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fair Friday; not much change in temperature.

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DEFEND LIEBER RULE AS GAME LEAGUE MEETS

Shirts and Rappaport on
Hand to Lead Fight
Against Evans.

UPRISING FAILS TO SHOW
Resolutions Committee Is
Expected to Back Up
President in Fight.

President H. H. Evans' purported uprising of 200 Hoosier sportsmen, members of the Indiana Fish, Game and Forest League, against the conduct of the state conservation department, under Director Richard Lieber, failed to materialize when the league convention opened at the Lincoln this morning.

Evans confined his anti-Lieber campaign to submitting charges he has been making against the conservation director, to a resolutions committee which he appointed, membership of which is composed of his friends.

They are expected to return resolutions along Evans' idea this afternoon for action by the less than fifty delegates who are in attendance.

Opening session, scheduled for 10 a. m., did not get under way until 10:45 a. m. Evans announced then that he would dispense with the presidential address in which he was scheduled to launch publicly his Lieber attack.

Leo Rappaport on Hand
Attorney Leo M. Rappaport, brother-in-law of Lieber, attorney for the conservation department and member of the Marion County Fish and Game Association, was on hand. He was armed with the statutes, governing the department, to refute any charges Evans might make regarding alleged violations of the law under the present administration.

But Evans appeared conciliatory. He gave his presidential address time to Walter Shirts, chief of the division of fish and game of the conservation department, who was on the program for a speech this afternoon. This division has been the focal point of the Evans attack.

Charges against Lieber by Evans are that Lieber uses money collected in fees and licenses from sportsmen for other conservation work, rather than solely for propagation of fish and game; that he has merit of game wardens on convictions, collects Republican campaign funds from game wardens and directs the conservation commissioners, rather than letting them direct him.

Shirts refuted all but the political allegations and charge of dictatorship by presenting facts and figures from his annual report for the fiscal year just closed. He showed that every cent collected has been expended by his division of the department and branded Evans with making unfounded allegations.

Evans came back with a few questions, as did others in the audience. Among them was the charge that Lieber went to Europe at game expense, which he said has been checked by the Democratic party for state auditor, who was present.

Shirts denied this, but said the state auditor's records would make any such disclosure if it were so.

On two occasions Henry Robins, former statehouse custodian, attempted to talk, but was ruled out by Evans, Shirts and all present.

Committee Is Hand-Picked
During Shirts' talk Evans even declared that he "didn't want to get any one, but to establish friendly feeling."

Wednesday he had said that he would oust Lieber if he had to "elect a Democratic Governor to do it." Evans is a candidate for re-election to the house of representatives on the Republican ticket at Newcastle.

His hand-picked resolutions committee are William F. Collins, Indianapolis; the Rev. H. E. Conn, Brookville; and William Kretzenstein, Orland. Nomination committee are Thomas Hendricks, Newcastle; Forrest Kiser, Monticello; and the Rev. Noble C. Trueblood, Noblesville. They will likely recommend re-election of Evans, it was said.

Wilcox on Program
State Forester Ralph Wilcox, Attorney Harry Hendrickson, Indianapolis, league director, and James Tandy Ellis of Kentucky, also will speak. The meeting will close with election of officers and adoption of resolutions.

Usually the Marion county organization is host at a dinner for the state convention, but this has been abandoned this year. Report given Evans is that it was because of the expense.

Lieber has some staunch supporters in the Marion county organization, who assert his conduct has been exceptional and point out that he has made a national reputation in fostering Indiana state park development.

JUDGE REPORTED FOUND
Attorney Informs New York Police
Crater Is in Seattle.

NEW YORK, Oct. 30.—Edward Mulrooney, police commissioner, today revealed he had received a letter from a Seattle lawyer saying Joseph Force Crater, missing supreme court justice, and his wife are in that city.

Girl Traps Romantic Bandit

NEW YORK, Oct. 30.—Allen Orman, 23, and nice looking, walked into a midtown hosiery shop nervously brandishing a revolver. It was his first holdup.

Miss Frances Tauber, 21, slim and attractive, was the only clerk on duty.

"Sit down in that chair, please," requested the young bandit, and when she had obeyed he began tying her legs.

During the operation he became so nervous he ripped one of Miss Tauber's stockings.

The next day, having made a successful escape, Orman began thinking about what a pretty girl Miss Tauber is. He decided to phone her and ask for a "date."

"You brute," exclaimed Miss Tauber, "you might have been more careful of my stockings."

Orman apologized. He went out and bought a box of expensive stockings, some silk handkerchiefs and a box of roses and sent them to Miss Tauber.

Feeling he had "squared" himself, he called by phone again, and was informed this time, much to his joy, that he might have the desired date.

He followed Miss Tauber as she came out of her shop that afternoon and walked cautiously behind her.

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81,000 COUNTY VOTERS RATED AS DOUBTFUL

SANTA ROSA, Cal., Oct. 30.—J. W. Marshall Jr., was born Oct. 29, 1928.

One year later, to the hour, his sister, Eleanor, was born.

Wednesday, at the same hour of the day, another son was born to Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Marshall Sr. He has not been named.

Preparations have been completed to transport all "regular Republicans" polled as such, to the voting places, but great effort is being exerted to refrain, as far as possible, from carrying those Republicans who have expressed repudiation of the machine.

Thousands Are Doubtful
More than 232,000 voters have been polled in Marion county this year. Of this number, 81,000 expressed themselves as "doubtful in political faith."

Seventy-five per cent of the doubtful are ready to indicate their protest at the coming election, and need only be urged to go to the polls. H. Nathan Swain, Democratic county chairman, told voters Wednesday night.

"Get them to the polls," is Swain's order.

If the doubtful voter does not turn out and the vote is light, Coffin, with his claimed organization of 14,000 workers, the majority of whom are on the public pay roll, or related to those who are, will be able to exert sufficient pressure to bring out a die-hard organization vote which may put the "Big Five" over by a slight margin, it is claimed.

"Big Five" Are Pushed
The "Big Five," whose election means perpetuation of Coffin candidates are:

The candidate for judge of the criminal court, Walter O. Pritchard; the candidate for sheriff, George Winkler; Jesse McClure, Coffin candidate for county clerk, and John Shearer and Charles O. Sutton, candidates for re-election as county commissioners.

Keep the doubtfuls from the polls and trade off every other candidate for the "Big Five" is charged to be the order of the day in the Coffin army.

BABE RUTH TO ADOPT
TWO LITTLE GIRLS
Home Run King to Take Out Papers for Children.

NEW YORK, Oct. 30.—Babe Ruth is planning to adopt two children, it was reported today. One of them is Dorothy Helen Ruth, daughter of his first wife, who was burned to death in January, 1929, at Watertown, Mass. The other child is Julie Hodgson Ruth, daughter of his present wife, Mrs. Claire Hodgson Ruth. It was said that proceedings would be held in a private session of surrogate's court.

Liquor Trade Ebbing
PARIS, Oct. 30.—Unofficial reports from Saint Pierre and Miquelon, the foggy islands off Newfoundland, whose sands were turned to gold by the liquor tide, are to the effect that America is drinking far less than she did a year ago. Official statistics of liquor clearings in and out of the island show the liquor trade is ebbing.

Fear Volcano Eruption
REDDING, Cal., Oct. 30.—Citizens of Redding watched volcanic Mt. Lassen, fifty miles away, with apprehension today after four earthquake shocks had reminded them that similar disturbances in 1915 preceded an eruption from the crater.

Parrot Embargo Lifted
WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—Treasury Secretary Mellon signed today an order lifting the embargo placed on parrots last January after the outbreak of psittacosis in this country.

Young Hoover at White House
WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—Herbert Hoover Jr., who for several months has been ill at the presidential camp in Virginia, motored to the White House today en route to his new winter home in Asheville, N. C.

Prince of Wales to South America
LONDON, Oct. 30.—The prince of Wales, probably accompanied by Prince George, will sail from Liverpool in mid-January for South America.

Astronomers Coming Home
ABOARD S. S. TANAGER, Oct. 30.—Members of the Navy Observatory expedition who recently made a valuable study of the sun's eclipse at Niue Island, steamed home today, a number of valuable photographs of the phenomenon safely aboard ship.

Death Toll Is Heavy in Italy Quake

ANCONA, Italy, Oct. 30.—The seriousness of the earthquake which damaged three Adriatic provinces this morning was indicated when hundreds of injured arrived here for treatment. Most of them were from the country regions where communications were disrupted.

ANCONA, Italy, Oct. 30.—An earthquake of considerable intensity shook central Italy today, particularly along the Adriatic seaboard, from Rimini to Rome.

A total of thirty persons were killed in the coastal towns of Sinigaglia, Ancona, Caesaro and Fano, and about 200 injured in the area where the quake was most severe, according to authoritative unofficial advice.

The fact that the quake occurred when the population was astir rather than at night was believed to have prevented a larger death toll.

The quake centered in the Adriatic sea, but was felt with diminishing force from central Italy to the capital, while experts said the Zarea region of Yugoslavia—opposite Ancona—was affected.

Four major divisions which sought money in the campaign reported the following totals, and per cent of goals reached: Special gifts, \$294,205, or 89.5 per cent; branch house, \$25,919.50, or 81.9 per cent; employees' division, \$193,101.39, or 141.6 per cent; and individual gifts' division, \$371,517.03, or 101.5 per cent.

Arthur R. Baxter, chairman of the special gifts division, first announced a grand total of \$885,642.92; and then added a personal gift of \$1,000.

517 Attend Final Meeting
Five hundred and seventeen persons attended the final meeting. They applauded each division report, and leaders thanked workers who had given the credit for raising the amounts to complete the fund's goal.

Employees of the William H. Block Company gave approximately three times as much this year as last. The 1,155 employees of the downtown department store contributed \$67,510.60, or 102.1 per cent.

Industrial, Howard T. Griffith, chairman, \$21,265.16, or 163 per cent; commercial, Leroy C. Bruenig, chairman, \$16,467.05, or 126.7 per cent; mercantile, Don A. Morrison, chairman, \$34,438.86, or 132.5 per cent; public, Postmaster Robert H. Bryson, chairman, \$31,974.84, or 127.9 per cent; utility, Zee W. Meach, chairman, \$14,413.34, or 120.1 per cent; and railroads, \$4,342.14, or 99.8 per cent.

The \$371,517.03 total or 101.5 per cent reported by the individual gifts division was raised as follows by the ten districts of the division:

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Incendiaries Blamed in Blaze at Unoccupied House.

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Under its terms, the building must be vacated by Sept. 1, 1931. There is no fund at present with which to construct a new building for men, Hogston learned.

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If these provisions are not complied with by Dec. 15 the original order will be in effect, Hogston said.

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Meyer in a radio address over the same station Tuesday night charged Baker with being a "fugitive from justice." Baker in a letter to the station demanded a retraction and set out that following his indictment by Calvin Coolidge, former President of the United States, now an executive of an insurance company, in a letter to Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Brown, parents of fourteen children who live near here.

CHARITY FUND TOTAL PUSHED TO \$885,642

Soars Over Goal by \$20,000; 35 Social Agencies to Get Share.

SPIRIT OF CITY LAUDED
Employees' Division Reports 141.6 Per Cent With \$193,101.

Indianapolis today stood ready to ease expected suffering from unemployment during the ensuing year, as her Community Fund coffers were heaped with contributions totaling \$20,000 more than the goal set.

Total donations of \$885,642.92 were reported at the final campaign meeting Wednesday night in the Claypool. The goal was \$865,000, and prior to Wednesday night's report \$798,745.09 has been raised. Thirty-five social service agencies will share the fund.

Reading congratulatory messages from James H. Barnes, Washington, president of the United States Chamber of Commerce, and Congressman Louis Ludlow, Fred Hoke, former fuel president who presided at the meeting, said several Indianapolis residents had telephoned the fund headquarters during the meeting, offering unsolicited subscriptions.

Baxter Adds Personal Gift
"That is the spirit that continues to prevail in the city," Hoke said.

"It means we have a glorious year ahead of us. I only wish that we could all go down into the factory, the shop, the store and the office and shake hands with every person who gave to this fund. It is wonderful the manner in which they have come to the aid of their unfortunate fellow-men and fellow-women."

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LOVES BABIES, BUT— Too Many Are 'Wished on Her'

Mrs. Aleen Deleahanty and "Louie," the second baby to be abandoned at her home in a year's time.

Mrs. Aleen Deleahanty Now Is Caring for Second Abandoned Child.

Lightning may not strike twice in the same place, but you never could prove it by Mrs. Aleen Deleahanty, 310 North Pine street.

In December of 1929, a baby was left to be boarded at the home of Mrs. Deleahanty and her sister, and the mother did not return.

Today another baby, 16-months-old, has been abandoned by his mother and Mrs. Deleahanty and her sister are beginning to believe their good nature is being imposed upon.

Left Three Weeks Ago
"The baby—we call him Louis and I think his last name is something like Sebastian—was left to be boarded with us three weeks ago by his mother," Mrs. Deleahanty told The Times today.

"She came to our home in a coupe driven by a man. She paid \$4 for one week's board and said her husband was out of the city and that she wanted to leave him with us while she hunted for work," she said.

She described the woman as between 25 and 30 years of age, wearing a green crepe dress.

Looked Lot Like Louie
"She had dark brown hair and brown eyes and looked a lot like Louie. She didn't leave many clothes for him. She called up on the phone several times after leaving him, and on one occasion, sent the man who drove her to the house with additional clothing for the baby, but she hasn't been back since," Mrs. Deleahanty said.

She expressed the belief the child's mother was in poor circumstances.

The baby left at the Deleahanty home one year ago was Herbert Smith.

Mother Returned Later
Later his mother returned and took him, but relinquished care of him to another home, Mrs. Deleahanty said.

"I didn't get any address of the mother when the Smith baby was left and I didn't get one when Louie was brought three weeks ago."

"But, believe me, if another mother comes, she's going to give me her home address and I'm going to know she lives there before I take her child."

"It's just getting to be too much of a good thing, even though I do like children," Mrs. Deleahanty concluded as her sister voted approval with a nodding head.

STATE MODIFIES
POOR FARM ORDER

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MAIL PILOT IS DEAD IN CRASH

Embry-Riddle Pilot Tries to Jump; Chute Caught.

BROOKSTON, Ind., Oct. 30.—Clarence O. Maguire, 23, Cincinnati, air mail pilot on the Embry-Riddle Company's Cincinnati-to-Chicago line, was killed near Brookston today when his airplane crashed, supposedly because of motor trouble.

Wreckage of the plane revealed that Maguire had attempted to jump, but that his parachute became fouled in the wings and dragged him to death. His cargo of mail was unharmed.

Maguire had stopped in Indianapolis shortly before the crash and was continuing on to Chicago through a dense fog shortly before daybreak. The plane fell in a corn field six miles northwest of Brookston in White county.

C. A. McConnell, field operations manager for Embry-Riddle at Mars Hill airport, Indianapolis, investigated the wreckage this morning. Officials said Maguire left Cincinnati at 3 a. m. (C. S. T.) today and left Indianapolis about 4 o'clock.

BANK REMOVES CASH
Washington Trust Reopens Three Departments.

Insurance, real estate and safety deposit departments of the Washington Bank and Trust Company were opened today.

The banking section of the institution, which failed to open its doors Tuesday morning, is closed and persons are not permitted to enter. No employees are at work in this department.

Money that remained in the vault