

## BRITISH EMPIRE FETES KING ON 63D BIRTHDAY

Ships, Forts Fire Salute  
Today While Capital Is  
in Gay Attire.

*By United Press*  
LONDON, June 4.—More than 400,000,000 British subjects celebrated today the birthday of their king and emperor.

British forts and battleships all over the world will fire the royal salute in token that His Britannic Majesty is 63 years of age.

Every public and governmental building in all parts of the empire will fly the royal standard beside the union jack.

And in the nation's capital the picturesque and traditional ceremony of "trooping the colors" will mark the passing of another year.

**Home Guards Parade**  
Although the king was born on June 3, the formal celebration was not held until today by royal decree.

The Horse-Guards parade in St. James' Park resounded this morning to the sound of the massed bands and the clock-work step of the marching guardsmen.

Thousands of people pressed against the cordon of police and craned their necks to catch a glimpse of King George as he left Buckingham Palace on horseback wearing the brilliant scarlet uniform of colonel-in-chief of the brigade of guards, crossed by the blue ribbon of the Order of the Garter.

**Ride With Sons**  
From the palace, the king rode through the Mall to the parade grounds, attended by nearly all the male members of the royal family. On his right rode the Prince of Wales and on his left the Duke of York, each resplendent in the uniform of a colonel of guards.

A royal luncheon, attended by all the leading participants in the morning ceremonies, followed and during the afternoon the king was kept busy receiving official ambassadorial and ministerial calls and congratulatory messages from the rulers of the world.

On June 6 most of the royal family will witness the Derby and in the evening his majesty will give the Derby day banquet to members of the Jockey Club.

## \$92,300 FOR CHARITY

Welfare Work Increases in  
City Over 1927.

Allowance of \$92,300 for the Family Welfare Society, an increase of \$12,800 over the same period last year, is shown in the audit of Community Fund books by George S. Olive, public accountant, for the six months period ending April 30.

The period includes the late fall, winter and early spring months when the caseload of the society was increased more than 100 persons a month, according to Homer W. Borst, executive secretary.

Included among contributing factors to increased cases were insufficient income, chronic illness, widowhood, desertion and unemployment.

The audit showed receipts for the period of \$442,968.29 and disbursements of \$350,668.34.

## Postmasters Convene

*By Times Special*  
FT. WAYNE, Ind., June 4.—The Indiana branch of the National League of District Postmasters convened here today for a two-day session. Mayor William C. Geakey of Ft. Wayne delivered the welcoming address, and was responded to by H. V. Duddleson, Sedalia, branch president.

Mexico was conquered in the sixteenth century by Hernando Cortez, a Spaniard.

## Don't Make a Toy Out of Baby —Babies Have Nerves—

By RUTH BRITAIN



Much of the nervousness in older children can be traced to the overstimulation during infancy, caused by regarding baby as a sort of animated toy for the amusement of parents, relatives and friends. Baby may be played with, but not for more than a quarter of an hour to an hour daily. Beyond that, being handled, tickled, caused to laugh or even scream, will sometimes result in vomiting, and invariably causes irritability, crying or sleeplessness.

Fretfulness, crying and sleeplessness from this cause can easily be avoided by treating baby with more consideration, but when you just can't see what is making baby restless or upset, better give him a few drops of pure, harmless Castoria. It's amazing to see how quickly it calms baby's nerves and soothes him to sleep; yet it contains no drugs or opiates. It is purely vegetable—the recipe is on the wrapper. Leading physicians prescribe it for colic, cholera, diarrhea, constipation, gas on stomach and bowels, feverishness, loss of sleep and all other "upsets" of babyhood. Over 25 million bottles used a year shows its overwhelming popularity.

With each bottle of Castoria, you get a book on Motherhood, worth its weight in gold. Look for Chas. H. Fletcher's signature on the package so you'll get genuine Castoria. There are many imitations.—Advertisement.

## Students of School 12 Graduate



Children who will be graduated from School 12 this week are: front row (left to right), Paul Jaynes, Charles Sumner, Carlos Buck, Minnie Reiser, Jesse Little, Ruth Wiseman, Morris Schwartz, Ethel Anderson, Joseph Liplin, Cecil Henson and Edna Van Cleve.

Second row: Ernest Burton, Albert Kidwell, James Clapp, Pearl Stewart, Carl Reeves, Marguerite Rise, Max Goldman, Matilda Alboher, Donald Dobbins, Lillian Handlon, William Conover, Loraine Quilter, Bernard Edwards and Almeda Warfield.

Third row: Isaac Pardo, Elden Nelson, Joe Manroviitz, Ruth Riegel, Edward Marsh, Mildred Dietrich, Jake Arousti, Marjorie Tunney, William Power, Evelyn Hinton and Leo Sommer. Cora Utley and Thomas Tucker were absent when the photo was taken.

## NAME OFFICERS FOR HAYMAKERS

Lapel Man Elected Head at  
State Meeting.

Albert C. Huffman, Lapel, was named chief State haymaker at the thirty-sixth annual convention of the Indiana Association of Haymakers, at the Denison, Saturday.

E. W. Howenstone, Huntington, was elected vice chief on the third ballot after a close battle with Martin P. Geis, Indianapolis, and William Vickers, Terre Haute.

Grover P. Eklund, Jasonville, was elected collector of straws; P. F. McLaughlin, Anderson, keeper of bundles (re-elected); Raymond Burkhardt, South Bend, trustee; Frank Cook, Indianapolis; William M. Howe, Frankfort; Alpha Richards, Ingalls; Pearl Lawson, Stanton; Thomas Crough, Indianapolis; and G. Gryn, Fortville, national representatives.

William A. Johnson, Muncie, automatically became past chief haymaker. Monticello Loft was chartered by the State association, making 105 in Indiana, with a total membership of 11,898. The national representatives will attend the national convention in South Bend, in August.

Next year's convention will be held in Indianapolis.

## Dairy Maids Elect

The Indiana Dairy Maids' Association, women's auxiliary to the Haymakers, unanimously elected Mrs. Blanche Fashbough, Elkhart, State chief, at the annual convention of the order at the Denison Saturday. Mrs. Lucie Cuskaden, St. Paul, became past chief. Mrs. Leona Boyd, Muncie, was elected vice chief. Mrs. Bessie Meadows, Wolcott, overseer; Mrs. Elmira Johnson, Muncie, collector of the cream, and Mrs. Mary Lawson, Stanton, keeper of the cream.

Following installations, the Shelbyville team exemplified the degree work of the order. About 250 attended.

## 'BIG SISTERS' PROTEST BEAUTY CONTESTS

Effect Negatively Moral, Declares President.

*By United Press*  
CHICAGO, June 4.—The moral effects of bathing beauty contests are negative, especially for the losing participants and the people who watch them, according to Mrs. George V. McIntyre, president of The Big Sisters, which recently passed a resolution protesting against holding such contests in Chicago.

"Why should Chicago spend \$200,000 to bring a thing of that kind here?" she said, "and why should we extend ourselves to bring here 70,000 people of the class we know bathing beauty contests fans belong to."

Mrs. McIntyre, president of The Big Sisters, was a leader in the movement which placed the organization definitely on record as opposed to all such contests, and especially to holding of a national contest here.

## 20 STATES AT MEETING

Send Delegates to Congregational Church Session in Chicago

*By United Press*  
CHICAGO, June 4.—Twenty States were represented at the twenty-fourth triennial convention of the Chicago Theological Seminary which opened here today for one week.

Among those attending were business and professional men, noted educators, newspapermen, sociologists, and Congregational church leaders.

Religion's relation to fine arts and its relation to journalism will be one of the principal subjects of discussion. Another feature will be the dedication of recently completed additions to the seminary buildings.

## House of Iron

*By Science Service*  
GARY, Ind., June 4.—A house without a single sliver of wood in its construction is being built here for the president of a local steel company. The framework is made of angle-irons with a complete system of diagonal bracing. Both bolting and electric welding is used to fasten the steel together. Concrete is used in the foundation and for the floors, while stairs, sills and interior trim are all steel.

## FLOOD CONTROL AROUSES PRIDE OF LAWMAKERS

Congressmen Consider Bill  
Most Important of  
Session's Work.

BY C. J. LILLEY

WASHINGTON, June 4.—The Mississippi Flood control bill stands out as the most important piece of legislation enacted by the Congress just closed, according to opinion in Washington.

Dooms of Congressmen have been asked this question: "Which do you consider the most important legislation adopted by the session just concluded?"

"The Mississippi flood bill," is usually the answer.

Several have placed Muscle Shoals

legislation ahead of flood control, while some think that the Denison bill expanding Mississippi barge service, or the McNary-Haugen farm relief bill, deserves top position.

## Jones Gets Credit

Tax bills, appropriation measures and other financial bills are not considered because they come up in nearly every Congress.

"When the country many years from now looks back upon the work of the Seventieth Congress, the control of the flood waters of the Mississippi will be the one outstanding accomplishment," according to Senator McKellar.

Senator Jones of Washington, gets the credit for the flood bill in the official archives. It bears the name of the Jones bill, the measure having been initiated in the Senate and the House having retained the title.

Representative Reid of Illinois, who started work on flood control long before Jones and conducted the most exhaustive hearings held on any measure, does not get his name enrolled with it.

**Actual Steps Started**  
Reid will be remembered for his part, both in Washington and in

the Mississippi Valley, according to friends of the measure.

Testimonials, telegrams and letters of thanks, as well as other recognition of their services have been showered upon Jones, Reid and the others who assisted in framing the measure.

Actual steps toward flood control work already are being taken. The advisory board of three has been organized and approved, and is

ready to select the flood control plan. Considerable progress is expected this summer.

## Gets \$500 Threat Letter

DISKO, Ind., June 4.—A letter demanding \$500 and signed "The Gang," has been received by J. A. Gregg, postmaster here, threatening death unless the money is left under some burdock plants near the post-office.

## Dropsical Conditions

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Very fine gauge, pure silk over the knee. Shaped stockings for the growing girl. Lisle hemmed top, seamed back, fashion marks. Fully reinforced. Sizes 8½ to 10. Popular color range.

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## Shirts for Boys

Regulation standard size, full cut numbers in neat novelty patterns and colorings. Blue chambray and plain khaki included. Sizes 12-14.

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Boys' better shirts. Fine grade, fast colored; medium high, fashion shaped fit to the neck, collars, barrel cuffs, center pleat front. Pretty patterns and colors. Sizes 12-14½.

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Boys' Overalls, 98c

Blue denim, full cut, triple stitched, 2 hip pockets, 2 front pockets, large full bib front. Sizes 6 to 16.

Boys' Blouses, 59c

Neat patterned fancy broad-cloths in a pretty assortment that boys like. Sizes 6 to 12.

## Boys' Slipover Sweaters, \$1

Plain and fancy cricket slipovers—medium ribbed fancy. Cotton or part wool qualities. Irregulars. Sizes 24 to 34.

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## Sale of Rayon Undergarments

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Values, style and attractiveness so unusual that few women can resist buying several garments. All the dainty lingerie shades favored by fashionable femininity. Dainty lace trimmed, or smart simply tailored chemise, step-ins, panties or tailored bloomers.

Also cunning dancettes—bandeau and step-ins to match—lace trimmed or trimmed in contrasting color—and gowns beautifully trimmed—at \$1.

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## Valance Curtains

79c Set

With the coming of summer every room in the house will seem much cooler if the windows are draped with these dainty, crisp new curtains. These five-piece sets consist of two ruffled side panels with valance and tie backs to match—made of fine ecru scrim, edged with blue, rose, gold or lavender.

## Ready Made Rayon Valances

Double ruffled rayon marquisette valances, 50 inches long, with tie-backs to match. Fast colored. They will put life into a shabby pair of curtains.

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## New Printed Voiles

You'll get a lot of inspiration and want to go home and make pretty dresses for all the feminine members of the family when you see them—3,000 yards of beautiful printed voiles in brand new patterns and colors, including plenty of black grounds; 39 inches wide.

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## Wash Goods Sale

If you are not an expert seamstress you'll welcome these fabrics more than ever, for you will not be afraid to cut into them at such a low price. Newly printed organdies, printed broadcloths, plain voiles, printed batistes and dimities, 36-inch, gingham and other desired materials.

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