Poor Finds Help Is Rough Going

Decatur Township Chops Off Rolls

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1949 rolls who has ever had contact with the "investigator" said that Mrs. Edwards referred them to her husband. One said she told him she "didn't have anything to do with it."

Mr. Edwards draws $137.50 a month as township trustee. By virtue of being township trustee he is also assessor, for which he drew $412.50 this year. His highest paid deputy assessor was his wife who drew $445.60 for three months' salary.

Poultry House Office

In addition to this income the trustee has a $350 appropriation for maintaining an office. This office is in his poultry house at 827 Ft. Wayne Ave. Here is the description in the file of one social agency, in a report made after it attempted to help a family get aid from Mr. Edwards:

"I picked up Mrs. —— at her home and took her to the place of business of Mr. Herbert Edwards, Decatur Township trustee. This is a poultry shop where Mr. Edwards sees his clients of the township with tradesmen walking in and out, chickens screaming, a sickening stench of burning feathers in the air and the township trustee himself shouting across the counter.

"All these people were milling in and out, listening as the client revealed confidences. The trustee was taking in chickens and counting change and seemed more interested in his business than the client.

"The township trustee himself, an extremely hostile, aggressive individual, pounded on the counter, shouted that if the family and two or three others were moved out of the Mars Hill community it would be all right and there would be no difficulties, but with families like them things were bound to go wrong.

Cites His Record

"Finally Mr. Edwards asked me to go back into the room where they were actually killing the chickens and to talk to me privately. He went on at a great rate about how he had improved the situation in the community, that he had dropped 260 from relief and now only had 40 and how he had an investigator and when I said I had never happened to run into his investigator when I had been in the community he announced that his investigator was his wife.

"In leaving I was thoroughly convinced that it would be necessary to help Mrs. — to call on the commissioners in order to obtain assistance from this particular trustee."

Tomorrow: Medical Care

Shah Not Impressed by Hollywood

The Shah — Princess Fatima — Prince Mahmoud

The Shah of Iran with his brother and sister wait outside a Los Angeles hotel before taking a tour of the city. As far as the Shah was concerned, Hollywood was just so much political poison. Hard-working press agents were rebuffed politely but firmly. The Shah hurdled such propositions as: His majesty was too busy to go to lunch with Dorothy Lamour; no, his majesty, had not expressed a desire to go nightclubbing with Ann Miller. The Shah came to the United States not on a playboy mission but to gain America's aid in Iran's struggle against Soviet Russia. "He's a very serious young man," Washington said after his visit there.

Fund to Aid Girl Of Blind Parents

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Christmas and the cold winter months.

For the first time, Anna is going to have some of the Christmas joy her little friends talk about.

YOU can help the thousands of needy children of Indianapolis through The Times Clothe-A-Child in three ways:

ONE: By sending checks or money orders to Clothe-A-Child, Indianapolis Times, 214 W. Maryland St. Contributions will be listed in The Times in any way designated.

TWO: By volunteering as a donor. Donors are individuals or organizations that take Clothe-A-Child children to the stores and spend their own money to shop for them. Appointment may be made for any shopping hour of any day by telephoning RI. 5551.

THREE: By placing one or more dimes on The Times Mile-O-Dimes on W. Washington St. in front of the L. Strauss Store, Lerner Shops and Clothe-A-Child headquarters. Uniformed firemen of Firemen's Post No. 42 of the American Legion are on duty at the Mile-O-Dimes 24 hours a day.

Fifty-five children were clothed yesterday. Fifty-four of them went to the stores with Clothe-A-Child shoppers. The other child was a donor guest of the Alliance of Universalist Women of Indianapolis. The Universalist Women each year take a needy Clothe-A-Child youngster to the stores.

Will Seek Watts' Arraignment

New Judge to Be Samuel Offutt

The state tomorrow will again ask an immediate arraignment plate in the murder trial of Robert Austin Watts.

Marion County Prosecutor George Dailey will go to Shelbyville tomorrow to be present when Samuel Offutt of Greenfield qualifies as special judge in the Watts case. Mr. Dailey said he will ask the new judge to set an immediate date for arraignment of Watts in the 1947 sex slaying of Mrs. Mary Lois Burney.

Judge Offutt was chosen as special judge yesterday. Attorneys for Watts filed a petition for a special judge. Shelby Circuit Court Judge Harold Barger presided at Watts' first trial, later reversed by the Supreme Court.

Judge Offutt originally was scheduled to hear another Marion County murder case tomorrow. The trial of Bernard McGuire in the July 8 tavern slaying of Robert (Bobby) Brown was venued to Hancock County and was set to start tomorrow with Judge Offutt presiding. It was postponed to Jan. 9.

Shots Rout Prowler

John B. Butler, 33, of 3714 E. Washington St., told police he shot three times at a man trying to open the door of a car owned by him early today. The prowler escaped.

'There's Much I Might Say'—

Agar Glum After Divorce 'Ex's' Marriage to Shirley

Actor on Tour Refuses to Comment; Fellow Troupers Say He's Depressed

BUFFALO, N. Y., Dec. 6 (UP)—John Agar, somber-faced and obviously heavyhearted, reluctantly declared today that testimony Shirley Temple Agar gave in obtaining a divorce from him "reflects incorrectly our real differences."

"I still don't want to talk about it," the former Army Air Force sergeant told the United Press. He is making a personal appearance at a theater here.

Shirley won a divorce decree in Hollywood yesterday, charging her husband "hugged and kissed" another woman in her presence and went out with other girls while she was expecting their baby. She also testified that he came home drunk.

"Much I Might Say"

"As usual, there are two sides to the controversy," Mr. Agar said. "Shirely's testimony, as reported to me, reflects incorrectly our real differences.

"There is much I might have said and might say now. However, as I see it, no constructive purpose could be served by recriminations or airing our respective sides in public.

"This is the course I have followed since our separation and I still want to follow it despite possibly wrongful implications which might result from what she said.

"I am naturally greatly concerned with the welfare of our child and trust that what has happened will ultimately result for the best to all of us concerned."

(Shirley was awarded custody of the child.)

Mr. Agar begged off when photographers requested him to pose holding a picture of Shirley.

Noticeably Glum

"I don't think that would be right," he said. Mr. Agar was noticeably glum. He appears in the stage revue as a singer and in two character roles.

Movie Star Rory Calhoun, who is in the show with him, said that "John hasn't spoken 10 words all day off stage.

"This thing has obviously upset him a great deal," Mr. Calhoun commented.

Starlet Rhonda Fleming said she felt "sorry for both Shirley and John."

"I know something of what they're going through," she said. "I had marital troubles myself."

Mr. Agar said he received a telephone call from Los Angeles but declined to say who called.

"But it wasn't from Shirley," he said almost inaudibly.

40 Sunstroke Cases

BUENOS AIRES, Argentina, Dec. 6 (UP)—Forty cases of sunstroke—none fatal—were reported yesterday while the city sweltered in 102-degree heat.

Hits State Support Of Private Schools

Position Reaffirmed By Baptist Group

The Fundamental Baptist Fellowship in assembly in the Broadway Baptist Church today turned thumbs down on state support of denominational or private schools.

The fellowship, a purely inspirational body of laymen and ministers of five states, reaffirmed the traditional Baptist position which calls for complete separation of church and state.

The group also stated: "We are opposed to the modernistic, ecclesiastical organization known as the Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in America."

Position Reaffirmed

Reaffirmation of the Baptist position which opposes persecution of peoples by the state such as those now ruled by Russia, was made by the fellowship. Also, they repeated their often heard stand "taking the Bible only as sole rule of their faith and practice, and opposition to the use of "man-made literature" as a substitute for the Bible.

The four states represented in the fellowship sessions are Indiana, Ohio, Illinois, West Virginia and Michigan.

Dr. J. Frank Norris of Ft. Worth, Tex., and Detroit, Mich., will give the serman at the 7:30 p. m. session tonight.

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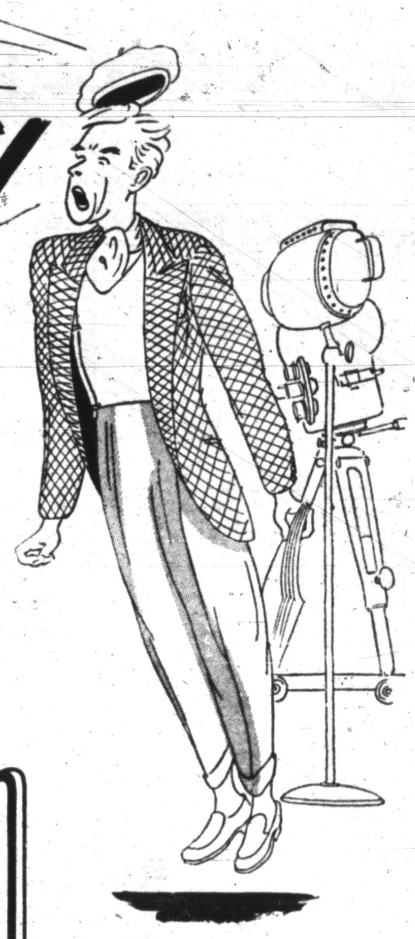

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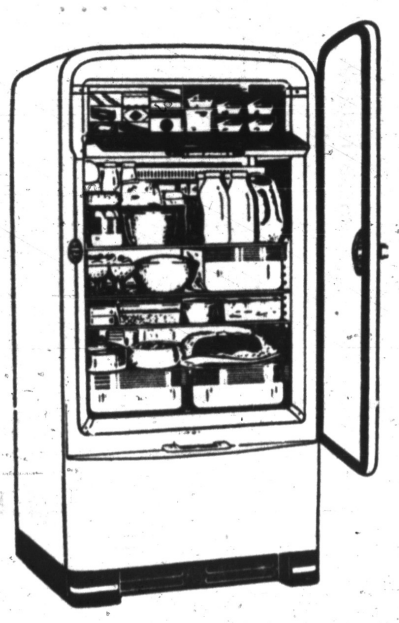

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