Cement Roads



Miss Dorothy Cunningham

Man's Work Easy for Miss Dorothy Cunningham, Even in Strike

BY GLADYS CRAIG

"I can't sew, but I can make concrete," said Miss Dorothy Cunningham, of the Cunningham Construction Company, 1801 Kentucky Ave. During her business career, Miss Cunningham has built miles and miles of concrete roads all over Indiana. For years she was the superintendent of a construction gang, and the only woman on the job.

"How did you acquire the executive ability necessary to do a man's work?" she was asked.

Started in Home Work

"By learning to do a woman's work first," was the somewhat startling answer.

"Any woman who learns to manage a home successfully is fitted for business."

"My mother died when I was about ten years old leaving me to keep house for the family and rear my baby brother. I always have had heavy responsibilities thrust upon me."

Her first experience in the economic world was as a school teacher. "I got the lowest salary of any teacher in the county," she said, her blue eyes twinkling with the Irish humor which is characteristic of her.

Followed Brothers

"School teaching starves you to the point where you are willing to take any kind of job. I ran a rental agency on the side to keep from starving. I've been kicked out of some of the best homes in town as a consequence."

In these days Miss Cunningham had nothing so unladylike as road building in mind. Her brothers had gone into the construction business and they decided to rescue their sister from school teaching and give her a clerical position in their office.

"They had more than they could supervise personally," explained Miss Cunningham. "So one day they asked me if I could make two trips daily to watch a brick road that they were building out of Martinsville. The work was moving slowly, and they told me that if any profits were left at the finish I could have them."

Fired Two, Did Both Jobs.

"Well, when I looked the job over, I fired the superintendent and the timekeeper and filled both jobs myself. Instead of going down twice a day, I lived on the job. I had one strike which I settled by giving the men more money."

"In three months the work was done, and the profits were such that my brothers thought it would be safer to take me into the business. This was the beginning of fifteen strenuous years of road building, during which time she lived right on the road. "I loved it," she said.

"I never lived in a tent. I was always fortunate in finding a house near the road. In those days I built at night. We had our own lighting system, and I ran three shifts and kept time for all three."

Adopts Son

"I never had a bit of trouble in disciplining the men, although many trying problems came up."

Close confinement to business did not prevent ample expression of the "maternal instinct."

"I'm just like an old settin' hen," she said. "I've got to have something to look after. So she adopted a fifteen year old boy and sent him through high school and college. He graduated from the University of Pennsylvania with honors."

"That was the best investment I ever made," she said. "And when he has no further need of me, I'll find me another boy to rear, for I'll never be left sitting in front of the fire talking to myself."

## VINCENNES OFFICER HIT BY AUTOMOBILE THIEF

Policeman Clubbed With Own Revolver Following Chase.

By United Press  
VINCENNES, Ind., Nov. 23.—John Horral, 35, Vincennes, a motorcycle policeman, is suffering today from a severe scalp wound suffered in a battle with an automobile thief.

Horral gave chase to a stolen automobile on a downtown street Tuesday night and fired one shot at the thief. The bullet broke the windshield of the motor car and is believed to have wounded the thief in the shoulder.

The automobile stopped immediately the shot was fired and the thief jumped out. As Horral's motorcycle drew alongside the thief snatched the policeman's revolver and struck him over the head with it, knocking him to the pavement. The fleeing man then abandoned the automobile, escaping on foot.

Horral, although in a dazed condition, notified headquarters. A fruitless search was made for the thief.

## Taft to Speak Here

Remus Prosecutor to Talk on City Manager Plan.

Nonpartisan municipal government will be discussed by Charles P. Taft, Cincinnati prosecutor, about Jan. 1 at a state-wide meeting in the interest of city manager form in Hoosier cities.

Taft took a prominent part in adoption of the city manager form at Cincinnati. He is prosecuting George Remus, former bootleg king, charged with murdering his wife.

Purpose of the Indiana gathering, sponsored by the City Manager League of Indiana, is to urge a model manager statute in the 1929 Legislature. Civic organizations will receive invitations to the meeting, said Claude H. Anderson, manager executive secretary.

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# SON OF KRESGE FACES PENALTY IN BOOZE CASE

Scion of Millionaire Dry Is Halted by Customs Men, Liquor Seized.

By United Press  
DETROIT, Nov. 24.—Howard C. Kresge, son of Sebastian S. Kresge, millionaire chain store magnate and prominent dry, today faced possible disciplinary action from the University of Michigan, where he is a student, as the result of customs officials finding eleven bottles of liquor in his expensive sport roadster.

Returning from Windsor last night with two student companions, James Lewis of Toledo and Edward Neal of Ann Arbor, the millionaire's son was stopped by customs officials when they discovered a bottle protruding from one of the student's pockets.

A search disclosed ten bottles of Scotch and one of champagne.

The three youths did not have \$55 cash necessary to pay the fine of \$5 a bottle levied on all contraband liquor confiscated by customs officials.

"They were permitted to go, but Kresge was told to report Friday and pay the fine or lose his automobile, which was held."

Mrs. Anna E. Kresge, divorced first wife of the millionaire and mother of Howard, said she did not believe the car belonged to her son. It was at a service station, she said, she understood, and Howard was at Ann Arbor. The machine bore Kresge's license number.

Kresge would face disciplinary action at the university for driving an automobile without a permit. Officials could not be reached today for comment on the case.

# DRIVER HELD IN AUTO SMASHUP

Arrested on Three Charges; Hits Police Car.

John Beatty, 27, of 2015 N. Pennsylvania St., is held in city prison today on charges of drunkenness, operating a vehicle while under the influence of liquor and driving past a traffic signal. His car collided with an automobile driven by Police Capt. Jesse McMurtry at Meridian and Sixteenth Sts. Wednesday night.

R. V. Kemmer, 22, of 1703 N. Delaware St., and Don Milburn, 29, of 1305 N. Pennsylvania St., passengers in Beatty's car, were arrested. A small amount of liquor was found in the car, police said.

An automobile driven by Terry A. Rector, 28, Urbana, Ill., crashed into the show window of Hook's drug store, 301 W. Washington St., Wednesday night, when Rector lost control of his car and drove over the sidewalk.

Rector told police that he was crowded over the curb.

Joe Sering, 23, and his brother, Amos, 14, of Thornmont, were arrested Wednesday night when the automobile in which they were riding skidded in front of 229 Kentucky Ave. and crashed into the iron girders of the elevator. Dale Perkins, 31, of the Loraine Hotel, driver, told police that his brakes failed to hold on the wet pavement.

Others injured in traffic accidents were Dora Larkin, 8, of 1800 Tibbs Ave.; Miss Bessie Davis, 21, of 1037 S. Capitol Ave.; Mrs. Mary Burnes, 51, of 615 E. New York St.; Mrs. Lizzie Corns, 55, of 2103 Fernway Ave.; Walter Elam, 35, of 1529 Kelly St.

# QUITS; RECORD GOOD

Ruckelshaus Lost Only One Case in 23 Months.

City legal department records today show that in the year and eleven months John K. Ruckelshaus, been city attorney only one damage suit against the city has been lost. This cost the city a total of \$450.

Hundreds of thousands of dollars would have come out of taxpayers' pockets if the city had lost instead of won these suits.

Ruckelshaus late Wednesday asked Mayor L. Ert Slack to accept his resignation Dec. 1.

Slack, in the process of weeding Republicans out of the legal department and replacing them with Democrats, had asked for Ruckelshaus' resignation Dec. 15.

During his term Ruckelshaus has fought an average of a damage suit a day against the city.

Slack is expected to appoint Edward B. Raub, Jr., son of Edward B. Raub, city councilman or some other young Democrat, to succeed Ruckelshaus.

# SERVICES FOR WEADON

Burial of Millinery Dealer to Be Held Friday

Funeral services for George A. Weadon, 63, of 4623 Washington Blvd., who died Tuesday at Methodist Hospital, will be held Friday at 11 a. m. at the Flanner & Buchanan mortuary, 25 W. Fall Creek Blvd. Burial will be in Crown Hill cemetery.

Mr. Weadon, who was vice president of Fahney & McCrea Co., wholesale millinery dealers, had lived in Indianapolis forty years. Surviving him are the widow, Mrs. Jennie A. Weadon; a daughter, Mrs. Jean Lloyd of Chicago; two brothers, Bruce Weadon of Indianapolis, and Frank Weadon of New York.

# New Ship for Old Salt



To Captain E. L. Trant, veteran skipper of the White Star Line, has fallen the coveted command of the new Laurentic, the newest in trans-Atlantic liners. He and she are photoed here upon the completion of the Laurentic's maiden voyage at New York.

# City's Religious Leaders Urge Thanksgiving Spirit

Statement Is Issued by Priest, Rabbi and Minister.

In a public statement today Monsignor Francis H. Gavick, pastor of St. John's Catholic Church; Rabbi M. M. Feuerlicht of the Indianapolis Hebrew Congregation and Earl R. Conder, Church Federation of Indianapolis president, commended a Thanksgiving statement of three nationally known religious leaders to Indianapolis citizens.

"Representatives of the groups in our city, we approve this statement and commend it to every citizen of Indianapolis this Thanksgiving," their announcement said.

The statement issued by John P. Ryan, Henry Morgenthau and S. Parkes Cadman follows:

"Thanksgiving is a day fraught with a national memories. To many it brings a warmth that comes with no other national holiday. For it symbolizes the achievements, not of war, but of peace. It comes in the fullness of the year. It provokes a pause between the reappings and the sowings—a pause in which men sense the fruitfulness of life and feel that it is good."

"The peril of the modern Thanksgiving lies in the very richness of the harvest, in our marvelous prosperity, in the temptation to smugness. We are prone to forget that only a people fit in spirit taste the real flavor of Thanksgiving."

"Therefore, on Thanksgiving day we propose this toast to our future fortunes:

"May each oncoming Thanksgiving find democracy more firmly entrenched as the spiritual core of our national being. May great and humble, Jew and Christian, Protestant and Catholic, believer and unbeliever, white and colored, early as well as newcomer to America, the man with the hoe, the man with the tool, the man with the pen—men of all races—deepen in intelligent and sympathetic understanding of one another."

"May our Nation gain strength of soul equal to meet the challenge of her unbelieveable wealth. And may our people never grow lukewarm in their sense of indebtedness to the Almighty Giver of all good things."

# OCTOGENARIAN BURIED

Funeral services were held at the residence here at 11 a. m. and at 1 p. m. today at the Oakland Christian Church at Oakland, Ind., for Francis Marion Smith, 87, who died Tuesday at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Hester Ogle, 746 N. Belmont Ave. Burial was in Oakland Cemetery.

# WELL HEATED ROOMS

Rooms for Rent  
BEVILLE, N. 545; nice, warm front room; private family; garage. Ch. 742-W.

3100 N. 1102; steam heated modern rooms. Ran. 5016. Main 1024.

COLLEGE, 1403; two lovely light rooms and bath; suitable for 2 or 3 ladies. Call Riley 1415.

COLLEGE, 1538; attractive room; steam heat; large closets; suit. 2. La. 17.

DELAWARE, N. 425; Apt. 3; cozy room; downtown apt.; home priv. 416.

HOOSIER INN; clean, warm; special weekly rates. 410 Mass. Ave. N. 77. 811; nice, clean, warm; sleeping room; walking distance; 61 weeks.

ILLINOIS, N. 1405; 2 nice, warm rooms; private home. Main 2718.

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MERIDIAN, N. 1153. Large front room; private bath; also clean sleeping room. Lin. 1071.

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16TH, W. 5062; pleasant warm rm.; men; twin beds; garage. Be. 3515. Be. 3514-15.

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NORTH; lovely, large room; steam-heated room; garage. Be. 4212.

RAYMOND, W. 340; more for home than wages to lady; exch. for help.

ST. JOSEPH, E. 232; 2 adjoining rm.; private home; gentle-temper. 4138.

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CAPTOL, N. 1131; attractive steam heated rm.; kitchenette, all furn. Rl. 2769-1407.

COLLEGE, 2211; two nice warm rms.; private entrance; modern. Hem. 3864.

HAMILTON, near Wash., 5 rm., cologne, 3 rms. 2. Ch. 610 mo. Ch. 1424-5.

MERIDIAN, N. 326; furn. light housekeeping; modern.

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NEW JERSEY, N. 1029; 2 unfurn. rms.; 1 b. h.; gas, wtr., auto space; 44.50.

For a More Complete List See Today's Want Ads

# ASSERTS EIGHT COWS CAN PAY BILLS ON FARM

Peru Milk Company President Gives Figures for 80 Acres.

By United Press  
PERU, Ind., Nov. 24.—Eight good cows would pay the living expenses on an eighty-acre farm and all other products on the farm would be clear profit for the farmer, according to W. S. Mercer, an experienced farmer and president of the Semi-Milk Company of Peru, which recently bought and is operating the Gipe Ice Cream Company in Wabash.

"Eight cows if they are good producers, on an eighty-acre farm should keep up the table, including sugar and coffee, and would pay all living expenses and taxes on the farm," Mercer says.

"This would leave the farmer's oats, wheat, hogs, chickens, etc., almost a clear profit. The same ratio would work out with sixteen cows on 160 acres of farm land. It isn't a good policy to go above, twenty cows, however, because of the milking time required."

"Nearby farmers have begun to realize the profit in cows and having a steady cash income the year around. Miami County farmers are going in for more dairying and are well pleased with their profits. Milk production is the greatest salvation that has been offered the farmer."

"Clover, alfalfa and soy beans are best for feed. More crops will be needed in Wabash-county to get the greatest milk production."

# RIDDLE, WORKS BOARD MEMBER, GETS HIS PAY

Judge Milner Issues Mandate After Counsel Agree.

Mandate ordering City Controller Sterling Holt and City Treasurer Edward Ramsey to pay Charles Riddle, works board member, his salary since Oct. 10, was issued Wednesday by Superior Judge Joseph M. Milner. The order was agreed on by attorneys.

The pay was withheld on the ground that he was appointed by former Mayor John L. Duval after the latter was convicted of violation of the corrupt practices act.

Schuyler Haas, attorney for Riddle, said his client was a member of the board and had not resigned, agreeing to hold office until Mayor L. Ert Slack appointed a successor.

# Local Man Sentenced

By United Press  
SHELBYVILLE, Ind., Nov. 24.—Kirby Lay, Indianapolis, today is under sentence here to five days at the State farm on an auto theft conviction.

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