

AROUND THE U. S.—

## Famed Paintings Destroyed In \$1 Million Guggenheim Fire

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31 (U. P.)—Fire today destroyed more than \$1,000,000-worth of art objects, including two Titian paintings, and other property today when it swept the 35-room mansion of Col. Robert M. Guggenheim.

Among articles damaged or destroyed was the Guggenheim collection of old glass, said to be one of the finest in the world.

William P. McCracken Jr., the family attorney, said he considered the field stone mansion, built 25 years ago for \$500,000, to be a total loss. He placed the damage at "well over \$1,000,000."

The two Titian paintings, "The Falconer" and "Lavinia," were said to have been worth \$300,000 together.

Also destroyed was a painting, "Village Feast," by the 16th century painter David Teniers, an organ, original woodwork from the library of Sir Christopher Wren, architect of St. Paul's cathedral in London; several Wren carvings, and old French furniture, drapes and tapestries which once graced European castles and monasteries.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Jan. 31 (U. P.)—Alfred J. Livecchi, 33, of Buffalo found the signs of the times upside down in St. Louis. Upon his arrival he obtained living quarters in half an hour—but he couldn't find a job.

BOSTON, Jan. 31 (U. P.)—Fires in the United States and Canada last year caused 10,000 deaths and cost \$445,000,000 in property damage, the National Fire Protection association reported today.

## Takes Coat Off Back for Drive

HUNTINGTON, Ind., Jan. 31 (U. P.)—Elizabeth Brushfield, Muncie, set a good example for the residents of Huntington in the clothing drive there when she took off the jacket of a two-piece dress she was wearing and donated it.

Miss Brushfield, a teacher at a local school, explained the dress was given to her by the Red Cross last May 7 when she landed at San Pedro, Cal., after being released from a Japanese prison camp.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31 (U. P.)—The labor department said today that approximately 2,000,000 workers were permanently or temporarily lost to the nation's labor force during 1945 as result of on-the-job accidents.

HARRISBURG, Pa., Jan. 31 (U. P.)—Pennsylvania world war II veterans idled by strikes were eligible for unemployment compensation today under a state justice department ruling.

## Father, Son Die 40 Minutes Apart

VINCENNES, Ind., Jan. 31 (U. P.)—William T. Atwood, 62, Vincennes township constable, and his son, former City Fireman William C. Atwood, 40, died 40 minutes apart last night in a Vincennes hospital.

Constable Atwood had been confined to the hospital since being injured in a dance hall fight recently. Morris Willard is serving a 90-day sentence on the penal farm for the attack on the constable.

The younger Atwood retired last October because of ill health.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31 (U. P.)—President Truman was presented with an honorary life membership in the Shrine temple Ben Ali of Sacramento, Cal., today by Rep. Clair Engle (D. Cal.).

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 31 (U. P.)—Robert Angers, 19, Burton O. merchant seaman who was hailed by his home town as one of the youngest lieutenant commanders in the navy, was to have a further hearing today on charges of impersonating a naval officer.

The youth said his woes started last November when he was injured in a fall overboard while in a foreign port. He was taken to a hospital, Angers said. Several of his buddies wrote jokingly to his mother that he was a hero and had been promoted to lieutenant commander for bravery.

Angers said his mother "broadcast the news all over town" and soon afterwards he began receiving letters addressing him as lieutenant commander.

Later, when his ship docked at New York, Angers said he bought a lieutenant commander's uniform because he "did not have the heart" to tell his mother the truth.

## Notre Dame Head, Faculty Commend Hoosier Senators

Times Washington Bureau  
WASHINGTON, Jan. 31—President O'Donnell, the administration and faculty of Notre Dame university wired both Senators Raymond Willis (R. Ind.) and Homer Caphart (D. Ind.) commanding them for efforts to get more food to Europe.

The two Hoosiers were among 33 senators who signed a round-robin letter to President Truman urging that food shipments be speeded and starving prevented regardless of whether those in need were former foes or not.

They also joined in introducing a bill to speed up such food shipments and permit individuals and organizations, in addition to UNRRA, to ship food into the occupied area.

### Action Urged

The Notre Dame telegram urged action on the following measures:

"1. Government mobilization with all speed of food and transport sufficient to raise the minimum diet in all countries including Italy, Germany, Austria, Hungary, and the Far East, including Japan to 2000 calories a day and in the liberated countries to 2600 a day.

## IN INDIANAPOLIS

### EVENTS TODAY

Indiana Hotel Association, luncheon, 12:15 p. m. Central. Indianapolis Real Estate board, luncheon, 12:15 p. m. Washington. McCann course, meeting, 6:45 p. m. American Business club, luncheon, 12:15 p. m. Athletic club, meeting, 7 p. m. Indiana State committees, Indianapolis, 12:15 p. m. Athletic club, meeting, all day. Lone Star Cement Corp., meeting, all day. Indian Red Telephone Co., dinner, 6:30 p. m. Sevier. Garden club of Indiana, meeting, 10:30 a. m. Indiana Electrical association, meeting, 10 a. m. Lincoln. Indianapolis club of Indianapolis, luncheon, 12:15 p. m. Lincoln. Universal City, dinner, 6:30 p. m. Lincoln.

### EVENTS TOMORROW

Salvation Army, luncheon, 12:15 p. m. Indiana Hotel Association, luncheon, 12:15 p. m. Clarendon. Indiana City and Town Superintendents association, meeting, 2 p. m. Clarendon. Seventh district Federation of clubs meeting, 7 p. m. Clarendon. Indiana Farm bureau meeting, 12:15 p. m. Sevier. Indiana Stampers, meeting, 7:30 p. m. Antlers. Equitable Life Assurance Co., luncheon, 12 noon. Antlers.

### MARRIAGE LICENSES

George B. Dunlap, 450 W. 18th; Iona L. Taylor, 2327 Northwestern. Donald Robert Lannon, 51 N. Holmes; 1400 W. 18th. Robert S. Smith, 209 N. Meridian. Martin Volz, 216 S. Audubon rd.; Janet A. Wilson, 3118 Broadwood. Edward P. Hunt, 4210 Otterbein; Doris Randolph, 4210 Otterbein. Virgil Naper, 407 Hanson; Linda Rice, 1011 W. 18th. Lawrence Joseph Yost, Petoskey, Mich.; Helen Frances Hafner, 1926 Gulford. Robert Martin Koch, 1885 N. Tudor. Maxine M. Miller, 1824 N. Ladd. Arthur Samuel Murray, 610½ Birch. Helen Lulu Porter, 31 N. Addison. Cleo Greenblatt, 1125 N. Meridian. William P. Bass, 21 S. Cathcartwood; Mary Hutchinson, 1718 Bedford pl. William L. Woods, 1025 State. Lillian Woods, 1025 State. Gene Ervin Vaughan, 1128 Park; Barbara Jean Banta, 618 Arch. Paul W. Winkler, Freehold; Thainie Morris Doty, 145 Central. Milan D. Bostwick, Ames, Iowa; Ethel B. Johnson, 1000 Grand. Lee Schmid, Cincinnati, O.; Irene Lee Schmid, Cincinnati.

### BIRTHS

At City—Harold, Nettie Holman. At Coleman—James, Rebecca Simons; William, Dorothy Meyers, and Vernon, Henrietta Hall.

At Methodist—Lloyd, Mary Wallace; Gene, Myra Earley; Cecil, Bebbie Brown, and Martin, Harriette Williams. At Howard—Robert, Gayle Simpson, 2123 Prospect.

### BOYS

At St. Francis—Arvin, Nadine Hendrickson. At City—Robert, Margaret Donovan. At St. John—Verna, Norma Daniels. At Methodist—Robert, Rose Burles. Margaret Cowen: Edward, Mildred Zalot; Larry, Alicia Adams; James, Joan Custer; and Floyd, Marthensie Idle.

### DEATHS

Nell C. Carter, 74, at 4545 Central, phone Neil. Genevieve Mansfield, 38, at 4902 N. Illinois, cerebral hemorrhage. John Murphy, 39, at Veterans, lobar pneumonia.

James W. Walz, 65, at 172 W. Market, coronary occlusion. Edward W. Williams, 50, at 49 S. Warman, coronary thrombosis. John Miller, 70, at 415 S. Harrison, mitral stenosis.

Martha Miller, 70, at 1512 E. Washington, heart attack. Edward L. Patrick, 66, at 421 N. Pennsylvania, chronic myocarditis. Edward William Schuldt, 61, at Methodist, coronary thrombosis. Robert Russell Lawson, 57, at Methodist, cardiac muscular renal disease. Oliver Mac Dougall, 37, at City, hypertension.

Miss Mae Young, 51, at 391 W. 18th pl., carcinoma. Justice N. Adams, 72, at 401 E. Minnesota, myocarditis.

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