

F. Shirley Wilcox Named Indiana Federal Housing Chief

Ex-Treasurer Of State Takes Peters' Post

A former collector of internal revenue and state treasurer has been named Federal Housing Authority director for Indiana, effective Monday.

Appointment of F. Shirley Wilcox to the \$10,800-a-year job was announced by FHA Commissioner Franklin D. Richards in Washington late yesterday.

The vacancy was created when the late R. Earl Peters was dismissed Jan. 11 from the post he had held 17 years for insuring his own investment in a Ft. Wayne apartment project in 1947. This violated FHA rules.

George Bailey Jr., FHA assistant zone commissioner, has been in charge of the Indiana office here since Mr. Peters' dismissal.

Died in Florida
Mr. Peters died of a heart attack Feb. 18 in a Coral Gables, Fla., hospital. He had been taken there after an earlier seizure in his Miami home.

Mr. Wilcox, 57, is a former resident of New Albany and now lives at 3707 N. Meridian St. He was appointed Indiana collector of internal revenue in November, 1945, by President Truman. Mr. Wilcox resigned that post in 1948 to conduct a successful campaign for state treasurer. He was defeated for re-election in 1950.

Active in state Democratic politics for many years, Mr. Wilcox is a friend of Associate Justice Sherman Minton, also of New Albany.

A veteran of World War I, Mr. Wilcox helped form an American Legion post in his native city, and served on the Floyd County Selective Service Board during World War II.

A member of the Episcopal Church of the Advent, he is married and had two sons. While living in New Albany, he was a member of the Chamber of Commerce, Old Calumet Club and Rotary Club. He belongs to the Federal Businessmen's Association and the American Business Club.

ABC Revokes Licenses Of Seven in State

The Indiana Alcoholic Beverage Commission announced today it has revoked the licenses of four retailers, two bartenders and a waitress for violating state liquor laws.

Mike Pelinovich, Gary tavern owner, lost his retail license, as did bartender Joseph Brasich, and Maggie B. Hampton, waitress, for failure to keep a "high and fine reputation."

Orally Shropshire, Lafayette, lost his license for a Sunday sale. The license of the State Drug Store, Inc., East Chicago, was revoked on grounds it was ineligible to hold a permit. Sylvester L. Wroblewski, Michigan City bartender, lost his license for selling strong drink on a different type permit.

Man Dies After Fall Down Basement Stairs

A 64-year-old man died in General Hospital two hours after he fell down the stairs to his basement apartment at 523 E. New York St. last night.

Hospital authorities said Mahlon D. McGuire died as a result of a fractured skull.

He is survived by a son, Frank McGuire, 421 N. Walcott St.



F. SHIRLEY WILCOX—FHA director for state.

Priest Honored On Jubilee

Dinner Observes 25th Year as Pastor

By EMMA RIVERS MILNER
Times Church Editor

The Rev. Fr. John Holloran today looks back on 25 busy and successful years as a priest of the Roman Catholic Church. Last night his parishioners, members of the St. Thomas Aquinas Church, surprised the silver jubilarian with a festive dinner in the Riviera Club. Seated at tables decked with greenery, candles, silver ornaments and gardenias, the guests made clear their esteem for the pastor.

The parish presented him with a television set in honor of the 25th anniversary of his ordination to the priesthood.

Thirteen relatives of Father Holloran, all from Indiana, attended the dinner. The Rev. Fr. James Moore, a classmate of the jubilarian at St. Meinrad's Seminary and pastor of Our Lady of Lourdes Church, gave the main speech.

The Rev. Fr. Joseph G. Grothaus of Holy Angels Church and the Rev. Fr. Francis Early of Holy Spirit Church, both classmates of Father Holloran; the Rt. Rev. Msgr. Thomas Kilfoil, Bloomington; the Rev. Fr. Ronald Dinn, O. F. M., Alverna Retreat House; and the Rev. Fr. Richard A. Mode, Father Holloran's assistant, each spoke briefly.

Edmund C. Walsh, president of the Men's Club, dinner sponsors, presided as toastmaster.

Over the 25 years, Father Holloran has served in Indiana as assistant pastor of the Sacred Heart Church, Terre Haute; the Holy Rosary Church, Seelyville; and St. Anthony's Indianapolis; and as superintendent of Reltz Memorial High School, Evansville.

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Dionne Quints Are 18; How Time Flies, Eh?

By United Press
CORBEIL, Ont., May 28.—The Dionne quintuplets, still pictured by millions as five playful little girls, reached the age of consent today on their 18th birthday.

Marie, Cecile, Annette, Emilie and Yvonne observed the achievement of womanhood with a family birthday party, starting with Mass at a private chapel in their home.

Before the big day is over, the world's five most famous sisters will receive matched rhinestone necklaces, bracelets and earrings from their father, Oliva Dionne, and be graduated from a private school.

Messages of congratulations and best wishes already were pouring into their Ontario northland villa from many lands and many peoples.

However, even their neighbors

will not see much of the birthday and their 13 children. Some of the party, as the quintuplets indicated, they would not leave the grounds miles away.

The party was somewhat of a last brother, made the shortest family reunion for the Dionnes trip. He and his wife live across the street at the homestead where the five girls were born May 28, 1934.

Rose Marie Giraud, their married sister, arrived from Waterloo, Ont., where she teaches, and Pauline took leave from her Montreal College. Brother Daniel got time off from his road construction job at Sudbury to attend the celebration.

Other members of the family already were at home. Sister Marie Reine Des Coeurs, Sister Superior of the private school which will close following the commencement exercise, said the quintuplets had made fine scholastic progress.

The five sisters will enter college next fall. Although they haven't decided which one they will attend, it will not be a convent.

Warehouse Fire Blazes Two Hours

Fireman battled for two hours early today to halt a roaring fire in a warehouse used for rebuilding and storing refrigerators here.

Damage to 500 second-hand refrigerators and other appliances in the building at 205-07 W. South St. was estimated at \$25,000 by the tenant, D. Ralph Smith, owner of D. R. Smith Appliance Co. The fire was discovered shortly before 1 a. m. on the first floor of the huge warehouse. A sky light in the one-story portion of the building was blown out by the fire.

Cheap Operation

CHICAGO, May 28 (UP)—Burglars stole 20,000 nickels from the Colepa Dispensers, Inc., yesterday.

School Board OKs Pay Hike

Pay envelopes of Indianapolis school employees are going to be fattened.

The School Board last night approved pay increases of \$20 a month for clerks and secretaries, and gave \$10 to \$25 boosts to matrons, janitors and firemen.

A raise of \$35 a month was approved for the administrative staff. This breaks down to the same raise granted to teachers, but is actually \$70 more per year than instructors will gross.

It was pointed out, however, that administrators work 12 months while teachers are employed 10 months of each year. The School Board also promoted Paul I. Miller to assistant superintendent. He has been administrative assistant in charge of educational research.

The board authorized a change in report cards for elementary, intermediate and junior high school grades. Those classes will go back to the old system of grading pupil progress by letters A, B, C, D, E and F.

Delphi Coach's Car Injures Boy, 12

DELPHI, May 28 (UP)—A school boy was hurt badly today when he ran into the path of a car driven by Norman Ebrite, assistant basketball and football coach at Delphi High School.

The victim was Gary Weaver, 12, Delphi. Mr. Ebrite was driving to school when the boy darted from a service station driveway into the path of the auto. The lad was taken to a hospital with possibly a skull fracture.

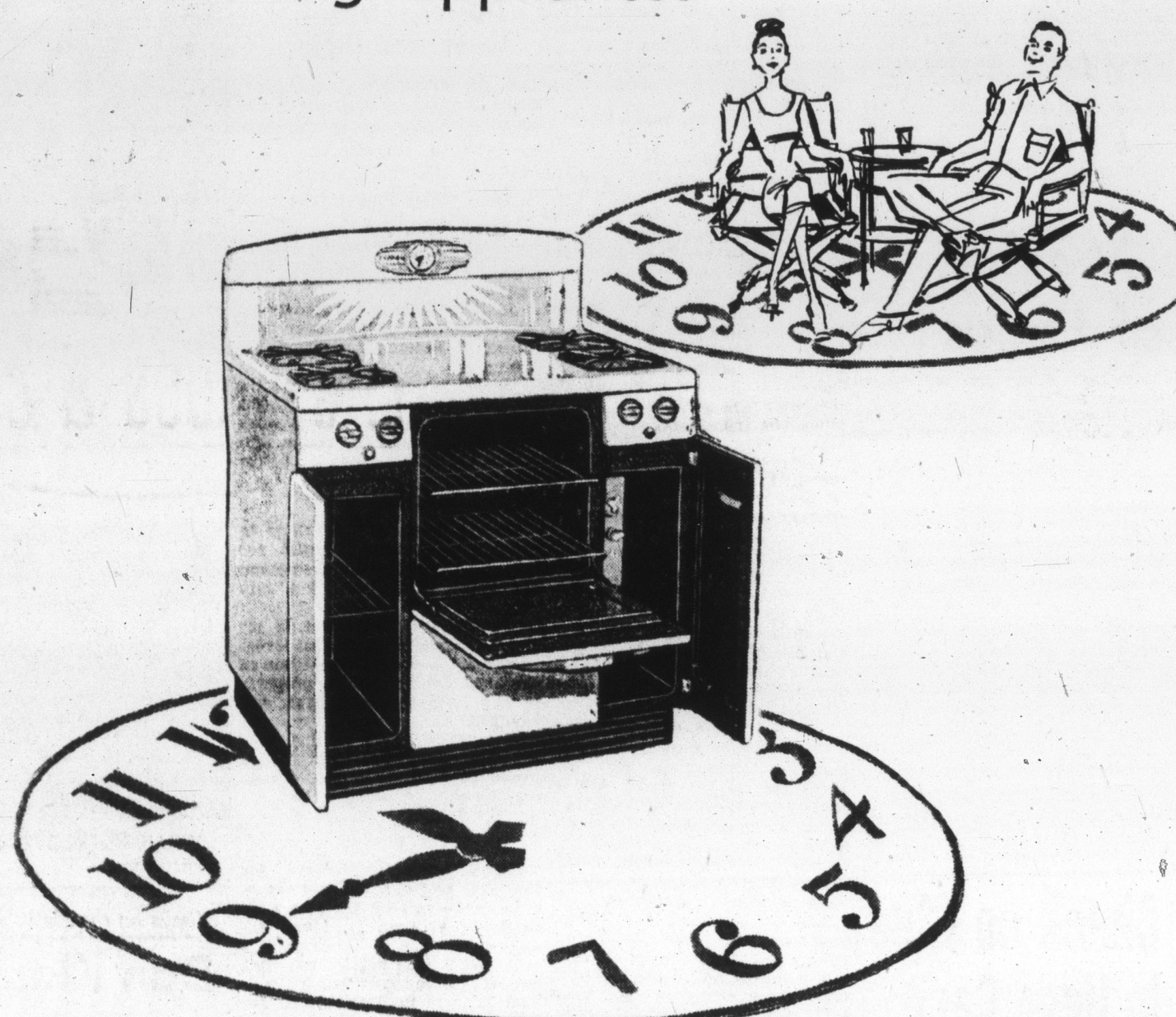
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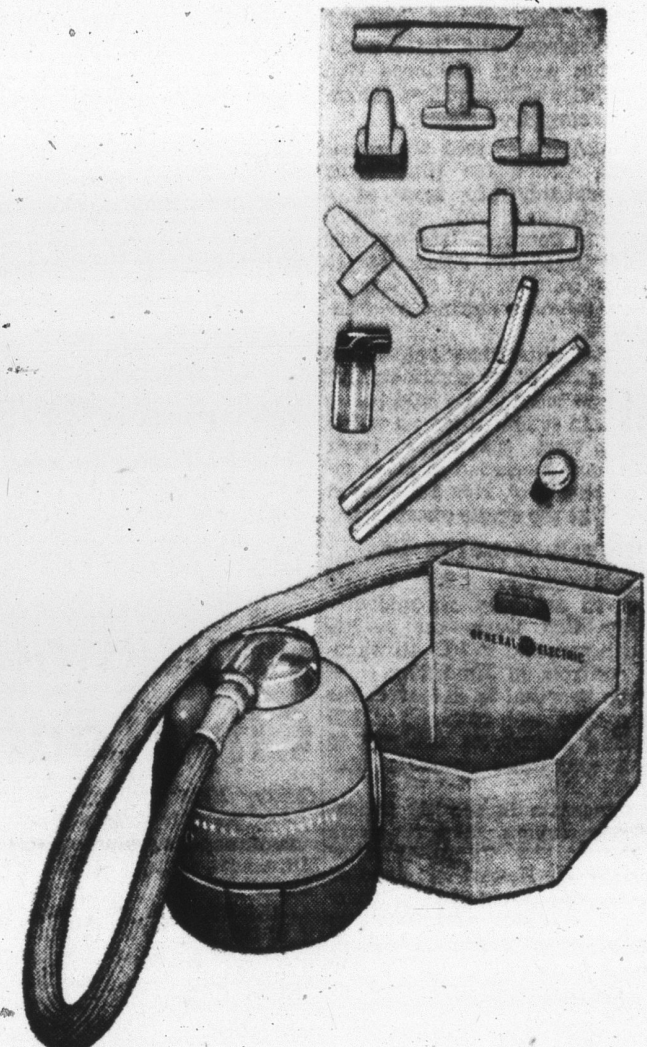
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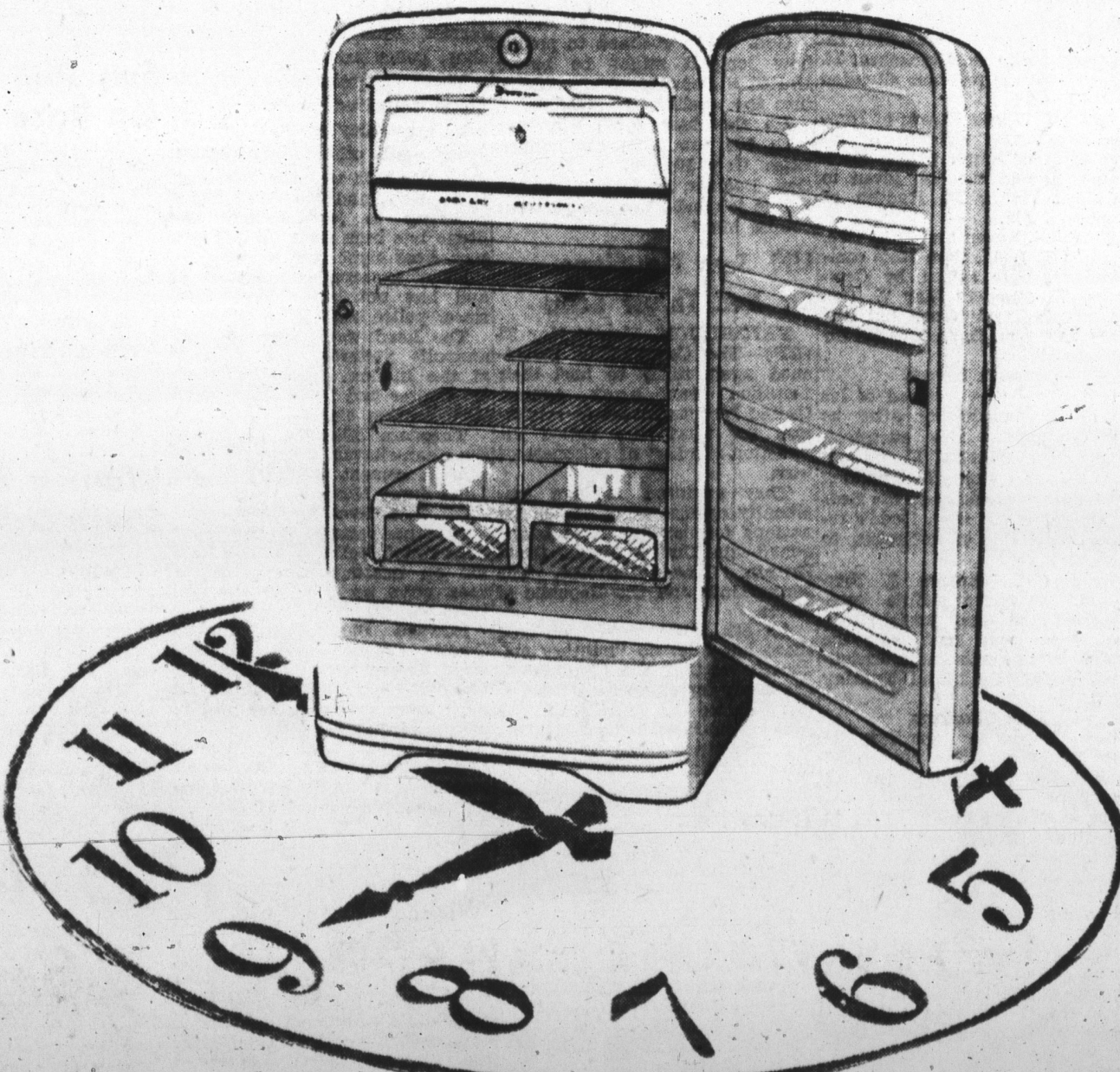


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