

COUZENS' FARM EXPERIMENT IS RULED FAILURE

Two Brothers Discover They
Can Not Operate by
Senator's Ideas.

By United Press
PONTIAC, Mich., March 22.—The two practical farmers who undertook to farm the 774-acre estate of Senator James Couzens, near here, getting their rent free and their taxes paid, have given it up because they couldn't make a go of it.

Such is the surprising finale to a unique experiment in practical farming that has been watched with great interest by the farmers and agricultural experts.

It was begun eighteen months ago when Senator Couzens chose Frank and Mark Williamson out of more than a thousand applicants to take over his farm and convert the ever-increasing losses into an appreciable profit. Both boys were well equipped for the job. One of them, Frank, had been raised on a farm and graduated from Michigan State College. The other had been a practical farmer all his life.

Falls to Last Five Years
The experiment in tenant-farming so great an estate as this was to last five years. But an auction sale of the stock and equipment put on the estate by the Williamson brothers is to curtail this agreement by the end of this month.

Yet this test was by no means a failure, if the word of either party to the deal is accepted. Senator Couzens, previous to this agreement, figures he had been losing as much as \$35,000 a year in the operation of his estate, which he calls Wabek Farms.

Under the Williamson operation, however, he reports the boys cleared about \$8,000 in their 18 months there, and all it cost him was \$8,000 in taxes and the rent he might have collected for the use of the farm.

Not Paying Business
But it was not a paying business proposition, and the boys look upon the venture as impractical from the viewpoint of farming. It is a great

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ings of health over the body in general. But Konjola is especially beneficial to that most abused organ—the stomach.

Among the latest to endorse this medicine to the public is Mr. H. C. Gentry, 714 East New York St., Indianapolis, who gave the following report to the Konjola Man at Hook's Drug Store, Illinois and Washington Sts., this city, who is personally meeting the public and explaining Konjola to large crowds every day.

The statement of Mr. Gentry reads as follows:

"I am glad of this opportunity to testify as to the merits of Konjola. After trying all kinds of remedies, which failed to give me even temporary relief, I feel it is my duty to say a word for the medicine which restored me to health.

"My trouble was caused mostly from the condition of my stomach. I suffered untold agony after eating my meals, as my food did not digest and a hard rock would seem to form in the pit of my stomach. I was forced to go on a special diet for several months. My appetite became very poor and at times I would have to force myself to eat.

"After doctoring for a long time without results, I began to look around for something else which might give me relief. Konjola was suggested to me by a friend and I started taking it. It gradually began to relieve me, altho it worked very slowly. I realized that my condition was of long standing and therefore decided to give this medicine a fair trial. I have now taken several bottles and can truthfully say that I am eating most anything and do not suffer afterward. The diets, which I formerly used, are a thing of the past. Gas does not form any more and I never feel up like I used to. The heavy feeling has entirely disappeared, my appetite is wonderfully improved and I am no longer short of breath. It has made a new man of me and I certainly recommend it to my friends.

The Konjola Man is at Hook's Drug Store, Illinois and Washington Sts., Indianapolis, where he is daily meeting the public and introducing and explaining the merits of this remedy.—Advertisement.

Song Heroine



Passengers on the S. S. Dullio praised Hazel Wylde of New Orleans, as a heroine as the ship docked at New York. They told how she maintained quiet among the nervous audience when fire broke out in the projection room during a movie show en voyage. Hazel, protegee of Mary Garden, was returning home from a year's study of music in Italy.

show-place not far from Pontiac and only 25 miles from Detroit, situated on a main highway.

"We haven't failed in the operation of Wabek Farms," Frank Williamson declares. "And the relations between the senator and us are of the best."

"But Senator Couzens wants his place kept up as a showplace and we can't afford to pay a force of men to have this done. We have farmed the farm as farmers, not as millionaires."

Those Curious Tourists
"We have worked the farm with six regular farm hands and a much larger crew during harvest time. The force of men we have had could maintain any good farm of this size."

"But we can't keep a staff as guides for interested spectators on the estate, and make money."

The main argument against this experiment, as advanced by Frank, is its over-capitalization.

The Williamson brothers say they invested about \$17,500 in cattle, sheep, hogs, horses and equipment for the farm. They had an estate of 774 acres to work, 500 of which are tillable.

When their property is disposed of at auction, they believe they will have operated the place at a profit, although they are reluctant to put this at the figure set by Senator Couzens.

If the boys had had to pay rent and taxes, however, they would have lost between \$15,000 and \$20,000 for the eighteen months they operated the farm, in the belief of one Senator.

Now speculation is rife as to what Senator Couzens will do with his farm. At present he refuses to give it any attention, at least until Congress adjourns.

"But I will never attempt another such plan," is his conviction.

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NAME JOHNSON SPELLER FRIDAY

County Champion to Be Selected in Franklin Contest.

By Times Special
FRANKLIN, Ind., March 22.—Twenty-three building champions in the Indiana Spelling Bee in Johnson County were announced today by the Franklin Evening Star, sponsoring newspaper, and Robert B. Hougham, county superintendent of schools.

Winners are: Mary Mount, Masonic Home; Margaret Burris, South school; Laura Clarkson, North school; Alma Evelyn Burris, West school; John Wilson, Hopewell; Frances Darnell, Center Grove; Tracy Whitaker, Whiteland; Mildred Devore, Union; James Sutton, Greenwood; Helen Rueff, Needham; Helen Kelso, Bargersville; Vernon Lawlis, Union-joint; May Emma Huffman, Clark; Harold Boles, Trafalgar; Louise Barton, District No. 5; Alline Burgett Nineveh; Mattie Caldwell, Edinburg; Opal Drago, Amity; Josephine Barker, Russell; Helen Mathis, Pieghah; Julius Smith, District No. 7; Harvey Jacobs, District No. 2, and Ivan Ellis, District No. 9.

The county contest, in which the Johnson County representative will be named, will be held at 7:15 p. m. Friday at Franklin. Judges in the contest are Robert B. Hougham, county superintendent; Paul P. Boston, Edinburg, city superintendent; and Everett Wiley, Greenwood, city superintendent.

Wayne Coy, city editor of the Franklin Star, is in general charge of eliminations. The newspaper will pay the expenses of the county champion to Indianapolis May 4 for the State contest.

The winner in the State contest will be sent to Washington, D. C. May 22, for the national contest by The Indianapolis Times with all expenses paid.

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Fritchey opened the cash register and the bandit took \$15, the change left by the company collector who beat him there by fifteen minutes.

Canaries Die in Fire
By Times Special
CONNERSVILLE, Ind., March 22.—Four valuable canaries suffocated in a \$50 fire at a grocery. The fire resulted when curtains of the windows in the store caught fire from a coal oil stove.

Kewanna Doctor Dies
By Times Special
KEWANNA, Ind., March 22.—Dr. Albert L. Gilbert, 55, former Fulton County coroner, and active as a physician and politician, is dead at his home here of heart disease.

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Indiana manufacturers and business men were invited today to attend a State-wide conference at the Severin, April 2, to consider legislative matters before Congress, particularly the "anti-injunction" bills.

The conference will be under the auspices of the Associated Employers of Indianapolis and the Indianapolis branch of the National Metal Trades Association.

The pending anti-injunction bills to be considered provide that "for the purpose of determining jurisdiction" of equity courts in the issuance of injunctions to protect property rights "nothing shall be held to be property unless it is tangible and transferable."

James A. Emery of Washington, D. C., general counsel of the Na-

T. B. HEAD TO SPEAK

Dr. Harold Hatch, Sunnyside Chief, Will Address Macabees.

Dr. Harold S. Hatch, superintendent of Sunnyside Sanatorium, will speak at a public health meeting under auspices of the Macabees at Woodman Hall, 322 E. New York St., Friday night.

The subject of the doctor's address is "Early Diagnosis in Tuberculosis," and is given with slides provided by the Marion County Tuberculosis Association, as part of the national campaign against the disease.

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