

# CITY'S POSTAL RECEIPTS TOP U. S. AVERAGE

Indianapolis Decrease Less Than Figures for 50 Largest Offices.

Postoffice receipts, generally regarded as a reliable index of general business conditions, have been holding up better in Indianapolis the last four months than in most of the fifty larger cities in which the department made monthly comparisons.

The tables showing receipts in the fifty selected cities for May, June, July and August were made public today, following a charge by Senator Alden W. Barkley (Dem., Ky.) that the figures were being suppressed because they showed a degree of business depression which the Republican party managers did not wish to face in the congressional campaign.

Decrease 12 Per Cent  
For the fifty larger cities, August receipts were off about 12 per cent as compared with August, 1929, but the decrease in Indianapolis was only 8.96 per cent for the same period. Only three cities, Hartford, Nashville and Houston showed increases. All were less than 2 per cent.

Some of the larger decreases were Jersey City, 23 per cent; Milwaukee, 19; Jacksonville, 17; Kansas City, 15; Detroit, 16; New York, Chicago and Cincinnati, 14.

Indianapolis August receipts were \$333,871, against \$366,747 in August, 1929.

Comparisons Dropped  
In July, however, the Indianapolis decrease was 8.15 per cent against a combined decrease for the country of only .94.

Again in June, Indianapolis showed a decrease of only 4.37 per cent against a national decrease of 4.52. In May the national decrease was 3.32 per cent, against 4.03 for Indianapolis.

Postmaster-General Walter B. Brown denied that the figures had been suppressed. The department merely had discontinued the policy of making the monthly comparisons public, he said.

## Day Programs

WFBM (1230) Indianapolis  
(Indianapolis Power and Light Company)

WEDNESDAY  
7:00—Pen Unlimited Club.  
7:30—Mrs. Allen's Page (CBS).  
8:00—Interior Decorating (CBS).  
8:30—Aunt Sam's.  
9:00—Bond Bakers orchestra.  
9:30—Manhattan Towers orchestra (NBC).  
10:00—12:00—Silent.  
12:00 Noon—Farm community network (CBS).  
P. M.  
1:00—Pat Henry's farm talk.  
1:15—State Safety Bureau.  
1:30—For your information (CBS).  
2:00—Columbia Salon orchestra (CBS).  
3:00 to 5:30—Silent.

WKBF (1400) Indianapolis  
(Indianapolis Broadcasting, Inc.)

WEDNESDAY  
6:30—"Wake-Up" band program.  
6:45—Church federation morning worship.  
7:00—The Breakfast Club.  
7:30—Coffee Cup program.  
8:00—Pen-Wash Bottery.  
8:30—Union Ice and Coal program.  
9:00—Stewart's Radio program.  
9:30—Drink More Milk.  
10:00—L. S. Ayres Downtown Store.  
10:15—Marianne's style talk.  
10:30—Standard Nut Mart.  
10:45—Melaun Manufacturing Company.  
11:00—Plumbing Modernization.  
11:15—Batesville Furniture Company.  
11:30—Circle theater organization.  
11:45—Capital Dairies.  
12:00—Indianapolis Paint and Color.  
12:15—Sanders & Becker's Decorator.  
12:30—Wilson's Milk talk.  
1:00—Harry Benson.  
1:15—The Pied Piper.  
P. M.  
12:15—Crabbe-Reynolds-Taylor.  
12:30—Livestock market.  
12:45—Butter and egg market.  
1:00—Quick Tire Service.  
1:15—The Market trio.  
1:30—Silent.  
1:45—Tea-To-Ne Club.

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# Radio Dial Twisters

WFBM (1230) Indianapolis  
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TUESDAY  
P. M.  
7:00—Crockett Mountains (CBS).  
7:30—Jack Denny's orchestra (CBS).  
8:00—Democratic County committee.  
8:30 to 9:00—Silent.  
9:00—Oravara's Mr. and Mrs. (CBS).  
9:15—Paramount-Public hour (CBS).  
9:30—Anheuser-Busch Antics (CBS).  
9:45—Hollywood Broom (CBS).  
10:00—Chicago Variety program (CBS).  
10:15—WFBM orchestra and singers.  
10:30—Nocturne (CBS).  
10:45—Longene's time by Walk's; weather.  
11:00—The Columnist.  
11:15—Atop the Indiana Roof.

WKBF (1400) Indianapolis  
(Indianapolis Broadcasting, Inc.)

TUESDAY  
P. M.  
7:30—Afternoon announcements.  
8:00—News flashes.  
8:30—Town topics.  
9:00—Studio dinner music.  
9:30—Marron Sales Branch.  
10:00—Don Herr's "Two Daffodils."  
10:30—Waverly's musical comedy selections.  
10:45—Wilkins' "Lives of Famous Comedians."  
11:00—F. Harrison boxing bouts.  
11:15—Moments of Melody.  
11:30—The Sign Post.  
11:45—Harry Benson requests.  
12:00—Timmy Boyce at the Circle organ.  
12:30—Sign off.

WLW (700) Cincinnati

TUESDAY  
P. M.  
7:00—The Old Rocking Chair.  
7:30—Moments of Melody.  
8:00—Chrysler announcement.  
8:30—Time announcement.  
9:00—Twilight organ recital, C. M. Gull.  
9:15—Brooks and Ross.  
9:30—Baseball scores.  
9:45—Time announcement.  
10:00—Phil Cook, "The Quaker Man" (NBC).  
10:15—Hotel Sinton orchestra.  
10:30—Hydrate announcer; weather.  
10:45—Pure Oil orchestra (NBC).  
11:00—Dream Shop.  
11:15—Francis' Tambourine orchestra.  
11:30—Forget-Me-Not.  
11:45—Estate weather man.  
12:00—Hotel Gibson orchestra.  
12:15—Variety.  
12:30—Pendulum Amos, N. Andy.  
12:45—Literary Digest, Floyd Gibbons.  
10:00—Time announcement.  
11:30—Men from the South.  
12 Midnight—Hotel Gibson orchestra.  
A. M.  
12:30—Time announcement.

## DISTANT STATIONS

TUESDAY  
- 6 P. M.—  
KMOX (1090), St. Louis—Skeurus hour.  
WBBM (770), Chicago—Gendron's orchestra.  
Columbia—Blackstone program to KOIL, WIK.  
NBC System—Troika Bells to WEAF, WWJ.  
NBC System—Wayne King's Piano concert to WJZ, WHAM, KDKA, KWK, WLW.  
WLS (870), Chicago—Melodist's General Store.  
WMAQ (670), Chicago—Concert orchestra.  
- 6:30 P. M.—  
KYW (1020), Chicago—Stone's orchestra.  
NBC System—Flournoy From Con-Sanders orchestra to WEAF, WGN, WSM, WBS, WGY.  
- 6:30 P. M.—  
Columbia—The News to WMAQ, WHK.  
WGN (720), Chicago—Concert ensemble; dance music.  
NBC System—Entertainers to WJZ, WHAM, KDKA.  
WTAM (1070), Cleveland—Widlar Welcomes.  
- 6:45 P. M.—  
Columbia—Quartet; symphony orchestra to KMOX, WBBM, WHK, WMAQ.  
- 7 P. M.—  
COLUMBIA—Henry George to WHK, WWO, KOIL, WBBM.  
NBC System—Eveready hour to WEAF, WWJ, WY, WTAM, WGN, WHAS, WJR, WLS (870), Detroit—Bubble Blowers to WLW.  
WLS (870), Chicago—Verse and music.  
NBC System—To KMOX to WJZ, WHAM, KDKA, KYW.  
KYW (1020), Chicago—Orchestra program.  
NBC System—Happy Wonder Bakers to WEAF, WWJ, WY, WTAM, WGN, WHAS, KDKA (880), Pittsburgh—Oran.  
WGN (720), Chicago—Variety.  
NBC System—Bonnie Laddies to WJZ, Columbia—Shilo's symphony to WHK, WMO, KMOX, WMAQ.  
WMAQ (670), Nashville—N. A. program.  
- 8 P. M.—  
Canadian—Network program to CNRO.

# SEARS, ROEBUCK TO PLAY HOST AT CITY STORE

Open House Will Be Held Wednesday Night for Anniversary.

Celebration of the forty-fourth anniversary of Sears, Roebuck & Co. will be started Thursday by 340 retail stores throughout the United States.

During 1929 the company distributed, through retail stores and mail order organizations, \$10,735,075 worth of Indiana made merchandise, Indianapolis officials of the company announced.

Open house will be observed at the Indianapolis retail store Wednesday from 7:30 to 10 p. m., with a style show at 8:15 as special feature.

An anniversary display of merchandise will be made and entertainment with music and refreshments will be served all guests.

A cooking school in the household section of the store will be in progress the entire evening. Ample flood-lighted free parking space will be available in the parking lot adjoining the store.

## Bride Kills Self

By Times Special  
BEDFORD, Ind., Sept. 16.—Mrs. Herschel Abel, 20, a bride of two weeks and former resident here, committed suicide by poisoning at Miami, Fla., relatives here have been informed. She was formerly Miss Helen Jackson, 11 health is believed to have caused the suicide.

# Fishing the Air

Old favorites will be played and sung by the Crockett Mountains over WFBM and the Columbia broadcasting network at 8 p. m., Tuesday.

Jack Denny and his orchestra, playing at the Mount Royal hotel, Montreal, Canada, will broadcast a program of dance music at 8:15 p. m., Tuesday, over the Columbia network.

Two net talking picture songs, "Highwayman's Song" from "Sweet Kitty Bellairs" and "The Soldier" from "Cher U and Smiles," will be played by the Con-Sanders orchestra during the Florham frolic to be broadcast from WGN and the NBC Chicago studios Tuesday at 8:30 p. m.

"Song of the Island" and "Moonlight on the Ganges," played by the orchestra under the direction of Murray Kellner, will open a program predominated by oriental tunes during the 12c music broadcast over KYW and NBC network, Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock.

## HIGH SPOTS OF TUESDAY NIGHT'S PROGRAM

6:00—NBC (WJZ)—Pure Oil concert.  
Columbia—Blackstone program.  
Julia Sanderson and Frank.  
6:30—NBC (WEAF)—Florham frolic.  
Con-Sanders orchestra.  
7:00—NBC (WEAF)—Eveready hour.  
7:30—Columbia—Philo's symphony.  
NBC (WEAF)—Wonder Bakers.  
Singing Violins.  
8:00—NBC (WJZ)—Westinghouse Salute to Laundry.  
8:15—Columbia—Parkmount hour.  
Columbia—Blackstone program.  
8:30—NBC (WEAF)—R. K. O. hour.  
9:00—NBC (WEAF)—Vincent Lopez orchestra.  
9:30—Columbia—Chicago—Variety program to WFBM.

Five numbers by Irving Berlin, each of which was a hit of the "Music Box Revue" several years ago, will be a feature of the Happy Wonder Bakers' broadcast over WTAM and an NBC network Tuesday at 7:30 p. m.

A musical view of the Paramount feature picture, "The Sea God," will be among the offerings of the Paramount Public Radio Playhouse Tuesday at 8:15 p. m., over WFBM and the Columbia network.

The monthly report on the farm price situation will be given by Dr. O. C. Squire, economist of agriculture, who speaks in the National

## Anderson Seeks Meeting

By Times Special  
ANDERSON, Ind., Sept. 16.—The Madison County Medical Society will invite the Indiana State Medical Association to meet in this city in 1931. Anderson's invitation will be presented at the state session at Ft. Wayne, Sept. 26 to 29.

## Farmer Kills Self

By United Press  
LAFAYETTE, Ind., Sept. 16.—Ill health and loneliness are attributed as causes of the suicide of Abe Moore, 65-year-old bachelor farmer of near Lafayette. He had been crippled during recent years.

## So They Part

By Times Special  
GARY, Ind., Sept. 16.—Mrs. Helen Rimdzus, 17, spent twenty days as the wife of John Rimdzus, 38, before deciding he was too old and has been granted a divorce.

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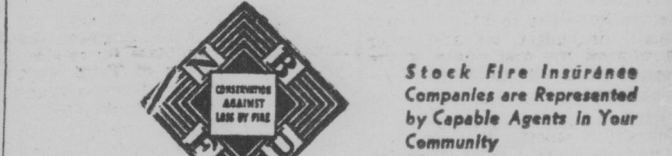
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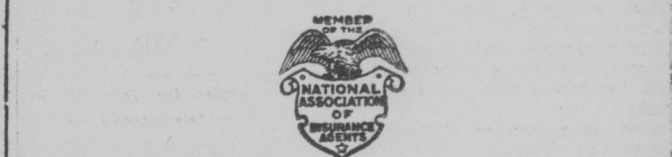
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