

THE WEATHER. Local thunder showers, Saturday probably fair, not much change in temperature.

FRIDAY, JUNE 10, 1921. HAMMOND, INDIANA

LAPORTE CO., IN THROES OF REFORMATION

Ed Simon Announces His Mayoralty Platform Last Night

DEMOCRATS HOLD BIG LOVE FEAST

Prompt Amalgamation Is Promised By Standard Bearer.

Rigid economy, reduction of public utilities rates, improvement and extension of street car service, plenty of pure water, good streets kept in perfect condition, rigid enforcement of law and order, prompt amalgamation and numerous other things will bias Hammond if the democrats are successful in the election next fall and they carry out the pledges made by their platform and their mayoralty candidate, Ed Simon.

WHAT TO DO WHAT TO DO!

NEW YORK, June 10.—If your business falls off 60 per cent, increase your selling effort 75 per cent.

5 P.M. NEWS FLASHES

(BULLETIN.) (INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE) PITTSBURGH, Ind., June 10.—Three armed bandits this afternoon held up James Neal, efficiency manager for one of the largest department stores in the city, grabbed a bag containing \$10,000 and fled.

Labor Leader Whose Salary is Now \$25,000



Warren G. Stone has become one of the highest paid national labor executives of the country. His annual salary is \$13,500, but at the triennial convention of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers his salary as grand chief of the Brotherhood and president of its co-operative national bank, building association and pension association, was increased to \$25,000 a year.

KILLED AND INJURED BY AUTOMOBILES

One Whiting Child Killed Outright and Another Is Seriously Hurt.

(SPECIAL TO THE TIMES) WHITING, Ind., June 10.—Two children in different parts of the city were the victims of auto accidents here last night within five minutes of each other, one child was killed and one badly hurt.

Won't Somebody Do Something?

Have the people of Hammond reached the stage where the Builders vs. Building Trades deadlock is a matter of supreme indifference to them? Apparently the controversial principals are no nearer a settlement today than they were a month ago.

Conditions are as bad as words can paint them. Perhaps they are not as noticeable in summer when people can go hungry easier than they can in winter. Such was the history of the '73 and '93 hard times at least. Not only are men out of work and yet not permitted to go to work, but the resources of the city are fast being depleted.

HOOSIER POETRY FOR IOWANS

Oh, we're from I-o-w-a, I-o-w-a From that grand old land Traveling o'er the sand. Oh, we're from I-o-w-a, I-o-w-a That's where the tall corn grows.

Sims Stands Pat On His "Jackass" Talk

(INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE) LONDON, June 10.—Rear Admiral Wm. S. Sims, U. S. N., today admitted that he has received a cablegram from Secretary of the Navy Denby at Washington, demanding an explanation of his sensational "jackass" speech in this city Tuesday.

The London morning papers had no comment upon the Sims incident but a dispatch from Dublin quoted the Freeman's Journal as saying some caustic things of the American naval officer. The Dublin editorial said in part:

SUITS ASKING FOR JUDGMENTS

Two suits asking for judgments amounting to \$27,500 and which judgments are to be liens against the new Parthenon theater of Hammond were filed in the Hammond superior court by the Beckman Supply company and the Hammond Lumber company.

COUNTY COUNCIL IN NEW APPROPRIATIONS

CROWN POINT, IND., June 10.—The County Council at its meeting on Thursday made an appropriation of \$1,400 for a finger print expert for Lake county. Tom Platt, who has become very efficient with the system, will receive the appointment, having been working along this line for the past four years.

CLYDE HUNTER TO HEAD INDIANA ELKS

EVANSVILLE, IND., June 10.—The twentieth annual convention and reunion of the Elks lodge of Indiana met here yesterday for a two days' session. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Clyde Hunter, Gary; first vice president, Dr. A. J. McDonald, Bedford; second vice president, Edwin Julian, Vincennes; third vice president, Harry Knight, Elkhart; secretary, Thomas G. Hedican, Indianapolis; treasurer, J. C. Sawyer, Michigan City; trustees for three years, Julius Albe, Valparaiso; captain, Don Allman, Noblesville; sergeant-at-arms, Irving B. Hellman, Evansville.

CREDITORS' MEETING

Efforts of creditors to learn what became of the assets of the defunct Sixty Tire & Rubber company of Hammond were expected to come to a head this afternoon in the federal court at Hammond where Harry C. Sheridan, referee in bankruptcy, is holding hearings.

ROBBED BY PICKPOCKET

White B. Harmon, 255 Indiana avenue, Hammond, was at work at the St. Cradle oil plant at East Chicago, some one stole his watch from his vest pocket. He has asked the police to aid him to find the thief, Charles Ostergreen also lost a watch yesterday. It was taken from his room at 277 Johnson street.



"Cousin Everett" Harding, self-styled relative of the president, is seen here in the custody of Federal officers from his way from Chicago to the federal prison at Leavenworth, Kan. He is charged with impersonating a federal officer.

Ladies Gust Mayor, Commissioners Resign.

(BY TIMES STAFF REPORTER.) MICHIGAN CITY, Ind., June 10.—If perchance you pay a social call upon Mayor Fred C. Miller of this famous city, ask him casually what he thinks of woman's suffrage and ere you cross the Mississippi river, racing for the safety of the Rocky mountains, you will be convinced you touched upon a delicate subject.

The women, be it known, have upset another dynasty. Samsen had his Dallah, Mark his Cico and the woman who ruined Mayor Miller was Susan B. Anthony, the founder of suffrage. It is apparent that several thousand Michigan City women received a message somewhat as follows on the outside board this week:

Michigan City and Laporte are the principal cities of LaPorte county. They are industrial towns much the same as the cities of Lake county except that they have a retired farmer element. LaPorte is the county seat and trading center of a rich agricultural district. There is a large foreign-speaking colony in Michigan City but none to mention in LaPorte.

1—More water and pure water. 2—A street repair outfit in constant use. 3—Good government and respect of...

4—Adequate transportation facilities for all parts of the city. This includes street car service on Calumet avenue, city loop service by connecting the Columbia avenue extension with State street, local service over the South Shore from Indiana Harbor into Hammond.

5—Vigorous defense in every instance of the rights of patrons of public utilities. Record of present administration characterized as "most disgraceful spectacle of laying down and permitting the people's interests to go by default."

6—Stop the unnecessary expenditures and exercise the most rigid economy in the expenditures of public funds.

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Before recounting the achievements of the women voters of LaPorte county, it seems timely to tell what one of the prominent women republicans of Michigan City had to say about her enfranchised sisters in Lake county. "The women of Lake county have no conception of their power," she said. "They have let the men out smart them. I have friends in Lake county and I am fairly well acquainted with the situation there. During the county campaign the party leaders not only made the republican women swallow the whole ticket, but bull-dozing tactics but as soon as the election was over they silenced the leaders by giving them jobs. The few Lake county women who held the reins and could guide the women of the various cities, have politicians the women of Lake county. It simply means that the real leaders have not come forward. You'll have a revolt on your hands some day and it will come like it did in LaPorte county."

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