

## TAXPAYERS ARE WARNED TO READ PUBLIC NOTICES

State Budget Cut \$11,221, 880 Below Estimates in First Publications.

Failure of taxpayers to shine up their spectacles and put their reading microscope on legal advertisements addressed to them daily, costs them money.

This opinion was expressed by Harry Miesse, Indiana Taxpayers Association secretary, today as he urged home owners, farmers and business men to refrain from skipping over the six point type of the "legals" to reach their favorite comic strip or last night's bowling scores.

"Some legal advertisements are of interest only to parties named in the suit, but whenever an advertisement is marked 'Notice to Taxpayers' it is of prime importance to all of them," he said.

"The legals may be printed in small type and not displayed prominently, but that does not detract from their importance."

"Their very brevity," he continued, "recalls the old expression that 'precious things come in small packages.'

"Under Indiana law public officials are required to give notice of intention to spend public money. For that reason tax budgets are printed every autumn. The law provides that whenever additional appropriations are contemplated, they too, must be advertised."

"These notices tell the time and place taxpayers may appear and be heard. These notices are lawful warning that public business is being transacted, and all have a right to inquire into the proposed expenditures."

"We urge the public to get into the habit of reading these announcements. Unless they become familiar with what their officials propose to do they will not be in a position to protest against unwise and unwarranted spending," he declared.

Mr. Miesse pointed out that after last fall's budgets for Indiana, calling for an expenditure of \$107,501,555, were published, \$11,221,880 was cut from those budgets.

"This was due largely to the fact that the people had a way, through legal advertising, to ascertain the extent to which officials planned to spend public money. If budgets had not been published it is doubtful if more than a small percentage of these reductions would have been made," he concluded.

**Farmer Victim of Thieves**  
Deputy sheriffs and state police today sought rural thieves who stole an auto, three butchered hogs and 12 gallons of lard from the farm home of Orville Taylor, Greenwood, last night. The hogs and lard were value at \$110.

MOTHER GOOSE BROUGHT TO LIFE IN PLAY BY PUPILS OF SCHOOL 75



Mother Goose is to come to life Thursday at School 75. Pupils of the school brought her to life in the above photos, which show a panel made by the school's art department and junior high school and its counterpart in the cast of the play to be given that afternoon and night.

First row, left to right, Martha Metcalf, Contrary Mary; Eugene

Myrtle Mize, art teacher, the panel was hung on the school's wall. Lower—The living picture, even to a goose, as it is to be enacted at the school, is shown.

Members of the cast in the "living picture" who are to take part in the play, are:

Second row, left to right, Kenneth Jaynes, Old King Cole; Gladys Ward, Mother Goose; Katherine Nation, Queen of Hearts; third row, standing, Robert Githrie, Eddie Hubbell and Billy O'Brien; Charles Washburn and Donald Moody, queen's attendants.

Upper—Under direction of Miss

## REALTORS MAP AREA MEETING HERE MAY 28

District Convention to Be Held in City: 1500 Are Expected.

Arrangements were completed today for the regional convention of the National Association of Real Estate Boards to be held here May 28 and 29. Fifteen hundred realtors from five Midwestern states are expected to attend.

M. L. Hall, Indianapolis Real Estate Board president, met today with Charles S. Wanless, Springfield, Ill., vice president of the Great Lakes region of the national association, and Lawrence G. Holmes, Chicago, former secretary of the Indianapolis board, to perfect convention plans. Mr. Holmes is on the staff of the national association and is to have charge of the local program.

The convention was set for the latter part of May so that visitors might attend the 500-mile automobile race May 30.

Walter W. Rose, Orlando, Fla., president of the National Association and a member of the Florida Legislature, is to head the delegates.

"With real estate entering on a rising market the convention will be of inestimable value to all owners of property in Indianapolis and Indiana," Mr. Hall said.

Others attending the meeting here are Henry T. Davis, Indianapolis Convention Bureau manager; William G. Albershardt, local board vice president; E. Edward Mantel, secretary; Mrs. Dona Dudley Johnson, executive secretary; Robert Allison, Indiana Real Estate Association president; Frank L. Moore, state association executive secretary; Paul L. McCord, Henry E. Ostrom, Thomas E. Grinslade, Z. B. Hunt, Raymond A. Franke and Joseph J. Schmid.

### BARRETT APPEAL MAY BE MADE THIS WEEK

Bill of Exceptions Probably Will Be Sent to Chicago Then.

The bill of exceptions in the new trial appeal of George W. Barrett, convicted murderer of a Federal agent, probably will be sent to the Circuit Court of Appeals, Chicago, this week, Fred C. Gause, court-appointed attorney, announced today.

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At the same time second semester classes in the Y. M. C. A. night high school, business college and school of commerce begin.

The Y. M. C. A. is to begin on Feb. 17 a series of group meetings of members and non-members that will cater to hobbies, informal education and recreational athletics.

Among the subjects to be considered are astronomy, fundamentals of public speaking, art appreciation, selection of books and how to read, wrestling, debating, fencing, Red Cross, handball, cameras, orchestra, diving and dramatics.

### BLIND GET PENSION PAY

306 Persons Share in Distribution of \$5441 for Month.

Indiana's blind persons have been sent their first pension checks under the law enacted by the 1935 Legislature providing for maximum aid of \$25 a month. A total of 306 blind persons received checks ranging from \$5 to \$25 for a total expenditure of \$5441 and an average payment of \$17.73.

## ROTARY SPEAKER



## CITY HOSPITAL SERVICE RAISED

Increase Shown Despite Cuts in Budget, Business Manager Says.

Despite budget reductions, the City Hospital has increased its service to the public since 1929, Earl C. Wolf, business manager, said today. In a preliminary service report

submitted to the Indianapolis Chamber of Commerce, Mr. Wolf compared the various divisions of service last year with the number of cases for 1929, 1933 and 1934.

He pointed out that the 1935 budget at City Hospital was \$533,216, while the 1931 budget was \$581,774.

Outstanding increase in service last year were: Clinic treatments, 135,878, as compared with 122,650 in 1934 and 67,948 in 1929; hospital attendance, 11,813 in 1935, compared with 10,575 in 1934 and 944, in 1929, and laboratory examinations 71,178 last year, compared with 60,789 in 1934 and 18,221 in 1929.

## FEBRUARY S-I-Z-Z-L-E-R No. 2

A VALUE So HOT We Can Offer It for TOMORROW ONLY!

## Women's and Misses' Lastex Girdles

Irregulars 39¢

Genuine lastex 2-way stretch girdles that will mould but not confine the figure. Irregulars of one of our famous lines of girdles—"Swansdown," 4-hose supporters. Small, medium and large sizes (26 to 30).

## Downstairs at Ayres

DRY CLEANING	
Men's Suits or Coats	75¢
Ladies' Plain Dresses	75¢
1-piece	
Ladies' Plain Dresses, 2-pieces	\$1.00
2-pieces	Riley 3591
Excelsior Laundry	

STEAM OIL CROQUIGNOLE \$1	
Complete with Trim, Shampoo, Set	
ROBERTS BEAUTY SHOP	
528 Mass. Ave., LI-6622	

See New 1936 Cabinet Model

**Speed Queen**

Electric Washer with Safety-Roll Wringer

an exclusive feature

Vonnegut's

120 E. Washington.

**The way the tobacco is cut has a lot to do with the way a cigarette tastes and smokes**

Light up a Chesterfield and you'll notice that it burns smooth and even—neither too slow nor too fast.

That comes from cutting the tobacco right—in long even shreds.

We've found that the best way to cut tobacco to burn evenly and smoke

cool is to shred it exactly 38 cuts to the inch.

Mild ripe tobaccos, properly cured and aged and then cut right, is one reason why Chesterfield cigarettes are outstanding for mildness and for better taste.



Also packed in flat tins of 50 and round vacuum tins of 50