

INDIANA
NEWS
BRIEFLY
TOLD

Miss Harriet Oakley, who has been engaged in social welfare work at Gary, has been chosen as matron at the Gant County Orphans' home at Marion.

In order to prevent infestation of crops by damaging and destructive chinch bugs this summer, the division of entomology of the state conservation commission at Indianapolis will co-operate with county agricultural agents all over the state.

There is considerably less egg breakage since the farmers started to use automobiles, according to a poultryman at Vincennes. The jolting of farm wagons and other horse-drawn vehicles caused many of the eggs to break while enroute to the city and resulted in a great loss to the farmers, he says.

Dubois, Crawford, Orange and Washington counties had no fall populations when the census was taken recently at Jasper, English, Paoli and Salem, the county seats. This fact became known when the census bureau at Washington sent an inquiry to the census director in the Third district, as to the omission of the figures from the returns.

Death claimed a centenarian at the Indiana State Soldiers' home at Lafayette when Mrs. Elizabeth Caldwell, aged one hundred years and six months, died of infirmities at the hospital. Two husbands and nine children preceded Mrs. Caldwell in death. A son, W. W. Thrasher of Swazee, is the only surviving relative. Mrs. Caldwell was born in Ohio.

Early preparations are being made for two large camp meetings of religious organizations in Madison county. It has been announced that the annual international camp meeting of the Church of God will convene at the permanent meeting place at Anderson, June 18, and will close June 27, and the Indiana Association of Spiritualists will hold its annual camp at Chesterfield in July.

"The Vernon municipal water work plant has been in operation for 25 years and never was self-supporting," reads a petition for higher rates filed with the public service commission at Indianapolis by the town clerk. He adds, however, that the deficits always are made up by the tax payers. He wishes the commission to authorize rates for the town so it can operate its plant at least without loss.

"Good soil and good people go hand in hand. This combination has kept Shelby county to the front. One need only look into the history of the county to know that this is true," says the county agricultural agent, in outlining Shelby county agricultural accomplishments. "We are an agricultural people, and I hope to prove that Shelby county is really first in this line of work," he says. "We have 1,480 members in our Farmers' association, the largest county membership in the state."

Based on the present prices of intoxicating liquors, confiscated liquor worth \$40,000 is at the South Bend police station awaiting destruction. Just as fast as the cases in which the liquor is used as evidence are heard, the whisky and wines are sealed and set aside with other liquor doomed for the sewer. An inventory of the stock showed that whisky and wines valued at \$22,000 have been condemned. The stock will probably be poured in the sewer.

The Indiana Federation of Business and Professional Women, formerly the Women's Association of Commerce of Indiana, at its third annual meeting at Indianapolis, adopted resolutions favoring adequate pay for men and women, but denouncing the extravagant demands of extremists and calling on all women to take a safe and sane attitude toward labor and production problems, and to insist at all times not only on adequate pay for a day's work but adequate work for a day's pay.

The public service commission at Indianapolis ordered a change in its ruling establishing rates for freight carried on passenger interurban cars. The order directs that the rates shall be 150 per cent of the Central Freight association first class scale instead of 150 per cent of Central Freight association first-class rates applicable to the articles shipped. The Union Traction Company of Indiana, the Terre Haute, Indianapolis & Eastern, and the Indianapolis & Cincinnati Traction company petitioned for the change and also for certain increases in the minimum charge. The commission declined to increase the minimums.

Roland Wells, age twenty-four, one of the first Wayne county men to enlist in the war against Germany, is dead at the home of his parents in Richmond, as a result of physical impairment brought about by being gassed.

The Indiana general assembly will be asked to increase the Indiana tax rate for school purposes. In order that needed buildings and equipment may be supplied to the Muncie branch of the Indiana State Normal school it put it on a par with the State Normal at Terre Haute.

UNLESS, OF COURSE, THEY PREFER STAYING
ON THE ROCKS!

LIFT SIEGE AT WESEL

Regulars Drive Workers From German City.

American Correspondents Fired Upon by Reds While Returning From Belgian Outposts.

Wesel, March 29.—Government troops made a sortie southeast of this city, drove besieging workers' forces from their posts, shelled their retreating columns and raised the siege of Wesel on both the east and southeast. Artillery operated by workers' forces dropped two shells into the city and then withdrew. While the counter-attack against the beleaguering forces was going on, re-enforcements arrived here. Among them were the Death's Head hussars and Uhlans.

Snipers are still active in territory evacuated by the workers' forces. Seven shots were fired at American newspaper men while they were returning from advanced Belgian outposts on the West side of the Rhine.

London, March 29.—One hundred Russian officers sent to Germany by Nicolai Lenin, Russian bolshevik premier, are assisting in the operations of the German workers' army, before Wesel, says a Copenhagen dispatch to the London Times, quoting an interview with an Ebert government officer at Muenster by the correspondent of the Politiken.

Berlin, March 29.—Maj. Gen. von Seeckt, commander of the government forces, declared the situation in the Ruhr region to be very serious, in the course of an interview with the correspondent of the Tagblatt. Negotiations at Bielefeld between government emissaries and workers had been to no purpose, he said, and there had been no negotiations whatever with the Communists.

"There exists in the Ruhr region a red army, as in Russia," Maj. Gen. von Seeckt continued, "and these well-equipped and well-led men will make use of all the experience gained during the war."

SHIPS READY IN 1917: MAYO

Commander in Chief of Fleet Replies to Many Charges Made by Admiral Sims.

Washington, March 31.—The Atlantic fleet never was better prepared for war than when it came from Cuban waters late in March, 1917, after its winter battle practice in Cuban waters, Rear Admiral Henry T. Mayo, former commander in chief of the fleet, told the senate committee investigating the navy's conduct of the war. He replied to many of the charges made against the navy by Vice Admiral Sims.

Answering Sims' complaint that some of the dreadnaughts had to be docked before they went abroad to join the British grand fleet, Mayo said "plain, ordinary common sense required that a vessel about to sail for an indefinite time on foreign service should be sent to a yard for a few days."

C. F. Browne, Artist, iDes.
Waltham, Mass., March 31.—Charles Francis Browne, landscape painter and instructor in the Art Institute of Chicago, and one of the best known artists in the country, died at his mother's home here, where he was born in 1859.

Reds Accept Pole Peace.

London, April 1.—George Tchitcherine, the Russian soviet foreign minister, has notified Poland of his willingness to open peace negotiations on April 10, as Poland has suggested, according to a wireless message.

Coal Advances 65 Cents.

New York, April 1.—The action of President Wilson's coal commission in granting bituminous mine workers a wage increase of 27 per cent means the price of coal at the mines will advance 65 cents to \$1.25 a ton.

Storm Hits Dakota.

Sioux Falls, S. D., March 31.—High winds, accompanied in many places by a pelting rain and snowstorm have virtually paralyzed wire communication to all points in the eastern half of South Dakota.

Wilson to Be Crane's Guest.

Washington, March 31.—President Wilson will pass the summer at the summer home of Charles E. Crane, former Chicagoan, at Wood's Hole, a village on the southern coast of Massachusetts.

RAIL MEN IN A. F. OF L.

Gompers Will Head Greatest Union in World

More Than 5,000,000 Members Will Be Enrolled With American Federation of Labor.

New York, March 31.—Following years of friction between the "Big Four" of the railroad unions and the American Federation of Labor, it was announced here that the two bodies will join forces.

Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, who is at the Hotel Continental, said the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and the Order of Railway Conductors would be admitted to the federation "very shortly." The other two organizations of the "Big Four" probably would join later, he said.

The merger is considered by union leaders as the most important in the history of labor movements. More than 5,000,000 members will then be enrolled with the American Federation of Labor, and when the remaining two branches of the "Big Four" are taken in the number will be near 6,000,000.

The decision of the railroad unions to bury the hatchet and combine with the federation is expected to put an end to future "useless strikes." It is also stated that the joining of these labor forces will force out all extremists in the ranks of organized labor.

The news came as a great surprise to labor leaders, although the move started nearly a year ago. The consensus of opinion was that it was a triumph for Gompers, who heads the most powerful labor organization in the world.

ARRAIGN COAL MEN MAY 4

One Hundred and Twenty-five Operators and Miners to Be Arraigned This Week.

Indianapolis, March 31.—Arrest of coal operators and miners under indictment in federal court here charged with violation of the Lever act probably will begin within a week, it was stated by federal officers. Seventy of 125 men indicted reside in Illinois, Ohio and western Pennsylvania, and capsules for their arrest will be served by officers in those states. When arrested the defendants will be required to give bond, fixed at \$5,000 or \$10,000, by United States District Judge Anderson. They will be arraigned here on May 4.

MARY AND DOUG GET MARRIED

Two Moving Picture Stars Secretly Wed at Home of Los Angeles Minister.

Los Angeles, Cal., March 31.—Mary Pickford and Douglas Fairbanks, moving picture stars, were married secretly at the home of Rev. J. Whitcomb Brougher, here, Sunday night.

The marriage license was issued Friday by License Clerk "Cupid" Sparks, who kept the matter a secret until news of the wedding of the popular film actors leaked out.

Bowman, Dairyman, Dead.

Chicago, March 30.—News of the death of Johnston R. Bowman, president of the dairy company bearing his name, at his winter home in San Antonio, was received in Chicago.

Bergdoll Gets Five Years.

New York, April 1.—Grover Cleveland Bergdoll, wealthy young Philadelphia, recently court-martialed for desertion because of his alleged failure to report for military service, was sentenced to five years in prison.

General to Face Charges.

New York, April 1.—Brig. Gen. William H. Hart, who was commander of American troops in the Paris area after the armistice, arrived from Paris. He is expected to answer charges that he was responsible for cruelties.

Snowstorm in Kansas.

Concordia, Kan., March 31.—A snowstorm accompanied by a wind, swept across central and western Kansas, covering the wheat belt. From several points a 45-mile wind was reported which razed silos and outbuildings.

Chicago Garbage Men Out.

Chicago, March 31.—By a walkout of all employees of the municipal refuse plant, collection of city garbage was tied up. The strikers included the drivers of the wagons, women at the plant and clerks.

Illinois Folks Tell
of Experience

Freeport, Ill.—"I can highly recommend Dr. Pierce's medicines. While I have taken some of nearly all of these medicines at different times and they always were first-class. I can speak especially well of the 'Favorite Prescription.' I have taken it as a special woman's tonic and it was excellent. For several years I was in very poor health. I had doctored for some time without results and I was in a miserable state when I decided to write to Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., for advice concerning my ailments."

"I am sure I owe my good health of today to Dr. Pierce, and perhaps my life, and I cannot say enough in praise of his skill and also his grand medicines."—Mrs. E. Seovill, 329 Elk St.

Galena, Ill.—"Some years ago I was afflicted with catarrh and liver trouble. My blood was impoverished and an abscess formed in my liver. I was in a serious condition when my husband brought me a bottle of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, a vial of Pleasant Pellets and a package of Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy. My improvement was noticeable from the very start, but I took seven bottles of 'Golden Medical Discovery' so I could be cured and restored to perfect health."

"My sister also had a most satisfactory experience with the 'Discovery' which she took for an asthmatic condition. Two bottles of it absolutely cured her of asthma and for thirty-five years afterwards she continued praising 'Golden Medical Discovery' and recommending it to persons afflicted with asthma or bronchial affections."—Mrs. Hattie Moore, 515 Dewey Ave.

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"How's that?"

"Everybody around here has bought a little stock except me. That's why I'm giving you a chance to catch the next train out of town instead of calling my boys together and sending a rush order for a bucket of tar, a sack of feathers and a good, stout rail."

Birmingham Age-Herald.

GRUMPY?

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A Secret.
"Why, yes," said Miss Pertie Goodwin to her intimate friend. "Harry and I are going to have a secret wedding. Not a soul is going to know of it till it's over. Haven't you heard?"

A man is never quite sure whether a woman is sorry or glad when she cries.

FIND THE CAUSE!

It isn't right to drag along feeling miserable—half sick. Find out what is making you feel so badly and try to correct it. Perhaps your kidneys are causing that throbbing backache or those sharp, stabbing pains. You may have morning lumpiness, too, head-aches, dizzy spells and irregular kidney action. Use Doan's Kidney Pills. They have helped thousands of ailing folks. Ask your neighbor!

An Illinois Case

Mrs. H. L. Dewey, of Chestnut St., Waukegan, Ill., says: "My husband and I have been married for twenty years. I have been in all parts of my body. My feet and ankles would become swollen and my kidneys didn't act as they should. I read such good accounts about Doan's Kidney Pills that I bought some at Warren's North Side Pharmacy. In a short time I began to feel better and of late I have had no further trouble with my kidneys."

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WILSON FIGHTS
TURKEY PLANS

Warns Britain, France and Italy They Must Respect U. S. Rights.

ASKS INDEPENDENT ARMENIA

Language of Note Indicates President Believes Three Great Powers Decided to Allot to Themselves Cream of Territory.

Washington, April 1.—The United States will not sanction any Turkish settlement which does not grant American citizens equal rights with those of the nations now party to the treaty.

This is the outstanding point in the president's reply to the allied invitation that the United States participate in the Turkish peace negotiations. The president's note was made public by Secretary of State Coby.

The reply reveals that thus far the Turkish negotiations have been conducted almost solely for territorial and commercial aggrandizement on the part of Great Britain, France and Italy to the detriment of American, Russian and neutral interests. The president's note closes as follows:

"Let me say in conclusion that it is the understanding of the government of the United States that whatever territorial changes or arrangements may be made in the former Ottoman empire, such changes or arrangements will in no way place American citizens or corporations of any other country, in a less favorable situation than the citizens or corporations of any power party to this treaty."

Information which has lately come to the state department shows that one of the allied nations already has taken steps to exclude American interests from the Ottoman empire.

The president still stands for the exclusion of the Turk from Europe, and chides the allies for their "turnabout" on this phase. The British belief that the exclusion of the Turk might start a holy war by the Moslem world is not tenable, in the opinion of the president, who says the Mohammedan people not only witnessed without protest the defeat of the Turk, but aided substantially in it.

The president agrees heartily with the plan for future Russian representation on the international council proposed for the control and government of Constantinople and the straits.

An independent Armenia, with an outlet to the sea at Trebizond, is suggested by the president.

He wants northern Thrace given to Bulgaria and the eastern part to Greece.

Perhaps the most significant portion of the president's reply is the following paragraph:

"In connection with the proposed preferential right of the three great Mediterranean powers to furnish advisers and instructors in certain zones, this government feels that it is necessary for it to have more information as to the reason and purpose of such a plan."

This language indicates that the president believes the three great powers have decided to allot to themselves the cream of the territory under "spheres of influence."

He suggests that the disposal of Turkish territory be held in abeyance and that the methods resorted to in the case of Austria be adopted—that is to say, ultimate disposition by the great powers, and this means that the United States would have a voice in the final disposal.

COAL WAGE SCALE ACCEPTED

Committee of Bituminous Operators and Miners Reach Agreement—Mining to Go On.

New York, March 31.—The scale committee of the bituminous operators and mine workers, in a joint conference here, agreed to make the monetary provisions contained in the award of the bituminous coal commission as affirmed by the president become effective on April 1 and that the mines continue in operation pending the working out of a new agreement.

KENTUCKIANS LYNCH A NEGRO

Grant Smith, Charged With Attack on Fourteen-Year-Old White Girl, Is Hanged.

Lexington, Ky., March 31.—Grant Smith, a negro, was lynched on a railroad bridge near Millersburg. He was charged with having attacked Ruby Anderson, a fourteen-year-old white girl.

Will Not Resume His Seat.

Washington, March 31.—Senator Newberry of Michigan, who returned here, will not resume his seat in the senate until questions as to his status in the Michigan election conspiracy cases have been disposed of.

Women in Minority.

Washington, March 31.—Ballots cast by women in the coming presidential election will fall short of the potential men's vote by over 2,500,000, provided the suffrage amendment is ratified and laws enacted.

"Corrupt Practices" Bill in Senate.

Washington, March 29.—A "corrupt practices" bill imposing severe penalties for the lavish use of money by candidates for public office and their supporters was introduced in the senate by Senator Borah (Rep.) of Idaho.

Serbian Army Demobilizes.

Constantinople, March 29.—The Serbian government at Belgrade has ordered general demobilization. This is interpreted as proof of confidence in the United States and in a peaceful settlement of the Adriatic question.

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MAY BE BONES OF HEROEES

Uncertainty as to Human Relics Recently Found Near the Famous Alamo at San Antonio.

Recently workmen have unearthed in a portion of the Alamo grounds at San Antonio bones which may be those of the heroes of Texas whose bodies were cremated by the victorious hordes under Santa Anna.

No effort was made to gather the bones nor to remove them to the inclosure of the Alamo. They were permitted to remain where they were found; and a garage is to be built over the spot, the ground where the discovery was made being outside the walls and a part of the property which has gone to commercial use.

The bones were found some 200 feet south of the wall of the Alamo; and the inquiry made has not fully developed whether they were those of the Texans or whether they were those of the Indians who were used to build the ancient mission and who formed the colony which the friars gathered about them to till the fields and to provide the food and the feed they required.—Houston Post.

Hearts are very much alike, and all take lots of patience to make them good and happy.—Louisa M. Alcott.

If you don't like the rules of the game—start a game of your own.

WIND CAVE NATURAL MARVEL

South Dakota Able to Boast of One of the Greatest Curiosities in the World.

Wind Cave National park, South Dakota, containing 10,890 acres, consists of a series of long, narrow passageways having variations in height and width, and opening into irregular chambers at intervals. There are three principal divisions, the first, into which the entrance descends, being a long, narrow tunnel leading southeast. It extends 300 feet lower than the entrance and 250 feet below the surface of the ground above.

The trail then ascends by stairway to the upper level of the cave, and thence through other chambers to the Garden of Eden, the end of this route. From the crossroads on this division there is a branch passage leading to the northeast. Here it joins the third division, northwesterly to the Pearly Gates, parallel to the entrance passage. There are several branches, the largest leading upward into the Fair Grounds, 100 feet higher than adjoining portions of the cave. It is reached through a hole in the roof of a passageway. In the game reserve are buffalo, elk and deer.

Bible Quotations.

Two brothers, Francis, four years old, and Fred, Jr., two years old, have been taught Bible sayings by their aunt. The other day while both babies were playing their mother heard Francis say: "Jesus said, I am the way, the truth and the life." Fred, Jr., said: "And Jesus said, 'All little children come to supper.'" "No, Fred," Francis said: "Suffer little children to come unto me."

Fred, Jr., declared: "No, come to supper," and insisted he was right.

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