

## THRONGS TURN TO CHURCH IN HOUR OF NEED

Thousands Find Comfort in Worship in Days of Depression.

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to the home of the new acquaintance, or "church neighbor."

Hundreds of men and women who have visited the Tabernacle Presbyterian church, Thirty-fourth street and Central avenue, recall the splendid and inspiring visits of the Rev. J. Ambrose Dunkel.

What may be recorded of Dr. Dunkel may be said as truthfully of Dr. Frank S. C. Wicks of All Souls Unitarian church, now in England on his vacation, and of hundreds of other ministers.

### All Are Visited

Indianapolis pastors, both Protestant and Roman Catholic, are going into the homes of the church and the non-churched.

Opening of the church door by any member of the church-going cavalcade, whether affiliated directly with any house of worship or not, means the opening of the doors of as many homes for cheery personal visits from pastors.

Many churches are using the "personal appeal campaign"—every member getting a new member into the church before a city-wide evangelistic campaign starts in the early fall as one of the major steps in the Church Federation program.

The Lutheran Evangelical church of the Missouri Synod has "a city missionary hospital pastor" in Indianapolis.

### Just an Idea

Indianapolis pastors are being invited to talk at picnics of the employees of large industrial concerns.

Mr. Fackler spoke at such a picnic recently, and he said: "If the Eli Lilly Company could perfect a spiritual serum which pastors could apply by means of a needle, much could be done."

In talking in his study, Mr. Fackler contended that "liberality in spiritual matters tends to a decline. I think we are getting too liberal in some things."

But pastors seem to think that "being honest with God, we will find God."

### Blame on Parents

"The young people in our church," Fackler points out, "who do not attend services are not living in harmony with the instructions received, which instruction is based upon Christ's teachings. Their spiritual training should inspire them to church attendance.

"I find that too many parents encourage their children to neglect church. They have minimized spiritual matters."

Ministers all over the city are delivering sermons of challenge, of inspiration and an invitation for social and community service.

As one pastor puts it: "I have taken the hell out of my sermons. They will listen to a sermon that has something challenging, something constructive. I am through preaching the 'graveyard stuff.'"

### Christianity Has Appeal

Returning to the study of Bishop Francis of the Episcopal church, we hear him say: "My own experience when I was a boy was that I hated Sunday school. They were poor institutions then and we didn't learn much."

"If Christianity is presented in the right way, it has an appeal. We just didn't sit still in church, we had something to do—a distinct service to render."

Study closely the black and white pen drawing of Berg, the artist, on the editorial page, in connection with this article.

You will see the modern elderly couple, the flapper, the boy of today and the people of another day.

### It's a Great Precision

The modern procession into the church today is a repetition in a much larger way than when they went to church in the ox cart, the covered wagon, the horse-drawn buggy and horse-drawn street car.

Today the cavalcade arrives at the church door on foot, in busses, in big and little automobiles, in street cars and taxicabs.

The echo of the ages that is being heard today—"The people want God."

The next article of this series will deal with the Indianapolis Ministry of Music and Drama.

### PAROLE GIVEN PRISONER

Marion County Man Gains Release from State Reformatory.

Granting of a permanent parole to Albert Levin, alias Sommers, Marion county resident, is included today in the reformatory report of the state clemency board.

Levin, on temporary parole in an Illinois hospital, was granted the permanent parole on recommendation of Criminal Judge Frank P. Baker. Levin has been serving a one-to-three-year sentence for wife and child desertion.

The board considered twenty-eight other cases, denying seventeen, continuing three, and granting eight additional paroles.

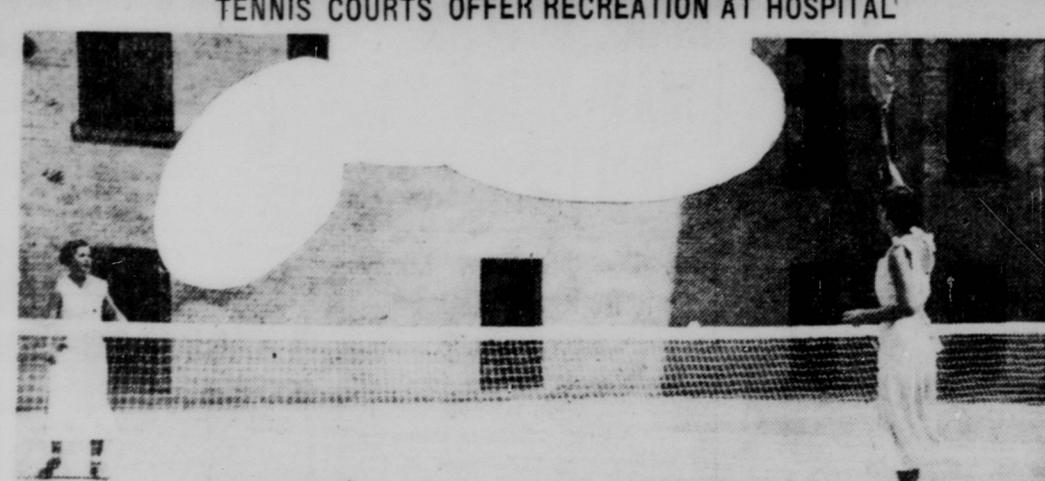
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### TENNIS COURTS OFFER RECREATION AT HOSPITAL



### 5 ARE HURT IN AUTO CRASHES

Driver Faces Drunk Charge  
After Car Strikes  
Parked Vehicle.

Five persons were injured Wednesday in automobile accidents here and one man arrested, following another traffic mishap.

William H. Billbee, 22, of 4929 West Fourteenth street, was bruised about the body Wednesday night when the automobile he was driving collided with a truck driven by Walter Alle, 38, of 308 South Holmes avenue, at Tenth and South Holmes streets. Billbee's car was overturned.

When the brakes of his automobile locked at St. Clair and North Illinois streets, the machine overturned and Joe Wolf, 50, of 4153 North Illinois street, suffered a severe gash on his right hand.

Three persons were injured, none seriously, when two machines collided at Raymond street and Madison avenue, early Wednesday. Otto Lundstrom, of Moorhead, Minn., his wife, and another passenger, Mrs. E. O. Nelson, of South Bend, were cut and bruised. David Jackman, Shelbyville, driver of the other car, was not injured.

Harold Leser, 1314 South Belmont avenue, was arrested late Wednesday night on a charge of drunkenness, after his car is alleged to have struck a parked machine in front of 2510 Southeastern avenue. Police said the owner of the parked car refused to file charges.

### PICKPOCKET GETS \$38

Money Taken From Man as He Enters Downtown Store.

Justed as he entered a downtown store Wednesday afternoon, A. J. Schmidt, 325 Dorman street, later discovered his pocket had been picked, and \$38 stolen.

Schmidt said that, as he entered the store, a man in front of him stepped back, pushing him into a man in the rear.

### MOTION PICTURES

## Loew's Palace

H-E-L-D O-V-E-R!

25¢  
TILL 6 P.M.

COOL

"Min and Bill" TOGETHER again!

Marie (Min)  
Wallace (Bill)

DRESSLER  
BEEFERY

AMERICA'S  
MOS T LOVABLE  
SWEETHEARTS

TUGBOAT ANNIE

EXTRA  
Hal Roach's  
OUR GANG  
COMEDY HIT  
"The Kid From Borneo"

James Fitzpatrick  
TRAVEL TALK  
"FIJI AND SAMOA"

HEARST  
METROTONE  
NEWS

CHARLIE RUGGLES  
"MELODY CRUISE"  
40 BEAUTIFUL GIRLS

AMBASSADOR 15¢  
IM. & MAR. TILL 6 P.M.  
Now Third Saturday!  
CHARLIE RUGGLES  
"MELODY CRUISE"  
40 BEAUTIFUL GIRLS

FREE

Dancing To-Nite at Sky Harbor  
Drive on W. Wash. St. to Ben Davis, follow Municipal Airport sign  
south.

### NRA TO RUSH ITS CHECKUP ON 'CHISELERS'

Maintenance of Peace in Industry Also Big Goal of Chiefs.

BY H. O. THOMPSON  
United Press Staff Correspondent

WASHINGTON, Aug. 10.—Maintenance of industrial peace and a new attack on "chiselers" occupied NRA officials today.

The administration was driving forward on another sector in its effort to restore order in the bituminous coal industry.

The main problems facing Administrator Hugh S. Johnson and his associates were:

1. Efforts of the national labor board to settle strikes in Pennsylvania and elsewhere.

2. A thorough check-up to see that violators of President Roosevelt's re-employment agreements have stopped "chiseling" tactics.

3. Resumption of the coal hearings, with the company union fight nearing a showdown.

Lewis to Give Views

John L. Lewis, president of the United Mine Workers of America, was to appear during the coal hearings.

While discussion of the coal codes continued, hearings were to begin on far different business, that of the theater. A proposed code up for consideration would fix minimum wages for chorus girls and actors, and set up standards of fair practice for Broadway.

Hearings also were scheduled for today on a code for the hoist industry.

Strike Hearings Set

Dr. Leo Wolman, chairman of the NRA labor advisory board and acting chairman of the national labor board created by President Roosevelt as an agency to treat with industrial discord, announced the board had assumed jurisdiction over a strike of more than ten thousand hoist workers in Reading, Pa., and a shirt factory strike in Pottsville, Pa.

A hearing on the Reading strike was scheduled for today and one on the Pottsville strike Friday.

A shoe strike in Lynn and Boston, Mass., and a necktie strike in Philadelphia also are requiring attention.

Johnson is building up a system for handling complaints against violators of codes which supposedly already are in effect.

He is having the most difficulty with retail store operators who attempt to nullify effects of the agreements by staggering hours.

MOTION PICTURES

at the CIRCLE

FRIDAY!

ON STAGE

Peeking through the transoms into New York Night Life . . .

Texas GUINAN AND HER GANG

QUEEN of the NIGHT CLUBS with Ralph "Cookie" Cook, Dick Lane, Easter and Hazelton, Eleanor Smith, Esther Lloyd, Yvonne Bouvier, Austin Mack, Alice Cuthbert and a score of those GORGEOUS GUINAN GIRLS!

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