

OFFICIALS OUST ACCUSED HEAD OF POOR HOUSE

Allen County Superintendent
Will Fight to Hold
Position.

By Times Special
FT. WAYNE, Ind., March 8.—Counsel for Homer Young ordered dismissed as superintendent of the Allen county poorhouse by the board of commissioners, announcing that he will remain in the position until the order is upheld by a court edict. The attorney explains that Young has ten days within which to appeal to the circuit or superior courts.

In dismissing Young, the commissioners accused him of several offenses, including the following: Inmate inmates were allowed to use straight edge razors in shaving other persons confined in the institution, and as a result one man was murdered.

Buildings were allowed to become infested with rats, mice and other vermin.

Dependent, able-bodied relatives of Young were permitted to live at the institution, supported by Allen county funds, but for which the county was not reimbursed by Young.

Refusal to discharge employees drunk while on duty and who were cruel to inmates.

Insubordination shown by disregard for explicit instructions of the commissioners.

Permitting inmates, especially the insane, to wander outside the institution grounds.

Failure to keep the poorhouse grounds in proper condition due to unchecked growth of weeds.

FAMILY ASKS TEACHER TO LEAVE PHILIPPINES

Valparaiso Native's Remarks Caused
Student Strike.

By Times Press
VALPARAISO, Ind., March 8.—Relatives of Miss Mable Brummitt, teacher in the high school at Manila, P. I., whose remarks are said to have been the cause of the strike of 2,770 pupils, have cabled her to return to her home here.

Students in the Manila North high school, incensed by alleged remarks of Miss Brummitt calling them "imbeciles" and "cocheros (rig drivers)," went on a strike and riot.

The pupils returned to the classroom only when Miss Brummitt was removed to a post in the school office.

SCIENCE FAITH UPHELD

Indiana University Speaker at First
of Y. M. C. A. Meetings.

By Times Special
BLOOMINGTON, Ind., March 8.—"The condition which prevents a collapse of faith in science is the fact that scientific results work in practice and that as a rule new results work better than those which were discarded." President W. L. Bryan said here before an open meeting of Indiana university students and faculty, first of a series sponsored by the Y. M. C. A. of the university. President Bryan spoke on "The Test of Truth." He explained that one fundamental test of an alleged truth is whether or not it works and insofar as that test is met most persons have faith.

HIGH JURIST TO SPEAK

United States Supreme Court Justice
to be at Marion April 8.

By Times Special
MARION, Ind., March 8.—Willis Van Deventer, associate justice of the United States supreme court, a former Marion resident, will speak at the Eleventh district bar association meeting here April 8.

Two hundred and fifty attorneys from the district and nearby counties are expected to attend. Van Deventer was appointed to the supreme court by former President William Howard Taft.

Accident Brings Arrest

By Times Special
CONNERSVILLE, Ind., March 8.—Fred Gardner, alleged bad check operator, sought a year, was arrested by Sheriff Powell Woodward when his automobile was ditched near here. When Woodward investigated the accident he recognized Gardner, who said his name was Evans, but a letter establishing his identity was found on his person. Gardner is said to be wanted at Angola, and also in an Ohio city on bad check charges.

Connorsville Man Dies

By Times Press
CONNERSVILLE, Ind., March 8.—Joseph Wanley, 42, died at a hospital here after a prolonged illness. He was a member of the Eagles' lodge. He leaves his widow, two sons, Joseph and Paul, a stepdaughter, Mrs. Don Hinchman, all of this city; three brothers Charles and Ray of this city, and Edward, Illinois, and a sister, Miss Annabell Wanley, Connorsville.

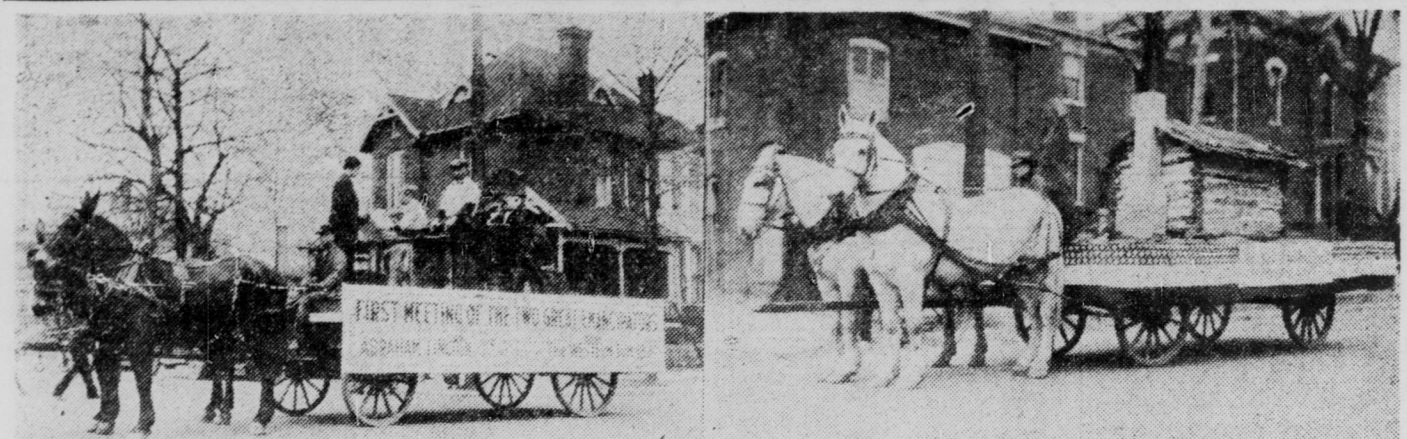
146 Planes Use Airport

By Times Special
RICHMOND, Ind., March 8.—A total of 146 planes from all parts of the country landed at the Richmond airport during the past eight months. This does not include test flights or flights made by local pilots. The number of persons landing at the field in this period was 310.

Church to Be Re-opened

By Times Special
COLUMBUS, Ind., March 8.—The remodeled church of the First English Lutheran congregation will be rededicated Sunday, with an all day program. Speakers will include the Rev. J. H. Benting, Indianapolis, president of Indiana Lutheran synod; the Rev. H. G. Davis, Whitestown, synodical director of worship; the Rev. Ivan H. Louisville, and Dr. F. A. Dressell, Richmond.

Lincoln's Life Story Told by Floats



BOMB THREAT TAKEN LIGHTLY

Radio Plant at Marion
Marked in Letter.

By Times Press
MARION, Ind., March 8.—A letter threatening to blow up the United States Radio and Television Corporation plant has been given to police for investigation.

The letter, sent to the company's office, disclosed the name of a man said to be the perpetrator of the plot. The message was written in pencil and contained several misspelled words.

Police believe the writer to be a former room-mate of the man named. It said the two quarreled, and police believe the writer is seeking to implicate his enemy.

Officers discredit the bombing plot.

SALESWOMAN CHASES SHOPLIFTER TO JAIL

Three Fined for Stealing Hosiery
from Richmond Stores.

By Times Special
RICHMOND, Ind., March 8.—Mrs. Mable Murray, saleswoman in a store here put a stop to operations of three clever Negro women shoplifters when she gave chase to one of them down a street and assisted in her capture by the police. Mrs. Elenora Vanlandingham, whose home is in this city, came into the store to look at some hose. She was accompanied by Willa Kinzer and Louise Shelton. After they left, Mrs. Murray missed the hose and started a hunt for the three women. She located them at another store and Mrs. Vanlandingham had the hose. Mrs. Murray gave chase. Deputy Sheriff Horace Logan made the arrest.

When the three women appeared in the city court and pleaded guilty to charges of petit larceny, they were each fined \$1 and costs. They had taken hose from two stores.

PHONE COMPANY FOUGHT

Rate Increase Objectors Propose to
Build Own System.

By Times Special
WABASH, Ind., March 8.—Fifty-four residents of the northern part of Wabash county, who objected to rate increases granted the Northern Indiana Telephone Company, propose to establish a system of their own on a non-profit basis.

A petition has been presented to the county commissioners by the residents, for permission to place poles along highways in the section which it is proposed to serve with the new system.

Speed Shown in Trial

By Times Special
ANDERSON, Ind., March 8.—A record for speed in a jury trial was made in Madison circuit court in a case in which the Clippier Loan Company of Marion was plaintiff and Dewey Weller, and others, were defendants. The case went to trial at 9:30 a. m. Evidence and arguments of attorneys were heard and the jury, after being instructed by the court, retired for deliberations at 11:40 a. m. The jurors spent an hour eating lunch and were back in the courtroom with a verdict at 1:05 p. m., giving the company judgment on a \$230 note.

52 Candidates Announce

By Times Special
COLUMBUS, Ind., March 8.—There are now fifty-two candidates asking nomination for Bartholomew county offices and it is expected that while some of these may drop out, others will come into the race before April 5, last date for filing. Of the candidates already announced, only two are women, both are Republicans asking for the office of county recorder.

Radio Penalty Fixed

By Times Special
DANVILLE, Ind., March 8.—The town board here has passed an ordinance fixing a fine not to exceed \$100 for causing radio interference. The measure provides for appointment of an inspector, who shall notify persons causing interference to remedy the situation within thirty days. Failure to comply will result in arrest.

Cupid Loses

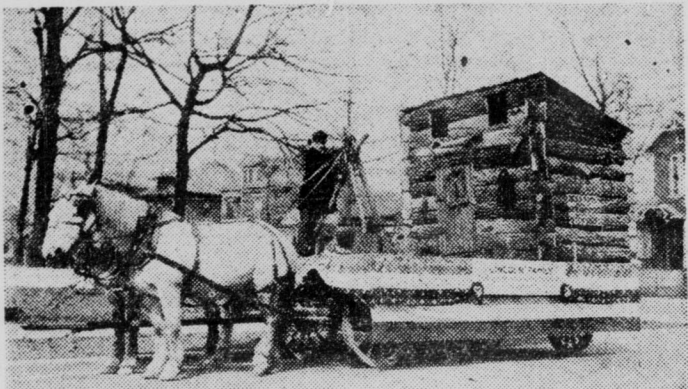
By Times Special
BLOOMINGTON, Ind., March 8.—During February, hunting and fishing permits issued in Monroe county exceeded marriage licenses at a ratio of almost four to one.

Aged Woman Injured

By Times Special
NORTH SALEM, Ind., March 8.—Mrs. Margaret Hocker, 90 years old today, is in a serious condition as a result of a hip fracture suffered Thursday when she slipped while attempting to get into bed at her home.

150,000 Bulbs Received

By Times Special
INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., March 8.—What is believed a record shipment of gladiolus bulbs, containing 150,000 has been received here by a group of flower growers.



Above—Left, Lincoln sees a printing press for the first time; right, a conception of the log cabin where Lincoln was born. Below—The Lincoln family at White Oak Springs, en route to Illinois.

Wets Scorned

By Times Special
MUNCIE, Ind., March 8.—American women, who appear before congress opposing the prohibition laws, hold the scorn of the Muncie W. C. T. U. Today its members spent in prayer for maintenance of the Eighteenth amendment.

In a resolution adopted by the W. C. T. U. women who are fighting the dry laws in congress were condemned as "upholding the wine cellars in the American home."

42,599 ACRES RATED AS FORESTS IN STATE

Area Increase Since Oct. 1, Greatest
In Indiana History.

Indiana has a total of 42,599 acres classified as forests and covering the \$1 an acre tax under the forest tax reduction act passed in 1921 according to State Forester Ralph Wilcox.

According to conservation department figures, 5,594 acres were classified by eighty-nine owners from Oct. 1, 1929 to the present time. This represents more progress than at any other time in the history of forestry in Indiana, Wilcox said.

Between Oct. 1, 1922 and Oct. 1, 1929, 614 owners classified 37,004 acres of the forestry books show. Northern Indiana has only 187 owners, who classified 8,097 acres, 19 per cent of the total.

ASKS \$3,881 FOR BOARD

Newcastle Man Seeks to Collect
from School Teacher.

By Times Special
NEWCASTLE, Ind., March 8.—Alleging Julius C. Painter, a school teacher here, owes him a \$3,881 board bill, Jesse T. Powers has filed suit in Henry circuit court here seeking collection.

The bill, according to Powers, includes board and room rent and laundry charges for the teacher and his son, Robert, during a period from 1924 to 1929.

Custody of the son, a small boy, was recently awarded Painter after a long court battle against Powers who had kept the boy in his home.

Fork Pierces Nose

By Times Special
WINAMAC, Ind., March 8.—Sampson Jenkins, 50, a farmer, is recovering from injuries suffered in a peculiar accident. While sharpening points of a pitch fork on a grindstone a prong caught, causing the fork handle to strike him on the head. He was found unconscious in a work shop, with his nose broken and a prong of the fork through it.

Detour Hides Bandits.

By Times Press
HAMMOND, Ind., March 8.—Two bandits, hiding along a detour where a subway is under construction, held up Morris A. Groff, Chicago salesman, and robbed him of his personal valuables, automobile and its contents. The robbery was committed on the Lincoln highway at the Elliott crossing, where a subway under the Erie railroad has been under construction for two years.

Retired Farmer Kills Self

By Times Special
BRAZIL, Ind., March 8.—George P. Brown, 81, retired farmer, told his family he had served his time on earth and shot himself through the heart with a shot gun. Despondency over the death of his wife a year ago was believed the motive. He had been living with a son here since her death.

Earlham Professor Honored

By Times Special
RICHMOND, Ind., March 8.—Professor E. Merrill Root of Earlham college was honored by conferring of the title of full professorship at a dinner given here by the faculty of Earlham.

100 Knives Stolen

By Times Special
MT. VERNON, Ind., March 8.—Mt. Vernon police were hunting a man today with many pocket knives stolen. The Gronemeier hardware store was robbed of 100 knives. Nothing else was taken.

Liquor Raids Net Twelve

By Times Special
KOKOMO, Ind., March 8.—Twelve persons face charges of possessing liquor as a result of unexpected raids by police Friday night on pool-halls and residences.

TEACHERS HOLD SESSION TODAY

Manchester College Host to
Elementary Group.

By Times Special
NORTH MANCHESTER, Ind., March 8.—Elementary school teachers of northern Indiana are in session here today, one portion of the program being presided over by Dr. J. G. Meyer, dean of education at Manchester college, host for the session, and others by Miss Alice Doner, Professor J. H. Joliffe and Miss Mary E. Davis.

President Otho Winger of the college gave an address of welcome. Other speakers included Virgil Stinebaugh, state director of Indiana school inspection; Miss Mabel K. Holland, primary supervisor, Ft. Wayne schools, and Gerald F. Bush, assistant state superintendent of public instruction of Michigan.

A banquet will be held this evening with Professor A. R. Eikenberry as toastmaster. Speakers will be Charles E. Cook, North Manchester school superintendent; Harry Le-well, Kosciusko county superintendent; O. J. Neighbours, Wabash superintendent, and J. M. Scudder, Huntington superintendent.

SICK WOMAN RECEIVES 30-DAY JAIL SENTENCE

First Imposed at Valparaiso Despite
More Than Fifty Arrests.

By Times Press
VALPARAISO, Ind., March 8.—Mrs. Frieda Schussler arrested more than fifty times on charges of violating the dry law, was half carried into Porter circuit court here and sentenced to serve thirty days in jail and pay a \$500 fine.

It was the first time Mrs. Schussler has been sentenced to jail, despite the numerous arrests. Hearing on a charge of possession of liquor against Mrs. Schussler and her husband, Andrew, was continued when court adjourned for the session.

Mrs. Schussler is believed by physicians to have taken poison earlier in the week when officers went to her farm home to bring her to court for sentencing, but is reputed recovering.

SWINDLE IN DIAMONDS

Three Logansport Residents Losers
for Total of \$650.

By Times Press
LOGANSPORT, Ind., March 8.—A phony diamond swindle netted \$650 from three victims here. One of the losers, Earl Guthrie, former city controller, is out \$300. One of the strangers said he needed money and offered to sell a stone appraised at \$850 by a jeweler.

The buyers found the diamond to be genuine, but after the sale discovered the stone had been switched for a 10-cent article.

Old Resident Dies

By Times Special
BUENA VISTA, Ind., March 8.—Mrs. Ella Rindard, 83, a lifelong resident of Randolph county is dead. She leaves three sons, Louis, Winchester; Bailey, at home, and Milford, Franklin; a daughter, Mrs. George Brooks, Winchester; a brother, Jesse Knight, Texas, and two sisters, Mrs. Mary Westfall, Fountain City, and Mrs. Rose Green, Lynn.

Rose Garden Proposed

By Times Press
RICHMOND, Ind., March 8.—This city is to have a municipal rose garden according to an announcement by the Garden Club. Plans for the establishment of the garden are under way. It may be located in Glen Miller park close to the National highway. Richmond is noted as a rose culture center and is the home of E. G. Hill, a renowned rose grower.

Road Hearing Set

By Times Special
GREENCASTLE, Ind., March 8.—A hearing on remonstrances against the Roy Jones and others road in Warren and Cloverdale townships, signed by Chester Humphreys and twenty-two others, pending since March 23, 1928, has been set for Wednesday in the county auditor office by a fiat of the state tax board. It is maintained that a proposed bond issue is unnecessary and excessive.

Old Store To Close

By Times Special
RICHMOND, Ind., March 8.—This city will lose its oldest clothing store when George Fox retires. The business was established in 1871 by Sol Fox, his father. Many old discarded hats found now in the attics of Richmond residents bear the trade mark, "Fox the Hatter."

Hospital Sites Inspected

By Times Special
KOKOMO, Ind., March 8.—Colonel John Phelan, United States Veterans' bureau representative, accompanied by John Aie, Indiana bureau representative, inspected five proposed sites in Kokomo for the \$500,000 veterans' hospital the government will build in Indiana soon.

Fire Damages House

By Times Special
CLOVERDALE, Ind., March 8.—Fire of undetermined origin damaged the upper story of a two-story house belonging to Mrs. Bessey Finney here. Damage covered by insurance, was estimated at \$300.

HORTON DEATH PREMOMITION IN 1928 RECALLED

Hijacker Slaying Victim
Said 'They Get You
Sooner or Later.'

By Times Special
LEBANON, Ind., March 8.—Slaying of Jack Horton, liquor runner, near Lafayette this week recalled to Lebanon officers his arrest here more than two years ago when he said:

"They get you sooner or later, but this wasn't my time."

Hijackers forced Horton's automobile, carrying fifty-five gallons of alcohol, into a ditch eight miles south of here in February, 1928. Before he could draw a revolver to defend himself, the hijackers attacked him with clubs and had beaten him almost unconscious before approach of motorists on a road frightened them away.

When officers arrived, Horton said:

"They almost got me, but not quite—and say, here is this roll of bills if you'll forget you ever saw me and let me make a getaway."

A Lebanon policeman says there was \$512 in the roll.

Horton was convicted here of possessing and transporting liquor and was heavily fined. He had been a rum runner between Chicago and Indianapolis.

In the last few months he had been seen frequently while driving through here. Several months ago he was arrested after discovery of a large still in a house in Lafayette.

Horton met death in real gangster fashion, five bullets having pierced his body, which was found face downward on a farm four miles northwest of Lafayette.

De Pauw Group Forms Cast of Difficult Play



Helen Dickinson

By Times Special
GREENCASTLE, Ind., March 8.—When members of Duzer Du, De Pauw university dramatic organization present "Seventh Heaven," at the Little Theatre here March 14 and 15, they will offer the most difficult play of their career. The play demands strong character portrayal and a difficult setting.

Helen Dickinson, Gary, has the leading feminine role. Opposite her is Chester Osgood, Greenfield. Others of the cast are Sarah Crouch, Portville; Charles Neimeyer, Clinton; Peter Hyun, Hawaii; Carl Hintz, South Bend; Kathryn Toufante, Bedford; Jack Chesterfield, Brazil; Robert Bondurant, South Bend; Dwight Neal, Whitestown; Verle Shaeffer, Newcastle; Josephine Travis, Chicago; Richard Crowder, Rochester; Charles Lee, Wheaton, Ill., and Rexford Smith, Greensburg.

ANNIVERSARY TRIO WILL BE OBSERVED

Golden Wedding Date One
on Columbus Woman's
Calendar.

By Times Special
COLUMBUS, Ind., March 8.—Mrs. Miranda J. Carter, widow of E. S. Carter, a farmer of Bartholomew county and former county clerk, will observe three anniversaries Sunday one of which will be her fiftieth anniversary as teacher of beginners and primary departments of Sunday schools.

Mrs. Carter is a lifelong resident of the county, a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Newton Jones who lived north of Columbus.

For twenty-three years she taught in the primary classes of the Kansas and Edinburg churches and then came here and for twenty-seven years has had charge of the beginners class of the First Methodist church. During this time she has missed but one of two Sundays that being all on account of illness.

In addition to her teaching anniversaries she will also observe her seventieth birthday and the fiftieth anniversary of her marriage. The last two anniversaries were today but will be observed Sunday with a family gathering.

Special services will be held at the Methodist church during the morning services Sunday in honor of Mrs. Carter. Every person who has been in her classes will wear yellow ribbons. A cottage recently purchased by the church and in which the beginners and primary classes meet has been named in her honor.

Clubs to Hear Debate

By Times Special
RICHMOND, Ind., March 8.—George Barnard and Albert Stump of Indianapolis will appear in a debate before Richmond service clubs, April 9. The proposed constitution to revise the Indiana constitution will be the subject of the debate. Barnard will defend the negative while Stump will take the affirmative. Members of the Kiwanis, Rotary and Lions Clubs are expected to attend.

Earlham Club Formed

By Times Special
RICHMOND, Ind., March 8.—Organization of an Earlham College Club has been made at Dayton, O. Professor William Cullen Dennis, president of Earlham college, was the principal speaker. H. Paul Hall of the class of '14 was elected president of the club, and Earl C. Bower, class of '15, secretary. Orville Wright, co-inventor of the airplane, was a guest at the meeting.

Suit Asks \$12,000

By Times Press
RICHMOND, Ind., March 8.—Frank A. Williams, farmer and stock man, of a Green township, Wayne county, who with his wife filed a petition in bankruptcy recently, is defendant in a suit to foreclose a mortgage for \$12,000 in the Wayne circuit court here. The suit was filed by William A. Lewis, president of the First National bank of Williamsburg. Mrs. Williams is co-defendant in the suit.

Former Resident Dies

By Times Special
RICHMOND, Ind., March 8.—Word has been received here of the death of Mrs. Mary Shute, 91, who until six years ago was a resident of this city from the time of her birth. Mrs. Shute died at her home in San Diego, Cal. The body will be sent here for burial. She leaves two grand-daughters, Mrs. Lydia Dick and Miss Mary Needham, both of California; Sarah Stokes, a sister with whom she resided, and a great grandson.

World War Veteran Dies.

By Times Special
ANDERSON, Ind., March 8.—W. R. Turner, 88, Lakeland, Fla., died suddenly at the home of a relative here, supposedly from the effects of being gassed in the World War. He leaves a widow and three children in Florida.

ALLEGED FENCE IN WIRE THEFT FACES CHARGES

Rensselaer Junk Dealer to
Be Tried on Three
Indictments.

By Times Special
LAPORTE, Ind., March 8.—Three indictments returned against Sam Karnowski, Rensselaer junk dealer, it is believed by Sheriff Tom McDonald of Laporte county will pave the way for stopping operations of a wire theft gang whose activities extended into Porter and Starke counties.

Karnowski is accused of purchasing stolen property, it being alleged he was the agent of the thieves in disposing of their loot.

A confession authorities said they obtained from Paul Weging, La-Crosse junk dealer, started the break up of the ring. He is said to have provided much of the information upon which Karnowski was indicted.

McDonald, almost without aid, worked up the case. He, Weging and officials of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company appeared before the grand jury which accused Karnowski.

The Rensselaer man is said to have made large profits from dealing in wire. It was cut in small pieces and packed in barrels for marketing. The American company was among heavy losers due to the thefts.

Since workmen of the company started stringing a line westward from South Bend several months ago, wire stealing has been particularly heavy, and some cable also has been stolen. Cable worth \$1,250 was stolen from a freight loading platform at South Bend during the period.

Trial of Weging will be held here. Karnowski will be tried in Jasper circuit court at Rensselaer.

VISIT OF STORK BARELY ESCAPES TRAGIC ENDING

Stove Gas Prostrates Four When
Bloomington Baby is Born.

By Times Press
BLOOMINGTON, Ind., March 8.—Excitement attending the arrival of a baby at the home here of Roy Webb nearly resulted in death to the mother, baby, doctor, husband and an attendant.

The husband, a senior in Indiana university medical school, left a stove unattended while the baby was born, and monoxide gas filled the room. The doctor, husband, and attendant were overcome by the fumes and were saved only after a hurried telephone call to a neighbor.

Orders of the doctor to leave the patients' throw open doors and windows and get out, which he gave before lapsing into unconsciousness are believed to have saved the lives of the group.

The mother and baby are in a satisfactory condition the doctor said after he was revived.

RUM CASE TO JURY

Six Await Verdict on Plot Charge
at South Bend.

By Times Press
SOUTH BEND, Ind., March 8.—A verdict in the Michigan City liquor conspiracy case is expected today. Six defendants are on trial in federal court here.

Both government and defense were given four hours Friday to present final arguments. District Attorney Oliver M. Loomis opened for the government, demanding conviction of the six, Joseph Allie, former prohibition agent; Richard Kruse, former Michigan city police chief; Frank Lapham, former deputy sheriff, and Frank Arnold, Louis Mazzia and Joseph Cardona, alleged racketeers.

Three defense attorneys followed, attacking the character of the government's star witness, Constable Alva Ellis, Otis, originally indicted