

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL NEWS

COMING EVENTS

The members of the Women's Guild of St. Paul's Episcopal church will meet in the parlors of the church...

Last evening the members of the World Wide Guild met with Miss Elizabeth York at her home in Morton avenue...

To Rent—A Bissell Electric Suction cleaner with all accessories for cleaning rugs, mattresses, springs, furniture...

The Ladies Aid Society of the First Presbyterian church will be entertained by Mrs. J. William Beckman and Mrs. John M. Beecher...

The annual social day of the home economics department of the Hammond Women's Club will be observed tomorrow, May 29th...

The first nomination of officers took place last evening at the meeting of the Hammond Chapter Eastern Star...

HAIR ON FACE DISAPPEARS QUICK. The most effective, convenient and harmless way to remove hair is with DeWitt's...

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DECORATION DAY PROGRAM AT HALL

Morning Ceremony at Cemetery, Memorial Service at Hall Following.

In accordance with the proclamation of President Wilson Decoration day is to be observed in Hammond without pomp and in a devotional and patriotic spirit...

The program at 2:30 in the afternoon at Liberty Hall for the union memorial service will be preceded by a short band concert by the Federation of Musicians...

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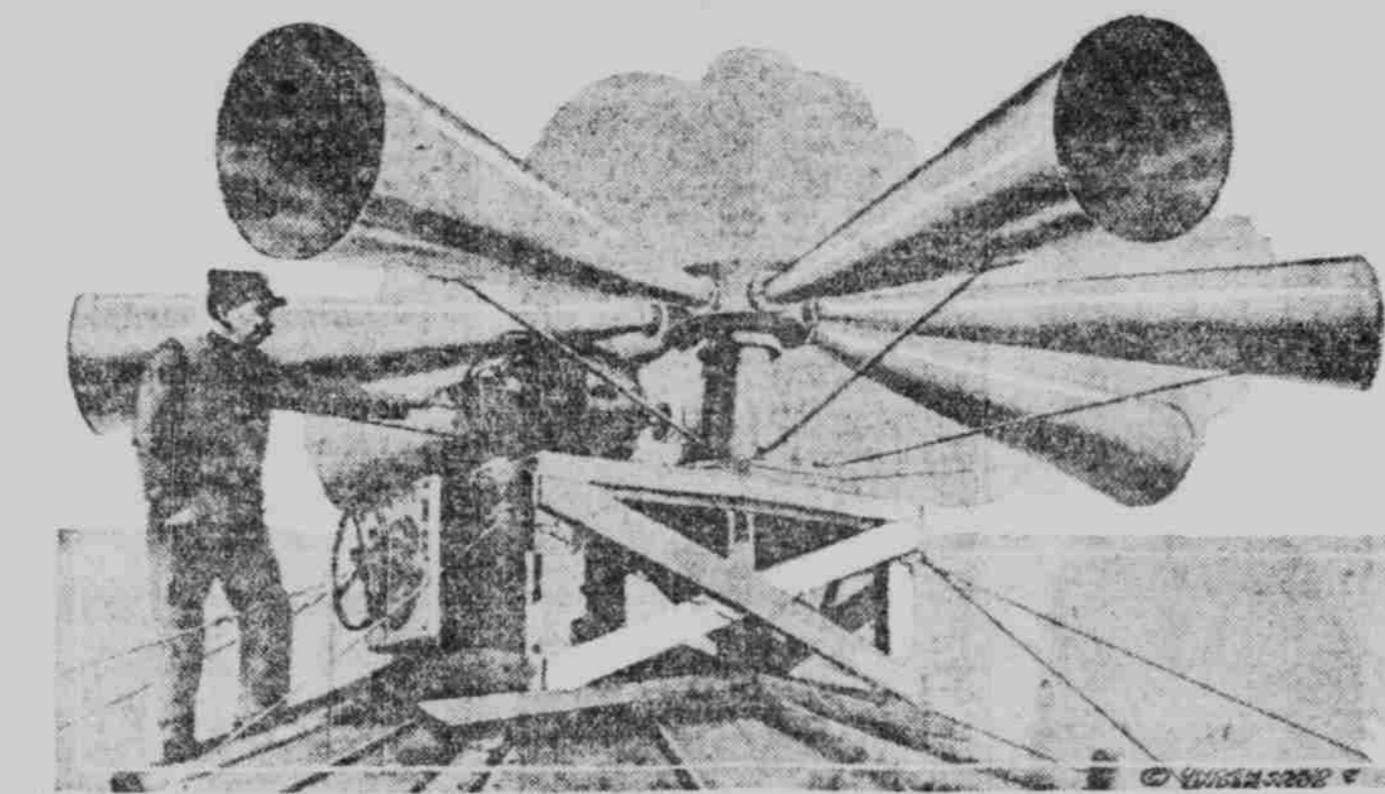
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HUGE SIREN ON NOTRE DAME WARNS PARIS OF AIR RAIDS



This siren placed on the tower of Notre Dame is one of the twenty-six fixed sirens that are being installed all over Paris to warn the people of air raids or the approach of shells from the long range German gun.

THANKS THE TIMES

Gary, Ind., May 25, 1918. Editor Times: Gary's second Red Cross campaign is over and we can truly say we have gone over and have proven to our boys here and 'over there' we are backing them not only with our thoughts and well wishes...

Captain O. N. Stevens and Mrs. Stevens of Fort Mill, Okla., were the guests of Captain Stevens' parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Stevens, 95 Goshall street...

Mrs. Glenn H. Brought opened her home last evening for the meeting of the Equal Franchise League. It was the regular business meeting of the members and several matters of interest were discussed...

The mothers of enlisted men are invited to participate in the patriotic exercises on Memorial day and are asked to meet either at the courthouse at 9 o'clock or the north gate of the cemetery...

St. Paul's Senior League will meet at 9 o'clock this evening to make arrangements for Memorial day.

On account of Decoration day the meeting of St. Paul's Junior League will be held on Wednesday evening of this week at 8 o'clock, instead of Thursday, at the church parlors.

Henry Herbst returned yesterday from Laport, where he spent his week-end visiting Alfred Hugo.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy T. Frost, Mr. and Mrs. Selma Hugo, attended a meeting of the Evangelical church at the home of the Rev. R. H. Adams in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph C. Wagon, Texas, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Vernon C. Wagon at Detroit street.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Burk and Mrs. Vernon C. Wagon at the Palace theater in Chicago.

300 CASUALTIES WHEN HUNS BOMB HOSPITAL. LONDON, May 28.—Three hundred casualties resulted from the recent bombing of the hospital at Etaples, France, by German airmen...

NO CELEBRATION THIS YEAR. Chief Auxier of the Hammond police issues a warning to any one selling any kind of fire works or explosives for the Fourth of July this year.

AT DE LUXE. A bubbling colicking comedy featuring Emil Bennett, coming to the DeLuxe theatre, Saturday, June 1.

STEVE IS FINED. Steve Diskula was arrested at Columbia avenue and 15th street by Officer Warner for riding a bicycle on the sidewalk and was fined eight dollars in the Hammond city court this morning by Judge Klotz.

CALL FOR MEMORIAL DAY SERVICES. To the Members of the Central Conference of American Rabbis: Dear Brethren:

In deference to the request made by President Wilson that all citizens observe May 30 as a day of prayer for the safety and welfare of the cause, I beg the members of the Conference to arrange a solemn service for that day in their respective congregations and communities.

Let us express our fervent loyalty to our country and our certainty that the cause we defend is just, and our conviction that by the ideal of democracy alone, men and nations alike attain to moral truth and vigor, and our hope that this struggle may chasten the world and bring to it that enduring peace for which all righteous men yearn.

For statistical purposes, it might be well if the members of the Conference would inform the Corresponding Secretary if they conduct such a service.

FRATERNALLY YOURS, LOUIS WILSEY, Cor. Sec.

Mrs. Minnie Johnson, 24 years old, colored, who lived at 1732 Jefferson street, Gary, fell to the sidewalk near 14th avenue and Adams street shortly after midnight today. When a doctor came he pronounced her dead.

GEORGE FITE WRITES HOME FROM FRANCE

The professional people in the Hammond Building were pleased today to hear from George W. Fite, an insurance man with offices in the building, who is now in France.

Writing The Times George says: 'Many Northern Indiana boys are here and we are ready and anxious to give a good account of ourselves. I had Boone could see his boys cover here by word start out immediately and recruit another army. Indiana has become a word to determine where a strange soldier is from. We just yell 'Indiana' at him. And nine out of ten times that's where he's from.'

These companies are organizing under Polish colors and will be equipped and provisioned by the French government. They have no mother country to draw on for support and the money that is obtained from the benefit will be used for Red Cross work among these Polish recruits and soldiers.

Following is the program that will be rendered by the Polish military band that has been recruited from Niagara Falls, Canada. It is said that it is one of the finest military bands in existence.

At 3 o'clock this afternoon the children were admitted for 10 cents and tonight at 8 o'clock adults will be admitted for 50 cents and \$1.

1. Napoleon's Last Charge—Ellis Paul 2. Double Waves—Yvanovitch 3. Wreath of Polish Melodies.

4. Polka—Beauty 5. Eaux 6. Selection from Ch. Gounod's Opera 7. Twilight Echoes—Serenata 8. Feet and Peasants—Overture 9. Napoleon's Last Charge—Fr. V. Lappe 10. American Patrol—F. W. Meacham 11. Echoes from the Opera 12. Solo—Song

Mr. Kloczewski, a noted singer from the Polish opera.

NEGRO ESCAPES FROM HOSPITAL. Mitchell Wilborn, the negro who was put up in a stabbing affair Monday night May 20th, when he and Robert Carter another negro, had a fight over a woman, and who Judge Klotz sentenced with Carter to 90 days at the Penal Farm and fined \$50 in addition, escaped from St. Margaret's hospital last night.

Carter had been placed in the hospital until he recovered enough from his wounds to be taken away, and the police think he must have stolen clothes from the hospital as he had nothing on but his night clothes when last seen by the attendants.

E. GARY COP NOW IN FRANCE. Ross Boyer, former Gary police sergeant, who enlisted in the army when Mayor Johnson went out of office, is now in France, Prosecutor Clyde Hunter got a card from Boyer, who is in an infantry regiment, telling of his life abroad overseas.

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THE TIMES' FINANCIAL COLUMN. A list of various stocks and bonds with their prices.

CHICAGO GRAIN FUTURES. Corn—July, 15c; June, 15 1/2c. Oats—May, 7 1/2c; July, 6 1/2c; June, 7c.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK. Hogs—Receipts, 23,000. Market slow. 30c lower. Mixed, \$16.20-\$16.50, good, \$16.50-\$17.00, rough, \$15.50-\$16.00.

CHICAGO PRODUCE. Butter—Creamery extra, 41c; creamery, 40c; firsts, 38c-40c, seconds, 34c-35c.

J. E. WARE HAS A NOVELTY. J. E. Ware, 41 Sibley street, Hammond, has modeled the Indiana home of Lincoln with its front and back door open, fence, old well, rail fence, etc., and offers to exhibit it on the courthouse grounds on Decoration day.

ST. JOHN. Rance at Spring Hill Grove, Thursday evening, May 29. Good music. 8-26-18

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Fireman Suffered Intense Pain. Well-Known Brockton, Mass., Fire-fighter Tells of Var-ne-sis. How It Proved True Remedy for Lumbago and Neuritis.



MR. CHARLES A. GOULD of the Brockton Fire Dept. Had rheumatism about five years, intense pain in the back from lumbago. He says: 'In a short time after taking Var-ne-sis, the pain gradually left me, and now I have no trouble whatever. This is but one of the many true stories of Var-ne-sis. Write for a free trial bottle. 25 HAMILTON AVENUE, LYNN, MASS., for Var-ne-sis, or get it from any reliable druggist.'

VAR-NE-SIS. CONQUELS RHEUMATISM.

RESPECTED EAST CHICAGO MAN DIES

John Gulley, residing at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Learman, 4509 Gleason avenue, East Chicago, died at 8:30 o'clock last night from a complication of diseases.

On November 1th he was stricken with typhoid fever and never fully recovered from that trouble. He has been a resident of East Chicago for the last three years, a foreman at the Inland Steel plant. The home of his parents is in Milwaukee.

The body was cared for by Undertaker Huber and was shipped on the 12:20 train today via the Pennsylvania Railroad Company to Milwaukee. A brother will meet the remains in Chicago and accompany them to their destination.

Mr. Gulley was a prominent Mason and his father, James Gulley, is one of the pioneer residents of Milwaukee and highly respected.

MUST GO TO CAMP WITH FINGER OFF. EVANSVILLE, IND., May 28.—Thomas Markley, who was expected to leave today for Camp Zachary Taylor with other county registrants, shot off the index finger of his right hand yesterday, and Joseph Markley, his brother, who also is to leave with the drafted men, said the registrant blew off his finger with a revolver to escape military service. Chairman James Ingle of the local draft board announced that Markley will go with the men despite his missing finger. The camp authorities will deal with Markley, Markley claims that it was an accident and that he was cleaning the gun.

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