

FIRE EXPERTS FIND BUILDINGS IN GOOD SHAPE

Members of State Prevention Body Inspect Main Street Stores From Roofs to Basements.

L. H. Stubbs, Humorist Takes Place of C. J. Doyle on Program Following Probe Reports.

Prying into attic storerooms, roaming through cellars and going through every room of business blocks in Richmond, thirty-five two-men committees of the Indiana State Fire Prevention association are making the most complete investigation of fire conditions in Richmond which has ever been made.

Tonight in the high school auditorium, the members of the association will return a favorable report of the wiring, construction and other features of buildings which count in fire insurance rate making. Harry Hodgkin, building inspector, and Fire Chief Miller found today that Richmond buildings compare favorably with those of cities with the lowest rates.

Stubbs Substitutes for Doyle. Hon. C. J. Doyle of Chicago will not appear. In his stead one of the greatest humorists who could be secured, L. H. Stubbs of St. Joseph, Mo., will tell in a humorous speech what he knows of fire prevention. Fire Marshal Longley will be at the meeting tonight, but will not make a prepared speech. His secretary, will replace him on the program.

The Commercial club members were surprised with the business like way in which the association members took up the work today. They have been working together for years, and immediately paired off in committees and started their investigations. Of the committee with which Building Inspector Hodgkin and Fire Chief Miller investigated with today, all of them said the defects as far as the buildings are concerned are few.

The fire fighting apparatus was inspected with the same care. Any changes which should be made in the equipment will be suggested at the meeting tonight.

A partial list of the members of the association follows:

John W. Minor, First deputy state fire marshal, Indianapolis; Ralph E. Richmond, Indianapolis; W. W. Coleman, Warsaw; George T. Wilson, Dayton, O.; John Reed, Chicago; Charles Richman, Tipton, Hon. C. W. Kimmel, Kendallville, S. W. Warner, Chicago; Bernard Sharkey, Richmond; John W. Noble, H. W. Watkins, T. E. Hayden, John Fitzgerald, W. E. Fitzgerald, H. C. Upham, James A. Bowden, F. G. Herman, Charles F. Engle, H. O. Phillips, Allen Webb, W. M. Shaw, Ivan Escott, C. D. Lasher, Harry Gamble, R. G. McCullough, John Stone, Blake Stone, F. B. Clarke, Indianapolis; Carl V. Nepp, Rushville; W. McCoy, New Castle and Charles A. Kelly, Terre Haute.

K. OF C. OBSERVES DAY FOR COLUMBUS

Charles M. Nelzer of Fort Wayne, state deputy of Indiana Knights of Columbus, was the speaker at a Columbus day meeting of the organization last night. Mr. Nelzer spoke interestingly for an hour on Columbus and his gift to the world, when on October 12, 1492, he made the discovery which led to the populating of the American continent with civilized people.

He was introduced by Father Cronin, who had charge of the meeting. Father Cronin made a few remarks apropos of the meeting. Miss Blanche Luten played a violin solo, accompanied by Miss Alma Pfafflin. A vocal solo was given by Miss Meta Pfafflin, accompanied by Miss Alma Pfafflin.

After the program an informal reception was given in the K. of C. Rooms for Mr. Nelzer. There was a good attendance of members of the local K. of C. and a number of out of town guests were present.

City Statistics

Deaths and Funerals. FALCONE—Daniel Falcone infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Falcone, 732 North Fourteenth street, died this morning at the home of his parents. The funeral will be held Thursday morning at 10 o'clock from the home. Friends may call at any time. Burial will be at St. Mary's cemetery.

Cured a Severe Backache.

"I had been a great sufferer with backache so that I was unable to bend. A friend recommended Dr. Jones' Liniment and the first application gave me relief. One bottle entirely cured me.

"A few days ago a lady called who complained of great pains in her back. I gave her a little of Dr. Jones' Liniment and she was relieved immediately after applying it. We are recommending it to all our friends."

So writes M. P. Stutzman, of Hedges, Pa. Pains in the back are often mistaken for kidney trouble, and so-called kidney cures and plasters are resorted to, which, failing to relieve, only tend to aggravate the disease and prolong the suffering. Dr. Jones' Liniment relieves Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Headache, Cramps, Cold in Chest, or any pain or ache that can be reached by external application.

Ask your neighbors what Dr. Jones' Liniment has done for them.

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HAVRE NAMED NEW CAPITAL OF BELGIANS

King Albert Orders Seat of Government Transferred From Ostend to City in France.

HOLLAND OVERRUN

22,000 Belgian Soldiers Seek Refuge There, While Ostend Fears Raid by Zeppelins.

[BY LEASED WIRE.]

OSTEND, Oct. 13.—As a result of the immensity of military operations about this city and raids by German airships, the Belgian government will go to France. Three German aviators flew over the city late Monday afternoon and two of them each dropped a bomb. Neither of them did serious damage.

According to reports received here the Germans have occupied Ghent and are proceeding westward.

TRANSFER GOVERNMENT. BORDEAUX, Oct. 13.—Official announcement was made today that the Belgian government would be transferred from Ostend, which is menaced by the Germans, to Havre, France.

Some members of the cabinet of King Albert have already arrived at Havre, where temporary quarters have been provided by the French government for their use. It is understood that King Albert will remain at his army. This announcement indicates that the allies have little hope of being able to keep Ostend out of the Germans' hands.

The announcement of the flight of the Belgian government to Havre, after being successfully driven from Brussels and Antwerp, is explained thus: "The Belgian government desires full liberty of action, and for that reason it was decided that it should come to France."

HELD IN HOLLAND.

THE HAGUE, Oct. 13.—At least 22,000 Belgian and British soldiers and marines have crossed the Dutch frontier to escape from their German pursuers, according to reports received by the Dutch government from various points on the border. This number may be increased to 30,000 when all the reports are in.

All these soldiers have been interned, the British being sent to Groningen. The Dutch are confronted by a difficult task in caring for these men, as well as for the great masses of civilian refugees, who have fled from Northern Belgium, but the government will make any sacrifice necessary to uphold its neutrality and follow the dictates of humanity.

AUTO TURNS TURTLE

Six Occupants of Economy Car Receive Scratches.

ECONOMY, Ind., Oct. 13.—Running without light between here and Greensfork about 7 o'clock last evening, Newman Mendenhall lost control of his big seven-passenger machine which left the road turned over twice before reaching the bottom of the embankment. None of the occupants of the car were seriously injured. Mrs. Mendenhall, 69, mother of the driver, escaped without injury. Mr. and Mrs. Newman Mendenhall and three daughters, Mildred, Mary and Hazel received a number of cuts and bruises. The lights on the machine had gone out.

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WITH ENTHUSIASM BOYS PLEDGE NEW MEMBERS TO "Y"

Pride in Quarters Spurs Younger Workers to Spirit-ed Effort in Inter-City Membership Contest.

Members of the boys' department of the Y. M. C. A. last night proved themselves the real live wires of the association. The sixty boys who attended the supper for organizing membership teams to assist Richmond in winning the inter-city membership campaign trophy, are determined to get more points in the contest than the men's teams which were organized last week. Evidence of the spirit the boys are carrying into the contest was shown when a number of them announced they already had secured new memberships and renewals that would count in the contest.

Pride Adds Power. Interest in the contest has been stimulated by the recent completion of the new boys' department. Pride in the new quarters will give an added determination to the efforts to secure new members. The boys will carry the campaign beyond the membership basis, and have planned to raid on persons who would not be interested in a membership in the association, but might be willing to contribute something to help defray the expense of the new department. Each worker was provided with pledge cards which will be presented to persons interested in the "Y" who may care to subscribe something.

Following explanatory talks by Ellis Learner, and J. H. McAfee, eight captains were chosen to lead the teams, and each captain chose his own men. No limit was set for team membership and captains may add as many to their teams as they see fit.

The following were chosen captains: Edgar Loehr, Ray Kinder, Logan Keeler, Alfred Lanning, Ewart Davis, Warren Meranda, Clarence Porter and Donald Warfel.

The Y. M. C. A. will give a banquet for the members of the boys' team that makes the most points in the campaign. This has created much rivalry.

PARKER TO JUDGE ART AT EXHIBITION

Winner of Paris Prize Will Pass on Indiana Artists' Work.

With the close of the exhibit of paintings by American artists tomorrow, the Richmond Art Association, under the direction of Mrs. Paul Comstock, will begin immediate preparations for the Indiana Artists' exhibit which opens tomorrow. At this exhibit the Mary T. R. Foulke prize is awarded annually for the best painting by an Indiana artist.

Mrs. Comstock said today the association had been fortunate in securing as one of the judges, Lawton Parker, of Chicago. Mr. Parker is an American artist who has recently sprung into prominence. He was awarded the gold medal at the Paris Salon last year an honor that has never before been given to any artist outside of Paris.

In two years Minnesota has spent \$3,524,814 for better roads.

The Hot Blast Air-Tight Florence burns soft coal or slack and all the smoke and gases. No filling up of the stove, pipe or flue with soot. No dirt inside or outside the house. It will burn hard coal and the gases which escape from the hard coal base burner. It will burn wood and sawdust, wet or dry. It will produce one-half less ashes than any other stove on earth with any kind of fuel and leave no cinders or half consumed fuel. Sold only by SEANEY AND BROWN.

POET HANDLEY SEES REAL FIGHT IN U. S.

Relay of Reports to Postoffice Clerks Moves Employee to Write.

From the front of the post office, the Palladium scores are being relayed back into the interior of the office where the clerks and carriers while on duty there, can keep in touch with the world's series.

L. A. Handley, superintendent of mails was moved to the following while listening to the megaphone reports of the game:

OUR WAR. What care we for Zeppelin air craft And the great seige guns of Krupp, When we think of "Home Run Baker," And the bitter, bitter cup He is quaffing, while Hank Gowdy Stings the ball for two and three; What care we for war and slaughter—Boston has a batting bee.

England's crown may turn to pewter, Kaiser Wilhelm lose the fight, Bombs may fall, destruction shatter All our dreams of peace and light; Men may fight about sheer nothing, Cossacks fiercely cut and hack, But the damage isn't in it With what Stallings done to Mack.

GIRLS! THICKEN AND BEAUTIFY YOUR HAIR.

Bring back its gloss, lustre, charm and get rid of dandruff.

To be possessed of a head of heavy, beautiful hair; soft, lustrous, fluffy, wavy and free from dandruff is merely a matter of using a little Danderine.

It is easy and inexpensive to have nice, soft hair and lots of it. Just get a 25-cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine now—all drug stores recommend it—apply a little as directed and within ten minutes there will be an appearance of abundance; freshness, fluffiness and an incomparable gloss and lustre, and try as you will you cannot find a trace of dandruff or falling hair; but your real surprise will be after two weeks' use, when you will see new hair—fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair—sprouting out all over your scalp—Danderine is, we believe, the only sure hair growth stimulator and cure for itchy scalp and it never fails to stop falling hair at once.

If you want to prove how pretty and soft your hair really is, moisten a cloth with a little Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair—taking one small strand at a time. Your hair will be soft, glossy and beautiful in just a few moments—a delightful surprise awaits everyone who tries this—adv.

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MASS MEETING

At the Court House Wednesday evening at 7:30. Regarding the S. E. St. bridge proposition. Prominent speakers. Everybody welcome.

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PHARIS STOCK SALE

FARE REFUND WEEK

Neighbors are telling neighbors. Friends are telling friends, about the wonderful bargains to be found at this Gigantic Stock Sale. Each purchaser left happy, proud and satisfied that each article was bought at a saving never before equalled. That there has never been a stock sale to compare with it is proven by the throngs of economical shoppers that have crowded the aisles since the opening Saturday morning.

Sale Continues Throughout the Week. Fares Refunded to Out-of-Town Customers.

Buy Carpets and Rugs Here We Save You Money

Our Big Purchase Makes It Possible for You to Buy Floor Coverings at a Wonderful Saving.

\$15.00 9x12 Seamless Tapestry Rug in Floral and Oriental designs; Sale price\$11.48
\$25.00 room-size Velvet Rugs, no seams; Sale price\$15.48
\$25.00 Smith's Axminster Rugs in new Fall patterns; sale\$16.98
20 Per Cent Off on All Lace and Scrim Curtains During Sale.
\$2.25 Axminster Rugs, Sale price at\$1.89

\$2.00 Velvet Brussels Rugs size 37 by 54; Sale price\$1.25
65c Wool Ingrain Carpets; Sale price per yard45c
30c Heavy Granite Carpet; sale price, per yard21c
10 Per Cent Off on Matings and Hard Wood Filling.
\$2.00 two-yard square Stove Rugs in best grade of Oil Cloth\$1.39



1½ yard Square Oil Cloth Stove Rug, worth \$1.25; Sale price75c
75c best quality Printed Linoleums in 2 and 4 yard widths; Sale price, per yard52c
60c quality Linoleums in good selection of patterns, per yard42c
Good Floor Oil Cloth, worth 35c yard; Sale price, per yard23c
30c quality Window Blinds in 3 shades: Green, White and Yellow; Sale price22c
Our 40c Linoleum Window Blinds, any size under 38-inch; Sale price27c
Best 60c Oil Blinds, made any size under regular width; sale price42c
10 Per Cent Off on All Portiers and Couch Covers.

Buy Coats and Ready-to-Wear Now. Dollars Saved

Ladies' Tunic Skirts in all wool serge; all colors, \$3\$1.98
grade; Sale\$1.98
Women's Heavy Fall and Winter Coats, all sizes, \$7.50 grade; sale\$4.98
\$13.50 and \$15.00 Coats in fancy plaids, chevrons and all wanted materials; a wonderful line at this price;\$9.98
Sale\$9.98
All Wool Serge Dresses—for women; Sale price\$4.98

Ladies' Suits in Long or Short Coats \$10.98 and \$11.98.

Voile Waists in white and fancy50c
\$1.50 Voile and Crepe Waists in new models98c
Misses' \$1.50 Sweater Coats, all colors, Sale98c
Ladies' Sweater Coats, \$2.48 grade, Sale\$1.98
Large size Kimono Aprons, 50c grade, Sale38c
Children's 25c Hair Bow Ribbons, all colors, per yard19c
50c Corsets, heavy grade coutil, Sale price39c

Unheard of Prices on Suits for Men and Boys

Men's Work Shirts in all colors39c
Men's Grey and Brown Sweater Coats with the big roll collar, worth \$1.00, this sale at50c
Boys' Suits, worth \$2.50, in blue, grey and brown novelties, at\$1.98
Boys' Suits, worth \$3.00, in blue grey and brown novelties,\$2.50
Boys' Suits, worth \$3.50, in blue, grey and brown novelties, at\$2.98
Boys' All Wool Blue Serge Suit at\$3.48
Men's Trousers, in all colors and novelties, at98c

Boys' Sweater Coats in all colors with the military and roll collar, big values at 50c, \$1.00, \$2.50
One lot of Men's Wool Shirts and Drawers, worth \$1.00 and \$1.50 a garment, at79c
Men's Trousers in all colors and novelties at\$1.98, \$2.50, \$2.98 and \$3.50
Men's Suits, worth \$6.50 and \$7.00 at\$4.98
Men's Suits, worth \$8.00, sale price\$6.50
Men's Suits, worth \$10.00, at\$7.50
Men's Suits in all colors and novelties at\$10.00, \$12.00 and \$15.00
Men's All Wool Union Suits at\$1.98
Men's Hats at \$1.00, \$1.50 and \$2.00 in all new shapes.
Men's Balmacaan Rain Coats at\$5.00 and \$10.00
Boys' Balmacaan Rain Coats at\$5.00 and \$6.50

Come Expecting to Find Bargains in Dry Goods. Every Bargain Seeker Will Be Delighted With the Low Prices.

10 to 25 Per Cent Saved in Our Silk Dress Goods Department.
50c Wool Whipcords in staple colors; sale price per yard29c
36-inch Wool Serge, in all colors, worth 60c; sale price per yard38c
35c Half Serge and Fancy School Plaids; Sale price per yard22c
45-inch All Wool Serge; sold at \$1 yard; Sale price per yard69c
50c Silk Rattines in 27-inch widths; Sale price, per yard25c
10 Per Cent Off on All Other Dress Materials in Stock.
30c Silk Striped Poplins in all new fall shades; Sale price, yard22c
18c Serpentine Crepes; Sale price, per yard 14c
Now is the Best Opportunity to Buy Your Supply
\$1.50 Extra Heavy Fleece Blankets, full size; Sale price, pair98c
Large size fancy colored bordered Cotton Blankets, worth \$1.75; Sale price, per pair\$1.19
Heavy Woolnap Blankets sold at \$2.50; Sale price, per pair\$1.75
Extra Large Size Fancy Plaid Woolnap Blankets, worth \$3.00; Sale price, per pair\$2.19
\$1.50 Cotton Filled Comforters; Sale price, 95c
Heavy \$1.98 Comforter, with best silkoline tops, filled with cotton; sale price\$1.69
Largest size sateen covered Comforters, sold at \$2.50; Sale price at\$1.98
2½-pound Feather Pillow with a guaranteed feather-proof tick, sold at \$1.50; Sale price each79c

75c quality Feathers; Sale price, per pound58c
\$1.50 All Wool Diagonal Cloths, 54 inches wide, in black and blue, per yard only98c
\$1.25 and \$1.50 Roman stripe, Plaid and Persian Silks, Sale price, per yard95c
\$1 Silk Corded Rattines; Sale price, per yd. 59c
54-inch Shepherd Plaid Dress Material, worth 60c yard; Sale price, per yard38c
20c School Plaid; sale price per yd. only 12½c
Yard-wide Comfort Cretonnes, sold at 12½c; Sale price per yard8c
8½c Outing Flannels, 27-inch wide, just the thing for comforts, in dark patterns only; sale price, per yard5½c
A large 3-pound roll Cotton, sheet size, 72x90, sold at 69c; Sale price only48c
4-pound Rolls of Cotton, best comfort cotton, worth 85c; Sale price65c
BARGAINS IN OUR DOMESTIC DEPARTMENT.
Hope Muslin, any quantity wanted, per yard, 8c
Yard wide, best 10c quality Bleached Muslin; Sale price, yard7½c
28c Seamless Sheeting, in unbleached only; Sale price, per yard19c
50c Sheets, good quality; Sale price, each38c
15c Pillow Cases to match sheets; Sale price each9c
12½c Bleached and Unbleached Crash; Sale price, per yard7½c
12½c Large Size Linen Huck Towels; Sale price each8c

The Underwear Departments

Are busy places during this sale.
Ladies' Fleece Shirts and Drawers, 25c and 35c grade; garment15c
Misses' Heavy Fleece Union Suits, ages 4 to 12, 39c grade; Sale19c
Ladies' Heavy Fleece Union Suits, all sizes, \$1.25 grade; Sale79c
Children's 25c Fleece Hose; Phare's sale price 19c
Women's Heavy Fleece Hose, per pair13c
Men's Heavy Fleece and Ribbed Union Suits, \$1.00; Sale79c
Men's Heavy Fleece Shirts and Drawers, 50c grade; sale39c
Boys' Heavy Ribbed Union Suits, 50c grade; Sale39c

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Lowest Prices Ever Quoted on High Grade Millinery.
Our \$1.75 Soft Crown Sailors and Turbans, untrimmed velvet shapes, are the talk of the community, at98c
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