

DORMITORY PROVES BIG ASSET TO "Y"

Practically Every Other Department Lost Money for Association.

HELD AN ELECTION

Two Trustees Re-elected and Four New Directors Are Chosen at Meeting.

The election of six directors and two trustees and the reading of the yearly report featured the annual meeting of the trustees and directors of the Y. M. C. A. last night at the association building. The biggest money making asset of the association was the dormitories which netted the amount of \$3,657.19. The profits from the Spa for the year were only \$14.92. The financial deficit exclusive of the amount drawn from the debt fund was \$668.52.

John F. McCarthy and John H. Johnson were elected to succeed themselves as trustees of the association. In the election of the six directors whose terms expired, Dr. A. L. Bramkamp will succeed Sharon E. Jones, A. L. Smith will succeed Charles H. Moore, Harry Doan will succeed Alonzo M. Gardner, Henry Deuker will succeed E. G. McMahan and E. M. Haas and Everett Lemon will succeed themselves. The election of officers will be held February 4.

The financial report shows a balance of \$530.39 in the treasury. During the year \$1,198.91 was drawn from the debt fund. Aside from the dormitories no large amounts were realized in any of the departments of the association. On the bowling alley a loss of \$19.81 was recorded.

The report of the membership shows a gain of 165 for 1912 over 1911. The total membership at the close of the year was 808. This is the largest membership the association has ever had for one year. The report of the physical department shows that 620 brynnahum classes were held during the year; the total number attending the classes being 1,276. The total number of baths taken during the year was 28,243.

President's Report.

The report of President Richard Sedgwick in part read:

"The year just closing has been one of the best in the history of the Richmond Young Men's Christian association. It is gratifying to be able to state that the past year has been a year of 'doing things.' We look back with pleasure and satisfaction on the work done the past year by the many workers, who willingly helped to raise the \$25,000 necessary to life the indebtedness of our building, and later, in that hustling campaign for membership. We can never forget the friendly spirit and Christian fellowship that was engendered by the mingling together with our fellowmen during the two campaigns, and the wonderful help that the ladies gave us in the two campaigns should not be forgotten.

The total receipts for the year were \$24,956.75, which amount includes \$1,198.91 drawn from the association debt fund. The total expenditures were \$24,426.36, leaving a balance of \$530.39. There were forty-two business men enrolled; 294 full seniors; 173 limited seniors; and 341 in the boys class.

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PROGRESSIVES WILL HAVE CITY TICKET

At the meeting of the ways and means committee of the Wayne County Progressive organization, several matters relative to the establishment of permanent headquarters in the county and plans to put a ticket in the field to compete with other parties at the election next fall were outlined.

County Chairman, Will Robbins, stated that the persons who attended the meeting were all in favor of the city ticket.

Announcements will be issued by the chairman relative to the establishment of permanent headquarters in this county.

"The rumors that the Progressives would unite with another party to defeat Mayor Zimmerman, who will make the race for mayor again, is without foundation," said Robbins. "We are strong here and the ticket we put out will win against the entire field. We can put up a good candidate. The voters want us to put a ticket into the field and we intend to do so."

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COUNTY BOARD DOES NOT FAVOR REWARD

Though the county commissioners have not yet taken action toward offering a reward for the arrest of Joseph Snyder, the fugitive self-confessed murderer of William Henry Dayton, Prosecutor Reller will recommend that the commissioners do so at their next regular meeting.

Recently when asked as to what action they intended to take to assist in the apprehension of the man responsible for one of the most horrible crimes ever recorded in the criminal annals of Wayne county the commissioners said they did not believe they could stimulate interest by offering a reward.

One of the commissioners said he was opposed to it as the plan had not been successful in other cases where it had been tried. In the murder of Mrs. Chris Allison of Cambridge City in 1910, a reward was offered by the authorities which would not have been necessary as the murderer would have been captured without doing so, they argued.

ROOSEVELT DENIED HE WAS DECEIVED

(National News Association)

NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—Col. Theodore Roosevelt, smiling and cheerful and wearing a greenish suit, was the first witness called today when the hearing in the government's suit against the U. S. Steel corporation was resumed. A number of letters were introduced which had been exchanged between Col. Roosevelt, Attorney General Bonaparte and Roosevelt's secretary.

The former president identified them all. One letter was from Bonaparte to Roosevelt, dated Nov. 14, 1907, and referred to a previous letter of the colonel's in which he had referred to a visit paid him by Henry C. Frick and Judge Gary of the steel corporation. The report of the bureau of corporations which had made an investigation of the oil trust and the steel corporation was also referred to.

"Did the bureau of corporations report to you?" Roosevelt was asked.

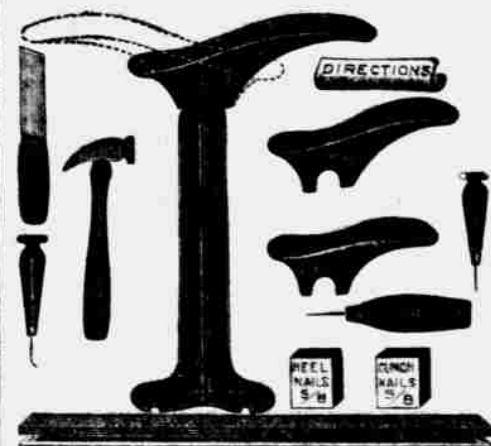
"Undoubtedly, I cannot remember as to how it reported concerning the Sherman law, but I recall that the report was favorable about the steel corporation and unfavorable about the Standard Oil company on certain points," he replied.

The colonel reiterated his testimony before the Stanley investigating committee that by sanctioning the sale of the Tennessee Coal & Iron company to the steel corporation in 1907 he saved the country from disaster. Judge Dickinson, counsel for the government, sought to draw out from Roosevelt the admission that the steel corporation and its allies hoodwinked him and so got his O. K. to the deal and that it had enriched the steel corporation many millions, but the colonel drew away from the pitfall and answered that the Tennessee Coal & Iron deal at the time it was made saved the banks from going to the wall.

SUIT FOR DAMAGES BEING HEARD TODAY

The case of the Dickinson Trust company as administrator of the estate of Homer P. Stanley against the T. H. I. & E. Traction company to recover \$10,000 as the result of the death of Stanley on August 6, 1912, through alleged carelessness and gross neglect on the part of the defendant, was heard in circuit court today.

The Dickinson Trust company appeared in behalf of the widow and small child of the deceased. At the time the fatality occurred Stanley was riding on one of the working cars of the company which was being propelled by one of the city cars. The car was being driven, it was alleged, at a great danger to the person operating the working car, who happened to be Stanley. The plaintiff's attorneys brought out the evidence that the motorman of the city car which was propelling the working car knew of the danger as he stopped the car several times fearing that an accident might occur. The scene of the accident was between the Earham cemetery and the country club west of this city.



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RECOGNIZES HART FROM PHOTOGRAPH

Patrolman Voglesong Arrests Man Wanted at Ohio Penitentiary.

Frank Hart, formerly of this city, and a criminal with a long record of jail sentences, was arrested yesterday afternoon by Patrolman Voglesong at Main and Fourth streets. Hart, under the name of Frank Murray, was sentenced to the Ohio State Penitentiary some time ago, but was released on probation. He failed to report to the probation officers which is required at the end of each month. The prison officials at Columbus were notified of his arrest this morning by Chief of Police Gorman and Hart will be sent for as soon as possible.

Hart has been known to Patrolman Voglesong for some time because of his notorious record. A picture sent out by the Ohio penitentiary last week marked "Frank Murray" was recognized by Voglesong as Hart and he watched for the man.

When Hart was taken into custody, he was in an intoxicated condition and

was walking on crutches. He made no attempt to escape and said that he had broken his leg at Decatur, Ind., and had just come from the City Hospital at Cincinnati. This morning he denied having been sent to Columbus, Ohio, but later admitted that he had failed to live up to the probation rules of the penitentiary.

According to information gained from the circular sent out by the Ohio State Penitentiary, Hart was sentenced for five years for pocket-picking at Cincinnati and was immediately released on probation. He has served time at the Jeffersonville penitentiary and at Michigan City besides several workhouse sentences. He is 35 years old and is said to have started his career of crime more than 20 years ago.

On his left arm is a tattoo of a flower which, it is believed by Chief Gorman, will prove that he is the man wanted at Columbus. Hart said this morning that he has not been in that city since he was 18 years old. It is probable that he will have to serve the five-year sentence for the violation of the probation rule. A reward of \$25 was offered for his arrest.

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Spikes in Olden Times.
In ancient times the hand of a wife was separated from the arm by burning before burial.

PRISONERS SAWED COUNTY JAIL BARS

Townsend and Sittloh Attempted to Escape, It Is Said.

That an attempt at jail delivery was made by Frank Townsend and Henry Sittloh, who were confined in the county jail last week was discovered last night by Rice Miller, caretaker of the insane ward. The two young men had evidently completed plans for their escape as everything was in readiness for a quick getaway at night.

Miller suspected that something of this nature had been going on at the jail before Townsend was taken to Jeffersonville. He questioned some of the prisoners yesterday and, although he could find out nothing definite, he was convinced that some attempt at jail delivery had been made. Buried in the loose earth in an air vent, two small saws, such as are used to saw iron and metals were found. A careful examination of the iron bars in the vicinity of which Townsend and Sittloh slept revealed the fact that two bars were almost sawed. The air vents were then examined and it was found

that the bars in one of them were ready for the finishing touches.

That Townsend and Sittloh would have attempted to carry out their plans, had not both been removed from the prison is the opinion of the police who say that it is not improbable that they would have escaped, as both are possessed of the daring of hardened criminals and would have been able to crawl through the vent easily.

Townsend was sent to the penitentiary at Jeffersonville to complete a 14-year sentence last Saturday and Sittloh was released from a jail sentence on the same day. Where the prisoners obtained the saws has not been learned, but an investigation is being made.

CATCH RUNAWAYS

Lavada Alexander, age 14, 934 Fayette street, Indianapolis, and Josephine Evans, age 13, 1920 Redmond street, Indianapolis, both colored, were arrested here last night on information received from the traction terminal at Indianapolis, as runaway girls. The parents of the girls were notified and they were taken home by Mrs. Nester Alexander at 1:40 this afternoon.

Mecca's Lodging House.

The record lodging house is one for pilgrims at Mecca, which accommodates 6,000 persons.

INELIGIBLES ARE TO PLAY TONIGHT

Earlham's Best Forwards, Rowe and Beery, to Work Against Butler.

The lineup for the Butler game this evening has been given out by Coach Thistlethwaite of the Earlham team, but is subject to changes at short notice. "Brer" Wolf has been put in as forward, although it is believed by many that his playing will be of short duration. Wolf was worked hard in the two games last week and is over-trained. While a short rest will put him in condition, hard work at the present may injure him for the rest of the season. The ineligible will be given a chance to show what they can do as three of them will play tonight. The lineup will probably be: Beery and Rowe, forwards; Winslow or Stanley, center; Lancaster and Williams with possibly Wolf, as guards. The game will begin at 8 o'clock in the Coliseum.

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