

FIRE LOSS \$11,077 IN GREENVILLE 1921; 51 CALLS MADE

GREENVILLE, Ohio, Jan. 2.—Damage estimated at \$11,077 caused in Greenville by fires during the year 1921, according to the report of Fire Chief James Boyer, to St. Director Otto Burns.

The fire department received 51 calls during the year; the largest number since the department was organized, the report said. The value of buildings on fire was \$700. The cost of minute men was \$100. The cost of minute men was \$100.

Birth, Death Stats.
During 1921 there were births in Greenville, Neave and Bureau townships. Of this number 62 were males and 118 females, were 137 deaths, 64 of which females and 73 males.

Gets Liquor Fine
Howard Fourman, arrested by prohibition officers at his home in township for the illegal manufacture of liquor and violating prohibition laws, was fined \$800 costs, Saturday.

Owing to the fact that man is a married man and has minor children, the judge suspended \$200 of the fine and gave him a year in which to pay the remainder.

Probate Court
J. C. Reck, guardian of E. Reck, filed fifth account. Andrew Pyles, administrator of the estate of Edgar Hoots, deceased, filed petition to sell note bonds at private sale. Order granted.

Order of public sale of estate issued to Charles M. Dunn Lando Putterbaugh, executor of will of Albertus L. Dunn, deceased. Application filed to nullify Catherine Mills, deceased, probate and record, January 9, at 1:30 p. m.

LENINE COMMAND COMMUNISTS HIDE IN HARK

(By Associated Press)
RIGA, Latvia, Jan. 2.—A telling how Nikolai Lenin, Russian bolshevik premier, hid in a swamp near Petrograd, July, 1917, and from that hideout directed Communist activities in the Russian capital while premier Kerensky, aided by Koss, searched for him, has just officially told. Lenin finally to Finland as a freeman of active and lived secretly for a time in the house of the chief of police, a bolshevik sympathizer, then he returned to Petrograd and proclaimed himself dictator of Russia.

The story is told in the Pravda by A. Schotmann, Communist, who was delegated to the committee of the Soviet to find Lenin a safer hiding place in the haystack.

Schotmann writes that Lenin in his haystack hides each day carrying provisions, papers, Lenin, he says, occupies himself in writing documents and revolutionary propaganda and up resolutions to be adopted by the Communist party congress and frequent meetings in Petrograd.

Lenine Is Chased
The police chase was begun and it was decided to move to Finland. The future premier off his beard and mustache and a wig to hide his bald head. An arranged with a friend, and to give him passage as a friend locomotive.

After a long march the swamps they reached the road Lenin rolled up his sleeve and fired into the firebox as other members of the party as passengers on the same train last Russian station on this border the quick-witted attached the locomotive and hid the station to take in the passengers' passports were. Just before the train's departure, the locomotive and in 15 minutes Lenin was safe on Finnish soil.

By the end of September was back in Petrograd, directing the operations of the revolution in November year.

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At the left is a little white satin frock for the diminutive miss. It

is made with a scalloped skirt and a tiny yoke. Black eyed susans embroidered on the skirt and yoke form the only trimming. A tunic

of black velvet over a skirt of white satin makes the attractive frock at the right. A black waxed fringe and a border in red Greek key design trim the blouse. In the center is a pretty frock for the girl who goes to a dancing class on Saturday afternoons. It is made of pussy willow crepe in a jade shade. Bands made of the silk cut in points is the sole trimming.

Famous Speeches Uttered By Orators of Redskins

Whether actually made, or placed in their mouths by others, the most noted of the speeches of Indians, as preserved in literature are said to have been delivered on Ohio soil, says J. H. Galbraith, in the Columbus Dispatch. It was in his cabin on Darby Creek, near Plain City that Chief Teacupetaneago, too ill himself to go hunting, gave this optimistic parting address to his captive, young Smith, who was starting on the chase:

"Brother, be assured that you will be supplied with food and that just in the right time. But you must continue diligent in the use of means. Go to sleep. Rise early in the morning and go a hunting; be strong and exert yourself like a man and the Great Spirit will drive it your way."

It was when Cornstalk had returned from the battle of Point Pleasant to Picaway Plains that he said in addressing his fellow-chiefs urging the making of peace: "What will you do now? The big knife is upon us and we shall all be killed. I'll go and make peace."

DAIRY STOCKHOLDERS HEAR REPORT GIVEN

Stockholders of the Wayne Dairy Products company heard a report on the activities of the plant on South Sixth street Saturday night.

Officials reported on the production of buttermilk and other by-products and on the volume of business transacted.

Mrs. Bernice C. Shidelsky is making a tour of the United States for the purpose of studying the divorce problem.

RANDOLPH TO DISCUSS COUNTY ASSESSMENTS

WINCHESTER, Ind., Jan. 2.—A tax meeting has been called for Saturday, Jan. 7, for Randolph county to discuss taxation assessments and appraisements of land for the coming year. The county assessor will be present to discuss the appraisement with the township and county officers of the farm bureau. John J. Brown, farmer and chairman of the state tax commission, will be present also, it is understood. The meeting will be held at 1 o'clock in the county agent's office.

A county meeting of farm bureau directors will be held in the same office in the morning at 10 o'clock.

Script of Stevenson, Not Always Distinct

LONDON.—Robert Louis Stevenson's handwriting was fairly legible when he felt well, although when he was not well his scrawl was distinctly weird. In his article on the genesis of "The Master of Ballantrae," he speaks of having been haunted by a story "conceived in Highland rain, in the blend of the smell of heather and bog plants, and with a mind full of the Athol's correspondence and the memories of the duncalide Justice."

Ingenuous surmises have been made as the meaning of the last words. Sir Graham Balfour now explains, according to the Westminster Gazette, that after many heads had been called into consultation that it should read "Chevalier de Johnstone." The interpretation may be correct, for in one of Stevenson's papers occurs the combination "Ocean." The late Sir James Murray, of the Oxford Dictionary, asked Stevenson what it meant. Stevenson replied that it was a misprint for "ocean."

YUCATAN DEVASTATED THROUGH RADICALISM, SAYS BUSINESS MAN

(By Associated Press)

MEXICO CITY, Jan. 2.—A region devastated by radicalism which, by drastic oppression, is accomplishing its own ruin, is the description of the state of Yucatan given to the Associated Press recently by an influential business man of that state. He requested that his name be withheld because he feared the Socialist authorities in control of the state.

Reviewing the five years of Socialist absolute control in Yucatan, he pictured a state living from hand to mouth, its finances a wreck, its teachers unpaid for six months and radicalism so dominant that none but a member of the Socialist party even dares to contest in the elections.

Manuel Berzua, a youth of 25 years, for whom the state constitution was amended to permit him to hold office, has just completed a term as governor and on Jan. 1 will be succeeded by Felipe Carrillo, a "red" and for several years a member of the federal congress.

"Business men of the state," the informant stated, "see but one hope and that is that the Socialists will carry their program of exploitation and excessive taxation to such an extent that the mass of the people eventually will turn and oust them. At present Yucatan, once one of the richest provinces of the republic, is destitute."

The federal government, according to the informant, has adopted a policy of hands off.

There is no evidence, he said, that the conversion of Yucatan to Socialism is the work of outside radicals. Radicalism there has not yet reached the stage of pure Communism, although the leaders admit they aim to make Yucatan a model Soviet state. Neither is there any evidence that Yucatan has been made headquarters for "red" propaganda in Mexico, South and Central America.

"But they don't need any help," declared the informant. "The Mexican radicals have taken the state body and soul and for years have been tinkering with it. They have succeeded in making Yucatan a poverty-stricken, disturbed, despairing region, shorn of its former riches and an eyesore of the republic."

Entertain Young People of Chester M. E. Church

CHESTER, Ind., Jan. 2.—The young men and women of the Chester Methodist church were entertained by Miss Marjorie Pickett and Nelson Hunt at the home of the latter Friday night. An oyster supper was served and games enjoyed.

Those present were Misses Marjorie Pickett, Adelaide Kemp, Marjorie and Mildred Meek, Wilma Burker, Jessie and Pauline Tice and Blanche Carman; Messrs. C. D. Morrow, Loren Burker, Alfred Kemp, Nelson Hunt, Rollo Thomas, Paul Hawthorn, Walter and Thelma Mikesell, George and William Berry; Mr. and Mrs. Don Berry, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Hinshaw, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Schaffer, Mr. and Mrs. Will Smelser, and Mr. and Mrs. Everett Hunt.

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TO CONSTRUCT RIFLE RANGE

(By Associated Press)
FRANKFORT, Jan. 2.—Construction of the new rifle range to be used by Indiana National Guard troops will be started about the second week in January. Major Bruce Montgomery has announced.

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