

THE WEATHER.

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HARDING EXPRESSES PLEASURE

SOUTH TREMBLES OVER THE APPROACHING HURRICANE

FULL BRUNT IS EXPECTED LATE TODAY

Precautions Taken to Prevent Repetitions of Previous Disasters.

BULLETIN (INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE) NEW ORLEANS, La., Sept. 22.—The tail end of the tropical storm sweeping inland today caused damage estimated at between \$100,000 and \$200,000. The first victim reported is Jack McPaul, a plumber helper, killed here by a live wire blown down by the high winds.

NEW ORLEANS, La., Sept. 22.—Shipping of every description is laying in ports along the Gulf coast and vessels still out are scurrying for shelter as the forerunner of the golf-storm began lashing the waters along the coast, with the prospect of the full brunt of the storm striking this afternoon or tonight.

Hurricane warnings have been sent out covering the territory as far east as Pensacola and westward to Brownsville, Texas.

Approaches the Coast

FORT WORTH, Tex., Sept. 22.—Reports reaching here early today indicate that communities along the Gulf coast, from the Florida keys to the Texas lagoons are prepared for the expected hurricane, now approaching along the coast.

The erratic action of hurricanes, it is said by weather bureau officials, may cause the present disturbance to swerve from its charted course northward.

MONON HAS BAD FREIGHT WRECK

LOWELL, Ind., Sept. 22.—The Monon had a bad south-bound freight wreck at Lee, near Rensselaer on Tuesday.

The wreck was caused by a journal turning off under one of the freight cars and resulting in ten cars being piled up and ruined. The wreckage took fire from the burning journal and the cars and contents are a total loss.

DID YOU FIND YOURS TAGGED?

Many Hammond citizens were surprised today to find small white cards attached to the steering wheels of their automobiles when they boarded them after leaving them standing at the curb. The cards invited the owner of the machine to call at the police station.

HEADS VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS



Capt. Robert G. Woodside. Capt. Robert G. Woodside of Pittsburgh is the new commander-in-chief of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, whose annual meeting in Washington has just ended.

WOMAN VOTERS DON'T HAVE TO GIVE AGE

So Supreme Court in Maine Makes Rule Yesterday

PORTLAND, Me., Sept. 21.—The supreme court today decided that a woman should not be required to tell her age in order to qualify as a voter.

HOBART PEOPLE HURT IN CAR IMPACT

Valparaiso Men Crash Into Couple Bound for Gary Near Liverpool

HOBART, Ind., Sept. 22.—About 9:00 o'clock Sunday evening as Mr. and Mrs. Call and Mrs. Archy Brooks were driving to Gary their car was thrown into the ditch at the corner near the Liverpool school when they were struck by a car driven by Mr. Martin from Valparaiso which came around the corner at terrific speed.

BANDIT TRIAL STARTS AT VALPARAISO

VALPARAISO, Ind., Sept. 22.—The case of Thomas Bachelor, one of the four defendants accused of killing Herman Becker, cashier of the State Bank at Tollester, during a robbery of that institution June 14, 1919, was called for trial here yesterday in the Porter superior court.

MAYOR EXERCISES HIS VETO

Mayor Brown exercised his veto power last night for the first time in a long while. He knocked out the ordinance passed at the last council session placing a prohibitive license fee on popcorn and ice cream wagons.

The fee as fixed by the ordinance was \$200 a year and in his message to the council last night the mayor stated that he believed the fee was discriminatory and contrary to the purpose of the original licensing ordinance.

An ordinance read provides for the appropriation of \$50 to pay for a secretary of the new board of safety for the remainder of the year.

A clinic fund was also established to handle the money received through the U. S. public health service clinic.

It was voted to send Ed Parmenter, city electrician to the convention of electrical inspectors and allow him expenses up to \$10.

A firm which manufactures concrete park benches asked for a contract by which benches for the use of the public are to be distributed at handy places over the city.

REQUIRE ROLE OF SOLOMON TO SETTLE IT

Judge Reiter played the role of Solomon this morning in Room 1 of the Hammond superior court. It was up to him to decide whether the custody of a fourteen-month-old baby should go to its mother or its grandmother.

The suit was one in habeas corpus which was filed recently by Beatie Owen against William and Jennie Frisinger, parents of Mrs. Owen.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen decided that they would take the child to raise but met strenuous objections on the part of the grandparents. They refused to give him up. On the witness stand yesterday afternoon, Frisinger said that she did not consider Mrs. Owen fit to take care of her child and she cited various reasons, most of them being acts of carelessness in the personal care of the child.

Much bitterness was shown on both sides in the contest between the mother and daughter. The court finally halted the testimony this morning and said he did not care to hear more.

PETTY THEFTS ONLY FOR POLICE

Petty thefts are the only matters to engage the attention of Hammond police in the last few days. Three bicycles were reported stolen. The losses are Ralph Hunt, 477 Carroll street; Irving Pickett, 354 Henry street, and John Blom of Highlands. Pickett's bike was taken from in front of the Western Union telegraph office on Sibley street, while the Highland's man had left his in front of the Central school.

RECOGNIZE EAST CHICAGO? SEEMS ODD!

Following the Saturday and Sunday clean-up of Indiana Harbor by the East Chicago police in which eighty-eight men were arrested the city has enjoyed a quiet unknown for several months and during the last twenty-four hours not a robbery, hold-up or other crime has occurred to disturb the tranquility of the community.

Doctors Scurry To South Bend

Annual Convention of Indiana State Medical Association is on There

Many Lake county doctors joined today the physicians and surgeons from Indiana and surrounding states, who are attending the annual convention of the Indiana State Medical association, which opened for a three day meeting in South Bend today and began arriving in South Bend yesterday afternoon.

Many of the medical men are accompanied by their wives and indications point to the largest convention ever held by the organization. In order to take care of the incoming guests the St. Joseph Medical Society has appealed to the Chamber of Commerce to arrange for people of the city to open their homes to the visitors, the hotels being utterly unable to take care of the overflow.

Sessions will be held in the Oliver hotel, Elks club and high school auditorium. All incoming trains are being met by reception committees and the women are to be entertained with luncheons, teas, theater parties and automobile tours. The program included a smoker at the Oliver hotel Tuesday night as the first social event for the doctors.

Among the famous medical men who will address the convention will be Dr. Rufus L. Cole, medical director of hospitals, Rockefeller Institute, who will speak at a general meeting at the high school auditorium Thursday night. The sectional programs will be Doctors Virgil Moon, F. R. Wynn, S. O. Mert, R. C. Beeler, H. C. Ganser, J. O. Titchell, Carl Hablich, Luther Williams, C. H. McCaskey, Joseph R. Eastman, John R. Newcomb, and J. O. Stilson, all of Indianapolis; Albert E. Burelson, Jr., Ft. Wayne; C. J. Adams, Kokomo; A. R. Simon, Laporte; K. T. Brown, Muncie; G. H. Sundt, Chicago; Bayard Kenney, Chicago; H. H. Hester, Chicago; Frank Crockett, Lafayette; Miles F. Porter, Ft. Wayne; Ivan C. Brenner, Winchester; George C. Richardson, Van Buren; J. N. McCoy, Vincennes; L. D. Reed, Hope; C. S. Boenbury, South Bend; William Moore, New Albany; H. D. Fair, Muncie; W. V. Van Noy, New Castle; C. E. Reed, Culver; O. B. Nesbit, Gary; J. E. P. Holland, Bloomington.

A score of other doctors will take part in the discussions. It is expected that from 300 to 400 medical men will be present at the meeting.

GARY MAN'S ESTATE SUES FOR \$10,000

The American Trust & Savings Bank, administrator of the estate of Nick Stillovich, has filed suit for damages in the Hammond Superior Court, against John Barton Payne, federal agent, operating the C. & O. R. R.

Stillovich was shot and killed by a C. & O. watchman in Hammond on January, 1919. The watchman and other railroad police were watching for thieves who had been stealing from box cars. Stillovich, who it is said, was not trespassing on railroad property or in any way interfering with the defendant, was mistaken for a car robber by the watchman.

FARMER-LABOR TICKET IS FILED

CROWN POINT, IND., Sept. 22.—The county Farmer-Labor ticket for Lake was filed with the election commissioners here this morning as follows: Prosecuting Attorney, Herman E. Granger, Hammond.

OFFERS REWARD FOR AIRDALE

Vic Werner, proprietor of the Burnham Inn, was in Hammond today on the trail of his thoroughbred Airdale dog, which disappeared last night. He believes the animal was stolen for friends reported seeing an automobile stop in front of the Inn last night and pick up a dog. That was at 10 o'clock and he has not seen the Airdale since. He is offering a liberal reward for information which will lead to the recovery of the pet.

WHO KNOWS HIM?

Editor Times—I am trying to locate Ross Redding, 549 Morton court of Hammond, Ind., who lived in your town at one time. Any information you can give me will be gratefully received as I have a matter of very great importance.

Dempsey and Carpentier as They Sized Up in Ring at Madison Square Garden



Boxing fans had a good opportunity to size up World's Champion Jack Dempsey and Georges Carpentier, French heavyweight, and champion of Europe, when they appeared together recently in the ring at Madison Square Garden. The occasion was the opening of boxing in New York state under the new Walker law when Joe Welling received the decision over Johnnie Dundee in a 15-round bout. The two champions, Carpentier at the left, who each may meet, are seen here in the ring shaking hands. Between them is Tex Rickard, the boxing promoter.

SOCIALISTS OPEN CAMPAIGN

George R. Kirkpatrick of New York City, author of "War, What For?" Kirkpatrick is one of the foremost Platform Speakers in America today. His lectures command the instant respect of thoughtful people everywhere. Socialist party national campaign speaker will lecture on statesmanship "The Old Deal or a New Deal" at American Legion Hall tonight. Everybody welcome. Bring your friends.

GIRL SUES FOR BREACH OF PROMISE

Bank Teller at East Chicago is Made Defendant in Action

[SPECIAL TO THE TIMES] CROWN POINT, IND., Sept. 22.—Regina Gradzieski of East Chicago filed a breach of promise suit in the Circuit Court at Crown Point on Tuesday through her attorney John D. Kennedy against Henry Niemi, a bank teller of East Chicago. Henry had a change of heart after having gone to Crown Point with his fiancée and securing the license after she had spent \$500 in wedding garments, hired a hall in which to hold the wedding reception, the banns had been published and relatives from a distance had come for the services.

TRIES TO LOCATE HIS MISSING BROTHER

Edward E. Adams, a wealthy farmer of Senish, North Dakota, was in Hammond today trying to locate his brother, Frank Adams. The North Dakota man once ran a tea and coffee store in Hammond a number of years ago and found a number of old acquaintances. Only recently he learned that his brother, Frank, whom he had not seen since they lived in Piqua, Ohio, has been working for several years in the Calumet region.

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HAMMOND G. O. P. FOR RALLY, 30TH

Thursday of next week, September 30, will be the first big rally of the republicans of Hammond for the present campaign. Plans are rapidly being rounded out to make it a regular stem-winder. Three speakers of note will be on the program of the opening event. They are Senator Medill McCormick of Illinois, Mrs. Manly LaFossen, and Congressman Will R. Wood. The meeting will be held in Unity Hall in the Huehn block.

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Gov. Cox Waits for Effects of Pacific Coast Stump Tour.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 22.—"Bank stuff" and "bar room talk" was the way Col. Wm. Boyce Thompson, chairman of the republican ways and means committee, characterized Gov. Cox's charge of republican campaign slush fund from \$15,000,000 to \$30,000,000, in testifying today in the senate committee's investigation of campaign contributions and expenditures.

Cox Has His Ear to Ground

BY HARRY L. ROGERS SEN ROUTE WITH GOV. COX, PHOENIX, ARIZ., Sept. 22.—As Gov. James M. Cox's train swung into Arizona today, eastward bound, the democratic presidential nominee and his adviser were in conference in an effort to determine what has been the effect of the "stumping" tour along the Pacific coast. His findings will be the basis upon which the campaign in California, Oregon, Washington and states adjacent will be conducted from now until election.

Leave Cox To Johnson

In view of the Johnson speech at Sacramento, the republican campaign directors are perfectly willing to leave Senator Cox to Senator Johnson in California. It was said at Harding headquarters today. It is expected here that Senator Johnson will soon take up Gov. Cox's trail through the state and answer some of the arguments the Ohio governor has been putting up.

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Today was a free day for Senator Harding—his last for a week. He expected to work on speeches during the forenoon and play golf in the afternoon.

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