

## REJECTION OF WATSON MOIST PLAN REPORTED

G. O. P. Leaders Understood to Have Agreed on Another Plank.

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WASHINGTON, June 7.—A prohibition plan, slightly more than "moist," is understood to have been agreed upon by Republican party chieftains, and senators. Majority Leader James E. Watson is reported to have promised to propose it to the Indiana state Republican convention, prior to its adoption by the national convention at Chicago.

At a conference of fifteen party leaders held at the Congressional Country Club here Sunday, Watson's so-called "modest moist plank" is understood to have been rejected because it proposed a procedure too cumbersome.

Watson's plan, which might well be described as "all things to all men," called for conventions in the various states to determine whether to petition congress to resubmit the eighteenth amendment for repeal or modification. Under his proposal, congress would resubmit the question, if and when petitions had been received from a sufficient number of state conventions.

Each of the states would then have to hold a second convention, to determine whether to ratify the change, by repeal or modification. It also called for strict enforcement of prohibition, so long as it remains in the Constitution and denounced the "open saloon" as an enemy of society.

The national prohibition plank, tentatively agreed to yesterday at the conference of party leaders, likewise expressed "unalterable opposition" to the return of the saloon, and advocated "faithful enforcement" of all laws.

But the procedure agreed to by

## CHARLES RINK, CITY PIONEER, IS DEAD

III for Six Months: Funeral Is Set for Wednesday.

Charles B. Rink, 60, former department manager and buyer for Rink's cloak house, and resident of the city most of his life, died Monday at St. Francis hospital after an illness of six months.

A native of Morris, Ind., Mr. Rink came to the city with his parents when a child. He joined his brothers, Joseph and Edward Rink, in the clothing business forty years ago.

Funeral services will be held at 8:30 Wednesday in the Royster & Askin funeral home, and at 9 in St. John's Catholic church, of which he was a member. Burial will be in St. Joseph's cemetery.

### R. F. Geddes Dies

Illness of several weeks resulted in the death of R. Felix Geddes, 50, former president of Havens & Geddes, Monday in Methodist hospital.

Born in Terre Haute, where the firm of Havens & Geddes was inaugurated, he attended school in Chicago and in Pottstown, Pa. He

which the eighteenth amendment might be "retained, repealed or modified," was much less circuitous than that sponsored by Watson. It provides for "prompt action" by congress to resubmit the question to the states for immediate ratification or rejection.

Watson drafted his "back door" approach plank several days ago, with the view of submitting it to the Indiana convention this week. He later asked that his plank be shelved until national leaders could agree upon the plank to be approved by the national convention, holding that the state plank should be the same as the national plank.

"I don't want my platform to get into a joint debate with Hoover's

## GROCERS ASSAIL 2-CENT HIKE IN PRICE OF BREAD

Write Lawmakers, Urging Federal Probe; Assert No Excuse Exists.

Condemnation of the bread price hike of 2 cents a pound resulted by city bakers was general today among city independent grocers.

The grocers met Monday night in the General Electric building under the auspices of the Indianapolis Retail Meat and Grocers' Association and deplored the increase to 7 cents a pound loaf.

Telegrams were sent today to Senators Arthur R. Robinson and James E. Watson and Congressman Louis Ludlow, urging a government probe of the local bread price fluctuations.

Fred Steinberger, association president, said the members were unanimous in the belief that the

bread price increase was "unwarranted."

"Customers of independent stores who have supported us are turning to the chain stores to purchase their bread at a 3-cent reduction, and in consequence, are causing us a loss of trade," Steinberger said.

He said his association believed no valid reason could be offered by the bakers for the increase, pointing out that other cities are holding to a 5-cent price.

In the telegrams sent to congressional representatives from this district, the association declared wholesale bakers had reduced operating expenses prior to the increase in the price of bread.

"Our profit," Steinberger said, still is 1 cent on each loaf. The increase of the price does not affect our profits and benefits only the bakers."

Chain stores of the city continued to sell bread at 4 cents for a pound loaf today while the independents were forced to ask 7 cents for the same size loaf.

Come on you Contest enthusiasts. If you want to get part of the \$500 that is going to be GIVEN AWAY, this is the easiest money you ever had a chance to win. Complete details in this paper today.

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## DELAYS ACTION ON PICKETING

Council Maps Ordinance to Halt Stench Bombing.

City councilmen last night, although unanimously agreed that the existing ordinance against picketing should remain in force, decided to wait two weeks before voting on a substitute ordinance.

An ordinance aimed at the recent planting of stench bottles in the Indiana theater was introduced, to make possession and "planting" unlawful.

Another ordinance prohibits throwing or depositing of reptiles, rodents or insects on the property of another. A fine of not less than \$300 or more than \$1,000 and imprisonment not exceeding six months is provided. Both ordinances will be considered at the next meeting.

The council will hold a special meeting Wednesday noon to consider an ordinance for a \$100,000 bond issue, sold tentatively last

week for improvement of four streets. Attempt to pass it under contract for widening Sixteenth street to an Illinois firm, which, he said, was paying labor only 17½ cents an hour. He said he favors awarding of contracts to local firms.

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