

## NOLTE'S ACTION WRECKS PLANS OF NEW BLOCK

Refusal to Permit Removal of Small Rear Store Room Frustrates Contemplated Move of Lee Ashley.

### PROPOSITION, IS MADE

Leasees of Wakefield Block Proposed to Make Improvement Calling for an Outlay of \$20,000.

Plans for the construction of a \$20,000 business building on the southeast corner of North Ninth and Sailor streets in the rear of the Main street building occupied by the Light, Heat & Power company, Emmons Tailoring company and the Nolte Carpet company, have been abandoned.

Refusal of George Nolte to permit the removal of a small frame structure in the rear of his store room was the cause of abandoning the plan to erect the proposed business block on North Ninth street, to occupy the site on which two one-story buildings now stand, sheltering a barber shop and feed store, fronting Ninth street, and a blacksmith shop fronting Sailor street.

Ashley Gives Reason.

The reason for abandoning the building plans was assigned by H. L. Ashley, who holds jointly with Al Brown a ninety-year lease on the property which was proposed to be raised to make room for the new building, and the Main street block occupied by the Light, Heat & Power company, the Emmons and Nolte companies.

The Nolte company, Mr. Ashley stated, had a lease on its room which is operative for more than two years longer. The proposed new building was to have a sixty-foot frontage but the frame store room of the Nolte company extends thirty feet into the lot on which this structure was to be erected. "I wired Mr. Brown today that no further effort would be made to secure Mr. Nolte's consent to removing his frame store room and that I had arranged to rent the old building which until recently has been used as a feed store," Mr. Ashley said. "I offered to give the Nolte company a second floor room above the store for storage purposes and to charge no rent for it. I also agreed to buy all the stock he now has in the frame annex in the rear of his store. He would not consider such a proposal and I ended the negotiations.

The rear of the Main street property under lease to Ashley and Brown is regarded as a dangerous fire trap by Building Inspector Hodgins. They are a series of flat roofs and winding stairways resembling the abodes of the ancient cave dwellers. Hodgins recently ordered owners of properties at 910 and 912 Main street to remodel the rear end of their properties to eliminate the fire hazard.

### CARR ESTIMATES

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heads each month, one shift, for similar field pieces.

Six thousand four hundred draperys each month in one shift for the same field pieces.

Accompanying the estimate, Mr. Carr enclosed a letter saying that the American Seeding Machine company was a fairly well equipped plant with foundry and forge shop but had few lathes or other tools for machine work as the company was engaged in the manufacture of agricultural implements.

"In making the estimate," Mr. Carr wrote, "we have endeavored to keep carefully within the lines of what it is possible for us to do, hoping to do better if the emergency arose. At the end of thirty days after receipt of an order we could be producing 25 per cent of the maximum output contained in the estimate and at the end of two months we could reach the maximum output."

Could Double Output.

Mr. Carr this morning said that he believed the possible output of the factory could be doubled over the estimates if the United States was compelled to enter war and the company would be expected to do its part.

General Crozier in writing to Mr. Carr said that prior to the outbreak of the war, the ordnance department had compiled the best data then available of probable output of ordnance material from the establishments in the United States in the event of war but that the European war had demonstrated to the department heads that the estimates they had on the reserve supply and the facilities for increasing output during war, were too low. A larger production would be necessary, he said.

The revival will be financed through free-will offerings and individual contributions only. No church will be asked to obligate itself in assuming any of the expenses.

## SUES FOR \$5; COURT COSTS TOTAL \$27.15 AND END NOT YET IN SIGHT

Who would have believed that \$5 could have caused all this trouble. Within the last two days there have been two jury trials in Justice Frank Strayer's office. The first jury disagreed and the verdict of the second one probably will be overruled by the judge, because it is "contrary to evidence." The case is still unsettled, and all the contention is over the payment of \$3 to a housemaid.

Here is the story: Leota Mason, colored, had been working as housemaid for Mrs. Harry Lontz. She had worked for one week and was paid a salary of \$5 a week. The next week she worked until Wednesday morning and then because of misconduct, she was "let off." Mrs. Lontz offered her \$3 as payment for the two days work. The colored girl objected to being "let off" so suddenly and demanded that she be paid a full week's wages. To this Mrs. Lontz objected.

**FILE SUIT TO COLLECT.**

The girl filed suit in Justice Strayer's court to collect \$5. She admitted that Mrs. Lontz had offered to pay her \$3 for her work the two days. It was also shown that Mrs. Lontz later offered to pay her \$5 in order to keep out of court, but Miss Mason's anger had risen, and she intended to make her employer pay the court costs in addition to her salary.

### COUNTY WOULD ERR IN FIXING SEPARATE HOME FOR CHILDREN

The construction of a separate orphan's home for Wayne county, as was suggested in the report of the board of county charities and corrections, would be a big mistake, according to Amos Butler, secretary of the state board of charities. This statement was made in a letter received today by Secretary Melpolder of the Social Service bureau.

"There are not enough orphans in Wayne county to warrant a home for them," writes Mr. Butler.

Efforts of the Social Service bureau in co-operation with Mrs. Elizabeth Candier, probation officer, to find homes for orphans at White's institute, was commanded by the secretary of the state board.

Secretary Melpolder forwarded to Mr. Butler a copy of the report of the investigation committee of the county commissioners, which recommended radical changes in the administration of charities in Wayne county.

### OPENS THIRD BRANCH

Henry Goldfinger, proprietor of the Palais Royal, has returned from Terre Haute where he opened up the third of his string of stores. Mr. Goldfinger's latest branch consists of 1000000 of the most completely furnished women's ready-made goods in Terre Haute. It is under the management of H. Petersdorf. Mr. Goldfinger announced today that Richmond would remain headquarters for his stores, and that all business would be transacted from this city.

### SIGNS WITH GARY

Manager Eddie Bronson has matched Ray Jeffries for a bout with Tom Gary at Dayton, September 15. The fight is scheduled to go twelve rounds.

### ALL CHURCHES

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whoever makes a confession during the meetings will have the privilege of joining the church of his choice, has been adopted.

The evangelistic party will be composed of Rev. Mr. Bennett and Mrs. Bennett of Marion, R. E. Mitchell of Union, Ohio, singer, and Miss Echo Roland of Fountain City, pianist.

### HAS WIDE EXPERIENCE.

Rev. Mr. Bennett has had many years' experience as an evangelist and has held meetings in Terre Haute, Muncie and other Indiana cities.

He was affiliated with Rev. Lyons for some time in evangelistic endeavor and union tabernacle meetings.

R. E. Mitchell, who will have charge of the chorus singing has had fifteen years' experience.

Because many pastors are out of town on their vacations, choir leaders have been difficult to reach by the music committee of which Mrs. Motley is chairman. It is hoped that all members of choirs in the city will communicate with the committee to expedite organization of a large chorus. It is planned to use local talent in any way possible. Soloists, and group singers too, are requested to assist the committee. Already the orchestra consists of fourteen pieces.

The revival will be financed through free-will offerings and individual contributions only. No church will be asked to obligate itself in assuming any of the expenses.

### Hold Special Meeting.

Members of the Central Christian church will hold a congregational meeting on Friday night to hear Rev. Bennett and his party outline the work.

Later Mr. Bennett will be assisted by three speakers who will come at different times. Their names are not known to the committee.

On Saturday night, Mr. Mitchell will meet at the church with various choirs and singers and the organization of a large chorus will be the work.

Five hundred hymn books have been shipped from Chicago.

Glen Cruse as chairman of the executive committee, has general charge of the arrangements. Mrs. George Mansfield is chairman of the entertainment committee. Mrs. George Christman and George Wilcoxen have charge of personal work. Charles Roland is chairman of prayer meeting committee and Mrs. Motley, of the music committee.

## BUREAU HELPS 368 FAMILIES IN YEAR

The annual report of the Social Service bureau, which completed one year's work August 31, will show that 368 families have been helped. This includes the families assisted by the associated charities but does not include any of the help given by the township trustees or the other agencies for relief.

A meeting will be held by the executive board Monday, September 13, at which time the annual report will be prepared and made public. It is estimated that a total of 700 families have been assisted during the past year by all the relief agencies of the city.

"During the past year, we have only laid the foundation for what we intend to do with the funds," said Rev. Mr. Melpolder this morning. "I am well pleased with the cooperation given us during this first year and can promise greater things in the future."

More than 1,415,000 Canadians are liable for military service. Of these it is asserted, at least 75 per cent. are physically fit.

## PLANS "LOVE FEAST"

The date for the "love feast" of Republicans of the Ninth district, will be decided tomorrow by a special committee of Republicans. It will probably be held the middle of October. County Chairman Bowman, the district chairman and the state chairman will agree upon the date before it is announced. It will be held in Richmond.

Many Wayne county Republicans will attend the Rush county "rat together" meeting at Rushville, September 15. The program for the meeting has not been arranged, but it is probable that several Wayne county men will be asked to make addresses.

### MINISTER RETURNS

Rev. L. E. Murray, pastor of the First Christian church, has returned from a three weeks' vacation at Indianapolis and Ladoga. The Rev. Mr. Murray announces that services at his church will be resumed next Sunday morning and evening.

## IRATE MAYOR HANDS DOWN HEAVY FINES

Stiff punishments were meted out by Mayor Robbins in police court this morning when Edward Lindsay, William McGee, Ernest Kelly and Charles Lawless were arraigned on charges of intoxication.

Lindsay was fined \$100 and costs and sentenced to thirty days on the penal farm, and McGee and Kelly each drew a fine of \$50 and costs. Lawless was fined \$1 and costs. It was his first appearance in police court.

The police record showed Lindsay was arrested on July 23 and August 18 on intoxication charges. He was convicted on each occasion. He was arrested yesterday on Main street.

Lawson and Kelly were also arrested twice before and were fined and warned against re-appearance in court.

Chamness, tress, refund tax, \$10.45; board of state charities, care of orphans in other institutions, \$4.60; Geo. W. Crull, trustee, general bridge repairs, \$75.55; Milo J. Harris, trustee, general bridge repairs, \$33.30; B. B. Williams, general bridge repairs, \$75.50; S. W. Culbertson, Smith full, \$75.75; Burke Construction Co., general bridge repairs, \$79.00.

### COURT HOUSE REPAIRS, ETC.

—Jacob Branson, court house repairs, \$1; Waking & Co., court house repairs, \$7.55; W. S. Lancaster, care court house grounds, \$5; Richmond Electric Co., court house repairs, \$1; George L. Van Carleton, care court house grounds, \$3; Full Bros., care court house grounds, \$19; A. C. Brown Electric Co., court house janitor, \$52; John A. McKinley, court house janitor, \$13; Lindsey Swan, court house janitor, \$85; Richmond Union laundry, court house supplies, \$2.27; Fred Kennedy, court house supplies, \$17.5; Richmond Light, Heat & Power Co., court house and jail supplies, \$19.19; Municipal Electric Light & Power plant, \$45.82; Richmond City Water Works, court house and jail supplies, \$21.45; C. R. Woodhurst, repairs, \$350; John Noss care grounds, \$4.20.

Jail Supplies, Repairs, Etc.—Friendless jail repairs, \$2; C. H. Hasecoeter, jail supplies, \$8; J. E. Miller, Home for Friendless repairs, \$3; Fred Schroeder, Home for Friendless repairs, \$3; S. Edgar Bond, Home for Friendless physician, \$25; Chas. E. Morgan, guard for insane at county jail, \$60; Dr. S. C. Markley, jail physician, \$25; Dora Hutchens, jail employee, \$22; Aurelia Thomas, jail employee and laundry, \$36; Hunt Bros., jail supplies, 50 cents; C. C. Schaefer, jail supplies, \$6.25; Craighead Plumbing & Electric Co., jail supplies, \$3.74; Harrington & Richardson Arms Co., jail supplies, \$6; L. C. Hasecoeter, H for jail supplies, \$3.40; Hoosier Mercantile Co., poor farm and H for F. supplies, \$40.13; Corkins Chemical Co., jail and poor farm supplies, \$126.08; Richmond Home Telephone Co., court house, jail and poor farm supplies, \$147.75; treasurer Home for Friendless, boarding prisoners, \$101.30.

Poor Farm Supplies, Repairs, Etc.—F. B. Petro, poor farm supplies and repairs, \$34.03; S. D. Rath, poor farm repairs, \$23.50; North Western Steel & Iron Works, poor farm repairs, \$96.44; T. J. Connell, poor farm repairs, \$27.35; Hugh Hutchison and others, poor farm employees, \$157.45; Dr. J. M. Fouts, poor farm employee, \$60; Frank B. Petro, salary poor farm sup., \$27.50; Schmidt & Morgan, poor farm supplies \$6; Indian Refining Co., poor farm supplies, \$12.10; J. M. Eggemeyer & Sons, poor farm supplies, \$63.41; John S. Nixon, poor farm supplies, \$30.45; town of Centerville, poor farm supplies damage by runaway, \$14.25; Centerville Municipal Electric Light plant, poor farm supplies, \$14.77; Myers Carriage works, poor farm supplies, \$9.25; Dick Stinson, poor farm supplies, \$40.50; W. F. Hiatt, poor farm supplies, \$4.20; R. W. Burris, poor farm supplies, \$111.60; John Scheid, poor farm supplies, \$67.70; Virginia Can Co., poor farm supplies, \$96.61.

Bounty on Hawks—Clarence Pitts, \$1; Dick Wood, \$1; Fred Reynolds, \$3; Chas. H. Williams, \$1; Lester Cook, \$1; Elmer Shute, \$1; John Winters, \$1; V. F. Thorburn, \$1; Earl Cain, \$1; Carl Zook, \$2; R. L. Moore, \$1; Paul Lamberson, \$1; Edward M. Toney, \$1; Allen Weyle, \$1; W. T. Bradway, \$2; Ira Toney, \$1; George Fouts, \$1; John Chamberlain, \$1; Clarence Blue, \$1; W. E. Alexander, \$1; George Chamberlain, \$1; Allen Weyle, \$1; Alexander Abbott, \$1; Frank Nixon, \$8.25; Ernest Shafer, \$1; Charles D. Hunnicutt, \$1; Jerry M. Wallace, \$1; Milton Hoover, \$1; David S. Bennett, \$1; Frank Kilgus, \$1; Fred Mull, \$1; Joshua Brown, \$1; Charles Snediker, \$2.

Macadam Road Expense—W. P. O'Neal, supt. S. Twenty-third street, \$40; Jesse E. Brown, supt. Nat. road east, \$40; Albert Anderson, inspection Nat. road east, \$3.35; M. D. Dodridge, inspection Nat. road east, \$3.70; Wm. K. Cheeseman, inspection Nat. road east, \$3.45; Albert Anderson, inspection Nat. road east, \$3.35; M. D. Dodridge, \$3.70; Wm. K. Cheeseman, \$3.45; Sisk, Sprinkle, Leavell & Co., balance contract Nat. road east, \$19.24.72; L. C. Peacock, engineer Nat. road east, \$35; L. C. Peacock, engineer South Twenty-third street road, \$69; T. J. Connell, contract South Twenty-third street road, \$4,215.56; T. J. Connell, contract H. B. Fosler road, \$2,155.89.

Free Turnpike Supplies, Repairs, Etc.—The city of Richmond, road supplies, \$22.75; Ellis McHugh, \$10.60; Mather Bros. Co., \$1.10; Model Clothing Co., \$3; J. D. Adams & Co., \$1.12; J. Adams & Co., \$9.20; I. E. Smith, driving piling on free turnpike, \$320; S. E. Smith, supplies, \$1.25; L. C. Smith Bros. Co., clerk's office expense, \$1.75; Nicholson Pig. & Mfg. Co., office supplies, \$474.75; Bartel & Rohe, office supplies, \$31.59; The J. M. Cee Pt. Co., office supplies, \$22.75; L. S. Bowman, auditor's salary, \$12.65; Wm. B. Burford, office expenses, \$7; Williams Sign Co., \$1; The E. G. Hill Co., \$5; J. M. Burt, Dist. No. 1, \$120.70; Linc Watkins, Dist. No. 2, \$111.75; Simon Atwell, \$119.70; Edgar Pollard, Dist. No. 3, \$112.25; Albert Cranor, Dist. No. 4, \$118.46; Edwin L. Norris, Dist. N. O. 5, \$135.20; Walter J. King, Dist. No. 7, \$242.17; Frank Lutz, Dist. No. 8, \$119.85; Albert Wilson, Dist. No. 9, \$202.60; Frank Clark, Dist. No. 10, \$179.90; Edgar F. Dorem, Dist. No. 11, \$177.34; W. O. Jones, Supt. per diem, \$104.

Allowances to Township Trustees in Settlement of Poor Accounts—C. H. Bond, clay twp., \$26.06; Wm. H. Moore, Webster twp., \$10.50; J. T. Reynolds, New Garden twp., \$5.49; Alex Abbott, Dalton twp., \$23; Wm. H. Forte, Jefferson twp., \$1.25; W. H. Wilson, Harrison twp., \$177.25; G. W. Crull, Washington twp., \$227.34; A. E. Eble, Jackson twp., \$334.73; Milo J. Harris, Center twp., \$178.82; E. J. Wright, Abington twp., \$84; J. O. Edgerton, Wayne twp., \$1.27.26.

County Health Commissioner's Expense—Richmond Home Telephone Co., 46 cents; Dr. W. T. Fisher, \$5.

Circuit Court Allowances—Elizabeth W. Chandler, investigating cases, \$41; Nelson P. Weaver, juror, \$102; Walter Ratliff, juror, \$15; Emmet Crowe, juror, \$15; Willis Rich, juror, \$15; Clifford Price, juror, \$15; Lewis Semler, juror, \$16.60; Harry Critchfield, juror, \$16.60; Frank Connally, juror, \$15.50; Carl F. Bertsch, juror, \$37.70; Edward Beeson, juror, \$17.10; James Martin, juror, \$9.85; Edward Wise, juror, \$9.75; Elizabeth W. Chandler, investigating cases, \$45.

## Clyde Slifer Delivered from Land of Baldness

### Discards Toupee Which He Has Worn for Years!

Thanks Glover's Hairgro for Natural Transformation

Clyde Slifer, genial member of the Slifer Packing Co., known to every man, woman and child for miles around as the kindest man the "sun e'er shone on," has discarded his toupee.

Several weeks ago Mr. Slifer purchased a bottle of "Hairgro," feeling doubtful as to whether it would actually grow