

## 250 AT DINNER BID FAREWELL TO NICHOLSON

Hoosier Author Praised by  
Friends in Sendoff to  
Foreign Post.

With oratory, Spanish dances and the atmosphere of Paraguay, Meredith Nicholson, Indiana author and minister to the South American country, was told farewell by his friends Wednesday night in an hours-long celebration at the Indianapolis Athletic Club.

While his Indiana colleagues lauded him, Nicholson also heard the praises in numerous remote control plaudits from throughout the nation.

Nicholson, sworn in as minister to Paraguay by Mayor Reginald H. Sullivan Wednesday noon, was to leave Indianapolis today for Washington, where he will receive final instructions before sailing to South America.

Nicholson, in a brief address at the close of the dinner, thanked those present and others who were unable to attend for their kindness to him on the eve of his departure.

Lauded by Pastor

Dr. Burris A. Jenkins of Kansas City, Mo., former pastor of the Third Christian church here, was the principal speaker.

Meredith Nicholson holds the same position in this generation that William Dean Howells held in the generation just past," he said.

"In addition to being a most prolific writer, he always has had a penchant for politics as an avocation. He has served unselfishly in the ranks. Now, at last, he is recognized nationally and internationally.

Dwight Morrow showed us what fine understanding and broad sympathies can accomplish in dealing with Mexico, our neighbor on the south, where only misunderstandings prevailed before. Nicholson has a similar opportunity in Latin America. He is one of the six men who will indicate what the policy of the United States toward South America will be."

Ade Draws Laughs

George Ade, humorist, brought the laughs of the night from the more than 250 guests when he related personal incidents in his and Nicholson's lives and acclaimed the minister as the man "who was a Democrat when it didn't look as if it would pay."

Ade quoted from an encyclopedia to give Nicholson tips on what he would find in his new post.

The humorist rehearsed the climate, calling Nicholson's attention to the scanty clothing worn by the natives.

"A most important product of Paraguay is yerba mate," Ade said. "The leaves of the native shrub are used in the preparation of a beverage which is highly stimulating, invigorating and rejuvenating. It looks as if 'Nick' has drawn a dandy appointment."

McNutt Is Speaker

Rum is manufactured freely and there are no restrictions on the sale. We shall expect our minister to remedy that state of affairs and encourage the natives to the heights of moral grandeur which we attained under the eighteenth amendment, the Volstead act and the Wright bone dry law."

Other speakers were Governor Paul V. McNutt, Mayor Reginald H. Sullivan and presidents of Butler and Indiana universities and Wabash college, which, in the last few years, have presented Nicholson with degrees.

Friends Present Medal

Telegrams and letters were received from: O. O. McIntyre, columnist; James E. Watson, former senator; Newton D. Baker, former secretary of war; Roy W. Howard, of the Scripps-Howard newspapers; Will H. Hays, movie "czar"; John H. Finley, editor of the New York Times; Senator Frederick VanNuyts, John T. McCutcheon, famous cartoonist; Booth Tarkington, author, and Representative Louis Ludlow.

A medal in tribute to Nicholson was presented to him at the close of the program.

**EDITOR'S WIFE KILLED**

Cleveland Woman Succumbs to Injuries in Auto Crash.

By United Press  
MASSILLON, O., Sept. 7.—Mrs. Ethel Crowell, wife of William Crowell, city editor of the Cleveland Press, died Wednesday in Massillon hospital from injuries received in a Labor day motor car accident. Mrs. Crowell suffered a fractured skull and jaw. She did not regain consciousness after the collision.

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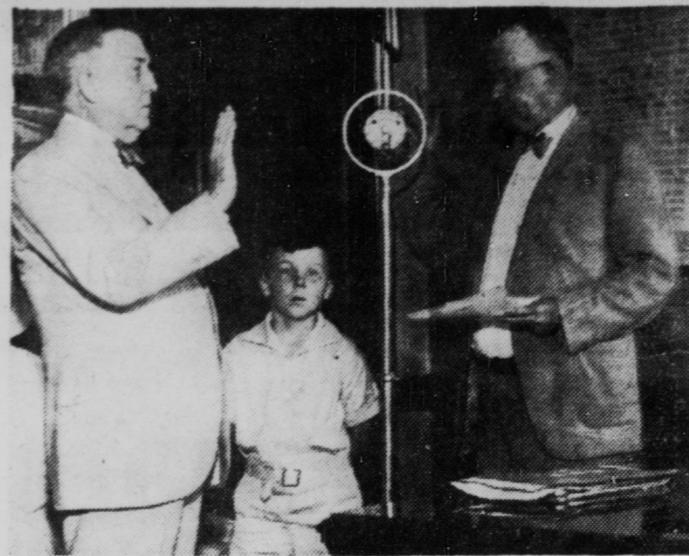
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### NICHOLSON TAKES OATH AS ENVOY



### WILD DANCE IN NUDE FOLLOWED BY DEATH LEAP

Alleged Sex Novel Checked  
for Motive to Suicide  
of Artists' Model.

By United Press

CHICAGO, Sept. 7.—The novel, "Thunder Without Rain," described as a sex story, was perused by officials today as they sought a motive for the strange behavior of Clara Moore, 22-year-old artist's model, who threw herself to death in Lake Michigan after a wild dance in the nude on board a private yacht.

Miss Moore, with Mrs. Cora Mae Smith, 21, of Evansville, Ind.; Miss Anna Mae Burmick, 24, also an artist's model, and Miss Joyce Byers, 23, were invited on the yacht party which was given by Paul L. Reck, president of a confectionery manufacturing company.

The other men were the yacht owner, Albert E. Gundelach, John Drake, Carl Kruger and Otto Weber. The latter two were from the east and were the honored guests.

It was brought out at the inquest that Miss Moore had been "acting queerly" since she read the book, "Thunder Without Rain," and her strange action continued after she was taken aboard the yacht, other party members revealed.

They testified she disrobed and rushed about the boat in the nude, cursing and shouting, "I don't care if I don't live another minute." All on board had been drinking, highballs and beer, it was revealed.

Finally the girl jumped from the stern of the craft, carrying the flagpole with her. Redel said the boat was put about in an effort to locate the girl, but she had disappeared. The girl's home was in a suburb of Cleveland. Her mother, Mrs. Lottie Latiak, was advised of the tragedy.

McLain explained that names of Democratic insurance agents in each county were procured from the county chairman. Then, as a bond or insurance policy terminates, one of these agents is selected to write the renewal and collect the fee.

The agent is selected through McLain and the company passed on.

Formerly, the Republicans permitted a few agents, largely in Indianapolis, to enrich themselves with this state business," McLain declared.

"We intend to spread the benefits around and incidentally, aid the Democratic party."

McLain said that the administration had decided not to renew any liability insurance on state-owned cars, since the state can not be sued for damages. This will save thousands of dollars in premiums, he asserted.

### State Insurance, Bond Business Now Patronage

Greenlee Says It Will Be  
Passed Around to  
Party Workers.

Bonds and insurance business of the state have been added to the Democratic patronage being handed through the office of Governor Paul V. McNutt, it was announced today.

The announcement came from Mrs. Greenlee, McNutt's secretary in charge of the patronage dispensary. It will mean thousands of dollars in fees for good Democrats who are in the insurance and bond business and will be scattered throughout every county in the state, Greenlee explained.

A systematic method of distribution has been set up with a card index file in the private office of Harry McLain, state insurance commissioner.

### Store Teeth Click Dare at Safety Board Order

Fireman Refuses to Appear  
for False Alarm  
Identification.

Marion T. Harrison's now famous "store teeth" turned on the safety board Wednesday with a defiant click, and as a result the city fireman, who is charged with turning in a false alarm, is facing the prospect of outright dismissal.

Harrison is alleged to have been on "a little tooth" on the day of July 24, and is charged with turning in a false alarm from in front of a barber shop operated by Eli Vickery at Bloyd avenue and Rural street.

The fire-alarm puller pulled the vanishing act and Harrison later was identified as the culprit. He came to trial before the safety board and then the whole affair took on an hilariously funny aspect. Harrison appeared with sunken cheeks. Witnesses were unable to identify him definitely.

It came out that Harrison had his "store teeth" in his pocket, where he said he kept them always when not eating. Vickery was sure the alarm puller had puffed-out cheeks. The affair was at a standstill.

Tuesday, the board heard a request from Vickery that Harrison be brought before him wearing his store teeth and the clothes he wore on July 24.

Battalion Chief Roscoe McKinney was instructed to take Harrison before Vickery.

Today, McKinney informed Charles R. Myers, safety board president, that Harrison had refused point-blank to put in the false alarm and face Vickery.

So, Myers said, an additional charge of insubordination would be lodged against Harrison.

Next Tuesday, when the board meets again, Harrison will have to explain his action, if he can.

### PLAN COUNTY REUNION

Illinois Residents to Meet Sunday in Picnic at Brookside.

Former residents of Clark county, Illinois, will hold a picnic Sunday afternoon at Brookside park. Business meeting will start at 3 in the shelter house with Dr. William G. Martz presiding.

Assisting Dr. Martz in arrangements are Mrs. F. E. Littler, Mrs. Eldon Hondrick, Mrs. D. O. Moore, Eldon Horner, Charles Johnson and Ralph Holland.

### SAVES ON ENCAPMENT

Straub Returns \$32,758 of Federal Allowment.

Adjutant-General Elmer F. Straub announced Wednesday that he is returning \$32,758 to the federal government as savings from the \$184,626 allotted the Indiana national guard for the annual encampment.

The two-week training period was completed last week at Ft. Knox, Ky.

Major items of savings, listed by Straub, were pay and allowance, \$21,916; subsistence, \$7,606; fuel, \$1,226, and forage, \$1,082.

### STATE OFFICE VACANT

McNutt Seeking Appointee for State Probation Post.

Governor Paul V. McNutt is seeking a state probation officer. Since his administration got under way the post has remained unfilled. The place likely will go to "some well-qualified" the Governor said.

The office is under the state charities department and consists of contacting local probation officers to "instruct and inspire," according to the Governor.

A shrimp spawns once in its life, but may produce as many as 800,000 eggs.

### Today's Almanac: September 7th

1522—Magellan's ship completes circumnavigation of the globe, starting all this round the world stuff.

1533—Queen Elizabeth born, making possible Elizabeth an age, Elizabeth an furniture, etc. etc.

WELL WELL IT'S A SMALL WORLD AFTER ALL

### SUDDEN DEATH FATE OF TWO

Natural Causes Blamed in Both Instances by Coroner.

Two men died Saturday evening, both due to natural causes.

Gustav Haebeler, 50, of 1510 Edgewood avenue, died as he sat leaning against a wheel of a truck parked on South Pennsylvanian street near the Union railway elevation.

He was on his way to work at night in a foundry when stricken. Clarence Pierce, 340 South Pennsylvania street, said he found Haebeler still breathing, but death came before police called by Pierce arrived.

The body was sent to the city morgue and identity was not established until today, when the widow, worn out over Haebeler's failure to return from work, started inquiries. It was learned that he had not reached the funeral.

Frank Lucas, 72, died in a rooming house at 917 North Alabama street. Other roomers who had him fall in a bathroom went to his aid. He was dead when a police first-aid car arrived.

Dr. E. R. Wilson, deputy coroner, expressed a belief that heart disease caused his death.

Lucas formerly was employed on a farm near Noblesville by Walter Kibler of the Kibler Trucking Company, 1440 East Nineteenth street.

Farmer Ends Life

BLUFFTON, Ind., Sept. 7.—Despondent over the failure of his crops, Herbert Wilson, 25, farmer living northwest of Montpelier, committed suicide Wednesday.

Ft. WAYNE SUBSCRIBES  
\$500,000 FOR BANK

Opening of New Institution Will Free \$6,000,000 Deposits.

By United Press

FT. WAYNE, Ind., Sept. 7.—Stock subscriptions to raise \$500,000 as the city's share of \$1,000,000 to capitalize the new Ft. Wayne National bank, successor to the Old-First National Bank and Trust Company, were completed today.

The successful campaign to raise half the bank's capital among depositors of the old bank, insures opening of the new institution in the near future when the remaining \$500,000 in stock will be subscribed by the Reconstruction Finance Corporation.

Opening of the new bank will entail immediate release of approximately \$6,000,000 of restricted deposits in the old bank.

Novel Contests Will Be  
Mallory Outing Features

3,500 Are Expected to Go to Picnic Sunday at Noblesville.

Novel contests will feature the employees picnic of P. R. Mallory & Co., at Forest park, Noblesville, Sunday. Approximately 3,500 are expected to attend the outing which will include a picnic lunch, a golf tournament, and dancing.

The events open to employees and their families are the three-legged race, barrel steeple chase, rolling pin throwing contest for women, husband and hog calling contest for women, wife calling

contest for men, sack races, swimming events, horse shoe contest and a bathing girl revue for Mallory girl employees. One part of the park has been reserved for the picnic and all the facilities will be open to the employees.

Employees will leave in cars at 6:10 Sunday morning from the Mallory plant. Three-minute talks at the dinner will be given by George Mercer, acting in the capacity of toastmaster, F. D. Williams, P. R. Mallory, and J. S. Williams.

Other events on the program are the children's balloon busting contest, free prizes drawn from numbers on attendance slips, and the awarding of a prize to the oldest and the newest Mallory employee.

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