

## INDICT VAN BUREN TOWNSHIP CITIZEN ON MURDER CHARGE

GREENVILLE, Ohio, Aug. 2.—Henry Lentz, self-confessed slayer of Mrs. A. M. Soleman in Van Buren township, has been indicted by the grand jury on a charge of murder in the first degree. The penalty in event of conviction is electrocution. Lentz, according to his confession, shot Mrs. Soleman and made an attempt to kill Mr. Soleman as the couple lay asleep at their home. The young man had been taken in by the Solemans, who, it was stated, were about to adopt him at the time the murder was committed.

### Arrests Two Suspects.

Two men suspected of being implicated in the holdup, robbery and beating of Henry Beisner, of Ansonia, Saturday afternoon, near the Hannibal Tillman farm, north of Jayville, are locked up in the city prison, and the police are now looking for two others of the gang. Their arrests are expected in a short time.

The two suspects under arrest are Frank Coombs and William Kindell.

### Probate Court.

Mary F. Horn was appointed administrator of the estate of David H. Horn, deceased. Bond, \$5,000.

David Kunkie was committed to the Dayton state hospital.

W. H. Minton, guardian of Ida Ogden, filed additional bond in the sum of \$2,700.

W. H. Ford, guardian of Thomas P. Ford, filed inventory.

Alonzo Marshall, guardian of Merle M. Marshall, filed second and final account.

### McChord Suffering From Effect of Lightning

EATON, Ohio, Aug. 2.—Amos McChord, of West Manchester, has not fully recovered from the effects of a severe shock he received from a bolt of lightning that killed his neighbor, William Trone, Monday, near New Paris, while they were hurrying across a field to shelter from an approaching storm that drove them from a patch where they were picking blackberries.

The fatal bolt that tore the clothing from Trone's body and seared his flesh, knocked McChord to the ground and stunned him for a time. The men were some distance from each other when the bolt struck Trone. McChord is still very nervous and grief stricken over the death of his neighbor.

Mrs. McChord had been picking berries, along with her husband and Trone, but she started for shelter in advance of the men and she escaped injury from the bolt. Mrs. Trone and three of her children had remained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hoover, where the McChords and Trones had gone to spend the day and gather berries.

### Will Bury Mrs. Thomas, Fountain City, Thursday

(Special to The Palladium)

FOUNTAIN CITY, Ind., Aug. 2.—Funeral services for Mrs. Edna Thomas, 46 years old, who died Tuesday night at her home here, after an illness of several weeks, will be held Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home. Burial will be in Willow Grove cemetery.

Mrs. Thomas is survived by her husband, O. C. Thomas, local grocer, and three sons, Robert, Reed and Arnold.

### DENOUNCES CRITICISM OF RISING GENERATION

(From the New York Tribune)

Mrs. Frederick Hosmer, speaking to the Congress of Mothers, asked for a cessation of the continued criticism of the younger generation. "Our young people are constantly under public condemnation," she said. "Lecturers and writers and newspapers are busy with the foibles and failing of the younger generation. Why cannot they see that this criticism is very bad psychology for the young people? We will never accomplish anything with them if we abuse them continually."

The development of young people cannot help but be interfered with to an absurd extent by the practice of keeping their doings in the public eye. Yet the flapper and flipper of today probably differ little in fundamentals from the youngsters of the past generation. They merely keep step with changing fashions. The parent generation does not condemn itself because it is not like its own predecessor; nor do the children, more attuned to change, constantly throw up the virtues of grandfather to father. They laugh at their parents, but give them a chance so long as they don't interfere. It is the parents who are aggressive.

So bestow a few kind words on the rising generation. Don't be forever hammering them. It does no good—only irritates them and makes them worse. The elders should have philosophy enough to submit to the unescapable. There is as much family government now as ever before, the only innovation being that possibly it has changed hands.

The big Poughkeepsie bridge is 7,100 feet long.

### PAIR OF QUEENS? YES! EVEN IF ONE HAPPENS TO BE ONLY MERE PRINCESS



Queen Marie of Roumania and her daughter, Princess Beatrice.

The Roumanian royal family hasn't a monopoly on all the "beauty" in Europe, but it certainly got its share when feminine loveliness was passed out. Queen Marie and her daughter, Princess Beatrice, will not suffer by comparison with stage and screen beauties. Queen Marie of Serbia, another daughter, also is recognized as a beauty.

## AMUSEMENTS

### MURRETTE

"Nobody" is the tantalizing title of the Roland West-First National attraction in which Jewel Carmen will appear at the Murrette theatre for an engagement of three days, beginning Thursday.

Paradoxical as it may seem, "Nobody" does the shooting which is the climax of the story, but "Nobody" is unaware of it. The story is laid in the realms of high society, but it contains an element of mystery so deep that it defies solution. Not until the final scene can anyone in the audience be certain as to how it will end.

Miss Carmen's portrayal of the role of a victim of aphasia—loss of memory—will never be forgotten by those who witness it. It is one of the most difficult parts in the historic scene, but the star enacts the role in such a graphic manner that it approaches a masterpiece.

The producer, Roland West, also wrote and directed the feature and assisted Charles H. Smith in preparing the scenario.

The large supporting cast is one of stellar calibre, including such well-known players as George Fawcett, Kenneth Harlan, Grace Studiford, Riley Hatch, William De Grasse, William Davidson, Florence Billings, J. Herbert Frank, Lionel Page, Henry Charles Wellesley and Ida Darling.

Much of the action is laid in Palm Beach, and shows how the "upper set" amuses itself—or tries to.

### ROME ONCE SAVED BY MAID SERVANT

(From the Detroit Press)

Philotis was a servant-maid of Rome, and saved her country from destruction. After the siege of Rome by the Gauls, about 381 B. C., the Fidemates marched with an army against the capital, demanding all the wives and daughters in the city as the only condition of peace. Philotis advised the senators to send all the female slaves, disguised in matrons' clothes. She offered to march at their head into the camp of the enemy.

The advice was followed, and when the Fidemates, having feasted late, had fallen asleep, intoxicated, Philotis lit a torch as a signal for her countrymen to attack the enemy. The Fidemates were defeated and the senators rewarded the fidelity of the slaves, allowed them to appear in the dress of the Roman matrons.

The stately upbrising of Eileen Percy, the Fox star, taught her the good rule of life. Today she insists on eight hours' sleep in twenty-four. Her friends tell her "queers the parties" when she goes home at 11 o'clock, but, on the other hand, her director tells her she is the least temperamental star he ever met. That is more than sufficient recompense for the lack of the social gaiety.

With her stage record successful in

### Like Your Job or Get Out, Advice to Business Girls

If you don't like your job, learn to like it, or get out. Miss Alta Jewell of the Friends Central offices, told the members of the Virginia Asher Business Woman's council at its meeting in Glen Miller park Tuesday evening.

The next meeting of the council will be held on Tuesday evening on Honeysuckle hill in the park.

### Posters Give Registration Dates as Sept. 9, Oct. 9

Posters notifying voters of Wayne county of the two dates for registration, Sept. 9 and Oct. 9, have been received by County Auditor Howard Brooks and will be posted in various precincts of the county within a few days.

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## ANNUAL CHRISTIAN GATHERING SUNDAY

The annual gathering of the Christian churches of the county is to be held Sunday, Aug. 6, at Beechwood park, when Roy L. Brown, former Richmond man, will deliver the principal address.

The program for the gathering includes a union Sunday school at 10 a. m., standard time, followed by communion service and basket dinner.

In the afternoon there will be a musical program, which is under the direction of Mrs. Nellie McVay, to be followed by the address of the Rev. Brown.

Rev. Brown has just resigned from his pastorate at Bellefontaine, Ohio.

Richmond members of the Christian church are expected to gather at the church, rain or shine, at 10 o'clock daylight saving time. Transportation to the picnic grounds is to be furnished.

### SENTENCE ITALIAN WHO KILLED KABER

(By Associated Press)

CAMPORBASSO, Italy, Aug. 2—Venturing Di Scenzo, convicted of the murder of Daniel Kaber, the Cleveland publisher, was condemned at hard labor. Di Scenzo was arrested at Ferrazzano, a village near here last December. His trial was attended by Gaetano Romano who was sent here as a representative of the Cleveland district attorney.

### AUSTRALIA REPORTS PHENOMENON OF AIR

(From the Manchester Guardian) From Australia comes the report of a remarkable air phenomenon, which has been confirmed by investigation and simply explained by meteorologists. The facts and their explanation are briefly as follows:

Airplane pilots while flying over the New South Wales coast, facing the vastness of the South Pacific, have reported the amazing experience that, when the time came for them to descend nearer the earth, preparatory to alighting, they found that instead of sliding down, their machines showed an obstinate and extraordinary tendency to keep on rising upward. One airman, in fact, piloting a medium-powered "taxiplane" type of machine, put the bow of his craft earthward in order to make a graceful glide down, and when he looked at his altimeter a moment later to see how far he had descended he saw with amazement that the dial registered him as actually going up in the air back.

He dipped the bow of his machine still steeper, only to find that he was still going up instead of down. It was not, indeed, till he switched his engine on and flew hard for the ground that he overcame the mysterious force at work and began to reduce his altitude.

And now for the explanation of this astonishing affair. Along the coast of New South Wales there is a long mountain chain. Great upper wind trends, rushing in from thousands of miles seaward, impinge upon these mountains and, being deflected, sent vast eddies upward almost to unknown heights. And it is in these huge invisible and abnormal currents, blowing not horizontally but almost vertically upwards that air pilots have been caught, to their own intense bewilderment.

Washington township farmers are billed to hold a meeting at Milton on Friday evening. Wouldn't wonder if they want to talk about the picnic, or something.

It is reported from Jeffersonville that the Clark county wheat crop was but 50 per cent of normal, but that they are counting on the largest corn crop in years. The dry sections of the county has just had a good wetting down.

### Farmers to Discuss Mixing of Fertilizer

Introduction of home fertilizer mixing plants will be discussed at a meeting of the Farm bureau at the courthouse Wednesday evening. Personal experiences of home mixing will be discussed by a member of the Farm bureau from northern Indiana.

### Newcastle Pastorate Accepted By Rev. Napier

Rev. R. A. Napier of Anderson, supervisor of evangelistic and church extension work of Indiana Yearly Meeting of Friends for number of years, has accepted the pastorate of the Friends church at Newcastle, succeeding Rev. Daisy D. Barr. He will assume the Newcastle pastorate Sept. 1.

### A Poultry Demonstration

W. A. Carnes, of the poultry department at Purdue, recently gave a demonstration of the various phases of poultry culture before the poultry club of Washington county at the experimental farm at Salem. Members were shown through the model farm building and methods of housing equipment and feeding for poultry equipment were explained. This was followed by a demonstration in poultry culling, which was given at the farm home.

### Has New County Agent

A letter from Delphi states that A. L. Hodson, county agent of Carroll county for the past two years, has been elected county agent of Delaware county and was expected to take up his residence in Muncie early this week. Mr. Hodson is a graduate of Wisconsin university, and previous to

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## The Farm and the Farmer

By William R. Sanborn

his work in Carroll was county agent of Randolph county for three years.

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sale at Wheaton, Illinois. She was con-

sidered by the Jean Duluth Farms, Du-

W. St. Amant, East Falmouth, Massa-

chusetts, for \$8,000. The sale was

largely attended, and sixty-one ani-

mals brought an average of \$866. Ten

animals sold for \$1,000 or more each.

### Alfalfa and Drain Tile

A correspondent writes to ask: "If alfalfa is seeded on tiled ground, will the roots enter and clog up the tile?"

Alfalfa is popularly supposed to clog up drain tile. As a matter of fact,

this trouble seems to be very rare.

Alfalfa is successfully grown on thou-

sands of acres of drained land in the

river bottoms of Kansas without any

difficulty whatever arising from the

roots entering the tile.

### American Pork in England

So far in 1922, the United States seems to be getting her fair share of the British pork business. She has furnished over 95 per cent of the British lard imports, over 90 per cent of the British ham imports, and over 45 per cent of the British imports of bacon. In spite of the fact that we sell our bacon in England for nearly one-third less than the Irish and Danes sell their bacon, we seem to be unable to dominate the bacon trade in the same way as we do the ham and lard trade. Our lard sells for practically the same as the best Irish Danish and Dutch lard.

It is interesting to note that so far

in 1922, Great Britain is importing

a relatively higher percentage of hog

products from the United States than

was the case a year ago.

### Milk Marketing in Ohio

Formation of two