

## CLUB HOSPITALITY TO CLEVELANDERS WILL BE LIMITED

The Commercial club will not entertain the Cleveland boosters tomorrow. President John Nicholson said late this afternoon, after awaiting a telegram in which the club asked the Cleveland organization if the members desired entertainment during the five hours they are here.

The boosters are scheduled to arrive at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning on a special train and will leave at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

Business men have brought pressure to bear on the club to have the boosters entertained while here in the belief that the Cleveland merchants and manufacturers expect to be guests of Richmond in the same manner as Richmond club members have been guests of other towns on the one-day Commercial club automobile booster trips.

"There will be a committee to meet the train," said Mr. Nicholson. "We will offer them courtesies to the extent of using the club rooms tomorrow. They are living on the train and eat there, so I think it would be foolish to tender them a noon luncheon." William M. Bailey of the Richmond Home Telephone company found that the public utilities commissions of Indiana and Ohio would not permit long distance service from Richmond to Cleveland from the private train, but Mr. Bailey will have a local telephone in the train as soon as it arrives, with directories, so the boosters can locate merchants without trouble.

## NAMES COMSTOCK AS CIRCUIT JUDGE

Daniel W. Comstock was today commissioned by Judge Fox to act as special circuit court judge. Judge Fox is indisposed and will remain at his home for a few days until he feels strong enough to stand the heavy drill of cases. Big cases this week were Jesse Stevens against the T. H. I. and E. Traction company for \$3,000 damages and Harriet E. Cory of Denver, against Alfred Underhill for quiet title on land which Underhill foreclosed a mortgage recently.

## COURIER CARRIES AUSTRIA'S REPLY

BY BRION D'ALLAIRE.  
ROME, May 3.—A special courier, bringing Austria's answer to Italy's final representations, is expected to arrive from Vienna tonight, although the Austrian note will not be read by the foreign office until Tuesday. Thus the possibility exists that the Italian government may know within the next forty-eight hours whether it is to be peace or war.

The speech of Premier Salandra at the Quarto celebrations is eagerly awaited, as it is expected to contain clear allusions to Italy's attitude toward Austria and Germany, and the means which will be employed to realize Italy's national aspirations.

Prince Von Bielowitz, who visited Foreign Minister Sonnino, his visit starting the usual war and peace rumors.

## 100 SALOONS CLOSED

CHICAGO, May 3.—During the last week 100 saloons in Chicago have been closed. High rents, poor trade, the heavy expense of free lunch and the constant talk that Chicago may go dry in five years were said to have been the combined causes. Four of the closed saloons were in the loop district. Their going out of business reduces the city revenue from licenses \$100,000.

## RENEW LICENSES.

Liquor license renewals granted by the county commissioners today at the opening of the may term of commissioners' court were: Clement A. Heck, 607 Main street; James Braxton, 611 Main street; Jacob Schwing, 103 Main street; Bernard Altmenschulter, 20 South Fifth street; John J. L. Brown, 715 North D street (wholesale).

## NURSE ASKS PAY.

For acting as housekeeper and nurse for seventeen years, Laura Louise Neff today filed a claim in circuit court for \$1,612.50. The claim was placed against the estate of Anna Marie Whitman and was disallowed by the administrator.

The plaintiff says she cared for Mrs. Whitman from May 1897 until May 1909, for \$75 a year and at that time, Mrs. Whitman agreed to pay her \$150. She worked until the time of the death of Mrs. Whitman, February, 1914.

## APPOINTS VIEWERS

Theodore S. Martin, Wessell Wolke and Richard Smelser were appointed viewers today to view and report to the county commissioners on the new road petitioned for near the Warden Orphans home southeast of the city, running one mile south of the end of South Twenty-third street into a pocket.

City Commissioner Thomas Lee, of Beverly, N. J., has signified his intention to resign his office because the city in a recent referendum election voted "wet."

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## Zeppelin's Path in Great Britain



Wrecked house in Maldon, photographed immediately after German airman dropped bombs in recent raid over London suburbs. Maldon is a city of 5,000 in Essex, about thirty-five miles east and north of the metropolis.

## BOARD RENEWS MOVE TO TEST TRACTION RATE

After receiving a contrary report from the county attorney and deciding to drop the matter, the board of county commissioners late today renewed their efforts to test the right of the T. H. I. and E. Traction company to violate the terms of its franchise and increase the rates from one and two-thirds cents a mile to two cents a mile.

County Attorney Hoelscher was called in to give the commissioners his opinion on the best method to be used in bringing the case into court. Mr. Hoelscher declared it will be a futile attempt of the board to have county power supersede the power of a state body.

He said the best way if the commissioners insist, is to secure an injunction preventing the traction company from operating cars on Wayne county highways and over county bridges on the grounds that the traction company is violating the terms of the franchise by increasing the rates.

It is now a question as to whether a franchise exists. The twenty-five year franchise was granted in 1902, but the fact that the public utilities law rescinded all franchises held between the city and the public utilities of Richmond, throws a different light on the existence of such a contract.

The commissioners said they believe they are acting in accordance with public will and sentiment in making a test case of the rate increase which went into effect yesterday.

"We want to see whether those twelve or fourteen closely written pages are merely so much writing on the record or if they represent a binding agreement," said Albert Anderson, president of the board. "If the test case is unpopular we do not want to hold it, but we believe the people are looking to us for protection in the action of the traction company."

## CHADWICK EXPLAINS CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

There will be a free lecture on Christian Science at the Gennett theatre Tuesday evening, May 4, at 8 o'clock, by Clarence W. Chadwick, C. S. B. of Omaha, Neb. Hundreds of thousands of people in all parts of the world have been benefited physically and morally by the understanding of Christian Science, but this new-old divine law has not been generally understood and, therefore, often misrepresented and misquoted by mankind. To present correctly this subject a board of lecturers, of which at present there are fifteen members, is maintained by the mother church at Boston, Mass. Each church is expected to give at least one of these lectures each year. Mr. Chadwick, who will lecture here Tuesday evening, is a member of this board of lecturers, and is well qualified to present this subject as it should be.

## LIFT QUARANTINES.

EATON, O., May 3.—Quarantine restrictions were lifted Saturday from the homes of the Rev. D. R. Wilson, pastor of the United Brethren church, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sprowl, where diphtheria had been prevalent. Mrs. Wilson was the afflicted one in the Wilson home, while a 3-year-old daughter of the Sprowls has passed through an attack of the disease. Quarantine is still in force at the home of Mrs. Florence Barber, where her son, Richard, aged 4, is recovering from an attack of diphtheria.

## MAYOR JOINS LODGE; OUSTED BY CHURCH

COLUMBUS, Ind., May 2.—Mayor H. Carl Volland was voted out of the German Lutheran church here by the congregation because he voted to retain as a church member Harmon Scheutte who recently joined the order of Moose, a secret organization. The mayor had been treasurer of the church and H. W. Fehring was elected to succeed him. H. L. Rost, a wealthy jeweler and father-in-law of the mayor, also voted to retain Scheutte but he has been given two weeks in which to change his vote.

## WALKING IN SLEEP HE SCARES FRIEND

Tom Murray, millinery salesman of Cincinnati, today is feeling the effects of an experience he had last night, according to a story told by George K. Jones, a salesman of Indianapolis, which is verified by Mr. Mitten, clerk of the Westcott hotel.

Jones declares that he was awakened about three o'clock this morning by a knock on the door of his room in the Westcott and opening it saw a figure, attired in garments of brilliant hue. A sheet was draped around the shoulders of the figure, which Jones after his first gasp of amazement recognized as his friend Murray, who occupied the room above.

Jones was mystified at first to account for the other's strange actions because Murray vouchsafed no explanation for the interruption. As he stood there in the doorway, Jones saw that Murray was proving himself a somnambulist and had walked in his sleep to the room of his friend with whom he had stayed with until past midnight.

## LONDON SCENTS BATTLE AT SEA

BY JOHN C. FOSTER.  
LONDON, May 3.—An important naval battle in the North Sea is expected as a result of the admiralty's announcement of several small fights off the Belgian coast in which the British torpedo boat destroyer Recruit and the British trawler Colombia and two German torpedo boats were sunk. The German mosquito fleet, which was engaged near North Hinder Lightship, was believed to be the advance guard of a strong German fleet.

The Colombia was acting as a tender to warships and mine sweepers. There were no casualties. Two German officers and fifty four men were rescued from the sea and made prisoners. It is believed that the German squadron suffered loss of life.

## CLEM WANTS JOB

Dr. Lou Clem, appointed during the epidemic of hoof and mouth disease by the state veterinarian as deputy in this county, today petitioned the county commissioners to make him county veterinarian under the new law at a salary of \$5 for each day of service.

## CRONIN TO SPEAK.

Many members of the K. of C. Lodge are expected to be present at the special meeting Tuesday night when Father Cronin will deliver the last of a series of lectures held at the club rooms this winter. A buffet lunch will be served.

## NEVER SHAVED; OWNS SIX SHOPS

Howell D. Rich has never been shaved. He owns six small barber shops in outlying districts of Richmond. A few days ago Harry Wiggins quit one of the shops to go to St. Louis and Charles Furst was put on the first chair. Rich tried to get Ralph Raser from a North Ninth street shop to take charge of one of his places, but Raser will continue to shave in his present place.

## GERMAN WASP SINKS ELLIDA

COPENHAGEN, May 3.—The Swedish steamship Ellida was torpedoed in the North Sea Sunday by a German submarine while en route to England.

This was the second neutral vessel attacked by the Germans within twenty-four hours. The American oil ship Gulfight, having been torpedoed by a submarine Saturday off the British coast. She crewed of the Ellida was saved. The Ellida was a vessel of 1,214 tons gross, and hailed from Bergen. The ship was laden with timber, and sank in three minutes. The crew of sixteen and two women just had time to get into a boat. They were picked up two hours later by the Danish motor ship Jens, and landed at Lemvig. The Ellida's loss is regarded here as possibly having far-reaching consequences.

## CONDUCT COMMUNION

The annual communion service for the unmarried women of the church was observed at 7:30 o'clock Sunday morning at St. Andrews' church. Approximately 150 young ladies attended the service in a body and received Holy Communion.

The service is always celebrated in May as this month is held to be especially appropriate to the Blessed Virgin Mary. The children's choir led in the music and Father Roell conducted the service.

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## COUNTY TO CONDEMN PENNSYLVANIA SPAN

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The bridge is considered one of the most dangerous places in the county. It is twelve feet wide and is approached by steep fills. Vehicles approaching from different directions have no warning until they are within a few feet of each other.

The bridge is the property of the Pennsylvania railroad company. The railroad company will be asked to build a bigger, wider bridge with some arrangement by which the approaches can be made less dangerous. It is an old bridge and is said to be incapable of supporting greater weight than an automobile. A report to the commissioners said the bridge is dangerous to automobile trucks or other heavy or heavily laden vehicles.

Mrs. Meta Berger, who has been elected to the Milwaukee school board, is the wife of Victor Berger, the former Socialist representative in congress.

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## CROWD PACKS ROOM WHEN MILTON CLASS RECEIVES DIPLOMAS

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Emerson E. Ballard was the speaker. C. O. Williams, county superintendent presented the diplomas to the graduates. Music was given by the Milton high school orchestra.

The attendance was the largest ever present at a graduation in the township. The front doors of the hall were closed, and those who were turned away came through rear doors and crowded the stage on which the graduating class sat.

Saturday afternoon the Rev. John W. Zerbe delivered the address for the graduation at Abington. Eight common school pupils received diplomas. Music was furnished by the Weisbrod Saxophone orchestra.

## CLUB'S DIRECTORS HEAR LIGHT CASE

A meeting of the board of directors of the Commercial club will be held tonight. A report will be made by the committee on public service corporations relative to the advisability of the purchase of the Light Heat and Power company's electric light plant by the city. Other committees which have organized in the past month since the new club administration took charge, will report to the board.

## FORECLOSES LIEN.

Allen Jackson and William Webster lost their suit to foreclose a lien for \$37 against the Indianapolis Glove company in circuit court Saturday.

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