

A DAY IN GARY LAND

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT

Because Lawrence Ryan stole a pair of rubber boots from the Ottis Engine company of Gary, he will have to serve an indeterminate sentence in the state prison at Michigan City for from one to eight years.

One pair of boots, which could have been bought with a single day's honest toll, was the prize for which Lawrence Ryan was willing to risk his liberty for a period of eight years.

It is one of the most peculiar cases which has come to the attention of the court for some time. Ryan was tried by a jury and the twelve peers of this Gary man came in and reported to the court that they had found him guilty as charged.

The sentence was passed yesterday and the prisoner will be taken to Michigan City today.

The case of Will Hart, a negro, who is charged with picking the pockets of John Krutkowski in a Gary saloon, asked for a continuance through his attorney and the request was granted by the court. As a result, the case will probably not be tried this term.

The Lipke case was not tried yesterday. Lipke is the Gary man who is accused of petit larceny as a result of stealing some meat from a Gary market.

FRANK SAMPSON FALLS FROM HIGH SCAFFOLD.

Two Men Employed By Pruitt & Moore Construction Company Figure in Accident Yesterday.

Frank Sampson, a carpenter employed by the Pruitt & Moore Construction company fell yesterday together with one of his fellow workmen from a scaffold which broke while they were at work on it. Sampson was the most seriously hurt of the two, he suffering a broken leg, and a bad jar, while the other man had no broken bones, although he was jarred considerably. Sampson was taken to his home on Omaha street by the Jones ambulance.

LITTLE GIRL CAUSES LOTS OF ANXIETY.

Gary and Toleston People Hunt For Missing Girl Who Is Found Asleep.

Friends and neighbors, and the town authorities of Gary and Toleston were asked yesterday afternoon to join in a hunt for the 4-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Hook of the half-way house between Gary and Toleston.

The mother of the little girl noticed that her daughter was strangely absent for a long time and, alarmed, she appealed to the authorities and her neighbors. The surrounding country was scoured and the fear that something had happened to the little one became more intense. Finally Marshal Frank Martin, of Toleston, lead the way to the Hock bay now, and there the little girl was found sleeping peacefully, little aware of commotion that she had caused through her absence.

LADIES' GUILD GIVES A RECEPTION YESTERDAY.

The Ladies' Guild of the Episcopal church gave a reception and social at their chapel at the corner of Adams and Fifth avenue. A large crowd was present and the musical program was highly appreciated. The program rendered follows:

Piano Solo.....Mrs. Walter S. Ross

Reading.....Mrs. Ada Sloan White

Vocal Solo.....Miss Edith Applegate

Vocal Solo.....Baker T. White

Violin Solo.....Rufus O. Suter

RETURNS FROM CLEVELAND WHERE HE SAW BIG FIRE.

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