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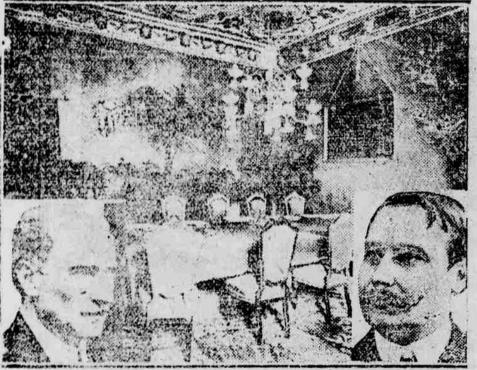


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Activities to be initiated will be Brought up for discussion. Now that the fair is over everybody will be prepared to enter some phase of the community pervice program. The reerration leaders' class will be of soon in a building to be sele at the above mentioned meeting All adults over 18 years of age are were ! to oftend their recreation sessions. Mr. J. D. Effect on Tuesday of rocks for Hickory. The public is invited to hear

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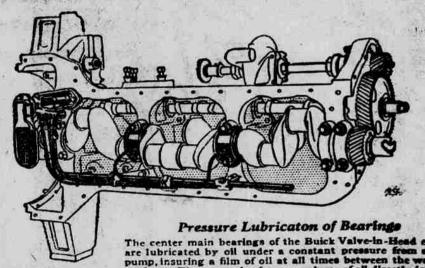
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