

## INA CLAIRE AND GILBERT AGREE TO SEPARATION

John Apparently Is Peeved by Actress' Interviews Given in Chicago.

By United Press  
HOLLYWOOD, Cal., Feb. 14.—John Gilbert and his wife, Ina Claire, both film stars, have agreed to separate, according to their announcement, but both refused today to state whether they contemplated divorce.

Miss Claire returned to California Friday night after completing a personal appearance in the east. She arrived at Pasadena and appeared vexed when Gilbert did not meet her.

Questioned by reporters, she declared she had been misquoted in eastern interviews and declined to comment until, she said, she would "talk to Jack."

They issued the announcement later from their Beverly Hills home. "On my arrival in Los Angeles today, Mr. Gilbert and I have agreed to separate," Miss Claire stated.

"Any difficulties or misunderstandings we have had are at least probably as much my fault as his. I did not wish to discuss my personal life at this time, but owing to the fact I recently have been misquoted, I felt it was only fair and more comfortable for Mr. Gilbert, myself and our friends to stop any further evasions."

Miss Claire said that Chicago interviews in which she was quoted as declaring that "I'd rather be my husband's mistress than his housekeeper," were intended to be facetious.

Miss Claire and Gilbert were married in Las Vegas, Nev., early in 1929. Several months later, Miss Claire moved to a separate house in Beverly Hills.

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## YOUNG BANDIT GETS ONE-YEAR SENTENCE

Accomplice, Older, Must Serve Ten Years; Another Still at Large.

Because he was younger than his companions in the crime, Ernest McNew, 19, one of three alleged to have taken William Ralph, 2500 Asland avenue, for a "ride" and robbed him Oct. 18, was given a "chance" in criminal court Friday. He was sentenced to serve one year at the state farm.

His accomplice, Ray Parker, 29, of 1834 Orleans street, recently was sentenced to serve ten years in the Indiana state prison for the same crime. A third accomplice has not been captured.

McNew, under the law, might have been sentenced to ten years at the reformatory.

## EIGHT NOMINATED ON BUTLER DRIFT STAFF

Outstanding Scholars Selected for Student Section of Annual.

Eight outstanding students at Butler university have been nominated for the representative student section of the Drift, university annual which will be published in May, Thurman Ridge, editor of the book, said today.

These students were selected by a committee of three faculty members on a basis of scholarship, personality, leadership, and activities. Those chosen were Edward Green, Maynard Lemen, Margaret Barker, Rosemary Bretzman, seniors, and Elma Rose Sellers, Valentina Meng, Howard Crise, and Warren Isom, juniors.

## ALUMNI WILL CONVEENE

Miami University Association to Observe Founders' Day.

One hundred Miami university alumni are expected to attend the annual Founders' day dinner of the Indianapolis Alumni Association Tuesday night at the Spink-Arms.

Dr. Stephen Riggs Williams, professor of zoology at Miami, will speak. Before the dinner, alumni will hear a broadcast program commemorating the one hundred twenty-second anniversary of the university's founding.

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## Ends Her Globe Hop



Nine thousand miles of overland flight were behind her when, as pictured above, Mrs. Victor Bruce, globe-trotting British aviatrix, arrived at Glenn Curtis airport, New York. She flew her biplane alone from London to Tokyo, Japan, crossed the Pacific by steamer to Vancouver, B. C., and then flew eastward across the American continent. The plane will be sent back to England by liner.

## ROBBERIES NET BANDITS \$190

Three Grocers, Pharmacy Held Up by Gunmen.

Three groceries and a pharmacy were held up Thursday, and bandits obtained \$190 in money, police records show.

One man held up Gerald West, manager of a Standard grocery, 37 West Thirty-fourth street, and four employees, and took more than \$50 from three cash registers.

A young bandit forced four customers, the butcher and manager of a Kroger grocery, 3559 North Capitol avenue, behind the counter, and robbed two cash registers of about \$50.

Two bandits, thought to have been foreigners, entered the Haag Drug Company store at Twenty-second and Meridian streets, and made E. C. Thompson, 2127 North Elmore street, a salesman, and several women customers to lie down on the floor, while they rifled the cash register of about \$75.

Two men held up George Ferguson, Kroger grocery manager, at 728 East Vermont street, an employee, and a customer, and took \$15 from the cash drawer.

## OPPOSES DRY REPEAL

Epworth League Petitions Legislature Against Wet Agitation.

The Epworth League has gone on record against repeal or modification of the Wright bone dry law by the present state legislature. The league is an organization of young people associated with the Methodist Episcopal church.

The action was in the form of a resolution addressed to the legislature and passed Thursday at the midwinter institute of the Indianapolis district, held at the Central Avenue Methodist church.

## CLUB WILL CELEBRATE

Valentine Party to Be Given on Mythical World Tour.

Guests at the Towne Club this week-end, sailing west from Honolulu on a mythical trip around the world, will stay on board ship for a Valentine party, at which Norman Nasser, Archelline Chambers, Judy Sullivan and Lester Cahill will entertain them.

Wednesday night Eddie Sawyer will become master of ceremonies at the club.

## OLD YALE GRAD DIES

E. P. Bradstreet Sr. Succumbs After Two Weeks' Illness.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 14.—E. P. Bradstreet Sr., 100, Yale's oldest living graduate, died at his home in Hartwell early today following a two-weeks' illness.

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## Aid Red Cross

By Science Service  
CARVILLE, La., Feb. 14.—Sympathy for other sufferers has so moved the patients at the National Leprosarium here, themselves victims of one of the world's most dreaded diseases, that they have contributed \$623.63 to the Red Cross fund for drought relief. The gift was made up of contributions from all the patients here.

## AUTO HITS WOMAN

Mrs. Lorena Wilson Taken to City Hospital.

Struck by an auto Friday night, Mrs. Lorena Wilson, 30, of 1624 North Tibbs avenue, today is in serious condition at the city hospital.

She was hit by a car driven by Elmore Sarver, Negro, 21, of 2472 Cornell avenue, at Meridian and Ohio streets. Sarver was not held after police were informed Mrs. Wilson stepped in front of the auto.

Felix W. Munn, 32, of 1307 North Meridian street, was injured slightly when his car was struck by an interurban at the same corner.

## SHALLOW OIL WELLS AGAIN HAVE MARKET

Standard Agrees to Take Excess Production for 90 Days.

By United Press  
INDEPENDENCE, Kan., Feb. 14.—Oil began flowing again from shallow wells in southern Kansas counties today to a market the operators had lacked since Jan. 1.

The Prairie Oil and Gas Company will transport 6,000 barrels of crude oil daily through its pipe lines to an Illinois port, under a new agreement with the Standard Oil of Indiana to take the excess oil for ninety days.

## INSANITY TO BE PLEA

Herbert Kaster Indicates Defense on Wife Shooting Charge.

Plea of not guilty to first degree murder was entered in criminal court Friday by Herbert R. Kaster, 29, who shot and killed his wife, Mrs. Helen Kaster, in a downtown department store Nov. 25. Ira M. Holmes, Kaster's attorney, indicated he would file an insanity plea in his client's behalf.

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## CITY TO BUILD STREETS WITH MANUAL LABOR

Machinery Not to Be Bought in Order to Make Work for Jobless.

Although more costly, manual labor will work on the city's streets, and the city will not purchase new grading machinery now, E. Kirk McKinney, chairman of the works board, told a committee that discussed plans to aid unemployed Friday.

McKinney said a \$100,000 bond issue will be floated immediately to carry on a street resurfacing program, and bids for materials, totaling \$30,000, will be made at once.

The committee was comprised of Mayor Reginald E. Sullivan, and Red Cross and make-work commission representatives. A. C. Sallee, park superintendent, described plans to build boulevards this spring, and plans also were discussed of raising the fund necessary to continue the made-work program.

## FRANK M. MURPHY DIES AT COLORADO SPRINGS

Funeral Services Are Held for Former Printer.

Funeral services for Frank M. Murphy, retired member of the Typographical Union, No. 1, were held this morning at Holy Cross Catholic Church of which he was a member.

Murphy was born in Rushville and was 67. He was employed at the Indianapolis News from 1913 until July 1, 1929. He then went to live at the Union Printers' home, Colorado Springs, Col., where he died Thursday.

He is survived by the widow, Mrs. Margaret Murphy, Colorado Springs, and son, Joseph E. Murphy of Indianapolis.

## O'NEILL WILL PRESENT NEW PLAY IN CYCLES

Author of "Strange Interlude" to Give "Three Shows in One."

By United Press  
NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—Theatergoers who witnessed performances of "Strange Interlude" Eugene O'Neill's nine-act drama which included a recess for dinner, have something to "look forward to."

The Theater Guild, which produced "Strange Interlude" successfully, both in New York and on the road, is awaiting a new play by the dramatist to be presented in cycles; it really is three plays in one.

The drama may be presented in one theater or three simultaneously, on successive nights or in cycles, or may have one of three casts. The play's name is not yet known.

## MORE LOBBYISTS FILE

Anti-Saloon League, Veterans and Barbers Are Represented.

Three additional lobbyists have filed as legislative representatives with Frank May Jr., secretary of state.

Edward G. Schaub declared he represented the Veterans of Foreign Wars; L. E. York, superintendent of the Indiana Anti-Saloon League, is representing that organization, and Herbert Fram of Hammond will represent the Indiana State Association of Journeymen Barbers.

## Two Held in Car Theft Plot

Two men were held on charges of conspiracy to commit a felony after police alleged they plotted to have a car stolen and collect insurance. The men are Eddie Griever, 30, and Robert Gorman, both of 420 East North street. Griever was to have stolen Gorman's car, police allege.

## MOBILIZE RAIL WORKERS

Soviet Conscripts Men to Help on Transportation System.

By United Press  
MOSCOW, Feb. 14.—Twenty-four hundred former railroad workers had been mobilized today under the recent order conscripting men experienced in railroad work to help normalize the soviet transportation system.

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## 'Naps' 6 Months



A sleep of six months just is ending for Miss Dorothy Helen Sawyer (above) of Webster Grove, Mo., who has awakened after an extended coma that puzzled her doctors.

She became unconscious last summer when she was nearly drowned while bathing in a river, and did not regain consciousness until the other day. Now she seems 'to be recovering.

## DRYS WILL AID THURSTON BILL

Reapportionment Measure May Cause Filibuster.

By Scripps-Howard Newspaper Alliance  
WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—The drys are making common cause with the loser states in an eleventh hour attempt to upset reapportionment in favor of the Thurston bill, enlarging the house from 435 seats to 475 seats.

Hearings in the house census committee reveal that not only is there a safe majority favoring the Thurston measure, but that the rules committee has a majority of one in favor of a ruling. A poll of house members indicates that there are 240 members from dry and agricultural states due to lost membership under the Fenn law. These might vote for enlarging the house membership and thus save their states from loss of seats under the present reapportionment scheme.

Should the Thurston bill come to the floor in the next fortnight, the western and southern states gaining under reapportionment, rely on help from Speaker Longworth, from Ohio, which gains seats. Failing there, California, Texas and other members probably would filibuster. California is the biggest gainer under reapportionment, increasing her seats from 11 to 20. Under the Thurston bill her proportionate gain would be nil.

## FIRE DESTROYS HOUSE

Blaze of Undetermined Origin on U. S. Road 31 Causes \$7,000 Loss.

Fire of undetermined origin late Friday destroyed the residence of Victor Vann, Seventy-first street and U. S. Road 31. Firemen were handicapped in fighting the blaze due to lack of water. The damage is estimated at \$7,000.

## FIVE SLEEPERS, OVERCOME BY SMOKE, SAVED

50 Others Are Periled by Dense Fumes From Grocery Fire.

By United Press  
CHICAGO, Feb. 14.—Smoke billowing from a fire in a grocery store overcame five persons asleep in apartments above early today and seriously endangered fifty others.

The fire, of slight consequence itself, was discovered by B. F. Slater and Harry Lemare, who were working in a garage nearby. They ran through the building, shouting and knocking on doors to spread the alarm.

In one apartment, firemen found Roy Ambrose, his wife and their two children overcome by the smoke. In another, on the second floor of the three-story building, they found Mrs. J. W. Hosselton, who had dropped, unconscious, while attempting to escape.

Physicians said all the smoke victims would recover.

## TEACHER AND PUPIL COURTSIPS ASSAILED

National Education Association Learns of Views by Questionnaire.

By United Press  
WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—Social relations between school teachers and pupils severely are frowned upon in replies to a questionnaire sent out recently by the National Education Association.

The association's research bulletin, just published, shows late hours, smoking, immodest dress, dancing and drinking also are frowned upon in the replies.

The bulletin indicated its disapproval of student-teacher affinities in strong terms, as follows: "Well established policies growing out of the experience of our most successful school systems warrant the condemnation of courtsips between teachers and pupils."

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## CONTRACTS AWARDED FOR 6 NEW BRIDGES

Kentucky Company Given Three Jobs on Indiana Highways.

Dilliter, Miller and McClure Company of Covington, Ky., has been awarded a contract for construction of three bridges on State Road 1 for \$23,293.23. Two of the

bridges are near Brookville in Franklin county and one near Ever-ton in Fayette county.

Harry Hicks and Son of North Vernon were awarded a \$591,881 contract for construction of a bridge near Scipio in Jennings county. M. and P. Contracting Company of Rockport got a \$23,966.13 contract for two bridges on State Road 54, one near Hobberville in Green county and the other near Springville in Lawrence county.

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