

# BEN LINDSEY ATTACKS POPE'S BIRTH VIEWS

St. Augustine's Ban on Divorces Caused Immoral Age, He Asserts.

**By United Press**  
NEW YORK, Jan. 9.—Judge Ben B. Lindsey, companionate marriage advocate, believes part of Pope Pius's latest encyclical "ought to do some good," but thinks most of it will have little if any effect.

The Denver jurist praised the pontiff's statements on the education of young people for marriage, but could not accept the part of the encyclical dealing with divorce and birth control.

The pope, Lindsey said, bases his protest against divorce on the gospel, which says that "whosoever shall put away his wife and marry another committeth adultery against her."

**Cites Immoral Age**

The jurist pointed out other precepts such as "sell all thou hast and give to the poor," and "if thine enemy smite thee on thy right cheek, turn to him the other also." "It would be just as futile," he said, "to expect them to avoid birth control of divorce in proper cases."

"When St. Augustine had his way and there wasn't a divorce in Europe for 300 years, historians tell us it was the most immoral and degenerate age in history."

"There should be reasonable, honest, scientific divorce where it is properly called for, and there always will be."

**Companionate Instincts**

"As to birth control, the rule proposed by the pope—outside of a very few exceptional people—is respected only by domestic animals."

"But among human beings, the relationships of the sexes are far more 'companionate' than they are procreative, and they will always be among free and intelligent people."

"The encyclical, however, sincerely intended, as I am sure it is, promises frightful punishments for those who do not agree with the doctrines of the fifteenth and sixteenth centuries."

**SUES HUSBY'S FOSTER MOTHER: GETS \$120,000**

**Wife Wins Alienation of Affection Case; Claimed "Happiness Ruined."**

**By United Press**  
ST. LOUIS, Jan. 9.—What attorneys asserted was the third largest judgment awarded in America in an alienation of affection suit was given by a jury to Mrs. Grace V. Howard, one-time candy store clerk, who sued her husband's foster mother.

Mrs. Howard was granted \$120,000 damages in her suit against Miss Sidney Emeline Boyle, foster mother of Lloyd Boyle Howard.

The wife testified that the foster mother "destroyed my happiness."

**AMOS 'N' ANDY LEAD TO YOUTH'S SHOOTING**

**Negroes Go Into Action in Argument Over Radio Pair's Residence.**

**By United Press**  
EAST ST. LOUIS, Ill., Jan. 9.—Gaston Ellis, 19-year-old Negro, recovering in a hospital here from knife wounds today conceded to his assailant that Amos 'n' Andy or radio fame live in East St. Louis.

The Negro was stabbed by another Negro when they engaged in an argument over the residence of the radio pair.

Ellis contended that they lived in Brooklyn, Ill., a suburb of East St. Louis. The other Negro maintained they lived in East St. Louis.

**GREEK FUNERAL HELD**

**Orthodox Rites Mark Service for Columbus Business Man.**

**By Times Special**  
COLUMBUS, Ind., Jan. 9.—Funeral rites of the Greek Orthodox church were held here for Pete K. Zaharako who died suddenly at his home, the Rev. Antonia Iatrides of Indianapolis, presiding.

The Rev. Mr. Iatrides was assisted by the Rev. F. R. Keicher, rector of St. Paul's Episcopal church of this city.

In keeping with the Greek service each relative kissed the corpse before the funeral party left the home, and at the grave oil was spread over the face of the dead and a handful of earth was sprinkled in the casket just before it was lowered into the grave.

Mr. Zaharako was in business here for thirty years.

**BOY HOLDS UP TWO COPS**

**Youthful 2-Gun Bandit Rides Office of Justice of Peace.**

**By United Press**  
MILLYVALE, Pa., Jan. 9.—With a revolver in each hand, and a blue bandanna handkerchief over his face, a boy bandit held up two police officers, a justice of the peace and another man in Squire Eugene Mehrlich's office Thursday night and got \$5 and a service revolver.

**ALMS USED FOR BEER**

**Poor Buying Beer Materials With Food Orders, Officials Hear.**

**By Times Special**  
FLINT, Mich., Jan. 9.—Local welfare officials were aroused today by the claim that many of Flint's poor are using grocery orders to buy beer manufacturing materials instead of food.

## Log-Rolling?

**By United Press**  
TOPEKA, Kan., Jan. 9.—A resolution that Kansas legislators live in a log house on the capitol grounds, sleep on wooden bunks and cook their own meals in order to keep within their \$3-a-day incomes was offered in the house of representatives today by Caldwell Davis of Bourbon county.

The resolution provides for building on the capitol grounds of a log dormitory "in keeping with the fashion of 1859," when the present rate of legislators' pay was fixed.

"The dormitory," the resolution provides, "should be provided with wooden bunks supplied with fresh straw twice weekly, and with tallow candles."

**Lifelong Resident Dies**

**By Times Special**  
MT. VERNON, Ind., Jan. 9.—Heart disease caused the death of Mrs. Esther E. Russell, 73, wife of William B. Russell, lifelong resident of Mt. Vernon and the last of a family of eight children born to Samuel and Mary Davis. The father came to Mt. Vernon more than a century ago.

# RUSSIANS HAVE ADVANTAGE TO LEAD IN WHEAT

Potential Producing Region Much Larger Than in U. S.; Near Waterways.

**By United Press**  
WASHINGTON, Jan. 9.—Two hundred million bushels of wheat will be exported from Russia in 1931 if the five-year plan holds up, according to a prophecy made by Dr. C. F. Marbut of the United States agriculture department in a report prepared for the Geographical Review.

Dr. Marbut, chief of the department's division of soil surveys, recently returned from an extended, scientific journey in Russia.

The potential wheat producing acreage in Russia is much greater than that of the United States. Russia has more than 482,000,000 acres of first-quality wheat land, as compared with 99,000,000 acres in this country. Russia has nearly 372,000,000 acres of second-quality wheat land, as compared with about 135,000,000 acres in this country.

In this country, the great grain belt in the plains states is remote from tidewater ports and lacks navigable river, so that all its wheat has to be hauled long distances by rail.

The European part of the Russia grain belt runs directly to the black sea, and is crossed or bordered by three large navigable rivers. The wheat zone in Asiatic Russia, however, is not so favorably situated.

Whereas the rest of the world already has put most of its possible wheat acreage into actual cultivation, Russia has vast land reserves that never have known the plow. It is this, coupled with the grandiose schemes for farms as big

as whole counties, that is causing uneasiness among the non-soviet agricultural economists at the present time.

**75 Scarlet Fever Cases**  
**By Times Special**  
NOBLESVILLE, Ind., Jan. 9.—Fifty cases of scarlet fever are reported in the extreme northwestern part of Hamilton county. It is said that many of the patients are in a serious condition. Mrs. D. F. Hicks of Indianapolis, while visiting relatives in the neighborhood contracted the disease and died.

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# HURLS CHARGES OF TAX EVASION

**Social Service Groups Should Pay, Says Hough.**  
Charges that millions of dollars in tax exemptions are being granted to social service organizations which have no right thereto were made Thursday by Will A. Hough, Greenfield, former member of the state board of tax commissioners.

Speaking before the Indianapolis Real Estate Board at the Indianapolis Athletic Club, he specifically named the Scottish Rite Cathedral, Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A. structures, Knights of Columbus and Young Men's Hebrew Association buildings and fraternity houses as beneficiaries of such exemptions.

"The exemption of property from taxation in Indiana has become an outrage," Hough declared. "The statutes provided that no property be exempted from taxation except property devoted to public use."

"All the organizations I have named are worthy enough, but their buildings are not devoted to public use," he said. "They are now exempt from taxation and the burden is thrown upon the people of this state."

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