

# ASSEMBLY TO LEGALIZE RACE BETS IN STATE

Pari-Mutuels for Ponies and  
Possibly Whippets to  
Win Favor.

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when they were unable to agree on amendments tacked on in the senate.

It is no secret that the amendments were not the stumbling block to the bill's passage. The bill was hamstrung personally by Earl Crawford, then speaker of the house, who appointed conferees who were sure to block passage until the session ended.

Mr. Crawford did not object so much to the horse. The dog racing angle was the one at which he balked, even though the measure had the blessing of Governor Paul V. McNutt and was being pushed by the administration's legislation-steering group.

However, Mr. Crawford will not be in the house of representatives at the coming session. Consequently, the legislation, undoubtedly repugnant to the more conservative of the citizenry, will not face so many handicaps.

The state board of agriculture is known to be working on a model bill in preparation for the session. The agriculture board needs money badly and sees in the pari-mutuels on horses the best method of getting it.

The board, which directs the destinies of the state fair, inherited a bonded indebtedness of approximately \$900,000 from previous administrations. To retire that load, it has only a 3-mill tax and the fair must have a good year financially for all of the 3-mill tax to be applied to reducing the bonded indebtedness.

If it has a profitless year, maintenance also has to come out of the tax.

Co-operating with the state agriculture board is a legislative committee from the Indiana Association of County Fairs. The theory on which the pari-mutuel bill now is being drafted is that the state agriculture board would receive a portion of the mutual proceeds and the remainder would be divided among county fair associations which have been in existence for a prescribed number of years.

However, the split of the mutual profits may be changed. It was learned, because one of the state's crying needs for new funds is for institutional building.

The pari-mutuel bill backers now are studying the mutual systems of a number of states, including Illi-

HEAVIEST DIONNE NOW; ALL IN LATHER OVER IT



Little Annette Dionne is all exuberance, poised to go right away from there, but she won't escape from her nurse till she's been scrubbed to a rosy hue, part of the unfailing routine through which the quintuplets go every day in their hospital-home in Corbell, Ont. Annette can be pardoned for bubbling with joy, for the other day she tipped the scales at 11 pounds 2 1/2 ounces to pass Yvonne, long the heaviest of the babies, in the quintuplets' weight race.

nois, Rhode Island, Texas, Oregon, California, Kentucky, Maryland, Nevada and New Hampshire.

There has been a race among the states in the last two years or so to legalize wagering on the horses. While some of the tracks, notably in Illinois, have not had a very profitable season this year, the reverse has been true among others and the feeling is that Indiana easily may become one of the latter.

Rhode Island, for instance, inaugurated legalized betting this spring at a pretentious plant at Narragansett. In the spring and fall meetings, the mutual "handle" has been approximately \$23,000,000. Texas, in which tracks are springing up like real estate subdivisions mushroomed in the Coolidge era, has seen about \$19,000,000 pass through the machines so far and still going.

It needs little imagination to vis-

ualize the golden stream into the state treasuries at "takes" of 8 and 10 per cent.

Even if the state did not wish to share in the betting profits, it could derive a large amount of revenue from licensing tracks and from taking a share of the paid admissions.

The Lake county legislative delegation is known to be working on a bill to legalize the mutuels, because Lake wants a horse track very badly. Ft. Wayne also is reported anxious for a track.

So far, there has not been a great deal of agitation by the dog track interests, but it is likely that the whippets would run in Indianapolis,

Gary, South Bend and Ft. Wayne and possibly at Terre Haute, Evansville and Jeffersonville.

At present, it seems sure that the state will legalize the mutuels. Apparently, the only question is how it will share in the proceeds. The bill which passed both houses in the last session, but failed of enactment, contemplated only license fees and a share of the admission proceeds as the state's split. The track operators were to retain 6 1/2 per cent of the mutual "handle."

If the 6 1/2 per cent cut were boosted a trifle and the state also got a share, the state treasury would benefit to a much greater extent.

## HAUPTMANN IS FOUND NORMAL

Lindbergh Murder Suspect  
Resents Examinations  
by Physicians.

By United Press

FLEMINGTON, N. J., Nov. 22.—Bruno Richard Hauptmann, the nation's most celebrated prisoner, was pronounced normal in a report made public today by three physicians.

The mental and physical inventory of the man who will go on trial Jan. 2 on a charge of murdering Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh's infant son was thorough and matter-of-fact. It was divided into two classifications, "general examination" and "special examination."

When the physicians ended their study they reported that Hauptmann was indignant that he had been subjected to such a thorough examination. "The patient ex-

pressed great disapproval," physicians said.

"The patient has a furtive look and there is inability to meet squarely the eye of the physician (this may indicate mental weakness, morbid suspicion or an intention to

deceive, timidity or bashfulness," the report said.

"He is dizzy at times, sometimes as he walks and sometimes on arising from a prone position. He is phlegmatic, facial expression is

somewhat vacant, and he does not appear to be emotional."

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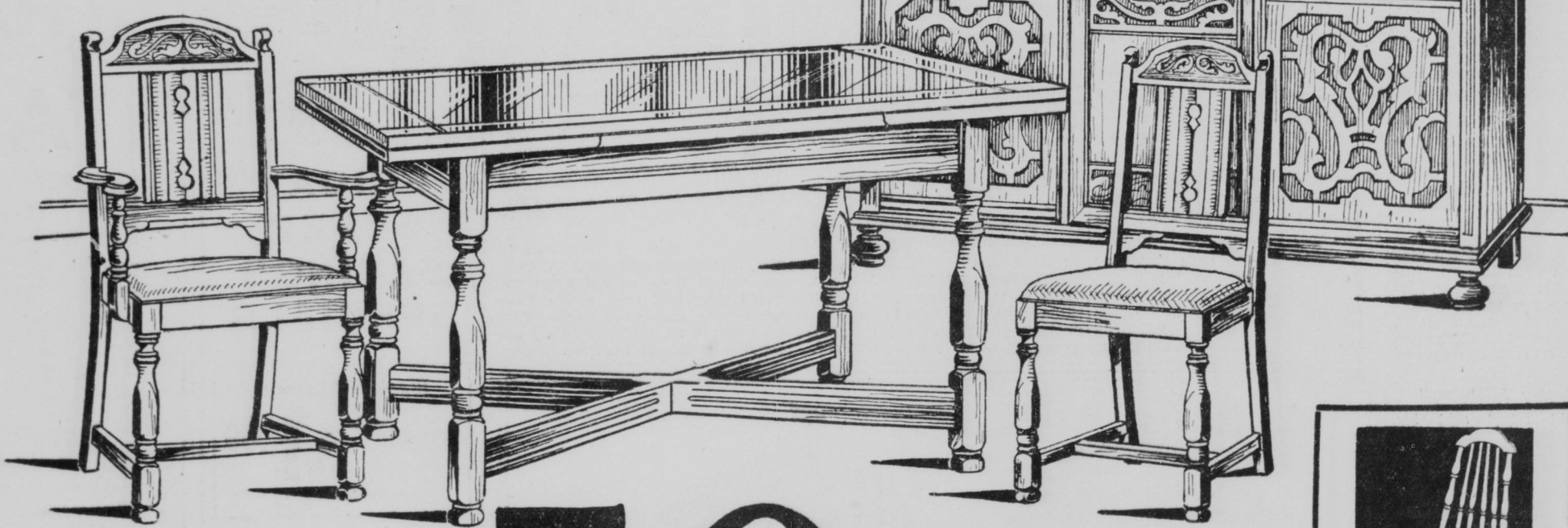
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