

STOUT FIELD BECOMES STRICTLY MILITARY AIRPORT

NATIONAL GUARD PURCHASE FINAL STEP IN CHANGE

Commercial Aviation Moves to Municipal Field as Lease Is Ended.

CURTISS MOVING OUT

Exodus Completes Return of Mars Hill Site to Military Use.

Exodus, beginning today, of Curtiss-Wright Flying Service from Stout field, Mars Hill, will see complete transition of one of the city's major commercial aviation centers of two years ago, and the return of the airport to a strictly military field.

Purchased originally by the state for the One Hundred Thirtieth observation squadron, Indiana national guard, the field was transformed into a commercial port several years ago when Curtiss-Wright obtained a fifty-year lease and erected the most elaborate hangar in the vicinity.

Embry-Riddle, an air mail and passenger division of American Airways, and Transcontinental Air Transport, now Transcontinental and Western Air, Inc., also went to the field, the latter constructing its own buildings between the squadron's hangars and the Curtiss-Wright base. Several private pilots and clubs operated from the field.

Removal in Two Weeks

Thus Stout field became not only a military field, but the most important commercial port in the city.

However, when municipal airport was completed, both passenger and mail lines and several private owners transferred there.

Saturday, Curtiss-Wright relinquished its lease and sold its hangar to the city, and, leaving the field, will be the last commercial aviation enterprise to use the state port.

Equipment not purchased by the squadron will be moved from the field within two weeks, and the squadron is expected to take possession of the buildings within ten days to two weeks, according to Major Richard P. Taylor, commanding officer.

The squadron will be in monopoly of the field within thirty days, he predicted. Its quarters in the national guard armory downtown will be given up, and the space in the new hangar and in the small buildings erected by TAT will be utilized for offices, the major said.

Squadron Back From Camp

The hangars are heated, and will house all planes owned by the squadron.

The squadron returned to Stout field Sunday after two weeks' annual training at Camp Knox, Ky., with the Thirty-eighth division of national guard troops, of which it is the air unit.

Army air corps, inspectors, watching the squadron operate at camp, gave it high rating. Major Taylor said. One officer said it was the best national guard squadron in the United States, from military and flying points of view.

All equipment used at camp is being checked this week, and one plane, due for a major overhaul but damaged in a minor crash at camp, is to go to Fairview depot to be rebuilt.

CLARK FACING STIFF QUIZ IN DEATH TRIAL

Former West Coast Prosecutor to Be on Witness Stand Again.

By United Press
LOS ANGELES, Aug. 17.—David H. Clark, former assistant prosecutor, faced cross-examination today in his trial on charges of slaying Herbert Spencer, a magazine editor, who opposed Clark's candidacy for a municipal judgeship.

Clark was cross-examined for seven hours Friday on his plea that he shot Spencer and Charles Crawford, a politician, in self defense.

"The real heavy work was saved for today, however," said Prosecutor W. Joseph Ford.

Ford previously devoted his questioning to an attack on Clark's political life, seeking to show the defendant was insincere in his plea "against the underworld."

FRATERNITY TO MEET

Sigma Nu to Hold Annual Conclave at Ontario Lake.

Twenty-fifth biennial grand chapter meeting of Sigma Nu fraternity at Bigwin Inn, Lake of Bays, Ontario, will draw many Indiana Sigma Nus. National headquarters of the fraternity are at 745 Illinois building.

Chairman of the general arrangements committee is Malcolm C. Sewell, new general secretary and formerly a faculty member at Kansas State college, who has been in Indianapolis since Aug. 1, working with the retiring secretary, Vernon W. Williams, and Charles Edward Thomas, editor of the Delta, on convention plans.

Mrs. Williams heads the women's committee for the convention.

DRY AGENT DROWNED

Customs Man Falls Off Boat as It Chases Rum Runner.

By United Press
ST. ALBANS, Vt., Aug. 17.—A rum runner chased today in the drowning of a customs agent.

Louis A. Babcock, 42, of Waterbury, Vt., was a veteran and a customs agent for the last two years, left overboard in 190 feet of water while the patrol boat on which he was serving was going at twenty miles an hour in pursuit of an alleged rum runner.

Barred Senator Charges \$355,000 Was Offered Him by Rosenwald to Quit Race

Frank L. Smith Issues Open Letter, Hitting Back at Philanthropist for Illinois Campaign Activity.

By United Press
CHICAGO, Aug. 17.—Frank L. Smith charged today in an open letter that Julius Rosenwald, the philanthropist, offered him the equivalent of \$355,000 in 1928 to withdraw from the senatorial race in Illinois.

The letter was addressed to Carroll Woody, University of Chicago professor, who recently published a book condemning Smith's successful 1928 campaign which resulted in the senate later refusing him his seat. Smith suggested the letter be incorporated as an additional chapter of the book.

Although copies of the letter were distributed widely in advance, members of Rosenwald's family said today the philanthropist had not been informed of the charges against him.

Rosenwald has been seriously ill the last four months and his son Lessing announced that "because of his condition, members of the family are unwilling at this time to have brought to his attention the controversy between Professor Woody and Mr. Smith."

The Dwight real estate man, whom the United States senators



Julius Rosenwald

barred from sitting among them because they said he had accepted more than \$200,000 in campaign contributions from Samuel Insull, midwest utilities magnate, charged in his letter that Rosenwald wanted him to withdraw from the race so that Hugh S. Magill, independent Republican, could have a clear field.

He said that on Oct. 3, 1926 (after he had been nominated by the Republican party and stories had been published concerning the Insull contribution), Rosenwald made him the offer in the Congress hotel in Chicago.

Smith quoted Rosenwald as saying to him on that occasion: "After the meeting the other day, I went to an inner room to take a siesta, upon orders from my doctor. While lying there thinking, I had a brainstorm. I thought to myself, 'If I will give \$500,000 to have Magill elected, why not give Frank Smith \$500,000 and have him withdraw?'"

"No one knows what I am about to say to you except my wife, whose consent I had to get before I could make the offer, and no one else will know from me."

"If you will withdraw from the senatorial race, I am here to offer you 10,000 shares of Sears-Roebuck stock the moment you sign your withdrawal notice. In a few months that stock will be worth three-quarters of a million dollars." (Smith states at another point that the stock actually was worth \$2,000,000 two years later.)

In the 1928 election Rosenwald, according to Smith's letter, sponsored Magill's candidacy. Smith was elected. The James A. Reed senatorial committee investigated the campaign, with the result that Smith twice walked into the United States senate seeking recognition

for years and when we do get a break and get into office, some one pushes the bowl out of my reach."

Of course, this is true—Lake county never has had a Democratic administration, and it is something new not to have its county officials under indictment for one chicanery or another, as has been the history of the past.

It is most difficult for Lake county taxpayers to become accustomed to this.

NAB 8 ON WOMAN'S TIP

Scorned Dance Hall Hostess Turns Police on Robber Gang.

By United Press
NEW YORK, Aug. 17.—The woman scorned had led today to the capture of a band of six men and two women wanted in connection with about 100 robberies, but not until after a thirty-minute gun battle.

Among the prisoners was believed to be the successor to the informant, who in an embittered voice notified the police six desperate men "well armed" were at Brooklyn apartment. Her name was not divulged, but police said she was a taxi-dance hall hostess jilted by one of the men.

The prisoners were held on charges of possessing firearms pending appearance of burglary complaints.

PLEADS FOR SACRIFICES
Ramsay MacDonald Heads Labor Fight to Stave Off Finance Crisis.

By United Press
LONDON, Aug. 17.—An appeal for greater sacrifices was expected to be made by Premier J. Ramsay MacDonald today in heading the labor government's fight to stave off a serious financial crisis.

A plan of "equal sacrifice for all" is said to have been drawn up by the premier, involving a scheme to enforce a reduction in the cost of living. The British people, already among the highest taxed in the world, will have to dig even deeper into their purses to meet the present threat of economic chaos, it is intimated.

BURNET RITES ARE SET

Funeral Services to Be Held at Mortuary for Lumber Man.

Funeral services for Harry Burnet, 69, president of the Burnet-Binford Lumber Company will be held at 3:30 this afternoon at Flannery and Buchanan mortuary. Burial will be in Crown Hill cemetery.

Palbearers for Mr. Burnet, who succumbed Saturday after a year's illness at his home, 4417 North Pennsylvania, will be: F. L. Binford, Charles E. Wagner, Frank Fowler, J. P. Moore, Smith Gray and F. E. Smith.

JOBLESS STAGE BATTLE

Steamer Co. Advertises for 150 Men; 1,500 Comes as Applicants.

By United Press
BOSTON, Aug. 17.—A dozen policemen were called to keep order here today when a steamship company advertised for 150 men and more than ten times that number responded. Near-riot scenes were enacted at the pier where the American steamer Ormes docked from Port Antonio, Jamaica, with 25,200 stems of bananas aboard.

HIGH HONOR IS PAID TO STATE PIONEER

By Times Special
LAGODA, Ind., Aug. 17.—Thirty-seventh annual reunion of the Hostetter family was held in Lagoda Sunday at the home of Mrs. Amanda Hostetter, and was attended by 125 members and friends of the family.

The reunion this year was of special significance, as it commemorated the one hundredth anniversary of the arrival of David Hostetter, a pioneer of the family, in Montgomery county.

A granite monument was unveiled with suitable ceremonies on the farm that he entered as government land, three and one-half miles southwest of Lagoda, one hundred years ago. The monument bears the following inscription: "To the memory of David Hostetter, our honored ancestor and pioneer, who settled on this farm in 1831. Erected by his descendants 1931."

The program Sunday was in charge of grandchildren of the pioneer. The monument was presented by Mrs. Julia McCorkle of Crawfordsville, chairman of the committee in charge. It was unveiled by Mrs. David Harshbarger and Mrs. Harry Walterhouse of Lagoda, the oldest and youngest living grandchildren.

It was accepted by David B. Hostetter of Roachdale, president of the family organization, and was adorned with a beautiful wreath presented by Mrs. Ursula Hurt of Thornmont.

Brief historical sketches were read by Miss Lydia Hostetter of Lagoda, Professor George Lewis of Lafayette and the Rev. Henry B. Hostetter of Indianapolis, indicating the important part that the pioneer ancestor had had in the early development of Montgomery county.

Three of his sons served in the state legislature and many of his descendants now occupy places of responsibility in this state and others.



Frank L. Smith

as a member, and twice was refused his seat on the ground that his campaign expenditures had been "scandalous."

On one of these occasions he was named by former Governor Len Small to fill a vacancy.

In his letter, Smith charged also that Rosenwald sponsored and financed the book published by Woody.

ARREST SIX IN SPEAKIE RAIDS

Drain Pipe Gives Evidence to Police.

The city's "thousand speakies" that Police Chief Michael Morrissey announced he intends to clean out were reduced by three more today as reports of Lieutenant John Sheehan and Sergeant Ralph Dean showed six arrests in three places.

Sam Phillips and John Pete were charged with blind tiger after police took a small amount of alcohol from a drain pipe into which they say Phillips and Pete tried to dump their supply. The raid was at 31 South California street.

Alex Matuch, 113 South California street, was charged with blind tiger when a half gallon of alcohol was confiscated at his home. Dowey Stewart, 809 South Missouri street, and Nora Mullen, 3729 East Washington street, face similar charges after a raid at the Missouri street address. Helen Williams, 113 South California street, in the house at the time, was charged with vagrancy.

James Colonis, poolroom operator at 1024 South Illinois street, was charged with keeping a gaming house after police broke up a domino game there. Seven persons were held on gaming and visiting charges.

OUTINGS ATTRACT THROUGHS TO PARKS

2,000 Attend Railroad Event at Riverside; 2,500 at Garfield Fete.

Picnics, festivals and open-air stage presentations claimed the pleasure hours of thousands of Indianapolis residents who flocked to parks over the week-end.

Two thousand gathered at Riverside to participate in games and picnic meals of the Ship and Travel by Rail Club, composed of railroad and express employees Sunday. Mayor Reginald H. Sullivan and city and railroad officials spoke.

Former residents of six southeastern Indiana counties attended the annual reunion of the Southeastern Indiana Association, in Brookside park Sunday. More than 1,000 persons attended.

Officers elected: President, J. C. Thompson; vice-presidents, Walter McGovern, Jackson county; Jacob Friz, Jennings; the Rev. Guy Leary, Scott; F. V. Farabee, Washington; Martin E. Hall, Clark and George W. Stout, Jefferson, and secretary-treasurer, C. W. White.

Five thousand persons Saturday night attended the fish fry and jubilee of the Riverside park Methodist Episcopal church at Perry park, Harding and Sixteenth streets. Vaudeville entertainment presented by children from a dozen city parks attracted an audience of 2,500 at Garfield park Saturday night.

Phil Parsons, 1936 Boyd avenue, won first prize at the show. He is an acrobatic dancer. Second place was awarded Mary Joe Rosner, 1513 South New Jersey street, dancer, and third to Opal Longest, 3817 East Fourteenth street, tap dancer.

Other attendance figures at outings: Orange and Crawford counties former residents' reunion, Brookside park, 100; descendants of Joseph Marvel, 50; Big Four railroad outing, Broad Ripple park, 1,000, and park board street dance, Rhodus park, 3,000.

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Man and Boy Are Injured Fatally When Struck on National Road.

Three dead and more than a score of victims sent to hospitals was the week-end toll of crowded streets and highways in and near Indianapolis.

John Cook, 58, of 819 Coolidge avenue, was killed early today when struck by an auto while crossing National road west of the city.

Mary Ella Johnson, 4, of 503 North Liberty street, died at City hospital of injuries received when a racing truck leaped the curb in front of her home.

Arturo Alvarez, 6, a Mexican child en route with his family from Mexico to McKeesport, Pa., was killed when struck by an auto along National road west of Bridgeport, Sunday, according to state police.

Cook was struck by an auto driven by W. N. Haine, 44 Ridgeview drive. Haine did not see Cook, who was said to be crossing the street with his head down.

The little Mexican boy was eating lunch with his father, Pasqual Alvarez, and his family at the side of the road, and wandered on to the highway where an auto driven by J. M. Gastino, R. R. 3, struck him. The injured:

Mrs. Laura Resner, 80, of 2328 Broadway, in collision, Twenty-seventh and Illinois streets.

Mrs. Bertha Seize, 50 Versailles, legs and back injured, struck by auto in Riverside park.

Miss Doris Flesher, 18, struck by auto that careened over curb in front of her home at 2101 North Washington street, Sunday, 2017 North Washington street, charged with drunken driving, drunkenness, assault and battery, and operating blind tiger.

Rev. Lockhart, 23, of 819 Roopa street, cut and bruised when struck by car in 400 block West Washington street.

Roxie Majors, 16, Negro, 818 South Senate avenue, injured in collision in North Grant street.

Mrs. Emma Griffith, 29, Anderson, cut and bruised in collision on State Road 53 southwest of the city.

Miss Frances Ryan, 20, of 540 North Riverside street, cut and bruised in collision with a car at 540 North Riverside street, cut and bruised in collision with a car at 540 North Riverside street.

CHINESE ASK WHEAT

Nanking Consul Asks United States Regarding Credit Terms.

By United Press
WASHINGTON, Aug. 17.—The Chinese government today proposed to buy surplus farm board wheat. The state department received an inquiry regarding credit terms on which such a purchase might be arranged. The inquiry was transmitted through the consul at Nanking.

The Chinese authorities proposed to use the wheat to relieve suffering in the flooded Yangtze valley.

BOY'S PET DOG LOST

White, Toy Fox Terrier Is at Large Somewhere in City.

A white, toy Fox Terrier with two black eyes and one black ear somewhere today perhaps missed its master as much as the 12-year-old boy who owns the dog missed his pet.

The dog was property of Donald Windisch, 12, of 2956 Sangster avenue. He said Boots, the dog, had a habit of jumping from their car when it stopped, and that Boots fled the machine Sunday morning and has not returned.

Two years ago Don lost another dog, a Collie. A story in The Times then caused its return. Don't telephone number is CHERRY 2547.

CHILD HURT IN CRASH

Car Swerves and Plunges Head On Into Approaching Auto.

By Times Special
COLUMBUS, Ind., Aug. 17.—Billy Brinkman, 3, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brinkman of this city, formerly of Indianapolis, is in a local hospital, suffering a broken shoulder and other injuries sustained in an automobile accident.

Brinkman, driving the car, reached over to pull the child away from the door. He swerved the car to the left side of the road and it crashed head-on with an automobile driven by Everett Rathman of East Columbus. Both cars were demolished. Mrs. Brinkman sustained a deep cut across her forehead.

Winter's Here

By United Press
DENVER, Colo., Aug. 17.—Denver took on a mid-winter appearance when a record breaking August hailstorm filled the streets with ice Sunday to a depth of three feet.

Temperatures dropped rapidly and many residents were seen clearing away the drifted ice with snowshovels so they could get their automobiles out of driveways.

A violent crash of thunder preceded the freak storm. The hail and then heavy rain followed. Trees were stripped of their leaves by the hail stones. Gardens were destroyed.

When the ice melted, storm streets were filled with water. Sewers were overtaxed and the At Alameda and Santa Fe, a busy corner, a lake 350 feet wide and three feet deep was formed.

LEGION 'GRAB' IS CHARGED TO CARNEGIE BOARD

Bonus Pleas Assailed by Foundation in Report: Fails Colleges.

By United Press
NEW YORK, Aug. 17.—The American Legion is assailed as a subsidy seeking group of lobbyists, and exemption of college football from taxation is attacked today by the Carnegie Foundation.

Dr. Henry S. Pritchett, retiring president, in the annual report of the foundation, published today, said:

"The claim that the country owes a subsidy to every citizen who has served sixty or ninety days in its military service is an impudent and unwarranted claim. To admit it would strike at the very roots of patriotism itself."

"The moment a citizen calls on the government for a subsidy, whether in the form of bonus or old-age pension, for service that neither has affected unfavorably his health, nor his ability to earn a living, he abandons his position as a patriot."

College Football Hit

Dr. Pritchett accused leaders of the Legion of imitating the G. A. R. in raiding the United States treasury and warned that giving former soldiers a bonus would place a staggering and intolerable burden on the nation.

"The commercializing of football and its transformation from a game into a public show for money raises an interesting question concerning taxation," Dr. Pritchett said. He suggested that colleges and universities which have tremendous incomes from football "carry their share of the burden of government."

Results of examinations given to 10,000 Pennsylvania students indicate that the American system of term courses with term examinations and credits does not favor the retention and general increase of important knowledge.

Believes Change Urgent
"To deserve the name of an educational institution, a college, in its organization and emphasis, should clearly not be concerned primarily with raw information, but with the thinking processes that alone convert such information into effective knowledge," declared W. S. Learned, staff member, who believes that a marked change must be made in teaching methods.

During the year 1929-30 the foundation began the payment of ninety new allowances and pensions of an annual value of \$154,000 to sixty former teachers and thirty widows.

In Indiana the following institutions are associated with the foundation under the free pension plan: Indiana university, Purdue university and Wabash college. Rose Polytechnic institute is connected with the foundation under both free pension and contractual annuity plans.

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FLEEING BANDIT MAKES ESCAPE IN GUN BATTLE

Burglars Busy in City Over Week-End: Strike in Many Places.

Striking in all parts of the city, bandits and burglars were busy over the week-end.

One Negro was arrested in connection with a running gun battle with a police officer following the stickup of a filling station.

The Negro bandit obtained \$20 when he held up Forrest Donovan, 35, attendant at a Shell station at Thirty-eighth street and Kenwood avenue.

Persons who saw the Negro flee from the station led William H. Rowe, motorcycle officer, to Thirty-fourth street and Kenwood avenue, where the Negro was attempting to board a cab.

Opens Fire on Cop

The Negro opened fire on Rowe. As Rowe ran toward the taxi he shot several times, riddling the cab from which the bandit fled on foot.

The Negro last was seen at Thirty-second street and Kenwood avenue, but eluded police.

Officers later arrested Lucius Gordon, Negro, 38, living in the rear of 710 Day street. They said he was armed. He is charged with carrying concealed weapons, vagrancy and resisting arrest.

Search for a bandit who has robbed several petty parties near the Ft. Harrison reservation was reopened today after Sergeant Alfred Cahill, 47, reported struggling with the bandit more than an hour early Sunday.

Two Shots Are Fired

The bandit who attempted to hold up Cahill, who was accompanied by Miss Elsie Smith of the reservation, fired two shots during the struggle, it was said. Cahill overpowered him and went with Miss Smith for police aid. When deputy sheriffs reached the heavily wooded section, the bandit had regained consciousness and fled, they said.

Other robberies reported: Harry Wood pharmacy, 1918 East Forty-sixth street, merchandise, \$250; Walter Reynolds, 23, 527 North Arsenal avenue, \$25; North Senate avenue, \$21 from safe; Jacob Schumeyer, restaurant, 41 South Delaware street, \$5; Henderson Station, Fifteenth and Mill streets, \$100; Willie Shick, 833 East Wyoming street, \$13; George Paver, 4225 Grandview avenue, golf clubs and auto accessories, \$85; A. L. Cuny, 2130 North Delaware street, auto bumper, \$15; and C. H. La Salle, Graveland hotel, J. B. Johnson, 100 Edgemont avenue and Stephen Toner, 1415 Broadway, reported tires valued at \$60 stolen from their cars.

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