

BOTANY STUDY GARDEN BACKED BY EDUCATORS

Kern's Suggestion Is Hailed as 'Good Idea' by School Chief.

Indianapolis educators today viewed with approval a proposed municipal botanical garden.

The garden, suggested yesterday by Mayor Kern to the City Park Board, was termed a "very good idea" by Schools Superintendent Paul C. Stetson.

Mr. Stetson and other educators, however, pointed out that the proposed garden's location might have much to do with its adaptability to the use of science and botany students in the city.

Mr. Stetson pointed out that Technical High School had a botanical garden.

Garden Needed, Stetson Says "Of course, we need a garden where rare plants and flora could be studied," he said.

E. Kemper McComb, Manual Training High School principal, mentioned the fact that the city had Woolen's Gardens, north of the city, as a possible location for the garden.

Woolen's Gardens was given to the city by William Watson Woolen, father of Evans Woolen Sr., for use as a botanical garden.

Backed by Principals Mr. McComb suggested that because of the proximity to Garfield Park and the greenhouses there that Garfield might be an ideal location, at least from the standpoint of students of Manual.

"Greenhouses could be added to the present equipment at Garfield and the park could be made an ideal place," he said.

George Buck, Shortridge High School principal, said: "It would be a very fine thing if we could afford it. We have at Shortridge many varieties of plants in our court. It is a beauty spot that few people see. Naturally Shortridge students would derive benefit more easily if the garden was in the northern section of the city."

Meeting to Be Called Mr. Stetson said he, as well as school board members and science teachers, would be glad to aid the city in formulating plans for the establishment of the botanical gardens.

A. C. Sallee, city park superintendent, said a meeting of botany teachers and educators would be called to formulate plans for the garden. The plans are to be presented to the board next fall.

Mayor Kern has suggested that the gardens be managed co-operatively by the Park Board and the city garden clubs. Riverside and Holiday parks have been suggested as possible sites by city officials.

SELL JUNK FOR TRIP TO SEE RADIO SINGER Brother and Sister Found by Police in Chicago.

By United Press CHICAGO, May 22.—Russell Thompson, 14, and his sister, Margaret, 10, spent last night in the juvenile home while police awaited word from their parents in Michigan City, Ind.

They had developed a great admiration for a Chicago radio singer, and determined to meet her personally. They sold all the junk they could find for \$4, they told officers.

Yesterday they bought two tickets to Chicago for 50 cents each. They weren't able to make an "appointment" immediately, and decided to spend the night in the Y. W. C. A. Hotel.

The clerk became suspicious of their ragged clothing, called officers.

LEGION AUXILIARY COMMITTEE MEMBERS MAKE POPPY DAY PLANS



Members of the Poppy Day committee of Indianapolis Post 4, American Legion Auxiliary, are shown (above) discussing plans for this year's drive. The picture was taken at the home of Mrs. H. Nathan Swain, 3166 N. Delaware-st. Left to right are Mrs. W. R. McGeehan, Mrs. Swain and Mrs. John A. Royle.

DAHLIA SOCIETY SHOW TO BE HELD OCT. 3, 4

Handling of Flowers for Display Outlined by President.

The annual exhibition of the Indianapolis Dahlia Society is to be held Oct. 3 and 4, Mrs. J. G. McFarland announced today. Mrs. McFarland explained the methods of preparing flowers for showing at a meeting in Crosey auditorium last night.

Harry G. Templeton of the State Conservation Department showed motion pictures on bird life. It was announced at the meeting that the society has obtained several foreign varieties of dahlias.

NEW VIOLENCE FEARED IN BALTIMORE STRIKE

Police Patrol Streets After Two Negroes Are Shot.

By United Press BALTIMORE, Md., May 22.—Police squad cars patrolled the city's produce and warehouse districts today to prevent further violence in the strike of the Truck Drivers, Chauffeurs, Delivery Men and Helpers Union.

Suspension of operation by most trucking companies brought a lull in the controversy which has resulted in scattered violence and the shooting of two Negro truckmen by a police officer attempting to break up a demonstration.

GLEE CLUB IS TO SING

Manual High School Girls to Appear at Old Folks Home.

Members of the Manual Training High School Girls' Glee Club are to present a program in the Altheim Old Folks Home Sunday afternoon at 4, under the direction of Miss Esabelle Mossman.

The program includes Sanctus, by Gounod; Cradle Song, by Brahms, and Heidenroslein, by Werner. Miss Freda Hart is to be the accompanist.

BISHOP OXNAM REJOICES OVER PENDING UNION

Prompted Him to Accept Great Responsibility, He Says at De Pauw.

Times Special GREENCASTLE, Ind., May 22.—Dr. G. Bromley Oxnam accepted a Methodist Church bishopric, he said because "the approaching union of the two branches of Methodism makes the office of bishop one of great importance."

The retiring president of De Pauw University discussed his career here and plans for the future on the eve of his departure for Omaha, Neb., where he will survey the two-state area over which he is to preside.

Piled high on a desk that has served him for eight years were congratulatory letters and telegrams from many parts of the country. "I am terribly broken up over leaving De Pauw," he said. "After visiting campuses all over the country, I think we have the best student body I have met."

Thinks Depression Ending

"I hesitated about leaving," he added, "because I think we have just turned the depression tide. The university's financial situation is better now than at any other time during my administration."

"When the union is brought about," he said, "the Methodist Church will be the largest religious organization in the world outside the Catholic Church. It is likely to have profound influence in the social changes ahead by providing society the unifying power of a great ideal."

Bishop Oxnam, credited with centralizing administrative functions and launching an extensive building program during his term at De Pauw, is to continue in office

until June 12. At that time trustees are to meet to name a successor. The bishopric to which he has been assigned, Iowa and Nebraska, consists of 800-odd churches with a membership of 325,000. The denomination's combined properties, exclusive of four church colleges, a university and six hospitals, are valued at \$38,000,000.

Expected to return here Sunday, the outgoing president probably will deliver a farewell address to De Pauw students early next week. He is to speak again at baccalaureate exercises June 14.

The Oxnams and their two sons expect to take up residence in Omaha this summer. The younger son, Phillip, a De Pauw freshman, is to enter the University of Southern California next fall, while plans for Robert, a senior here, are indefinite.

ZIONIST GROUP TO PAY TRIBUTE TO SOKOLOV

Special Services Are to Be Broadcast Sunday.

The Indianapolis Zionist District is to pay tribute to Dr. Nahum Sokolow Sunday morning at 9:15 over station WIRE.

Rabbi Elias Charry is to speak on Sokolow, the Grand Old Man of Zionism. Cantor Myro Glass is to chant memorial services accompanied by Miss Miriam Forman.

A Hebrew scholar and author, Dr. Sokolow was honorary president of the World Zionist organization at the time of his death.

SANDY MACDONALD

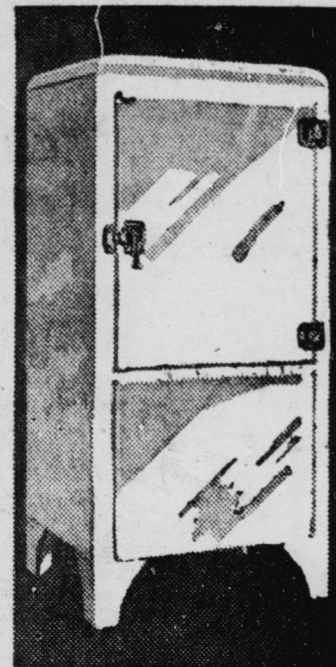
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DUDE RANCH IN PARK PLANNED

Vacation Sport of Far West Is to Be Started in Brown County.

By United Press NASHVILLE, Ind., May 22.—A

semblance of the Far West is to be transplanted to Indiana June 1, when dude ranching is to be inaugurated at the 15,000-acre Brown County State Park.

The new state "industry" is planned by Jack Gregg, an experienced dude rancher who has supervised riding activities at the park for the last year. Impressed by the scenic beauty of the area, Gregg indicated the wide expanse of rough country, the more than 100 miles of trails and roads,

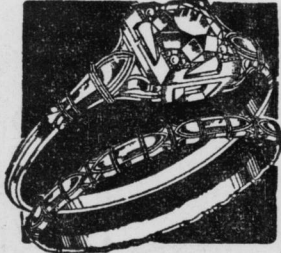
offered ideal facilities for the vacation sport of millionaires. Activities of the dude ranchers will center around the stables in the north end of the park, but the entire 15,000 acres are to be used. A series of camping trips, horse back riding, roping and stunting and ranching instruction are to be presented.

Dude ranch guests will be housed in cottages surrounding Abe Martin lodge on the ridge above the stables and meals will be taken at the lodge.

4-H Animals Increase By United Press AMES, Ia., May 22.—Animals of Iowa 4-H Club members enrolled in dairy calf clubs of 95 counties increased \$43,563 in value during 1935, it was disclosed by Iowa State College statisticians.

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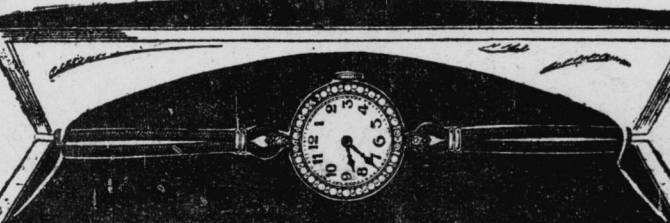
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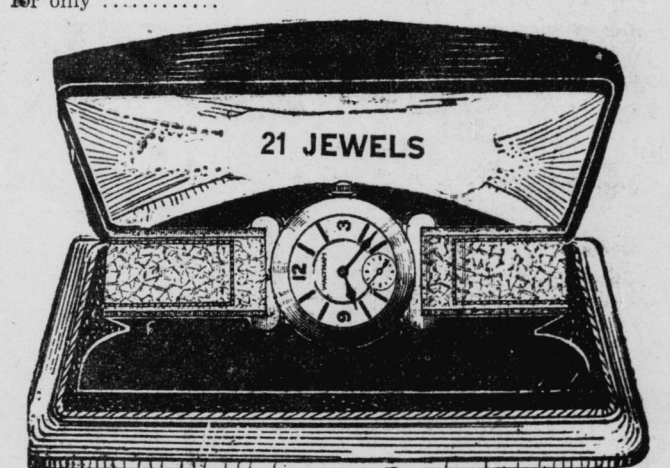
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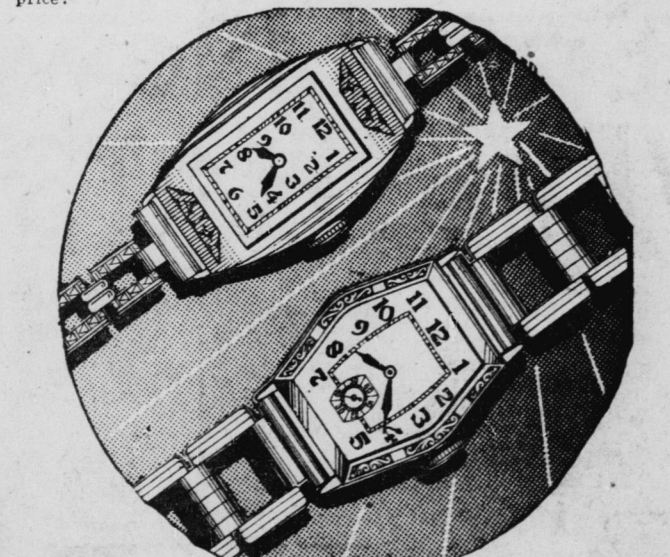
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