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Special Session of Council

The general collapse of the city administration, arising from the resignation of the president of the board of works and the city attorney, as well as from the absence of a city court judge, resulted in the calling of a special session of the city council to meet tonight.

The purpose of the meeting, says the notice served on the city clerk, is to inquire into the conduct and actions of Mayor Zimmerman.

No one will deny that municipal affairs in Richmond are in a bad way, and that the city lacks a capable executive. The city council should be encouraged by citizens generally to ask for the resignation of Mayor Zimmerman.

The man himself, whose physical condition militates against a successful administration of public affairs, should realize that he owes to the city, which has repeatedly honored him with election to office, the duty of quitting.

The situation is approaching a serious crisis. Council should not halt with a half-way measure, but energetically proceed to provide the city with an executive head. The municipality cannot wait for 90 days before it undertakes the task of re-organization. Council should follow at once the legal steps necessary to declare the mayor's office vacant so that a successor can assume the executive duties.

In the meantime, city officials might well heed the warning issued by President Gilbert when he criticized what he believed to be extravagant expenditures in the city affairs. The city has need to practice economy of the most

rigid kind. The deficit in the treasury of the municipal light plant shows how badly the city is in need of money.

The loss of Mr. Gilbert and of Mr. Robbins will be felt keenly. Both were competent officials and did good service in keeping the administration from going to pieces. Both gave to the city's affairs a conscientious service, and their counsel was sound and trustworthy. It is to be regretted that they are retiring.

If Richmond needs further proof of the advisability of supplanting the present system with a managerial or commission form of government, developments of the last few days ought to supply the necessary evidence.

Care Need in Drafting Home Rule Bill

Citizens of Richmond, convinced that a change in the FORM of municipal government is desired, must not deceive themselves into believing that this change can be put into effect at once.

Even if the special session of the legislature would pass a law giving cities home rule, the present city officials would hold their office until their terms expired, which is next year.

Immediate remedial changes, therefore, are impossible. The present system will remain for a year. But that does not mean that a capable mayor should not succeed the present incumbent. Mayor Zimmerman should be asked to quit the office.

If the legislature should pass a bill giving cities the right of determining the form of government they want, the election determining this change would not be held until next year, and the new system could not be inaugurated until the present administration has served the term for which it was elected.

A home rule bill will demand careful study and should not be enacted until it has been thoroughly analyzed. There are as many pitfalls in a managerial form of government as in the old system. These can be obviated only by the careful forethought of the people who draft the measure.

Answers to Questions

Subscriber—When was the state board of accounts established?—Following the demand of business and professional men for a law that would give the taxpayer some guarantee that his taxes would be applied to his benefit, the legislature of 1909 enacted into a law a measure for this purpose. On Jan. 8, 1910 the first examiners were put into the field. The public accounting law of Indiana was unanimously endorsed and is considered one of the most economical accounting laws of any state in the Union.

R. B.—How did Purdue University obtain its name?—John Purdue was one of the citizens of Tippecanoe county who gave \$230,000 for the establishment of the institution. He gave \$150,000 and 100 acres of land. The faith of the state of Indiana pledged to perpetuate the name.

J. S.—When did the first constitutional convention of Indiana convene?—At Corydon, June 10, 1816.

Readers may obtain answers to questions by writing the Palladium Questions and Answers Department. Questions should be written plainly and briefly. Answers will be given briefly.

Mary Brooks of Richmond.... Oscar Hawkins and Goldie Evans called on Mr. and Mrs. Sam Danner Sunday afternoon.... Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bunch and family called on Mr. Avery and George Cook Sunday....

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Addleman had as callers Monday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. William Wessler, Mrs. Pleasant Seane and Mrs. May Townsend.... Mr. and Mrs. Flossie Hardwick called on Mrs. Effie Clark Monday afternoon....

Cleo Hardwick and family spent Sunday with Ed Jones and family, of Whitewater.... Lindsey Canaday and family visited Sunday with Ed Bock, hoffer and family at Fountain City....

Mrs. Mary Cook and Mrs. M. B. Little spent Sunday with Frank Pogus and family.... Howard Jeffries and family entertained Sunday for Mr. and Mrs. Pleasant Seane, Ross Markley and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hartman and daughter and Charles Gunn and family....

William Erk called on Muncie Eubanks Sunday afternoon.... Mr. and Mrs. John Coblenz and family, Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mikesell of New Paris....

Errett Dougherty and family spent Sunday at Arcanum, with Chester Nitzley and family.... Mr. and Mrs. Harry Reid and Mrs. Charles Reid called on Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Addleman, Monday evening....

Mrs. Muncie Eubank called on Mrs. Everett Dougherty Tuesday.... Lindsey Canaday and family called on Donald Baynes and family Sunday evening....

Miss Edith Hahn and Mrs. L. A. Hyatt spent Tuesday with Muncie Eubanks and family.... Anna Marie Clark and Ruth Little called on Mary Cook, Tuesday afternoon....

Mrs. Harley Goodwin and daughters and Mrs. Roy Goodwin of Casey, Illinois, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Gunn.... J. C. Starr and family, Clarence Jeffries and family, Mrs. Roy Goodwin, Mrs. Grace Goodwin and daughters were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Gunn....

Mr. and Mrs. William Jeffries spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Whit Roe....

WHITEWATER, Ind.—Miss Opal Fowle returned home after spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Russell Brumfield, of near Greensfork.... Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kirkman spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ben McKenney, of Connersville....

Miss Lucile Robinson and Andrew Stephenson spent the weekend in Dayton, Ohio.... Mr. and Mrs. Allen Kinchloe and family spent the weekend visiting friends and relatives....

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Frederick M. Hunter. Frederick M. Hunter was elected president of the National Educational Association at its recent convention in Salt Lake City. He is a resident of Oakland, California.

atives in Kokomo and Peru.... Mr. and Mrs. Dave Weller and son, Ben, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Weller, of Richmond.... Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cates, of Williamsburg, spent Sunday with Oren Cates and family....

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kirkman entertained Sunday Mr. and Mrs. John Coffman and family, of Richmond, and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kirkman, of Williamsburg.... Miss Emma Lamb is spending a few days with Miss Thelma Wright....

GREENSFORK, Ind.—Mr. and Mrs. Russell J. Grubbs of this place, Mr. and Mrs. Vern Harrison and two daughters Edith and Louise, of Indianapolis, and Mr. and Mrs. Carol Piner and family of Huntsville, picnicked at Funk's Lake, near Winchester, Sunday....

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Tipton and Mrs. Tom Gray attended the show at Richmond Sunday afternoon.... Mrs. Elvin Be...

son and Mrs. Rice Miller spent Wednesday with Mrs. Oliver Gaylor.... Mrs. Virgil Brock and son, returned Tuesday evening....

Mrs. Russell Grubbs and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond McMullen, made a business trip to Richmond Monday afternoon. Miss Mary Ragen of Richmond, spent Wednesday with her sister, Maggie Ragen....

Harry Paxton and two children, Harriet and Howard, returned to their home Wednesday evening, after visiting Mr. Paxton's mother....

Wade Kennedy, of Economy, took charge of the elevator this morning....

Everett Tipton attended a funeral at Centerville Tuesday.... Mr. and Mrs. Russell Grubbs and Mrs. Vern Harrison and daughters, Edith and Louise, spent Saturday night with Mrs. Mary J. Grubbs, of Huntsville....

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond McMullen spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Beech McMullen.

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How science has at last discovered a subtle secret of radiant life and splendid vitality which often quickly makes amazing change in any woman who is weak, pale, nervous, care-worn or run-down.

“DANDERINE” Stops Hair Coming Out; Doubles Its Beauty.

Since modern science has at last brought forth the amazing facts of how people become weakened and run-down, pale and haggard, care-worn and prematurely old—often simply because of the lack of those life-giving substances—the vitamins—most astonishing results are being reported everywhere. The remarkable experience of nervous, delicate, sorrow-complexioned women—worn, fretful and unattractive—would surely seem to show that practically any woman who is not afflicted with some organic disease may often quickly build up the radiant life, splendid vitality and matchless beauty of perfect health simply by getting sufficient vitamins into her system. In explaining the startling success being obtained by administering vitamins in the concentrated form known as Vitamon, when practically everything else had failed, Dr. John J. Rudolph, former Health Commissioner, late of the New York Post-Graduate Medical School and Hospital, and Columbus Hospital of New York, and a Graduate of the University of Baltimore, says:

“Don't blame your physician or the beauty specialist—don't blame your creams, lotions or cosmetics—and don't blame yourself if your body is not unguing with energy and vitality—if your nerves are all unstrung—if your face looks haggard, your cheeks hollow, your complexion sallow and lacking in the radiant beauty and attractiveness which Nature intended should be yours. Only recently has science discovered what you actually need and what your body must have to build vibrant strength, renew your energies and keep up a fullness of the buoyant health and life which are absolutely necessary to make steady nerves, rosy cheeks and a clear, lovely skin. It is nothing more or less than the lack in many every-day foods of a health-building, life-giving, beauty-creating substance known as vitamins that scientists have found to be responsible in great measure for the weakened, run-down and nervous condition of countless numbers of women. It is this lack which gives such a haggard, care-worn and prematurely old appearance and keeps thousands from looking and feeling at their best.

“Nature supplies vitamins in various raw foods, but to attempt to eat enough of these raw foods to get the full amount of vitamins which the system requires for health and strength is almost a physical impossibility. Therefore, vitamins are now prepared in a concentrated, easily assimilated tablet form called Vitamon and numerous tests by men, women and children have plainly proved its extraordinary merit. There has come to my attention the case of one woman who thought her health and beauty had gone forever. Yet, once the needed vitamins were supplied, a most astonishing change quickly took place. It is such instances as these which absolutely convince me that with the introduction of VITAMON there no longer seems any doubt that many a pale, anemic, delicate woman may quickly build herself up to renewed vim and power and marvelously enhance the beauty of her appearance.”

By means of the picture which appears above, every woman can easily check herself up on many of the points which most vitally affect her health, appearance and the happiness of her whole life. This illustration should enable you to decide for yourself exactly where you stand and in just what particular ways your own health, charm and physical attractiveness may be increased. Read in this article how you may get in VITAMON these strangely marvelous substances—the vitamins—which science declared absolutely necessary to vigorous health, physical beauty, mental vigor and even to life itself.

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Note: An agreement has been reached whereby VITAMON is supplied at a price low enough to be within the reach of all, and completely satisfactory results are guaranteed or money will be promptly refunded. VITAMON may now be obtained in this city from all leading druggists, such as Thistlewaite, Drifter & Spangul, Quigley, Foster and A. G. Luken.

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FOR RADIANT HEALTH, VITALITY AND BEAUTY

Today's Talk

By George Matthew Adams

NOTHING COLLAPSES.

In a city where I was on business recently, the entire town was startled by the death of a prominent man who, in a moment of great discouragement, had taken his own life. His only reason given for the act was that the country was about to collapse.

But nothing collapses! The greatest lesson that history or science teaches is that nothing ever really goes to pieces. Change is always going on. No single day presents the same man or woman, or tree, or house, or machine, in exactly the same state. All the time something is crumbling—but always to form something different—and better.

The walk of the world is forward and outward—into the whole. When one civilization goes down, as is written, it really falls that something greater may take its place. If a thing cannot stand on its own legs, other legs will have to come—and maybe a new and different body!

While writing this little talk, I look over the waters of a beautiful lake, rich in historic incidents. Beyond its edges are great mountains, steel grey against the sky, and tall pines reach hundreds of feet into the air, forming a wonderful lace-like fringe at the foothills.

But a few centuries ago, this spot was a flat plain—till great glaciers grooved it and formed what is here today.

Nothing collapses. Not even behind the curtain of marching armies does utter collapse come, terrible as is their devastation. For the same God who makes the yellow and white and purple flowers, and warms the floor of the earth with His carpets of green, also “keep watch above His own”—and is not going to let anything collapse.

Dinner Stories

“What brought you here, my poor man?” inquired the prison visitor. “Well, lady,” replied the prisoner, “I guess my trouble started from attending too many weddings.”

“Ah! You learned to drink there, or steal, perhaps?” “No, lady; I was always the bridegroom.”

Mrs. White looked up from the paper. “One wife too many!” she exclaimed. “I suppose that is another case of bigamy?”

“Not necessarily, my dear,” replied her husband sadly.

A teacher was reading to her class, when she came across the word “unaware.” She asked if any one knew the meaning.

One little girl timidly raised her hand and gave the following definition: “Unaware is what you put on first and take off last.”

Good Evening

By Roy K. Moulton

Innocent Party Declared Guilty—Friends Are Greatly Shocked by Exposure in Open Court.

After bearing a spotless reputation for a great many years and living as a highly respected member of the community, Old Man Buttermilk has been arraigned before Judge Hastings in the city court at Wilmington, charged with intoxication.

Dr. Herbert Watson, state chemist, the principal witness for the prosecution, gave the sensational testimony that the defendant contains 3 per cent alcohol.

Every man who carries a bottle of buttermilk on his hip is liable to prosecution under the Volstead act.

There was great excitement and considerable chagrin and embarrassment among the friends of Buttermilk. However, the exposure gave the defendant an entirely new following, and it is thought he will do a larger business than ever.

The community was greatly shocked to learn that this innocent old party carried such a kick, and the reason for the popularity of Buttermilk in the past, in certain circles, is now explained.

These may be the most prosperous times the country has ever known, but why can't we have sugar and potatoes like we had when we were hard up?

A school teacher who saw “Why Teachers Go Crazy” told of these answers he saw in a geography paper submitted by a pupil recently.

Define export. Answer: An export is a guy who had a lot of money and ain't got none now.

Name a large trunk line in the United States. Answer: The biggest trunk line in the United States is the Adams Express company.

The New York woman who divorced her millionaire husband and is now driving a taxi will at least be able to live in the manner to which she was accustomed.

We have so learned to regard all good news with suspicion that we can't bring ourselves to believe in that government report of a bumper crop of wheat this year.

Memories of Old Days In This Paper Ten Years Ago Today

N. C. Helronimus and Timothy Nicholson, committee on delinquent taxes, reported at a meeting of the Bureau of Municipal Research, that it was almost unbelievable that the majority of the citizens who rank as wealthy, or at least well to do, have no ready money, no bank deposits, no accounts due them, in short absolutely no means of present subsistence. The committee recommended disfranchising all men who owe taxes.

A plan by which the Municipal Electric Light plant may pay its bonds of indebtedness from surplus earnings of the plant was advanced by E. G. Mc-

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Mahan, city controller, and M. J. O'Brien, president of the sinking fund commission. Controller McMahon said that the plan was to guard against an administration spending all the money in the municipal light plant for repairs on the plant which might be unnecessary.

MIDDLEBORO, Ind.—Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Roll of Whitewater, called on Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Reid Sunday evening.... Orville Thomas and family spent Sunday evening with Frank Thomas and family....

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