

## COUNCIL APPROVES SEWER ON RANDOLPH; BUCK HIRING OF PERK

Approval of the expenditure of \$17,000 for a sewer on Randolph street, passed without a dissenting voice, and a 25 minute squabble over the expenditure of \$300 to pay the expenses of having an expert accountant examine the books of the Richmond Home Telephone company, were points of outstanding interest in the city council meeting Monday evening.

The sewer discussed was the Randolph street project which would furnish an outlet to the property recently purchased by Edwin C. Wright of Greenville. The board of works had power to order this work started, but they felt that the council should have some voice in the matter. For this reason, City Engineer Dell Davis gave a careful explanation of the situation showing just why it was necessary.

A resolution stating that it was the sense of the council that this sewer be constructed was passed unanimously.

### Move Board Take Action.

Dr. J. M. Bulla, county health officer, and city engineer Davis then brought up the matter of constructing an additional and larger sewer in the southwest part of the city, to care for an outlet which had been overflowing and allowing excess sewage to escape during wet weather. On motion of Councilman Albert Ford, the council moved that the board take action to construct this improvement, the estimated cost of which was \$22,000.

The third matter brought up before the council was the request of the Richmond Home Telephone company for a change in its franchise, to allow a raise in rates. It came up in the form of an ordinance introduced by City Attorney Reller, requesting the appropriation of \$300 to pay expenses of an expert accountant.

Attorney Reller explained the necessity for the measure. He told the council that in cases of this sort in the past, where a public utility had asked for a raise in rates, it had been customary for the city to examine carefully into the books of that company to determine whether such raise was necessary.

### Urge Perk Employed

He said that Benjamin Perk, who had done considerable work of this sort for the city before, would be brought from Indianapolis to inspect the records and determine the justice of the telephone company's claims.

Councilman Waidele took the floor. Councilman Waidele said he was unable to see why Richmond could not furnish as good an accountant as any out of town concern. The measure finally was passed only after Councilmen Waltermann and Williams, the principal objectors, had been assured that a local man would be offered the job.

### Proposed Boost Granted.

Councilman Thatcher proposed that the increase in rates be given without further investigation.

"I handle the affairs of the city and don't want to take any chances. I know Benjamin Perk is all right," declared Matt Von Pein during the argument. Attorney Reller in a few words, defined the position of the council and its duty in the affairs of the city.

"It is up to the council to say what money shall be appropriated and it is for the board of works to say what men shall be employed," he said. "Mr. Waltermann, if you block this matter

tonight, you merely postpone action for two weeks. We are trying to safeguard the citizens and give them the information they should have."

### Urge Aid for Employe

Waltermann brought up the matter of taking care of a city employee who had been injured about a year ago. The man had spent \$250 in an effort to regain his health, he said, and he felt the city should take care of this man in some way.

The subject was referred to the city attorney.

The report of the city light plant for the month of October was presented. Receipts were \$102,801.16; disbursements \$45,254.33, and balance on hand, \$57,546.83.

A communication from an Ann Arbor, Mich., bus concern setting forth the advantages of the bus line as compared with street car service, was read at the opening of the meeting. Councilmen Waltermann, Williams and Waidele were appointed to investigate the merits of the bus lines.

In naming the committee, Mayor Zimmerman said that street car lines were sometimes not as careful in their treatment of the public as they might be if there were some prospect of being replaced. He advised the committee to look into the matter thoroughly with a view to determine just what might be the objections or the advantages of such a system.

### HOOSIER SOCIETY GREETES WOODFILL AT CAPITAL

WASHINGTON, Nov. 22.—Sergt. Samuel Woodfill, described by Gen. Pershing as the most outstanding individual American soldier of the world war, was a special guest of the Indiana Society of Washington last night. The sergeant is a native of Jefferson county, Indiana, and he is a proud Hoosier, too. He was happy to meet 100 Hoosier exiles, as he spoke of those who greeted him. The sergeant and his wife departed late last night for Fort Thomas, Ky., where he is stationed.

## NEW BERLIN ENVOY ARRIVES IN U. S.; FIRST SINCE WAR



Baron Edmund von Thermann, photographed on arrival at New York.

Baron Edmund von Thermann, the first diplomat to represent Germany in the United States since the war, has just arrived in Washington. He has come to prepare the way for an ambassador who will follow within a few months. On the latter's arrival von Thermann will become counselor of the embassy.

**WOMAN, 98 YEARS OLD, DIES**  
GOSHEN, Ind., Nov. 22.—Nancy Kime, 98 years old, died Monday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Albert Whitehead, near New Paris. Surviving are three daughters and two sons.

## Farm Bureau Membership Drive to Start in Henry

NEW CASTLE, Ind., Nov. 22.—The annual membership campaign of the farm bureau of Henry county will be started at the next regular monthly meeting, which will be an all day affair held in the courthouse at New Castle next Saturday.

The meeting will open at 10 o'clock and will be occupied during the forenoon with business reports. Earl Crawford will address the assembly at 1:30 and will help in planning the membership campaign.

## THE FORUM

One inspiring thought often suggests another.

It was my privilege recently to listen to the sermon of a great preacher. His text was: "Heaven and earth shall pass away but my words shall never pass away," words spoken by our Lord nearly 2,000 years ago with reference to the perpetuation of His church and the great principles for which it stands.

While the speaker's words had more reference to the progress and advancement of his own congregation for the past half century or more, the writer reflected upon the world's history for the past 75 years and looked with prophetic eye into the future covering a period of the same number of years.

Seventy-five years ago some of the world's most aggravated problems seemed impossible of solution. Europe, while boasting of her many great men, seemed utterly unable to solve her mighty problems. But 75 years have wrought a great change in the world's affairs.

Slavery has passed away forever. The inevitable world's war with its sacrifice of thousands on the battle fields, has been fought, and now the

leading men of the nations of the world are in conference with the view of ultimately establishing universal peace.

A few nights ago the writer saw the great colored tragedian, Charles Gilpin, at the Victory theatre, Dayton. This man entertained some of Dayton's most refined and cultured; but because he was a colored man, but as a genius—a man who had become distinguished in the portrayal of his line.

As the writer was being entertained by Gilpin's matchless acting, Dunbar, the poet, came to mind, to whom a Dayton journalist some time ago paid a great tribute. "Dunbar," the journalist said, "had brought to Dayton much of its prominence."

The journalist was so fair and just that the writer was particularly impressed.

This same journalist was no less fair and honest in paying tribute to Gilpin.

It all shows that when one does something worth while, no matter what his creed or nationality, full credit is given him.

The editor of the Ohio State Journal recently stated editorially: "If I were a colored man, and sometimes I wish I were, I would strive to distinguish myself along a certain definite line, so that I would win universal favor."

The writer realizes the possibilities of the colored race are unlimited and the future is full of what now seem impossibilities.

Seventy-five years hence we shall be nearer the realization of the fatherhood of God and brotherhood of man, and then there shall be neither Jew

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nor Greek, bond or free, noble or ignoble, but all recognizing one great human family, and the full realization of the declaration made nearly 2,000 years ago: "Heaven and earth shall pass away but My words shall never pass away."

—G. W. B. Conrad.

### LAUNCH MISSISSIPPI BOATS

GALLIPOLIS, O., Nov. 22.—The steel steamers Memphis and Baton Rouge, for Mississippi river commission, were successfully launched at Point Pleasant, W. Va., yesterday. The two boats cost approximately \$1,000,000.

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ORANGES—doz.	<b>35c</b>	POPCORN—2 lbs.	<b>15c</b>
ENGLISH WALNUTS—per lb.	<b>40c</b>	OYSTERS—quart	<b>65c</b>
BLACK WALNUTS—per lb.	<b>10c</b>	GRAPE FRUIT—4 for	<b>25c</b>
ALMONDS—per lb.	<b>33c</b>	OLIVES—doz.	<b>10c</b>

TURKEYS—Dressed, lb.	<b>58c</b>	On foot, lb.	<b>40c</b>
DUCKS—Dressed, lb.	<b>40c</b>	On foot, lb.	<b>27c</b>
GEES—Dressed, lb.	<b>40c</b>	On foot, lb.	<b>27c</b>
CHICKENS—Dressed, lb.	<b>35c</b>	On foot, lb.	<b>25c</b>
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