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15,000 State Teachers Gather Here for 93d Annual Conclave



Education was forgotten for the moment while these four educators talked association politics. William E. Wilson of Jeffersonville, Clark county superintendent (extreme right), is expected to be nominated to-night for the position of association president. Others shown from left are William Floyd, superintendent of West Lafayette schools; Morris E. McCarty, superintendent of Lafayette schools, and Gerald Alexander, city superintendent of Crawfordsville schools.



Since there is nothing quite as important to teaching as books, two Evansville teachers are shown here discussing them with publishers representative, Robert Small, on the Claypool mezzanine. The teachers are Mrs. A. C. Moore, Vogel school principal (left), and Mrs. William Via, Harper school kindergarten director.

2 TEEN-AGE GIRLS, COMPANIONS HELD

Picked Up by Anderson Police After Drinking Party.

Two Indianapolis youths with their 16-year-old girl friends were being held by Anderson police today following a drinking and petting spree there last night, Indianapolis police were notified.

The men, Kerry Whitridge, 18, of 3320 E. 34th st., and Wesley Stewart, 21, R.R. 8, Box 363, were arrested early today at a tourist cabin court three miles south of Anderson after neighbors complained that the young people were causing a disturbance.

Anderson officers found one couple walking up and down the highway and the other in a cabin.

One of the girls told officers she had slipped out of her home after her family had gone to bed and driven to Anderson clad only in a nightgown.

Anderson police said the girls would be released to relatives. The men, they said, would be charged with contributing to delinquency of minors.

CALLS DEATH "SUICIDE"
SHERVEPORT, La., Oct. 24 (U.P.)—John H. Overton Jr., 31-year-old son of Louisiana's senior senator, was found shot to death here tonight. Deputy Coroner Harry W. Paul pronounced his death as a suicide.

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Federal Aid Bill to Boost Pay Is Urged at Council Session

Indianapolis bulged with 15,000 school teachers today as the 93d annual two-day conference of the State Teachers Association got underway.

A serious overtime prevailed at the annual professional gathering as the teachers planned discussions on two important topics: Improvement of school curriculum to meet the needs of post-war conditions and increased income for those who instruct in state schools.

Meanwhile, district meetings also were underway in Ft. Wayne, South Bend, Gary and Evansville.

Urges Federal Aid
Support for a federal aid bill that would boost salaries of teachers was urged this afternoon in an address before the Indiana Council of Teachers Unions meeting in the representatives chambers in the state house by Joseph Landis, president of the American Federation of Teachers.

"Since Pearl Harbor 500,000 teachers have left the profession, 10,000 classrooms have been closed, 280,000 emergency certificates have been issued to teachers unable to meet the minimum certification requirements of the states in which they serve and teacher training institutions have been almost denuded of trainees for the teaching profession," he said.

Teacher Shortage Pressing
He asserted that this means that each year "a lost generation of American youth is doomed to darkness rather than light" and that they would become "tools of the crackpots of the future who would destroy democracy."

Pointing to a high birthrate, he asserted that the most pressing

DEAD NAZIS—
Official pictures of the executed Nazi war criminals were released today by the war department's bureau of public relations.

The Times received these pictures through regular channels, as a part of its world-wide news coverage.

After careful consideration of these pictures Times editors have decided that the very slight news value they still possess is not sufficient to justify publication of such gruesome photographs in a newspaper intended for reading in Indianapolis homes.

UN Is Urged To Restore Free Regime In Spain

3 ARE NABBED AS BANDITS IN POLICE CHASE

One Captured as He Falls While Attempting to Scale Fence.

Police today are holding three men under \$5000 bond on vagrancy charges following the pursuit-of a stolen car which was used in an armed robbery last night.

Virgil Wayman, 5017 N. Pennsylvania st., told police he was standing on the curb at 10th st. and Downing ave. when a car stopped in front of him and two men jumped out.

One of the men trained a revolver on Mr. Wayman and the other said: "Let's have it!"

The two bandits took Mr. Wayman's billfold and fled in the car.

Police Give Chase
A short time later police cruising in the 200 block on Davidson st. spotted an auto which answered the description of one stolen before the holdup from Charles R. Burns, 506 N. Oriental st.

The patrolmen wheeled their squad car around and gave chase to the car, which sped north to the 400 block on Davidson st.—west for a couple of blocks—then skidded into an alley.

As police closed the gap on the fleeing car, it stopped and three men jumped out and scattered.

Patrolman Ray Whobrey, leaped from the squad car and pursued one of the men on foot. He fired two shots, the second as the man was climbing over a fence in the alley. The man fell from the fence.

Not Hit by Bullet

The officer rushed up and apprehended James Walter Mays, 22, of 1207 Polk st. Mays had not been hit by the bullet, but said he slipped as he tried to scale the fence. The other men escaped.

Police went to the home of James Gregg, 18, of 720 N. Pine st., and arrested Homer P. Parsley, 20, of 429 St. Peter st.

Police said Parsley admitted that he was one of the men who held up Mr. Wayman. He took them to a house in the 900 block on E. Michigan st. where they found a pistol, long-bladed knife and Mr. Wayman's billfold hidden in the front yard.

The wallet still contained the dollar Mr. Wayman told police he had in it.

FLASH EXPLOSION BURNS TWO HERE

Varnish Fumes Ignite at Lilly Co.

A flash explosion at the Lilly Varnish plant sent one worker to the hospital with burns today. Another workman was burned slightly and treated at the scene.

More seriously burned was Otto Lipnitz, 40, of 3346 N. Sherman dr. He was working in the varnish reducing room when fumes exploded. He was burned on the neck and face.

Harry Richards, 26, of 58 E. Regent st., was treated by a police emergency squad.

There was no loss to the plant, located at 666 S. California st., firemen said. Cause was not discovered.

Butler Homecoming to Be Largest in School History

Butler university's Fairview campus began to take on a festive air today.

The vanguard of thousands of alumni, former students, parents of students and friends of the school arrived to participate in what will probably be the largest homecoming celebration in the history of the school.

Homecoming events include the traditional Freshman-sophomore scrap over the grassed plot, a parade, radio broadcast, bonfire pep-session, decorated fraternity and sorority houses, the Butler-Ball State football game, the president's reception and a dance.

Luncheon Today
All are calculated to bring back old memories to returning grads and inspire the present student body, many of whom have never participated in a true university homecoming celebration.

Two hundred and fifty teachers, Butler alumni, attending the annual Indiana State Teachers association convention were scheduled to attend a luncheon in their honor

I. U. War Veterans Recall Ernie Pyle as 'A Swell Guy'



Lawrence Wheeler, executive director of the Indiana university foundation, inspects the only known pipe of Ernie Pyle, beloved champion of the G. I. who died in the Pacific theater of war. The pipe will be added to the Ernie Pyle collection on campus. In the background is a recent portrait of the writer.

81 WOMEN ILL AT CLUB DINNER

Connersville Menu Probed By Health Board.

CONNERSVILLE, Ind., Oct. 24 (U.P.)—Indiana state health board technicians today investigated food served at a country club luncheon at which more than 80 women became ill.

Fayette Memorial hospital and local doctors' offices were crowded last night with members of the Connersville country club and their guests who attended the special luncheon-bridge party.

Physicians at the hospital today said all but five of the 80 women treated there had been released. Patients were placed on cots in the hallway.

Club manager Joseph Barrows said the club served creamed chicken as the main item of the special "guest day" party.

Nearly 90 women were present and 81 were reported ill by physicians last night.

Many became ill at the country club and were rushed to the hospital. Others were not affected until they reached their homes.

In Indianapolis, state health board officials said T. E. Sullivan, public health sanitarian, was in Connersville to investigate the illness. They said he probably would return with food samples for analysis.

U. S. WAR WITH RUSS SEEN IN SPIDER WEB

Columbus Man Says July, 1953, Is the Date.

COLUMBUS, Ind., Oct. 24.—If the spider knows what he is spinning about there will be war between the United States and Russia before July 28, 1953.

Back in 1943 Omer Cohee, a world war I veteran and naval inspector at Cummins Engine company here, studied a spider web on his chicken house and came forth with a prediction that the war in Europe would end on May 9, 1945.

He missed it one day.

Then he made another web study and predicted V-J day, missing it by three days. Both predictions were published.

Mr. Cohee has made a study of a new web found on a tomato vine in his garden. The next important date in world affairs to watch, according to the interpretation, is Feb. 28, 1947, and then July 28, 1953.

Beloved Writer's Briar Pipe Placed in Campus Collection

By VICTOR PETERSON
Times Staff Writer

BLOOMINGTON, Ind., Oct. 24.—The memory of Ernie Pyle, beloved Hoosier-born writer of The Indianapolis Times who became the spokesman of every G. I., never will be forgotten at Indiana university.

Almost daily something out of the past which touched the life of the physically frail and wistful writer comes to the attention of this institution where he spent his undergraduate days.

There is nothing more momentous about this latest bit out of Ernie's past. It is just an old pipe, believed to be the only one still in existence which he owned at one time or another.

The fact that it has been given to the school is symbolic of the manner in which all who knew him connect him with the university. Almost daily the Ernie Pyle collection, housed in the Union building, grows.

Tourist Cabin Fire Routs Family of 4
Couple, Two Children Escape in Night Clothing.

Fire broke out at the Maxine tourist cabins on Highway 52 and 34th st. early today, driving one family of four out of their beds in night clothing.

Fire of undetermined origin destroyed a cabin in which Mr. and Mrs. James Davis and their two children had been living. They escaped without injury but all their clothing and personal possessions were destroyed.

Flames from this cabin spread to an adjoining building which was badly damaged before Wayne township firemen got the blaze under control.

The cabins are owned by Kasta Maxine, 54th and Pennsylvania sts. The whole interior of an automobile owned by George Miller, 22, of 3715 S. Ewing st., was destroyed by fire while it was parked at Hanna and Churchman aves. last night. A smoldering cigarette in the upholstery is believed to have started the blaze.

Townsend Gains Slightly; Stark, Ludlow Still Lead

REPUBLICANS checked the gain of Democrats in all but the race for senator today in the fourth day's tally of The Times Straw Vote.

Although still ahead for senator, William E. Jenner was the only Republican nominee to fall behind yesterday's average. His opponent, Democrat M. Clifford Townsend, showed a gain of four-tenths of one per cent. All other Democrats lost ground.

Still leading their tickets were Superior Judge Judson L. Stark, Republican, for prosecutor, and Congressman Louis Ludlow, Democrat, for re-election.

"SPLIT" tickets were on the increase. In the four days, 39.3 per cent "split" tickets, 33.9 per cent voted straight Republican and 26.8 per cent straight Democrat. The three-day averages reported yesterday showed 38.1 per cent "split" tickets; 34.4 straight Republican, and 27.5 straight Democrat.

The tabulations are based on ballot cards received from a cross-section of Indianapolis and Marion county residents whose names were selected from the city directory for the straw vote mailing list. No claims are made for the straw vote except as a public service feature. Tabulations are made each day as returns come in and averages are computed for the aggregate votes to date.

U. S. TO FAVOR OPEN DEBATES ON VETO ISSUE

Secretary-General Demands Assembly Action in Franco Case.

By ROBERT J. MANNING
United Press Staff Correspondent
UNITED NATIONS HALL,
FLUSHING, N. Y., Oct. 24. — The question of action against Franco Spain exploded into the United Nations general assembly today.

At the same time battle lines were drawn between the United States and Russia over the controversial veto issue.

The United States delegation took a strong stand for full debate of the veto question. Russian delegates are making efforts to prevent the question from coming to the general assembly floor.

Secretary-General Trygve Lie tossed Spain into the general assembly hopper with a demand for action and a plea that "ways and means" be found to restore liberty and democracy to that country.

He said Spain would remain a constant cause of "mistrust and disagreement" until Generalissimo Francisco Franco is toppled from power.

Expects Full Debate
Mr. Lie's action constituted exercise of his privilege as secretary-general to call the attention of the United Nations to situations which in his opinion threaten world peace and security.

Mr. Lie told the United Press that he now expected a member nation, possibly Norway, to request that the Spanish issue be put on the agenda for full debate.

The assembly would then discuss Spain but is barred from taking formal action on the case because it still is technically on the agenda of the security council.

'Imposed by Axis'
"I cannot fail to draw the attention of the general assembly to the Spanish question, arising out of the existence of the Fascist regime, which was imposed on the Spanish people with the armed intervention of the axis powers," Mr. Lie said.

"The Spanish question has again and again demanded the attention of agencies of the United Nations. In these circumstances the general assembly can do a valuable service by giving comprehensive guidance to the organs and the member states of the United Nations, regarding their relationship with the Franco regime."

Wants Liberty Restored
"It is an unhappy fact that the Fascist control of Spain has continued unchanged despite the defeat of Germany and Japan. It seems to be clear that as long as the Franco regime remains in Spain, it will remain a constant cause of mistrust and disagreement between the founders of the United Nations. (The word "will" was underlined.)

"It is therefore my hope that those who gave up victory and peace may also find ways and means by which liberty and democratic government may be restored in Spain."

Mr. Lie did not touch on the veto question in his report.

Mr. Lie declared that progress in solving the major issue of atomic

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WE LEARN THINGS NEW EVERY DAY

MOSCOW, Oct. 24 (U.P.)—The government newspaper Izvestia, commenting on Anglo-American links with Spain, said today that Gen. Francisco Franco's "business men already have acquired equipment for the production of uranium from an American firm in Indiana."

The newspaper did not amplify.

LOCAL MAN TO HANG

ANAMOSA, Iowa, Oct. 24 (U.P.)—Louis Hofers, 35, Indianapolis, Ind., today was sentenced to be hanged Dec. 10, 1947, for the murder of a reformatory guard in an escape June 12.

Immediate Possession of Three Bedroom Brick Veneer Suburban

Built in 1941, the last year when the very best of building materials were plentiful, it is at once apparent that there are many advantages in its construction. . . . Attractive Cape Cod colonial-type, brick veneer; excellent location South East on Road 29, 9 miles from Monument, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, front porch, fireplace and bookcases in living room; attractive kitchen and dining room; blinds, rock wool insulation, storm windows and doors. Full basement, recreation room with fireplace, Victor steel furnace, 2 car garage, large garden plot, nice frontage, \$15,500. For each direction to this home, turn to "Suburban For Sale" in today's

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