

MEETING NOT TO BE CALLED BY THE BOARD

Johnston and Jordan, At Meeting With School Principals State Opposition to Teachers' Pension Law.

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lieve it a just law. Many of the principals assured the board there would be very few teachers if any who would take advantage of the law and none would probably retire for the first few years. One member of the board said there should be no reason then, for the teachers not allowing the matter to drop until after the next session of the legislature.

Supt. T. A. Mott told the board the salary of the teachers was very small and the requirements to be a teacher were great. "We would rather have seen a state wide law passed but this is better than no pension law at all," he said. "This is the first step taken toward pensioning all laboring classes and group by group will gradually be pensioned."

After all the principals had expressed their views the board was called upon to state why they were opposed to the law. Dr. M. F. Johnston, president of the board said: "I am opposed to the law because it is unjust. You people are asking us to support you in the prime of your life when you should be rendering your most valuable services to the community."

Was Misrepresented.

Chas. Jordan told the teachers the bill had been misrepresented to him. "Like many other members of the Commercial Club as well as the other members of the board who telephoned and telegraphed to Indianapolis advocating the bill I have been deceived," said the treasurer of the board. "We asked for one law and got a different one. If this teachers' pension law was one which would encourage teachers of ability to take up the profession and follow it I would favor it. This one does not. It has just the opposite effect. It will pension teachers when they have taught twenty or twenty-five years or when they are from forty to forty-five years old. If a teacher after teaching here for twenty-five years can go to another county and receive a salary there and a pension here they will do it, and can do it, according to this law."

Couldn't Pay in Full.

Mr. Jordan then submitted figures to show how the law would fall to work financially. "There are 42 teachers who can retire. At the end of the second year only seventy cents on the dollar could be paid. At the end of the third year only thirty three cents on the dollar could be paid."

Former City Attorney Gardner attended the meeting and answered many questions for the teachers. Mr. Gardner could not state positively who has the power of having the law applied here. The board of education believes the privilege is with the board while the teachers maintain they have the right to say whether it shall apply here.

Because of the large tax which will be imposed on the tax payers, Mr. Gardner believes it would be the right of the city council as is the case in the firemen and police pension law.

Board's Refusal.

The board was urged to help the principals and teachers to the extent that they call a meeting of the teachers Saturday. The board refused to do this believing if they did it would be the first act on their part toward endorsing the bill which they oppose. The meeting Saturday will be held by the teachers to elect a principal and two teachers to act as their representatives in the commission which will have charge of the distribution of the funds.

A meeting will be held tomorrow at the high school at which time the matter will be taken up with the teachers of the schools with the school board. The meeting will be held in room 20 at three o'clock.

These Benefited.

Appended is a list of the teachers who would be entitled to pensions and the amount they would draw per

year, as well as the length of time they have served in the schools.

T. A. Mott, 32 years.....	\$558.20
Ella W. Winchester, 22 yrs.....	441.40
Emma Bond, 25 yrs.....	558.20
J. F. Thompson, 27 yrs.....	558.20
Martha A. Whitaire, 29 yrs.....	558.20
Alice Test, 30 yrs.....	558.20
N. C. Heironimus, 23 yrs.....	480.80
Maggdalene Schulz, 22 yrs.....	441.40
Eliz. M. Williams, 21 yrs.....	405.40
Clara B. Graves, 26 yrs.....	558.20
Catherine V. Reese, 35 yrs.....	558.20
Carrie C. Lash, 28 yrs.....	558.20
Martha Boyd, 20 yrs.....	369.20
Emma Leeson, 33 yrs.....	558.20
Eliz. E. Foukse, 33 yrs.....	480.80
Sarah Sanderson, 22 yrs.....	558.20
Agnes Stillinger, 20 yrs.....	369.20
Mary R. Marsh, 36 yrs.....	558.20
Minnie E. Hale, 24 yrs.....	518.00
Harriett A. Thompson, 35 yrs.....	558.20
Carolyn L. Salter, 31 yrs.....	558.20
Sarah Elliott, 33 yrs.....	480.80
Kate W. Morgan, 29 yrs.....	558.20
Eliz. R. Close, 31 yrs.....	558.20
Anna M. Schulz, 33 yrs.....	558.20
Hettie Elliott, 21 yrs.....	405.40
Alvina H. Steen, 26 yrs.....	558.20
Ada Woodward, 35 yrs.....	558.20
Alice E. Winder, 23 yrs.....	480.80
Lulu Gans, 26 yrs.....	558.20
Margaret Mooney, 37 yrs.....	558.20
Clara B. Newman, 20 yrs.....	369.20
Martha Horner, 43 yrs.....	558.20
Jane Dunlop, 22 yrs.....	441.40
Hannah M. Jones, 48 yrs.....	558.20
Alice E. Unthank, 32 yrs.....	558.20
Total	\$21,600.00

Who Framed Bill?

That one of the Richmond teachers is responsible for the framing of the bill which is so obnoxious to the school board is the belief of many persons. According to Miss Nora Murphy of the Whitewater school, who handed the bill to Representative Crawford, it was given to her by a Richmond school teacher. According to Prof. Ramsey the bill was made by the educational committee of the legislature.

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Good Excuse.

"Why do you keep me waiting on this corner two hours?" demanded the irate husband. "You said you were merely going to step in to see how Mrs. Gabble was."

"Well, she insisted on telling me."—Washington Herald.

His Preference.

"Oh, for the wings of a dove!" cried the poet with the unbarbered hair. "Order what you like," answered the prosaic person with a clean shave, "but tell the waiter to bring me the breast of a chicken."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.



Mrs. Don'tknow—"Oh, dear! What shall I do? Here I am with the biggest washing for months, and there is a great big rust hole in the bottom of my washboiler."

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GREEKS DEMANDING REGICIDE'S DEATH

Chorus For Vengeance Arises From Entire Nation, Which Is in Mourning.

PLANS OF FUNERAL

King Constantine Takes Hold of Affairs and Will Retain Old Cabinet.

(National News Association)

ATHENS, March 20.—Demands for the summary execution of Aleko Schinias, the assassin of King George I in Salonika, are pouring in upon the Greek government from grieving subjects of the national martyr. The demand for vengeance is deep and nation-wide.

Premier Venizelos declared today however, that the law would take its course, but that justice would be meted out in the quickest manner possible.

The outcast regicide in Salonika will make no attempt to defend himself. If tried by the civil courts Schinias will be hung; if tried by the military court at Salonika he will be shot.

King Constantine I arrived here today to take the oath. He expressed hope that the present cabinet would remain in office. He particularly desires to retain the services of Premier Venizelos and Foreign Minister Corinna.

Queen Is Prostrated.

A telegram from Salonika stated that the wireless station there was in communication this morning with the ship bearing the Queen Mother Olga and the Princess and Princesses who accompany her. It was announced from the ship that Olga is still suffering keenly from the shock of her royal husband's death and that she became so nervous during the night that she was under the constant watch of a nurse.

The late King George will be buried in a mausoleum on a small pine-covered

hill at his country residence at Tatoi. A memorial shaft of marble will be erected in this city.

Upon his arrival here Constantine conferred with the cabinet and a proclamation to the people of Greece was drawn for publication after the administration of the oath.

In the proclamation Constantine asks the loyalty of all Hellene and pledges himself to carry out the National and military policies of his father. The proclamation is written to inspire a patriotism and faith.

Goes Into Mourning.

The Greek chamber of deputies had gone into mourning for six months. The Greek court will be in mourning in this city that only one half of the children attended the sessions yesterday. The majority of cases are measles though there are many cases of scarlet fever. Prof. D. D. Ramsey principal of the school commanded the manner in which the health officer is now handling the contagion. Dr. M. F. Johnston, president of the school board says that every effort is being made by the city health officer to suppress all cases of contagion.

Mr. Ramsey told the principals at the meeting yesterday afternoon how one child was kept away from school because there was a case of scarlet fever in his family. Less than a week after he was sent home he took the disease and died. There are 340 children now registered at the school though not more than one-half were present yesterday.

Schinias seems to be either an alcoholic or a drug fiend. At times he shows traces of intellect and education, but for the main part his attitude has been one of sullen indifference.

The body of King George lies in state under a military guard in the palace at Salonika. The metropolitans of the Greek catholic church throughout Europe have been ordered to say daily masses for the repose of the king's soul for a period of seven days.

Lieutenant Colonel Francoudis, who is in command of the Greek soldiers at Salonika, in a private telegram, indicates that more than one short was fired at King George and that more than one bullet struck the King.

"The assassin was overpowered while firing at his Majesty," said the Greek officer. From another source it was learned that in addition to the bullet which penetrated George's heart, another inflicted a flesh wound on his shoulder.

"Sale of Sweet Pea Seeds at The Flower Shop on Thursday and Friday."

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NUMBER STUDENTS CONTRACT DISEASE

One-Half of Whitewater Pupils Have Measles Or the Scarlet Fever.

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Scarlet fever is the most dangerous disease for children. It is a highly contagious disease and should be treated with care.

The Studebaker Automobile Company of South Bend, Ind., has reduced its capital stock from \$100,000 to \$1.

INCORPORATIONS

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., March 20.

Lorenz Schmidt and Sons, Indianapolis, \$50,000, to deal in securities, etc.; Lorenz Schmidt, O. Schmidt, J. L. Schmidt.

Building Trades Labor Temple Association, Marion, Indiana, \$25,000; to operate a general retail hardware; F. C. Kulmen, A. Kulmen, H. Kulmen; all of Marysville, O.

The Pritchard Bros. Company, Evansville, \$10,000; to deal in building material; J. W. Pritchard, H. Pritchard, James G. Thompson.

The Edwards Instalment Company of Indianapolis has increased its capital stock \$30,000.

Hebrew Dramatic and Literary Circle, Indianapolis; to operate a club; B. Whitmey, C. Kaplan, I. Golden.

The Garrett Savings, Loan and Trust Company of Garrett, has increased its capital \$5,000.

Live Stock Exchange Bank, Indianapolis, \$75,000; to operate a bank; H. Fletcher, A. S. Benson, F. L. Murray.

Amalgamated Insurance Corporation, Maine; total capital, \$5,000,000; amount in Indiana, \$50,000; to deal in securities; H. M. Heath, C. L. Andrews, R. S. Buzzell; Indiana address, 409 Terminal Building.

Harry Alexander Company, Montpelier, \$25,000; to operate a general retail store; H. Alexander, E. F. Alexander, M. J. Lee.

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