

## SIDETRACK FOR ROBINSON IS UNDERCOVER PROGRAM AT MEETING OF EDITORS

John W. Scott of Gary, Rising Power in State  
G. O. P. Ranks, Leads Fight to  
Shelve 'Little Arthur.'

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Political hamstringing of Senator Arthur Robinson, the darling of the drys, was an unannounced part of the program today, as Republican editors converged on Indianapolis for the spring meeting of the Indiana Republican Editorial Association.

Robinson's foes will have a clear field for their operations, for that most arid member of the senate has sent word that he will be unable to be one of the guests of honor because of the press of legislation at Washington.

Consequently, Robinson's interests will be left in the hands of some of the conservative and stalwart dry Republican leaders with whom he retains some vestige of favor.

Leader in the movement to unseat the senior Indiana senator is John W. Scott, Gary, first district Republican chairman, who led the battle for ouster of Ivan Morgan as state chairman a short while ago and who is reported not at all averse to coming out as a candidate against Robinson.

### Scott Is New Power

Scott's feat in ousting Morgan and successful espousal of Don Irwin, Frankfort, present state chairman, was enough to mark him as a power to be reckoned with in Indiana Republican politics, but his public record goes considerably farther back.

It was Scott, when he was a member of the house of representatives in 1927, who presented the resolution for the impeachment of Judge Clarence Elmer of Muncie. Scott ended an impassioned appeal with these ringing words: "Let us impeach this Mussolini of Muncie." The impeachment passed the house and failed by only one vote in the senate, but its near-success was enough to give Scott sharp impetus to the forefront of public consciousness.

### Pushed Wet Plank

To Scott, more than to any one else, goes credit for the adoption of a wet plank at the last state convention—a wet plank that was adopted in substance at the national convention—over the protests of the conservative element of the party that had been dominated by the dry organization for years.

A year ago, when the nation showed unmistakable signs that the prohibition yoke had developed sores which the drys' arguments could not medicate, Jim Watson wavered and conceded that he would "vote for sleep beer if the people wanted it."

"No so, Robby!"  
"I always have been a dry. I am a dry now and I always will be a dry," he declared. This doctored defiance of the liberal element in

### RIISING TO POWER



John W. Scott, Gary, whose boom for the G. O. P. senatorial nomination is growing.

### One on Jim!

Farley Taken Aback  
When Hoover Campaign  
Aid Visits Office.

By United Press

WASHINGTON, April 28.—Jim Farley, the lord high executioner of Democratic patronage, is accustomed to seeing about every one among the throngs asking favors from the new administration.

But he was slightly taken aback when one of his visitors turned out to be a Hoover campaign manager.

The postmaster-general has adopted a new system of dealing with the patronage hunters.

At about 4 p. m. daily, he comes out of his private office, and makes the rounds of the congressmen, job-seekers and well-wishers assembled in the waiting room. J. A. Latimer, Farley's secretary, does the introducing.

"This gentleman," drawled Latimer, halting in front of a tall, ruddy-faced man whom he introduced as Mayor Manning of Ottumwa, Ia., "managed Mr. Hoover's campaign in Iowa."

The man said that yes, he had, and that he'd just dropped in to say hello and see how Jim did it.

"Well," said Farley, shifting his gum, "I'm glad you missed."

Arrest May Solve Burglaries

At least twelve burglaries are believed to have been solved by the arrest Thursday night of Verlin DeWalt, Negro, 16, of 1240 North Senate avenue. Arrested by Lieutenant Leo Troutman and squad, DeWalt was turned over to detectives for questioning.

## LEISURE CLUB EVENTS TO BE GIVEN TONIGHT

Play, Musical Entertainment  
to Be Presented at  
Christian Park.

FRIDAY

Christian Park community house, Fletcher Place community center, Ft. Wayne and Walnut Club, Municipal Gardens community house, School 5 at 612 West Washington street, Michigan and Noble Club, School 9 at 110 East Vermont street, School 16 at 1402 West Market street, Nebraska-Cropsey Club, School 22 at 1231 South Illinois street, School 26 at 1301 East Sixteenth street, School 31 at Kelly and Boyd streets, School 38 at 2308 Winter avenue, School 51 at 2301 North Olney, School 67 at 3615 West Walnut street.

Christian park community house will be the scene of a Leisure Hour Club program in the hands of Mrs. Helen Thomas Martin tonight, featuring Marion Wicks, accordionist; Dorothy Webb, violinist, and Marjorie McCammon, Betty Ellis and Betty Patton, readers.

A one-act play will be given, with a cast which includes Dorothy Coyle, Doris Johnson, Leon Black, Roland Johnson, Charles Martin and Mrs. Martin.

Dr. Leonidas Smith will exhibit pictures tonight at the Fletcher Place community center. Music will be furnished by the Mountain Maids.

Navy pictures will be shown tonight at the Ft. Wayne and Walnut Club by Sam Haviland. The Windling Creek Ramblers, under the direction of William Rutter, will furnish music.

Mrs. Norma Koster of the city recreation department, will present a children's revue tonight at the Municipal Gardens community house.

The Roberts Park Dramatic Club, under the direction of Mrs. James Smiley, will present a one-act play tonight at School 5. Other features of the program will be the Sering trio and acts from Shortridge junior vaudeville.

The Freeman sisters will present a variety program tonight at the Michigan and Noble Club.

A group of children will be presented tonight at School 16 in a dance revue under the direction of Claude Hambrook. Appearing will be Blanche Onken, Marion Smith, Jesse Young, Mary Kathryn George, Geraldine Off, Roaline Petrovich, Marjorie Smith, Muriel Smith, Ruby Mae Hassberg, Burnidean Cook, Virginia Reynolds, Helen, Veuma, Henry and Donald Beuke, Charles Westenhofner, Theresa Casey and Edith Eleanor Hambrook.

Nebraska Cropsey Club will hold a musical show tonight under the direction of Joyce Comstock.

Russell Berg will give a chalk talk tonight at School 26. The Orchard school, under the direction of Mrs. Donald Jameson, will present a sketch. Members of the cast are: Jane Adams, Jeanette Tarkington, Nancy Goodrich, Fayette Ann Miller, Roy Miller, Margaret, Patty and Fenton Jameson.

The Edgewood Players will present a three-act play tonight at School 36.

The Bethany Christian church will present a three-act play tonight at School 51, under the direction of Jefferson Polen. Appearing in the cast are Mesdames Walter White, Stewart Hynes, Frank Bird, John Mullen, John Matthews, Everett Shannon, Kenneth Wagner and Ben Gibson, Harold Hynes, Curtis Chapman and Clifford Elkins.

Sergeant Timothy McMahon will present a safety program tonight at School 67.

The Dramatic club of the Garfield Christian church, and the Arthur Jordan Conservatory of Music will present a program tonight at School 34.

### 6 Beers, Jag!

Half Dozen Bottles of  
Brew Intoxicating,  
Says Harger.

"SIX bottles of 3.2 beer consumed in an hour will intoxicate a man."

This is the ultimatum of Dr. R. N. Harger, toxicologist of the Indiana university, school of medicine, speaking Thursday before the Indianapolis Engineering Society luncheon at the Board of Trade building.

"But," he continued, "the present beer will not intoxicate the average drinker. He will be able to assimilate more than two and one-half ounces of grain alcohol in that time, or he will be handicapped by the average capacity of three pints.

Charts showing a study of a number of alcoholic cases at city hospital were displayed to the engineers.

"There is no special difference between men and women drinkers, according to these studies," Dr. Harger explained, "except that women retain their power of speech longer than men."

Dr. Harger revealed that Indianapolis physicians are conducting experiments on analyzing drinkers' breaths to determine their fitness in driving motor vehicles.

The Hykso, who introduced horses in the western part of the ancient world, often had their horses buried with them, archeologists find.

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