

CITY YET UNABLE TO FIND BIDDERS FOR THE GARBAGE

Board of Works Discusses Problem at Session—Many Improvements Planned.

A galaxy of petitions looking to new improvements were filed with the board of public works at their regular weekly meeting Tuesday...

Resolutions were adopted for pavement on Washington av., from Montgomery av. to Jacobs st. and a hearing of property owners affected was set for March 23.

The new work requested for which petitions were received by the board and resolutions ordered are for a sewer on the east side of the city...

The petitions for new work filed by the board were for grade, curb and walk on W. Berzan st., extending from Portage av. to N. Olive st.

Street Commissioner C. Layton, who has been seeking out bidders for the city's garbage supply, told the board that with the exception of the bidder who appeared at the meeting Tuesday, no acceptable proposition or bids had yet been received...

Several local farmers had sought him out, said Layton, requesting information on purchase of the supply, but none of these was understood, would agree to the purchase of the entire available supply.

The Idaho senator also has been in constant conference with the democratic senators who are regarded as followers of the former president, and they in turn have consulted with various of their democratic colleagues who have been inclined to follow the lead of Sen. Underwood and support all the treaties...

CHILE TAKES STEPS TO SAVE MERCHANT MARINE

SANTIAGO, Chile, Feb. 4.—(By Mail)—Coastwise shipping between Chilean ports, excepting Punta Arenas, will be reserved exclusively to Chilean vessels after January 1, 1922, under a law just passed by congress after long debate.

Supporters of the measure look upon it as a necessity to save the national shipping lines from financial ruin in face of foreign competition.

Officials of New National Clothing Store



M. LOWENSTEIN. The above are the officers of the L. & L. Company which is operating the National Store, 317 S. Michigan st., which will hold its formal opening Thursday afternoon and evening.

South Bend's Newest Ready-to-Wear Store to be Opened Here Tomorrow

Thursday marks the passing of another milestone in the progress of business in South Bend with the opening of the city's newest ready-to-wear store for men, women and children, the National Store, 317 S. Michigan st.

The opening of this store is the result of 45 years of successful merchandising by M. Lowenstein, president of the L. & L. company which is operating the National store. Mr. Lowenstein first entered the retail business 45 years ago in Valparaiso, Ind., with his brothers.

Desiring to expand, Mr. Lowenstein opened a ready-to-wear store in Bremen, Ind., 35 years ago, and operating on the same policy as used at the Valparaiso store built a very thriving business. Here he was associated with his son, Henry Lowenstein, who until the opening of the National store, acted as manager.

The L. & L. company is composed of members of both the Valparaiso and Bremen firms with M. Lowenstein as president, Milton Lowen, vice-president and Henry Lowenstein, secretary and treasurer.

ICELAND SUBJECT OF NEWMAN TALK

Noted Lecturer to Give Third of Series of Traveltalks Here Friday Night.

E. M. Newman, skilled traveler and lecturer, offers a unique Traveltalk next Friday evening at the auditorium of the High School. "Iceland and the North Cape" will be brought before the travel lover who will find that Iceland is not a land of ice but that it has fine scenery and a comparatively salubrious climate.

WHITE MULE KILLS LOGANSPORT MAN

LOGANSPORT, Ind., March 7.—Herman Bridle, age 45, dredge ditch contractor, died at the home of his nephew, Charles Hansen, near Denham, Ind., early Tuesday, as a result of drinking "white mule" whisky, according to the statement of Dr. Carmel Winamac, who attended him.

FLEISCHMANN APPEAL BEING HEARD BY BLAIR

WASHINGTON, March 7.—Rehearing on the appeal of the Fleischmann Co., Inc., of New York, from orders of Prohibition Commissioner Haynes, revoking its industrial alcohol permits, was adjourned Tuesday until Wednesday, after counsel for the company were understood to have denied the charges on which the orders were issued.

ENGAGEMENT DENIED. ROME, March 7.—Reports in circulation that negotiations were pending for the marriage of Prince King Victor, eldest daughter of King Victor Emmanuel, to Prince Nicholas of Rumania, were strongly denied in a semi-official statement issued by the Stefan agency today.

RELATE INCIDENTS OF BENEDICT'S LAST HOURS

ROME, Feb. 15.—(By Mail)—Some incidents of the last two days of the illness of the late Pope Benedict XV have just become known.

A few moments after he had told Professor Battistini, "I would gladly give my life for the peace of the world," he turned to Cardinal Gasparri and said: "One of my greatest regrets upon leaving this earth is that I shall not live to see the completion of the statute of Rappolla my great Master."

STATISTICS

MOVING PERMITS. Edward Harvey, 1292 Thrush st. to three miles northeast of city. F. E. Champagne, 433 N. Hill st. to 719 W. LaSalle av.

It is his chief and most cherished desire to convert 100,000,000 people to his slogan: "Cleanliness is health and with health the world may be moved."

Trotzky has banished grease and dirt, beards and long hair, shabby and ill-fitting clothes from the Red army and now he wants to pass on the benefits of cleanliness to the entire population. Personally, he gives the Russians a splendid example.

Trotzky claims that despite great strain of work he has been under for four years his health has improved. He certainly has improved in control of his nerves. He no longer gets excited, he has become a first-rate public speaker.

CHILDREN TO OBSERVE "TEMPERANCE" SUNDAY

CHICAGO, March 7.—Twenty million children in the United States will study temperance and the benefits of prohibition Sunday, March 12, according to an announcement made today by Mrs. Stella B. Irving, Superintendent of the Sunday School Department of the National Woman's Christian Temperance Union.

CLAIM WATCHMAN DID NOT FLAG BUS IN TIME

CLEVELAND, O., March 7.—Testimony that the watchman at St. Clair street grade crossing did not flag the automobile bus until the New York Central express train was nearly upon it, was given Tuesday by two witnesses at the resumption of the coroner's inquest at Palmetto into the cause of the collision there Friday night which resulted in the deaths of 16 persons.

MISSING EVANSVILLE GIRL IS IN CHICAGO

CHICAGO, March 7.—Louise Kiehn, 12, of Evansville, Ind., who had been missing since Saturday, was found here Tuesday. She said she had run away from a woman she had met on a train coming to Chicago to visit her uncle and that she had been sheltered in a convent until her uncle, who was delayed in meeting the train, took charge of the child.

50 Defense Witnesses to Testify at Coleman Trial

LAPORTE, Ind., March 7.—More than 50 witnesses for the defense will be introduced in the trial of Charles Coleman, charged with beating C. O. Gifford, manager of the Chatterbox Elevator at La Crosse, here, over the head with a sledge hammer to force Gifford to pay him back wages.

Prisoners earn \$40,000. WASHINGTON, March 7.—Prison employees of the Atlanta federal prison have earned approximately \$40,000 under a bonus system installed by Atty. Gen. Daugherty, according to a report on federal prison conditions submitted Tuesday night to Pres. Harding.

DEATHS

GEORGE ZEITLER. George Zeitler, of Portage Crossing, died Tuesday morning at 2:28 o'clock following an illness of four weeks. He was born in Germany, in 1861 and was 61 years of age.

MRS. CAROLINE PLUMBECK. Mrs. Caroline Plumbeck, Lydick, Ind., died on Tuesday morning at 2:45 o'clock following an illness of two months.

State Secretary of Y. M. C. A. to Attend Celebration. The widespread interest in the celebration of the 45th anniversary of the local Y. M. C. A. is evidenced in the acceptance of the invitation to be present of E. E. Stacy, state secretary of the organization for the last 31 years.

work in Indiana. J. Quincy Amos, general secretary of the local "Y" the five years preceding the war, and Orlando H. Palmer, the first general secretary of the Y. M. C. A. here.

LICENSE AND BABY. JAMESVILLE, Wis., March 7.—Frank Crocker and Marjorie Nashby fivenced up to the court house and went in to get a marriage license. When they came back someone had deposited a brand new baby in the back seat.

The Radio Corporation of America. have appointed this company as authorized distributors of Radio Apparatus. South Bend Electric Company. Frank A. Shumaker, Sec'y and Gen'l Mgr.

ROBERTSON BROTHERS COMPANY. Tweeds Are the Talk of the Town. Tweed Coats For Women, Tweed Coats For Misses, Tweed Skirts, Tweed Suits, Smart Tweed Suits, Sport Hats to Complete the Tweed Costume, Children's Tweed Hats.