

## HANDLEY ASSERTS OFFICIALS GAGGED STREET COMMITTEE

"Report from the committee on streets and alleys?" asked the mayor.

"No report, Mr. President," replied Councilman Williams, chairman of the committee.

"I am surprised that this committee has no report," interrupted Councilman Handley. "Last winter the bridge question was referred to that committee and it has not reported yet."

This was preliminary to a charge made by Handley that the committee had been "gagged" by the administrative officers to prevent the city becoming involved in the bridge controversy but that the board of public works had seen fit to "butt into" the question recently by addressing a letter to the county commissioners approving their recommendation for a sitting bridge.

Mayor Robbins made a long speech and was followed by President Davis, each one asserting that the board had taken no action until the commissioners had reached a decision on the Main street bridge.

## FOOTBALL DIES HERE

Independent football in Richmond seems to be a dead issue now that the Quaker club has decided not to take up the sport this fall. Members of the club who met last night decided that it was a bit late in the season to organize for football this year. The gridiron game will be taken up next year however, the club announces.

## RETURNS TO MUNCIE, THEN GOES TO PRISON

Louis Bartlett soon forgot his promise to Judge Fox that he would never go near Muncie, made when he was released from custody yesterday morning, after he had been held in county jail two months on a serious charge.

As soon as he was released, Bartlett went to Muncie. He was arrested and will be returned here where Judge Fox will pronounce judgment on him for the penitentiary offense to which he pleaded guilty yesterday.

## THANKS AUTO CLUB

Resolutions of thanks for the 124th regiment which met here last week have been drawn up by William Matthews, president. Special thanks are extended to the Automobile club which furnished the machines in which the old soldiers were shown the city.

## JORDAN CALLS

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while we have been plodding along, beguiling ourselves into believing that our city needed no improvement," he said.

## Make Rapid Expansion.

He directed attention to a warning of the phenomenal growth of Dayton, Springfield and New Castle, cities that are rapidly increasing in population. "Hence and influence, threatening Richmond's prestige by their wonderful expansion."

"When producers, such producers as J. H. Mills, George Seidel, Henry Gennett, Ed. Swaine bind themselves together to get more factories are they not deserving of your support? They are giving of their time and their money."

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money. They are not afraid that more factories will confront them with labor questions."

Mr. Jordan then recalled that a few years ago, Richmond gained wide publicity by advertising as "The Panic Proof City."

Increases Material Wealth. This campaign, he said, had materially increased the city's commercial life, had brought in many retail establishments.

"What these firms need now," he continued, "is more business, more consumers and more factories, which will bring to the city more people, therefore more consumers and more business for the existing commercial establishments."

"We claim about 25,000 population. We should be ashamed of this figure. Why New Castle is fast catching up with us."

"We must get together. We must bring new factories here. I am offering a bonus, but if we can invest \$10,000 and get \$100,000 what business man is there here tonight who would not consider such a proposition?"

Help Raise The Fund. "What we can do is to help raise a fund to offer inducements, help to plants wishing locations."

"And when we get that fund, we should bring here within the next four years, at least ten factories with an increase of 5,000 in population and a 20 per cent growth in business."

Mr. Jordan then outlined briefly the plan of the campaign and the purposes of the proposed industrial fund, both of which have been fully explained through the press during the last week.

"Let factories come," Mr. Jordan urged, "one factory will bring others and they will make a better, bigger and wealthier city. The manufacturer brings things to the city with him, he creates values wherever he is."

"Take care of what we have and other factories will come."

## BANQUET MARKS

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outgrowth of the Commercial club, with a working fund of \$100,000.

The sole purpose of this fund, the trustees of which receive no compensation, is to bring new factories to the city.

Speakers last night outlined the working plans of the association, which have already been fully explained through the newspapers, and aroused in each person a new sense of loyalty to Richmond.

Star Serves Dinner. At 6:30 o'clock, the prospective city builders began their march to the top floor of the Masonic temple, where an

elaborate dinner was efficiently served by members of the Eastern Star.

Music by Runge's orchestra was given for appreciative applause by the diners.

John M. Lantz, by virtue of his position as chairman of the local committee, which has charge of the campaign, presided as toastmaster.

At the table with him were the members of the committee, the speakers, whose addresses are given elsewhere, and a number of the city's commercial and industrial leaders.

Charles Jordan Speaks. The local speakers were, besides Mr. Lantz, Charles W. Jordan, president of the German American Trust and Savings bank, and former secretary of the Commercial club, and S. E. Swaine, president of the Swaine Robinson company.

The principal address was delivered by Edward F. Trefft. Mr. Trefft is secretary of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States, the biggest commercial organization in the world.

Mr. Charles L. Hebble, manager of the civic and industrial department of the Cincinnati Chamber of Commerce also spoke.

Such enthusiasm and interest in the campaign has already been created that, before subscriptions have been asked, more than \$8,000 has been subscribed.

## LONTZ BIDS CITY

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for wholesome advice Mr. Reid had once given him about debt being a blessing.

Turning then to the present situation, Mr. Lantz pointed to the remarkable growth made by New Castle since that city has become the location for the Maxwell factory. Perpetually he asked:

Why Did Richmond Lose? "Do you, my friends, think that New Castle would have secured those plants if Richmond had offered them equal opportunity and advantages?"

"Every chimney that is reared to the skies as the result of this industrial movement means increased wealth for Richmond; means a monument to your enterprise and public spirit."

Humorously Mr. Lantz referred to his aversion to public life, supplementing his remarks by recalling from recent experience that a majority of the public evidently held the same antipathy toward his entrance into the limelight. But he said he could not withstand the entreaties of his friends on the committee who had chosen him as leader of the campaign to do all he could for Richmond.

Closing his remarks Mr. Lantz

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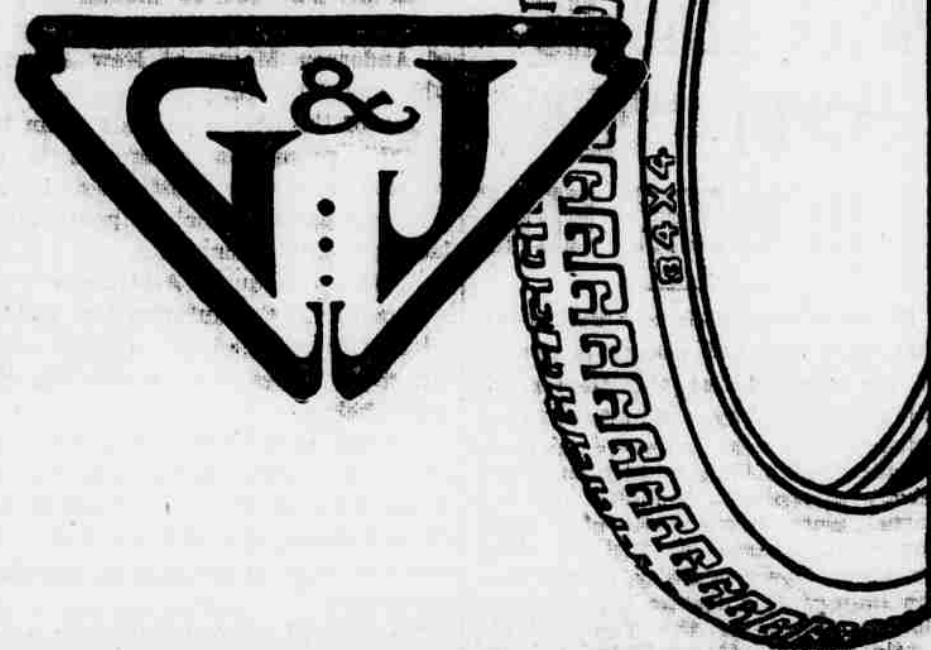
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