

BORDER GUARDS SEIZE ITALIAN WAR SHIPMENT

Thirty Carloads of Munitions, Believed Headed for Hungary, Taken.

By United Press
BELGRADE, March 24.—Thirty car loads of Italian ammunition allegedly destined for Hungary, have been confiscated at the Subotiza station by Jugo-Slavian authorities, it was announced today.

The shipment was considered suspiciously, it was reported in information circles, because unless the bill of lading specified the shipment should go by way of the town of Szegedin, Hungary, the shipment would not necessarily have been forced to enter Hungary.

Recently a shipment of machine guns, said to be from Italy for Hungary, was seized at St. Gothard. It caused a grave international crisis because Hungary's armaments are limited by the World War treaty.

The machine guns were sold over a League of Nations protest, for a small sum as junk. There was said to be 5,000 machine guns in the shipment.

VIENNA, March 24.—The Subotiza correspondent for the newspapers of the Politika Novosti reported Jugo-Slavian authorities Wednesday seized twenty-two carloads of munitions being sent to Rumania from Italy.

The munitions were sent Feb. 22, the reports said, and the transport was addressed to Rumania via Velika Kikinda via route leading through Hungary.

The Jugo-Slavian authorities were said to have confiscated the shipment, suspecting a new St. Gothard affair. The government has appointed a commission to investigate.

A further investigation of the failure of the J. F. Wild & Co. State Bank was believed underway in the Marion County grand jury Friday, J. C. Geist, account of the firm of Hendrick and Boggs, who examined the defunct bank's books, was a witness before the grand jury.

Damages of \$35,000 are asked by Harold A. Hall, 12, former caddy at the Highland Golf and Country Club, in a suit filed late Friday in Superior Court against the club. Hall's complaint alleges he was struck in the eye last summer by a golf ball driven by Floyd Funchum an employee of the company.

Protest and appeal from two city ordinances passed at Frankfort providing for a four-mile-an-hour speed limit and regulations pertaining to track repairs has been filed with the Public Service Commission by the Terre Haute, Indianapolis & Eastern Traction Company.

Approval of a \$50,000 bond issue for the construction of a grade school in Wayne township, Wayne County, has been made by the State tax commission. The original request was for \$70,000 issue.

Mrs. William F. Hargan today headed the Indiana Humane Education and Anti-Vivisection Society. She was elected president Thursday night at the home of Mrs. Hattie Blanford, 2364 N. New Jersey St. Other officers elected: Mrs. Mabel DuHadway and Miss Eloise Palmer, vice presidents; Mrs. Thusehnda Barrett, secretary and treasurer.

Appointment of Ross L. Greenwalt, Goshen, as railroad inspector has been announced by the public service commission. Greenwalt was representative from Elkhart County in the last Legislature and will fill a vacancy in the commission that has long been vacant.

START MISSION DRIVE
Campaign Begun to Raise Money for West Side Organization.

Campaign for funds for additions to the West Side Christian Mission, Ohio and Koehne Sts., is under way headed by William E. Bell, 3020 Ruckle St., president of the Marion County Christian Sunday School Association. This organization has supported the mission for eighteen years.

With the construction of additions, it is planned to enlarge the program of the mission, Bell declared. Other officers of the association, who will assist in the fund raising, are Mrs. Estal L. Taylor, vice president; Evelyn Honeywell, treasurer; Walter L. Simpson, secretary; C. A. Taylor, financial secretary; Charles E. Hill, financial agent; and E. S. Cummings, statistician.

Local Man's Brother Dies
By Times Special
COLUMBUS, Ind., March 24.—John Jewell, 60, treasurer of the Reeves Pulley Works, is dead at his home here of heart disease. He had been connected with the pulley works forty years, and had served as a Democratic member of the city council, city school board and Bartholomew County library board. Edward Jewell, Indianapolis, is a brother of deceased.

Rides in Plane for Visit
By Times Special
MT. VERNON, Ind., March 24.—Roland Causey will come here to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Seth L. Causey.

Lindy Appears as Orchid



A rare orchid at the New York Horticultural Society's fifteenth international flower show took the name of "Colonel Lindbergh" and also the prize in its class. Here's pretty Thelma van Winkle admiring it.

'The Mikado' Is Coming! Write an Essay and Go

Tell About the Song You Like Best: Winners Get Free Passes.

If you wrote a fifty word essay Friday on "The Song I Like Best in 'The Mikado' and Why I Like It," then you are ready to turn to today's contest in the Winthrop Ames' Gilbert and Sullivan opera contest.

Today the subject for the fifty word essay is "The Song I Like Best in 'The Mikado' and Why I Like It."

The contest is under the direction of the Winthrop Ames' Gilbert and Sullivan Opera Company and The Indianapolis Times. Each day for eight days, starting last Friday, The Times will publish a subject for an essay based on one of the three opera which play at the English Theater the week of April 2.

Every grade school and high school student in Indiana can enter the contest. The rules are simple and decisions of the judges will be final.

Prizes in the contest are four pairs of tickets for each subject. In all there will be thirty-two pairs of tickets. All seats are the best in the English Theater and retail for \$6 the pair.

Pick out the song you like best and write a fifty word essay (telling why you like it). Mail the essay to the "Gilbert and Sullivan Opera Essay Editor" at The Indianapolis Times.

Place your name, age, address and name of school on each sheet of "say" paper. It will be final in all matters.

Admission to all contest questions to "Gilbert and Sullivan Opera Essay Editor" at The Indianapolis Times.

GREENSBURG, Ind., March 24.—They'll be burying Henry M. Miller, perhaps Sunday, and as they lower the casket, the last survivor of that band of Union soldiers who captured Jefferson Davis, president of the Southern Confederacy, will have passed on.

Miller died late Friday. He was 85 years old and had been in perfect health, until eight weeks ago, when stomach trouble developed.

Jovial, good-natured, Miller for years has delighted residents of this community with his stories of the Civil War. His favorite tale hinged on the capture of Davis.

It was on May 8, 1865, that Miller as one of a group of Union soldiers, was detailed to prevent Davis from escaping to the sea, thence to Europe.

"Early in the morning we sighted a group of Confederates," Miller said, "and surrounded them. They did not offer resistance, but while we were disarming them, a woman stepped from their ranks and asked to go through our lines and obtain some water. She was granted the permission but as she passed Corporal John Miller stepped her. He had noticed boots below her dress. Taking her arm, he stepped to his captain. 'Here is Jeff Davis,' Malone said."

Miller came to this section in 1875. Recently he was officially notified by the pension bureau that he was the last survivor of the group who captured Davis.

CONSIDER BOND ISSUE
School Board in Private Session. Silent on Tax Edict.

School board members met this morning in private session "to discuss matters relating to bond issues."

Theodore F. Vonnegut, board president, refused to affirm or deny that members would discuss the recent State tax board edict that unless specifications on heating and ventilating are open to competition, no more school building bond issues will be allowed here.

The tax board based its warning on objection to one particular type of ventilating system which it held is being accepted regardless of the price.

UPHOLDS PROHIBITION
W. C. T. U. Speaker Declares Moral Support of People Needed.

"When prohibition has the moral support it should have, it will prohibit," Charles F. Miller, city school superintendent, said at the Central W. C. T. U. meeting Friday at the home of Mrs. Ovid Butler Jameson.

"Those who say things are worse since prohibition do not know whereof they speak," Miller deplored cultivation of the smoking habit by women.

Arrested for Stealing Parrot
NEW YORK, March 24.—Anthony Russo and Louis Rodriguez were held in \$2,500 bail each for stealing a parrot from the check room of a hotel. The parrot was said to have been a gift from Mrs. Charles Evans Hughes and speaks both Spanish and English.

Destroy Lindy's Runway
ROOSEVELT FIELD, L. I., March 24.—The runway at Roosevelt Field from which Colonel Lindbergh, Clarence Chamberlin and Commander Byrd started their trans-Atlantic flights will be destroyed to make way for polo fields.

Collegian Skates Forty Miles
MORRISTOWN, N. J., March 24.—Henry F. Taylor, senior at Princeton University, skated forty miles from the University to his home here to win a bit of \$65.

G. O. P. LEAGUE DRAFTS PLANKS

Platform Embraces Groups Opposing Coffin.

Election of precinct committees who will select a Republican county chairman "of known integrity and sound Republicanism and accessible to the Republican electorate of Marion County at seasonable times," was cited as the purpose of the Republican Reorganization League in resolutions adopted Friday.

Embracing most of the factions opposed to George W. Coffin, county and city Republican chairman, the league announced this four-plank platform:

"1. The election of precinct committees of integrity who will elect a county chairman free from corrupt and sinister influences and from secret alliances and affiliations, and pledged to conduct the affairs of the Republican party in Marion County in an honest, straight-forward and open manner; and by methods recognized as clean and business like.

"2. Nonpolitical administration of our educational system.

"3. No interference with the operation of the city manager plan.

"4. Faithful adherence to the true principles of the Republican party.

The league has no affiliation with the Independent Republican Voters' League, organized by William A. Boyce, city clerk, to work for the election of precinct committees and State convention delegates.

SHRINERS TO MIAMI 400 City Persons Expected to Make Trip.

Uniformed organizations of Murat temple of the Shrine will be sent to Miami, Fla., May 1-3, for the Imperial Council of the Shrine for North America, it officially was announced today by William H. Bockstahler, Murat potentate.

More than 400 Hoosier Shriners and their friends are expected to make the trip. Train, pullman and hotel reservations are being made at the headquarters of the Murat transportation committee, 114 Monument Circle.

Scored 200 Nobles comprise the uniformed bodies. Fred Jewell has charge of the band; Vernon Sheller, patrol; Harry A. Pell, gun squad; Jesse McClure, drum corps, and Bertrand A. Orr, chanters.

The next ceremony of the Shrine will be held Friday and many neophytes who wish to make the trip to Miami will be initiated.

The production "Madame Sherry" will be given the week of April 10 for the purpose of raising money to send the uniformed organizations to Miami.

ADAMS BACKS LEAGUE Editor Indorses Reorganization Movement in State G. O. P.

Thomas H. Adams, candidate for the Republican nomination for Governor, indorses the Republican Reorganization League in a statement declaring it to be "more important than my own or any one's else candidacy that we have an honest Republican organization. The leaders of this movement must, however, be unselfish in their motives, otherwise the movement will fail in its undertaking."

Art Exhibits to Close Sunday
By Times Special
RICHMOND, Ind., March 24.—The R. B. Gruelle and Richard Brown Black art exhibits which have been on display in the public galleries here, will close Sunday. A third exhibit, the Olive Rush, will remain in place until April 1.

Vote Victors

Say it with Flowers
Bertermann's
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ESTHER RALSTON
"Something Always Happens"

Today—Beery & Hutton in "Partners in Crime"

THE famous woman mayor of Seattle, Mrs. Bertha K. Landes, has been swept into political oblivion mainly through the efforts of Mrs. Frank Edwards (top) campaign manager for the man who won the recent election. Mrs. Edwards, however, is no traitor to her sex; she simply was working for her husband (below) the victorious candidate.

OIL TAIN PUT ON PRESIDENT

La Follette Calls Coolidge Sinclair Beneficiary.

By United Press
BELOIT, Wis., March 24.—President Coolidge was "a beneficiary of the Sinclair Liberty Bond contributions which helped to remove the 1923 Republican campaign deficit and cleared the deck for his campaign in 1924," United States Senator Robert M. La Follette charged in a campaign speech here last night.

"Mr. Coolidge has never uttered a word in condemnation of the bribery and collusion and sordid corruption which have shocked and humiliated the country before all the nations of the earth," La Follette said.

La Follette spoke in behalf of the progressive Republican candidates for delegates to the National convention.

He also criticized Andrew W. Mellon and Herbert Hoover of the President's cabinet, who he said, had "uttered no word of disapproval."

"Mr. Hoover is a candidate to succeed President Coolidge and his only declaration of principles thus far is that he is a candidate on the 'Coolidge policies'."

SEEKS PAL FOR TOUR OF EUROPE IN FLIVVER

Technical Senior Would Furnish Car, Half Expenses for Trip.

WANTED—A young man to be a companion in a trans-Atlantic tour in an old Ford must share half the expense.

Some such advertisement will be framed by Everett Beatley, 18-year-old Technical high school senior, who is busy these days tuning up his flivver for the "grand tour."

The machine has gone 70,000 miles, according to the youth, but he insists that it's good for that many more.

So when school is out he will take off from his home, 1703 Ashland Ave., and drive to New York, where he and the car and his companion, if any, will embark for the British Isles.

Beatley intends to spend three months touring the British Isles and the continent.

District Legion Meeting
GOODLAND, Ind., March 24.—Attendance of 500 is expected here Sunday at the South district American Legion meeting. Howard Savage, New York, past national commander, will speak. John R. Smith, Gary, district commander, will preside.

That final touch of charm.
GRACED by flowers, no table is ever barren. When their subtle fragrance is missing, the banquet becomes a mere meal. Order flowers for every occasion.

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He'd Rather Fly a Kite

BUT I'd rather fly a kite," says Master James E. Mann, 8, of 1616 Harlan St., after he almost had spelled down all the students in the St. John's grade school. James is too young to enter the Indiana Spelling Bee held under the auspices of The Indianapolis Times, but that didn't keep him from joining in the fun of spelling.

He is only in the third grade, and the bee is for the older boys and girls in the fifth through the eighth grades.

The Brothers of the school lined the boys up, and James was going strong until he hit "enthusiastic." He looked down the line of tall boys and started the word with an "i." He was out.

But today at The Times office, a reporter told James if he spelled "enthusiastic" right The Times would give him a big new kite. Master Mann this afternoon was jerking on a long kite string down on Harlan St.

NAB 3 IN GANG FEUD

Cousins Arrested in Probe of Esposito Death.

By United Press
CHICAGO, March 24.—Arrest of three gangster cousins, a partial identification of their automobile as the sedan from which "Diamond Joe" Esposito was shot to death Wednesday night, were the outstanding developments today in the latest attempt of police to penetrate the mystery of gangland's "ordered" deaths.

Investigation of "Diamond Joe's" assassination centered around Tony, Carlo and Louis Esposito, cousins, whose conflicting alibis resulted in their detention today.

In the living quarters of the three cousins, police Friday found two sawed-off shotguns and an apparatus for loading shotgun shells. The shells carried slugs identical with those which killed Esposito.

A few hours later a blue sedan, owned by the cousins, was found. It bore marked resemblance to the car from which "Diamond Joe" was shot to death, according to police.

Watch the pennies—the dollars will care for themselves—want ads save money—use them!

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BORAH INVITES VOTE ON FUND

Says Donors Can Dispose of Sinclair Money.

BY PAUL R. MALLON
United Press Staff Correspondent
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WASHINGTON, March 24.—Senator Borah is willing to let his contributors vote to decide the disposition of the \$160,000 fund he is raising to repay Harry P. Sinclair's contribution to the Republican party.

In an interview Friday he said: "My personal opinion is that the money should be returned to Sinclair. The Republican party ought never to have received the money and should get rid of its obligation by sending it back to the source from which it came."

"However, I am willing to take the judgment of the contributors. If they want the money to go for hiring detectives to dig up more information about Sinclair, I will abide by their wishes. If they want to have the money given to a leper colony, I am willing."

Thus far he has received a little less than \$6,000 in cash.

RETIRED POLICEMAN IS TAKEN BY DEATH

Jeremiah A. Hollahan, 71, Was Native of City.

Funeral services for Jeremiah A. Hollahan, 71, retired policeman who died at his home, 605 N. Rural St., Friday night, will be held at 10 a. m., Monday at St. Philip Neri Catholic Church. Burial will be in Holy Cross Cemetery.

A native of Indianapolis, Mr. Hollahan had spent his entire life in the city. He was a police sergeant upon his retirement last September, after thirty years on the force.

Surviving are the widow, a daughter, Mrs. Mary Carson of Indianapolis; a son, James J. Hollahan, of Chicago, and a sister, Mrs. J. W. Murdock, of Joliet, Ill.

Besides being a member of St. Philip Neri's Church, Mr. Hollahan belonged to the Knights of Columbus, Ancient Order of Hibernians and the Holy Name Society.

PHONE RATES RAISED

Public Service Commission Grants Two Petitions.

Increased telephone rates were granted to three small companies and approval of changes in ownership of two telephone companies was voted by the Public Service Commission.

Rate increases were granted: People's Cooperative Telephone Company, Clarksville; Orange Mutual Telephone Company, Orange, and the Hoedley Telephone Company, Gosport.

Certificate was granted the Bruceville Telephone Company to purchase its property from George H. Shouse and to the Oaktown Telephone Company to purchase its property from Otto L. Finckel. Both companies were also authorized to issue 1,000 shares of no par value common stock.

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SKOURAS-PUBLIX THEATRES

BARGAIN MATINEES

Please remember that you can see a complete de luxe performance at either the Indiana or Circle for 25c by coming before 1 p. m. week days!

BILLIE DOVE
"The HEART of a FOLLIES GIRL"

Starting
She's one long gasp!
Gorgeous! Beautiful!
Pulse-quickenning romance of a follies dancer and a boy who stole to buy her love!

Tomorrow
The most ravishing creature of the screen!
Can the Heart of a Follies Girl Be Bought?
Is it a heart of gold or a gold digger's heart? During Billie Dove reveals all in this intimate, thrilling romance.

ON THE STAGE
Here's something new! Different! Exquisite! 'Cmon, let him fan your blues away!

CHARLIE DAVIS AND INDIANA STAGE BAND
"Milady's Fans"

A hot-to-toty revue—fast stepping beauties—scenic splendor and big New York cast! A show you'll adore!

LAST TIMES TODAY
Great all-collegiate show!
"HIGH SCHOOL HERO"
Smart school day Romance and CHARLIE DAVIS Billie Dove show! "CAMPUS JAZZ"

RICHARD BARTHELMESS
"The NOOSE"

Tomorrow
It's Tremendous!
A heart-pounding story that will stir very emotion. The Circle will see it on record as endorsing this picture. It has everything—mother love, blazing romance, underworld lustiness, sobs, thrills, thrills. It was one of Broadway's five greatest stage plays—and now a picture you'll never forget!

LAST DAY
Hurry! Today's your last chance to see this amazing drama—
Lon Chaney in "The Big City"

ALICE JOYCE—MONTAGUE LOVE
"COME TO MY HOUSE"

You'll thrill to the great acting of the lovely Richard, portraying a kid who gives his all in defense of his mother's honor
Special Musical Score to this picture played by Circle Concert Orchestra with Ed Resener conducting

Today Only
Weird, Mystery Drama—
"THE CHINESE PARROT"
with
Ma. N. N. N.

STARTING TOMORROW
Story of a beautiful girl's penitence for a single indiscretion. Startling. Revealing!
"COME TO MY HOUSE"
With Olive Borden, Antonio Moreno
CONNIE and his band, Jimmie Hutton, soloist