

LAMM HEADS PREBLE FARM BODY; GILMORE JACKSON PRESIDENT

EATON, O., Jan. 12.—John H. Lamm of Camden, was re-elected president of the board of directors of the Preble County Agricultural society in a re-organization meeting held here Saturday afternoon. John Unger, of West Alexandria, was elected vice president. The board re-named Harry D. Silver of Eaton, secretary, and A. J. Hiestand, of Eaton, treasurer.

Ex-County Commissioner H. A. Hines, of Harrison township, and W. O. Morris, of Dixon township, are new members of the board, they being elected last fall. The other members of the board are Joseph E. Flory, Henry E. Dalrymple, Arthur Morton, John W. Noakes, Stanley B. Hart, Jesse L. Haston, Julius Waters, George W. Riner, Cleve Montgomery, A. J. Swift, county agricultural agent, and Walter S. Fogarty, county school superintendent.

The board laid plans to greatly enlarge the junior calf club for the fair this year. Tentative plans are to purchase a carload of calves and distribute them among boys and girls in the county to develop for the contest next fall. Granges and other agricultural bodies of the county probably will be asked to share in the purchase of the calves and promote interest in the contest. The calf club contest was introduced at the fair last fall, and much interest was manifested, although the club was small in numbers.

President Lamm will appoint an executive committee and departmental heads at the next meeting, Feb. 14. Regular meetings of the board this year will be held the second Saturday in each month.

Jackson Committee Elects. Ex-State Senator Hugh R. Gilmore, of Eaton, heads, as chairman, the 'Preble County Jackson Banquet committee. He was named chairman in a reorganization meeting of the committee held here Saturday. Charles C. Webb, of Eaton, was named secretary.

Chairman Gilmore will select the members of the sub-committees and will announce the appointments in a meeting here next Friday night. He already has announced the appointment of Probate Judge A. D. Davis and County Prosecutor Phil Saylor to head the speakers' committee.

Date for the banquet which will be held in Eaton, has not been determined. This will be governed largely to suit the convenience of speakers the speakers' committee may be able to procure. Effort will be made to get one or more speakers of national and state prominence.

Bruce Dies in New York. Robert Bruce, native of Eaton, and son of J. E. Bruce, died suddenly of heart failure Saturday night in New York City, where he had been living the last several years, according to advices received here by his father. The remains will be brought here for funeral and burial. The decedent was about 45 years old. Besides his father, he is survived by two brothers, Wallace Bruce, of Eaton, and Horace Bruce of New York City, and one sister, Miss Fannie Bruce, of Eaton.

Moses Service Held. Following her death in Colorado Springs, Colo., at the home of her son, Dr. Homer C. Moses, where she had gone to visit just before the holidays, funeral services for Mrs. Anna Moses were held here this afternoon, and were in charge of the Rev. A. J. Cussard of the Methodist church, followed by burial in Mount Hill cemetery. The remains arrived here Sunday evening and were taken to her late home on East Main street. Mrs. Anna Moses was the wife of the late Benjamin D. Moses of Eaton. She was past 70 years of age. Two sons, Dr. Moses, and Robert Moses, of Kendallville, Ind., survive her.

Breaks Wrist in Fall. Mrs. Gates, wife of Councilman Thomas W. Gates, slipped and fell Sunday morning on an icy sidewalk, while on her way to church, and broke her wrist.

Census Men Finish. Three of the four census enumerators in Eaton, a sub-division have completed their work, it is said. The work is progressing satisfactorily, according to G. E. Rensman, district census supervisor. Any information gathered in the census is secret and is to be divulged only to the federal census bureau in official reports.

Risinger in Cleveland. Judge A. C. Risinger of the common pleas court of Preble county, left Sunday for Cleveland, where he will sit in the trial of a number of cases. He received instructions from Chief Justice Nichol to report today for duty in the Forest City.

Diseased Apple Trees Being Sold in State

Diseased apple trees are being sold in Indiana in large numbers, according to Frank N. Wallace, state entomologist. Two serious diseases, hairy root and crown gall, have been discovered in nursery stock distributed among apple-growers of the state, Mr. Wallace said.

"Formerly the nurseries all threw infected trees away at digging time," said Mr. Wallace, "as it is against the state laws to ship them." "This year trees are three to five times the former price and very scarce. As a result some of the nurserymen are shipping diseased trees so as to make a big profit. The crown gall or hairy root trees can be told by a rough, warty growth at the union of the scion and root stock. No trees with these wart-like growths should be planted. The state entomologist should be notified if such stock is received."



HARRY RAY POST NO. 65. Several matters of importance, in addition to the annual election of officers, will be taken up at the meeting of Harry Ray post, in the Commercial club rooms Wednesday evening, according to Commander Frank Strayer.

A special conference of the state executive committee will be held in Indianapolis Tuesday afternoon, and it is thought that matters of importance will be ordered taken up by the local posts at this conference. Paul Comstock, as a member of the executive committee, will attend the meeting Tuesday and will report on actions taken to the meeting Wednesday night.

Discussion and probably some action with reference to the organization of a women's auxiliary to Harry Ray post will be taken at Wednesday's meeting. Several posts throughout the state have recognized the need for a women's organization, to which wives, mothers, sisters and daughters of Legion members would be eligible, to assist and co-operate with local posts, and some action along this line will probably be sought at Wednesday's meeting.

Officers to be elected at Wednesday's meeting of the post will assume their duties immediately after election, according to statements made by present officers of the post. Dr. George B. Hunt, the only nominee for post commander, had made no announcement concerning activities of the post following his election, but it is probable that definite steps toward living the organization will be taken.

Continuation of the organization's efforts to increase its membership will probably be ordered, and it is hoped that the membership of the organization will be made 100 per cent strong before summer.

Masonic Calendar

Monday, Jan. 12.—Richmond Commandery No. 8 K. T. Special octave work in the Order of Red Cross beginning at 4 o'clock. Supper, 6:30.

Tuesday, Jan. 13.—Richmond Lodge No. 196 F. & A. M. Called meeting. Work in Master Mason degree beginning 6:30.

Wednesday, Jan. 14.—Webb Lodge No. 24 F. & A. M. Called meeting. Work in Fellow Craft Degree beginning 7:00. Clarence W. Foreman, W. M.

Friday, Jan. 16.—King Solomon's Chapter No. 4 R. A. M. Called meeting. Work in Mark Master Degree beginning 7:00 o'clock.

Saturday, Jan. 17.—Loyal Chapter No. 49 O. E. S. Stated meeting.

Seek Permission for Loan to Maintain County Roads

W. O. Jones, county superintendent of roads, and Denver Harlan, county attorney, were instructed by the county commissioners Saturday to appear before the state tax board to request permission for a \$25,000 short time loan.

Approximately \$20,000 was taken from the county road fund, when the transfer of the auto license fees from the county to the state highway commission was made. Heretofore, the county had received the sums derived from Wayne county, and they had been given to the county road fund. The balance is not sufficient to maintain the roads.

The money to be secured by the loan will probably not be needed before the fall but it will be necessary for the county officials to appear before the tax commission.

Indiana University Folks Plan for Annual Dinner

Local alumni and former students of Indiana University met Saturday to plan for the annual Foundation dinner. A speaker from Indiana will be sent for the dinner, which will be held either Friday, Jan. 23 or Saturday, Jan. 24.

Any student or alumnus of Indiana, within reaching distance of Richmond, is urged to communicate with Dr. Louis F. Ross, president of the local association.

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Matters as reasonable as the league of nations and as unreasonable as the prohibition amendment are treated at length in this almanac, along with the income taxes, the recorded weather, the election results, the chronology and death-roll of 1919 and more matters besides than can be indicated outside of the book's own index.

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