

## CHAMBER WARNS FREIGHT SHIPPERS TO CLEAR DEPOTS

Transportation Department Asks Merchants to Aid in Relieving Congestion.

Removal of freight from the railroad depots to the places of business of the consignees is urged by the transportation department of the Chamber of Commerce in a letter sent them Tuesday. The following is the letter:

"Receivers of freight are urged to use every possible means of moving shipments from depots to their warehouses as a consequence of present restrictions, except for South Bend is accumulating at terminals and other points and this when moved will necessitate the carriers using every inch of space they can find. Appeals by phone and otherwise to receivers have resulted in decreasing the accumulation to a marked degree, but there is still room for improvement."

### Freight Embargoes.

"Embargoes placed on freight movement into and out of South Bend by the various carriers at this writing are as follows:

"New York Central cannot receive inbound freight to, or outward bound freight from South Bend."

"Michigan Central cannot receive inbound freight to, or outward bound freight from South Bend."

"Grand Trunk will receive freight for local points, in the immediate neighborhood, all other points are embargoed both in and out."

"Chicago & Alton will receive freight for local points, all other points embargoed both in and out."

"N. J. I. & L. cannot receive inbound freight to, or outward bound freight from South Bend."

"Predictions as to how long these conditions will exist are futile, as the situation is too changeable for the better at any time."

"J. R. Bremner,  
Transportation Secy."

## LOCAL EDUCATORS TO ATTEND STATE MEET

W. W. Borden, superintendent of schools, Miss Adeline Lampert, Miss Alice G. Weber, teacher in the part time schools, will attend the Indiana State Vocational Training Conference which will be held in Indianapolis Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week.

The program includes addresses by Dr. Stanley Coulter of Purdue University; Hon. M. E. Foley, chairman state committee defense, Hon. H. S. McGill, special representative of the National Education association; L. S. Hawkins, federal director of vocational education; Prof. G. F. Buxton, vocational teacher-training director of Indiana university; L. N. Hines, state superintendent of public instruction; Dr. Frank W. Gausius, president Armour Institute, Chicago.

## CEMETERY SEXTON TENDERS RESIGNATION

George M. Urey, cemetery sexton for the city for the past two years, Tuesday tendered his resignation to the board of public works. The resignation was accepted, and Josiah P. Reed was appointed to fill the vacancy.

The board received bids for pine sewers on Bruce, Webster and Douglas sts. The bids were referred to the city engineer for tabulation, who will make his report to the board at a special meeting Wednesday night.

A petition was presented to the board, asking for the improvement of Francis st., from Cedar st. to the river. The petition was placed on file.

## Conduct Enthusiastic Noon Evangelistic Meet

An enthusiastic and successful noon meeting was conducted by Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bouterse, members of the New Jones evangelistic party, at the Sibley Mfg. Co., Tuesday. In addition to an address by Mr. Bouterse several musical numbers, including cornet solos and duets, were rendered by Mr. and Mrs. Bouterse. At the close of the talk a large delegation from the factory promised to attend the tabernacle meeting next Tuesday.

In addressing the employees Mr. Bouterse spoke briefly on knowing each other. He said in part: "The great need of the hour is for people to know each other better. We are too suspicious of each other. Few are willing to face facts. Lots of us are living in a fool's paradise. All is not what it seems to be on the outside. The world taken in as when brought to Jesus because of her inner sorrow and penitence of her heart received the blessings of Christ, while the scribes and Pharisees with all their outward show and forms of religion received words of fierce denunciation."

"The question is, are you willing to face facts now? You will understand the judgment. It will be too late then. This great revival movement now going on is but another effort on the part of your heavenly father to get you to see yourself in the light of His word."

An address and a musical program will be rendered by Mr. and Mrs. Bouterse at the Stephenson Mfg. Co., Wednesday noon.

## Wife Says Husband Called Her Vile Names

James Grover called his wife vile names, refused to allow friends to visit their home and struck and beat his wife, according to complaint filed in the superior court Tuesday by Doris Grover. The plaintiff asks for a divorce and the custody of the three children, Raymond, five years old; Lyle, three years old, and Ernest, two years old. They were married Dec. 15, 1913, and separated April 7, 1920.

Ruth O'Donnell in her suit for divorce against Claude O'Donnell charges cruel and inhuman treatment and asks for the custody of their son, William, one year and six months old.

In her suit for divorce against Oscar Jones, Myrtle Jones says that her husband repeatedly swore at her and kicked her. She asks that her maiden name be restored. They were married Aug. 10, 1913, and separated Dec. 8, 1918.

## International Kiwanis Secretary Will Address Joint Meeting of Clubs



O. SAMUEL CUMMINGS.

One of the largest noonday gatherings of South Bend business men since the old Liberty loan days will be held at the Oliver hotel Thursday noon to greet O. Samuel Cummings of Chicago, international secretary of Kiwanis clubs. Mr. Cummings will address a joint meeting of the members of the various Kiwanis and Rotary clubs at 12:15 o'clock in the Rotary room of the hotel, with the Kiwanis club members acting as hosts. Special music and various other entertainments have also been arranged for the meeting.

Mr. Cummings as secretary of all the Kiwanis clubs of the United States and Canada, is one of the men chiefly responsible for the rapid growth of Kiwanis from an organization of several scattered clubs a little more than five years ago to an international body today of 200

## BELLE BAKER HAS LOSS OF MEMORY

She Cannot Remember What  
Took Place at Time of  
Woman's Death.

"I don't remember anything that happened that night except that I drank five or six glasses of whisky and absinthe and that we had a quart of whisky and absinthe and that Mabel said it was too late to go to the Orpheum theater," Belle Baker, held in connection with the death of Mabel Carlin at 323 1/2 S. Michigan st., early Friday morning, told Deputy Pros. George A. Schrock and his assistant, who visited the latter's office Tuesday morning.

The Baker woman told the officials that she could not remember what happened during the night before Miss Carlin's death, except that the two women had been heavily drinking.

Was Her Friend.  
"Why should I kill Mabel?" she asked the officials. "She was my friend, and Mabel was here now, she would tell you I did not kill her," the Baker woman declared.

Following her examination by the deputy prosecutor and the police court, the Baker woman was returned to the county jail to be held pending further investigation of the death of Miss Carlin.

## PRESENT PLANS FOR NEW GIRLS' HOME

Plans for the proposed boarding home for the Young Women's Christian association were presented at a meeting of the expansion committee Monday evening at the association building.

Sketches of the exterior, main floor and sleeping rooms were shown. The committee will secure information from homes of a similar nature over the country and will endeavor to plan the local institution with the most up to date and practical equipment. The present plans show accommodations for 200 girls.

## AUGUST COPPENS IS SUED FOR DIVORCE

August Coppens, prominent Mishawaka business man, is made defendant in a suit for divorce brought by his wife, Mary L. Coppens. The plaintiff, although cruel and inhuman treatment is granted, that Coppens threatened to kill her, at one time chased her with a revolver. The complaint specifies that the defendant is the proprietor of a soft drink parlor and is making a big monthly profit. She asks that she be granted alimony in the sum of \$5,000. They were married in October, 1895, and separated Nov. 1, 1918.

## PLAN DISCUSSION OF SCHOOL CONDITIONS

At a meeting of the Mothers' club of the Franklin school Wednesday afternoon from 3 to 4:30 o'clock plans will be made for a mass meeting to be held soon at which conditions of the school will be discussed. The program will include talks on "Better Teeth" by Dr. J. H. Naus and Dr. Robert Robinson, a talk on "How to Bake Bread" by Mrs. Howard Smith, and a fancy dance by Miss Katherine Loughman. A business meeting will be held and there will be a story hour for the children.

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## PLAN OBSERVANCE OF AMERICAN DAY

National Security League  
Head to Confer With  
School Authorities.

Charles E. Cade, national secretary of the White Star League and a representative of that organization and of the National Security League, talked to and secured the unanimous endorsement of the commercial bureau of the Chamber of Commerce at the regular noon luncheon at the Oliver hotel Tuesday.

The purpose of the league, according to Cade, is to combat the perils and evils of radicalism, bolshevism and revolution in the United States. The membership of the league is in the main composed of editors of newspapers and magazines. The organization has as its slogan, "To God With the Blue."

Mr. Cade in South Bend in the interest of having the work of Americanization carried on here through the cooperation of civic organizations and the public schools. Conferences are being arranged by Mr. Cade with school heads and heads of clubs regarding the holding of a celebration in South Bend on May 1, national "American Day."

## COMPLETE PLANS FOR TWO MEETINGS HERE

Plans for bringing Dr. Charles Stetzel of New York authority on industrial and labor questions, to South Bend to address the members of the Oliver club and their friends at their weekly noonday luncheon Monday, and a mass meeting at the high school auditorium Monday night, have been completed, it was announced Tuesday by Dr. A. M. Bells, chairman of the arrangement committee.

Mr. Stetzel, according to Dr. Bells, will divide his program on industrial and labor questions. He is said to have spoken to more mass meetings of laboring men than any other public speaker in the country.

According to Dr. Bells, it will be necessary to increase the charge per plate at the luncheon from 50 cents to \$1 and in order to give the speaker more time, the luncheon will be held at 12 o'clock instead of 12:15.

## How Is Your Weight?

While it is true that too much weight is not to be desired yet the fact remains that many men and women are thin to the point of danger. This danger lies in their having no reserve force or nerve power to combat deadly diseases. A little extra weight will give the body more strength and this calls up the question of how best to increase the weight. Physicians and chemists have experimented with various means of increasing the white and red corpuscles of the blood by the administration of 5-grain hypo-nucleic tablets. This is usually sold in an 18-ounce jar. Obtain in regular packages and take for a period of several months, according to directions with package. Adv.

## Thermos Bottles

\$3.00 pint, enamel, \$2.59  
\$4 pint, nickelized, \$3.39  
\$4.75 qt., enamel, \$4.08  
\$6.00 qt., nickelized, \$5.19

These are the genuine icy hot bottles, and possess the highest degree of efficiency.

## Silk Pongee Waists for Spring

\$3.50, \$3.98, \$6.00

Here are pretty waists of serviceable pongee silk. Soft in color and texture, they appeal to women who require practical blouses. They feature the new slipover style, with or without ruffled pepins, and short sleeves. Tailored shirt waists are also available in this excellent material.

## I Wish to Announce

My removal from the northeast corner Washington Av. and Lafayette Blvd. to 220 W. Washington Av.

In announcing this change of location I have no hesitancy in telling you that with my new and enlarged facilities I am in a better position to take care of all your requirements for my superbly tailored

## Suits and Coats

of Tricotines  
of Serges  
of Velours  
of Duvetyne

Also a big stock of linings, all shades.

Every garment carrying the stamp of individuality. I have bent every effort to create in these models, values that are thoroughly satisfactory.

Stop, in passing, or pay me a special visit while my assortment is complete, and the materials are varied enough to afford a wide choice.

I await with pleasure your call.

**Max Slutsky**  
LADIES' TAILOR  
220 W. WASHINGTON AV.

## April Sale of Women's Spring Suits

at \$28.50, \$37.50, \$55.00 and \$57.50



Interurban Day—Great Values in  
Women's Silk Dresses  
\$29.75 to \$37.50—Georgette and Silk  
Combinations

## Robertson Bros. Co.

## Gingham Week

Gingham House Dresses of  
Individuality

Moderately Priced \$3.98  
to \$7.95



Unusual in style and in quality of materials, these house dresses are attractive. They are made of striped, checked and plain ginghams featuring bindings, collars, cuffs, belts and sashes in self or contrasting colors.

The pleasing character of these dresses is enhanced by their smartness.

Serviceable Gingham  
Petticoats  
Specially Priced  
\$1.50

These practical skirts of heavy striped gingham are available in regular and extra sizes.

## Gingham Dresses for General Wear

\$6.95 - \$10.00 - \$25.00

They are made of smartly checked French and domestic ginghams, in popular color combinations. White vests, collars, cuffs and pipings on novelty pockets are some of their pleasing features.

**The Children's Shop**  
Pretty Tub Frocks of Gingham  
Very Special \$1.32 to \$5.00

Mothers and their young daughters find these new dresses pleasing in style and in quality. Big varieties of



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The prices of these little dresses are one-third less than usual because of a special purchase. A big assortment of styles and sizes is available.

## Robertson Bros. Co.

A Special Sale of

## 217 All Wool Suits for Boys

\$25.00, \$35.00 and \$50.00 Values

Priced \$18.50 - \$23.75 - and \$29.75

Made by Joseph Skolny, New York.

Positively the highest grade and best made boys' clothing in America.

There are just 217 suits in this purchase.

The \$18.50 and \$23.75 suits have one pair of trousers. The \$29.75 suits have two pairs of trousers. And many of the coats are silk lined.

Sizes from 7 to 18 years.

NOTE—See the display in the Michigan Street window.

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3 Room Outfit, \$298.00

4 Room Outfit, \$365.00

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