

## PORRAS GETS HUGHES' NOTE

BALEBA, Panama, Canal Zone, March 7.—President Porras, of Panama, announced that he would refer Secretary of State Hughes' warning note on the Panama-Costa Rica claim to the Panama national assembly this afternoon. The president said that he would abide by any decision reached by the national assembly. He expressed regret that Secretary of State Hughes, made Chief Justice White's territorial award the basis of mediation pointing out that Panama had rejected the White decision seven years ago.

It was understood that the national assembly would reject the American offer of mediation on the ground that the constitution of the republic recognized only the Loubet award and not the award of Chief Justice White.

Quantities of arms and ammunition are being received in Panama and the government will soon have about 500 well equipped soldiers at the Sixcra river, the scene of the disputed territory. There was no further word of hostilities, but there were indications that the Panamanians might attack when their forces were strengthened.

President Porras said that Panama would accept any arbitration on the basis of the Loubet award but would continue to reject mediation along the lines of the White award. He suggested that the league of nations use its offices to end the dispute or that the United States and two South American powers join in bringing about an understanding between Panama and Costa Rica.

## HAMMOND BOYS STILL AHEAD

Last Saturday the bowling members of the "After Hours Club," the Northern Indiana Gas & Electric company recreation organization, went over to South Bend to compete in the second of the three tournaments which have been scheduled against the Northern Indiana Gas & Electric company boys at Michigan City and South Bend. The games were made all the more interesting by a team at Des Moines, Ia., entering the list by telephone. Hammond was represented by three teams, Michigan City by one team and South Bend by three teams. The results on total pin fall were:

Michigan City, 2,391; Hammond A, 2,340; Des Moines, 2,280; South Bend A, 2,264; South Bend B, 2,193; Hammond B, 2,147; South Bend C, 2,094; Hammond C, 1,652.

Including the results from the previous games played at Michigan City, the leading teams now stand: Hammond A, 5,492; Michigan City A, 5,296; South Bend A, 5,187.

## MARKETS

**CLOSE OF MARKETS.**  
(INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE)  
NEW YORK, March 7.—The stock market closed unsettled today. Following the announcement that the German reparations terms were unacceptable to the allies the entire list was raised, causing all of the early gain to be broke over 1 point from the high to 8 1/4. Atlantic Gulf yielded 3 points from its early high to 29 1/4, rallying at the close to 40. General Asphalt yielded over 4 points to 53 1/4. Chandler fell 2 points from the high. Baldwin fell over 1 point to 8 1/4. Two rails were also in supply. Reading falling over 2 points to 13 1/4, and Southern Pacific at 7 1/4 was off nearly 1 point. Cluett Peabody common and preferred broke over 4 points.

(INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE)  
NEW YORK, March 7.—Stocks, closing prices:  
Allis-Chalmers ..... 35 1/2  
American Can ..... 29  
American Locomotive ..... 86  
American Smelting ..... 40 1/2  
American Steel Eddy ..... 30  
American Tel. and Tel. .... 101 1/2  
Ansoconda ..... 35  
Atchafalaya ..... 22 1/2  
Baldwin Locomotive ..... 8 1/4  
Baltimore and Ohio ..... 33 1/2  
Bethlehem Steel ..... 37  
Canadian Pacific ..... 113 1/2  
Central Leather ..... 28 1/2  
Chesapeake and Ohio ..... 59 1/2  
Chicago and North Western ..... 67  
Chi. Milw. and St. Paul ..... 26 1/2  
Colorado Fuel ..... 29 1/2  
Consolidated Gas ..... 43  
Corn Products ..... 71 1/2  
Crescent Steel ..... 92 1/2  
Erie ..... 13 1/4  
Erie 1st Pfd. .... 19 1/2  
Gen. Electric ..... 104 1/2  
Illinois Central ..... 88 1/2  
Jacksonville Steel ..... 55  
Lehigh Valley ..... 53 1/2  
Madison Paper ..... 15 1/2  
Midvale Steel ..... 30 1/2  
Nor. and West. .... 58  
Northern Pacific ..... 80  
Pressed Steel Car ..... 92 1/2  
Republic Iron and Steel ..... 68 1/2  
Southern Pacific ..... 73 1/2  
Studebaker ..... 59 1/2  
Texas Co. .... 41 1/2  
Union Pacific ..... 120 1/2  
U. S. Steel ..... 81 1/2  
Pressed Steel Car ..... 92 1/2  
R. H. Steel Springs ..... 82

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"Tanlac is unquestionably the greatest medicine I ever heard of. After I had practically given up all hope of ever being well again, it put me right back on my feet, and I am feeling one hundred per cent better than I have for twenty years. I have gained ten pounds in weight, and every one says I don't look like the same person. For several months I suffered from a serious stomach disorder. I had no appetite and couldn't eat enough to keep up my strength. Very often when I sat down to a meal, I would leave the table without touching anything scarcely, as I could not bear the sight of food, much less eat it."

"I was losing in weight and my friends would often ask me: 'What is wrong with you? Why are you looking so thin?' I also suffered terribly with pains across the small of my back and over my kidneys. It was almost impossible for me to get out of bed in the morning, as my back would pain me so I would almost fall over when I would first stand up in the morning. At night my back pained me so it was almost impossible for me to sleep. I would lie first on one side and then on the other, and would roll and toss all night long. I had almost given up and thought maybe my age was against me, as I had taken so many different kinds of medicine without results."

"The first bottle of Tanlac didn't help me much, but I made up my mind to give it a fair trial. After starting on the second bottle I began to feel better. My appetite returned and it just looked like I could hardly wait for meal time to come. In fact, I was hungry all the time."

"My back and kidneys don't bother me any more and I can sleep like a log now. Tanlac has just simply made a new man of me, and any one living in this country can tell you the same thing, as everybody knows me and knows the shape I was in."

The above statement was made recently by A. C. Billman, of Ligonier, Ind. Mr. Billman has lived in Noble County all his life and is a well-known and highly-respected citizen of that county.

Tanlac is sold in Hammond by Summers' Pharmacy and in Indiana Harbor by Central Drug Store.—Adv.

Reading ..... 73 1/2  
U. S. Steel Pfd. .... 109 1/2  
Westinghouse ..... 47  
Wills Overland ..... 7 1/2  
Sinclair Oil ..... 22 1/2  
Texas Pacific Coal and Oil ..... 24 1/2

### GRAIN MARKET.

(INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE)  
CHICAGO, March 7.—Wheat prices weakened late in the session on local selling pressure and the close found all grains sharply lower and near the bottom. It was a slow market most of the day with the majority of traders satisfied to hold off until the government report on farm reserves tomorrow.

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### CALL MONEY.

(INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE)  
NEW YORK, March 7.—Call money on the floor of the New York Stock Exchange today ruled at 7 per cent, high 7 per cent. Time money was steady. Rates were 6 1/2 to 7 per cent.

### LIBERTY BONDS.

(INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE)  
March 7.—Closing Liberty bonds: 3 1/2s, \$90.86; 4s, \$88.82; 4 1/2s, \$87.10; 5s, \$86.90; 5 1/2s, \$86.28; 6s, \$87.16; Victory 3 1/2s and 4s, \$87.48.

### CHICAGO PRODUCE.

(Receipts, 6,790 tubs; Creamery extra, 43c; flats, \$9.45; packing stock, 14c; 18c.

EGGS—Miscellaneous, 30c; 31 1/2c; ordinary flats, 29 1/2c; 30c; flats, 29 1/2c; 32c; chicks, 23c; 24c; dirties, 23c; 24c; CHICKENS—Twins, new, 27 1/2c; 28c; daisies, 28c; 29c; young America, 28c; 29c; longhorns, 27c; 28c; brick, 21 1/2c.

LIVE POULTRY—Turkeys, 14c; chickens, 31c; springs, 32c; roosters, 22c; geese, 24c; ducks, 30c.

POTATOES—Idaho russets, sacked, \$3.50; ruls, 52; northern whites, sacked, \$1.20; 1.30; bulk, \$1.30; 1.35.

VEAL—50 to 60 lbs., 10c; 11c; 70 to 80 lbs., 12c; 13c; 90 to 110 lbs., 14c; 15c; fancy, 16c; 17c; overweight kidneys, 14c to 17 1/2c, \$9.10c.

### CHICAGO LIVESTOCK.

(Receipts, 11,000; market 15c; 25c lower; bulk, \$8.60; 10.50; top \$10.11; 10.70; heavy weight, \$9.50; 10.70; medium weight, \$9.50; 10.50; light weight, \$10.40; 10.80; light lights, \$10.50; 10.80; heavy packing sows, smooth, \$8.50; 9.40; packing sows, rough, \$8.25; 8.50; pigs, \$9.75; 10.15.

CATTLE—Receipts, 21,000; market 10c to 25c lower; beef steers, medium and heavy weight, \$10.10; 10.75; choice and prime, \$10.10; 10.75; medium and good, \$9.50; 10.10; light weight, \$9.50; 10.50; good and choice, \$9.50; 10.50; common and medium, \$7.50; 9.50; canner steers, \$4.25; 6c; veal calves, light and handy weight, \$12.25; feeder steers, \$6.25; 8.25; stock cows and heifers, \$4.50; 6c.

SHEEP—Receipts, 26,000; market 10c to 25c lower; lambs, \$4.10; 4.25; down, \$5.50; 10.25; tanks, \$5.10; up, \$8.10; lambs, culls and common, \$6.50; 7.75.

### CHICAGO CASH GRAIN.

WHEAT—No. 2 red, \$1.77 1/2; No. 3 red, \$1.72 1/2; No. 1 hard winter, \$1.74 1/2; @ 1.76 1/2; No. 2 hard winter, \$1.74 1/2; No. 2 northern spring, \$1.73 1/2.

CORN—No. 2 yellow, 69c; 70c; No. 3 yellow, 65 1/2c; 66 1/2c; No. 4 white, 62 1/2c; 63 1/2c.

OATS—No. 1 white, 40c; 40 1/2c; No. 2 white, 40c; 40 1/2c; No. 3 white, 40c; 40 1/2c; No. 4 white, 40c; 40 1/2c.

### CHICAGO MAN IN FAKE BANDIT STORY

CHICAGO, March 7.—A fake holdup planned by Fred Kantoff, 25, to enable him to collect robbery insurance and finance his June wedding today landed Kantoff, according to his confession, in a hospital with a bullet hole in his back. The "holdup" as planned by young Kantoff, according to his confession to the police, took place per schedule shortly after midnight in the Kantoff home. When police arrived they found the elder Kantoff badly wounded and his son telling a heroic tale of two bandits who had fired out of the darkness and then escaped with \$250. Later, however, the prospective bridegroom admitted a "frameup" when bullets ex-

tracted from the wall proved to be of the same caliber revolver as the one lodged in his father's body. The \$243 was deposited Saturday in a bank, young Kantoff added.

### R. O. JOHNSON MEETING TONIGHT

The masculinity campaign in Gary will start in earnest this evening when in the neighborhood of 500 supporters to R. O. Johnson and members of the newly organized Johnson club will gather at Umpleby's hall to make arrangements for an active campaign.

Although Mr. Johnson's supporters are well aware of the fact that no other candidate has officially announced his candidacy for the mayor's chair up to this hour, they are working just as hard if not more and the betting odds are that they will put their man over.

### ERECT SEVEN-TON MONUMENT

One of the largest monuments that has ever been erected in Gary, was put up by the Gary Monumental Works of Gary, Hammond and Crown Point in the Gary Oak Hill cemetery last week. The monument weighed over seven tons and was erected for Mrs. William A. Vost of Gary.

### Boy Scout Column

TROOP 2—March 2, Troop 2 had an attendance of 36 boys and six visitors. The troop had a little business to conduct. The inspection was taken care of by Scoutmaster Golden, Mr. McLean and Elmer Smith. Mr. McLean has now become a member of the Troop Committee, too, also, Mr. Cornish was one of the visitors but could not stay long because

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of another meeting. There are a great many who are going to join the Drum and Bugle Corps this year. Toys—Any Scout in Hammond who has any toys that they do not want can take them to Mr. Scott's office. They will be given to the Brooks house in East Hammond. The troop has a very large bicycle squad and expects to have many bikes this summer. S. Crumby passed his Tenderfoot. Tom Anderson passed Knife. Troop 1 and 2 will go to Hess, Ill. Tuesday night. They will start at 6:30 P. M. from Mr. Golden's office at the corner of Fayette and 10th streets. The troops had some new names called the "power-hall" and the "Scout of the World." March 9, the Stag and Eagle patrols will hold a meeting after the regular meeting to discuss different matters. John McLean is the director of the bicycle squad, with the aid of Levi Golden. The officers' meeting was a very good one. The officers have decided to hold one every month.

The officers for the coming year are as follows: Dick Parker, Scriber; Mr. McLean, Troop Camp-Master; J. M. Stinson, Badge Awarder; Amusement Committee, Golden, Parker, and Herman; Patrols, Golden, Parker, and Herman; Scout Shaw, passed Tenderfoot. The Eagle is first, Rattlesnake second, Stag, third and the Beaver last in the Inter-Troop contest. Cooks for foods, Ackers and Parker; C. Howard, Reporter; R. Gillo, Beaser leader; Art. Wingate, Asst. G. Crumby, Eagle leader; W. Shanks, Asst. G. Ordan, Rattlesnake leader; Clair Porth, Asst. J. McLean, Stag leader; B. B. Parson, Asst. Len Ackers, Senior Patrol Leader, Melvin Herman, Acting Scout Master.

—CHARLES HOWARD, Reporter.

### GRIFFITH

Mrs. Joe Miller is suffering from an attack of quinsy.

The quarantines from scarlet fever

were lifted on Saturday from the homes of Henry Dutton and Basil Butlers.

Madame Christenson and McGarry are leaving invitations for a miscellaneous shower on Friday, March 11 for Miss Muriel Todd, whose marriage to Ross E. Campbell will take place on March 15.

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