

## LINDY DROPS IN ON CITY ON FLIGHT WEST

Makes 26-Minute Stop at Airport on Way to St. Louis.

Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh, on his way to the west coast on an inspection tour of Transcontinental Air Transport landing fields, made a twenty-six minute stop at Indianapolis airport this morning.

He took off in his Curtiss Falcon open biplane at 10:22 a.m. for St. Louis. The colonel flew here from Columbus, O., where he spent the night, in exactly two hours. He buckled some hard head winds on the way over, he said.

No one in the group that greeted Lindbergh here mentioned to him the recent announcement of his engagement, but Lindbergh took with him in the cockpit of his plane a reference to the coming nuptials.

### Invitation From Culver

W. H. Lewis, veteran Marmon Motor Car Company employee in charge of the information desk sent to the field with H. H. Rice, Marmon vice-president, an elaborately hand-printed card with the inscription:

"Lindbergh to Marry to Morrow."

Mechanics slipped it into Lindy's plane and he unknowingly took it with him as he flew away.

Among those who greeted Lindbergh were James Perry, president of the Curtiss Flying Service of Indiana, which will manage business details for the Transcontinental here; H. Weir Cook, general manager of the Curtiss service, and Wallace O. Lee of the Indianapolis Power and Light Company. Lee extended to Lindbergh an invitation from General Leigh R. Gignilliat, Culver Military Academy commandant, to present diplomas to graduates at the Culver commencement June 4. Lindbergh said he would be glad to accept if possible.

### Expects to Return

Lindbergh stated he hoped to return here in a month or so and personally commend Mayor L. Ert Slack for his interest in developing a municipal air field here and confer with him on the proposed plans.

This was Lindbergh's second stop on his transcontinental tour, which started from Curtiss field, Wednes-

## 'I Shall Hear From Her,' Says Sir Oliver Lodge of Dead Wife

By United Press

LONDON, Feb. 21.—Sir Oliver Lodge, scientist, waited confidently today for a communication from his wife, who died at Amesbury, Wiltshire, Tuesday.

"I shall hear from my wife again," he said. "Just as I did from my son, Raymond. I have not arranged to communicate with her but I am sure she will arrange to speak to me."

"She was quite ready to go after a long illness. She was a great wife and a wonderful mother. She helped me all my life."

Raymond Lodge was killed at Ypres in September, 1915, during the World war.

Lodge contended in his book,

"Raymond" that his son constantly has been in touch with the family since his death.

Lodge has not even visited his son's grave, explaining that Raymond had asked him not to go.

Ten other children survive, and were present when Sir Oliver and Lady Mary celebrated their golden wedding anniversary in 1927.

In a recent lecture at Leeds entitled "Evidence for Survival," Sir Oliver told his audience that death was just an episode disposing of a person.

He advised old people not to be afraid but to be ready to meet what was coming, because "love continues."

### LAW STUDENTS DINE

Mayor L. Ert Slack outlined the history of the Indiana Law school at the annual sophomore dinner Wednesday night at the Lincoln. Early incidents in connection with the school were related by Slack. He was graduated in 1897. Samuel Elum, a member of the class, was toastingmaster.

## TRY NEGRO IN WOMAN KILLING

Suspect in Teacher Slaying Tells Alibi.

By United Press

CARMIC, Ill., Feb. 21.—Hoyt McMurray, Negro-Indian mulatto, fashioned an alibi today in his trial for the murder of Miss Anna Preher, middle-aged white Carmichael school teacher, who was decapitated at her home here Dec. 20.

Testifying in his own defense, the accused man explained how it happened that he was seen a block from the home of the murdered woman the night of the crime.

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