

OHIO CORN CUTTING SEASON IS OPENED; FROST DANGER PAST

More than 80 per cent of the corn crop of the State is estimated to be past danger from frost and about 40 per cent of the crop is cut according to reports received by C. J. West, State-Federal Agricultural Statistician. It is estimated that 70 per cent of silo filling is completed.

From 5 to 15 cents per shock is being paid by farmers for cutting corn with a State average of a little less than 2½ cents. In several sections of the State wages are being paid by the hour instead of by the shock.

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ODD FELLOWS GATHER FOR GRAND LODGE

(By Associated Press)

TORONTO, Sept. 17.—Odd Fellows from all parts of the North American continent began to arrive today for the sovereign grand lodge of the order which convenes Sunday afternoon. It was expected that fully 20,000 would arrive on twenty special trains before night.

In anticipation that the hotels would be unable to accommodate the vast throng, 3,000 cots had been placed in the exhibition buildings where the cantons of the Patriarch militant will be sheltered.

Receptions have been planned for the visitors by both provincial and city officials. The big event of the season will be the parade Wednesday in which 30,000 are expected to march to music of 60 bands.

POLICE FIND PLANE STOLEN FROM HANGAR

(By Associated Press)

CHICAGO, Sept. 17.—An airplane which was part of the Evanston police department equipment, was stolen from its hangar early this morning by Frank Strand who gave his address as Sioux City, Ia. He was arrested several hours later after he had wrecked the airplane in a neighboring field.

The plane was found badly damaged on the Evanston golf course this morning. Charles Heinz, a farmer living nearby, reported that he had helped disentangle the aviator from the wreckage and took him to a doctor's office. Police traced the man who admitted he had taken the plane.

STATE SHOWS HOW TAXES ARE SPENT

(By Associated Press)

INDIANAPOLIS, Sept. 17.—What becomes of your taxes is answered in a state tax board compilation made public today which says that \$10.91 out of each \$100 paid in taxes goes to the state for its expenses and the remaining \$89.09 goes for local expenses.

The compilation was made by W. C. Nusbaum, an investigator of the tax board, on tax payments and expenditures for 1922.

On the basis of purposes, each \$100 is spent as follows, according to the compilation: Schools, \$41; roads, \$19.50; state benevolent institutions, \$3.09; soldiers' memorial, \$33; county, \$12.63; cities and towns, \$19.81; townships, \$3.64.

This tabulation, it was explained, is the average for the state and may vary somewhat in various taxing units.

KILBANE DEMANDS NEW JUDGES PICKED

(By Associated Press)

RINGSIDE, DUNN FIELD, Cleveland, O., Sept. 17.—John Kilbane, featherweight champion of the world, met Danny Frush, of Baltimore, in a scheduled 10-round bout here today after the Cleveland boxing commission appointed two local men as judges.

Kilbane refused to enter the ring with Sammy Hall and Richard Guy, newspaper men, of Chicago and Pittsburgh, respectively, appointed yesterday by the commission, officiating.

Frank Davis, a member of the local commission, and Tommy Terrell, were chosen. A hot sun was shining.

Frankie Rice, of Baltimore, scored a knockout over Willie Ames, Akron lightweight, in the fourth round of a scheduled 10-round curtain raiser.

COWBOYS SHOOT UP ARBUCKLE PICTURE

(By Associated Press)

HERMOPOLIS, Wyo., Sept. 17.—A mob of about 150 men and boys, many of them cowboys, entered the Maverick theatre here last night where a Fatty Arbuckle film was being shown and shot up the screen and seized the film, taking it into the street and burning part of it.

F. Z. Buzzetti, manager of the theatre, said today representatives of the Purity League had visited him and asked him not to run the picture earlier in the day.

Reid Memorial Booklet Announces Sunday Services

The first of the weekly service bulletins to be issued by the Reid Memorial church were printed this week. Each week the Sunday morning and evening services are announced completely. Following is the program for Sunday:

Morning worship, 10:30; organ prelude; doxology, No. 268; invocation; psalter, No. 351; responsive reading; selection, 87; anthem, double quartet; scripture; prayer; offertory anthem, double quartet; sermon, "My Creed"; prayer; psalter, No. 126; benediction.

Evening worship, 7:30; organ prelude; psalter, No. 164; psalter, No. 108; scripture; tenor and baritone duet, Paul Steen and Hugh Foss; prayer; offertory; anthem, male quartet and Miss Crubaugh; sermon, "Results of Sin"; prayer; psalter, No. 114; benediction.

The leader of the Y. P. C. U. is Julian D. Smith. The subject to be discussed is "Sins of the Tongue."

CHARGES OF ARSON MEAN PRISON TERM FOR MOST SUSPECTS

(By Associated Press)

INDIANAPOLIS, Sept. 17.—Nine out of every ten persons tried for arson in Indiana during the last four years have been convicted, records in the office of Newman T. Miller, state fire marshal, show. This high record of convictions places Indiana foremost among all the states for arson conviction. Likewise with the 90 per cent convictions has come a reduction in the number of incendiary fires.

In the last four years sixty-eight persons were convicted of arson out of seventy-four persons brought to trial for this offense which carries a penitentiary penalty.

During the same period the number of incendiary fires in the state has dropped from 116 fires a year to 75 fires in 1920. In the same proportion the value of property destroyed in incendiary fires has decreased from \$219,640 in 1916 to \$124,599 last year, even with the increased valuation in effect in 1920.

Fewer Convicted in '15

By way of comparison, in 1915 the number of incendiary fires was 188, while the property value destroyed in these fires was \$257,184, and in that same year less than 50 per cent of persons tried for arson were convicted. Vigilance in the state fire marshal's department during the last four years has in a large measure been the factor in clipping the fire bug's wings. Fire Marshall Miller declares that the same vigilance exercised by his predecessors will continue until arson in the state is practically stamped out.

Short News of City

Smithmeyer is Named Officer

Rudolph Smithmeyer was named quartermaster sergeant at the regular meeting of the Veterans of Foreign Wars held Friday evening.

Automotive Men Meet

Members of the Wayne County Automotive Trade Association will meet in the E. W. Steinhardt company's building at 7:30 o'clock Monday evening. New business will be taken up. It is desired that every member be present.

Club to Meet

The Progressive Literary club will meet with Mrs. A. E. Schuh on South Twenty-first street Tuesday afternoon.

Answers Navy Call

Harvey W. Apt, 200 William street, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Apt, has been recalled into active navy service. It was announced Saturday. Mr. Apt, who is a reservist, is to be on a cruise for several months.

Local Company Sued

An action against the Lorain Car company was brought by the Haskell Manufacturing company of Chicago to collect on an account for \$486.18. The complaint was filed in the Wayne circuit court Saturday afternoon.

Barton Divorce Asked

Complaint for divorce was filed by Margaret Barton vs. Jesse W. Barton, 817 North G street, in Wayne circuit court Saturday. Cruel and inhuman treatment, and infidelity is charged in the action. Custody of a minor child is asked by the plaintiff.

Postpone Treasure Hunt

The treasure hunt, to be held by the Y. M. C. A., Saturday afternoon under the supervision of Perry Wilson, boys' secretary, was postponed until next Saturday, according to officials at the Y.

Two Licenses Granted

Marriage licenses were granted Saturday to P. Money and Rebecca Spencer, both of Dublin; and Plesie Newman and Madge Davis of Hagerstown.

Sue Wexel Company

Paul and Teresa Clark and Denry McCracken are plaintiffs in a suit for \$2,000 damages filed against the Wexel company Saturday.

Appoints Special Judge

Because he was related to one of the parties to the suit, Judge Bond appointed Raymond Springer special judge in the case of Cora Jefferis versus Clarence Jefferis, suit for divorce, alimony and change of name, Saturday.

Dickinson Trust Wins

The Dickinson Trust company was allowed \$1,534 on a claim against the Sharkey estate Saturday.

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LAFAYETTE GIRL MISSING

LAFAYETTE, Ind., Sept. 17.—Mrs. Christine Schelle, 19 years old, residing one-half mile south of town, disappeared after bidding her little sister good-bye at the fair ground entrance yesterday and has not been seen or heard of since. She had spent the day with her mother, Mrs. Robert Casad, little sister and brother. The local police have been asked to help in the search.

BODY OF FARMER FOUND: KILLED ON HUNTING TRIP

HUNTINGTON, Ind., Sept. 17.—The body of Joseph Sheets, 50 years old, a farmer living southeast of this city, was found Friday near a bridge over the Wabash river. A gunshot wound was found under the chin. It was said Sheets had gone hunting. Search had been made for him since early Thursday.

CARNEGIE CORPORATION GIVES \$50,000 TO MIAMI

(By Associated Press)

OXFORD, Sept. 17.—Miami University has been notified that the Carnegie Corporation has granted the institution \$50,000 for enlargement of its library.

FRIDAY IS FINAL DAY FOR EXPENSE CLAIMS OF CITY CANDIDATES

Candidates for office at the recent primary election must file an itemized statement of all expenses incurred during their campaign for office. The last day for the filing of these statements is next Friday, Sept. 23.

Details of all money contributed, expended or promised must be given. Candidates also must make known all promises made, or unfulfilled promises or expenditures.

Ten candidates have filed their statements with City Clerk William Stevens. The clerk has given notice to all others that the law must be complied with.

Names Are Given

Those who have filed thus far are: William Stevens, candidate for clerk; doxology, No. 268; invocation; psalter, No. 351; responsive reading; selection, 87; anthem, double quartet; scripture; prayer; offertory anthem, double quartet; sermon, "My Creed"; prayer; psalter, No. 126; benediction.

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MINING ENGINEER DIES

(By Associated Press)

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo., Sept. 17.—Alton L. Dickerman, well known mining engineer, died at his home here yesterday. He was 71 years old.

He represented John D. Rockefeller in the development of the iron mines in Minnesota, and also was the pioneer in the copper fields of Michigan.

He is survived by a daughter and son, Alton L. Dickerman of New York City. Burial will be in Boston.

Knicker Suits for Women Are Gaining Favor

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stewart of Indianapolis... Jesse Hardwick and family were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Collins of Bloomington, Sunday... Mr. and Mrs. Frank Urtis of Terre Haute... Mrs. Olive Pierce and son Reed returned from Indianapolis Tuesday... Mr. and Mrs. Addison Chenoweth had as guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Goodson, Mr. and Mrs. Enos Veal and Mrs. George Lewis.

DUNLAPSVILLE

Ind.—Charley Redd of near Quakertown, spent Tuesday with his sister at Brownsville...

Mr. and Mrs. John Schlechtburg and daughter Bertha left here Thursday to spend the rest of the week in Cincinnati sightseeing and visiting friends in the city... Mr. and Mrs. Jack Booth were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Nickels and son Quinton of near Alquina, Tuesday... Mr. and Mrs. Leige Hunter of Connerville visited John Schlechtburg and family at Springdale farm a part of the week...

Mr. Dell Gruen and daughter Elizabeth of Fairfield visited Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Talbott at Rose Corner here Tuesday... Mr. and Mrs. George W. Crist are boarding the school teachers here this year... Miss Estel Shepler of Southview farm spent Monday evening with Mrs. T. B. Leech and daughter, Malinda, here... Miss Uncle Morgan and Miss Marguerite Jenkins are pupils of the High School here this term... Mr. Geo. W. Weers was in Connerville buying goods for his store here, Wednesday.

MIDDLEBORO

Ind.—Mrs. Amy Payne of Indianapolis was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Hartley Thursday...

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Addiemann entertained a few friends Sunday. They

are planning to spend the winter and perhaps a year in Florida. Guests

will be Rev. L. F. Ulmer and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Cole and family of Greenfield, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Bass and son of Mortristown, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Webster and family, Mr. and Mrs. Alva Jenkins of Rushville... Mrs. Ada Thurnau and Mrs. Laura Gebhart will entertain Mrs. Hartley at their home near Moorefield.

HAGERSTOWN

Ind.—John Clark and sister, Mary of Richmond, moved to this place, Friday... Miss Julia Doughty who underwent an operation at the Miller hospital was brought home Thursday and is doing well... Rev. and Mrs. A. K. Love of Hobbs, spent a few days this week with Mrs. Love's mother, Mrs. Julia Coffman... Rev. B. A. Hartley will begin his organized Bible class work Tuesday night at the Christian church. The study will be outline work of the Old Testament. Rev. Hartley will deliver the lectures... Mr. and Mrs. James Knapp spent Monday afternoon at Richmond...

Mr. and Mrs. Voyl Kendall and son, Junior of Kokomo, who had been guests of Mrs. Kendall's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Clark O'Rourke at Dayton, stopped here enroute to Moorefield and were guests at dinner Monday evening of Mrs. Kendall's parents Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Martindale on Wednesday evening...

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