

## EVANGELIST TO TALK BROKEN NECK CAUSE OF BRACKEN DEATH MONEY FOR PATRONS

Rev. I. E. Honeywell Comes Here Tonight to Discuss Arrangements.

### TO REMOVE SHEDS

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A conference of the Committee of One Hundred, recently chosen of Richmond citizens to assume full charge of the mid-winter revival services, and the Rev. I. E. Honeywell, the evangelist selected to conduct the services, will be held tonight at 7:30 o'clock in Grace M. E. church, was announced by S. Edgar Nicholson, who heads the committee. The sub-committees will also attend the meeting. The coming evangelist is holding meetings at Troy, O., and as he conducts no Monday service he is in a position to make the journey to Richmond for the first conference?

Twenty-five Richmond men authorized the announcement that they would place their names on a note for \$5,000 to finance the preliminaries of the campaign and erection of the large tabernacle. This action practically assures the holding of the services during the month of January. Many suggestions for the raising of the needed financial aid were made to the committee, but upon the action of the twenty-five men the other projects were abandoned.

The tabernacle will be 208 feet in length and 110 feet in breadth. Its seating capacity is estimated at 7,000. The plans, which will be submitted to the committee at a later date, indicate that a large platform will be erected at one end of the building. It will be large enough to accommodate the speaker and a chorus of four hundred voices.

#### Use Stoves for Heating.

At present there are a number of old sheds on the rear of the church property and a force of men will begin to remove the buildings Wednesday. The committee desires the work to be done by voluntary labor if possible, but will have a number of competent contractors and carpenters assisting in the erection of the tabernacle. The lumber for the construction of the auditorium will be rented for the revival period. The building will be heated by means of stoves distributed at convenient places throughout.

Rev. Mr. Isley, who is in charge of prayer meetings for the weeks preceding the meetings, reported that all districts would be organized this week. Already many meetings have been held, but not until the last few meetings has much interest been manifested. With the general announcement of the cottage sessions it is expected that more interest will be taken.

#### Organize Workers.

Several ministers told the committee that the personal workers committee were being organized and would be ready to assemble some time this week. Seventeen churches will have representatives on this body.

To provide a place to keep children while their parents are attending the services was the purpose of a new committee which will consist of one woman from each church in the city. It is expected that the Friends church will be utilized for the temporary kindergarten. Announcements of the committee members have not been made public.

## BURGLARS ENTER HOMES AND OFFICES

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burglary soon. Other cases are being investigated.

Chief Gorman believes that the robbery of the Barth cigar store was done by "bone talent" but he says while he believes he knows who entered the store he can prove nothing. The robbery of the Conkey drug store was also done by "bone talent," he says, and he believes he will arrest the guilty person or persons within a few days. Harry Wiggin, who is believed by the police to have robbed the Stegall barber shop, North E street, will be arrested within a short time, according to the police chief.

#### Patrolman Shoots.

Saturday night, Patrolman Schroeder shot at a man in the Pennsylvania railroad yards, who was attempting to break into a box car. The man ran and the patrolman gave chase but was unable to effect a capture.

#### Asks Co-operation.

Gorman said he believed the people should co-operate with the police who are doing everything in their power to protect the citizens. Many down-town burglaries could be prevented, and the work of the patrolmen made more effective, he said, if alleys back of business houses were lighted. As they now are, he said, patrolmen making their beats could not see persons lurking in the alleys if there were a few feet from the entrance.

Entering such dark alleys alone, Chief Gorman said, the patrolmen become targets for any one hiding in the dark. Since council refuses to place these lights, Chief Gorman said, it would be advisable and an added protection if business men would place small bulbs outside the rear doors of their stores.

Lights should be left burning at the back of each business room, so that the passing patrolman may see the entire length of the room.

Saturday night, two men broke into the office of the Standard Oil company, North F street. Failing to work the combination of the safe, they began cutting round the lock with sharp

## \$60,000 CHRISTMAS MONEY FOR PATRONS

Coroner Reports That Body of Railroader Was Badly Cut.

A broken neck caused the death of George Bracken, who was the victim of a Pennsylvania railroad wreck at Cambridge City recently, according to the report of Coroner R. J. Pierce today.

Dr. Pierce examined the body in the rooms of a Cambridge City undertaker shortly after it was taken from the wreck. He found many other injuries that might have caused his death.

Both leg bones were fractured and the right thigh bone was broken. His left eye was badly cut. The body was cut and bruised.

Toots. They were apparently frightened away, as the telephone was knocked to the floor and broken, and marks on the safe show that they had just started work. Marks on the windows where they tried to force entrance, and the broken lock of the wareroom door, show that heavy pointed instruments were used.

#### South Side Robbery.

A few days ago a man entered the home of William Geier, 732 South Seventh street, through the rear door. Mrs. Geier was in the other half of the double house with her sister. Running through the lower floor he got Mrs. Geier's pocketbook containing small change amounting to between \$1 and \$2. Frightened by a baby crying in the other part of the house, the robber escaped by running out the front door.

A noise at the entrance to the chicken pen at the rear of David Sherman's house, 723 South Seventh at 6 o'clock Saturday evening alarmed Mr. Sherman and his son, who got to the back of the lot in time to see a man running down the alley.

#### Pick Hart's Pockets.

As he reached the alley between G and F streets on North Eighth last night, Robert Hart, 535 North D street, was stopped by two tall men, wearing soft hats, drawn over their eyes. One of the men knocked Hart's right arm above his head, and ordered him to hold his hand up. The other thrust a long revolver in his face and threatened to shoot, if Hart offered any resistance.

While the other quickly went through his pockets, taking his billfold and loose change amounting to \$12.

They did not bother with his watch, ring and tiepin. Referring him of his money they ordered Hart to move on, threatening to blow his brains out if he threatened to blow his brains out if he had an outcry.

#### Disappear in Alley.

As Hart hurried down Eighth street the holdup men disappeared down the alley from which they had come.

Hart is uncertain but believes they were white men. The mouth of the alley was dark, and the men with their hats shading their faces worked rapidly.

At noon today no trace had been found of the men by the police.

#### Burglar Belt Activity.

Residents of the old "burglar belt," south of Main and east of Thirteenth street, are clamoring for increased police protection today, and a number of householders are "totting" large and formidable looking tools.

Since the last two weeks were placed against the rear of the home of Elwood McGuire, East Main street, and an unsuccessful effort was made by thieves to "Jimmy" into two or three windows. Other houses in the same section of the city were visited but no entrance was gained by the thieves.

#### Wires are Operated.

The same day the first telegraphic communication Madera has had with the outside world since last May was resumed, the wire to Juarez being re-opened. The first news received over this wire was the capture of that city by General Villa's Constitutionalists.

Mr. Grubbs does not anticipate intervention by the United States government but expresses the hope that the embargo against the exportation of arms and ammunition from the United States into Mexico be lifted.

He says that if this actions is taken the Huerta government will soon crumble.

All railroad lines into Madera have been torn up and business can not be resumed until the railroads are opened again. He gave no intimation in his letter that the few Americans remaining in Madera were in any danger, but nearly all of them left the place several weeks ago and none of them are returning.

#### Two Try This Job.

When Harold Ball, son of W. E. Ball, who has charge of the Standard Oil company's safe, went to ride the horses Sunday morning, he found the rear door of the wareroom open, two pailings off the fence surrounding the building, tracks leading from the opening to the door. The soft ground bore imprints of two pairs of shoes, one with square toes, the other with long pointed toes.

Two rear windows bore marks of a round-pointed tool which had been used to force them open. The window casings and frames were badly battered. They also tried to force a basement window.

Failing to gain entrance through the windows they tried to work the lock of the wareroom door. They broke the lock, but had to break the steeple which held it in place before they could force the door open.

Nothing in the wareroom was disturbed. In the office drawers containing stamps and papers were taken from Mr. Ball's desk, but the thieves were apparently after money, and did not take any of the stamps or stamped envelopes.

Just above the combination of the safe a sharp instrument was used to cut the steel. A groove half an inch long and an eighth of an inch deep had been started. In addition the enamel round the combination was broken and lines marked out to cut a square hole.

None of the tools which were used in entering the office or in working on the safe was left behind.

The broken telephone lying on the floor leads Mr. Ball to believe that the thieves were frightened away by the night watchman at the Mather coal yard, who passed through the alley near the office several times during the night.

#### Ball Frightens Burglar.

While Mrs. William Geier, wife of the custodian of the Geier's hall, was in the other side of the house with her sister a few evenings ago, she heard some one enter the rear of the house. Frightened, she rushed to an upstairs room and locked herself in. Below she could hear a man tramping through the rooms.

Cries from her sister's baby, which had not been well for a time, frightened the man who ran out the front door, taking with him about \$2 in change, which had been lying on a table in Mrs. Geier's pocketbook. Police headquarters was notified, and no trace of the man could be found.

## SELECT PAINTINGS FOR STATE EXHIBIT

### First National Bank Ready to Distribute Club Savings.

## MERCHANTS PROFIT

### Holiday Checks to Depositors Will Range From \$10.41 to \$109.60.

Twenty-five hundred checks whose aggregate amount will total \$60,000 will be mailed to as many patrons of the Christmas Club of the First National Bank, sometime this week. Just a year has elapsed since the inauguration of the unique savings club and its success has been so manifest that a large field will be covered next year.

The club is founded on the principle that if a person saves a few cents each week in a year's time the savings will be extremely large, in fact larger than the purchasing of a new suit. In fact in this year's distribution the checks will range from \$10.41 to \$109.60. The club is divided into different classes, some paying a weekly amount ranging from 5 to 25 cents to \$1. This club is in existence for fifty weeks and the checks are distributed two weeks each.

The selections consist of paintings by representative artists and is one of the best which has been made for a number of years. Mrs. Burnett is well known in Indianapolis and state art circles. She will accompany the exhibit and lecture regarding the pictures.

#### An Excellent Exhibit.

This year's art exhibit, according to the opinion of many artists is one of the best in the history of the association. Since the opening of the exhibit in the public gallery a few weeks ago the gallery has been filled with art lovers who came to view and discuss the work of the new school of Indiana artists. Even during the past week a large number of visitors were in attendance.

The artists who will have their work in the circuit exhibit are J. Ottis Adams, Winfield B. Adams, Martinus Andersen, George H. Baker, John E. Blyden, Charles Clawson, W. T. Eydell, Nauda K. Eggemeyer, Edgar Forkner, Laura Fry, William Forsyth, Helen M. Goodwin, Emily G. Hyde, Joseph Kremetz, Charles H. Miller, Dorothy Morgan, May Overbeck, Fred E. Pearce, Olive Rich, Otto Stark, T. C. Steele, Will Stevens, Clarence Staley, W. T. Turman, Clifton A. Wheeler, Lucy A. Wilson and Louis Zaring.

A collection of steel, zinc and copper etchings will be placed on exhibit at the public gallery sometime the latter part of this week or the early part of next. The collection will be arranged by Mrs. Paul Comstock, who will return soon from New York.

William Dudley Foulke has consented to place an exhibit of foreign prints which he gathered while on one of his trips in Europe. This collection, which has never been placed on public exhibition, will be a big feature of the exhibit.

#### Mrs. Maude Kaufman Eggemeyer and Frank J. Girardin, two Richmond artists, recently sent paintings to Cincinnati to be placed on exhibit with a collection of canvases by middle-western painters. These artists had their work at the local exhibit and received high honors.

The financial footing of the M. Rumely company is perfectly secure, according to the statement of an official at LaPorte, issued when it became known that the company had extended the time on its \$10,000,000 five per cent gold note issue, falling due March 1, 1915. The note will be due in 1918. The notes were issued March 1, of this year.

It is said in LaPorte financial circles that this move was made in order that the company can secure bank loans to carry on the regular business operations from month to month.

The two year notes are convertible into common stock at par, dating from September 1, of this year. They can be called at 100½ at any time, according to the terms of the issue.

The total outstanding stock of the company now is \$20,908,300, of which \$10,908,300 is common and \$10,000,000 is preferred stock.

It is to be generally understood that the earnings of the present year will be unsatisfactory, but bankers of the company say they will stand behind the reorganized company until it shows a good profit and is able to stand alone. Stock was offered at 35 for preferred and 14 for common.

The following statement was issued by an official of the company at LaPorte today:

"It can be stated absolutely that M. Rumely company has no indebtedness of any character that it has not provided for. All indebtedness which the concern suffered from originally is being carried by bankers and directors of the company on terms agreed upon with the other parties. The company has made payments to its bankers in the last few weeks and now has no paper outstanding apart from its main indebtedness."

The report that there are more rabbits this year is believed to be the cause of the large number of licenses issued.

During November 1,081 hunting licenses were obtained from the county clerk. The number issued during the month of November, 1912, was 531 which had been the record up to that time. Two non-resident hunting licenses were issued.

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Many say that the record of the past month will never again be equalled because of the stringent hunting laws and the large number of farmers who refused to allow nimrods to invade their land. There has been considerable trouble between farmers and hunters this year and the result has been a general shutting down on privileges.

#### START FREE DELIVERY

EATON, O., Dec. 1.—After several weeks' planning and work to perfect the system, free mail delivery was established today in Eaton. The service is in the form of an experiment and is granted by the post office department for a period of only six months. It is generally thought the receipts of the office will reach the sum of \$10,000 and that it will be continued permanently. E. C. Kline and Leonard Deem are the carriers named by Postmaster Gale. Two deliveries will be made daily.

## SELECT PAINTINGS FOR STATE EXHIBIT

### 42 CANVASES OF HOOISER ARTISTS TO BE PUT ON THE INDIANA CIRCUIT.

Forty-two paintings, which were exhibited in the local municipal art gallery in connection with the annual exhibit of the Indiana Artists Association, have been selected to be placed on the Indiana circuit. The work of selecting the pictures was completed by Mrs. H. B. Burnett, of Indianapolis, who, in the absence of Mrs. M. F. Johnston, has assumed charge of the state circuit.

The paintings are being packed and the latter part of the week will be shipped to Columbus City, where the first of the series of exhibits will be held.

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