

FRED W. CRAIG, FORMER RAIL EMPLOYEE, DIES

Retired Pennsy Official Was
in Brokerage Firm
With Son.

Funeral services for Fred W. Craig, 68, of 504 West Forty-fourth street, secretary-treasurer of the Craig Brokerage Company, who died in the Methodist hospital Monday after a nine-month illness, will be held in the Flanner & Buchanan mortuary at 2 Wednesday afternoon. Burial will be in Crown Hill cemetery.

Mr. Craig was born in Madison and came to Indianapolis in 1882. He was chief clerk of the Pennsylvania railroad many years, retiring nine years of age to enter the brokerage business with his son.

He was a member of the Ancient Landmarks Lodge, Masonic Order, Scottish Rite, and Mystic Shrine.

Surviving him are the widow, Mrs. Florence Elsie Craig; a son, Robert L. Craig, both of Indianapolis; and a sister, Mrs. J. B. Stafford of Crafton, Pa.

Mrs. Louise Olds Passes

Funeral services for Mrs. Louise M. Olds, mother of Garrett W. Olds, attorney, who died early Monday at her home, 828 North Pennsylvania street, apartment 7, following a heart attack, will be held in the Hisey & Titus funeral home at 10 Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Olds had been ill for several weeks. She was born in Albany, N. Y., the daughter of Jarrett Wessels and Sophia De Tiere Wessels. She lived in Albany until her marriage to Charles F. Olds. The son is her only survivor.

Dies After Short Illness

Following an illness of three weeks, Mrs. Emma V. Attkisson, 58, lifelong resident of Indiana, died Monday in her home, 309 East Fall Creek parkway, south drive. Mrs. Attkisson was born in Seymour and came to Indianapolis twenty-four years ago. She was a member of Roberts Park Methodist church and the Dulect Club of the Shrine. Surviving her are three daughters, Miss Doris Jean Attkisson, Mrs. Paul Burget and Mrs. Robert Clarke, and two sons, Roy and Merrill Attkisson, all of Indianapolis.

The funeral will be held at 1:30 Wednesday afternoon at the home. Burial will be at River View cemetery at Seymour.

Funeral Services Set

Funeral services for Mrs. Maggie Vandiver, 69, a former Indianapolis resident, who died at her home in Greenwood Saturday night, will be held in Glenwood M. E. church at 2 this afternoon, with burial at Rushville cemetery.

Mrs. Vandiver lived in this city until about ten years ago. She was a resident of Indianapolis eight years. Survivors are two sons, J. F. Vandiver and Jesse Vandiver, and a daughter, Miss Charlotte Vandiver.

WILD ANIMAL DISPLAY IS FEATURE AT FAIR

Cage of Buffaloes From Pokagon Park, Attracts Interest.

One of the best-patronized exhibits at the Indiana state fair is the collection of wild animals, game birds, fish and snakes displayed by the state conservation department.

The greatest novelty in the exhibit is a cage containing two buffaloes, and a buffalo calf, one being nearly half as big as an elephant.

In an adjoining pen are three huge elk, also brought from Pokagon park. A deer and two youngsters complete the Pokagon group.

Nearby are smaller animals, including ferrets, gray squirrels, rabbits, skunk, a variety of owls and foxes, woodchuck, opossum, eagles, wolves, badger, hawk, beaver, wild turkey, scores of pheasants, quail and 100 raccoons.

In the conservation department building are an assortment of snakes and a fish aquarium.

BUILDING ACTIVITIES
IN CITY INCREASING

Last Week's Permits Show Large
Gain Over 1932 Period.

Building activities in Indianapolis are on the increase, asserted William F. Hurd, building commissioner, today as he released figures of last week.

Permits granted last week totaled 152, as compared to eighty-six issued during the same week last year. Fees from the permits last week totaled \$702.65, compared to \$183.85 of the same week last year.

Valuation on the permits totaled \$447,543 last week, and increase of \$423,131 over last year's figure of \$24,412.

Valuation for the year, however, still is behind last year's figures by \$383,000, said Hurd. The commissioner expressed confidence that this year still will surpass last year's totals.

HONORS STATE PAINTER

Rumania Offers Grafton Commis-
sion for King's Portrait.

By United Press

MICHIGAN CITY, Ind., Sept. 5.—Robert A. Grafton, Michigan City artist, and member of the state prison board of trustees, was offered a commission by the Rumanian government today to paint portrait of King Carol.

Grafton said he might not accept, because it would necessitate a trip to Europe. He has painted por-traits of former President Coolidge and Hoover and Cardinal Mundelein.

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SHE GETS A CHANGE OF HEIR



PROGRAM FOR NRA 'CHISELERS' IS SENT HERE

1,000 Cases of Blue Eagle
Complaints Will Be
Probed Carefully.

A definite program for dealing with violators of the NRA was received today from Washington by Francis Wells, Indiana representative of the United States department of commerce, as he announced a total of approximately 1,000 complaints of alleged violation of NRA for this district.

Declaring that "deliberate, willful chiseling" will not be tolerated, Thomas S. Hammond, executive director of the blue eagle division of the national NRA, said in his dispatch to Wells, that the country now is entering the "second phase of the President's re-employment campaign with between 80 and 90 per cent of all employers in the country under the eagle."

Few Are Deliberate

"There are few deliberate 'chiselers,'" said Hammond in his dispatch. "We are sure that most of the complaints which have come to us will be ironed out if the employer is talked to and shown how he can comply, without ruining himself."

"It is not the plan of the President to put anybody out of business, if complying with the agreement will have that result. There will be adequate relief for every one."

"We must proceed carefully and slowly and give the employer, the employee and the consumer every chance to comply with the President's re-employment agreement. We have held up action for petitions for exceptions and complaints of non-compliance until such time as a more definite picture of understanding has been developed in the field.

Want Mediation Board

"The government feels that this is the time to come and it is now planned that local mediation boards be set up in each community in which there is a local committee, if such a local mediation board has not already been set up."

"If, after a thorough investigation of the facts by local authorities, a clear cut case of willful violation of the Presidents' agreement is reported to Washington and no satisfactory settlement may be obtained by further mediation—the federal government will act."

Wells declared that he will adopt the "violation" program as set forth in the dispatch from Hammond as the future policy to be followed in the NRA program for Indianapolis and the state.

Set for Wednesday

Returning from Washington today Charles W. Chase, "general" of the local recovery army, postponed the meeting of the executive committee of the local recovery board until Wednesday morning at which time, Chase said, the matter of naming a committee to hear violations will be taken up.

Wells declared that Indianapolis appeared to be leading the nation in signed employer agreements with a total of \$6,000 to date, based on a percentage of potential signers.

Wells also received word from Washington that national NRA officers were considering the plan of the Indianapolis joint recovery board to put inside salespeople on a commission basis under the provision of the blanket code to receive minimum wages of \$14.50 a week.

The message said that "the retail code when adopted probably will contain a provision for inside salespeople along the suggested lines."

Thursday Is Deadline

Thursday has been set tentatively as the deadline for the drive to enlist business firms and consumers in the NRA program. More than 70,000 housewives and other consumers have signed cards pledging themselves not to deal with any business firms which have not enlisted under the blue eagle, according to J. E. Fischer, "colonel" in charge of mobilization.

Lack of printed cards and other necessary materials have handicapped the workers in many instances, Fischer revealed, while others, out of work themselves, have not even had car fare to bring their returns downtown to local recovery headquarters.

May Sign Cards

Stores in certain localities where consumers, who have been missed in the drive due to vocations and other reasons when the NRA workers called, will be designated today as places where consumers may sign cards.

At a joint meeting of the Indianapolis Restaurant Association and the Indiana State Restaurant Association in Rottler's Cafeteria, 1102 Prospect street, at 8:30 tonight, the fair practice code and other problems of the restaurateurs will be discussed.

May Sign Cards

Two physicians and four nurses are kept busy caring for patients at the fair Red Cross hospital. Dr. Herbert T. Wagner, hospital director for the last seventeen years, reported 120 emergency cases had been treated by 9 a. m. Monday, and a large number since that time.

Aliments cared for ranged from the usual number of colds, splinters, bruises and sprains, to an appendicitis case, and a boy who was kicked by a frisky colt.

Nurses at the hospital are directed by Miss Loretta Ryan.

Old Dobbin, threatened with extinction by the gasoline motor, apparently has taken a new lease on life, judging from the heavy entry list at the fair.

Every stall in the huge horse barn is tenanted with members of the royal family of horsemanship, and a number of temporary stalls were erected on the south side of the barn to accommodate the overflow.

Other events reported by McNamee include intimate closeups of President Roosevelt attending the Dutchess county fair at Rhinebeck, N. Y., where his son John wins a saddle horse event on "New Deal," the saddle's newest mount, and thrilling views of the world's fair championship rodeo, in which the nation's leading cowboys compete for honors in wild horse and steer riding contests.

WRECK 'HIGH SPOTS'
TIMES NEWS REEL

Roosevelt at Fair, Chicago

Rodeo Also Featured.

First pictures of the wreck of the Golden States Limited, crack flier of the Southern Pacific Railroad, which plunged through a weakened bridge near Tucumcari, N. M., killing eight persons and injuring forty, are to be seen in the current issue of The Indianapolis Times-Universal Newsreel. Graham McNamee noted radio announcer and the screen's talking reporter describes these and the other events in the reel in a graphic and dramatic style.

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COMITS SUICIDE AS
HUSBAND LOOKS ON

Woman Drinks Poison After

Threat to End Life.

Mrs. Cecile Usher, 37, of 2117 North Talbot street committed suicide Monday by swallowing poison at the Kenra Laboratory Company, 8 West Twenty-second street, of which her husband, William K. Usher, is manager.

The husband told police his wife had been melancholy for some time and often had threatened suicide.

According to the husband and a son, Kenneth, 18, Mrs. Usher was with them in the office of the company when she announced that she was going "to end it all." She walked to a room back of the office and drank poison from a glass.

Usher knocked the glass from her grasp and after calling a doctor, forced Mrs. Usher to take eggs and milk in an effort to counteract the poison. A fire department squad administered first aid. Mrs. Usher was dead on arrival of a physician and a city hospital ambulance.

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