

# A DAY IN GARY LAND

## BUILD MERCHANT MILLS

Steel Company Gets Ready to Turn Out the Finished Product.

The foundation work has now been started for two of the merchant mills of the steel company which are known as the 14-inch and 18-inch plants. These are the first two of a group of several which are to be built in the plant just west of the rail mill. The big foundations are being put in as rapidly as possible and these two will be rushed to completion. The others will be constructed as soon as it is deemed necessary.

The start of the merchant mills means that the departments for the handling of the finished product will now be completed after the section of the plant for the manufacture of steel and iron is well under way. At present the only section of the plant where the finished product is turned out that it as far advanced as the remainder of the plant is the rail mill.

The construction of the merchant mills is being done by the steel company instead of by contractors as officials announced several weeks ago, and which was printed in this paper.

## WANT TO BUY OUT MAX HIRSCH BAKERY.

Tolson Man Is Manufacturer of Famous "Mamma Bread"—Model Bakery May Be Erected.

A certain party of Kalamazoo (Mich.) real estate buyers were in Toleston yesterday and approached Max Hirsch, proprietor of the Toleston Baking company with the view of purchasing his bakery and house and lot.

Mr. Hirsch put the price on the property as \$10,000 and it is thought the deal will be closed within a few days. Mr. Hirsch is the manufacturer of the famous "Mamma Bread" which has had a wonderful sale in Toleston and Gary. It is the intention of the Kalamazoo party to at once commence the construction of a big model bakery on Martha street, as they have already purchased two lots.

## FAIR TOLESTON GIRL TO WED IN NEAR FUTURE.

Society Circles In Calumet Township Interested In Coming Nuptials.

(Special to THE TIMES.)

Toleston, Ind., Dec. 4.—The approaching marriage of Miss Gertrude Kunert, daughter of ex-Trustee William C. Kunert, to George Behnke of the Behnke & Sons, flour and feed dealers at Toleston, is looked upon with a great deal of interest in society circles in that city.

The wedding will occur on New Year's eve and a big celebration has been planned. The new Toleston opera house has been engaged and a feast will be spread down stairs after which dancing will take place in the hall. Barrie Young's band of Hammond has been engaged to furnish the music and a big time is expected.

Both Miss Kunert and Mr. Behnke are two of Toleston's most popular young people and Miss Kunert is well known also in Hammond society.

## VESTRYMEN OF CHURCH TO MEET MONDAY.

Proposition of Building a New Episcopal Church to Come Up.

On Monday night next there will be a meeting of the vestrymen of Christ Episcopal church at the Gary Land company's office.

At that time the proposition of building a new Episcopal church in Gary will come up at the session and all indications point to the fact that a new church will be built in the very near future. The plans of the new church will be discussed at next Monday night's meeting, and in all probability an architect will be decided upon.

The vestrymen of the Episcopal church are Captain H. S. Norton, M. N. Goodnow, Dr. J. E. McCall, A. P. Melton, E. L. Hunter, Walter S. Ross and P. E. Hill.

## REMOVAL NOTICE

The Gasoline Electric Light & Supply Co. here removed from 2129 Broadway to 1076 WASHINGTON STREET between 11th Avenue and Michigan Central R. R.

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## HEARD BY RUBE.

Gary people know that Christmas is coming and so is their superior court. Up to the time of stereotyping page 5 Jacob Leborich, the saloonkeeper, has failed to find any more bombs in his back room.

Isn't you glad now that you laid in your stock of coal when the weather was fair.

Gary real estate men are getting a hump on themselves and there promises to be something doing in a short time.

Toleston, Gary's sister town, is trying to keep abreast of the times and pull off a few real estate deals of importance.

The man who can sit still in Gary and never make a move to get in line with the "live bunch" might as well move out, because we can get along very well without him.

Although the prize steer at the fat stock show in Chicago may be large, it is not thought that any of the Gary markets will be to secure a portion.

We know that we have been calling for winter weather and now that it is here we hope that the weather man will not go out of his way to rub it in.

There is something doing in Gary in a social way every night of the week, and some of the gallant swains are kept busy keeping their one "boiled" skirt in presentable shape.

No one in Gary as far as we have been able to learn has been "stung" with any of those counterfeit \$5 bills that are in circulation.

## GARY BRIEFS.

Mrs. Mary Hawkins of Chicago has returned to her home after a short visit with Mrs. Nelson of Washington.

Fred Baldwin, the local Broadway jeweler, has moved his family and household goods from Chesterton, and will make his future home in Gary. Mr. Baldwin has rented a flat in the David Cohen building on Broadway, between Sixth and Seventh avenues.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Gleason are entertaining a number of friends to-night at their home on Seventh avenue and Jackson street. Progressive cards will be the feature of the evening's entertainment, a large crowd being invited to attend.

The R. & S. for specials on shoes and rubbers.

Mrs. B. R. Shover of 622 Van Buren street gave a reception yesterday afternoon in honor of Miss Edith Applegate of Gary. A large crowd gathered at Mr. and Mrs. Shover's beautiful home to welcome Miss Applegate.

Mike Benzen made a business trip to Chicago yesterday.

The ladies of the Episcopal church will give a rummage sale and bazaar in the Palace building on Broadway on the evenings of Dec. 17 and 18.

No other store like the R. & S.

## NOTICE.

The election of trustees of Helm Encampment No. 355, I. O. O. F. for the year of 1939 will take place on Dec. 15, 1938, at Odd Fellows' hall, Gary.

Last night being ladies' night at the University club the club members gave their wives and lady friends a supper at the Gary hotel. A dainty dinner was served by the landlady, George O. Donnell, after which cards, music and dancing occupied the balance of the evening. All who attended report a very enjoyable time. Now that the club have located in the Gary hotel they plan to give many of these pleasant social functions during the winter.

Jack Winkler, manager of the foreign exchange, was visiting friends at Clark last night.

The Chicago, Lake Shore & South Bend road has almost completed the erection of a waiting-room at Clark road, which is something like the one at Hammond, with the exception that it is slightly larger. The interurban now has sheltering places at nearly all of their stops along the line.

Attorney J. F. Lewis Meyer, of South Bend, was in Gary yesterday on business.

Advent services will be held in the Episcopal church on Adams and Fifth avenue tonight. Rev. Applegate will begin a series of sermons on the "Fundamental Doctrines" of the Episcopal church. Everyone is invited to attend.

L. R. Wartena of the Wartena Electrical company made a business trip to Hammond yesterday.

Mrs. Walter Acker is visiting in Chicago for a few days this week.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Methodist church met yesterday afternoon with Mrs. Frank Brink.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Oliver olmes attended the fat stock show in Chicago last night.

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## Deafness Cannot Be Cured.

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

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## PRESBYTERIANS MEET

Members of State Board Hold Conference at Gary.

A conference was held last night at the Gary hotel of several of well known Presbyterians of the state for the purpose of looking after the construction of the local church and its finances. Those present besides the officers of the Gary church were Henry Ward Johnson, chairman of the Logansport Presbytery, who resides at South Bend; J. C. Vanetta, of Brookston, state treasurer of the Presbytery; Dr. George Knox of Lafayette, superintendent of the Presbytery; and P. Donaldson, moderator of the Logansport Presbytery.

The church which the Presbyterians are building in this city is located on the corner of Van Buren and Sixth streets. It will cost \$12,500 and is being constructed by Contractor J. C. Smith. The building is beginning to assume shape and the first floor is now practically completed. The Presbyterian church is one of the finest of the new ones being erected in the city.

As to the purpose of the conference the local members of the congregation who were present said that there was no business transacted that would be of general interest to the public, but that the plans for the financing of the church were being formulated successfully.

## THE CHECKS WERE READY

But Gallant Jim Trost, the Trusty Deputy, Stopped the Deal.

James Trost of Hammond, deputy sheriff to Fred Carter, this morning served attachment papers on the Gary grocery and market firm of Barson and Down, and in doing so he caused a scene which bordered on the dramatic. It seemed that the firm members had been expecting a visit from the authorities and that they were also quite well acquainted with the face of "Jimmy." He had barely set his foot over the threshold when one of the firm members made a rush for the money drawer, but James raised his hand, which impeded the law, and the business stopped right there. Inquiry showed that three blank checks had already been signed, ready to withdraw the bank account, but this, too, is held up and a custodian appointed over it. The firm of Shepherd and Strassheim are the creditors who are asking for the attachment in the sum of \$500.

## ACTIVITY IN TOLESTON

(Special to THE TIMES.)

Toleston, Ind., Dec. 4.—Borman and Waldron, real estate dealers of Toleston, have moved their real estate offices to their building on the corner of Martha street and Fourth avenue. Owing to the increased business the firm has engaged another stenographer and has built an addition to the building which will be used as a private office.

Opera House Nearly Done.

The new Toleston opera house, owned by William C. Kunert, is rapidly nearing completion and it is expected it will be ready for a grand opening ball to be given on Dec. 20. Barney Young's popular Hammond orchestra will furnish the music for the ball.

## Bagull Moving House.

Albert Bagull is moving his house from the west part of town to some holdings he recently purchased on Hart street. An addition will be built to the house which, after completion, will be for rent.

## DRUNKENNESS A Curable Disease

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## WILL COMPLETE CAR LINE IN DUE TIME

Attorney J. F. Lewis Meyer Gives Toleston Assurance of Completion.

FINISHED BY FIRST OF JANUARY

Work on Spur Between Gary and Toleston Progressing Nicely—Good Schedule.

Attorney J. F. Lewis Meyer, chief counsel for the Chicago, Lake Shore & South Bend road was in Gary last night and he gave definite assurance to the property owners of Toleston and the real estate men who own property in Toleston that the spur into that town would positively be completed by New Year's day.

Mr. Meyer said that it would not be necessary to ask for another extension of the franchise, but that if it was necessary to have the line completed that they would double their present working force and work the men night and day. There has been considerable doubt that they would be able to get the line in running order by the time specified, and the friends of the interurban feared that they would never be given an extension.

Cars Run On 20-Minute Schedule.

Mr. Meyer said yesterday while in Gary, that the grading was completed with the exception of a cut at one end of the line, which is the largest on the road. This will be finished just as soon as the large force, which is now working on it, can complete it.

After all of the grading is completed Mr. Meyer said last night that the laying of the rails would not take over two days. All that is necessary to operate the cars is to lay the ties and fasten the rails on them. The ballasting of the road can be done at a latter time, in the same manner that the Gary & Interurban was put in operation.

For the present there will be but one car operated between Gary and Toleston, which will be sufficient to maintain a twenty-minute schedule between the two places. The officials of the Lake Shore line realize the temperment of the people at Toleston over the delays and will do everything in their power to rush the work.

## THEY LOOKED IN THE BOOK AND SAW

Toledo Man Up For Drunkenness in Gary Wanted For Larceny in Ohio.

Through a little memorandum which was found on the person of Jake Smith, a drunk arrested in Gary, Chief of Police Martin discovered that he is wanted in Toledo, Ohio, on the charge of grand larceny.

Jake Smith was arrested in Gary on the charge of being drunk, and before he was sent to Crown Point to work out an \$11 fine, he was searched and a memorandum with a Toledo address was found.

Had Watch in Pocket.

Smith had in his possession a lady's watch and this led the Gary officers to suspect that possibly the timepiece had been stolen. The Toledo officials were notified and Officer Vanetone Krijowa was sent to Gary and thence to Hammond and Crown Point to get the prisoner.

Smith's term at the county jail will be up tomorrow and so the Toledo officer came very near not getting here in time to get his prisoner. Officer Johnson of Gary accompanied Officer Krijowa to Hammond, where a conference was held with Sheriff Carter, and the exchange of the prisoner was discussed.

It has been discovered that Smith will go back to Toledo without requisition. The crime with which he is charged is that of stealing \$200, a lady's watch and two rings.

Spent Money in Dissipation.

The theft took on the 7th of November, and the farmer at whose house Smith was staying when the articles were stolen, is Bernard Raymer, who lives several miles out of Toledo.

Smith came to Gary from South Chicago and it is said that he has been on one continual drunk ever since he has been in the city. He is supposed to have spent his \$200 of stolen money in dissipation in and about Gary.

The crime with which Smith is charged is punishable by a long term in the penitentiary.

Read THE TIMES and get all the news.

## WINTER TELLS HIS VERSION

Former Gary Man Alleges Plot to Injure His Reputation and Explains Action in Regard to Tile Which Is in Controversy.

NOW IN BUSINESS AT MICHIGAN CITY

Fred Winter Says He Can Prove That the Tile in Question Was Not Stolen, But They Were Taken With Permission of the Owner—Will Sue for Damages.

The other side of the Winter story, which appeared in a Michigan City paper, makes it apparent that there are indeed "two sides to a story." According to Winter's story, he has been the victim of a conspiracy and the many friends who know the Gary contractor and like his man, his partner, Casper Schmidt, are hoping that he can prove that the load of tile in question was not stolen but was taken, as he says, with the permission of the owner.

The Michigan City paper gives the following version of the Winter story: "What appears to be a malicious plot to injure the reputation of Fred Winter and Casper Schmidt, the promoters and two of the heavy stockholders in the Excelsior Granite Brick company, now erecting a plant east of the city, has materialized in an action brought against Mr. Winter in Lake county by Victor Falkenau of the Falkenau Construction company of Chicago, a concern which erected many of the residences in Gary for the United States Steel company.

"The action against Mr. Winter is in the nature of a charge of larceny, it being alleged in the affidavit filed by the Falkenau company that Messrs. Winter and Schmidt appropriated roofing tile of the value of \$500 to their own use in Gary. On Wednesday Mr. Winter was taken into custody in Chicago and compelled to spend the night in jail, being refused bail until the following day.

No Effort to Arrest Schmidt.

In the case of Mr. Schmidt no effort has been made to take him into custody, notwithstanding the fact that he has visited Chicago this week and confronted his and his business partner's accusers. In fact, Mr. Schmidt went purposely to invite arrest but no attempt was made to take him into custody. This afternoon Mr. Schmidt said that no attempt had been made to arrest him here either.

Mr. Schmidt feels confident that the arrest of Mr. Winter and his threatened arrest is due entirely to animosity borne them by the Falkenau company owing to the fact that they had severed their connection with the concern after they served that concern for fifteen years. He said that threats had been made against them by their former employers, and he feels confident that the charge preferred against them is really the culmination of those threats.

In speaking of the tile alleged to have been stolen, Mr. Schmidt said that the roofing material had been shipped to Gary for use on one of the buildings erected by the Falkenau Construction company, and that upon inspection the entire consignment was rejected by the inspector of the steel company. For several months the tile lay out in the open and became more or less covered with sand blown about by the wind; that Richard Katsely, who was connected with the tile company, consented to the use of a few of the best in roofing a small ice house constructed by Messrs. Winter and Schmidt after they severed their connection with the Falkenau company. Mr. Schmidt maintains that not over \$50 worth of tile was so employed and that the balance of the shipment can yet be found on the ground at Gary."

## CONTEST IS POSTPONED

Agreement Ends Political Contest Until December Fourteen.

(Special to THE TIMES.)

East Chicago, Ind., Dec. 4.—The legislative contest being waged by Ed. Simon, of Hammond, against E. W. Wickey of this city, has been postponed for another week, according to an agreement reached by the two politicians late last evening. The extension was granted in order to enable Mr. Wickey to handle several congressional appointments in Washington next week.

The contest was originally set for trial before Judges Reiland and Nicholson, at Crown Point, next Monday, Dec. 7 but Mr. Wickey would have been compelled to attend to other and more serious duties. He is still confident that he will retain his seat and has the assurance of his friends that they are doing all in their power to minimize the effect of the charge brought into the case.

## SPECTER IS APPOINTED

(Special to THE TIMES.)

East Chicago, Ind., Dec. 4.—Word was received from Washington, D. C., this morning that Mose Specter had been appointed postmaster of East Chicago. This is the confirmation of the report which THE TIMES received unofficially several days ago.

Mose Specter was one of general candidates, the race finally narrowed down to Harry McCoy and Mose Specter. It was not until this morning that Mr. Specter received official notification of his appointment.

Mr. Specter will succeed Mrs. Ross who has been postmistress ever since the death of her husband several years ago.

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1 lb. Carolina Head Rice.....	10c	for .9c
1 pkg. Seeded Raisins.....	12c	for 10c
1 bot. Dodson Brand asst. Pickles.....	15c	for 10c
1 can Sugar Corn, new packed.....	12c	for 11c
1 lb. Fancy Santos Coffee.....	25c	for 20c
1 peck Potatoes.....	25c	for 23c

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# REMODELS FEUER BLOG.

Hess and Hiner Have Contract—Finished in Two Weeks.

(Special to THE TIMES.)

W. S. Feuer, the recent victor in the Smith-Feuer legal duel for possession of the old Smith building, is now engaged in remodeling the building throughout. The contract has been let to the firm of Hess & Hiner, who have already started the work and expect to have it completed in about two weeks. Entrances to the two stores in the building will be put in to Broadway direct instead of having them open into a hall.

The finishing work on the building on the second and third floors will also be completed. The third floor is planned for the use of a lodge or club and will provide adequate for that purpose. Mr. Feuer will rent the second floor space for offices and is now negotiating for the renting of the two store rooms on the first floor.

# GARY NEGRO IS ARRESTED.

He Will Be Given Time to Ponder Over His Misdeeds.

Frank McDonald, a Gary negro, 35 years old, will be given time to ponder over the rights of a married man to break a clothes line prop over his wife. Frank McDonald is what is known in the popular vernacular, a "bad actor." In his weekly sojourns he was in the habit of coming home and exercising his brute strength on Mirandy Jane, his wife. For this he was \$35.00. He was further charged with carrying a concealed weapon for which charge he was fined \$25.00. Unable to pay both fines he will be taken to Crown Point to serve the time there.