

FARMERS INDICATE LEGISLATIVE WISHES TO OHIO FARM BODY

(By Associated Press)

COLUMBUS, O., June 28.—What do Ohio farmers want in the way of national legislation?

The American Farm Bureau Federation recently sent out a questionnaire to find out, and answers are pouring in at the Ohio Farm Bureau Federation offices here. They show farmers of the state favor:

Commodity financing based on bonded warehouse receipts.

Livestock financing on an adequate pledge of animals and feed.

The development of a personal rural credits system, based on proper safeguards.

Authority granting the federal reserve board to so classify discounts as to give priority in loans for basic production of all kinds.

Continuing of the excess profits tax.

Prohibition of issuance of tax free securities through a constitutional amendment.

Building of farm-to-market roads, prior to the construction of transcontinental highways.

Completing the Great Lakes street Lawrence waterway development for transportation, reclamation and power at this time.

Placing the packers under regulation by the government, and vesting such regulation in the department of agriculture.

Truth-in-fabric legislation.

Legislation enabling cooperative marketing.

The farmers were more or less equally divided as to the proposal to increase the limit on federal land bank mortgage loans from \$10,000 to \$25,000, a bare majority of them being against such an increase.

Strong opposition to the enactment of a general sales tax was recorded.

Reports from the country at large, show that the opinions of Ohio farmers is the substantial reflection of those over the country.

PROPERTY OWNERS MAY CLOSE PATHS

(By Associated Press)

INDIANAPOLIS, June 28.—Trails and pathways along the waterfronts of Indiana lakes may be closed up by property owners. Attorney-General Lesh ruled today on a question submitted by the state department of conservation.

The mere fact that the land is on the bank of a lake in the state would not give the public greater rights to travel thereon than they would have over any other private property," declared the attorney-general's opinion.

The question was provoked by the action of some cottage owners at Lake Maxinkuckee, who were said by Richard Lieber of the conservation department, to have closed off pathways between their cottages and the like that had existed there since the first cottages were built. Such action, Mr. Lesh declared was legal unless the owner had parted control by dedication or by prescription or had deeded a right-of-way.

**SUMMER CAMP READY
FOR DISABLED VETS**

(By Associated Press)

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., June 28.—Disabled veterans of the World war from the states of Minnesota, North Dakota and South Dakota and Montana are eligible to spend two weeks of recreation at a summer camp at Big Island, Lake Minnetonka, which will be ready for occupation July 1.

Together with the federal board of vocational education, which is giving rehabilitation training to about 2,800 men here from the four states, the local chapter of the Elks lodge has made the summer camp possible. After initiation for the camp for the soldiers in training here who have disabilities traceable to the war, establishment of it rested upon obtaining financial aid for its maintenance. This the Elks obtained mainly by staging a boxing contest, the revenue derived therefrom being used to defray the camp expenses.

KABER'S WIFE TRIED ON MURDER CHARGE

(By Associated Press)

CLEVELAND, June 28.—Mrs. Eva Katherine Kaber, charged with having plotted the assassination of her husband, Daniel F. Kaber, wealthy Lakewood, O., publisher, was formally placed on trial in Judge Bernon's court this morning. She is under indictment for first degree which carries the death penalty in this state.

Mrs. Kaber looked neither to the right nor to the left as she entered the small crowded courtroom and appeared oblivious of the outcome of the trial. A motion by the defense to bar women from service on the jury was overruled.

**Discovery May Combat
Spread of Yellow Fever**

(By Associated Press)

VERA CRUZ, June 28.—Cultures of the germs which, according to Dr. Rieder Noguchi, causes yellow fever, have been made by Doctors Mauro, Leyo, Solorzano, and Marlin of this city, who have been treating yellow fever patients in the sanitary camp near this city. The cultures were made from blood taken from the veins of a patient after the sixth day of the malady. The doctors have notified Dr. Noguchi of their discovery, which may be of great importance in combating yellow fever.

Several cases of the disease recently developed at the sanitary camp, the patients being soldiers from the Cozumelpan district, south of this city. Three of the patients died soon after they arrived, and the others were sent into the mountains, where the climate is cooler. Rigid precautions are being taken to prevent a spread of the disease.

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Distributors Organize to Fight 'Movie Trust'

(By Associated Press)

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., June 28.—Definite plans for combining 15 leading independent motion picture distributors of the country into one cooperative organization to fight the so-called "movie trust" and to raise two million dollars to carry on an advertising campaign on a national basis were adopted at a meeting of the executive committee of the Motion Picture Theatre Owners' Association of America here last night.

**MOTOR NUMBERS MUST
BE KEPT IN SIGHT**

Persons operating or having in their custody an automobile or motorcycle on which the engine number has been defaced or altered in any way, becomes liable to a fine of \$25 to \$50, providing they fail to comply with the newly passed certificate of title act, within thirty days, according to Section 11 of that act, a copy of which has been received in Richmond.

The law also provides that any person who cannot furnish proper evidence of ownership of such a vehicle shall have such vehicle confiscated and after which it will be sold after a thirty day notice has been given. The proceeds of such sales will revert to the secretary of state's auto theft fund.

Such a vehicle must have new numbers before it can be operated again in this state.

RUSHVILLE BLAZE DAMAGE \$75,000

RUSHVILLE, Ind., June 28.—Damages estimated at \$75,000 was done early today when the Carr building, in the business district of Rushville and owned by Owen L. Carr, was destroyed by fire. The north part of the building was occupied by Carr's garage and the south half by the Mullins-Taylor automobile agency. Insurance carried by Carr and Mullins Taylor amounted to \$28,000.

The fire was discovered in the Fred Wilson paint shop, over the agency, shortly after midnight, and it had gained such headway that it was impossible to save the building. The origin of the fire has not been determined. Seventeen automobiles and three tractors belonging to the agency and nine tractors belonging to Mr. Carr were burned, in addition to several thousand dollars worth of automobile accessories. All but one of the machines were second-hand.

Friday night, July 1, to Friday, July 8, are the dates set for the colored community service campaign for \$3,000. Final instructions to ward workers will be issued at a meeting to be held in the colored Masonic hall, South Sixth street, Wednesday night at 7:30 o'clock.

Fifty ward workers will begin the week's canvas Friday. Daily reports will be made each evening by the workers, at the temporary headquarters, colored Masonic hall.

Robert E. Heun, Joseph Mills and Sam Fred have offered to give a community service banner to the ward whose workers bring in the largest financial returns, proportionately to other wards.

Mr. Mills spoke at a meeting of the organization Monday night. He urged the workers to go forward with their plans to establish a real community center for the local colored people. Miss Blanche Wright, community service organizer, said Tuesday that she believed the appeal to be made will be responded to heartily.

**Liberty Hearing Continued
By Service Commission**

Date of the hearing on the petition of the Liberty Light and power plant for permission to use electric power interchangeably from Dayton has not been set. The hearing was scheduled originally for today but was continued by the public service commission. Will Reiter, city attorney, Mayor Zimmerman, and J. P. Dillon, superintendent of the local plant, have been appointed to represent the city at the hearing.

Short News of City

Joint Class Meeting—A joint business and social meeting of the Loyal Scouts class and the Fidels class of the First Christian church, will be held at the church Wednesday night. All members of both classes are urged to attend.

Files For Councilman—Louis Salazar, Democrat, has filed intentions of entering the primaries for the office of councilman from the fifth ward. Filing of his intentions is in accordance with the law compelling all candidates to re-file following the special election. Candidates have until July 23 to re-file their intentions.

Serves Lunches—Announcement has been made that the Y cafeteria is now open and will serve lunches for a period. The lunches are being served on the first floor, where the old spa was located. The lunches will be served here until the cafeteria on the second floor is given a thorough cleaning. Mr. Smith stated.

Colored Community Sings—Colored community service sings and group activities are to be held Wednesday night at the Whitewater school. Thursday night at the Garfield school. Friday night at Green-annex; and Friday night at Greenwood, south of the city.

NATIVE HOOSIER DIES

DANVILLE, Ill., June 28.—Judge Clinton Abernathy, first judge of the Probate court ever organized in this county, died Monday after a long illness. Judge Abernathy was born in Lawrenceburg, Ind., Oct. 10, 1849, the son of Lemuel Abernathy, and came to Danville in 1876. The widow who formerly was Miss Cora M. Hiskey of Lawrenceburg, and three sons survived.

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SECURE CHICAGO DEAN TO CONDUCT CLASSES FOR YOUNG FRIENDS

Miss Margaret Taylor, dean of religious education in the training school of the Congregational church, Chicago, will have charge of the religious educational classes of the Young Friends conference, to be held at Earlham from July 22 to August 1, inclusive.

Announcement of this addition to the program already arranged for the conference was made Tuesday by Clarence E. Pickett, general secretary of the Young Friends board, who has just returned from attending a Y. M. C. A. conference at Lake Geneva. Mr. Pickett said that while one more speaker was needed to complete the evenings' programs during the conference, the present arrangement is as follows:

Friday night, July 22—B. Willis Beede, educational secretary of the American Friends board of Foreign Missions, will speak.

Saturday night, July 23—A general social evening will be spent by all Young Friends.

Sunday night, July 24—Mass meeting of all Young Friends.

Monday night, July 25—The conference will meet in groups. Each yearly meeting will gather together its young people for discussion of subjects pertaining to yearly meetings.

Tuesday night, July 26—W. O. Mendenhall, president of Friends university, will speak, subject not yet announced.

Wednesday night, July 27—Presentation of the pageant, "Disarmament." Practically the entire cast will be composed of local people, according to Mr. Pickett.

Thursday night, July 28—Address by W. O. Mendenhall.

Friday night, July 29—Speaker yet to be obtained.

Saturday night, July 30—Wilbur K. Thomas, secretary of the American Friends Service committee, will deliver an address.

No arrangements have been announced for other night meetings.

AUSTRALIAN JUDGE ABHORS OUR SPELLING

(By Associated Press)

SYDNEY, N. S. W., June 28.—Sir Adrian Knox, chief justice of the high court of Australia, does not approve of the modern American method of spelling words.

Last month an affidavit was presented in the high court, containing an extract from a letter written in America, in which the English word "programme" was Americanized to "program."

His honor said he would like Americans to know that Australia was not a dependency of the United States. The spelling of English words should be done in the proper way. The high court, he said, was quite content to adhere to the good old style of English spelling. Having pointed to the spelling of "centre" as "center" his Honor hoped that this method of orthography was not taught in the schools. "This is an Americanism I abhor," he added.

Referring to the incident, Mr. W. F. Gates, inspector of schools in Victoria declared that the chief justice had placed himself in antagonism to the philological societies of Great Britain and America and to Murray, the recognized modern lexicographer. The Victorian educational department had adopted a small number of simplifications of spelling such as "program," "center," and "plow." It had also adopted the ending "ize" instead of "ise." The diphthong "ae" had been dropped, too.

"But," declared Mr. Gates, "for every simplification there is the highest English authority and it is therefore not correct for Sir Adrian to refer to "program" and "center" as American spelling just because these words are so spelt in United States publications."

Circuit Court

License to marry was issued Tuesday to Robert Randal and Sarah Ann Kimball, both of Cambridge City.

Charging failure to provide reasonable support, and cruel and inhuman treatment, Sylvain Rockhill filed suit for divorce from Ernest M. Rockhill, in Wayne circuit court Tuesday. She also asks custody of a minor child. The couple was married on May 17, 1919, but parted March 17, 1921.

After 30 years of married life, Eliza Jane Van Etten filed suit for divorce from Edward C. Van Etten in Wayne circuit court Tuesday, charging the defendant with statutory offense.

Her complaint asks that custody of a minor child, 14 years old, be granted her. The plaintiff states that all property rights and provision for the support of the child have been arranged between her and the defendant.

Suit to recover payments now past due and which will mature on Aug. 4, 1921, was filed in Wayne circuit court Monday afternoon by Christian M. Kirkpatrick vs. the town of Dublin. Claim is made by the plaintiff that he entered into contract for the improvement of the Dublin Main street by constructing concrete curbs and gutters on each side, but that although the city is able to pay it has failed to pay certificates past due. The plaintiff asks that the defendant be ordered and compelled by mandate to pay.

Jury to try the damage suit of Garret Gray, administratrix, of Rolland Gray, deceased, vs. James C. Davis, director general of railroads under the Federal transportation act of 1920, was chosen in Wayne circuit court Tuesday morning. Their names follow:

Benton Wagner, Howard Whiteley, William Hyde, Charles Ackerman, Howard Gaylor, Joseph Cates, Robert Davis, Alfred Birch, Robert Wilson, Daniel Hess, Howard Ridge and Harry Wessel.

The case was postponed Tuesday morning until Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Everett Lemon Will Entertain Church Society

The Women's Foreign Missionary society of the First Presbyterian church has postponed its meeting from Wednesday until Friday, July 1, when it will be entertained at a porch party at the home of Mrs. Everett Lemon on the National Road East, with Mrs. Ida Lemon acting as hostess, assisted by Mrs. Nichols and Miss Davis. An interesting program has been prepared for the occasion. It will include "Echoes From the Winona School of Missions" by Miss Donna Parke. All women of the church are cordially invited to attend the porch party. The car leaves Eighth and Main streets at 2:07 o'clock.

SOCIALISTS DEBATE POLICIES OF PARTY IN TUESDAY SESSION

(By Associated Press)

DETROIT, Mich., June 28.—The summer project of the Disabled American Veterans of the World War is to inspire in its members a determination to come back and to take their places in the nation as self-supporting and independent citizens. Judge Robert S. Marx, of Cincinnati, national president, told the veterans at the opening session today of the first annual convention.

"It is a glorious thing to know that our undertaking is succeeding," Judge Marx said. "From every hand we hear records of men who have surmounted their physical handicap and taken their places in industry. Wounded and disabled men of America today are winning a greater victory over the Kaiser than did the army of Pershing, for they are conquering the disability inflicted by the Hun."

DEPLORES TARDINESS.

Deploring the tardiness of the government in providing for disabled men, Judge Marx continued:

"We believe the time has come when we are justified in speaking in uncertain terms. The war has been over nearly three years and there still is an urgent need for more than 10,000 beds for sick and disabled ex-service men. Notwithstanding all of the agitation, no adequate provision has been made to take care of tuberculosis, mental and nervous cases."

"When wounded were lying on the field of battle there was no real man who would not gladly have risked his life to carry them to a first aid station, yet tuberculosis and mental cases are lying virtually where they were left on the field of battle, and neither the men, the means, nor the hospitals are available to rescue them."

MUST AID COMRADES.

"It is our purpose to help our suffering comrades to a first aid station and to make certain that such stations are promptly provided."

The organization, Judge Marx said, also would call upon cities that promised aid to wounded soldiers and have failed them, to redeem their pledges.

Judge Marx declared the organization represented more than half a million wounded or disabled service men in the United States.

ORGANIZE TO COMBAT CLASS LEGISLATION

CINCINNATI, June 28.—In response to invitations sent out from the headquarters of the Grain Dealers' association of Toledo, representatives from important grain exchanges in the country and from many leading wholesale associations met Monday at Hotel Sinton, Cincinnati.

The meeting was called to combat the activities of the U. S. Grain Growers, Inc., which proposes to eliminate all middlemen in the handling of grain and calling for pooling of wheat by farmers, the pool to be in control of the Grain Growers for a term of years.

Among the interests represented at the meeting, aside from the grain exchanges, were:

Country Grain Dealers' association, Wholesale Coal Dealers' association, Wholesale Lumbermen's association, Wholesale Implement Vehicle association, Wholesale Grocers' association, National Hay