

RENT PROBERS BEGIN ACTION

Exhaustive Investigation Underway — Postoffice to Sell Food.

CLUB COMPLAINTS, ADVISE.
Through intelligent cooperation, a community just south of South Bend Friday secured quick and decisive results in the war against the high cost of living. They "clubbed" their complaints and presented them by petition to Charles A. Carlisle, head of the St. Joseph county committee investigating profiteering. Their complaint was lodged against a retailer selling sugar at 15 cents a pound. Mr. Carlisle has asked the press to advise the public that the very best and quickest way of securing results where complaints are to be lodged is to form such "get-together" clubs as in the case mentioned above. Hundreds of individual complaints have come into Mr. Carlisle's office, many of them without fair foundation, but when a combination of five to 15 consumers send in a complaint it is something radically wrong and immediate attention is given to the case.

That the rent price sub-committee of the organization seeking profiteers in St. Joseph county is hot on the trail of a South Bend property owner who is alleged to be holding up his tenants was made known Friday night when the rent investigators met to plan an exhaustive probe of rent profiteering in St. Joseph county.

It is believed that the rent question, one of the most important problems of the high cost of living today, will furnish some sensational developments, especially in South Bend. One resident of the city in conference with Mr. Carlisle, head of the St. Joseph county investigators, Friday evening pointed out that as a matter of fact there is more dissatisfaction over the rent prices than any other matter in the cost of living.

Promote Drastic Action.
Drastic action is promised by the former food administrator and where profiteering is discovered vigorous prosecution by the federal authorities will follow, he says.

"Pressure against exorbitant rents will do much to eliminate this form of profiteering," Col. Carlisle said when he revealed the fact that a committee is at work on this phase of the high cost of living problem. "If force must be used, however, we are prepared to use it."

It has been called to the attention of the fair price committee, the organization of which Col. Carlisle is chairman, that rents have recently gone up 20 to 50 percent, in spite of the fact that no such raises in taxes or price of upkeep could possibly justify such increase.

Although it is against the policy of Col. Carlisle to name the members of the various committees working under him, for obvious reasons, he says, he announced Friday morning that in addition to the rent investigators, sub-committees are at work pricing prices charged for coal, ice and other necessities.

Begin Food Sale Monday.
The high cost of living in South Bend will be hit from another angle Monday morning, at which time orders from the public for food from the war department's supply will be accepted at the local post office.

It was announced by officials Friday. All orders must be made out in duplicate, and may be given to the postmaster or any carrier.

The articles to be ordered are as follows:

Corn, 9,500 two-pound cans, nine cents per can.
Canned beef hash, 4,100 one-pound cans, 22 cents per can; 3,900 two-pound cans, 37 cents per can.
Peas, 12,400 two-pound cans, no price quoted.
Dry beans, 7,427 pounds, 100 pounds, \$6.49.
Flour, 4,903 pounds, \$6.00 per 100 pounds.
Rice, 1,100 pounds, 100 pounds at \$6.47.

Assorted jams, 2,300 two-pound cans, no price quoted.
Pepper, quarter-pound cans, 411 pounds, nine cents a pound.
Toilet soap, 1,432 cakes, no price quoted.
Pineapple, 820 pounds, no price quoted.

To Sell Beans.
Baked beans, 4,720 one-pound cans at four cents a can; two-pound cans at six cents a can and three-pound cans at nine cents a can.
Stringless beans, 1,050 pounds in two-pound cans, no price quoted.

Corned beef, 6,450 one-pound cans at 25 cents a can; 8,200 two-pound cans at 55 cents a can and \$79 six-pound cans at \$1.75 a can.
Roast beef, 5,400 one-pound cans at 29 cents a pound; 5,900 two-pound cans at 63 cents a can and 540 six-pound cans at \$1.90 a can.
Cherries, 370 two and one-half pound cans at 21 cents a can.
Tomatoes, 500 one-pound cans at nine cents a can.

Bacon, 2,600 12-pound cans at \$4.15 per can.
According to a report from the postmaster general at Washington 125 pounds can be shipped in one consignment by parcel post at a cost of \$1.29.

Probe Sugar Price.
Twelve cents a pound is a fair retail price for sugar in South Bend, according to Col. Carlisle. Although Asst. Atty. Gen. Ames said at Washington Thursday 11 cents was a fair price, freight rates and certain other conditions make fair charges different in different localities, the local food dictator explained.

The Washington dispatch, which appeared in The News-Times yesterday, quoted Ames as saying that one cent per pound is a fair profit for the retailer. At noon Friday, South Bend wholesalers were quoting the following prices to retailers:

Whiteman Bros., \$10.25 per hundred pounds; Hoosier Grocer Co., \$10; Lavy and Ward, \$10.25; National Grocer Co., \$10.50, and the South Bend Wholesale Grocer Co., \$12.50. This latter quotation is on 200 bags of sugar for which they paid, their invoices show, \$12.30 per hundred pounds.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS TO HOLD PICNIC SATURDAY
The Knights of Pythias will hold an old-fashioned picnic at Pottawatomie park Saturday as part of the program of a lively outing which begins early in the afternoon.

"Frolic, fun and a good time guaranteed," is the slogan and everyone is urged to bring his family and friends to the affair. Something will be doing every minute, according to the notices sent out, starting at 1:30 o'clock.

The picnic committee is composed of E. White, F. Jellison, G. Taggart, B. Russell and A. Jones.

CHAUTAUQUA 'JOY NIGHT' PLEASING
Reports From Other Cities Accord Packard the First Place on Program.

Indications are that there will be real joy on the "Joy night" program at Chautauqua Tuesday for Alton Packard, cartoonist and humorist, heads the bill. "Uncle Sam's Folks" is the title of his lecture in which his delineations of American life are entertaining, funny and at the same time instructive.

Newspaper reports, almost without exception, accord him first place on the Chautauqua bill and emphasize the fact that his influence for good loses nothing because of his humor. Besides being a humorist and cartoonist he is a pianist and vocalist and his funny limericks are said to add much to the program.

Mr. Packard is heralded as a philosopher also and is said to make a decided hit when he sings the 27 verses of "When You Get What You Want You Don't Want It."

Let The Wedding Bells Ring Out



PARK BOARD PLANS FOR MEETING HERE
To Hold Special Session to Complete Arrangements for Convention.

Tentative plans for the convention of the Indiana Association of Park departments, to be held here Aug. 21 and Sept. 1, were discussed at the meeting of the city park board held Friday night. A special meeting of the board will be held within the next few days to complete the arrangements. It has been decided to make the meetings open to the public, and to arrange programs which will attract a large number of South Bend people to the sessions.

DISCUSS NATATORIUM
Plans for the natatorium soon to be constructed were discussed with the architect, W. W. Schneider, of this city. Bids will be advertised for as soon as the architect finishes his work on the plans, which will probably be some time next week.

Ride were rescheduled on the sidewalk to be constructed on the Erie street, blvd. from Colby to Howard st., and will be re-advertised for.

News of the City from the Official Records

Marriage Licenses.
Steve Gellen, laborer, 1230 Kendall st., to Miss Mary Bauer, domestic, 907 W. Garat st.

Halley Halderread, laborer, Mishawaka, to Miss Goldie McCreary, domestic, Mishawaka.

Alvin Wayne Toan, farmer, Paw Paw, Mich., to Miss Andrew Anderson, also of Paw Paw.

Superior Court.
Bessie Doty vs. Edward Doty, divorce.

Circuit Court.
St. Joseph Loan & Trust Co. vs. the Mishawaka Investment company and Frank H. Allen, asked judgment of \$18,000 on notes.

The State Mercantile corporation of Illinois, asking judgment of \$550 against Daniel Peters, on check.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.
From the Records of the Indiana Title and Loan Co.

John H. Bullock to Mary M. Kuhn, \$1; lot 73 Mary's Michigan av. add adjoining city of South Bend.

Margaretta J. Ream to Andrew Pearson and Anna, \$1; part of lot 43 Haney's add to the city of South Bend.

George McNabb and wife to George Sands, \$1; lot 296 Samuel L. Cottrell's first add to town of Lowell now part of the city of South Bend.

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ASK FOR and GET Horlick's
The Original Malted Milk For Infants and Invalids Aerial Institutions and Substitutes

TALK OF THE TOWN
Free Cars Sunday at 2:10

to show the biggest success in South Bend. Flat of 150 lots sold out in two Sundays.

In order to supply the demand, the owners have consented to grade another street of sixty new lots for next Sunday and every one a beauty. One is yours for One Dollar down, then only 50c and 75c a week.

Prices \$119, \$129, \$149 to \$195, except corners, positively the biggest bargains around South Bend today.

Two big free cars will leave Northern Indiana interurban station, corner Washington Avenue and Michigan street at 2:10, Sunday. Cars will carry banners and stop for passengers along Washington Avenue.

Follow the crowd. Come and bring your friends. Adv.

PIEDMONT PEANUT OIL.
Better, cheaper than Olive oil at The Coffee Ranch. 7927-17.

MISS RAUSCH TO PLAY ORGAN AT M. E. CHURCH

Miss Emma R. Rausch will preside at the organ at the services Sunday at the First M. E. church, during the absence of Fred G. Haas, organist and director. Following is the musical program for Sunday morning: Prelude—"Contemplation".....Armstrong Anthem or Response.....Vincent Offertory—"Invocation".....Vincent Duet—"Whispering Hope".....Hawthorne Mesdames N. P. Kelb and W. O. Fassnacht. Postlude—"Postlude in F".....Wilson

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BURNING OF MORTGAGE TO MARK CELEBRATION

The burning of the mortgage on the Conference Memorial United Brethren church and the presentation of the deed of ownership to the local board of trustees by Dr. J. A. Groves of Elkhart will be a feature of the jubilee anniversary to be held at the church Sunday.

Rev. C. V. Miller, former pastor who built the church, and other pastors of the conference will attend the morning and evening services, at which Dr. P. M. Camp, home mission secretary of the denomination of Dayton, O., will deliver the addresses.

A basket dinner will be served in the basement of the church at noon.

THE "BLUES"
Caused by Acid-Stomach

Millions of people who worry, are dependent, have spells of mental depression, feel blue and are often melancholy believe that these conditions are due to outside influences over which they have little or no control. Nearly always, however, they can be traced to an internal source—acid-stomach. Nor is it to be wondered at. Acid-stomach beginning with such well defined symptoms as indigestion, belching, heartburn, bloating, etc., will, if not checked, in time affect to some degree or other all the vital organs. The nervous system becomes deranged. Digestion suffers. The blood is impoverished. Health and strength are undermined. The victim of acid-stomach, although he may not know the cause of his ailments, feels his hope, courage, ambition and energy slipping. And truly life is dark—not worth much to the man or woman who has acid-stomach!

Get rid of it! Don't let acid-stomach hold you back, wreck your health, make your days miserable, make you a victim of the "blues" and gloomy thoughts! There is a marvelous modern remedy called EATONIC that brings out such quick relief from your stomach troubles—sets your stomach to rights—makes it strong, cool, sweet and comfortable. Helps you get back your strength, vigor, vitality, enthusiasm and good cheer. So many thousands upon thousands of sufferers have used EATONIC with such marvelously helpful results that we are sure you will feel the same way if you will just give it a trial. Get a big 50 cent box of EATONIC—the good tasting tablets that you eat like a bit of candy—from your druggist today. He will return your money if results are not even more than you expect.

EATONIC
(FOR YOUR ACID-STOMACH)

Are You Getting Good Wages?

Are you making more money than usual this year?

What are you going to do with it?

Deposit some in a checking account to meet your current expenses.

Deposit some in our Savings Department. It will be there, multiplied by interest, when you need it.

Citizens' National Bank
Citizens' Trust & Savings Bank
JEFFERSON BLVD.
Near the Post Office.

ANY PANAMA HAT IN THE STORE 1-4 OFF!

SAM'L SPIRO & CO.

Home of Hart Schaffner & Marx Clothes, Knox Hats, Sampeck Clothes for Boys

It means that office men, vacationers and men who believe in dressing comfortably have now choice of \$15.00, \$16.50, \$18.50 and \$20 Palm Beach, Kool Cloth and Crash suits, here for

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Our advice is: get yours now

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Store Hours: 8:30 a. m. to 5:30 p. m.; Saturday 9:30 p. m.

CHARLES B. SAX & COMPANY

114 South Michigan Street, Near Washington Avenue.

Now is the Time to Select Your Fall Wearing Apparel

This first showing should create unusual interest because of the charming styles and the very modest prices.

It shows good judgment, and it is wise economy to select your apparel for fall right now while prices are down. Don't wait, as garment prices may go much higher later on, not only that, but if you make your selection now you will get longer service and satisfaction from the garment purchased.

Smart Fall Coats

Straight line effects predominate and the majority of garments have rich fur collars. While browns and tans are most popular, many models introduce several new shades.

New Fall Suits

They are extremely smart and practical, and they may be had in the desired materials including serges, gabardine, silvertone and many are smartly fashioned of navy blue tricotine. Horizontal tucks form panel effects on the backs of many of these suits and rich embroideries oft times adorn jacket hems.

Early Fall Dresses

The new style tendencies are reflected in these beautiful new garments. Our collection offers a splendid opportunity to make a satisfactory selection at lower prices than are indicated for the near future. Included are models of satin, tricotine, georgette crepe, taffeta and serge.



A deposit may be made on purchases, and any garment, furs, or millinery will be laid away for future delivery.

Get yourself one of these cool suits today at \$10.50

Here's something very special for you

Spiro's Final Clean-up Sale of all Palm Beach Suits at \$10.50

Regular \$15, \$16.50, \$18.50 and \$20 values. 145 suits; sizes from 33 to 50; genuine Palm Beach, Crashes and Kool Cloth weaves.

THESE 145 suits are the remains of our summer stock—just two, three or four of a kind left but every size in the lot from 33 to 50 inch chest measure. This includes regulars, stouts and slim sizes with a plenty for big men. The styles are conservative, plain English, belted and waist seam models and tailored to fit.

This is a real good opportunity for any man or young man. No matter how many suits you may have, you can always use a bargain like this for a change in your dress. Our object is to clean up in very short time.

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