

# GOUX WILL RACE BOB BURMAN IF MATCH IS ASKED

## French Driver's Manager Asserts He Would Accept Challenge for 500-Mile Event.

## KEETON IS OUT WITH DEFINITIVE AND OFFERS \$20,000 WAGER

## Attitude of Car Companies Indi- cates That Articles May Be Signed Soon.

BY A. S. BLAKELY.

A second meeting between Jules Goux, winner of Friday's 500-mile race, and Bob Burman, the world's "speed king," is imminent. Fully believing that the Keeton car which Burman drove in the race is faster than the French Peugeot, Forrest M. Keeton, president of the Keeton Motor Car Company, is out with a challenge for a match between Burman and Goux. Mr. Keeton declared yesterday afternoon in a newspaper statement that he is willing to make a side bet of \$20,000, the size of the purse won by Goux, that Burman will prove the Keeton car best in a 500-mile race at the Speedway.

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### WEATHER FORECAST

**FAIR** Forecast for Indiana for Sunday and Monday:

Generally fair and continued warm Sunday, with possibly local showers or thunder storms by night. Monday fair.

Forecast for Indianapolis and vicinity for today: Showers.

### ALMANAC OF THE WEATHER

Sun rises at... 4.18 | Sun sets at... 8.15

### WEATHER CONDITIONS

—Precipitation  
Amount during the twenty-four hours ending at 7 p. m. . . . .  
Total amount since Jan. 1 . . . . .  
Accumulated departure since Jan. 1 (excess) . . . . .  
—Temperature

7 a. m.	67	H
7 p. m.	80	L
—For the Same Date		
7 a. m.	60	H
7 p. m.	75	L

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## ILLEGAL COUNTING ALLEGATIONS

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The complaint will be filed in the Marion tomorrow. The first will be not legally entitled to contest and will set out numerous allegations of the election board. The complaint will charge Bell Lyons, Democratic city clerk, with entering into a conspiracy to violate the corrupt practices act. The complaint has not been filed completely.

### BLAMES IRREGULAR

## KILLS HER SON UNDER AUTO

### on Porch of Home - Runs in Front of Machine.

At the front porch of her home, Mrs. Rothhaas, 3305 East Washington street, saw her son, James, killed instantly by a car driven by Frank E. Laney. The boy had been riding an ice wagon. He was in starting for his home, in front of the automobile, when he was crushed. The mother was so shocked that she could give only a faint account of how the accident occurred. Walter Rothhaas, a brother-in-law on the Pennsylvania road to Bradford, O., was expected to return to know of the accident.

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### HAS FAITH IN CAR.

Mr. Keeton is just as firm in his belief that his car can come out the winner in another attempt. He said yesterday afternoon that "a repetition of the event or a match race will prove Burman's superiority." He also said that accidents not due to the construction of the Keeton car were the cause of Burman's failure to win, "inasmuch as lightning never strikes twice in the same place."

The outcome of the challenge is anxiously awaited by the enthusiasts who know the circumstances and it is believed that an agreement will be reached today.

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Service Commission Announces Unofficial Opinion to City.

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