

STATE SUBSIDY FOR PROBATION OFFICERS URGED

Higher Salaries Needed to Attract Capable Men, McCabe Contends.

BY TRISTRAM COFFIN
Citing the need for more adequate probation supervision, Dr. Francis D. McCabe, state probation director, today advocated state subsidy of probation officers' salaries.

"Salaries are too low to attract the type of individuals to this service that standards of the probation division require," Dr. McCabe said in his report for the year ending June 30.

Of the 93 probation officers in 88 counties, only three are getting the maximum salary of \$2500 specified by the General Assembly, and many are working on a per diem basis, Dr. McCabe explained.

State Subsidy Asked

"The officers should be compensated for their services at least on the basis paid police and firemen," he said. "This could be accomplished by state subsidy of salaries."

Local units now pay salaries of probation officers.

Cost of keeping a man in prison is \$272.78 yearly in comparison to the per person probation cost of \$2.02, Dr. McCabe cited. The 12,268 probationers last year thus represented a savings of \$3,178,638.80 to the state, he explained.

Failure of local communities to provide funds for the employment of a sufficient number of probation officers was an indirect cause for the revocation of 209 probationers, Dr. McCabe claims.

The Indiana director said he favors the appointment of probation officers by judges, as is done now, because they work closely with the courts.

Lauds "Friends" System

The "Friends of the Court" system practiced by Superior Judge Benjamin J. Buehler, Vanderburgh County, and the tax-supported Boys and Girls Clubs of Columbus were praised by Dr. McCabe.

When a case involving family difficulties comes into Judge Buehler's court, the "Friends of the Court," appointed by social and business leaders, aid in working out a solution.

The Indiana Constitution provides for the setting up of reconciliation courts for family and domestic problems although the General Assembly has not legislated the enabling machinery, Dr. McCabe said.

WORLD WAR VETERAN GIVEN LIFE SENTENCE

By United Press

MOUNT VERNON, Ind., Sept. 25.—Wilbur Connor, 44, Bethel Township World War veteran, pleaded guilty to second-degree murder charges in Posey Circuit Court yesterday and was sentenced to life imprisonment.

Connor, a poultry-raiser, was convicted of fatally shooting Mrs. Cora Cross Mercer, 34, Mount Vernon, in a jealous rage last July.

NAMED ON COMMITTEE

Dr. John P. Davey, local optometrist, today was appointed a member of the National Legal and Legislative Committee of the American Optometric Association for the State of Indiana. The appointment was made by Dr. Harry E. Pine, association president.

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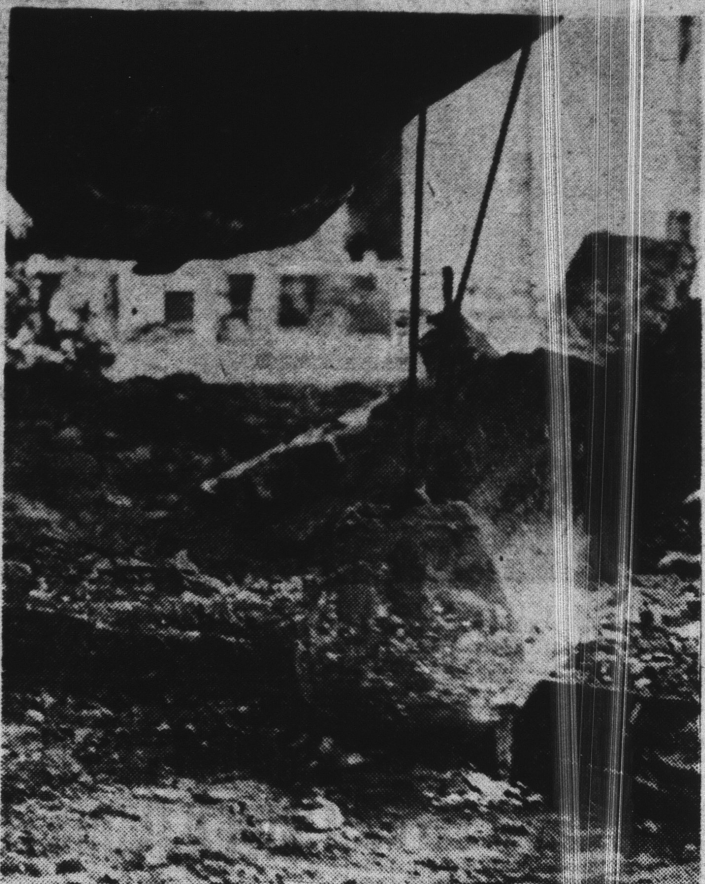
Fred Hoke, manufacturer, is to speak at a membership meeting of the Y. M. C. A. at noon today. Honors for membership drive are to be awarded to Frank C. Jordan, Warren Oakes, Jesse Shearer, William C. Smith and Edgar H. Evans.

BROKER FREED ON BOND

By United Press

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Sept. 25.—The state today accepted a \$6000 bond today and ordered the release from county jail of Don Burdick, New York broker charged with shooting his father-in-law, Harry E. Byram, retired railroad executive, at their Norwalk home, Sept. 5.

STEAM SHOVEL BATTERS DOWN WALL



Workers on the new Federal Building unit are grateful for this steam shovel contraption. Here it is, with a huge weight attached to its jaw, methodically battering down the granite wall along the northern limits of the present building. All the workers have to do is lift the chunks into the jaw and then wait until more of the wall has been battered down. This may seem to hark back to medieval battle methods of battering down a castle, but to the men employed on the local job it's a swell labor-saving device.

RECEIVES HIGH RATING

Times Special

HOLY CROSS, Ind., Sept. 25.—Miss Rosemary Delaney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Delaney

of Burlington, Ia., formerly of Indianapolis, placed second on the scholarship list at Saint Mary's College last semester, school officials announced today. While residing in Indianapolis, Miss Delaney attended St. Agnes' Academy.

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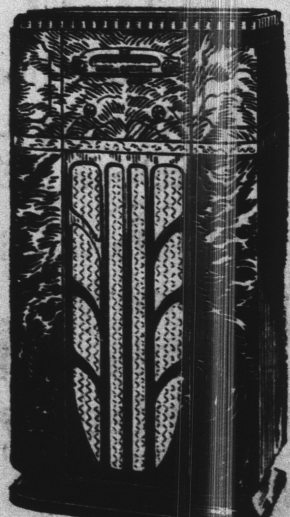
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