

HUNDREDS DIE OF INFLUENZA IN FAR NORTH

Epidemic Takes Terrific
Toll Among Indian
Tribes.

EDMONSTON, Ala., Aug. 17.—Radio advises from Ft. Simpson today said that an influenza epidemic among the Mackenzie River Indians had taken at least 275 lives.

The advices came from Jack Stewart, trapper and amateur radio operator, who said that fifty-three Indians had died at Ft. Simpson alone and that more than 200 others were known to be dead in other tribal villages.

Other river posts where losses were said particularly severe were Ft. Resolution, fifty deaths; Ft. Rae, thirty-three; Ft. Norman, twenty-eight; Ft. Goodhope, twenty-six, and Ft. McPherson, twenty-one.

The Indians were described as terrified by the ravages of the disease. The sick wailed and moaned in their camps while the efforts of medical missionaries were repulsed. Drugs carried to the stricken natives either were refused or thrown away as tribal doctors attempted cures by ancient methods.

Only one white man so far was reported dead in the epidemic.

APPROVAL OF POWER CONTRACTS IS ASKED

State Line Generating Co. Files
Four Petitions.

Four petitions were filed today with the Public Service Commission by the State Line Generating Company, one of which asks permission to issue \$14,000,000 of two-year 5.5 per cent notes and the others asking approval of power contracts of the generating company, the Northern Indiana Public Service Company, and the Interstate Public Service Company, all of which.

Approximate cost of the generating plant located at Hammond when completed, will be \$28,500,000.

The Commonwealth Edison Company of Chicago, Public Service Company of Northern Illinois and the two aforementioned Indiana concerns are the joint owners of the station and will buy its entire output.

The second petition asks the commission to modify a 1926 order giving the State Line company authority to borrow \$22,000,000 or open account from the four owning companies to provide funds to build the station.

The commission is asked to reduce the amount to \$14,000,000 and to extend the date of repayment from July 1, 1929 to July 1, 1930.

ARRANGE ORPHANS' FETE

Job's Daughters to Entertain Group
at Theater Saturday.

Job's Daughters, Bethel No. 3, will be hostesses to children of the German Lutheran Orphans' Home, 3310 E. Washington St., Saturday afternoon at a theater party at Bair's Uptown theater, Forty-Second and College Ave.

Candy, popcorn and fruit will be distributed by the lodge members, through the cooperation of local business men who contributed the sweets. Special Indianapolis Street Railway buses will transport the children to and from the theater.

Miss Frances Probst is honored queen of the lodge and Mrs. Josephine Sheard is guardian.

ARRESTED AT LUNCH

Took Cigars, Food and Money in
Grocery, Is Charge.

Ray Mizer, 33, Columbus, Ohio, was eating a lunch he had spread out on a meat block in Dan Youngman's grocery, 2902 E. Washington St., about 2:45 a. m. today, when he was interrupted by Edward C. Pruitt, merchant policeman. Mizer now faces charges of burglary. He had stuffed his pockets with cigars and matches, stolen the lunch and 29 pennies he found in the cash register, Pruitt reported.

DRUG STORE IS ROBBED

Burglars Break Through Wall of
Adjoining Shop.

Burglars broke into the Crawford Flower Irrigation Shop, 2204 N. Meridian St., to rob the Haag drug store next door at 2202 N. Meridian St. Thursday night. They entered the drug store by knocking a hole in the wall between the Crawford shop and the drug store.

An undetermined amount of money was taken from the drug store, according to E. C. Thompson, 2317 N. Talbot St., a clerk.

Gone, but Not Forgotten

Automobiles reported to the police as stolen:

Al W. Miller, Ft. Wayne, Ind., Star touring car, from Market and Monument Circle.

Ford F. Glaser, 1528 N. Grant Ave., Ford touring, from in front of 1209 Wright St.

Mark Barrett, 28 W. Sixteenth St., Red Flying Cloud coupe, 646-168, from Central Ave. and Twenty-Eighth St.

Ford coupe, 400-014, from Peru, Ind.

Ernest Powell, 2228 Barrett Ave., Ford roadster, from South Belmont Ave., near the Link Belt factory.

BACK HOME AGAIN

Stolen automobiles recovered by the police:

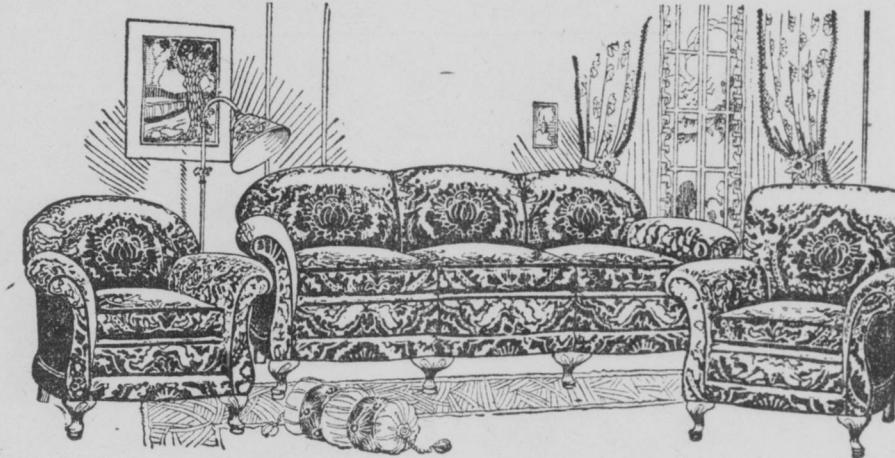
George A. Hornaday, Rural Route Box 134, Indianapolis, Hudson coach, found at Valley View Dr. and Sixty-Fifth St., stripped of two rear tires.

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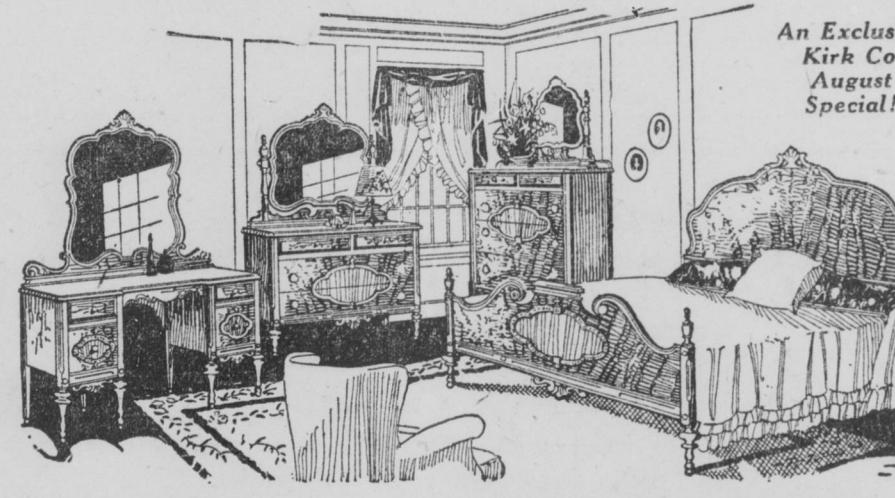


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Ferneries!

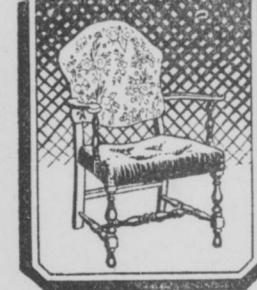


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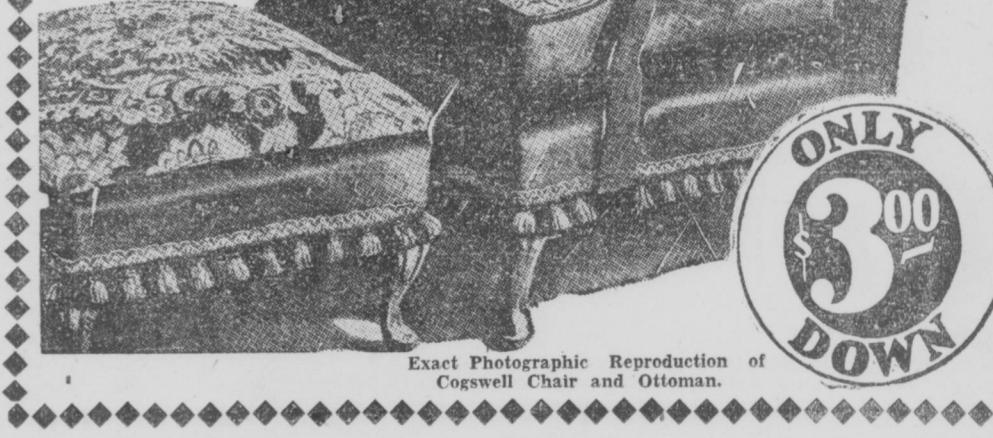
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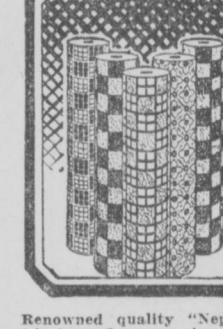


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