

ALLEN HEADS TEAM IN COMING CHAMBER OF COMMERCE DRIVE

R. M. Allen, one of the captains in the coming Chamber of Commerce membership campaign, under "General" Walker Land, of the left wing, is the latest to announce the completion of his team.

Those who will work with him are Harry Coleman, Clyde Gardner, John Marshall, Fred Borton, Ora Stegall, and Otto Miller.

Team captains to work under "General" Brookbank are Leslie E. Hart, Frank Holland, Will Scoble, A. G. Mathews, Omer Whelan, Ed N. Wilson, Fred Bethard and Atwood Jenkins.

"General" Land's captains include Dr. Charles Marvel, Raymond Mather, C. D. Shiff, Rufus Allen, Verne Pentecost, Jesse Bailey, the Rev. W. J. Cronin and Guld Copeland.

The Latines had a word Miraculum which means "A wonderful thing." In early Christian times it was applied to those happenings which seemed to be effected by forces more than natural.

Unfortunately miracles have ceased or so nearly so as to make us think of a miracle as something that happened long ago.

Must Get Out and Work.

Nowadays, we have to get up and bustle if we want anything to happen. Bumper crops are made by work and brains more than anything else. It requires work to build fortunes and to build cities. It requires energy and perseverance to carry forward great enterprises. It takes brains and money and energy to build successful civic-commercial organizations. It is requiring work to enlarge and reorganize the Chamber of Commerce that Richmond has, and it will require money from everybody able to invest in it.

Cities are not pushed forward by miracles. They achieve greatness; it is not thrust upon them. The great obstacle encountered in city building is the blight of indifference. We have got to be shaken from our apathy and made to understand that if we want Richmond to be the best city in the world in which to live, we have to do something to help make it so. Mere standing off and thinking about it won't bring it about. We have got to work, work with others, help arouse the necessary community spirit by getting in the game with those who are building a Greater Chamber of Commerce for a Greater Richmond.

JONES, DRUG CLERK, IS UNDER TREATMENT

Gaylor Jones, clerk at Thistlethwaite's drug store, 914 Main street, was taken to police station last night after he had threatened several people at the store and behaved in a peculiar manner, according to the police. It was thought by the police that he had been taking some drug.

The young man's father, who is a doctor at Thistlethwaite's, was called and took Jones home. During the time he was confined at police headquarters, he was delirious and fought police officers. Jones became rational after medical care had been given him.

WARN AGAINST SALES CIGARETTES TO BOYS

Sale of cigarettes to boys under 21 years of age is to be discontinued, according to an announcement made by Prosecutor Paul Beckett Saturday morning. Cigar, drug and grocery store proprietors were warned not to sell cigarettes to minors.

Nineteen boys under 21 years of age were called to police headquarters Friday night and questioned concerning their use of cigarettes. They were all warned against further use of cigarettes by Prosecutor Beckett.

The campaign which has been launched by Prosecutor Beckett is the result of many petty violations of the law. Many of these cases have not been prosecuted because of the boys' youth. It is held by police authorities that loafing around pool rooms and smoking of cigarettes is a contributory cause of criminal tendencies.

Local Man Holds High Office in Rail Association

John H. Johnson, of this city, was elected first vice-president of the National Association of Railroad Tie Producers, which held its convention in San Francisco, Jan. 27 to 28. He returned to Richmond this week following a six weeks visit in southern California. His son, Robert, accompanied him.

Mr. Johnson held the position of treasurer of the association before his election as vice-president. He also attended the convention of American Wood Preservers, held in San Francisco.

At cities along the route followed by the special train upon which Mr. Johnson made the trip, members of the association took the travelers seeing in motor cars, where wood was handled.

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Local Elks Attend Meeting at Newcastle

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Colonial Life is Theme of Saturday Library Story

Describing colonial life, Miss Caroline Girty held the attention of 100 little spell-bound story lovers during the children's hour at the library Saturday afternoon from 2:30 to 3:30 o'clock. The hosts, children of Vale school, had arranged an exhibit to be shown after the story hour.

The collection included pictures of Washington's home and scenes, costumes and people, reminiscent of colonial days. The guests were representatives of practically every elementary school in the city.

FRAZEE, OF MILTON, CIVIL WAR VET, DIES

Martin Frazee, Civil war veteran, aged 80, died at his home here Friday evening after a short illness. Mr. Frazee was the first to enlist from this town in the Civil war. A nephew, Fred Michel, was first to enlist from the township, in the Spanish-American war, and a great nephew, Lloyd Parsons, was first to enlist from the township in the World war.

Besides the widow, Mr. Frazee is survived by a sister, Phoebe Michael, Funeral services will be held at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the home.

In his Civil war experiences, Mr. Frazee served in the battles of Shiloh, Chickamauga, Knoxville, and a number of minor engagements. He was taken prisoner at Scottsburg, Ala., and imprisoned near Meriden, Miss.

While returning to the north on a steamboat on the Mississippi river, he was a member of the party on board a steamboat which was wrecked by a boiler explosion.

He served with the Eighth Indiana volunteers, as a member of Company A, and re-enlisted as sergeant in Company C, 41st regiment, Second Indiana cavalry.

CONGRESS CONSIDERS SOLDIERS BONUS BILL

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 26.—Use of the interest on the \$10,000,000 American war loans to the allies in financing adjusted compensation for former service men is one of the plans under consideration in congress. This was disclosed today when the soldiers' bonus bill was favorably reported by the senate finance committee.

With the tax provisions eliminated, the soldiers' bonus bill was reported to the senate today by the senate finance committee. The cash bonus would be payable Jan. 1, 1923.

The question of taxes to meet the cost of the bill was left for the next congress. Aside from striking out the tax provision, the committee made little change in the house bill, retaining the five options of a cash bonus based on length of service, deferred certificates, farm and home aid, and vocational training.

Near Accident for Fire Trucks at Ninth and Main

A serious accident was narrowly avoided at Ninth and Main street at 1:30 p. m. Saturday afternoon when Fire Chief Miller bumped into an automobile on Ninth street as he turned off of Main street. The chemical truck which was following the chief slid into the chief's car, as they were answering a call to the home of Mrs. Sarah Pratt, 38 South Ninth street.

Automobiles parked along both sides of Ninth street made it impossible for the two cars to pass. Chief Miller applied his brakes in time to prevent him smashing the other car.

The fire at the home of Mrs. Pratt was in a wood shed and caused small damage, a hobby-horse and bicycle being damaged. The origin of the fire was unknown.

Cambridge City Moose

Arrange Winter Garden

Arrangements for a winter garden have been completed by the Cambridge City lodge of the Loyal Order of Moose. The show will appear the entire week of March 5 to 12 and a popularity contest is being put on in connection with the event.

Invitations have been sent to the Richmond and Connersville lodges, each of which will have a special night in its honor. A baby show is another feature of the affair.

Tickets have been placed on sale in Richmond at the local lodge headquarters.

Circuit Court

The complaint for divorce filed by Nola C. Clemens against August Clemens last Tuesday was dismissed in the Wayne circuit court Saturday morning and costs paid.

Roscoe L. Stanford, of Boston, was ordered to pay \$125 a month for the support of his wife, Maude D. Stanford, who recently filed suit for divorce and their minor children, pending the trial of the case. Suit money amounting to \$50 was also ordered paid by the defendant by Judge W. A. Bond Saturday morning.

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CREAMERY PROPERTIES IN EATON PURCHASED BY DELL COMPANY

EATON, O., Feb. 26.—Ownership of the creamery properties of W. J. Lutius in Eaton and Eldorado, and a tall business in Eaton, has passed to the Jersey Dell Creamery, according to records of the county recorder's office. The records show that the transfer carried a consideration of \$15,525.

Lutius took over the properties about a year ago, then and now known as the Eaton Pure Butter company, which was established some years ago by Marks Deem and F. E. Adams. Lutius is a resident of Butler county.

Several in Hospital.

Mrs. David King, residing near Eaton, is a patient in Bethesda hospital, Cincinnati, recovering from the effects of a surgical operation.

Mrs. Belle Huffman, wife of W. A. Huffman, is recovering from the effects of a surgical operation in Miami Valley hospital, Dayton.

Following a surgical operation in a hospital in Richmond, Ind., Mrs. B. S. Davis has been removed to her home here.

TEALE, OF EARLHAM PLACES IN CONTEST

Edwin Teale, Earlham's representative at the state oratorical contest held at Notre Dame university last night, was awarded fourth place on his oration, "The American Circle." Carlton Gauld, of Wabash, speaking on "The Iconoclast of the North," won first place. In his oration he sketched the works of Henrik Ibsen, the Norwegian dramatist.

According to announcement made by the officers of the state association last night, the 1922 contest will be held at Earlham. The association also adopted a new constitution in an attempt to secure the active co-operation of every town in the state.

The Wabash orator will represent Indiana in the interstate contest which will be held in April. The other speakers in the order of the results are: Raymond Gallagher, Notre Dame, second; Russell Richardson, Butler, third; Edwin Teale, Earlham, fourth; Howard Meyers, Franklin, fifth; and Harold Brooks, of Manchester, sixth.

Rev. Charles A. Lippencott, D. D., presided at the meeting, which was attended by 1,000 people, including prominent educators from several states. The judges of manuscript were Rollo Lyman, University of Chicago; Edwin D. Shurter, Dartmouth. Judges of delivery were: W. I. Eubank, Albion college; Lew Sarret, Northwestern University, and Ralph Nelson, University of Chicago.

ARRANGE SCHEDULES FOR TEAMS OF STATE

(By Associated Press)

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 26.—Arrangement of the schedules for the 32 sectional basketball tournaments to be held Friday and Saturday as preliminaries to the state tournament was begun here today by the board of control of the Indiana State High School Athletic association.

From 10 to 17 teams will play in each sectional tournament. Board members said they did not expect to complete their work until late today.

The list of entries this year breaks all previous records, officials say.

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Short News of City

Edwards Speaks Monday—President

David M. Edwards, of Earlham, is to address the Ministerial association Monday morning on "The Power of the Pulpit for the Present Day." The association meets in the Y. M. C. A. from 10 to 11 o'clock each Monday morning.

Presbyterian Aid Society—The Ladies' Aid society of the First Presbyterian church will hold its monthly business meeting in the church parlor at 2:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. All members are requested to be present as an election of officers will be held.

Pennington Preaches Sunday—Rev.

T. Pennington, director of the Friends Forward Movement, will preach in East Main street Friends church Sunday morning.

Jones to Speak—Sylvester Jones, associate director of the Friends Forward Movement, will speak in Salem, Sunday.

Stone Is Improving—Reports from Reid Memorial hospital Saturday were that Raymond Stone, who suffered severe burns in a gas explosion recently, shows steady improvement.

FIRST WOMAN M. E. MINISTER IN EAST

Robert McClure... Mrs. Flossie Hartwick was in Richmond, Thursday.... Mrs. Lydia Adleman, Mrs. Charley Townsend and Mr. John Hawkins called on Mr. Steve Hawkins Thursday.... Mr. Hawkins has been ill for some time.... Mr. and Mrs. F. Pogue and daughter Mildida, called on Mrs. L. F. Ulmer, Sunday.... The Ladies' Aid met in the hall Thursday, and knotted several comforts. They will meet the second Thursday in March with Mrs. Cora Little.... Mr. Will Baker, of Richmond, called on Mr. Sam Danner, Thursday.... Mrs. Cleo Hartwick called on Mrs. Oscar Hawkins, Friday morning.... Mr. Lessie Cook, Mr. Cleo Hartwick and Mr. Lyndsay Canaday went to Lessontown to buy horses.... The M. E. church of this place now have a prominent set of which they are very proud.

GREENSFORK, Ind.—Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Grubbs visited Richmond and Huntsville Wednesday.... William Hatfield died at his home here Friday morning at 6 o'clock.... Mr. and Mrs. Charley Davis visited Wednesday with Mrs. Alice Byrd.... A George Washington party was given Tuesday evening by the Loyal Daughters of the Methodist church for their friends at the home of Mary Myers. The guests were received by Mrs. R. J. Grubbs.... Martha Washington and Mrs. Ethel Wise were George Washington Patriotic decorations were used throughout the rooms. Red and white candles lighted the dining table. The centerpiece was a cherry tree surrounded by hatchets and small logs. Hatchets and flags were placed at each end of the table. Favors were small silk flags. The evening was spent in music and games. Miss Martha Kridges and Miss Freda Benbow played "Hawaiian Lullaby" on the piano and Mrs. R. J. Grubbs gave a reading. Among those who enjoyed the affair were: Misses Hester Gethers, Dorothy Gwin, Wilma Black, Kathleen Ridge, Cuba Sowers, Helen Ridge, Edith Pickett, Olive Nicholson, Mary Phillips, Lucile Steers, Freda Benbow, Thelma Stackhouse, Ruth Foland, Irma Stackhouse, Thelma Foland, Lena Underhill, Sara Gamher, Nadiene Wise, Mrs. Ethel Wise, Mrs. R. J. Grubbs and Mrs. Marion Myers.... Miss Elizabeth Underhill visited the school Thursday. Dan Kerr, of Indianapolis, is visiting with his brother, Dr. J. D. Kerr, and family.... Frank Linderman suffered a painful accident Tuesday when he slipped and fell against a post, cutting and bruising his left ear.... Rev. O. B. Beader will preach at the Methodist church Sunday evening at 7:00 o'clock.

CAMDEN, O.—Mr. and Mrs. David Kenworthy celebrated their golden wedding Wednesday. They entertained their children for dinner and a number of friends for the afternoon to whom they served refreshments. Friends remembered them with flowers and other presents.... Mr. and Mrs. P. K. Augspurger were married 50 years Wednesday, Feb. 23. They entertained their daughter for dinner and friends called.... Edward Stover was in Dayton Thursday on business.... Mr. and Mrs. Zimri Taylor of West Elkton were calling on Camden friends Thursday afternoon.... The Washington reception given by the Hustler's class of the M. E. Sunday school Tuesday evening was attended by about 80 people. A luncheon of chicken salad, rolls, butter, cherry preserves and salted peanuts, ice cream, cake and coffee were served.... The fire department was called out Thursday evening to put out a small blaze at Charles Mike's residence on South Main street.... H. J. Michael and family moved to the country Thursday.... Joel Connaroe of West Elkton called on his brother,