

State Hunts Engineer for Flood Control

Barker Resigns Effective Feb. 1

Among other things Gov. Schricker's new state administration will have to dig up is a chief engineer for the Indiana Flood Control and Water Resources Commission.

David H. Barker has resigned the position effective Feb. 1. As yet, no one has applied for the job or is being groomed for it.

Anson S. Thomas, 4917 Rockville Rd., a member of the commission, said late yesterday that "good engineers are scarce and we will have to look hard for a replacement."

No Political Plumb
Hardly a political plumb, the job is usually filled by the commission subject to approval by the Governor.

Mr. Barker has held the position of chief engineer since 1945 and has directed and supervised surveys and plans for several major water control projects in Indiana.

Two other commission members concluded their jobs as the administration changed hands. Carl Vogelgesang, 5218 Kenwood Ave., completed his position as chief highway engineer and Thomas G. MacKenzie, state conservation engineer, also terminated his position.

Quake Rocks Volcano Area At Mauna Loa

HONOLULU, Jan. 8 (UP)—A sharp earthquake rocked the Hawaiian Islands today and scientists feared it might be the forerunner of another giant eruption of smoking, lava-spewing Mauna Loa volcano.

Shaking the towering peak, the quake brought a new threat to frightened islanders even as the 20-mile river of molten rock streaming from the fiery volcano appeared to have halted short of the Kona coast villages.

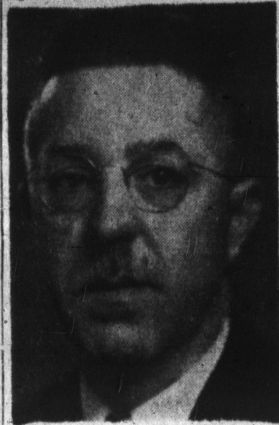
Dr. Thomas A. Jagger, world-famed volcanologist, said if the earth shock originated beneath Kilauea crater on the side of Mauna Loa it might mean that the "firepit" was preparing to erupt after 14 years of dormancy.

THE QUAKE was strong enough to waken residents of the Volcano house perched on the rim of Kilauea crater, and in Hilo, 40 miles away.

Residents who fled from the beach village of Honanau were returning to their homes as the sheet of lava from Mokuawewe appeared to have halted its surge at the timberline of the towering peak.

ASKS FAST PAY HIKE
TRENTON, N. J., Jan. 8 (UP)—Secretary of Labor Maurice J. Tobin asserted tonight that the minimum wage must be hiked "as soon as possible" from 40 to 75 cents an hour.

Speaker



Dr. H. C. H. Kernkamp... veterinary convention speaker.

State Veterinary Group to Meet

Convention to Begin Thursday at Severin

The 65th annual convention of the Indiana Veterinary Medical Association will be held Thursday through Saturday in the Severin Hotel.

Approximately 400 veterinarians and guests are expected to attend. More than a dozen scientific papers are scheduled to be read and there will be several clinics and panel discussions, according to Dr. J. L. Kixmiller, program chairman.

Dr. Charles C. Dobson, New Augusta, association president, and Mrs. H. W. Dempsey, Huntington, auxiliary president, will address a joint session of the association and women's auxiliary to open the convention. The annual banquet will be held Friday evening.

Among the speakers will be Dr. James H. Steele, chief of the communicable disease center of the U. S. Public Health Service; Dr. L. M. Hurt, Los Angeles, Cal., president of the American Veterinary Medical Association, and Dr. George W. Gillie, Ft. Wayne, former Congressman.

Dr. H. C. H. Kernkamp, faculty member of the School of Veterinary Medicine, University of Minnesota, will read two papers on animal diseases during the convention.

Association officers include Dr. H. A. Lidikay, Darlington, vice president, and Dr. Wade W. Garverick, Zionsville, secretary-treasurer.

Directors are Dr. C. R. Baumgartner, Spencer, chairman; Dr. C. Harvey Smith, Crown Point; Dr. M. M. Coble, Columbia City; Dr. G. R. Oldham, Kokomo; Dr. Frank H. Brown, Indianapolis; and Dr. E. W. Spieth, Jeffersonville.

HEADS SCHOOL GROUP
WASHINGTON, Jan. 8 (UP)—John L. Bracken, superintendent of Schools at Clayton, Mo., was elected president of the American Association of School Administrators in a mail ballot tabulated here today.

Farm Bureau Co-ops To Entertain Grocers

Indiana Farm Bureau Co-operative Association will serve a chicken dinner to 150 members of the Allied Grocers of Indiana, Inc., and the Indianapolis Independent Grocers and Meat Dealers' Assn. in the Co-op Cafeteria, 2435 Kentucky Ave., on Feb. 1.

The group also will tour the new egg processing plant of the Farm Bureau Co-Op.

Link Importer To Lucky Luciano

NEW YORK, Jan. 8 (UP)—A king Charles (Lucky) Luciano. Wall Street importer with a Park Avenue address was arrested for possessing \$80,000 worth of pure cocaine, narcotic agents reported today.

They said Ralph Jimenez, 46, was the "biggest smuggler of cocaine in the Western Hemisphere" and a longtime associate of vice-

Mummers March Late

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 8 (UP)—A record-breaking crowd of 2 million lined Broad St. today to see the city's famed Mummers prance and strut in a belated New Year's Day parade.

Balked by snow and sub-freezing temperatures last Saturday, the gaily-garbed marchers were greeted by ideal weather today in their postponed five-mile, five-hour trek.

Thurston to Start Trooper Inspections

Arthur M. Thurston, superintendent of State Police, will start inspections of six police posts Wednesday.

The inspection tour will begin at Ligonier post and will swing through the Dunes Park post Thursday; Indianapolis on Friday; Putnamville on Jan. 18; Seymour on Jan. 19 and Connersville on Jan. 20.

West Lafayette and Pendleton ceremonies.

stations were visited last week by Superintendent Thurston and his predecessor, Col. Robert Rossow.

GROUP TO HEAR SCHRICKER
Gov. Schricker will be guest speaker at a "Victory Dinner" sponsored by the Federation of Associated Clubs at 3 p. m. today in the Federation home, Henry J. Richardson will be master of ceremonies.

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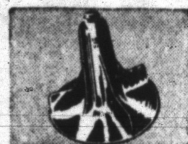
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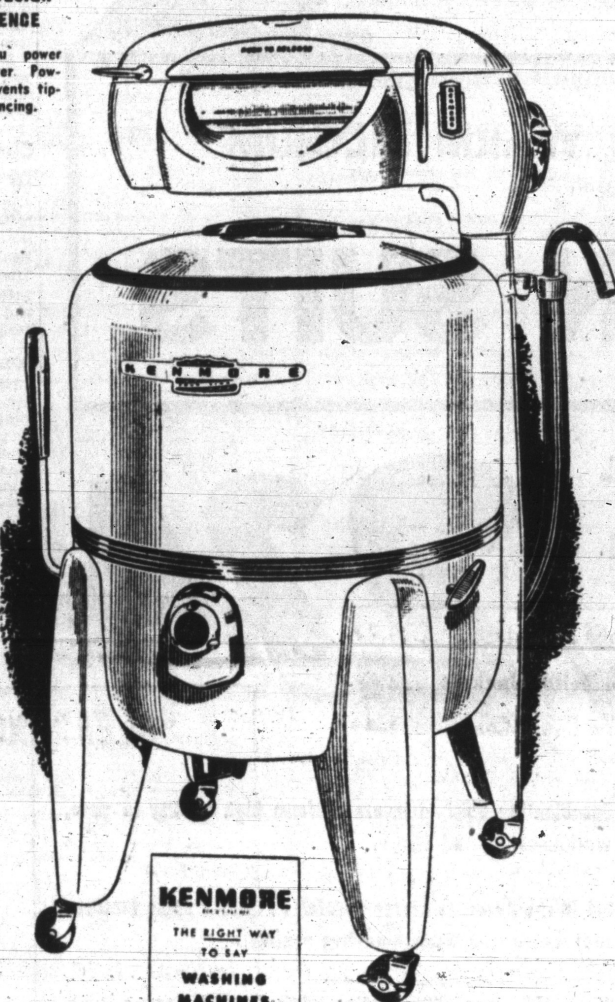
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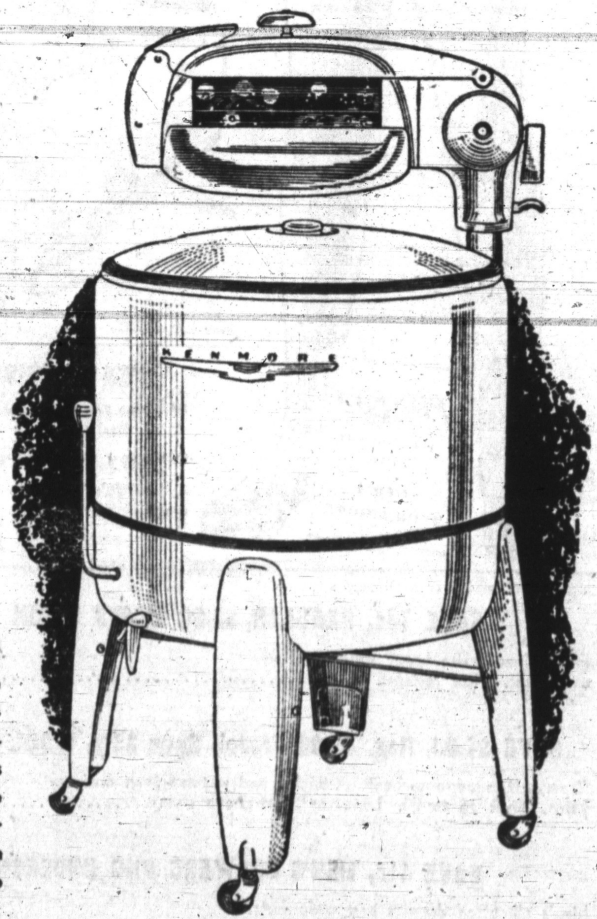
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