

PROTECT 5,000 RAIL CROSSINGS IN STATE BY WARNING SIGNS

(By Associated Press)
INDIANAPOLIS, July 19.—Approximately five thousand of the seven thousand railroad crossings of the state now have warning signs placed within one hundred yards of the tracks on either side of the approach, according to L. C. Loughry, secretary of the Indiana Public Service Commission.

A law putting the erection of warning signs at crossings under the supervision of the public service commission became effective on June 1, 1921. Mr. Loughry said that while he had no definite information, he understood the work of posting each crossing was progressing satisfactorily throughout the state, and that the work was about three-fourths completed.

Under the law, the seven thousand crossings in Indiana must be properly marked by Dec. 1, 1922. The cost of the signs is prorated among the ninety-two counties of the state, each paying for the number of signs they use, it was said. The actual installation is done by the railways, which also pay for the transportation.

The 14,000 signs were made at the state prison at Michigan City at a cost, it was said, of about \$9 each.

Suburban

WEST MANCHESTER, Ohio.—Miss Devona Howell entertained a party of girls on Wednesday evening from 2 until 4 o'clock. Games and music were enjoyed and refreshments consisting of ice cream, cake and lemonade were served to the following: Reva and Esther Coning, Bertie Walden, Blanche Arnold, Eva Thomas, Ruth Furry, Wealtha Miller, Anna Gauch, Gertrude Shewmon, Fern Housman, Martha Somers and Devona Howell.

The Community Day Vacation Bible school opened Monday morning with an enrollment of 260 pupils, 36 seniors, 93 primary, 95 junior and 36 intermediate. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Couser of Brookville, Mr. and Mrs. George Phillips of Warsaw, Indiana and Mrs. J. C. Bright of Pittsburg were all present to take up their respective duties as teachers and everything started off in fine shape.

Rev. Huey, Dr. Boone and Rev. Potry have done their utmost to make the school a success. Miss Lois Ware, Mrs. Verto McGriff and Miss Helen Siler were appointed as assistant teachers. Mrs. Huey and Mrs. C. C. Beck were appointed to watch the Pennsylvania railroad crossing to safeguard the children in their journeys to and from school.

The hours from 8:30 to 11:30 m. each day, with recess periods of 20 minutes each. Mrs. Maggie Will was present at the christening of her little granddaughter, Dorothy Arline Will on Sunday afternoon at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Will.

Rev. O. F. Bilger had charge of service. Rev. H. S. Huey secured the services of Mrs. F. E. Bullock, field secretary of Sunday school board to fill his appointment Sunday at Crown Point that he might be present Monday morning at the opening of the Bible school. The Sunday school attendance is increasing with corresponding interest in the classes. The attendance Sunday morning was 107, a number having come over to Troy lessened the attendance for that day.

Byford Horn and family of Dayton were week-end visitors of relatives and friends at this place. Mrs. Libbie Horn and son Harold have returned to Dayton after a week's visit here with relatives. Mr. and Mrs. John Gauch, and family, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Trump and sons, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Turner and family attended Sunday school and church Sunday at the Troy Christian church. The party enjoyed a picnic dinner at the park and visited the conservancy dances both at Taylorsville and at Englewood.

Mrs. H. J. Earley is entertaining Mrs. Alma Lentz of Elgin, Ill., and Mrs. Inez Smith of Dayton. Dr. and Mrs. Carl Boone and Mr. and Mrs. Verto McGriff spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. George Fronlevine. Mrs. H. J. Myers entertained her sister Mrs. W. S. Richardson of Greenville, Saturday.

Mrs. Cora Leas is rooming Mr. and Mrs. George Phillips during their stay here as teachers of vacation Bible school and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Couser are at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ferris Longacker south of town.

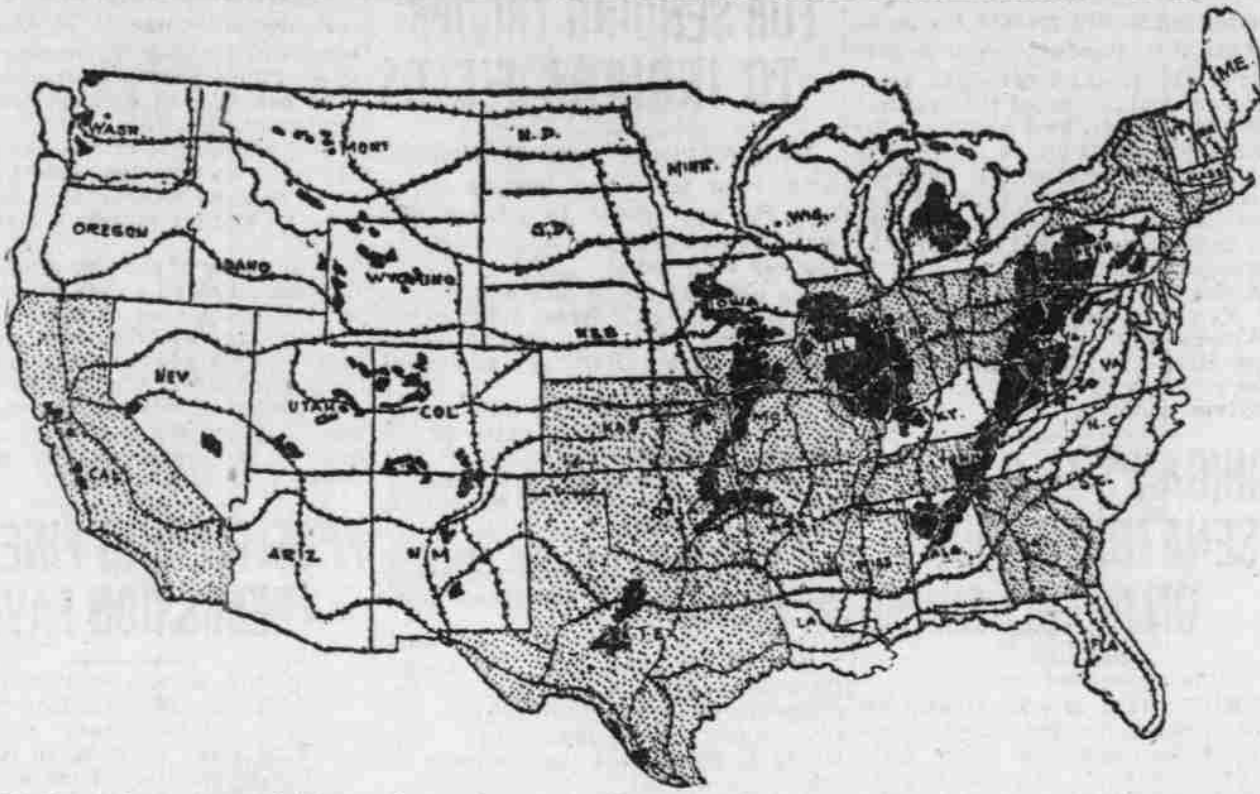
Miss Alta Mae Brunner entertained Misses Mildred and Eva Laird, Lillian Miller and Reva Coning Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Arless Furry, Ruth and Hugh Edward visited Glen Miller park Sunday and called on Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Hunter in the evening at Eaton.

Misses Irene Leas, Leone Pitman, and Paul Bilger and Walter Bruss enjoyed a Sunday picnic near Richmond. Catherine Miller visited last week with relatives at Germantown and College Corner.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Emerick, Mrs. David Reese, Mr. and Mrs. Irene Reese, Mrs. Daisy Crisler, Miss Delphine Emerick of Dayton, and Mrs. Robert Paul held a picnic Tuesday at Glen Miller park.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morris entertained Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Hoff of Verona and Burley Rantsau and family to dinner Sunday. Miss Goldie Shaeffer of Dayton and Miss Naomi Steele and Freda Christman were

WHERE MINE AND RAIL STRIKERS ARE AFFECTING U. S.



Black portions of map indicate where miners are idle. Lines indicate main railroads affected by strikes of shopmen and stationary engineers. Shaded states are those in which disorders and interference with railroad operation have been reported.

AMUSEMENTS

MURRETTE

Elaine Hammerstein comes to the Murrette theatre for a three days presentation of her newest film-play, "Evidence." Niles Welch, who has supported her in the more recent Selznick plays in which she has appeared, is again Miss Hammerstein's leading man, with Constance Bennett, who was with her in "Reckless Youth," once more heading the feminine contingent in support.

"Evidence" presents vistas of fanciful condition on the stage and in society. An actress marries into a family of snobs and gets just the treatment she anticipated. Facing these unhappy conditions the actress is making good headway until an actor, bent upon revenge for a jilting, steps into the scene and attempts to compromise the girl. Enter now a soldier of the snobbish family to overpower her with his inexorable demands for a divorce.

"If I must be divorced," says the actress, "I'll at least choose my own correspondent"—and she chooses the overbearing snob who would not listen to her explanation. Because of the clever manner in which she presented her "Evidence" there is no likelihood of a divorce—because there was originally not the slightest grounds for action.

In turning the tables on her tormentors the actress proves that she is a better "actress" than she has been given credit for being—proves that a woman with wit and self-respect can battle against odds and still win an easy victory. The "trick finish" that "Evidence" carries as a prelude to happiness for hero and heroine is one of the cleverest "dodges" the scenario writers have yet devised.

MURRAY

Who knows exactly how to manage women? asks "Handle With Care" just as sincerely as though this Associated Exhibitors feature, in which Grace Darmond is starred, expected the question to be answered. Certainly Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cable. Mrs. Robert Paul of Indianapolis is spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Emerick. Miss Flora Bowman of New Madison is making a two weeks' visit with friends at this place. Mrs. Elsa Kinsey and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cox and daughters, Phyllis and Christine of Eaton visited Thursday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Barnes. Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Barnes were dinner guests of Dr. and Mrs. W. G. Brown and family, Wednesday at Lewisburg. Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Radaugh and granddaughter, Kathleen Deik spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ott Radaugh near Lewisburg. Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Ford and Mrs. Levi Shumaker were Richmond visitors Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Davidson entertained a number of Indiana relatives Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Trone and family and Mrs. Elizabeth Leas of Dayton spent Thursday with Will Trone and Mrs. Mary Trone and their families. Miss Sylvia Trone of Dayton was a guest, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Brown and daughter, Betty Lou, spent Sunday with her parents at Farmersville. Dewey Carter and family, Steve Long fellow of Ft. Jefferson, Grover Balless and family of Bradford visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Waldren. Mr. and Mrs. Levi Shumaker visited Sunday with relatives at Camden.

Bertie Waldren spent Sunday with Beulah Waldren. Isaac Lock took dinner Sunday with John Waldren, Sr. and family. Mrs. Margaret Houseman of Lewisburg spent Sunday with her son Ott and family. Henry Howard and family, Jack Gray and Mrs. Frank Brown attended the Gray family reunion Sunday at the Greenville fair grounds. Mrs. May Hagen and children, Ruth and Ralph returned to their home at Arlington,

where visitors Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Cary Pitman.

ELDERADO, Ohio.—Mrs. Orlan Denlinger of near Castine, visited with relatives over the week end and attended Chautauqua. Miss Sarah E. Baltzell returned home Sunday evening, after several weeks' visit with relatives at Chicago. Carl Emerick and family of Richmond spent Saturday and Sunday with C. E. Emerick and family. Mrs. Dessie Cahill of Lewisburg visited with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schlichter Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith of Spartansburg were Saturday and Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Ricker, Mr. and Mrs. George Ricker, near Castine, and William and Audrey McGriff of Lima were afternoon callers.

Mrs. Melvina Shewmon returned home Saturday, after a 10 days' visit with her daughter, Mrs. Lou Reed at Eaton. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Burroughs are the parents of a daughter.

Mrs. Jane Crebb is visiting relatives at Richmond for several weeks. John Guenther and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Stump. Mrs. Kate Wolf of Parle Depot, spent Sunday afternoon with F. M. Deem and family. S. A. Minnick of Dayton, visited over the week end with relatives and attended the Chautauqua. Mrs. Earl Snodgrass and daughter Catherine, and Mrs. Ora Shaeffer of Marion are spending several weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Hamilton. Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Guenther entertained Sunday, Clarence Minnick and family, Mrs. Sarah Minnick, Fiecia Dill, and Miss Ruth Petry. Mr. and Mrs. Gilmore McFadden were guests of Nancy Clark at Brinley Station Sunday afternoon.

Will King and family and Z. W. King of Richmond spent Sunday with Harve Emerick and family. George Crane and family entertained Sunday Harley Lee and family of Dayton, and Mr. and Mrs. Orlan Denlinger of Castine. The Chautauqua

closed Sunday evening, after a three days' session. The program were good all the way through. Miss Harriet Deem is visiting relatives in Richmond this week.

NEW PARIS, Ohio.—Miss Edna Geeting, of West Alexandria, was the week-end guest of Miss Lois Baumgardner. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Baker and son have recently moved into the Sawyer property on Lincoln street, which they purchased a few weeks ago. Mrs. Anna Burch and Calvin Burch entertained at dinner Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Burch, of Richmond, and H. W. Burch, of Dayton. Callers in the afternoon were Frank Thomas and daughter Reba, of Richmond, and A. F. Leftwich, of Indianapolis. Mr. and Mrs. Grover McKee and family, of Lafayette, Ind., called on friends and relatives at New Paris, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. George Lehman and daughters, Laura and Marjorie, have returned after spending a week with relatives at Springfield. Miss Margaret Burke, of Campbelltown, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Clem Burke and daughter, Mary. Miss Burke graduated from Ohio State university in June. Robert McKee, of Grand Rapids, Mich., came Thursday for an extended visit with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Reid. Mrs. O. D. Viets and son, Wayne, returned Wednesday from a visit of two weeks in Dayton and Hamilton. They were accompanied by Mrs. Viets' mother, Mrs. Mary Pyle, her daughters, Mrs. Charles Wade and daughter Betty, Mrs. Elson Jones and daughter Jane, and her granddaughter, Mary Elizabeth Arnold. Mrs. Wade and Mrs. Jones were joined by their husbands Sunday, and returned Sunday evening. Mrs. Pyle and Miss Arnold stayed for a longer visit. Frank Boyer, of near Dayton, spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Royer. Mrs. Flaherty and daughter, of Richmond, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas D. Courtemanche during the latter part of last week. Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Clerke and C. M. Wilcox returned to Cincinnati Sunday morning, after spending a few days at their New

Paris home. A. F. Leftwich, of Indianapolis, is spending his vacation with his aunt Miss Carrie Whitaker, and other relatives. The Comrade class of the Presbyterian Sunday school will give an ice cream supper on the church lawn Saturday evening. The public is invited to attend. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Norris entertained at dinner Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Ethel Reid, Mr. and Mrs. John McWhiney and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Smelker and family and Miss Hester Billman, of Indianapolis. Grant Colby, of Independence, Mo., called on friends while on a business trip through New Paris Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Nancy Purdum, Sherman Fox and Mr. and Mrs. Philander Marshall, were guests of Mrs. Eva Douglas, at College Corner, Sunday. Misses Lou and Linnie Middaugh, of Dayton, were guests of Misses Ella and Emma Thompson, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Edward Daugherty and son, Clayton, and Mrs. Alice Dowler attended a reunion of the Dawler family at Greenville, Sunday. Mrs. Harry Royer spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Royer and son. Charles McKee, of Kansas City, called on friends here Thursday evening.

Mr. McKee, formerly lived in New Paris. Miss Lou Reva Penland is the guest of relatives at Dayton. M. H. Pence, Barney Stemple and Samuel Swisher went to Chicago Saturday evening to attend a roque tournament. William Marshall made a business trip to Columbus Thursday evening. Miss Hester Billman, of Indianapolis, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Smelker and family.

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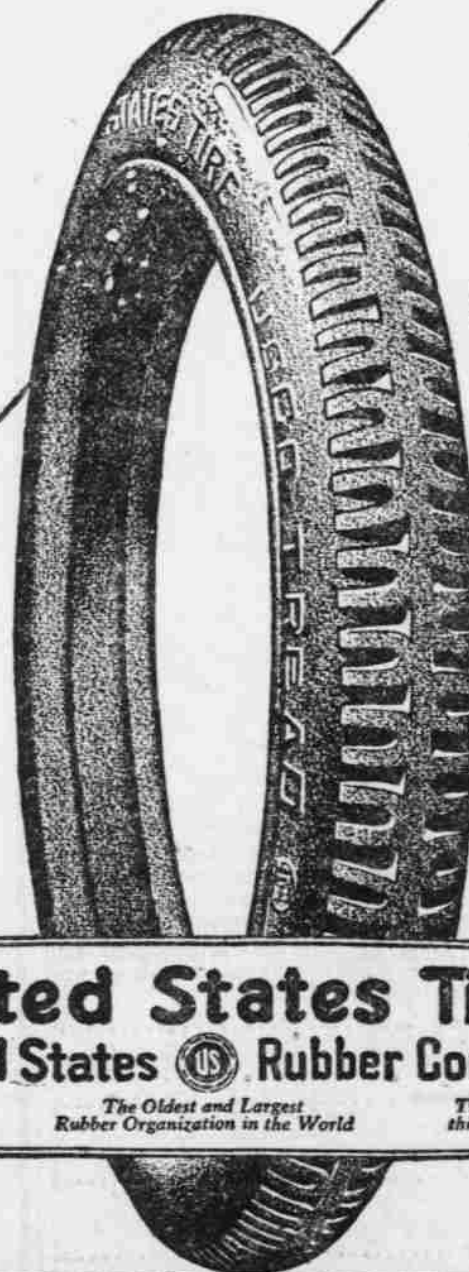
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