

1 Killed as Car Hits Prison Truck

Woman Decapitated Near Pendleton

An Indianapolis woman was killed instantly when the automobile in which she was riding crashed into the rear of a State Reformatory truck near Pendleton last night.

Ironically, the driver of the truck, held blameless in the accident, was an inmate serving a sentence for involuntary manslaughter in another "unavoidable" accident.

The dead woman is Miss Juanita Jones Gibbs, 25, of 814 N. Illinois St.

She was decapitated when the car driven by James Lisco, of the same address, passed another car and hit the right rear of the reformatory truck on State Road 67, near the reformatory road.

"Going at High Speed"

The automobile, which investigating officers said was traveling at "a terrific rate of speed" overturned several times and careened the distance between four telephone poles before coming to a halt.

Both the driver and his wife, Virginia, were injured. He was reported critical and she was in fair condition in Anderson Hospital today.

The driver of the reformatory truck was John Moore, 32, who is serving a 2-to-21-year sentence for involuntary manslaughter. He was driving to an adjoining reformatory property to feed cattle.

Both state police and witnesses said Moore was blameless in the accident.

Contract to Be Let Soon on Penney Bldg.

A contract for the superstructure of the new J. C. Penney Co. building on Monument Circle will be let within the next 30 days, the Equitable Life Assurance Society said today.

Work already is under way on the substructure, foundation and basement walls by the Carl M. Geupel Construction Co. The work is expected to be completed before the end of November. The building will replace the old English Theater.

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Suspension Fails to Close 'Cockroach-Ridden' Tavern



South Side Inn... Despite suspension, its doors remained open

Inn on W. Washington St., Twice Condemned By Excise Police as 'Dirty,' Stays Open

This is the story of how a downtown tavern, condemned twice by state excise police as "dirty and crawling with cockroaches," managed to stay open despite a suspension by the Indiana Alcoholic Beverage Commission.

Three months have elapsed since two excise police agents reported the South Side Inn, 403 W. Washington St., was "very unclean."

On the recommendation of ABC Judge Ted O. Hays the tavern was ordered inspected again. He ruled:

"I own has cleaned up I recommend no action. If not, seven days."

Officer Francis L. Guernsey reported back that the tavern was "still unsanitary and needed cleaning up." His investigation showed that the toilets were spilling over with filth and the women's rest room had no stool.

Doors Never Closed The ABC board, following the recommendation of Judge Hays, suspended the tavern for seven days. Notice was published by the ABC that the tavern was suspended.

But the doors of the tavern never closed. State Excise Police Chief Cloyd B. France said no orders were ever issued to pick up the license and close the tavern.

A check at the ABC office revealed that tavern owner Sam Dobrow, through his attorney, Herbert Spencer, applied for a rehearing on the grounds that the charge was unfair.

The rehearing was granted, according to ABC records, which showed the word "rehearing" penciled on Mr. Dobrow's request and initialed by Walter A. Rice, one of the ABC commissioners.

No date was marked opposite the rehearing approval although the request was dated Aug. 31.

No Hearing Date Set No date for a hearing had been set by Judge Hays although more than a month has elapsed since the petition for a rehearing was made.

Judge Hays said he had been waiting for a third report on the condition of the South Side tavern before setting a hearing date.

Today, after the case was brought to his attention, he said the rehearing will probably be set for Oct. 10.

Judge Hays said that he usually set rehearing dates within a few days after receiving approval from the ABC board. He declined to comment further on the delay in the Dobrow tavern case, other than to repeat that he was waiting for a report of its condition.

John F. Noonan, executive secretary of the commission, expressed surprise that a rehearing date wasn't set.

"The records were probably mislaid," he explained.

Restaurateurs Elect President

C. D. Gore Heads Indiana Association

C. G. Gore, Evansville, was elected president of the Indiana Restaurant Association, to succeed Philip Claus, Ft. Wayne, at the business session of the organization's 16th annual convention today in the Murat Theater.

Four vice presidents were chosen: T. D. Adams, Indianapolis; Peter Smith, "Whitting"; Mrs. George Martin, Terre Haute, and F. J. Hackett, Lafayette.

Howard E. Deputy, Indianapolis, was named treasurer. The officers and members of the board of directors will appoint the executive secretary.

The new officers will be installed at the annual dinner-dance in the Columbia Club tomorrow night.

Speakers scheduled for this afternoon's convention session were Mrs. Rose G. Kerr, home economist of the U. S. Department of Interior; Dick Stone, Indianapolis food merchandising counselor, and Hassell E. Schenck, president of the Indiana Farm Bureau.

Ralph G. Peterson of Chicago, director of public relations of the National Restaurant Association, will speak and present a color film tonight.

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Churches Open Social Work Booth

Display Scheduled Through Saturday

A booth displaying illustrations of the activities of the Social Service Department of the Indianapolis Church Federation will stand open on the mezzanine floor of the Claypool Hotel today through Saturday.

The booth is making its appearance for the first time this year in connection with the Indiana State Conference on Social Work, Miss Bertha Leming, head of the social service of the public schools, is conference president.

Dr. Grover L. Hartman is secretary of the Church Federation department.

Institutions and neighborhood houses conducted under church auspices and the social service department of the Church Federation will present material indicating their work for the booth.

Workers in Protestant social agencies and other Protestant social workers will meet for breakfast Friday at 7:15 a. m. in room "B" of the YMCA.

Dr. John Mixon, professor of church social work in McCormick Theological Seminary, Chicago, will give the address. Dr. Edwin W. Stricker, chairman of the Church Federation Social Service department, will preside.

Dr. Mixon is a past president of the Church Conference of Social Work and the Association of Church Social Workers.

Mrs. Howard Keeler of Chicago, executive secretary of the Association of Church Social Workers, will attend the breakfast as special guest.

Dr. Hartman says if interest justifies it, an Indiana Chapter of the Association of Church Social Workers may develop out of the breakfast meeting.

Driver's 3 Errors Net Police 5 Hits

Motorist Parked Overtime at St. Clair and Pennsylvania St.

When policemen Robert Morrison and Omer Lloyd put a sticker on his car he became disgruntled and muttered under his breath—that was his second mistake.

As he pulled away he tore up the sticker and tossed it into the faces of policemen—that was his third and worst error.

The officers chased driver Frank M. Good, 38, of 215 N. New Jersey St. and arrested him on two more charges—disorderly conduct and throwing debris on the streets. Good spent the night in jail.

In court today Good was reprimanded by Judge Alex Clark and fined \$1 and costs on the disorderly conduct charge.

Good denied he threw the bits "in the officers' faces" but Judge Clark said the whole incident indicated he was "unco-operative with traffic control." He dismissed the charge of scattering debris, levied the fine on the disorderly conduct charge and ordered Good to pay the \$2 sticker and apologize to the officers.

Mrs. Anna J. Jagers Rites Tomorrow

Services for Mrs. Anna J. Jagers, R. R. 1, Bridgeport, who died yesterday in her home, will be held at 1:30 p. m. tomorrow. Burial will be in Crown Hill. She was 78.

A native of Smiths Grove, Ky., she lived in Indianapolis 36 years. She was a charter member of the Four Square Church.

Survivors include a son, Paul E. Jagers, Indianapolis, a sister, Mrs. Sterling Doss, Oakland, Ky., and two brothers, Will and Charles Hudson, both of Smiths Grove.

Watts Decision Seen Precedent

Others May Charge 'Police Brutality'

By IRVING LEIBOWITZ

The U. S. Supreme Court decision reversing the conviction of Robert Austin Watts may set a legal pattern whereby convicted murderers may use "police brutality" as the key to new trials.

Hoosier jurists and lawyers viewed an appeal filed before the Indiana Supreme Court yesterday as an example.

The Indiana Supreme Court heard an appeal from Arthur Parker, 50, convicted in 1947 of the slaying of his Terre Haute landlady in 1943.

The Watts appeal was used as a basis for Parker's new trial motion. Defense Attorney Bernard C. Craig, Brazil, argued that Parker was indicted illegally because the Vigo County Grand Jury considered a confession illegally made by him.

Tests Negative

Mr. Craig said the confession was made under duress, after Parker was given three lie detector tests in three days and denied food and water. Mr. Craig said all the lie detector tests were negative.

The U. S. Supreme Court ordered a new trial for Watts on the grounds that he was held without "due process of law."

Specifically, the ruling said that Watts was held for more than 64 hours without appearing before a magistrate and that his confession on which the conviction was based was forced.

One jurist said that the U. S. Supreme Court ruling would "make it harder for police officers to enforce the law."

Trash Collections To Be Modernized

Reorganization of the city trash and garbage collection system with trash and garbage to be collected on the same day as being planned by the Sanitation Department.

New schedules will go into operation in all districts Oct. 31. Both trash and garbage will be collected once each week. Under the current system, trash and garbage are collected on seasonal schedules.

Board members said the sanitation district has been operating under schedules organized for the old horse-drawn wagons. They have become obsolete since the equipment used by collectors has been mechanized. With the faster service made possible by the reorganization, collections missed on first runs may be made on return trips, they said.

Sanitation disposal men said the plant has recorded an increase in trash volume in recent years because of the greater use of frozen foods in cartons, throw-away bottles and milk from cartons.

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Tucker Trustees Seek to Sell Assets

CHICAGO, Oct. 5 (UP)—Preston Tucker stood trial for mail fraud today while trustees for his bankrupt \$28 million automobile firm went out to try to sell its assets and regain lost millions.

Eight of the 12 jurors who will try Mr. Tucker and seven of his associates were picked yesterday from an original venire of 200 prospective jurors and 100 extras.

U. S. District Judge Walter J. LaBuy was presiding over the trial, which may take four months. Mr. Tucker and the others are charged with violating federal securities acts, the mail fraud statute and with conspiracy to violate these laws.

Community Fund Contest Rules

The Prizes

1st, 1949 De Luxe 4-door Chevrolet sedan; 2d, television console; 3d, radio-phonograph combination console; 4th, refrigerator; 5th, home freezer; 6th, automatic washer; 7th, radio console combination; 8th, radio table model combination; 9th through 12th, portable radio; 13th through 50th, table model radio.

The Rules

The contest is open only to residents of Marion County except paid employees of General Motors dealers, the Community Fund and its agencies and members of their families.

Complete in 25 additional words or less this statement: "I give to the Community Fund because..."

You may use the official entry blank in The Times or write your entry on a separate sheet of paper. Enter as many times as you wish but each entry must be on a separate entry blank or sheet of paper.

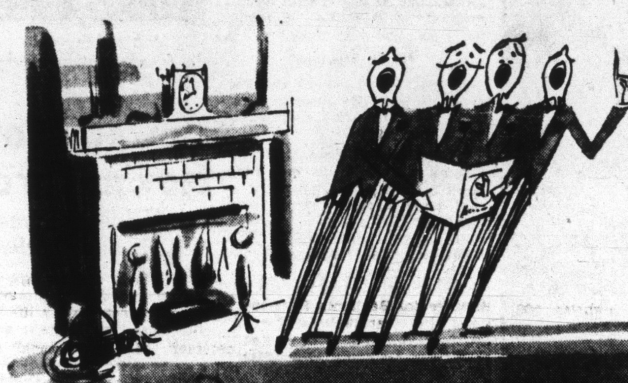
Mail entries to Community Fund Contest, P. O. Box 1681, Indianapolis.

Entries must be postmarked not later than midnight Oct. 24th and must be received no later than Nov. 1.

Entries will be judged on the basis of originality, aptness and sincerity by the Reuben H. Donnelly Corp. Judges decision will be final. In case of ties, duplicate prizes will be awarded. All entries, contents and ideas then become the property of the Indianapolis and Marion County Community Fund.

GARBO SAILS FOR U. S. LE HAVRE, France, Oct. 5 (UP)—Greta Garbo left aboard the Ile de France for New York last night.

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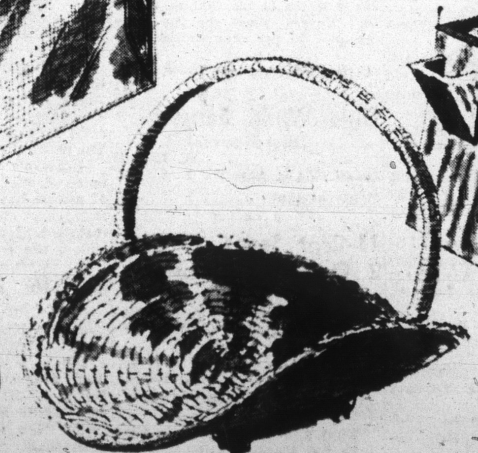
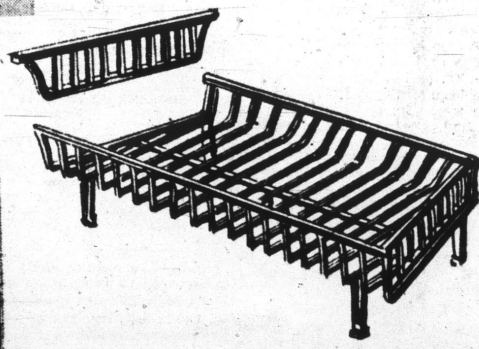
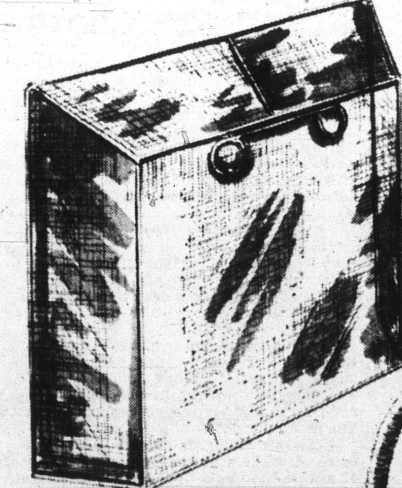
Basket style with legs, removable ends. In three sizes. 30-inch length, 8.95. 27-inch length, 8.50. 36-inch length, 10.50.

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Disciples To Meet In Cincin

The centennial International Convention of the Disciples of Christ is being held in Cincinnati.

The centennial meeting Oct. 25 to 29 will attract approximately 10,000 delegates.

The two honored are: Kershner, dean of Butler School, and Dr. A. E. Cory, missions department.

Cory served as president in 1924. The 10,000 delegates include a large group from the boards of the International Board of Christian Education.

Wednesday morning the board of the convention will hold its annual meeting. Included are President M. O. Shelton of the Oregon, and Dr. A. E. Cory of the Indiana.

Wednesday noon session on Sunday school. Annual meeting of the International Convention of the Disciples of Christ will be held in the Dean Shelton Auditorium.

Dr. A. C. Walker, treasurer of the convention, will preside. Other members of the staff will participate.

Jaycee For To Accent

The accent in the leaders of the Junior Chamber of Commerce is this fall.

Speakers in meetings, which include "sales package" sessions, are: Oct. 20 and Nov. 10, sales and Meat Institute.

Saas, advertising C. von Trees, a travel day," a travel course for \$10. In Hotel Antler.

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