

MILLION TO BE SPENT IN 1932 BY TRAM LINE

New Cars, Busses, Cross-Town Lines Among City Improvements.

First steps toward complete elimination of those ancient side-seat street cars, where every one is forced to sit and watch a row of strangers across the aisle, is to be taken by Indianapolis Buses, Inc. This improvement is one of a series to cost \$1,000,000 to be made during 1932, according to President Charles W. Chase of the company. Local labor will be employed.

James P. Tretton, for twenty-five years an employee of the street car company, has been named general manager by Chase. Tretton held this post prior to the receivership action which resulted in the company sale.

Other officers are: D. E. Watson, vice-president and general counsel; George C. Forrey, vice-president; L. T. Hixson, secretary and treasurer; and L. T. Fox and L. Siegrist, assistants to the secretary-treasurer.

The improvement list includes new cars, trackless trolleys, new busses, track improvements and cross-town lines for the first time in history.

25 New Cars to Be Purchased

Admitting that the old Indianapolis Street Railway Company lagged woefully behind the modern movement to bring street car lines up to date, Chase announced a complete program of modernization is to get under way at once and continue as rapidly as the new company's finances will permit.

An expenditure of more than \$9,000,000 for improvements will be made during the next decade, according to present plans. These will include new car shops and barns.

Bids now are being received for twenty-one new one-man high-speed street cars (with cross seats) such as are in service in other cities of comparable size. These will be of the low, light modern type, capable of rapid pickup, which will decrease running time, Chase said. Cost is estimated at \$425,000.

Buy Trackless Trolleys

Purchase of fifteen trackless trolleys also is planned for about \$17,500. There will be used on the Riverside and South Meridian street lines, which will be combined into a through route.

A number of new busses also will be bought.

During the balance of 1932, \$185,000 will be expended for track and overhead modernization, Chase announced. Projects include:

A \$35,000 expenditure to rebuild track on Massachusetts avenue between Pennsylvania and Alabama streets, and between College avenue and East Tenth street. Thirty thousand dollar track rehabilitation on East Michigan street between Doran and Duval streets, and to straighten an S-curve at East Michigan street and Highland avenue.

Thirteen thousand dollars for straightening and realigning tracks at Sixteenth and Illinois streets.

SEEKS LUESSE RELEASE

Civil Liberties Union to Appeal to Leslie in His Behalf.

Appeal to Governor Harry G. Leslie to release Theodore Luesse, unemployed labor serving a term at the state farm for interfering with an eviction, will be made by representatives of the American Civil Liberties Union, it was announced today.

Luesse, secretary of the Indianapolis Unemployment Council, is working out a \$500 fine at the rate of \$1 a day.

Plea of the union will be backed by declarations of sixteen Indianapolis clergymen and business men who recently petitioned for the prisoner's release. Leslie overruled the petition.

LEAGUE FOR DRY LAW

Epworth Members Urge Continuance of Prohibition.

By Times Special

MUNGIE, Ind., June 23.—Plea for continued enforcement of dry laws and for disregard of anti-prohibition movements was made in a resolution adopted by more than 1,500 young people at the annual convention of the Muncie district Epworth League at Middletown.

"We believe the eighteenth amendment and other prohibition laws constitute, not a menace, but probably the greatest boon to our country and the greatest protection to childhood and youth that ever has been enacted in history," the resolution reads.

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Times Radio Dial Twisters

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Fishing the Air

"Last of the Red Hot Mamma," Sophie Tucker, will prove her right to the title when she appears with Rudy Vallee and his orchestra Thursday at 6 p. m. over WTAM and an NBC network.

The story of the capture of an automobile thief by a dog will be told during the Rin Tin Tin program Thursday, at 6:15 p. m., over WLW and an NBC network.

Deft fingers of studio engineers will throw switches to pick up the "Building Blues" by the Mills Brothers in Chicago and the "Millennium Joke" by Vic Young's orchestra in New York for their cross-country broadcast Thursday, at 7:15 p. m., over WFBM and the Columbia network.

WKBK (1400) Indianapolis

THURSDAY									
4:15—Tea time tunes.	4:45—News flashes.	5:00—Vaughn's orchestra.	5:15—Announced.	5:30—Cecil and Sally.	5:45—Novelty program.	6:00—Baseball scores.	6:15—Dinner dances.	6:30—Harry Bacon.	6:45—Dinner dances.
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9:15—Showboat orchestra.	9:30—Harry Bacon.	9:45—The Merrymen.	10:00—Sign off.	10:15—Sign off.	10:30—Sign off.	10:45—Sign off.	11:00—Sign off.	11:15—Sign off.	11:30—Sign off.

WLW (700) Cincinnati

THURSDAY									
4:00—Afternoon Round Table.	4:15—Lower Columbia orchestra.	4:30—Amos 'n' Andy (NBC).	4:45—Lower Columbia orchestra.	5:00—Old Man Sunshine (Ford Rush).	5:15—Rin Tin Tin Thriller (NBC).	5:30—B. A. Rolfe's orchestra (NBC).	5:45—Sister of the Skull (NBC).	6:00—Marian McKay dance orchestra.	6:15—Joe Cherniavsky dance orchestra.
6:30—Real Folks (NBC).	6:45—Dance orchestra.	7:00—Wayne King dance orchestra.	7:15—Peanut Plectro.	7:30—Male Octets.	7:45—Band.	8:00—Mori Sisters.	8:15—Headlines of Yesterday.	8:30—Moon River, Slumber Music.	8:45—Wayne King dance orchestra.
9:00—Don Pedro dance orchestra.	9:15—Sign off.	9:30—Sign off.	9:45—Sign off.	10:00—Sign off.	10:15—Sign off.	10:30—Sign off.	10:45—Sign off.	11:00—Sign off.	11:15—Sign off.

Asks Right to Truck Freight

Petition for permission to truck freight over United States Roads 41 and 52 between Indianapolis and Hammond, through Lafayette, was filed before the public service commission today by the Mid-States Overnight Express, 670 South California street.

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WAGE PARLEY FAILS; BLAME MINE OWNERS

Indiana Operators Absent at Session, Union Chief Says.

Failure of Indiana coal operators to interest themselves in a bi-state wage parley of operators and miners of Illinois and Indiana, in the office of John L. Lewis, president of the United Mine Workers of America, Wednesday, resulted in a meaningless meeting.

Following a two-hour closed session with miners of the two states and operators from Illinois, a statement was issued by Lewis declaring an agreement was impossible without attendance of the Indiana coal owners.

Hope was held out, before the refusal of the Indiana operators to attend the meeting, that both states might reach an agreed scale of \$4 a day and thereby reopen mines in the fields of both states.

A subcommittee on scales of the Indiana District 11, has approved

the reduced scale. The former scale was \$6.10 a day.

California's fish industry in 1931 was valued at more than \$25,000,000.



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