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Window Smashers Again In Action

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Vicious Circulars Distributed at Covington, Louisiana, by Pro-Aliens

Attempt to Discredit Klan Balked—Prominent Attorney Is Charged With Conspiracy by Jury

(Special to The Fiery Cross)

COVINGTON, La., May 12.—With the latest attempted "frame-up" on the Klan having fallen flat in this town, and an ex-Mason (a man who was reared a Catholic, left the church and returned to it) indicted by a special grand jury, more or less excitement has prevailed. The indictment followed the circulation of vicious circulars purporting to have been issued by the Klan and which threatened certain citizens of Covington. The grand jury, after investigation, returned an indictment charging conspiracy against Dr. Armand Mary, who, after leaving the Catholic church and joining the Masons, later gave up the latter and went back to the Catholic church.

It is alleged that Dr. Mary and certain friends went into consultation when a Klan was formed here, and decided that a Klan and a lodge of Knights of Columbus could not survive in the same town. Following the meeting a committee notified the Exalted Cyclops that he must either move his Klan out of town or disband. As is quite natural, the Klan exercised its constitutional rights and remained in the city.

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With the sweeping defeat of all "anti-Klan" candidates at the recent primaries, D. C. Stephenson, former Democratic candidate, has now joined with those forces that would tear down the Klan organization.

Klansmen! Your organization is now being attacked as never before: The Klan has always been attacked from the outside, but now, Rome, that implacable enemy, has succeeded in securing from within, a tool which is now bent on rending asunder your organization. The fight has started; aided by every ingenuity known and concocted by the common enemy of true Americanism a campaign has been inaugurated to kill the Klan organization. Do not be fooled in the camouflaged objective placed before you. The objective of those behind the move is to kill the organization.

The blow has been struck at a time when the Klan in Indiana is flourishing as never before. Stick to your guns and do not let the enemy have your ear, regardless of what insidious propaganda may be fed to you. Remember, the move is to kill the Klan. Magazines, newspapers, telegrams, circulars and vocal pyrotechnics attacking honorable Klansmen are being used as vehicles for charges that in some instances are so ridiculous as to seem to come from the brain of a school boy.

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ers to his campaign of hate, the Klan organization, founded on love, would be disrupted. Turning love into hate is a mighty weapon of destruction. Klansmen, stick by your guns. Do not let Rome, in this new disguise, secure so much as a toothhold within your Klavern.

So rabid are the utterances of the chief disturber that newspapers are writing sarcastic editorials on them. Consumed with a desire for absolute destruction of the Klan organization, which is today standing between America and the Roman hierarchy, the alien hordes who would alienize our country, crooked politicians and other sinister influences, the mouthpiece has thrown to the winds all discretion and to many seems to be

bordering on a state of hysteria.

Klansmen, the supreme test is here! Guard your Klavern against emissaries of hate and destruction! Remember you are united in a common cause with millions of other Americans and should your cause fail, your children and your children's children will suffer. Don't be fooled by what men may have done in the past to help build your organization. Realize what they are attempting to do today. Remember that past performances are sometimes misleading.

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The garage is owned by M. H. Hollingsworth and R. M. Taylor. They reported the matter to the police. Whether or not any arrests will follow is a matter of conjecture. The only arrests made in such cases was when Mayor Shank ordered a "roundup" of these vandals simultaneously with his announcement of his candidacy in the governorship race. A number of arrests were made, but it convictions followed it is not common knowledge. It was noted at that time by The Fiery Cross that when the mayor announced his intention of running for office that the smashing of plateglass windows of Protestant merchants was effectually stopped. By just what means one can only conjecture.

It is significant, however, that no windows were smashed while Mayor Shank was in the race for governor and that immediately after he was out of the race, the window smashing begins again. It is thought possible that the venting of hate by the vandals is a reflection of the sentiment held at the city hall where Mayor Shank is discharging employees by the score and says he "has only just begun." His reason for his action, he declares, is that the employees were not loyal because they voted for others at the primaries.

Wholesale Dismissals

The wholesale discharging of workers on the city payroll recalls the days last summer when the brick heaving squad was in full swing and Chief of Police Rikhoof was discharging Masons from the police force and Mike Glenn spending much of his time harassing and arresting Fiery Cross newboys. All of those things ceased, however, when Mr. Shank announced his candidacy. Now that he has been defeated, and overwhelmingly so, the bricks are again beginning to crash through the windows of Protestant business men and the wholesale discharging of city employees is in evidence once more.

In the meantime the city council goes on with its investigation of Mr. Shank's administration.

LIGHTS TURNED OFF

VERMILION, O., May 10.—Because this town is unable to meet its expenses, it has decided to do away with its street lights for a time. The decision to turn off the lights was reached when the village was unable to pay its electric light bill of \$1,900.

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June 14 has been designated as National Day. Meals will be served on the Klan grounds. Contracts have been signed for "rides" and other amusement devices to furnish fun during the week. The committee is working untiringly to make the homecoming the biggest of the year to be held in Terre Haute.

The Klan here is booming along nicely and the membership is growing most satisfactorily. At the ceremony last week one hundred candidates were initiated. In addition to the ceremony a Klan warlet was on the program and was warmly received. A speaker delivered an excellent address and was applauded often during his talk.

Much enthusiasm was shown throughout the evening, and all members are eager to make the homecoming a howling success. One of the chief features will be a mid-way approximately one block in length.

ROACHDALE TO HAVE PARADE THURSDAY

ROACHDALE, Ind., May 12.—Not to be outdone by her sister towns, Roachdale will give a demonstration by Klansmen on Thursday night, May 15, at which time a nationally known speaker will deliver an address on the principles of the Ku Klux Klan.

A parade will feature the evening and it is expected to have many invaders in line. Roachdale is situated at the junction of the Monon and the C. I. & W. railroads and is easily reached, it being but sixteen miles from Crawfordsville and approximately the same distance from Greencastle.

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According to contracts submitted for inspection, each member must be a grower and each member has one vote which may be cast by person or by mail. This feature, it was pointed out, gives complete control to the members. Particular stress was laid on this point by Mr. Taylor. Aaron Sapiro, spoken of by the Dearborn Independent, it was explained, was the person who outlined the system which was later adopted by the Indiana Farm Bureau but in no way does it place any control into his hands.

Voting Power

In connection with the voting power, paragraph five of the agreement was pointed out, which reads:

"The members in each district shall meet annually for a primary election to be held in the district and conducted as, where and when specified by the directors; and they shall select one person in each district to be presented as the person to represent such district. Such nominees must be elected as directors at the general meeting, and shall be deemed to be elected by all the votes cast in all the districts at such primary elections."

"If unable to attend, the member may vote at such primary meetings by mail, on a signed ballot prepared under the direction of the board of directors."

"That of which the articles accuse the farm bureau, is that for which the bureau was formed to relieve the farmer of," said Mr. Taylor. "At this time the grower is at the mercy of Jewish brokers and is Jew-controlled stock exchanges. These conditions it is the purpose of the farm bureau to remedy. With the elimination of countless middlemen, the farmer may get a much better price (Continued on page 5)

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These two men played prominent parts in the arrest of Klansmen in this city during 1923. At one time a party of Klansmen returning from a funeral were arrested and thrown into jail together with the American flag and Bible which they were carrying as they were returning quietly to their homes after leaving the cemetery.

KLANS OF RANDOLPH AND DARKE COUNTIES TO HOLD JOINT MEET

Big Celebration Planned to Be Held at Union City May 24

Parade to Feature Demonstration—
Enthusiasm Now at High Pitch

(Special to The Fiery Cross)

WINCHESTER, Ind., May 12.—Plans are practically completed here for the part Randolph county will play in the joint celebration of this county and Darke county, Ohio, which will be held in Union City on Saturday, May 24. The celebration will mark the opening of activities by the Randolph Klan for the summer months. Much enthusiasm is apparent here and the celebration will no doubt be a big success.

Word received here from Darke county Klansmen gives the information that the situation obtains in the Ohio county and the joint celebration, from all present indications, will be largely attended by both Hoosiers and Buckeyes.

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A parade will be a part of the program and at this time it is expected that a ceremonial will be held at which a large class of candidates will be initiated. This, however, has not been fully decided upon and it is possible that the cand-

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In addition to passing appropriation bills both houses of Congress have disposed of the pension bill, the bonus bill and the immigration bill. The president promptly vetoed the pension bill, and its author, Senator Bursum, is counting noses to see whether he can get his bill passed over the veto. The commander-in-chief of the G. A. R. has declared the president's veto is both cruel and unjust to the old soldiers of the country.

It is likewise believed that President Coolidge will veto the soldiers' bonus bill as soon as it reaches him at the White House, for his well-known position on the bonus question leads to that prediction. He made a public declaration last December in his message to Congress that he was not in favor of a bonus and said that the treasury could not reduce taxes and carry the bonus at one and the same time.

The president has a precedent in mind, that of the late President Harding vetoing a former bonus bill, and that has helped him make up his mind to some extent. It is predicted here that Mr. Coolidge will not wait long to take action on the bonus bill and that he is pretty certain to veto it on the ground of economy. If he does exercise the veto it is believed that Congress will attempt to pass the bill over his veto.

President Unhappy

President Coolidge is believed to be unhappy in the situation in which he finds himself and his party at this time. He is troubled over the substitution of Democratic measures for the Mellon plan which he so strongly advocated as revenue measures. The Mellon plan seems to be gone. Over in the House the Garner revenue measure was adopted as a substitute and now over in the Senate one finds the Simmons substitute adopted over the Mellon plan.

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In acknowledging the receipt of the many telegrams on the subject, Senator Mayfield said:

"I am in receipt of your wire about the refusal of the officers of San Antonio to prosecute the violators of the Volstead act. I took up the matter with Attorney-General Stone and requested him to give directions and instructions to the Federal district attorney and to the United States marshal of San Antonio district to prosecute vigorously all violations of the law and to accept complaints tendered by Captain Baldwin (Continued on page 5)

PASTOR'S ATTITUDE CAUSES COMMENT

Portland Minister Aligns Self With Opponents of Free Schools

(Special to The Fiery Cross)

PORTLAND, Ind., May 12.—One of the chief topics of conversation in this city for the past week has been the refusal of the minister of the Presbyterian church to allow members of the Ku Klux Klan to attend his church in a body. Much adverse comment has been heard in connection with the actions of the pastor, who, it is understood, had the matter up with the official church board, the members of which did not object to the Klansmen attending the church.

According to certain reliable information, the pastor, after having not agreed with the board, went to certain members of the church and secured what he evidently deemed enough backing to refuse the Klansmen the privilege of worship in the Presbyterian church. The Klansmen, not wishing to enter into any controversy about attending church,

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Mayor Durgan, although running well in Catholic communities, ran a very poor second, but has succeeded, it now seems, in securing the statement by Dr. McCulloch, in getting the latter to demand an "anti-Klan" plank. Mayor Durgan spoke under the auspices of the un-American Unity League throughout the campaign and appealed to the citizens to keep the Bible out of the public schools. As the Catholics are adverse to the Bible being read in the schools, it is evident, from the success of Durgan in Catholic communities, that his campaign against the Bible in the schools won him many votes.

That the Catholic and alien voters cast their ballots against the men sponsored by Klansmen is seen in a close scrutiny of the returns. In the face of this, however, candidates favored by Klansmen swept the nominations. It is hardly to be doubted that the victory of the candidates in Indiana was ever duplicated in any state in the union. Candidates backed by Klansmen are being nominated or elected in all parts of the United States but never before have candidates been so overwhelmingly victorious.

Situation Summed Up

The whole is summed up in the trite words of Mayor Shank, who has consistently fought the Klansmen and Protestants of the state when he said: "There are too many (Continued on Page 5)

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Remarkable Letters Come to Us Daily Here Is a Sample. Read It

Lewis Laboratories,
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Gentlemen:

Believing I owe you a testimonial, I will tell you and to the world that I consider your new gland systematic treatment the greatest remedy of modern times. I have doctored for years without any relief and when you read of my story you will understand why I am so grateful to you. I used to be an actor in the Minstrel Show business and did lots of rough and tumble work. Years ago, from over-exertion I lost my mainy vigor, my legs and feet gave way and a kind of paralysis set in on my left side. For years I had to drag my left leg and always wore the toes of my shoe soles off. Was numb across the small of my back, couldn't get up or down stairs. In fact I was a wreck every way. I tried everything without any help. I tried your gland treatment as a last resort. After three weeks treatment I found I could sit down and raise my feet in the air. Before I couldn't raise my feet six inches from the floor. After five weeks the paralysis disappeared. I could walk or run as good as any man, my vigor has returned and I feel like twenty-five years younger. And everybody says I look it too. I honestly believe your gland treatment should be brought to the notice of everybody who has lost his health and pep and suffers as I did. I know it will help them for everything I have tried failed to help me, and everybody who I have recommended to try your gland treatment says the same. I am a Moose here, member L. O. O. M. number 17, Moose Legion No. 27 and my lodge brothers will sign their names to any statement I make.

Yours truly,
John Robert Andrus,
308 East Georgia St., Indianapolis, Ind.



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A Weekly Mirror of Congress

Daily Activities of Your Senators and Representatives

(Bureau of Publication and Education)

Monday, May 5

SENATE—Met at noon; recessed at 5:25 p. m.

Democratic surtax rates in the tax revision bill were adopted by a vote of 43 to 40. Republicans and Insurgents who joined the Democrats were Brookhart, Iowa; Frazier, North Dakota; Howell, Nebraska; Johnson, California; Ladd, North Dakota; Norbeck, South Dakota; Norris, Nebraska; Bruce, Maryland; and Edwards, New Jersey. Democrats, voted with the Republicans.

The Democrat substitute on the normal income tax rates was adopted by a vote of 44 to 37. This was supported by Senators Brookhart, Capper, Johnson (California), Ladd, Norbeck and Norris, Republicans and Insurgents. Bruce and Edwards, Democrats, voted with the Republicans.

Chairman Smoot, in charge of tax bill, intimated that he would move to hold night sessions. Minority Leader Robinson countered with a declaration that the Democrats were not desirous of delaying action on the revenue measure and were ready to proceed with a vote on the bill and all amendments immediately.

As agreed to, the normal rate on incomes below \$4,000 would be 2 per cent, on incomes between \$4,000 and \$8,000, 4 per cent, and on incomes of more than \$8,000, 6 per cent.

The Democratic plan as adopted calls for a reduction in the maximum surtax rate from 50 to 40 per cent.

Passed the bill providing for codification and revision of the laws governing the veterans' bureau.

Another unsuccessful effort was made to get action on a resolution for investigation of published charges that Senator Gooding, Idaho, was favored in loans by the War Finance Corporation.

Republican conference decided to take up measures looking to farm relief after the passage of the revenue bill.

Passed a bill appropriating \$40,000 for participation by the United States in the second international conference for the regulation of traffic in habit-forming drugs.

An increase of \$300 a year in the salaries of postal clerks and carriers was recommended in a bill reported by the postoffice committee as a substitute for the measure prepared by the joint postal conference.

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that "if legislation that the country considered essential is completed" Congress will be able to adjourn "for that national calamity—the Republican convention."

The Senate adopted the Jones resolution for employment of counsel for the committee investigating the Internal Revenue Bureau. The tax bill was again taken up only to be laid aside for consideration of the appropriation bill for the departments of justice, state, commerce and labor.

The public lands committee ordered a favorable report on the resolution for a congressional inquiry into the whole subject of land grants to the Northern Pacific Railway Company.

Agreement was reached under which passage will be sought of the resolution of Senator Walsh, Massachusetts, for an inquiry into the depression in the textile industry.

Senator Borah proposes an amendment to existing law under which more drastic provisions would be enacted for the publication of reports of all elections and campaign committees of campaign contributions, including contributions to make good deficits.

Senator Norris, Nebraska, charged that politics is being played in efforts to have Henry Ford's bid for Muscle Shoals accepted. In committee he had inserted in the record a copy of the minutes of a meeting of the Tennessee River Improvement Association held in March, 1923, in which the president of that organization was quoted as saying that Representative Madden, of Illinois, had promised to see that representatives selected as members of the military affairs committee would be favorable to the Ford offer.

HOUSE—Met at noon; adjourned at 5:12 p. m.

Passed the District of Columbia appropriation bill, carrying a total of approximately \$24,660,000, including the Crampston amendment appropriating \$890,000 for street improvements, to be met out of motor vehicle gas receipts. The bill abolishes the 60-40 plan of financing the district and provides for a fixed appropriation by the federal government of \$8,000,000.

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used by the Chinese government for educational purposes.

Passed Senate bill appropriating \$20,000 and authorizing the president to appoint a commission to co-operate with Mexico in planning for the equitable distribution of waters of the Rio Grande for irrigation purposes.

Thursday, May 8

SENATE—With both Republican and Democratic leaders condemning the conference report on the immigration bill which would postpone Japanese exclusion, the Senate devoted two hours to heated debate on the conference committee's conclusions.

Senator Lodge reiterated his statement when the bill was under consideration that the United States alone has the power to say who shall come in as immigrants.

Senator Robinson charged the president with an "about face" on the subject of Japanese exclusion immediately after the California presidential preference primary.

Senator Shortridge, California, declared he would make a point of order against the provision written into the conference report.

Establishment of a world court at the Hague, to which the United States would adhere, is proposed in a resolution introduced by Senator Lodge, and in which the details are set forth at great length. It was referred to the foreign relations committee.

Adopted the McKinley amendment restoring postal rates on newspapers to the rate in effect in 1919, when they were advanced as a war emergency revenue proposition.

Adopted an amendment authorizing refund of taxes paid by farmers or other mutual casualty insurance companies under the revenue laws of 1916, 1917, 1918 and 1921, but subject to the limitations provided by such laws.

The agriculture committee favorably reported the Dial resolution to create the "alien property trade investment corporation."

At the outset of the hearings in the Mayfield (Texas) senatorial contested election case Senator Mayfield's attorneys filed a motion to dismiss the contest. It was taken under advisement and the hearing of witnesses commenced.

The agricultural committee reported favorably a resolution seeking information as to certain campaign contributions by the meat packers.

The Daugherty investigating committee heard testimony concerning the activities in Montana of Blair Coan, an alleged Republican national committee investigator, and of the activities of the late Jess Smith around the department of justice.

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amendments at 2 o'clock with final disposition before adjournment.

The bill being taken up in the Senate after consideration as in committee of the whole, an effort by Republican leaders to substitute a 32 per cent maximum surtax for the Democratic 40 per cent maximum already adopted was rejected by a vote of 47 to 36.

Five Insurgents, Johnson of California, and the two Farmer-Labor senators, voted with the Democrats. Senators Bayard, Delaware, and Bruce, Maryland, supported the Republicans.

The final stand of Republican regulars was made on the 37 1/2 per cent maximum surtax rate as provided in the House bill. This was rejected by a vote of 46 to 39. Hiram Johnson, Brookhart, Frazier, Howell, Ladd, Norbeck and Norris, Insurgents, voting with the Democrats, while Bayard, Bruce and Glass, Democrats, voted with the Republicans.

Launching a fight for the passage of the McNary-Haugan grain export bill as an amendment to the tax bill, Senator Norbeck, South Dakota, declared farm conditions in the northwest are worse than they were in 1895, when wheat sold for 45 cents a bushel.

A vote on the question of overriding the veto of the Bureau pension bill was blocked by Senator Dial, South Carolina, who refused unanimous consent to lay aside the tax bill.

Owing to the illness of Senator Heflin, the committee investigating alleged land frauds in Texas has postponed further hearings of that committee for one week.

A large number of photostatic copies of letters that were said to have figured before the grand jury in the indictment of Senator Wheeler, Montana, were laid before the committee investigating the indictment.

HOUSE—Met at noon; adjourned at 5:30 p. m.

By a vote of 191 to 171 the House refused to accept the conference report on the immigration bill containing the president's suggestion for postponement of Japanese exclusion until March 1, 1925, and recommitted the report, with instructions to the conferees to eliminate the stipulation written into the bill by the conferees. The motion to recommit was supported by twenty-three Republicans, 165 Democrats, one Socialist, one Independent and one Farmer-Labor. Eleven Democrats and 160 Republicans opposed it.

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This proved to be the start of a

CHIEF DID NOT BLOW OUT ELECTRIC LIGHTS

Cigarette Stubs Play Important Part in North Vernon Probe

(Special to The Fiery Cross)

NORTH VERNON, Ind., May 12.—After looking over the list of "charges" against Dan Hollinsworth, former chief of police, and who was dismissed from the police force by Mayor Charles A. Webster, it is found that someone forgot to charge Hollinsworth with blowing out the electric lights, or sleeping on the cement sidewalks.

To a disinterested party it would appear that one of Hollinsworth's deadly offenses was allowing cigarette stubs to accumulate on a table in a local poolroom. Just what that had to do with his official duties has not been made quite clear. Hollinsworth also committed the unpardonable sin of eating candy in a poolroom, although to date it has not been found that any of North Vernon's citizens have quit speaking to him on that account.

Very Plain

However, Mayor Webster didn't like the looks of the streets, it is said, and while Hollinsworth did not lay out the city, he was chief of police. So, according to the story that is going the rounds, his honor called up Hollinsworth and called him down after calling into the "conference" the owner of The Plain Dealer (to prove he was going to deal plainly, possibly), and a member of the city council gave Hollinsworth a grilling and preferred charges (with-out asking the chief what charges he preferred) in which the chief learned he was not acting as became an officer.

Soon after this the chief became a plain citizen right in the sight of the owner of The Plain Dealer and after plain talk by the mayor.

So far as can be learned, Mayor Webster is hardly what could be called hostile to the un-American

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Unity League. On the other hand, it appears that the ex-chief doesn't go in much for that kind of stuff. Hence, the accumulated cigarette stubs, candy and the like. In fact, the chief is said to have gently retarded a reputed member of said league of unity from tearing up bills which announced a meeting of the Ku Klux Klan, an organization which, it is understood, is said to be functioning in Indiana.

Mayor Has Information

With the foregoing information, one may, if he has an active brain, fathom the mystery of the cigarette stubs on the alleged abandoned table. For further information concerning

the alleged organization, which is said to be known as the Knights of the Ku Klux Klan, and which it is believed in some places, has members in Indiana, it was learned here today that such information could be secured of Mayor Shank of Indianapolis.

NEWSPAPER MAN DIES

YOUNGSTOWN, O., May 10.—Archibald Franklin Kroeck, thirty-seven, one of the best known newspaper men in Youngstown, died last night at his home on Indianola Heights. He was born in Chicago, but had lived in Youngstown thirty-five years.

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Tuesday, May 6

SENATE—Met at noon; recessed at 9 p. m.

Political speeches forced the tax bill aside for the day. Republicans in conference agreed to seek a compromise with the insurgents on the surtax rates, making their last stand at a maximum of 37 1/2 per cent, the rates of the House bill.

The fight over investigation of the Internal Revenue Bureau and Secretary Mellon was resumed when Senator Jones, New Mexico, called up his resolution authorizing the investigation committee to employ special counsel and such other agents as the committee deems necessary. This was adopted later in the day.

Chairman Watson, Indiana, of the special investigating committee, announced he had "no present intention of ever pressing" his resolution to discharge the committee from further consideration of the subject before it, and added that he had no objection to adoption of the Jones resolution.

In the debate the administration was denounced and defended, and when Senator Sheppard, Texas, introduced a letter bearing on the subject of prohibition enforcement the discussion went on that tangent and became bitter.

Senator Watson declared the country was tired of investigations and weary of a situation "in which innuendo, suspicion and spite take the place of the measured rules of the law in determining facts."

Sensors Watson, Indiana, and Walsh, Montana, got into a tilt when the Indiana senator declared that after the Teapot Dome case had been presented to the court that the committee "went far afield for political issues for campaign purposes."

The discussion was participated in by Senators Robinson, Arkansas; Bruce, Maryland; Fletcher, Florida; Watson, Indiana; Norris, Nebraska; Reed, Pennsylvania; Jones, New Mexico; Edge, New Jersey; McKellar, Tennessee; Sheppard, Texas, and Willis, Ohio. Most of the speeches were aimed at prohibition and its enforcement.

Minority Leader Robinson denounced a recent published statement of George B. Lockwood, secretary of the Republican national committee and editor of the National Republican, and demanded he be brought before a Senate committee to explain his attacks on the Senate.

When Senator Watson charged the Democrats had decided to prevent an adjournment for the national convention, Senator Robinson replied

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Wednesday, May 7

SENATE—Met at noon; in session most of the afternoon.

Senator Gooding, Idaho, in a speech on the agricultural situation, charged the government "profiteered" in its wheat transactions during the war.

Senator Harris, Georgia, urged an increase in income tax exemption for persons of moderate means.

Senator Lodge asked unanimous consent for consideration of the child labor constitutional amendment upon completion of the tax bill, but Senator Wadsworth, New York, objected to any agreement at this time.

Senator Sheppard, Texas, introduced several measures designed to make more drastic the laws relating to exclusion from the mails of fraudulent devices and lottery paraphernalia.

The military affairs committee favorably reported a bill that would authorize the president to appoint Sergeant Alvin C. York, world war hero, as a captain in the army and place him on the retired list.

Chairman Borah, of the committee investigating the indictment of Senator Wheeler, Montana, urged all persons having information which may aid the committee, to submit their evidence.

Responding to White House insistence, conferees on the immigration bill reconsidered their previous action on Japanese exclusion and will report a provision to make Japanese exclusion effective March 1, 1925, with an understanding that, meantime, a formal abrogation of the gentlemen's agreement will be negotiated and a treaty entered into, to be approved by the Senate.

James Martin Miller testified before the agricultural committee that he truthfully represented the attitude of the president when he wired Henry Ford that the executive was "trying to deliver" Muscle Shoals to the Michigan manufacturer. Chairman Norris, issued a statement in which he charged that Ford was attempting to "shift the attention of the public from the real issue," and said he would continue his fight "to save to the people the valuable inheritance of our national resources."

HOUSE—Met at noon; adjourned at 5:02 p. m. Adopted a resolution relieving China from further payment of the \$6,000,000 Boxer indemnity due to the United States, with a provision that the funds thus released are to be

paid to the Republic of China. Speaker Gillett ruled that further consideration of the Barkley bill to abolish the railroad labor board must be deferred for two weeks and that it can not be considered until the next suspension day.

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Representative Raker, California, gave notice he would make a point of order against that portion of the conference report on the immigration bill relating to Japanese exclusion.

Friday, May 9

SENATE—Met at 11 o'clock and recessed at 6:45 p. m.

Agreement reached to begin voting on the revenue bill and all

other bills.

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This proved to be the start of a new day in the civic affairs of Bloomington as the Klansmen sprung another surprise by gaining a complete victory at the ballot box Tuesday. The opposition and disgruntled office-seekers are allying themselves by saying they had the election won and salted away until the Ku Kluxers pulled off the surprise parade.

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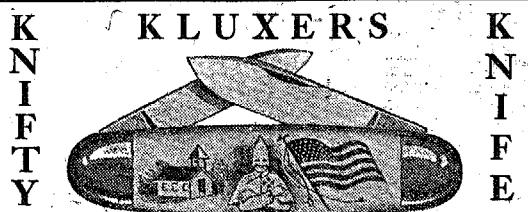
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One year ago Mayor Samuel Lewis Shank, of Indianapolis, suddenly jumped with both feet upon the Klan. Since that time he has used much energy and time maligning the Klan organization and its members. He derided the claims of the Klansmen that their members were great in Indiana and repeatedly announced that he "would fire all the Kluxers on the city pay rolls."

Last winter, Mr. Shank announced his candidacy for nomination for governor of Indiana on an "anti-Klan" platform and invited the Klansmen of Indiana to vote against him. The primaries just past, convince Mr. Shank that the Klansmen of Indiana accepted his invitation! In doing so, however, the Klansmen went about their task systematically. They did not just "vote against" Mr. Shank, but they chose to vote for a man who has long been known for his staunch Americanism, his adherence to American ideals and American principles.

The Klansmen of the state of Indiana chose to vote for Ed Jackson, a man who, while past the draft age during the world war, resigned his office as secretary of state and existed in the army, starting in at the bottom and emerging with the rank of major. The Klansmen of Indiana did not go to the polls blindly and with a thought of hatred toward Mr. Shank in their hearts; they went with a determination not only to defeat Mr. Shank, but to aid in nominating a thorough American, not only one who served in the world war, but one whose every act during peacetime has shown him to be removed absolutely from subtle foreign influences. Klansmen ever have in mind the best interests of their community, their state and their country. Their assistance in the nomination of Mr. Jackson, whose vote was so overwhelming that it went many thousands ahead of the combined vote of all his opponents, proves conclusively that all claims which might have been made by Klansmen as to numerical strength, were and are now based upon absolute truth.

Mr. Shank said, immediately after the primaries: "Say, there are just too many Kluxers for me, that's all. By golly, they sure have some organization."

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Sparks from the Fiery Cross

By JOHN EIGHT POINT

"The noblest motive is the public good."—VIRGIL

Many a man who wears good clothes into public office has ragged morals on underneath.

Klansman, if you are a fisher of men, be sure to use the right kind of bait.

No man's lodge life is worth anything unless it has cost him something by way of an effort to benefit his community.

Klansman, there is no religion in a whine, and no lodge-teaching in an angry squawk.

Let the soul fulfill its duty, Klansmen, dodge the narrow creed; Charity in all her beauty Gives to all who stand in need.

Nobody can tell how much an individual Klansman is doing for the cause by the size of the salary he draws.

If there is any hog in the man the bristles will begin to show when he talks against true Americanism and the Klan.

Many a man belongs to church and falls to show his religion; many a man belongs to America but fails to show his patriotism by joining the Klan.

That Abiding Impulse

Democracy can not be saved by the efforts of a "few fine souls," as some easterners suggest. Democracy must be saved by the uniting and guiding principle within the body of the whole people. The impulse must be an abiding and coherent one, and it must force its own way out of the national heart. The culture of a few who stand on the edge of affairs will have little effect upon the entire commonwealth. Everything that is permanent, good, and great must have its inception and determination from within. The dynamic forces that give expression to the central idea of a people play upon pleb and aristocrat alike. The evolution of the central theme in national life makes its record upon generation after generation, but it is a record that emanates from the whole acting as one. Leaders there must always be to express the common will; but in the end it is mass that saves mass.

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The Klansman who would be a leader must be able to stand alone no matter how many banana skins his enemies have planted on the walk in front of him.

It takes more than a gold pin to classify a Klansman.

It is the Klansman's business to stand against the devil even though people call him a crank for doing it.

Do You Want to Help?

You have an inspiration? The Klan won't misconstrue it! You want to serve the nation? The Klan will help you do it! If you to uplift should aspire, The Klan will set your heart on fire—But if you are a common liar—The Klan says, "You will rue it!"

You want a deeper learning? The Klan will help you get it! With zeal-fire your soul is burning?

The Klan has helped you set it! If you would quaff the patriot's cup, And with the race supreme would sup, This country's foes you'd best pass up—The Klan will not forget it!

You'd seize Life's broader meaning? The Klan will help you bind it! Toward Consecration leaning? The Klan has sealed and signed it! If you would taste the Mystic Food, Preserve the home and nation's rood, If you would do the greatest good, The Klan will help you find it!

Vapid Criticism

It has always been fashionable in certain circles to attack the constitution as "inflexible"—a kind of outgrown shell that is not "so readily amendable" as the needs of a progressive age require. Time and the law of need have always proved such criticisms both vapid and ephemeral. In fact, the prohibition amendment is cited by some constitutionalists as evidence that not only can the American document of fundamental law be changed but that it can be too readily modified. To us, however, it seems as if the constitutional provision of amendment is wise.

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Many peculiar reasons have been advanced by certain interests and newspapers as to why Al. Smith, Roman Catholic governor of New York, should be elected president of the United States. The most peculiar reason, however, comes from the Springfield Republican, which seems to believe that Smith should be elected because his election would "blast prejudice."

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Busybody Americans

No American ever gets very far with the Turks. The case of Dr. W. S. Dodd, of Konia, illustrates the fact. His standing as a physician is unquestioned in America. But in his independent work in Konia he has had trouble. He is charged with various kinds of malpractice by the Turks. The charges are trumped up. But Angora does not interfere. It is not healthy for Americans in Konia. The Turks, we are told, would be afraid to treat an eminent Englishman or Italian as they are treating Dr. Dodd. When the Turks tried to force an Italian doctor out of Constantinople some time ago, Mussolini sent them an ultimatum. Immediately the Italian doctor's stock rose to par. It is not so with Dr. Dodd.

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The Klansmen of Indiana will not be so foolish as to shout, "We did it," but they may, and do, take just pride in the valuable assistance given, and which assistance made the victory such an overwhelming triumph for Americanism.

"Literature"—The Subtle Enemy

The worth of a co-ordinated body for good is being more and more forcibly demonstrated each day, and with this demonstration comes the realization to hundreds of thousands of American citizens, who have, through lack of proper information, been prone to look with disfavor on the Ku Klux Klan, that this very organization is accomplishing inestimable good. Working quietly, its members throughout America have brought about law enforcement by formerly lax officials and have made thousands of communities better places in which to rear children.

Klansmen, however, do not merely lock the door and leave open the window through which the thief may enter. Klansmen do things thoroughly. To one who reads the daily papers closely, it is evident that there is an attack being made on certain magazines, which, it is alleged, carry matter unfit to be sold to the public. Never yet has the Klan been mentioned in connection with this, but Klansmen will be entirely satisfied to see such magazines barred from the mails or the news stand sale prohibited. The fight has gone so far that the matter has already been placed in the hands of the prosecuting attorney in one of the most prominent cities in America. That this fight will be carried throughout the nation there is little doubt.

It would seem impossible that publishers would print some of the things which appear in magazines which are found on sale at most of the news stands throughout the United States. Little by little these publications have become more bold until a self-respecting person can't take one of them into his home or read them. The cheap "literature" of today is doing as much as anything else to corrupt the morals of young men and young women, many of them in their early teens.

Such publications as those which appeal to sex alone to sell them, or those which appeal only to the baser side of individuals, are dangerous to America. Just as the beautiful and sublime meaning of the word Love has been debased by song-writers, playwrights and scenario writers in the past decade, so has the word Thrill taken on a sinister meaning. These magazines of today, which furnish thrills for your daughter, or sister or sweetheart, are making it that much easier for evil-minded men to create havoc for a girl just growing into womanhood. The so-called literature which fills the girl's mind with thoughts that should not be there, is helping to tear larger the hole in the fabric of society. The magazine, so-called for the want of a better name, which helps create in the young man a thought which cheapens womanhood in his eye, is a subtle enemy to a moral American. These magazines and publications, combined with the movie depicting "sheik love" and thereby furnishing "thrills" for the young women of today, are undermining the very moral fabric of our country.

Klansmen are entering the fight to use every lawful method to keep these publications from the hands of growing America. Every father and mother, whether within or without the Klan ranks, will back this movement. Every American with an ounce of red blood in his veins and who has one thought of posterity and the future welfare of America, can not but applaud Klansmen who would stop the evil of obscene "literature" going into the hands of growing boys and girls.

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Naturally the pope will use his influence in this case. The papal dear desire is to Romanize America, and anything that will assist him in the task will be welcome. But we, upon our part, will endeavor to keep our public schools inviolate. Secure from all vatican influences eventually we shall be able to hold without interruption and interference the national purpose and the true American consciousness.

The School Teacher

We want our public school teachers to be a great deal more than merely sincere and honest. We want them to be true Americans. We want them to believe in the Bible of our fathers, and we ask them to use that book in the schoolroom. We want them to know the subjects they teach, and we demand that they be sufficiently educated and Protestantized to be able to eliminate Roman teachings from our books, lessons, and school literature. We want them to know pedagogy, in practice as well as in theory. Our system of selecting teachers does not always provide for the right sort of instructors; therefore we ask that teachers make themselves into the right sort of child-trainers while the Klansmen stand at the door of the schoolhouse and guard the rights of teacher and child alike. We want teachers to be liberal in thought—but not easily gulped. We want teachers to have definite, noble purposes. We want them to have intelligence and strength enough to impart the best in human knowledge. We want teachers never to forget the flag their fathers fought for, and the constitution their ancestors loved and gave to them as practical evidence of divine direction. Wherever they go, whatever they do, we want our school teachers to be so American in their principles and so sincere in their teaching that the coming generation will stand foursquare to heaven as good men and women and good citizens.

There is no seed that drops to earth And dies to give the world a flower. But is important to its kind That gave it greatness for an hour.

There is no Klansman sacrificed To serve his race and sacred sod, But has a place marked out for him In the garden of his God.

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Observe that the Fascist are not hypocritical imperialists. They do not go behind the bush when they want Italy to be an empire—they speak in clear, unmistakable language. In case other people refuse to hear, they add effective remarks to their persuasive conversation. To the Fascist way of thinking, class wars are being supplanted by national struggles. If their idea is anywhere near correct not only the Klan but every American should do a little earnest thinking. Factional struggles tear down and build up in proportion to their size, but both sides should have a fair understanding of the dangers that go with eliminating wars in the popular body.

A KLANSMAN'S CREED

I believe in God and in the tenets of the Christian religion and in a godless nation can not long prosper. I believe that a church that is not grounded on the principles of morality and justice is a mockery to God and to man. I believe that a church that does not have the welfare of the common people at heart is unworthy. I believe in the eternal separation of Church and State. I believe no allegiance to any foreign government, emperor, king, pope or any other foreign, political or religious power. I hold my allegiance to the Stars and Stripes next to my allegiance to God alone. I believe in just laws and liberty. I believe in the upholding of the Constitution of these United States. I believe that our Free Public School is the center stone of good government and that those who are seeking to destroy it are enemies of our Republic and are unworthy of citizenship. I believe in freedom of speech. I believe in a free press uncontrolled by political parties or by religious sects. I believe in law and order. I believe in the protection of our pure womanhood. I do not believe in mob violence; but I believe that laws should be enacted to prevent the causes of mob violence. I believe in a closer relationship of capital and labor. I believe in the prevention of unwarranted strikes by foreign labor agitators. I believe in the limitation of foreign immigration. I am a native-born American citizen and I believe my rights in this country are superior to those of foreigners.

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Can Not Reconcile Oaths

Americans who love America—and an American who does not is not worthy of the name—can not reconcile certain oaths taken by these princes, the men who were recently made "American" cardinals, with the true spirit of Americanism. Among other things pledged by these cardinals in their covenant at the time they were being sworn at the vatican, these men pledged themselves "to aid the pope to recover his rights, to fight all heretics and enemies of the pope, and to promise not to accept any mission from civil authorities which would lead to civil interference in the election of future popes."

Mr. Smith evidently believes that the foregoing oath of allegiance is absolutely proper even though it places the allegiance of these cardinals above their allegiance to the civil authorities of our country. Voters do not necessarily have to be prejudiced to object to having a man as president of our country who believes a power situated in a foreign land may call for allegiance from its subjects which supersedes the subject's allegiance to American civil authority.

The whole is not merely a matter of prejudice; it is a matter of belief in progressiveness; a belief in different doctrines from those which have swayed and ruled Europe for centuries. True Americans concede Mr. Smith the right to believe as he chooses, but true Americans do not concede the right of a foreign potentate demanding allegiance superior to the allegiance to America. The fact that America was founded by Protestants, built and expanded under Protestant ideals and theories, should give Americans the right to choose men for the presidency whom they know are in sympathy with those ideals.

The great mass of citizens who are opposed to liquor are against Mr. Smith because of his attitude on prohibition and his acts which retarded the enforcement of prohibition in the state of New York. Once again, Mr. Smith's ideas do not conform with millions of American citizens who would have just as logical for the Republican to elect to the "sooner" approved wet is elected to the presidency, the better. That would, according to the Republican, "blast prejudice" against liquor. In a trite sentence, the Houston

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The Missing Link

"After a ten days' absence, during which a countrywide search was made for his body, James T. Link showed up at his home late last night with no explanation as to where he had been."—Des Moines (Ia.) Register.

"Japan keeps her pledges," declares a writer opposing the immigration bill. This should not be surprising as Japan usually keeps everything she gets hold of.

And Then Crowded About It

"Henn," declares a newspaper story, "at one time declared that he was responsible for the formation of the Klan in this city." It is just possible that Henn is the fellow that put the clucks in the Ku Klux Klan.

A prominent English woman has declared that the day of the flapper is over. She probably meant the flapper's day is overrun with dates.

Names Is Names

It will probably be harder than usual, but Hope Oim has just been married in Memphis, Tenn., according to a list of marriage licenses.

Null—When will the wedding bells ring for you?

Void—When I get the money to buy the ring.

Coals to Newcastle

It has been suggested by one sport

Post-puts the matter in a proper light and does not charge the American people with blind prejudice. The Post says: "It is a question, however, whether the majority of the southern states, dry, strongly American in sentiment, if put to a test at this time, would vote for a Democrat with the political and other associates Governor Smith boasts."

It is noted that the Post uses the phrase, "strongly American in sentiment," and makes no reference to religion. It is not a case of prejudice, regardless of what the propagandists might try to make the American people believe. It is not a desire to withhold office from a man because of his religion, but because the American people feel greater confidence in a man whom they know does not agree with certain foreign influences.

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National Pride!

Is it possible that the prince of Wales wishes to demonstrate that the English have something that can fall just as hard as the German mark?

Marjory—What did Jack do when you told him you never wanted to see his face again?

Susan—He turned out the light.

There is now a rendent toward smaller farms, we understand. Maybe the politicians want more farmers to whom they can give relief.

It Will Rub Off

A woman testifying in police court at Cincinnati declared that the defendant "grabbed her and kissed her until he was red in the face." In view of the great amount of rouge the female sex uses today, it probably did not take the man very long.

"Decision Ends Big Radio Row," flares a headline. There is probably no relief from the Bedtime Story, however.

The wonder isn't that so many girls nowadays have such rosy complexions. It is how they all escape the painter's colic.

A headline says that "People Are Losing Interest in Congress." It would not be probable that surprise the same people should they suddenly learn of a Mah Jongg bloc in Congress.

The country at large seems to be looking on Al Smith's declaration that the prohibition laws must be enforced, as dry wit. At least, his statement brought many a smile.

Quite Possible

It is possible that many political fences have been damaged by the weight of politicians remaining on the fence.

Wife—You are just a plain dumb-bell. Hubby—You can hardly say that; you got a couple of rings out of me.

The radio is the first to have a chance of winning from the neighborhood gossip.

Evidence in Mayfield Case Brings Forth Sour Grapes

(Bureau Publication and Education)

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 10.—"This seems to be a battle between the outs and the ins," is the way one fellow expressed it at the Mayfield hearings going on at the capitol before the subcommittee of the Senate committee on privileges and elections. This remark was caused by the testimony of Robert L. Henry, of Houston, formerly a member of Congress for twenty years, a former Klansman by his own word, and a candidate for the Senate who was defeated by Senator Mayfield in the primary for nomination.

Another case of sour grapes on the stand was Irwin J. Clark, of Houston, former district judge, a member of the Klan from October, 1921, to December, 1922, former Great Titan of Texas, an organizer of the Klan throughout Texas, and later general counsel for the Klan in the Realm of Texas. About the only Klan secrets that Judge Clark did not disclose on the stand was that he wanted to go higher in the organization and be made general counsel for the entire organization and demanding a salary of \$25,000 a year and all expenses. He did not get the latter appointment and consequently resigned because, as he put it, he did not feel that he could longer remain a Klansman and be an American citizen.

On of the committee asked him if he did not consider himself an American citizen while he was a member of the Klan and doing all the work that he had just recited he had done. "We'd better not get into that," said Senator Watson, of Indiana. "It might lead to too many interesting questions."

Violates Oaths

The fact that it took so long for Judge Clark to find out that he was not an American citizen at the same time he was a Klansman drawing good money for influential and prominent work, shows the type of men the Klan under the present administration has been obliged to get rid of. Thus the motive of Judge Clark's testimony is shown in advance. None of it was in anyway damaging to Senator Mayfield as it pertained mostly to Klan business and a giving away to the public of secrets which Judge Clark took an oath at one time never to reveal. No Masonic pretender in this country ever more willfully violated his sacred oath than did Judge Clark violate his oath to the Klan. The fact that he has resigned and is no longer a member does not excuse him for telling Klan business and Klan secrets any more than it would for a former Mason to get out of the lodge and go on the witness stand and divulge everything that took place in the lodge room.

Mr. Henry's Testimony

Robert L. Henry, of Houston, formerly of Waco, at one time mayor of Texarkana, an assistant attorney-general, then a representative in Congress for twenty years, told of his membership in the Klan and his entry into the senatorial race at the primaries. He told of numerous conferences with Senator Mayfield, in which efforts were made to get him out of the race in favor of Mayfield. Although permitted to admit openly his affiliation, Henry testified that in the end he found his role to be that of a "stalking horse," while May-

field, then Great Titan of five provinces in Texas, and later general counsel for the Klan for the Realm of Texas. He told about his various appointments to positions of influence and power in the Klan. After his resignation he styled himself a citizen of the United States. He explained to the committee that he did not think being a member of the Klan was compatible with good citizenship. He failed to tell the committee about seeking to be made general counsel for the entire organization and demanding a salary of \$25,000 a year and all of his expenses. He did not get that appointment and that failure helped him to resign and become what he called a good American citizen.

No Regard for Oath

"I do not consider that the oath I took as a Klansman binds me to withhold any information that might be beneficial to this country," said Judge Clark. He then introduced a copy of an agreement among Klan Titans in January, 1922, at Dallas, apportioning the order's funds. He also introduced minutes of a Klan meeting and had them read into the Record, told all sorts of Klan business.

In March, 1922, another conference was called by Dr. Evans and Mayfield and the Titans were on hand, Clark said. "Mayfield is the man," Clark quoted Evans as saying, "and at the proper time we will concentrate on him." Clark said he became indignant and told Evans he intended to stand by Henry. "The conference got so warm," Clark said, "that I took my gun out of my pocket and laid it on the dresser." Senator Watson almost broke up the hearing by asking the witness if he had a gun with him now.

"No, sir, I just wanted to show I was trying to avoid trouble."

Revealed Klan Connection

Clark testified he had assisted in getting Henry permission from the "Imperial Palace" at Atlanta to uncover himself as a Klansman. In May, 1922, he went to Atlanta, he said, to discuss with Evans the senatorial campaign in Texas. Mayfield, Clark continued, helped organize the Texas provinces and attended meetings during 1921. B. V. Clarke, of Atlanta, a former imperial officer, was on hand.

Many of the things to which Judge Clark testified were secret information with him in the position he attained as attorney for his client, the Klan, of Texas. To divulge this information was most unethical as all attorneys agree. The fact that he did uncover this made the members of the committee sit up and stare at the witness, as most of the members of the committee are lawyers.

Oil Man Testifies

John G. Towns, of Houston, connected with the legal department of the Humble Oil Company, testified that he contributed personally \$500 to the campaign and that he and J. L. Hunter got \$1,000 out of R. S. Sterling and two other donations of \$500 each, making \$2,500 from company officials and employees, but that all gifts were purely personal and not given as corporate contributions. He also told of knowledge of one \$50 donation and one or two others of \$100 each.

On cross-examination the witness stated that Mr. Mayfield did not have

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far as rates are concerned, but he does not relish the idea of the grave political situation which has been brought about by the coalition of Republican insurgents and the Democrats. In other words, the Republican party has just as good as lost control of Congress in both houses.

LaFollette in Saddle

This state of affairs has completely placed Senator LaFollette, of Wisconsin, in the saddle so far as legislation is concerned. He has a little band of seven, eight or nine senators in the Senate who will do his bidding; when they join the Democrats as they have been doing, the regular Republicans are beaten. And over in the House the LaFollette crowd has a larger band, almost the entire Wisconsin delegation and some others. They, too, have joined hands with the Democrats on numerous occasions and can control the situation there.

That is why it is pointed out that Senator LaFollette might control in the case of his being at the head of a third party this year, especially if the election should be thrown into the House for settlement, which is not impossible.

New Rule Works

The new rule in the House of Representatives works, as it was tried out here this week in the Barkley bill which seeks to abolish the railroad labor board, in the settling of disputes between the railroads and their employees. Mr. Barkley, a Democrat, was supported by his solid party and also by the Republican insurgents in the House and he carried the day by taking away from the House committee on interstate commerce his bill because, as he alleges, the committee would not act on it. This new rule means that a bill can be no longer smothered in committee. The regular Republicans opposed the bill but were defeated, hence lost control of the House on that measure.

Another Dilemma

President Coolidge is on the horns of another bad dilemma and that is the tax or revenue bill. He was beaten in trying to get the Mellon plan adopted. Just what he will do when it reaches him for signature is not known. He will not cross the tax bridge until he reaches it.

Of course, when the tax bill goes to conference another heroic effort will be made by administration leaders to get concessions from what is now contained in the Democratic substitutes and we will have to wait and see how the president and his leaders in Congress come out on that proposition before an accurate prediction can be made.

INDICTMENT FOLLOWS KLAN TERROR NOTICE

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(blank space left for name) must leave St. Tammany parish at once or suffer the consequence.

"(Signed) Chief Kleagle,

"St. Tammany Klan."

The circular, on the face of it, was spurious as there is no St. Tammany Klan No. 23, nor is there such a

DEFT FOLLOWS DEFEAT OF ANTI-KLAN IN STATE

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Kluxers for me. By golly, they got some organization."

The primaries were a glorious victory for the Klansmen of Indiana. Fought on every side by shady politicians, the alien population and sinister foreign influences, they rallied nobly and chose to select men whom they felt assured would make fitting persons to fill the offices for which they were aspiring.

To give a complete list of victories in which Klansmen assisted other American voters, would take many columns. Klansmen, however, are aware that no county was without its victory to American ideals in the primaries just past.

The enemy, delivered a fearful blow, is now mustering its forces to defeat and undo the work accomplished by the thousands of Protestants making up the ranks of the Klan. Those same foreign influences, according to word from many parts of the state, are getting together and planning to administer a stinging defeat to these same Protestants.

As one Klansman, a prominent business man from the northern part of Indiana, put it, however, "Planning isn't winning." That this same opinion is held by the Klansmen of Indiana is seen in the conversation of Klansmen from the different points in the state.

"The boys in our county," said a Klan official visiting Indianapolis, are not taking the whole credit for the victory by any means. They do feel, however, that their votes, added to the other workers for better politics, swung the pendulum to victory." It is noticeable that this same sentiment is being voiced by Klansmen in many places. It seems that the Klansmen are completely satisfied that the men sponsored by them, the length and breadth of the state, were nominated.

Desires to Raise Issue

The sudden declaration by Dr. McCulloch, whose chances to become a nominee for governor, against Ed Jackson, for whom such an overwhelming majority was piled up, seem to be very good, is, in the opinion of those familiar with the situation, an indication that it is being planned to make it an issue between the hundreds of thousands of Protestants in the Klan, and the class that voted for Mr. Shank, Mr. Davis and Mr. Duran.

It is very evident that the Protestants of the state of Indiana do not relish a situation such as is apparently being brought about by those forces which would disrupt the strongest defender of Protestantism in America today, the Ku Klux Klan. Should such a situation arise, however, there is no fear felt by those who oppose foreign influences in this country.

PASTOR'S ATTITUDE CAUSES COMMENT

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which is their habit each Sunday, went to another church.

Only Two Positions

"There are only two positions as to Protestant Americanism," declared a citizen after the episode. "One is for and the other is against."

MAYFIELD TAKES UP CUDGEL FOR TEXANS

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and other members of the Texas rangers, who, I believe, are trying earnestly and honestly to aid in the cause of law enforcement."

Sample Telegrams

Here are a few samples of telegrams that came to both Texas senators today on the subject and shows how the good people of Texas are wrought up over the situation:

"Peace officers and others who cater to the underworld vote say good citizens exaggerate conditions of liquor, gambling and vice violations in Bexar county. Unless our children and our children's children can be protected by law the governor of this state will be called upon to use those powers he possesses. We urge investigation and immediate action."

"Federal and state liquor laws are the joke of bootleggers and outlaws in Bexar county. City, county and federal law enforcement officers will not act and the Texas rangers are hindered by those officers including the federal district attorney. Protests of good citizens are of no avail and if some relief is not granted the governor will of necessity be requested to act."

People Need Help

"Rangers have made hundreds of arrests and seized hundreds of stills, destroying thousands of gallons of poison liquor, yet federal prohibition officers stand in their way. We need help."

"Texas state rangers are very active in Bexar county, arresting bootleggers and seizing stills, liquor and mash. City, county and district courts have consistently refused aid and now the federal attorney has likewise refused assistance in prosecuting such violators of the law. Unless relief can be given immediately the good citizens must of necessity call upon the governor of the state to use his prerogative."

Many Telegrams

The four telegrams above are only samples of those pouring in to Washington to the Texas senators all day long. Others are of a similar tone, all expressing the same sentiments and calling for help from Washington to make the proper authorities in Texas do their duty.

IMMIGRATION BILL REMAINING INTACT

Chief Points Have Not Been Altered During Squabble on Japanese Clause

(Bureau Publication and Education)

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 7.—Up to date the Americans are on top with the immigration problem. As is well known the immigration bill has passed both Houses of Congress and has been in conference for some time. Conferees have now reached an agreement under which Japanese exclusion will be retained in the measure, but will not become effective until July 1 of this year. That much of a concession has been made.

The main points of the bill are

CHANGE OF HEART MAY BRING ADJOURNMENT

Members of Congress Expected to Take Vacation as Originally Planned

(Bureau Publication and Education)

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 10.—Something has happened in Washington, things have changed and it begins to look more and more like an adjournment of Congress yet this month or early next month, so that members can get away from their legislative duties in plenty of time to attend both national conventions in June.

This change of heart on the part of a good many members of Congress has come about rather suddenly and most of them are wondering why. It is said the insurgent Republicans have joined hands with the regular Republicans in this move and this is an unusual thing at this session as the insurgents have been voting with the Democrats most of the time.

The Democrats are inclined to hang on and try to make all the political capital for the campaign they can possibly manufacture, but the insurgents have parted company with them on this proposition, and they will vote with the regular Republicans to clean up the legislative state and make a quick getaway from Washington within thirty days.

Admit Change of Front

With the insurgents and the Republicans united on this move they can bring about an adjournment when they want to and this is what is going to happen. The insurgents themselves admit this change of front and they profess to be able to

see no reason why Congress should tarry here much longer. They seem to be as anxious as the regulars to get back home and spend the summer talking to the voters.

The insurgents have not quarreled with the Democrats and they are not disputing their sincerity; they are simply going their own way and pursuing their own ideas. They seem suddenly to want to get home and get out among the voters and give them explanations of their conduct and get the ground ready for harvest which will come next November.

Thus it begins to look like adjournment by the end of this month or the first of next month.

AS THEY ARE BUILT

Klan observers note that Europe's early drift toward potentialities has ceased. In point of fact the racial instinct of the old world is always towards monarchy. It is no wonder that Afghanistan and Iraq cling to the sceptre of kingly right—it is no wonder that Persia, who flirted with republicanism, returned finally to the idea of monarchial will. They are built that way, and as God created them so let them stand.

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A modern prisoner in chains is the sufferer from inflammatory rheumatism, for no chains were ever half so effective in preventing escape, nor so torturing to the prisoner.

The accepted idea of rheumatism was that it was due to the retained wastes of the bowels and kidneys, and the accepted method of treatment following out this theory, was drugs for elimination and hot baths to induce prolonged sweating. But this method often failed, or was productive of but temporary results, and it was with the cases with which that chiropractic demonstrated the fact that this theory of cause was only superficial, not a cause at all, but an effect. The cause in these more stubborn cases has invariably been found to be an impingement of spinal nerves, preventing normal action of the organs of elimination. My chiropractic health method restores normal conditions in such stubborn cases.

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Under the Dome

(Bureau Publication and Education)

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 10.—If you want to know just how the people of the Pacific coast feel about the immigration bill and the Japanese exclusion clause read the following editorial from the Seattle Star:

"At last, it seems, the white man is to have a chance, in his native land. Both the United States House of Representatives and the Senate have in no uncertain terms called Japan's bluff. The immigration bill, with the Japanese exclusion clause, has gained the approbation of both Houses of Congress, in spite of Jap threats and traitorous pro-Jap action on the part of some Americans who pose as statesmen.

"For years the Seattle Star, almost single-handed, has been fighting for just that thing. Barring of Oriental immigration marks victory.

"There is no doubt concerning the danger of unrestricted Japanese immigration. There is no question of the Mitsui chicanery, as evidenced in the standard aircraft cases. These things being as they are, just why did all of our newspapers betray the white race? Failure to take up and fight the white man's battle for ownership of his native land was just that.

"We have a most excellent example of it right here in Seattle."

NEED A BATH

She was tall, slender and had snapping black eyes, which took in everything in and around the National Capitol. She said, as she entered the Senate elevator, said she:

"If I were a senator the first thing I would do would be to vote to clean these statues with soap and water. They are positively the filthiest things I ever saw."

REFLECTS LOW INTELLIGENCE

The New York Times as well as the Hearst papers seems to take a delight in advertising Eugene O'Neill's book, representing it as a book worth while, although to most people it certainly smacks of the danger line. It is high time that the American people were waking up to what is going on along such lines.

Think of these newspapers stooping to the position of making out of themselves a propaganda machine for influence that would favor mixed marriage and mongrelize the American race.

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LA GUARDIA AGAIN

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the First Division's outstanding hero. He lost his right arm and the use of his left leg in overseas fighting. His last exploit was to go A. W. O. L. from his hospital to join the division in the Soissons offensive.

President Coolidge will have a part in the dedication of the shaft.

ALIENIZING AMERICA

The United States must Americanize the alien before the alien alienizes America, James J. Davis, secretary of labor, declared in an address the other day before the Chicago lodges of the Independent Order of B'nai B'rith.

The need, Secretary Davis said, is for a system that will give the alien honestly desiring to become a citizen the help which he must have to accomplish this end, and "to clear the way for the elimination of the alien who is here in defiance of our laws, or who seeks to abuse our hospitality by preaching the downfall of our institutions and the destruction of our form of government."

Secretary Davis proposed a plan of enrollment for the registration of every alien entering the United States, requiring him to make an annual report to the government. By giving him an identification card entitling him to the benefits of an educational system already established, Secretary Davis said, every alien would be given an opportunity to become a citizen under a simplified naturalization plan, while it would be easy to weed out the undesirable.

WHAT WASHINGTON SAID

All good Americans like to go back and quote from George Washington: the father of our great country. Take his farewell address and see what can be gotten out of that:

"Be Americans," he said. "Let there be no sectionalism, no north, south, east or west, you are all dependent one on another, and should be one union. Beware of the baneful effects of party spirit and of the ruin to which its extremes must lead. Do not encourage party spirit but use every effort to mitigate and assuage it. Keep the departments of government separate, promote education, cherish the public credit, avoid debt, observe justice and good faith towards all nations; have neither passionate attachments to any; and be independent politically of all. In one word, be a nation; be Americans, and be true to yourselves."

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CROSS-EXAMINATION CONFUSES M'NAMARA

Witness in Mayfield Case Can Not Produce Receipt on Registered Letter

(Bureau Publication and Education)

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 10.—Mike McNamara, of Waco, Texas, oil and gas inspector for the Texas Railroad Commission, a former close friend of Senator Mayfield, of Texas, sore and disappointed because he could not get the senator's influence to make him (Mayfield's) successor on the commission when the latter came to the Senate, was the first Paddy witness to testify against Senator Mayfield when the subcommittee of the Senate committee on privileges and elections began its public hearings in Washington.

McNamara related alleged conversations with Senator Mayfield back as far as July, 1921, declaring that the senator invited him to go out and raise \$30,000 for him to use in the campaign for the Senate. He also told of other conversations in which he charged that the senator demanded that he raise \$5,000 that week and that Mayfield pointed out certain oil operators of wealth who ought to contribute.

McNamara declared that Senator Mayfield had told him of spending \$80,000 that far in the campaign and must have more money. Yet, upon cross-examination it developed that McNamara never raised a dollar of his own volition and he told the committee that he had never seen any money raised or contributed or ever had handled any money with the exception of \$200, which he claims was given him by Police Commissioner A. A. Morrison. It was later on shown that of this \$200, that four or five of Mayfield's friends had contributed that small sum of money and one of the contributors was a former school friend of Mayfield and that he gave \$50 to help the senator.

Receipt Is Missing

McNamara testified that he had sent this \$200 to Senator Mayfield at the latter's headquarters in the Oriental hotel at Dallas by registered letter and that he had received a registered card from Mayfield in return but neither he nor his attorneys could produce the receipt before the committee. Senator Mayfield contends that he never received that \$200 and that he was cheated out of even that small help.

Letters which the witness read into the Record from Mayfield did not contain a particle of evidence that Mayfield ever received the \$200 contribution or any other money. McNamara related incidents that were alleged to have taken place between he and Mayfield at Waco, Austin, Archer City, Graham, Wichita Falls, Iowa Park, where the senator spoke in the campaign and that he, McNamara, met him at those places. Most of the letters and telegrams witness had related to Mayfield speaking dates, public meetings, etc.

McNamara testified that every time he met Mayfield the latter wanted to know how the oil men were "kickin' through" and witness told him not very well, yet he talked about big sums of money, but on cross-examination admitted that he had not raised any and had not seen any and only handled the \$200 con-

been given him to see nor solicited any of them.

Notwithstanding his conflicting testimony the witness said that Senator Mayfield had told him at Austin that he had already spent between \$7,500 and \$10,000 in Harris county alone and several thousand dollars in another county. Yet there was no evidence to show where any of this money was ever raised or where it came from or that any such amounts were ever expended.

Appointment Has Bearing

McNamara admitted that he had gone to Corsicana, Texas, to testify under oath and that he had never disclosed any such testimony there because no one asked him such questions. This is the first time he has talked about \$30,000, or \$5,000 or any other large sums. And yet he told the committee here that Mayfield had asked him to swear to a lie, viz: to say that he had never sent the \$200 to Mayfield and that he refused to do that. He said that was the reason he and Mayfield broke their friendship but tried to dodge on cross-examination that he and Mayfield fell out because the latter would not get him appointed to the railroad commission when Mayfield was elected to the Senate.

At the beginning of the hearing Attorney Zumburn for Senator Mayfield told the committee that he would submit a brief next week showing that Mr. Paddy has accepted an appointment as a special assistant attorney-general, which appointment and acceptance disqualified him from contending for the seat of Senator Mayfield as he could not hold two federal offices at one and the same time. The committee will pass on this later after the brief has been filed.

Free Trips Balked

Senators King, of Utah, and Neely, of West Virginia, went on record in committee meeting as being opposed to the government paying fees, mileage and expenses to any witness unless the testimony given was found to be relevant to the case. This will be done to shut off either side from bringing witnesses here from far away Texas at government expense for a nice trip to Washington.

The members of this Senate subcommittee sitting in the case are Senators Spencer, of Missouri; Watson, of Indiana; Neely, of West Virginia; King, of Utah, and Ernst, of Kentucky.

HORSEMAN KILLS SELF

HAMILTON, O., May 10.—Albert Hossfeld, Hamilton horseman, owner of John Q. and Casey, now in training under Fred Egan at North Randall, lies dead tonight at his home here, a suicide.

His body, with both wrists slashed and throat cut, was found this afternoon in a lonely spot on the hills southwest of Hamilton. An open knife was at his side. In his pocket was a letter from Egan, dated April 30, telling Hossfeld that his horses would scarcely be ready for the opening Grand Circuit meet at North Randall and that there were bills due for \$172.

SALE OF ARMS OKEHD BY SECRETARY WEEKS

WASHINGTON, May 10.—Secretary Weeks announced he had approved the requests from the Cuban government for the purchase of arms and ammunition from the war department, the amount involved in the two orders forwarded from Havana

SMITH HAS NO CHANCE DESPITE THE NOISE

Party Would Commit Political Suicide Should He Head Their Ticket

(Bureau Publication and Education)

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 7.—It's all over but the shouting so far as the Cleveland convention is concerned; President Coolidge has the nomination in his vest pocket right now and all interest from now on centers on who is to be given the second place on the ticket.

Of one thing be assured and that is that the nomination for vice-president is going to a middle west or a far western man, a Progressive preferred, if it can be arranged. And the Republicans have in mind the very antithesis of Calvin Coolidge for his running mate. No conservative need apply for second place and no New England man or even an eastern man has a look in, judging from the way those things go in politics.

Political talk right now for second place is centering around former Governor Lowden, of Illinois; Charles G. Dawes, also of Illinois; Senator Capper and Henry J. Allen, of Kansas; Senator Borah, of Idaho, former Senator Beveridge, of Indiana, and men of their type. A former Progressive will have a much better chance for second place on the Republican ticket this year than ever before as the conservative wing of the party is seeking to hold the Progressives in line and that is one of their ways of wanting to do it.

With the Democrats

But with the Democrats—that is entirely another story. The very opposite situation exists from that of the Republicans. No man living right now can begin to predict with any degree of accuracy as to whom will be given the Democratic nomination in New York two weeks later than the Cleveland convention. No candidate now running is anywhere near the two-thirds line and no man has a clinch on the job.

Governor Al Smith, who is being favored by the wots and pushed by his Roman Catholic friends for first place, hasn't a ghost of a chance of being nominated although his friends are making lots of noise at this time. Governor Smith can't be nominated because of his religious views and affiliations and because of his wet ideas. It would be political suicide for the Democrats to even think of such a thing and the Democratic party is not going to throw its chances in 1924 to the winds so easily as that.

McAdoo, Underwood, Davis and others prominently mentioned and active in running will all make a good showing but they won't be able to get over that two-thirds hurdle which is good and high. Therefore, it looks as though a dark horse might be pushed to the front and win in a whirlwind finish that will be enthusiastic and noisy. All Hoosier Democrats will claim this means Ralston and Ralston is considered a mighty good bet right now.

Self-love is a heavy load to carry. The fiery cross is a light burden and a burden of light.

Klan Activity in Indiana

KLANSMEN PARADE

LOSANTVILLE, Ind., May 10.—Mudoc and Losantville were the seat of Klan activities Saturday evening, May 3, when members of Randolph Klan No. 44 in this vicinity paraded the streets. They formed a circle on the main square where a fiery cross was burned. A young ladies' quartet sang "America" and "The Old Rugged Cross," which was followed by a prayer by one of the leading ministers. The service was closed by two small girls singing "The Bright Fiery Cross." A large crowd witnessed the affair in each town.

JUNIORS GROWING

EMISON, Ind., May 10.—The Emison M. E. church congregation were surprised recently when twelve Junior Klansmen marched in while they were singing "Onward, Christian Soldiers," carrying a large American flag and handed the minister in charge an envelope containing a substantial financial gift. After prayer, the juniors were seated on the front benches and listened to a very impressive sermon. They marched quietly out during the closing song. The Emison Juniors have a real active organization and are continuing to grow.

CHURCH IS AIDED

SITKA, Ind., May 10.—During the revival meetings conducted in the Sitka Baptist church by the Rev. S. David Sikes, the Ku Klux Klan presented the evangelist with a very liberal donation, which was intended to convey to him and the assistant ministers their appreciation of the good work being done by their help and influence.

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FIRST DIVISION MONUMENT

First Division men (the Rainbow division) of the American army that went overseas are interested in knowing that the 35-foot marble shaft of that division has been raised in position on its base just south of the State, War and Navy building in Washington. It is going to be a magnificent monument when it is finished.

A solid piece of marble, 35 feet long and weighing fifty-six tons, is said to be the largest block of stone ever taken out of an American marble quarry.

Private Daniel Edwards will unveil the monument on October 4 of this year. Edwards was selected as

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And then some people have the nerve to ask "Why the Klan?" Don't you think the Klan has a lot of work to do and is working for a righteous cause?

READY TO PAY THE PRICE

Charles Recht, the New York lawyer who was on the staff of Ludwig C. A. K. Martens, the "Bolshevik Ambassador," who was ordered deported after an investigation by Congress, is quoted as saying that the Moscow government was ready to spend several millions of dollars in the United States to bring about official recognition of Soviet Russia by this country.

Are we to infer from this that every one who talks and works for recognition of the Soviet regime in this country is being paid the price? A government that is ready and willing to spend millions for recognition will stop at nothing. That might be a good question to ask the fellow who tries selling you on the idea of recognition for the Soviets of Russia. Do you want that kind of money or are you one of the kind to follow George Washington and his ideals and teachings?

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McNamara testified that every time he met Mayfield the latter wanted to know how the oil men were "kicking" through and witness told him not very well, yet he talked about big sums of money, but on cross-examination admitted that he had not raised any and had not seen any and only handled the \$200 contribution. He said that Senator Mayfield had threatened at Archer City that if he were not elected to the Senate that he would continue on the Texas railroad commission for another four years more and that he would make it hard for the fellows who refused to "kick in" for his campaign. Witness, on the other hand, admitted that he never went to a single man on the list that had

HORSEMAN KILLS SELF

HAMILTON, O., May 10.—Albert Hossfeld, Hamilton horseman, owner of John Q. and Casey, now in training under Fred Egan at North Randall, lies dead tonight at his home here, a suicide.

His body, with both wrists slashed and throat cut, was found this afternoon in a lonely spot on the hills southwest of Hamilton. An open knife was at his side. In his pocket was a letter from Egan, dated April 30, telling Hossfeld that his horses would scarcely be ready for the opening Grand Circuit meet at North Randall and that there were bills due for \$172.

SALE OF ARMS OKED BY SECRETARY WEEKS

WASHINGTON, May 10.—Secretary Weeks announced he had approved the requests from the Cuban government for the purchase of arms and ammunition from the war department, the amount involved in the two orders forwarded from Havana being approximately \$200,000. The bulk of the equipment sought is machine guns and ammunition.

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**EGYPT'S FLAG FLIES
IN NEW YORK CITY**

NEW YORK, May 10.—New York got its first public view yesterday of the world's newest national emblem—the flag of Egypt. The flag was run out from the Fifth Avenue side of the Waldorf to mark the official opening there of the new Egyptian consulate in charge of Ramses Chafey Bey.

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YOUNGSTOWN, O., May 10.—Com-
peting with 1,005,002 persons in this
and thirty foreign lands, George L.
Elwell of Youngstown won a prize
of \$20,000 for his suggestion of a
title and slogan for the weekly mag-
azine, Liberty, published by the Chi-
cago Tribune and the New York
Daily News.

"Liberty," a weekly periodical for
everyone," was the title and slogan
of Elwell which won the big prize.
The new magazine, announcing that
he had won, appeared for the first
time Wednesday.

In annexing the reward, Elwell
father of four children, won over
many distinguished contestants,
among them a queen. Chicago dis-
patches disclosed that Queen Marie
of Roumania was among the con-
tenders, submitted a total of 1,895,
322 suggestions.

Sends 3,017 Suggestions

Elwell, a commercial artist, writer
and inventor, sent 3,017 suggestions.
Employed by the Arc Engraving
Company here, Elwell declared on
being notified he had won that he
believed the award meant the "streak
of hard luck" which had been pursu-
ing him has been broken.

Misfortune had followed Elwell in
a financial way for years, he said,
and before Christmas his luck "hit
bottom" in Minneapolis, where he
had been without work for three
months. So the Elwells decided to
pack the family in a flivver, motor
eastward and start all over again.

It was Christmas night when they
left Minneapolis, and they arrived in
Youngstown on New Year's day.

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have been looking up—and then
came Wednesday's windfall.

"We're going to buy a home and
educate our children," Elwell said.

**SIX MEN HELD IN
\$126,000 ROBBERY**

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part of a cargo, valued at \$62,000,
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Park and Steuben avenue, Brooklyn,
on April 5. The police recovered at
the same pier tobacco valued at
\$10,000, which, the police say, was a
part of a truck load owned by Ed-
ward Pinacsek and stolen by six
men, named Joseph and

**IOWA CITIZENS ARE
AROUSSED TO ACTION**

Numerous Attacks on Girls by
Foreigners Causes Posting
of Reward

(Special to The Fiery Cross)

CENTREVILLE, Ia., May 10.—The
American citizens of Appanoose
county are truly aroused for law en-
forcement following the attacks
upon five girls by degenerate crim-
inals in the past week. Saturday
night at Cincinnati, Dorothy, the 12-
year-old daughter of Rev. Harvey
Butler, was accosted by a masked
man as she was leaving the moving
picture show. It is generally con-
ceded that this assault was prompt-
ed by motives of revenge, for Rev.
Mr. Butler for months past has been
the leader of the law enforcement
element in Appanoose county. A
reward of \$200 has been placed in
the hands of Mr. Butler by the Ap-
panoose county unit of the Knights
of the Ku Klux Klan to be paid to
the party or parties giving infor-
mation leading to the arrest and
conviction of the degenerate. The
same evening two girls were at-
tacked at Centerville. Sunday night
two girls were assaulted at Numa,
a small community west of Center-
ville. Law enforcement in Appa-
noose county has been lax except
for the activities of Rev. Mr. Butler
and his squad of deputy sheriffs.
Mine camps made up entirely of for-
eign-born citizens are found every-
where. It is in these centers that
disrespect for the law and vice flour-
ishes.

Recently, however, a law enforce-
ment league was established, and
coupled with the Klan they are giv-
ing every aid to the duly constitu-
ted officers of the law. From now on
a change of conditions may be ex-
pected.

A milling firm of Harbin, Man-
churia, has offered for sale in the
local market flour ground from im-
ported American wheat. This wheat
was imported via Dalren and
amounted to only a few carloads, as
the local miller wished to experi-
ment first. However, as the grade
of flour obtained from this wheat is
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market in the future. This mill is
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SNAKE CAUSES DEATH

SHARON, Pa., May 10.—Poison
from the fangs of a rattlesnake
which he exhibited in a carnival,
caused the death of Boyd Wile, 40,
of East Liverpool, O., here.

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nival, was bitten on April 27, when
he attempted to pick up the snake.
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or seventy years of service, to our
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\$126,000 ROBBERY

Gang is Rounded Up in Silk, Sugar and Tobacco Thefts

NEW YORK, May 10.—Six men, arrested yesterday, were held by the police as suspects in five daylight truck robberies, in which bandits obtained \$126,000 in tobacco, silk, sugar and cotton goods. Harry Fuchs, 140 Norfolk street, and Thomas Gordon, 327 West 12th street, were arrested at a pier at the foot of Stagg street and Union avenue, Brooklyn, while they were loading tobacco valued at \$50,000 into a truck.

Officials of the American Tobacco Company identified the tobacco as part of a cargo, valued at \$62,000, stolen from one of their trucks at Park and Steuben avenue, Brooklyn, on April 6. The police recovered at the same pier tobacco valued at \$10,000, which, the police say, was a part of a truck load owned by Edward Pilmacek and stolen by six bandits at Third avenue and Fifteenth street on April 10.

Fuchs and Gordon were held on charges of having stolen property in their possession. Solomon Girsch, a clerk, was held on a charge of robbery after a witness identified him as one of seven men who captured a Susquehanna Silk Mills truck containing \$50,000 in silk in Twenty-third street near Tenth avenue a few days ago. The empty truck was abandoned in the Bronx.

The Immigrant Load

A few Boston people are getting awake to the fact that the foreign-born have added a load to the hospitals of Massachusetts. Statistics point out that during a considerable number of years the per cent of foreign-born living in Massachusetts has averaged approximately 45 and that of aliens 35. In a population of 1,919 in Massachusetts hospitals on October 1, 1923, 45 per cent or 8,639, were foreign-born, and 25 per cent, or 4,800 were aliens. The cost of caring for the foreign-born, based on maintenance expenditures, for 1923 was approximately \$2,977,119.40 and the cost of caring for the aliens was approximately \$1,658,955.23. These figures make clear the fact that if the foreign-born population could be removed from the Massachusetts institutions at least five hospitals for defectives could be closed up permanently.

If aliens alone were removed, three institutions could be closed up. These data are offered by no less an authority than the lieutenant-governor of Massachusetts, Alvan T. Fuller. Just how long the refuge of the refugees will remain open to the weaklings of Europe is a question to evoke the hotting proclivities of sporting gentlemen.

ELOQUENCE AND ACTION

The tower of Babel was not the only project spoiled by "hot air." Government investigation must eventually prove as hopeless as the experiment on the plains of Shinarump as the leopards of the nation to clean house. We do not investigate too much, but we do yammer too much about the investigation. Aristotle had the right idea when he defined eloquence as "action." The Ku Klux Klan is attempting to apply the principles of "action" to modern democratic intention. Thinking Klansmen will lack less, investigate more, and act with intelligent co-operation. It is an ideal to which good

flour ground in American wheat will occupy first place in the local market in the future. This mill is also placing on the market a new grade of flour in original American packing.

SNAKE CAUSES DEATH

SHARON, Pa., May 10.—Poison from the fangs of a rattlesnake which he exhibited in a carnival, caused the death of Boyd Wile, 40, of East Liverpool, O., here.

Wile, the "snake man" of the carnival, was bitten on April 27, when he attempted to pick up the snake. His condition gradually grew worse.

STATEMENT OF THE OWNERSHIP, MANAGEMENT, CIRCULATION, ETC., REQUIRED BY THE ACT OF CONGRESS OF AUGUST 24, 1912

Of The Flery Cross, published weekly at Indianapolis, Indiana, for April 1, 1924.

Before me, a notary public in and for the State and county aforesaid, personally appeared Harry E. Bloom, who, having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the business manager of The Flery Cross and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management, (and, if a daily paper, the circulation), etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption required by the Act of August 24, 1912, embodied in section 433, Postal Laws and Regulations, printed on the reverse of this form to wit:

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HARRY E. BLOOM
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 24 day of May, 1924.

PAUL E. WOOLENSNIDER
(My commission expires June 17, 1925.)
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WINS CASE IN COURT
(Special to The Flery Cross)
CINCINNATI, O., May 10.—Charles Fortinor, of Newport, has been dismissed following his arrest in Fourth street, this city following complaints by tenants of a business building here who did not like to hear Fortinor selling The Flery Cross. The Flery Cross salesman was given bond for appearance in court the following morning and when arraigned before Judge Bell, he was released from custody without fine.

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SAMSON AND DELILAH

An Editorial by Wingfoot as It Appeared in The Fiery Cross of May 25, 1923, and Reprinted Here by Request

Those who are familiar with the Bible readily recall the story of Samson and Delilah. Of how the strength of Samson lay in his hair and how treacherous Delilah, after lulling Samson to sleep, had his locks shorn and, with his strength gone, he was easy prey for the Philistines.

Although this parable was written thousands of years ago, it could not have more fittingly depicted the condition as exists in this country today. America is the Samson of today and Delilah, that sinister power that is trying to wreck the vast public school system wherein lies the strength of America.

To quote the Chicago Herald-Examiner: "There are enemies of the public schools that oppose it and constantly seek to control because they do not believe in American principles upon which the public school is founded." Embodied in the same editorial the writer also says that, "What we are today we owe to the free and democratic institution of education—the public school."

No truer words were ever written than those quoted above and is there any reason why true-blooded Americans should not fight the enemies of these schools that bestow upon man his greatest gift—that of an education? America has become great, mighty, enlightened, through a system of public education. The world had practically stood still for centuries after centuries under the rule that fought education. In four hundred years America had accomplished more than the combined countries of the world had done in many times that number of years. And, in the meantime, some of those other countries began throwing off the yoke of that power and followed in America's wake. The world progressed.

And Samson said unto her: If they bind me with seven green withs that were never dried, then shall I be weak as other men. Judges 16:22.

Peculiar it is that Samson said seven green withs. Peculiar inas-

much as that power that has always fought education has its headquarters in the city that is built on seven hills. It is the Delilah, plotting, planning to shear America of its public school system, that its strength might be gone.

Ever denying the allegations that it does not believe in education, despite the absolute figures that countries under its control reek with illiteracy, this power plots to control America's public school. The figures, prepared by the census bureau of the United States government, establish beyond cavil that this system, emanating from Rome, is the world's arch-enemy of education.

Space precludes the possibility of going into a mass of figures at this time, although a comparison, drawn from authentic figures and from the source spoken of above, would not be amiss. We will choose eight countries, dominated and controlled by that rule, which openly states in the face of these figures that it believes in education, and give the rate of illiteracy in them:

Argentina, 54.4 per cent; Brazil, 58.2 per cent; Spain, 58.7 per cent; Bolivia, 82.9 per cent; Chile, 49.9 per cent; Portugal, 63.9 per cent; Columbia, 72 per cent; Mexico, 70.7 per cent. The total shows an average of 63.1 per cent.

Eight countries free of the dictations of this foreign power, with their rate of illiteracy, follow: England, 1.8 per cent; Australia, 1.3 per cent; Holland, 8 per cent; United States, 7.7 per cent; Denmark, 2 per cent; Scotland, 1.6 per cent; Sweden, 2 per cent; Canada, 11 per cent. This total of illiteracy reaches only 2.1 per cent. It must be taken into consideration that the seven and seven-tenths illiteracy, as shown in America, includes the hordes of aliens in our industrial centers, and practically all of whom are subjects of this same system that is fighting education.

These figures present a withering and conclusive indictment of that system that would ruin our public school system. It thrives best where there is little or no education. Therefore, is it not only natural that it would stifle education in these cities? Let every American be on his guard!

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BOBBED HAIR BANDIT
DEFIANT UNTIL LAST

Tenement Windows Jammed as Girl Starts on Trip to Begin Prison Term

NEW YORK, May 10.—A bolted, red motor car with the gilt lettering "Department of Correction, No. 8," stood at the rear door of Kings county courthouse yesterday. From behind its barred window Cecilia Cooney, Brooklyn's bobbed-haired bandit, still as hard-boiled as a ten-minute egg, peered out upon her last home-town audience.

Twenty minutes earlier she had listened without the flicker of an eyelash or a quiver of lips to Judge George W. Martin when he gave both herself and her husband maximum sentences of from ten to twenty years in jail. Now Ed Cooney, cap over his eyes and handcuffed, was in the next compartment of the same car—both to return to Raymond street jail preparatory to starting "up the river."

Tenement Windows Crowded

The back tenement windows were crowded with women and children. Men and even girls hung over the tall brick walls about the little courtyard. Youths lined an adjoining roof and craned their necks.

It was the last gallery that Cecilia Cooney would play to probably for ten long years. But it was the same defiant bit of feminine banditry playing the same devil-may-care role. On her face, pressed close to the bars, was that characteristic smile, half-amused and half-jeering. The motor started and the machine moved slowly, but a reporter's voice rose above the "hrob of it."

"Was it worth while, Cecilia?" he called.

"That's my business," came back a high, taunting, girlish voice and the red car rumbled out of the yard.

"Doesn't Care a Whoop"

That was the bobbed-haired bandit's farewell. Whether she hastily brushed away a tear somewhere along the way after the crowds were left behind is a matter for conjecture, but court attendants who have watched her since her arrest do not think so.

"She's hard," one of them said. "She'll never break, not her! She doesn't give a whoop for nobody."

When they took Cecilia and Ed Cooney before Judge Martin and a courtroom jammed to capacity, she lived up to that description. Her head was high as she stood beside her husband. Her five-foot figure was trim and erect. Cooney loomed beside her, sullen and silent, and for the most part looking at his wife. The judge addressed his words to the girl.

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7,000,000 METHODISTS
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Action Taken at Springfield, Massachusetts, Is Far- Reaching

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., May 10.—During the presentation and discussion of the plan to unite the Methodists of the north and south, which occupied most of the time in the Methodist general conference this forenoon, the writer sat next to Dr. H. K. Carroll, widely known as a church statistician. Dr. Carroll was very deeply affected and greatly elated when Bishop Edwin H. Hughes of Boston, who was in the chair, announced that the conference had adopted the plan of unification by a vote of 802 to 13.

"What is the big significance of this action?" I asked of Dr. Carroll.

"It is the most important event that has ever taken place in the history of the church anywhere in the world," he replied, emphatically. "It will unite over 7,000,000 Methodists in all lands, and do much to wipe out even the memory of the Mason and Dixon line."

"Do you think the Methodist church south will also adopt the plan of unification?"

"There is no doubt in my mind about the final result, but some time will be required for the general conference of the southern church to get together, and for all the annual conferences of both denominations to ratify the action of the two general conferences."

Dr. Carroll voiced the feeling that had found expression in prayer, song, oratory and frequent outbursts of prolonged applause while the unification plan was under consideration.

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N. D. BUREAU OF REPORTS

W. S. STONE PROTESTS
NEW TRAIN CONTROL

President of Brotherhood Opposed to Automatic Brake Device

WASHINGTON, May 10.—Warren S. Stone, president of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, entered vigorous opposition to the train control principle, at a hearing today of the interstate commerce commission at which railroads made their final stand against the system.

Mr. Stone claimed that the train control principle would take the control of the train away from the engineer.

Only 3 per cent of railroad fatalities, he said, are caused by railroad collisions. He urged that the money be used to eliminate grade crossings.

Would Be Greater Danger

Stone said there would be greater danger that with the application of brakes by the automatic control freight trains would be caused to jack-knife over the fast passenger train tracks. When a fast passenger train struck such a wreck, he said, everyone on it would be killed.

The recent wreck of the Twentieth Century limited, Stone said, was due primarily to the grade crossing and the fact that sections of the train were running within two minutes of each other, made secondary errors in judgment on the part of train employees responsible.

MOTHERS PROTEST
IMMORAL MOVIES

ST. PAUL, Minn., May 10.—There is too much portrayal of crime, immorality and brutality in the "movies," delegates to the convention of the National Congress of Mothers and Parent-Teachers' Associations were told today.

Mrs. Charles E. Merriam, of Chicago, chairman of the better films committee, led a round table discussion that brought out unanimous disapproval of the filming of salacious books—"books the average boy and girl otherwise never would have heard about," one speaker said.

"We have protested, but in vain," Mrs. Merriam said. "Even today the industry is filming two more vile books, one to be produced this week. The producers of this film announced that this week—which we are devoting to child welfare—is to be nationally advertised as 'love week.'"

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'IMMIGRATION IS A
DOMESTIC PROBLEM'

Representative Cable Says No Alien Has Right to Enter United States

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 9.—Representative John L. Cable, of Ohio, member of the House immigration committee, has given out the following statement on the conference report on the immigration bill:

"The immigration question requires an American answer, namely, no alien has a right to enter the United States nor can a foreign government indicate or select its na-

tionals who may come. The framers of our constitution intended to place exclusively in Congress the power of passing laws for admitting or debarring immigrants. The proposition that Congress shall request the president to negotiate with the Japanese government in relation to the abrogation of the 'gentlemen's agreement' is contrary to the principles and ideals of this nation.

"Immigration is thoroughly a domestic problem. It should be considered in the open without secret negotiations or diplomatic communications. It is not a proper subject for treaty regulations because a treaty is a contract and certain rights must be surrendered for the benefits expected to be obtained. The United States has nothing to concede in passing an immigration measure."

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A hue and cry is raised that those who stand for American principles are creating strife, destroying friendship, stirring up race prejudice and creating dissension. Is the man who suddenly finds his home being robbed, and grapples with the burglar, to be accused of stirring up strife because he could, if he wished, stand peacefully aside and permit the robbery? Who is to be blamed for the resultant fight? The one who would steal or the one who would prevent it?

America has been lulled to sleep and is now "being afflicted."

Howbeit the hair of his head began to grow again after he was shaven. Judges 16:22.

There has now come into existence an organization which is fully aware of the attack on our public schools. Its ranks are being swelled by thousands each day. This organization, the Ku Klux Klan, stands for free public education; free press and free speech. It believes in America for Americans, and its members are bound by oath to guard its flag and its constitution.

The enemy has fear in its heart, and in turn is spewing venom; printing untruths and using every artifice known to it to belittle and kill this organization that only too well knows its past history as well as its present activities. This organization is founded upon the fundamentals by which success is always attained. It is founded upon Christianity, loyalty to God and to country and enlightenment.

Despite the rancid utterances; despite the propaganda; despite the bitter fight now being waged against it by those who would take America from Americans, the Ku Klux Klan has already won success and those gains from this day on will be but added successes.

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She turned slowly on her heel. For a moment she glanced at the spectators—an impersonal, curious glance with just a trace of gratified vanity in it. Then she walked briskly out and downstate to a cell. Ed Cooney's eyes were fastened upon her small form. He followed mechanically, as if he did not realize any one was watching.

MOVING SANDS FORM ALASKAN MENACE

Desert Similar to Great American Wastes Is Discovered

CANTWELL, Alaska, May 10.—Shifting sands, having all the characteristics of the great American desert and providing a menace to inexperienced travelers, have been discovered in interior Alaska, according to prospectors arriving from Valdez Creek placer diggings.

This desert of Alaska is located between Valdez Creek and Myers' roadhouse, on the Richardson highway. L. S. Wickersham, a placer miner of the Valdez Creek region, has described the barren area. He said access was gained in years past by "mushing" 100 miles or more over the snow. As these tips were made in winter, the heavy snow concealed the nature of the country, but further afield in the excavations from Valdez Creek, and they encountered conditions that made them apprehensive and wary. Where the old trail had appeared in winter as leading plainly across a level plateau, they found immense sand dunes and the entire landscape changed.

Winds Start Sands

In summer the winds start the sands to moving in the same manner as on the American desert. Changing of landmarks makes it difficult to travel.

The sand is of a pure vitreous material, indicating an origin in silicious rock. For the reason prospectors maintain that the region was the last resting place of glaciers containing vast stores of ice.

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F. E. TAPLIN ELECTED

CLEVELAND, May 10.—F. E. Taplin of Cleveland, president of the Cleveland & Western Coal Co., has been elected president and chairman of the board of directors of the Pittsburgh & West Virginia railway, according to dispatches.

The road, which carries coal and operates a belt line around Pittsburgh, has been in the control of Clevelanders for about a year. J. R. Kraus, vice-president of the Union Trust Company, was elected vice-president of the road.

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ALIEN BURGLARS IN HANDS OF POLICE

NEW YORK, May 10.—A few hours after a truck loaded with \$3,000 in cotton goods was stolen from in front of Pier 28, North River, detectives arrested Joseph Craziosa, 56 Mulberry street, and John L. Tedesco, 32 Madison street. Detectives fired five shots at the men before they surrendered. The men were charged with grand larceny.

Frank Irwin, alias Frank Smith and Frank Arnold, was arrested in Manhattan, accused of being one of the three bandits who, on January 25, captured an Arbutle Sugar Refining Company truck, containing sugar valued at \$900, at Front and Jay streets, Brooklyn. The truck and contents were recovered in a garage. Charles Irwin, 141 Cumberland street, Brooklyn, a brother of Frank, and James Battle, 115 Carlton avenue, Brooklyn, were arrested several days ago in connection with this robbery.

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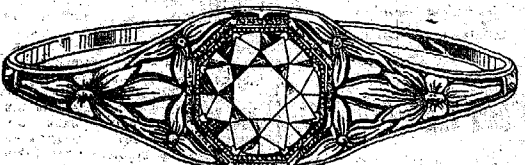
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