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## SEN. KING DEMANDS TROOP WITHDRAWAL

### In the Meantime Com- mandant of Marines In Nicaragua Is Given Full Authority To Cope With Bandits.

Washington, Jan. 2.—(AP)—Colonel Frederick Bradman, commandant of the Marines in Nicaragua, today held full authority to cope with the bandits who yesterday killed eight of his men.

Marine headquarters had only brief details of the skirmish, which resulted in the greatest single loss the American troops have suffered since entering Nicaragua in 1927 to meet the challenge of the rebel leader, Augusto Sandino.

Immediate withdrawal of the Marines from Nicaragua was proposed today by Senator King, Democrat, Utah.

In the meantime, Brigadier General Myers, assistant to the commandant, said no orders had been issued to Colonel Bradman, since he was in the field and would know best what action was necessary.

### 27 Already Killed

The loss of the eight men brought to 27 the number of Marines killed in the four years the forces have policed the country, fourteen having died from wounds received in action.

Two previous skirmishes with bandits during the week have been reported.

The first occurred on Sunday, December 28, near Elsalto and the second on Monday, near Siale. Marine forces suffered no casualties in either battle. Two bandits were killed and five wounded in the second encounter.

### Describes Killing

Describing the killing of eight Marines as "tragedy which must arouse the sympathies, if not the anger of the American people, Senator King said it was a "bad thing to send boys to support American investments in foreign countries."

"He said he would introduce a resolution Monday calling for 'absolute withdrawal—politically and militarily—' so the Nicaraguans 'may work out their own destiny.'"

"We have been in the habit of intervening too much in foreign lands," King added. "It is bound to provoke and has provoked resentments and feeling of ill will on the part of the Latin Americans."

"It leads them to believe we are impartially inclined not only from a business but a military point of view—that we are too apt to support by military force economic penetration."

## MYSTERIOUS 'KING' OF REBELS KILLED

### British Troops Find Body of Man Who Directed Raids On Burmese Villages.

Rangoon, Burma, Jan. 2.—(AP)—The mysterious "man who would be king" who directed the recent series of savage raids on Burmese jungle villages is believed to have been killed by government troops which returned here today after seeking the rebel stronghold and burning an almost impregnable palace.

The soldiers told of hacking their way at dusk through an almost impassable jungle to a hidden palace. They returned through the jungle gateways in which 30 of the blue pajama-uniformed rebels were killed and one British soldier was slightly wounded.

### Find the "King"

In the palace was the body of a tall, muscular, fair-complexioned Burman, on the head a royal turban. On examination revealed that he had wasted away with fever. He apparently had been directing the rebel troops to the last despite severe sickness.

In other rooms of the palace were found cartridges, dynamite and gasoline. These the British confiscated, then fired the structure. They returned through the jungle without discovering the identity of the sinister figure whose generalship of the savage warriors created a reign of terror in scores of jungle villages.

Scattered remnants of the rebel forces still are being pursued.

## ANOTHER COP SUSPENDED

New York, Jan. 2.—(AP)—Another patrolman was suspended today because of vice graft charges made by "Chic" Acuna, former police informer, before an inquiry into Magistrates' Courts.

In his testimony Acuna mentioned a policeman known to him as "Horse," and Police Commissioner Mulrooney said an investigation led him to believe the patrolman was Albert P. Anderson. Similar charges have been lodged against a score of former members of the police vice squad, five of whom are now being given departmental trials.

## IL DUCE PLEDGES ITALY TO PEACE

### Mussolini In Radio Speech Says Neither He Nor His People Desire War.

Rome, Jan. 2.—(AP)—B. Mussolini, Italian premier and strong man, spoke for 16 minutes into a microphone here last evening in English, to an audience of Americans from Atlantic to Pacific coasts who listened in on one of the most ambitious radio broadcasts ever attempted.

Premier Mussolini, who is reputed not to have known a word of English when he rose to power eight years ago took the occasion to wish America a happy New Year, explain his experience as a man and as a statesman, could consider a future conflict with horrors.

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## SIMPSON CHARGES DENIED BY LEGGE

### Chairman of Farm Board Says He Is Not Seeking To Lower the Price of Wheat.

Washington, Jan. 2.—(AP)—Chairman Legge of the Farm Board, today declared "absolutely untrue" statements concerning him made recently by John A. Simpson, president of the Farmers Education and Cooperative Union of Oklahoma City.

Legge made public his reply, dated December 31, to a letter from Simpson who recently charged the farm chairman had told the Senate agriculture committee his board had sought to depress wheat prices.

"I am in receipt of your letter of December 24 and can see no good," wrote Legge, "resulting to the farmers from a further exchange of personalities between us. It would be highly improper for me to enter into any discussion of what was said in an executive session of a Senate committee, but I do want to repeat most emphatically that the statements you have been using as having been made by me at this hearing are absolutely untrue."

"Entirely aside from anything which happened at this meeting, isn't it rather absurd to accuse us of trying to depress the price of wheat at a time when the domestic markets are twenty-five to thirty-five cents a bushel, depending on where the wheat might be located, above what it would bring if exported today. The Liverpool price averaging at present approximately twenty cents a bushel under the Chicago price for the same grade of wheat? Don't you realize that in taking this position you are aligning yourself with the interests which are so bitterly opposing all efforts to aid agriculture in an effective way?"

No Probe Planned

"So far as I know no resolution has been introduced in Congress asking for an investigation of the Farm Board, but have been informed that the private traders in grain and cotton have been trying to have such a resolution introduced. Do you wish to place yourself in the position of supporting their activities? So far as the board is concerned we have nothing to conceal and have always tried to furnish to the various committees of Congress such information as they have asked for."

"The board has taken no part in political activities of any kind. Our work is being done the way we believe to be in the best interests of the producer and we are going to continue straight ahead."

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## LINGLE SUSPECT IS HELD FOR QUIZ

### Dozen Witnesses Say They Saw Him Near Place Where Man Was Killed.

Chicago, Jan. 2.—(AP)—Suspected of complicity in the slaying of Jake Lingle, Tribune crime reporter, Leo Loeffler, a reputed St. Louis gangster is held for questioning at a hotel, according to the Daily News.

Loeffler is reported to have been handed over to state attorneys' detectives on a tip from an ally of Al Capone.

Loeffler said to be a former member of "Egan's Rats" of St. Louis, was captured 13 days ago. He has been under questioning in a carefully guarded hotel suite where a dozen or more witnesses are reported to have tentatively identified him as seen at the place of Lingle's murder. Loeffler steadfastly denies knowledge of the crime.

Information that Loeffler might be connected with the slaying came to Ed Roche, chief investigator for the state's attorney, after his men had taken into custody a number of armed hoodlums during and after the recent wedding of Matilda Capone, sister of the gang boss.

## TREASURY BALANCE

Washington, Jan. 2.—(AP)—Treasury receipts for December 30 were \$2,774,252,12; expenditures \$1,385,052.82; balance \$1,389,199,269.10.

There's \$50,000 in Each Box!



It would have been a golden opportunity for bandits—except for the fact that a small army of policemen was on guard when this cargo of \$1,500,000 in gold was unloaded at a New York pier. There was \$50,000 in each of these boxes, which were brought from Cuba aboard a coast-wise liner for delivery to a New York bank in payment of the semi-annual interest due on \$48,000,000 worth of Cuban bonds.

## POWER CO. WINS RIGHT TO CONDEMN PROPERTY

### New Milford Residents Claimed That Right Was Lost Because Company Had Violated Obligations.

Waterbury, Conn., Jan. 2.—(AP)—The right of the Connecticut Light and Power Co. to take property from six New Milford residents for a right of way for a high tension line from the power plant near that town to Waterbury was upheld this morning in a decision rendered by Judge John Rufus Booth of the Superior Court.

The court in allowing the company to take the land appointed a committee of three headed by Judge Leonard I. Nickerson, retired, of the Superior Court to hold hearings and assess damages.

The court also sustained a demurrer filed by the company to the special defense of the defendants, which claimed the company had lost the right of land condemnation by excessive rates for power and light.

Attorney William E. Thoms represented the power company with Attorney Nathaniel R. Bronson and Albert Levitt appearing for the property owners.

### Defense Claims

The special defense claimed that the company has lost the right to condemn land because it has violated contractual obligations undertaken in acceptance of the franchise by charging excessive and unreasonably rates. The power company demurred to this and the court has upheld the demurrer which was based on three points. These were that the property owners admitted that the right to condemn land was given the company in the charter when land was needed for the production and transmission of electric power, second, that the alleged

### Definite System

The stars are known to form a definite system, "isolated" in space. Other similar systems, the nebulae, are scattered as far as the telescopes can reach, and perhaps farther. With the great reflectors and accessories it is possible to study the whole of the observable region of space.

Dr. Einstein at one time formed a mental picture of the cosmos a mathematical concept developed by calculation. Here he finds a man who has seen and studied physically the observable universe, and who has found that observable distances of 300,000,000 light years are apparent.

This man is Dr. Edwin P. Hubble of Mt. Wilson. He has much to show to Dr. Einstein.

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## DIVORCED SECOND TIME

### Springfield, Mass., Jan. 2.—(AP)—Carrie E. Bouche of this city was today granted a second divorce from Henry C. Bouche by Probate Court. The wife was married in Thompsonville, Conn., in 1913, and in 1919 the wife received a divorce in Keene, N. H., on the ground that she was deserted in 1921 and three children were born of this marriage. The present decree is based on a charge of cruelty.

## Cleric Refuses to Marry Couple on Express Train

Montreal, Jan. 2.—(AP)—The train romance of a young Nova Scotia farmer and a fair transatlantic traveler was proceeding more slowly today after running into a caution signal waved by a minister.

Carman Robles, 21, returning to his father's farm at Westchester station, N. S., after four years in Calgary, met, wooed and won Miss Mary Anderson, 24, of Halifax on a transatlantic express.

They asked the Rev. Henry Jenkins of Butte, Montana, also a passenger on the train, to marry them. He refused.

"I honestly could not encourage what might turn out to be almost a passing fancy," he said. "In Canada, I believe, marriage in a train is still an unheard of stunt and I felt it my duty to discourage it as such." Robles said it was not a stunt. "I have worked hard and I'm old enough to know what I want and who I like," he said.

"I know Carman is rather precipitate," Miss Anderson said, "and I have told him that since we need to hurry."

She said she would stop off at Westchester station to meet Robles' parents en route from Vancouver to Halifax.

## WOMAN PLANS OCEAN FLIGHT WITH A CARGO

### Starts Tomorrow for Paris in Three Stops by Way of Bermuda and the Azores; Ex-Navy Flier is Navigator

New York, Jan. 2.—(AP)—Mrs. Beryl Hart and Lieut. W. S. MacLaren plan to start tomorrow on the first trans-Atlantic flight attempted with a cargo-laden plane. Their object is to demonstrate that ocean flying can be "taken out the stunt class and put upon a sound commercial basis," they announced today.

The flight, with 200 pounds of food products aboard will be from New York to Paris by way of Bermuda and the Azores. The specially-built cabin monoplane, "The Trade Wind," equipped with pontoons, will be piloted by Mrs. Hart, New York widow who holds a transport pilot's license, and will be navigated by Lieutenant MacLaren, Annapolis graduate and former Navy flier.

In 48 Hours

MacLaren estimated that the elapsed time of the flight would be about 48 hours and the flying time about 44 hours. Hopping off from the North Beach seaplane base at 6 a. m. (E. S. T.) the fliers hope to reach Bermuda at about 2:30 p. m. A mechanic awaits them to overhaul the plane's engine.

The plane, a cabin model, has space for six passengers but the space for four seats has been converted into storage room for the cargo. The two stops, the fliers pointed out, will permit them to devote to the pay load some of the carrying capacity that would have to be used for the fuel and oil if the flight were to be made without a stop.

All Year Flights

In addition to demonstrating the feasibility of carrying a pay load, the fliers said, the flight will show that the South Atlantic can be flown in all seasons, with proper equipment and personnel.

The "Trade Wind" will carry 250 gallons of gasoline on its New York-Bermuda hop and will take on 400 gallons more at Bermuda for the flight to Horta, in the Azores. Lieut. MacLaren said the plane will be refueled in Horta, in 21 hours from Bermuda, another 400 gallons will be taken on for the flight to Paris, where the plane will be landed in the Seine.

## DEMOCRATS REPORT ELECTION FIGURES

### Close Year With Deficit of \$636,222—Owe John J. Raskob \$225,250.

Washington, Jan. 2.—(AP)—Expenditures of \$612,647 for 1930 were reported to the clerk of the House today by the Democratic National committee.

The Republican Congressional campaign committee reported it had spent \$294,985, while the Republican Senatorial committee said its disbursement totaled \$50,208.

The Democratic National committee closed the year with a deficit of \$636,222, of which \$225,250 was owed to John J. Raskob, committee chairman.

The Democratic committee also owed \$493,368 to the County Trust Company of New York, \$4,704 to the Postal Telegraph Company of New York and \$5,500 to Frank Kierman of New York.

Raskob, in the year, loaned \$180,000 to the committee, the last installment of \$10,000 being made on December 16. Among the contributors were Robert E. Greenwood of Newburgh, Mass., who gave \$10,000; Bernard M. Baruch, Jr., who donated \$1,000, and John W. Davis, a former Democratic presidential candidate, who gave \$500.

The Republican Congressional committee reported a deficit, also, of \$249,452, while the disbursements of the Republican Senatorial committee were exactly the same as receipts, \$50,208.

The Republican Senatorial committee made the following expenditures in 1930: Senator McNary, \$5,250; J. A. Hanlon, Montana, \$10,000; Representative Dickson, Iowa, \$5,000; Senator McMane, South Dakota, \$2,500; A. H. Hahn, Denver, \$10,000; Representative Pritchard, North Carolina, \$5,000; George N. Brimmer, Chesham, Wyo., \$7,800; Herbert B. Holt, Las Cruces, New Mexico, \$2,500.

Other reports received today showed the Detroit battalion of the Crusaders spent \$194; the Anti-Saloon League of New Jersey, \$5; the Anti-Saloon League of America, \$6,782, and the Republican state central committee of Louisville, Ky., \$6,500.

The largest contributor to the Anti-Saloon League of America was Mabel Lyman of Waltham, Mass., with a donation of \$1,000. William A. (Billy) Sunday, of Winona Lake, Ind., spent \$683 for the league.

To offset partially the deficit of \$636,222, the Democratic National committee had a balance for the current year of \$4,466.

## NEWSPAPER PLANT DESTROYED BY FIRE

### One Killed and Six Hurt When Baltimore Post Building Burns.

Baltimore, Jan. 2.—(AP)—Fire in three hours last night destroyed the \$200,000 four-story plant of the Baltimore Post, a Scripps-Howard newspaper taking one life and injuring six persons. Today the paper was being published at the Baltimore Sun while officials from New York attended a conference here to determine whether the plant would be rebuilt.

The fire started shortly after 6 o'clock with an explosion in the photographic department adjoining the editorial room on the second floor. Eighteen men were in the composing room on the floor above, preparing to send the last edition to the press room in the basement.

Joseph R. Douglas, a linotype operator on the third floor leaped for a ladder that was being raised by a fire company. He missed and plunged to the street, fracturing his skull. He died an hour later in a hospital. The other members of the composing room staff escaped down a fire escape in the rear of the building, some leaping from windows after reaching the second floor.

Officials of the fire department are seeking the cause of the explosion.

## KILLS TWO SONS AND THEN HIMSELF

### Bodies of Two Boys and Father Found in Woods; Letter Explains Tragedy.

Lincoln, Mass., Jan. 2.—(AP)—The bodies of two boys and their father all of whom had been shot to death, was found here today. The bodies of the boys, one of 13 and the other of 14 years were found in a parked sedan. The father's body was found in the woods nearby, a revolver clutched in his hand.

The police said it was apparently a case of a double murder and that a note was found in Fletcher's pocket which read: "I am getting crazier and crazier every minute and I don't want the boys to get that way. Notify my wife. My name is Peter W. Fletcher, 10 Greenville street, Watertown."

E. A. Rowe, a Boston reporter, discovered the tragedy. He saw one of the boys through the window of the sedan and saw that he was wounded. Upon investigation he discovered both boys were dead.

## REGIME IN PANAMA IS UPSET BY REVOLT

### Intervention by U. S. In Panama Unlikely

Washington, Jan. 2.—(AP)—State department officials said today that American intervention in Panama as a result of the revolt was unlikely.

American intervention in cases of disturbance of public order is permitted under the Panama-American treaty of 1903.

This treaty was made expressly to protect American interests in the Panama Canal Zone, controlled by the United States.

The attitude at the State Department was that in the event public order were not unduly disturbed, intervention would not be required.

Minister Alfaro, of Panama, hurried to the State Department early today seeking further information concerning the disorders in his country. He was cloistered with Francis White, assistant secretary of state in charge of Latin American affairs, for more than an hour.

### Ten Persons Killed and Score Wounded Including Ameri- can Newspaper Reporter; President a Prisoner In His Own Palace — U. S. Troops Patrol Border; Panama City Now Quiet; Colon Governor Mimicizes Importance of Revolt.

Panama City, Jan. 2.—(AP)—President Arosemena was a prisoner in his own palace today while a revolutionary junta which overthrew his government in a sudden rebellion this morning was in charge of the city.

The revolutionists captured police headquarters and established their own patrol of civilian guards, while another attack was directed against the palace which surrendered after a brief skirmish.

At least ten persons were killed and a score or so wounded in the fighting about the palace and the police station. Hartwell F. Ayres, an American newspaper correspondent, was critically wounded and physicians at Gorgas hospital held out little hope for him.

While political leaders and representatives of Spain, Italy, Cuba and Costa Rica confer, the junta, headed by Manuel Amador Guerrero, reports came from Colon that the governor of that province had dispatched 500 Colon police to support the Arosemena government but that the Panama railway refused to carry the armed body.

But Small Group

The Colon governor minimized the importance of the revolt, attributing it to a comparatively small group of malcontents headed by Dr. Harmodio Arias, head of the junta. He asserted that all the nine provinces of the republic were loyal to Arosemena.

The junta demanded the president's formal abdication, but Jorge D. Arias, a cousin of the president informed the United States Legation that Arosemena would not resign.

Troops At Border

United States troops were guarding the Legation and patrolling the border but after the first fury of fighting there was little action. Francisco Paredes, one of the leaders of the revolt, characterized the movement as "lamentable" but declared it had the backing of public opinion, which regards the revolution as an attack upon "graft and political tyranny."

This afternoon the revolutionists arrested Rodolfo Chiari, former president and generally regarded as a candidate for the office in 1932. Roberto F. Chiari, aide to President Arosemena and a son of the president, also was arrested. They were lodged with other political prisoners at police headquarters.

The United States minister, with his coat off and his collar open, was one of the busiest men in the city. He maintained uninterrupted contact with other members of the diplomatic corps and representatives of the revolutionary government.

He declined to talk for publication beyond saying that he and the rest of the foreign representatives were "observing the situation."

Panama City, Jan. 2.—(AP)—Sudden revolt breaking without warning today overthrew the government of President Arosemena and set the hands of a revolutionary junta headed by Harmodio Arias.

Several other government officers were placed under arrest, including Archibaldo Boyd, governor of the province of Panama, and Ricardo Arango, head of the police.

The whereabouts of Vice President Tomas Gabriel Duquesne was not known but it was believed he had escaped to safety. The second vice president, Carlos Lopez, also was believed to have escaped to the Canal Zone.

After the first attacks had succeeded, armed civilians associated with the revolutionists patrolled the city under the direction of General Manuel Quiroga, who had installed himself at the police station.

All Shops Closed

Shops remained closed, there was no bus service and throughout the city automobiles carrying armed men dashed about posting guards on police duty.

There were persistent reports that President Arosemena had abdicated but none of these was confirmed.

From Colon came reports that Governor Galdames with a detachment of police and armed civilians had attempted to come into Panama City but that the Canal Zone governor had declined to permit the passage of an armed body across his territory.

These Wires Cut

Telephones and telegraph lines were not functioning and there was no way of knowing how the movement had been received by inhabitants in the interior. The junta "intended" to cut the telegraph

## HEN DYING OF GRIEF OVER DEATH OF MATE

Los Angeles, Jan. 2.—(AP)—Spurring offers of food, Nancy Tam, a pet-bantam hen, is believed to be dying of grief over the death of her mate, Ebony Tam. Ebony was killed because his crowing disturbed his neighborhood.

Nancy, widowed several days ago, refused nourishment today for the third successive day. She has stopped setting on a nest of eggs.

## SHOT BY MISTAKE IN NEGRO BRAWL

### Prisoner Says He Intended To Shoot Another Man Who Stepped On His Foot.

Bridgeport, Jan. 2.—(AP)—Fleeting he was under the influence of liquor and did not realize what he was doing, Gregorio Fernandes, 28, negro, today admitted the shooting of John Silva, another negro, early Thursday, according to police.

Silva was struck by a bullet intended for another. It passed through his chest and lung, and for a time his condition was considered grave. Some slight improvement was noted today.

Under arrest with Fernandes is Roosevelt Applewhite, 27, negro for whom the bullet was intended. Applewhite told police he accidentally stepped on Fernandes' foot. An argument followed and Fernandes whipped out a revolver and fired. Silva was standing nearby. The bullet grazed Applewhite's cheek and entered Silva's chest. Fernandes and Applewhite are both held in bonds of \$1,000, and their cases have been continued in January to permit further investigation.

## BUSCH BOY BACK; WAS NOT HARMED

### Parents Refuse To Give De- tails of How Kidnaped Youngster Was Freed.

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MARSHAL JOFFRE STILL IN COMA

Doctors Believe He May Last Overnight - Kept Alive By Use of Stimulants.

Paris, Jan. 2.—(AP)—Marshal Joffre, deep in a coma from which his doctors did not expect him to awake, remained alive today, through administration of large injections of stimulants.

Dr. Boulin, meeting newspapermen outside the hospital after an official bulletin which said there was no change in the condition of the aged hero of the Marne, states he did not now expect death until tonight or perhaps tomorrow.

"The final coma which will take the marshal," he said, "can be forestalled from a half hour to three quarters of an hour in advance by acceleration of the pulse which has been 140 since yesterday.

The patient remains unconscious. Heavy doses of serum are being injected which should permit the marshal to pass today and perhaps tonight."

CASH POURING IN TO MONEY MARKET

New York, Jan. 2.—(AP)—The turn of the year brought a plethora of funds into the money market, ending the temporary period of firmness that is a normal development at the year end.

The 1-1/2 per cent rate is the lowest since September 29 and compares with a high of 6 per cent at the turn of the year 12 months ago, and 12 per cent two years ago.

The drop today brought the rate even lower than before the advance that followed the withdrawals of currency to meet holiday and year end needs and also to embellish annual financial statements.

The withdrawals caused an advance from 2 per cent, at which the rate had remained stationary for more than two months, to a high of 4 during the latter part of December.

A general reduction of 1-8 of one per cent in bankers acceptance rates was made today by dealers.

CROSS AS GUEST

New Haven, Jan. 2.—(AP)—Dean W. L. Cross, governor-elect before the New Year by keeping a social engagement. He was guest of the Union League Club here in their New Year's frolic.

OIL MAGNATES, BROTHERS, HEAL 15-YEAR 'FIGHT'

Tulsa, Okla.—(AP)—A quarrel of 15 years ago has been patched up, and three brothers whose names are eminent in the oil industry are reunited.

Consolidation of the Phillips Petroleum company and the Independent Oil and Gas company, forming one of the world's largest independent oil organizations with assets in excess of \$319,000,000 brought the Phillips triumvirate—Frank L. E. and Waite—together again.

Back in 1915 when the three brothers were associated in the Phillips Petroleum company at Bartlesville, Okla., there was a disagreement one day.

Waite, the youngest brother who directed the land department, failed to get a lease which the other two thought should have been obtained. The quarrel led to the withdrawal of Waite from the company.

The youngest brother tried his hand at lease brokering and running a chain of filling stations for a time.

He came a stroke of good fortune and he started a spectacular climb to the heights of the oil business—alone. The start was his opening of a new oil field in Oklahoma county, Oklahoma, at about the time the United States entered the World war.

The field made Waite a fortune almost overnight. He sold out to the Barnsdall corporation for \$23,000,000 cash. In 1919 he became head of the independent Oil and Gas company of Tulsa after merging with the Phillips company, organized by him.

Meanwhile, the original Phillips Petroleum company, with Frank as president and L. E. as executive vice president, had forged ahead and become a leading company of its kind.

One of its achievements was to develop into the world's largest manufacturer of natural gasoline. Shortly before the consolidation, the company began construction of a \$10,000,000 gasoline pipeline—something new in pipeline transportation.

Before entering the oil business, the three brothers were engaged in banking at Bartlesville, Okla. They had been banking still remains the "hobby" of L. E. Phillips, and the other two brothers retain wide banking interests.

Italian 'Heel-Toe' Mark Goes Rome.—(AP)—Italy's champion pedestrian, Armando Valente, has broken the Italian record for the fifteen mile walk with a mark of 1 hour, 59 minutes, 51 4-5 seconds. The previous Italian record time was of 2 hours, 1 minute and a half.

OBITUARY

FUNERALS

Maurice T. Quish The funeral of Maurice T. Quish, who died early Tuesday morning at the age of 35, following a lingering illness, was largely attended when held at his home at 86 Benton street, at 9 o'clock and at St. James' church at 9:30 o'clock this morning.

As the body was carried into the church the choir sang "Thy Will Be Done." At the offertory, James Breen sang "Ave Maria" and at the end of the mass, "When Evening Comes." Organist Charles Packard played Chopin's Funeral March as the body was borne from the church to be placed in the receiving vault at St. James' cemetery. The bearers were: George H. Williams and Edward McCann, representing Rockville Lodge of Elks, of which the deceased was a member; Thomas Sullivan and Elmer Knada, representing the Plasterers' Union, of which he was also affiliated; and Edward Quish and Frank Quish.

Andrew Stavitsky Funeral services for Andrew Stavitsky were held yesterday afternoon at two o'clock at his late home, 61 Lyness street, and from the Lutheran Concordia church at 2:30. Rev. H. O. Weber, pastor of the church officiated. Miss Anna Tuck sang during the church service, "Beautiful Isle of Somewhere" and a German song, "Über dem Meer." The floral tributes were many and very beautiful.

Five of the bearers were nephews of Mr. Stavitsky, William Stavens of this town, William Farken, Carl and Andrew Schinkel, Frederick Dimick, all of Stillville, and John Howard of Manchester, Utah. Burial was in the East cemetery.

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Henry Richmond The funeral of Henry Richmond, of Hebron, was held at Holloran's Undertaking parlors yesterday afternoon at two o'clock. Rev. Watson, pastor of the Central Congregational church, officiated and burial was in the East cemetery. The bearers were Frederick Trowbridge, Robert McCleary, Leroy Spencer, and Clinton Burke.

Latest Stocks New York, Jan. 2.—(AP)—The financial markets began the New Year soberly but hopefully today. The Stock Market developed quiet strength after a selling flurry during the early trading, and bonds reflected investment buying. The early selling was presaged by a partial recovery in the upturn in the last two sessions of 1930. Profit taking deferred until today will not be taxed until 1932.

Rail, oil and motor shares pointed upward after midday. An unsettling year in pipeline transportation was a flop back in some of the utilities which were hurried upward late yesterday. Shares selling up a point or two included Atchison, New York Central, New Haven, Illinois Central, General Motors, Studebaker, Nash and Standard Oil of New Jersey. Morning losses of a point or two in U. S. Steel, American Telephone, American Can, Bethlehem Steel, and Air Reduction were replaced by advances of like extent. American Water Works and Standard Oil of New Jersey lost 5 points in the first hour, or most of Wednesday's advances. Allied Chemical tumbled 5 to a low since 1928, then recovered.

The rally was facilitated by an unexpectedly quick breaking of the year-end credit lines had promptly renewed at 3 percent, but dropped later to 1 1/2, the lowest since September. Reduction of the discount rate of the Bank of France from 2 1/2 to 2 per cent placing it on a par with the New York rate, was viewed constructively. With the Paris rate a full one per cent lower than London, the drain on London's gold stock should be lightened.

The rail shares were helped by the knowledge that heads of the eastern trunk lines had promptly convened conferences to work out the details of the four-party unification plan. Although Wall street understands that tangible developments in consolidation may be delayed some months, it is believed that eventual consummation will result in the expenditure of \$500,000,000 or more in deferred improvements.

The oils were braced by developments leading to the hope that the slump in gasoline prices may be at an end. Standard of New Jersey announced an increase in tank car lots to 7 cents a gallon, F. O. B. Atlantic seaboard. This increase amounts to 1-2 cent at Bayonne, N. J., and 1-4 at Baltimore. Earlier in the week it had announced an increase in tank wagon prices in the east.

The motor shares responded to announcements of new models and prices although prices are lower in most cases, reductions have been made in the hope of stimulating sales. While estimates of 1931 production are around 4,000,000 units, against 3,500,000 in 1930 and 3,600,000 in 1929, makers have made drastic reductions in the large overhead and overhead developed during the peak year of 1929.

Brothers Seek Cage Honors Tuscaloosa, Ala.—(AP)—When basketball practice started at the University of Alabama, three sets of brothers stepped out in an effort to make the team. They are Malcolm and Walton Laney, guards and lettermen; Zekie and Paul Munkasey, forwards; Ed and Zekie Kimbrough, guards.

PICTURES TAKEN THREE MILES UP AID CROP CENSUS

Small Dynamo and Storage Battery May Be Installed At Minimum of Expense.

Los Angeles.—(AP)—For crop reporting an airplane is used by Harold J. Ryan, Los Angeles county agricultural commissioner. Pictures made at a height of nearly three miles are used to check and supplement work of his crop reporters on the ground. The resulting records are used to compile estimates of crop production and making farm-price averages.

"Under the common system of collection, acreage records that are even reasonably correct are hard to obtain in diversified farming areas without an actual farm census," explains K. L. Wolf, Ryan's assistant. A census usually requires a man to walk through the fields to check these records. The size and shape of orchards and vineyards as well as their exact location can be determined by comparing acreage maps and the aerial survey photographs. Even individual trees can be identified.

"The value in this system rests in the time-saving assistance it gives the crop reporter and the accuracy it puts in his figures."

TURKS AGAIN HEAR 'FEAR ALLAH' CRY AFTER 8 YEARS Adana, Turkey.—(AP)—The old cry of "Fear Allah" has been raised in New Turkey for the first time in eight years of the Kemal regime. The man who utters it is Abdul Kamil Bey, a prominent political opponent of Mustafa Kemal, whose life and liberty were saved by that same Mustafa Kemal when the Turkish tookovers were after him.

Despite the catastrophe to Fethi Bey's liberal party, Kemal Bey is "partly" sane, the same opposition party that he has often formed in Adana, politically restive center of Turkey's cotton production.

Sounds Old Warning In the Adana newspaper "Ahali" Kemal Bey has uttered the warning that now sounds strange in Turkish ears.

"It is the fear of Allah you need," he said, addressing the whole Turkish nation. "I shall be called a reactionary because I tell you this, but I tell you that the nation must do something which we are now plunging into. It is only when again the fear of Allah fills you."

"Virtue is no mire. Liars and profiteers have sacrificed beauty and morality. When people shameless that they have sold for 30 piasters something that was worth three, and have thus amassed wealth, then we know that we are living in a monstrous age.

Deplores Conditions "How can man save himself from this present decrepitude? Only when each individual perfects himself morally and takes stock of his own conscience.

"People have the government which they merit. Until we perfect ourselves as individuals, we shall deserve no better administration than we have."

This warning echoes writings of other students of the new Turkey, who question whether despite all progress in westernization, there has not been a loss in Turkey's immortal "civilization of character."

ABOUT TOWN The car that was abandoned yesterday morning on Deming street and was found later in the morning to have been stolen and owned in Worcester, Mass., is back in the hands of the owner. On being notified by Chief of Police Samuel G. Gordon that the car was in Manchester the owner came here yesterday afternoon at 4:30 and claimed it proved that he was the owner, put on a new tire, secured a supply of gasoline, oil and water and started back towards Worcester.

MAY AVERT STRIKE Manchester, Eng., Jan. 2.—(AP)—There seemed a possibility today that the threatening strike in the Lancashire cotton industry might be averted. Representatives of weavers and mill owners were in conference this morning.

Earlier this week the weavers threatened a strike affecting 200,000 men on January 5. The point at issue is that the owners demand that each man take over approximately double the number of looms now operated. They offered a substantial wage increase but the weavers refused the demand on the ground that the proposed system would throw many men out of work.

Join Jockey Club Staff Agua Caliente, Baja, Calif.—(AP)—Peter B. Kyrse, noted fiction writer, and Willard Mack, playwright, have been added to the board of governors of the Agua Caliente Jockey club here.

Motor Hints

Timely Suggestions on the Care of the Car by the Automobile Club of Hartford.

PROVES CLUTCH PLATE WEAR So long as the clutch does not grab or slip the average motorist feels that he has nothing to worry about regarding this vital unit of the car. Constantly, however, there is wear on the clutch facings which gradually calls for adjustment.

When the facings wear in a single dry plate clutch the conventional design the clutch release sleeve travels farther toward the gears. This decreases the clearance between the face of the sleeve and the release bearing.

This should be noticed by a decrease in the clutch pedal clearance under the floor board. That is, the distance the pedal moves away from the board before the release bearing comes into contact with the sleeve becomes less.

An adjustment should then be made to decrease the travel of the sleeve and to increase the space between the bearing and sleeve as well as to increase the clearance under the floor board.

LIMIT TO HORN ADJUSTMENT The popularity of special horns with their distinctive signals tempts many a car owner to go beyond the "tone limit," as it were, of his present equipment. There is danger in an unwise adjustment of the horn, but few seem to appreciate it.

Generally speaking, any adjustment that tightens the armature lowers the pitch and provides a tone that is deep and biting. Loosening the adjustment at the end of the armature shaft does just the reverse. Since most motorists prefer the deep, rich tone the temptation is to tighten the adjustment to what frequently becomes a dangerous limit. Should the battery be weak or the horn bearings be a little dry of lubricant the horn might not operate in an emergency.

A good rule to go by is to figure that the adjustment is safe enough if the armature can be turned with the fingers.

TRACING WATER LEAKAGE Water that leaks out of the cooling system only when the engine is running puzzles those motorists who have been unfortunate enough to experience such trouble, but it is usually a simple warning of an equally simple trouble.

Such a situation indicates that there is a point of escape for the water which shows up only when the water is circulating. The most likely cause is a leaky upper water hose connection. The leak often happens that water pump packing nuts will leak when the engine is operating yet not when idle.

A more serious trouble of this kind is a crack in the cylinder head. If this opens up, through heat and expansion when the engine gets warm, water will leak into the cylinders. In a case of this sort there should be water in the crankcase oil.

If the cylinder head is not drawn down tight an internal water leak which regulates idling for too small an opening of the throttle. As a general rule higher speed engines should not idle so slowly.

Idling not fairest test One of the mysteries of the motor world is why so many owners think their engines are not up to snuff if they won't idle smoothly. Regardless of how perfectly the engine may operate at normal speeds any unevenness in idling is certain to be cause for complaint.

It may help some of these motorists to know that the better an engine is, when new, the poorer it will be when it has been in the shop. A new engine should be stiff, and when that is the case the owner should not expect it to "rock" on compression when stopped or to idle well.

Many complaints about poor idling are the result of setting the screw that regulates idling for too small an opening of the throttle. As a general rule higher speed engines should not idle so slowly.

Idling often is an unfair test since it usually is conducted either when the engine has just started, and is too cold, or after it has been running, and is too warm.

GAS CONTROLS DILUTION It probably does not occur to most motorists that the amount of crankcase dilution is largely dependent upon the kind of gas used in the engine. Hard starting gas delays the cranking process, calls for excessive choking and dilutes the oil.

A good rule to remember is that the quicker gas starts the engine the less dilution there will be of the oil. It is important to be sure, however, that the quick starting isn't the result of the carburetor being adjusted for too rich a mixture.

No modern motorist can afford to assume that the crankcase ventilating system will offset the dilution process. For dilution to be "blown out" the exhaust of the ventilating system it must first be vaporized through getting the engine up to normal running temperature, a situation that is difficult to attain in cold weather where short runs are the rule.

WHY SERVICE CHARGES VARY Motorists who check up with each other on the cost of repair work frequently wonder why it is that one pays so much more than the other for what appears to be the same type of service. The same repair shop will offer quite different estimates on the same kind of job.

The difficulty lies in overlooking the difference in construction of cars. On some motors it is possible to replace piston rings by removing the pistons through the crankcase. In others it is necessary to drop the case to remove the connecting rod bearings and then remove the cylinder head to pull out the pistons. Even for engines of equal size there may be considerable difference in the labor involved.

On one small car it was necessary to remove the entire rear end to replace a felt washer in back of the transmission. On some cars the engine must be lifted at the front in order to replace the timing chain.

Local Stocks

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ONLY SEVEN JUSTICES HAVE YET QUALIFIED

Thirteen Elected in November: Is County Office and No Bond Is Required.

All of the thirteen justices of the peace elected at the November election in Manchester have not as yet qualified. Only seven of the thirteen elected have taken the oath of office and signed the two cards that are required so as to have a record of signatures on file.

There are still two days left to do this as the term of a justice of the peace starts on the first Monday in January, or the same date as the opening of the State Legislature.

ABOUT TOWN

Mrs. James Fitzgerald of 162 Bissell street entered the Memorial hospital Tuesday for observation and treatment.

The Feast of the Holy Name of Jesus will be celebrated at St. Bridget's church Sunday. The Holy Name Society of the parish will receive Holy Communion in a body at the 8:30 mass.

Mrs. Dorothy Bradley and daughter Eloise of Stratford, Vermont, are visiting Mrs. Bradley's father, Alexander Hall and other relatives in town.

Miss Dorothy Russell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Russell of 24 Winter street, who entered the Memorial hospital Tuesday and was operated upon Wednesday, is resting as comfortably as can be expected.

The usual Friday evening whist and dance will take place tonight at the City View dance hall, with six prizes and refreshments.

Gus Ulrich, Depot Square restaurant owner, provided the firemen of the Manchester Fire Department with coffee and doughnuts as they fought the flames which destroyed the Bowers home on North Elm street at 5:30 o'clock yesterday morning.

Group No. 1 of the Memorial hospital Linen Auxiliary, Mrs. J. M. Shearer, leader, will meet for sewing Monday afternoon at the School street Recreation Center.

President Fayette B. Clarke of the Manchester Kiwanis club called his board of directors together for a meeting this noon for the purpose of which was to outline a program of activities for the year 1931.

Announcement is made of the engagement of Miss Laura K. Kingsbury, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Kingsbury of Coventry and well-known locally, to Herbert H. Tomlinson, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Tomlinson of Woodbridge, Conn.

Rosen's shop on Main street will continue in its present location, the proprietor announced today. Although he gave notice that he would quit the cloak business he does not intend to discontinue the sale of women's and misses dresses here.

AVIATORS TO VISIT EACH OF 48 STATES

Newark, N. J., Jan. 2.—(AP)—The flying Hutchinson family—Captain and Mrs. George R. Hutchinson, seven-year-old Blanche, four-year-old Janet and a dog named Maude—took off from Newark Airport in a cabin plane today to call on President Hoover and the governors of 48 states in 21 days.

ENVOY'S BODY ARRIVES

New York, Jan. 2.—(AP)—The body of Gerrit John Diekema, American minister to the Netherlands who died in the Hague on Dec. 20, was brought to New York today on the liner Deutschland.

FACTORY MANAGER RESIGNS

Thompsonville, Conn., Jan. 2.—(AP)—Carl V. Eeman, factory manager of the International Castles Hardware Company here, for the last ten years has resigned his position effective Jan. 10 to accept a similar place with the Morgan Silver Plate Company of Winsted.

The angler thinks he's the most patient of all sportsmen because he's got to bait and see.

GOVERNMENT IN PANAMA OVERTHROWN BY REVOLT

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ordered newspapers suspended until further notice but there was no suggestion of censorship on outgoing dispatches.

First reports were that ten had been killed and about twenty wounded in the fighting this morning. The plaza about the presidential palace was blood-spattered but it was impossible to obtain accurate information regarding the number of casualties.

During the sporadic rifle fire two fire alarms were turned in, adding considerably to the general confusion.

The revolt was comparatively quiet, however, except in the immediate vicinity of police headquarters and the palace, and most of the city's inhabitants knew nothing of what had happened until they arose at their usual hour.

The rebellion was sponsored by the "accion communal," a patriotic organization which has violently criticized what it called "the corruption" of the government under both Presidents Chiari and Arosemena.

Associated with Arias were Francisco Arias Fariñas, a capitalist and J. Vallarino, physician and x-ray specialist.

This morning about 100 men stormed headquarters of the National police, which also serve as Panama's only standing army and after firing a few bursts of shot captured the police station.

Simultaneously an attack was made upon the presidential palace which also fell. President Arosemena was confined to his quarters, in the palace, presumably under arrest.

WASHINGTON REPORT

Washington, Jan. 2.—(AP)—Minister Alfaro of Panama was advised from his country today that the government of President Arosemena had been overthrown.

The communication said the forces responsible were headed by Dr. Amorio Arias.

President Arosemena was reportedly confined in the presidential palace.

The communication said there had been some fighting but that the "entire people" supported the movement. Order and tranquility were reported to be reigning after the incidents.

Dr. Alfaro described Dr. Amorio Arias as an attorney who hitherto had devoted his prominent efforts to peaceful pursuits.

Word of the troubles had not been received at either the State, War or Navy Departments at the time that Dr. Alfaro had made public his telegram.

The Message

Dr. Alfaro's communication said: "National revolutionary movement, government overthrown. Entire people support movement. Peace and order now reigning."

Dispatches from the legation by mail to the State department had indicated a certain amount of unrest in Panama on account of economic depression there. The dispatches did not indicate, however, that anything so serious a revolt had broken out.

Under the treaty with the United States, the latter government protects the Panama's republic from foreign aggression and intervenes in case of serious domestic strife, on the call of the Panama president.

POLITICAL UNREST

Political unrest which was widespread in Latin America last year extended to Panama last fall when dissension arose among members of the Cabinet of five ministers. Four of the ministers resigned in protest against the activities of Jephtha E. Duncan, secretary of public instruction.

When Arosemena rode into office on a Liberal landslide he carried with him control of the National Assembly. The election was without disturbance although during the campaign there had been considerable opposition from the conservative labor and the young independent parties.

THREE KILLED IN REVOLT

Boston, Jan. 2.—(AP)—Revolutionists today overthrew the government of the Republic of Panama and forced President Arosemena at Panama City to resign, according to reports received by local business interests. Three persons were reported killed and several others injured.

The insurgents were reported to have seized police headquarters and the presidential palace at 2 o'clock, and three hours later the Chief Executive was said formally to have abandoned.

The identity of the rebels was unknown here. Recent reports from Panama indicated no disturbances. President Arosemena had been in office two years.

REPORTER SHOT

Panama City, Jan. 2.—(AP)—Hartwell F. Ayers, American newspaper man, was critically wounded today as he tried to approach the presidential palace during the revolt which overthrew the Arosemena government.

POWER CO. WINS RIGHT TO CONDEMN PROPERTY

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tion was not made that the Connecticut Light and Power ever neglected or refused to obey any lawful order of the Public Utilities Commission as to rates or other matters and third because it was not alleged in the special defense that any court of law jurisdiction or the General Assembly or any other body having jurisdiction has ever ruled that the company lost any of the rights vested in it by charter.

THE PROPERTY OWNERS

The property owners carrying the fight to the courts are Helen Antman, Susan Brown, Charles Van Horn, Robert Ferriss, estate of Catherine Ferriss and Raymond Hine.

After upholding the right of the Connecticut Light and Power company to take the land needed for the high tension wire right of way, the court named a committee of three disinterested persons to hear the claims as to values of the land involved and reach a decision as to a fair price to be paid by the company in each case.

Judge Nickerson of Cornwall who retired from the Superior Court bench some years ago when he reached the age limit was the first of these men to be selected.

The second was Emor Smith of Hartford while the third was Myron B. Dombrow of New Milford.

This committee will at its convenience, hold hearings at which experts for both the company and the property owners will give estimates of the value of the land. The committee will also view the property to be taken by the company then set a price.

At the present it is not known whether an appeal will be taken to the Supreme Court of Errors from the decision of Judge Booth.

IL DUCE PLEDGES ITALY TO PEACE

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unemployment prevails. I am opposed to the dole. I prefer relief in the form of public works which substantially increase the efficiency of our national economic equipment.

The dole tends the worker to idleness. He said: "I am confident that the peace of the world will be preserved and that before long a new era of prosperity will dawn."

ANDOVER

Miss Alma Smith of Hartford spent the week with her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. William Cashmere.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stanley and daughter Jean, were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hutchins of Columbia Christmas day.

Lewis Phelps and wife spent New Year's with Mrs. Phelps' brother and wife, Rev. John H. L. and Mrs. Fitzgerald in Bay Ridge, L. I., New York.

Henry Hilliard spent Wednesday with his cousin Barbara Fish of Bolton.

First selectman Howard Stanley has stopped the children sliding on Long Hill on account of the danger as there is no place to turn out for a car.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene W. Platt and son were callers in town Wednesday morning.

The leader for the Christian Endeavor meeting Sunday evening will be the new president, Carrol Wright. Topic, "How to Keep on the Upgrade."

Mrs. Laura (Coleman) Jones, 89 years old, who fell and broke her hip four weeks ago, died in the Hartford hospital Wednesday, at 5 p. m. The funeral will be held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Congregational church burial will be in the Center cemetery.

Rev. Wallace I. Woodin will officiate. Mrs. Jones' husband the late Randall Jones, died last January.

GAS PRICE GOES UP

New York, Jan. 2.—(AP)—The Standard Oil Co. of New Jersey, effective immediately, has advanced the price of U. S. motor gasoline in tank car lots to 7 cents a gallon, F. O. B. Atlantic seaboard.

This is an advance of one-half cent at Bayonne, N. J., and one-fourth of a cent at Baltimore.

The Texas Co., has met the advance posted by Standard of New Jersey and also has met the advance of one-half cent of the Sinclair, Consolidated Oil Corp. throughout New England posted earlier in the week.

The Warner Quinlan Co., also has increased the price of U. S. motor gasoline in tank car lots to 7 cents, F. O. B. Bayonne, N. J.

The rise is the first important upturn in wholesale gasoline quotations since early last April.

STOLE GASOLINE

Hartford, Jan. 2.—(AP)—Stephen J. Lynch of Roxbury, Mass., is held for trial in the Glastonbury Town Court tonight for theft of gasoline from the Kinney and Troy filling station in Glastonbury last night and also for operating a car without a license.

In the car with Lynch when he was arrested in East Hartford were Lillian Cobb, 16, of Roxbury; John Neville, 16, of White Horse, N. J.; Ambrose G. Golden and Lee F. Fisher, all of Roxbury.

Pay Only \$1 DOWN

On any of the following items: Radios, Washing Machines, Sewing Machines, Plumbing Outfits, Vacuum Cleaners, Ironers, Sewing Machines, Cream Separators, All Stoves, Dining Room Suites, Living Room Suites, Bedroom Suites, Kitchen Cabinets, Bicycles, Typewriters, Refrigerators, Incubators.

(ALSO ONLY \$1 DOWN on any men's or boys' suit or overcoat or any combination of men's or boys' suits or overcoats provided the purchase amounts to \$15 or more.) We reserve right to limit amount of sale.

Beginning Saturday, Jan. 3

WARD'S NATION-WIDE WINTER SALE

January 3 to 17 Inclusive Starts Saturday—Ward's Semi-Annual Family Shoe Sale!

Advertisement for various styles of shoes including "Foot Health" Shoes, Blucher Style Work Shoes, "LaCrosse" Shoes, Army Style Shoe, Police Shoes, and Comfort Shoes.

All Coats and Dresses 50% Off

Advertisement for fur trimmed coats and dresses, including Lewis Phelps and wife's New Year's party.

All Men's Suits and Overcoats 25% Off

Advertisement for men's overcoats, suits, and other cloths, including the Standard Oil Co. price increase.

Clearance of Ranges and Heaters

Table listing prices for Circulating Heaters and Ranges, including Commander, Homesteader, Glophonic, Imperial, Heatrophonic, Insulated Gas Range, Eastern Windsor Range, Bungalow Combination Range, and Eastern Windsor Range.

MONTGOMERY WARD & CO.

OPEN THURSDAY AND SATURDAY UNTIL 9 P. M. 824-828 MAIN STREET PHONE 3306 SOUTH MANCHESTER

Advertisement for Golden Arrow Special 6 Days Only, Hits the Bullseye of VALUE.

Advertisement for Sheets at 79¢, BEGINNING SATURDAY 81X90.

This is the kind of value that has made Ward's Golden Arrow specials nationally famous.

WINTER SALE WHITE GOODS

- ALL LINEN TOWELS with colored borders. Size 16x32 inches. 6 for 89c. ALL LINEN LUNCH SET! Tablecloth and six napkins. White or white with colored borders. Set \$2.98. TABLECLOTH of heavy cotton damask with linen-like finish. Wears well; launders beautifully. Hemmed ready for use \$1.00. BIRD'S-EYE DIAPERS, 27x27 inch size. Extra absorbent. All hemmed, ready to use. Package of 12 98c.

OTHER BEDDING

- SINGLE PLAID BLANKETS of selected China Cotton blended with wool. Sateen bound ends. 66x30 inches 79c. PART WOOL DOUBLE BLANKETS, combined with China cotton. 80 x 70 inches. Sateen bound ends. Pair \$2.79. BLEACHED SHEETING, famous Longwear quality. Snowy white. Width, 81 inches. Per yard 13c. SEAMLESS PILLOW TUBING, 42 inches wide. Longwear quality, bleached. Yard 10c. DOBBY PATTERN BEDSPREAD with colorful crinkle stripes against an ivory background. \$1.00. "FEATHER TITE" ART TICKING of firm, lustrous, satin-twilled texture. Guaranteed feather-proof. Width, 32 inches. Per yard 32c. UNBLEACHED SHEETING 81 inches wide. 12 yards \$1.00.



### MAN OF MYSTERY IS MISTER GLAD

**Passes Out Sandwiches and Coffee To Jobless — Then Gives Each a Nickel.**

New York, Jan. 2.—(AP)—He is a man of mystery, a man of charity without glory, once a down-and-out.

Mr. Glad is the name he uses. He passes out sandwiches and coffee to the unemployed. He passes out nickels that they may have care in their unceasing search for work. He advertises for people to send him old gloves at 346 Broadway, he may pass them on to warm the hands of the unfortunates.

Who is he? The Broadway address is really a place where he calls for his mail.

"It really doesn't matter whether my name is Jones, Cohen, Murphy or Smith, or whether I am in the insurance business, or dry goods, or banking, or what-not," is his answer, by letter, to a request for an interview.

"I am just an ordinary business man, who does not want his identity revealed. If it were, people would think, perhaps, that what I am doing was being done with some ulterior purpose, which I assure you is not the case."

Tells His Experience

"There is a mystery and a kick in 'Mr. Glad' that arouses a spirit of charity in the minds of those who have for those who have not this would not be so if I revealed my identity."

With each sandwich, with each nickel, with each pair of gloves, Mr. Glad dispenses cheer in the form of a small printed slip.

"Cheer up, Brother," it says. "Every cloud has a silver lining. Keep up your nerve, and everything will come out all right. Six years ago everyone thought I was down and out except myself."

"I had had a two-year siege of illness which included four operations, and dropped from 180 pounds to 98 pounds. My business, which had taken fifteen years to build up,

was ashamed to smotherers, and I had to start all over at 52 years of age.

"I came back. So will you—if you have the heart and the will to do. My business is again a success—enough so, at least, so that I can do this little to help others less fortunate."

"I am glad to do this little bit because my heart is filled with gratitude to my Maker for all the blessings He has bestowed upon me after everything looked so black—to everyone but me. I never lost hope. I want you to do likewise."

### WACHTEL'S HOUSEHOLD MANAGER MARRIED

Miss Minnie Horenstein of Clark street, Hartford, manager of Wachtel's Household Dept and Samuel Rome also of Hartford, were married New Year's eve at Congregation Agudath Achim, Hartford. Cantor Steinberg of New York officiated at the ceremony.

A wedding supper was served by Max Walker, caterer to 250 guests from Hartford, New York and other cities.

Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. B. Wachtel, Mr. and Mrs. S. Gladstein, Mr. and Mrs. S. Kalafa and the Misses Esther and Evelyn Wachtel and many members of the Wachtel organization.

Mrs. Rome received many beautiful gifts from the Wachtel family and the workers of the store.

Mr. and Mrs. Rome have gone on an unannounced honeymoon trip and expect to return about Jan. 12.

### QUAKE RECORDED

Washington, Jan. 2.—(AP)—The Georgetown University seismograph today showed a record of severe earth disturbances having occurred between 4:54 a. m., E. S. T., and 8 o'clock. Father Sohon, in charge of the observatory, said the quake was some 2,300 miles from Washington in an undetermined direction.

### DIES IN ITALY

Florence, Italy, Jan. 2.—(AP)—Donna Nathalie Fabbri, a native of New York, died suddenly here today at the age of 60. She was the wife of the Marquis Piero Antinori.

### NEW PHONE DIRECTORY ON PRESS TOMORROW

**Those Who Wish Service Are Asked To Communicate With Exchange Before Noon.**

The winter issue of the local telephone directory goes to press tomorrow at noon. Subscribers wishing to make any change in their listings, whether in the alphabetical or classified advertising sections, should notify the company before noon tomorrow in order that the alterations may appear in the forthcoming directory which will be effective in February.

Persons who contemplate ordering telephones are asked to co-operate with the telephone company, by ordering service before Saturday. That will assure to all new subscribers a proper listing in the winter issue of the directory. If the order is delayed, the new subscriber will not have a listing until the next summer directory of 1931.

Owing to the tremendous task of printing the thousands of directories for the subscribers in the Hartford district it is necessary to place the copy in the hands of the printer well in advance of the effective date. It is, of course, the desire of the company to have the telephone directory as complete and as accurate as possible and this can be done only with the co-operation of subscribers.

### TO START MONDAY

Rome, Jan. 2.—(AP)—The squadron of twelve Italian seaplanes which is preparing at Bolinas, Portuguese Guiana, for a trans-Atlantic flight to Rio De Janeiro, will take off Monday morning for Fort Natal, Brazil, the air ministry announced today.

### 2,800 BACK TO WORK

Roanoke, Va., Jan. 2.—(AP)—Twenty-eight hundred Norfolk and Western shippers of this city and vicinity who were laid off on December 18, will return to work on January 5. It was announced today by company officials. A number of maintenance of way employees, affected by the retrenchment policy, will return to their jobs on January 12.

### Overnight A. P. News

St. Louis.—Adolphus Busch Orthwein, kidnaped grandson of August A. Busch, returned home mysteriously.

Washington.—President and Mrs. Hoover shake hands with 6,429 at New Year's reception.

Baltimore.—Plant of Baltimore Post destroyed by fire; one killed, six injured.

Washington.—Comptroller Pole recommends authorization of branch banks in trade areas to prevent failures.

Chicago.—Nine killed when passenger train hits automobile.

Washington.—McFadden says Federal Reserve system has adopted new inflation policy which will stimulate stock market speculation.

Jersey City.—Pennsylvania water front freight terminal crippled by fire which destroys five car float bridges.

Managua.—Eight United States Marines killed, two wounded by rebels who attack them from ambush.

Rome.—Mussolini says Italy never will start war in speech broadcast to the United States.

Paris.—Joffre, in coma, clings to life.

Liège, Belgium.—Amy Johnston, British woman flier, lands on flight to Peiping, China.

Rangoon, Burma.—Twenty-seven rebels killed in two battles.

Havana.—Dr. Gabriel Landa, editor of newspaper El Pais, arrested as conspirator against Machado administration.

Pasadena, Calif.—Alabama beats Washington, 24 to 0 in Rose Bowl football game.

Dallas, Tex.—Southwest team wins football game from midwest, 18-0.

Pinehurst, N. C.—Dunlap wins golf tourney in 19-hole match.

Melrose, Mass.—Two persons wounded, one seriously, in accidental shooting after costume party.

Boston.—Mrs. Elizabeth Wormbolt, 59, Concord, N. H., wounded by mysterious shot as she alighted from train at the North Terminal.

Cambridge, Mass.—Professor William Z. Ripley, Harvard professor and transportation expert, sees ben-

### TAX OFFICIAL'S SON DECLARED A SUICIDE

Topfield, Mass., Jan. 2.—(AP)—Fingree Long, 20, son of Henry F. Long, state tax commissioner, committed suicide by shooting in the Long home early yesterday morning, a medical examiner's report revealed today.

Medical Examiner Elmer S. Dag-nall of Haverhill viewed the youth's body and declared his death suicide by a firearm.

Long returned to his home early in the morning after attending a New Year's Eve party. He had a conversation with his father and then went to his room. Shortly afterwards a shot aroused the household and when members of the family went to investigate they found him on the floor, a wound in his head and a pistol nearby. A physician was called but found that he was beyond medical aid and died within a few minutes.

A traveler just back from Greenland says there is no unemployment problem among the Eskimos. It seems they are doing a whale of a business.

Westwood, Mass.—Major General Clarence R. Edwards, former commander of the 26th Division, observes his 71st birthday.

Montpelier, Vt.—Motor vehicle facilities in Vermont during 1930 total 75, a record in the state's automobile history.

Burlington, Vt.—Private Ralph Voller, 19, of B. Battery, 7th Field Artillery, Fort Ethan Allen, seriously wounded in 75-foot fall from ledge.

Calais, Me.—John D. Daly, Rockland, Mass., official of Daly Brothers, shoe manufacturers, buys Rowan and Moore Shoe Company.

Bristol, R. I.—Manuel Cabral, 14, and brother, August, 11, drown in private reservoir of the National India Rubber Company.

Westboro, Mass.—Melvin H. Walker, 88, president of the Westwood Savings Bank and Civil War veteran, dies.

### SPECIALS SCHRAFFT'S

Vanilla—Chocolates BUTTERSCOTCH DIAMONDS

49c<sup>lb.</sup>

Fresh creamery butter, pure sugar, pure flavors. You will like them. Come in for a pound today.

### PACKARD'S PHARMACY

At the Center

### The Style Shop INC.

FOR STYLE AND VALUE. 825 Main Street, South Manchester

### For Absolute CLEARANCE

Beginning Saturday

200 Women's and Misses' WINTER COATS

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Beautiful coats, generously furred with fine Manchurian Wolf, Caracul, Pointed Dog and Wolf. A real investment for women who want to save as never before.

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200 SILK DRESSES

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All sizes. Values to \$15.00.

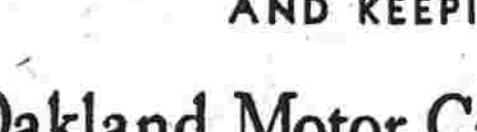
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The Oakland Motor Car Company introduces

### TWO FINE CARS

with new beauty - new performance - new low prices



### OAKLAND PONTIAC

\$1000 IN MANCHESTER For the 2-door sedan, equipped and delivered. DELIVERED \$1,000.00. 4-door sedan; \$1,160.00. custom sedan; \$1,080.00. sport coupe; \$1,100.00. convertible coupe. These cars are fully equipped—even front and rear bumpers, extra tire, tube, and tire lock are included.

\$775 IN MANCHESTER For the 2-door sedan, equipped and delivered. \$775. DELIVERED coupe; \$845. 4-door sedan; \$885. custom sedan; \$815. sport coupe; \$845. convertible coupe. These cars are fully equipped—even front and rear bumpers, extra tire, tube, and tire lock are included.

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Story of a Little Town That Wouldn't be Licked

Huntington, Mass., Jan. 2—(AP)—After a year of desperate struggle for existence, this little village today faced the New Year with hope and confidence—a town that wouldn't be licked. A year ago it was threatened with obliteration, through loss of its sole industry, a woolen mill.

MOON INFLUENCES CLOCKS ON EARTH

Astronomers At Yale Make This Announcement After Four Months' Study.

New Haven, Jan. 2—(AP)—The moon may either speed up or slow down clocks located in earth homes. This conclusion, reached after four months of research by Prof. E. W. Brown, and Dirk Brouwer of Yale, was outlined in the opening paper presented here today before the 45th meeting of the American Astronomical Society.

These results are the outgrowth of experiments with the newly devised Loomis chronograph, a device for comparing the variation registered by different clocks within one thousandth of a second.

Astronomers attending the convention regarded the device as of extensive importance in the computation of astronomical data. Its operation as outlined in the paper read today, is controlled by a crystal of such a size and chemical nature as to have a constant oscillating speed, when actuated by an electric current, of 100,000 vibrations a second.

MOON INFLUENCES CLOCKS ON EARTH

Prof. Brown was reached by comparative variations indicated by the chronograph with movements of the moon and the relative position of the clocks being tested with the earth. Photographic Process A photographic process developed in the Yale Observatory and which has given results, according to Dr. Frank Schlessinger, director of the observatory, of "unexpected accuracy" was outlined in a paper prepared by Dr. Schlessinger and Miss Ida Barney.

DIES OF ALCOHOLISM

New Haven, Jan. 2—(AP)—One woman was dead and four persons were under arrest today as the result of a "New Year's celebration." Mrs. Antoinette Uscilla, 40, was found dead in bed by her husband, Coroner J. J. Corrigan pronounced death due to alcoholism.

OHIO RIVER FROZEN

Louisville, Ky., Jan. 2—(AP)—The Ohio river was frozen over with a thin coating of ice here today for the first time this winter. A minimum reading of 14 above zero was recorded at 7 a. m. at the U. S. Weather Bureau at Bowman Airport.



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Mid-Winter Sale BABIES' WEARABLES

Mid-Winter Sale BOYS' CLOTHING

Mid-Winter Sale FUR COATS \$30.00

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THAT MATTER OF PROFIT

Some days ago this newspaper expressed the belief that excessive profit taking during the years of bounding prosperity was responsible to a major degree for the industrial depression; that the spread between first costs of manufactured commodities and the prices charged to consumers for them was so great that the pay the people received for producing them was not sufficient in total volume to enable them to buy them fast enough to keep the machine of production operating.

Since then we have been told that we were preaching very sound socialistic doctrine. We were doing nothing of the kind.

We are perfectly familiar with the highly technical theory of the socialists that the element of profit is irreconcilable with any feasible system of production and distribution and that profit taking must inevitably destroy the institution of capitalism. We do not, however, accept it at its face value.

The trouble with the theoretical socialists is that they make no allowance for that element in the situation which, in the mechanical world, would be termed the factor of tolerance. That is, the degree of imperfection which may be tolerated in a piece of machinery because, in spite of it, the machine will still run. In a very fine motor car many parts are "worked" down to two ten-thousandths of an inch. That is a very narrow factor of tolerance indeed.

Such design and such workmanship produce what is pretty close to a perfect machine. And when socialists set themselves to the designing of a system of government they work with a political micrometer, so to speak, and will be content with no plan that isn't practically perfect in drawing. They also quite overlook the fact that the material they have to work with—human beings—does not in all cases lend itself to such fine mechanization as they dream about. A little of it is very fine steel, some of it is very common iron and occasionally there is a unit or two of pretty punky wood. Even a socialist would be put to it to build a Rolls-Royce out of corn cobs.

Much better then, unless you can handpick your entire population and throw the residue into the sea, plan a machine that can be constructed out of the available material—say a good sturdy wheelbarrow. A wheelbarrow is not as fine or as capable a vehicle as a Rolls-Royce but a good wheelbarrow is better than a Rolls-Royce built out of sticks and string and bits of junk; because it can be depended on to run and fulfill its purpose, while the jerry-built automobile wouldn't run more than ten seconds if it started and probably wouldn't start at all.

Now grant that our present economic system is a mere wheelbarrow compared with a socialistic ideal as fine as a Rolls-Royce, still it has served its purpose for a long time. What's more, it can continue to serve for a long time yet. Because its factor of tolerance is infinitely greater than that in the automobile. Nobody works wheelbarrow parts down to two ten-thousandths of an inch. A sixteenth or a thirty-second is close enough for all practical purposes. The vehicle may be a bit wobbly and it may squeak, but it will run and it will carry the load.

So it is with the so-called capitalistic system of production and distribution. It doesn't fit together any too closely. There is a decided spread between what the worker produces and what he gets, even at best. There are inescapable injustices and inequalities. There is always some involuntary unemployment. There is relative poverty. Some folks get a great deal less than they deserve and some get a great deal more. But all this is merely the slack that comes within the factor of tolerance. We take it

up with washers of mutual assistance, fraternal aid, public charity, etc., and we grease the running parts with that easy contentment that comes so natural to the majority of folks baring actual suffering—and it keeps on rolling after a fairly serviceable fashion.

But in recent years the factor of tolerance in the matter of price spreads has been exceeded. It is as if the wheel, instead of wobbling on a liberal but still limited bearing, had grabbed altogether too much latitude on the shaft and, in consequence, leaned over sideways and jammed altogether.

In other words experience has proven that the competitive capitalistic system of production and distribution carried on for profit will work, and work fairly well, despite the microscopic theories of the socialists, so long as the ratio of profit to costs is kept within certain limits. The general operations of society will take care of the discrepancy, the so-called diminishing returns, up to a certain point. But they can't take care of margins of profit beyond all human experience.

When out of a national income of \$90,000,000,000 only \$50,000,000,000 goes to wages and salaries and \$40,000,000,000 goes elsewhere, the old barrow's wheel flops so far sideways that it sticks. Then it's time to readjust.

HOW COME?

A lovely character of New London, known as Marty Russell, was found by an obtrusive constabulary to be transporting women between Providence and his home town for immoral purpose and pecuniary gain, an activity frowned on by the federal government. He was convicted on five counts under the Mann act and was impressively sentenced to one year in the Atlanta Federal Penitentiary on each count. Which, for five distinct offenses of this particular character, would seem to be fair enough.

However, there operates in this case one of those pleasing fictions of the law which excite the risibilities of some people and the cholera of others, according to temperament. The "concurrent sentence" gets in its work. Marty must pay his debt to society by serving a year for each violation of the white slave law, but he may serve each of his years while he is serving each of the others. By this ingenious arrangement there is a great saving of time for Marty and for his cell at Atlanta, for while he serves five years in theory he only serves one as between actual dates.

Now for good behavior a federal prisoner is entitled to two months rebate in each year, so that a sentence of a year carries with it, unless the convict be an utter chump, only the obligation to stay in the coop for ten months. It is announced, therefore, that the estimable Mr. Russell—his real name by the way is Mario Restiva—will be out and at liberty to pursue the tenor of his way before next Thanksgiving day.

What puzzles us about this case is how come you can keep Marty locked up all that weary time. If he is serving five one-year sentences all at the same time, and if the discount allowed by law for good behavior is two months per year, why on earth isn't he entitled to five times two months abatement, or ten months altogether? What good is this concurrent idea if it won't work both ways? Surely the esteemed Mr. Russell ought to have to look forward to no more than two months—and those our meaneast months of the year in New England—to be spent in the milder climate of Georgia, and to emerging into the sweet airs of a Southern spring along with the crocuses.

SETTLING DOWN

Well, it is comforting to learn that Premier Mussolini has no intention whatever of starting a war; that as a wounded veteran and a statesman of sense he cannot regard even the possibility of another war without horror; that the military training of fascists youth is only for the purpose of making the young men of Italy strong, self-reliant and disciplined.

All this has a very different sound from many of the utterances of the Duce up to about a year ago. It is unnecessary to seek for the reasons for the marked improvement in tone—whether or not a growing impatience on the part of the working people of Italy and recent demonstrations not altogether favorable to the dictatorship have anything to do with it. It is sufficient that Mussolini, grown a bit older since he came into power, has evidently come to the conclusion that it is better to be the head of a nation working hand in hand with other nations for the establishment of peace and prosperity than to be a new and greater Caesar, and command the salaried subject world. Besides, it is a whole lot more practicable ambition. Now if within another six months or year the great Italian dictator will again step up to the microphone

and tell the world that Italy not only won't start any war but will not assume that some other nation has started one if it builds a fort, a mobilizes a brigade on some frontier, we shall all sit more comfortably. Perhaps he will do something like that, for it is really beginning to look as though the Duce were through with his inaugural pageantry at last and were settling down to run his country in accord with actual possibilities rather than under the influence of delusions of grandeur.

MORE DEAD MARINES

The killing of eight United States Marines in a fight with Sandinistas in Nicaragua will undoubtedly revive the question so many times asked, "Why are the Marines in Nicaragua?"

After the conclusion of the Stimson peace between the warring factions in 1927 more than 5,000 Marines were kept there, despite the fact that the only insurgents in the field were the presumably insignificant forces of the "brigand" Sandino, and presumably for the purpose of supervising the election of November, 1928, which was carried out without disorder and resulted in the choice of President Jose Moncado. In January, 1929, something less than half the Marines were withdrawn, the others remaining, it has been understood, at the request of the Moncado government to keep the peace until Nicaragua could train a national guard for that purpose. Other withdrawals have been made since then but there are still about 1,200 officers and men of the Marine Corps there.

The present Nicaraguan government has had two years in which to form its own protective military force and Marine officers have been engaged in training it. And still it is our men who live in the jungle and fall into Sandinista traps. Is there never to be any end to this thing? If not why not?

IN NEW YORK

New York, Jan. 2.—The Rumpelmayers, whose names are traditional in London and Paris, arrived in Manhattan some months ago and set up a swanky pastry shop in the new St. Moritz hotel. To make certain that everything went off well in America, a land which neither Mme. or Mr. Rumpelmayer had ever before visited, they came over to supervise the catering personally.

And not so many weeks out, they ran squarely into the great American fetish—dieting. They were after all, the pastry king and queen of Europe. And they were accustomed to the dear ladies of all the world ordering chocolate fud-dubs and other sugary, and hence fattening, foods.

Those myriad New Yorkers, who had been abroad, immediately began to pack the place to the doors—but with results that have caused the experienced Rumpelmayers to do a bit of head scratching.

And so, out of their experiences, I have gleaned this information: "American girls, who are young and slender. When they grow older and stouter, they promise to diet, but have a hard time keeping their promises. Today they will eat the last word in anti-fat food. Tomorrow they will come in and sell themselves with rare sweets. They leave promising that tomorrow they will start all over again."

Dieting, it would seem, started in America but has spread to London. Eliminating those two big towns, the rest of the world shrugs its shoulders and eats what it darn pleases.

"French women know good food best and will not sacrifice their European tastes for the sake of their figures, if any. The Frenchwoman expects to offset any dietetic sins by her personal cleverness and skill in dressing."

"Fashion has threatened to rule food for some time, but I don't think it will last," says Mme. Rumpelmayer. "The so-called boyish figure has had quite a vogue here and has invaded England."

"At least 50 per cent of the American women who come to our New York place refuse to eat potatoes and 25 per cent sit and discuss dieting, even as they hesitate over a large piece of pastry. The remaining 25 per cent promise themselves to swear off sweets tomorrow and then order a whipped-cream cake."

Washington Letter

BY RODNEY DUTCHER, NEA Service Writer

Washington, Jan. 2.—A couple of years ago many strong words were used to condemn the "power trust," which had been caught putting its propaganda into the public schools, buying up or influencing newspapers and subsidizing professors in colleges and universities.

But the public utilities corporations are in the saddle today, their sins washed away, and the benevolent, helpful attitude of the federal government toward them probably surpasses anything that their fondest dreams a few years ago. All that the conservationists and progressives thought they had achieved in years is rapidly going by.

Although advocates of effective utility regulation—such as Governors Fincha and Roosevelt, and Senator Walsh of Montana—won conspicuous victories in the November elections, the administration appears definitely to have taken the side of the power companies in virtually all recent controversies and its stand presumably was outlined in the annual report of the old Power Commission—Secretaries Wilbur, Hurley and Hyde—which recommended that control of water power developments be considered primarily a matter for the individual states.

A bitter struggle which may have decisive results has broken out following the latest "power trust" victory—the dismissal of Solicitor Charles A. Russell and Chief Accountant William V. King of the commission. Russell and King were a couple of earnest officials who undertook to carry out the regulatory provisions of the water power act by preventing the power companies from padding investment charges on federally licensed developments to the extent of millions of dollars which the government eventually would have to pay.

Braving the disapproval of their superiors and at the obvious risk of their jobs, these two men gave as fearless a demonstration of public service as has been seen here in many decades. Unfortunately, their requests to favor the power companies were completely ignored and the policy of Executive Secretary F. C. Bonner and Chairman Ray Lyman Wilbur of the commission, who have been accused of helping the power companies at their expense as often as possible, was maintained.

Russell and King were replaced by George Otis Smith, chairman of the newly created Federal Power Commission of five.

Would Destroy Power Act. After all these years, the Clarion River Power Company and the Appalachian Electric Power Company have begun court actions which, if successful, would virtually destroy the power act, according to its supporters. Attorney General Mitchell did what he could to help the old power commission in an opinion which suggested that there was serious question regarding the constitutionality of the act.

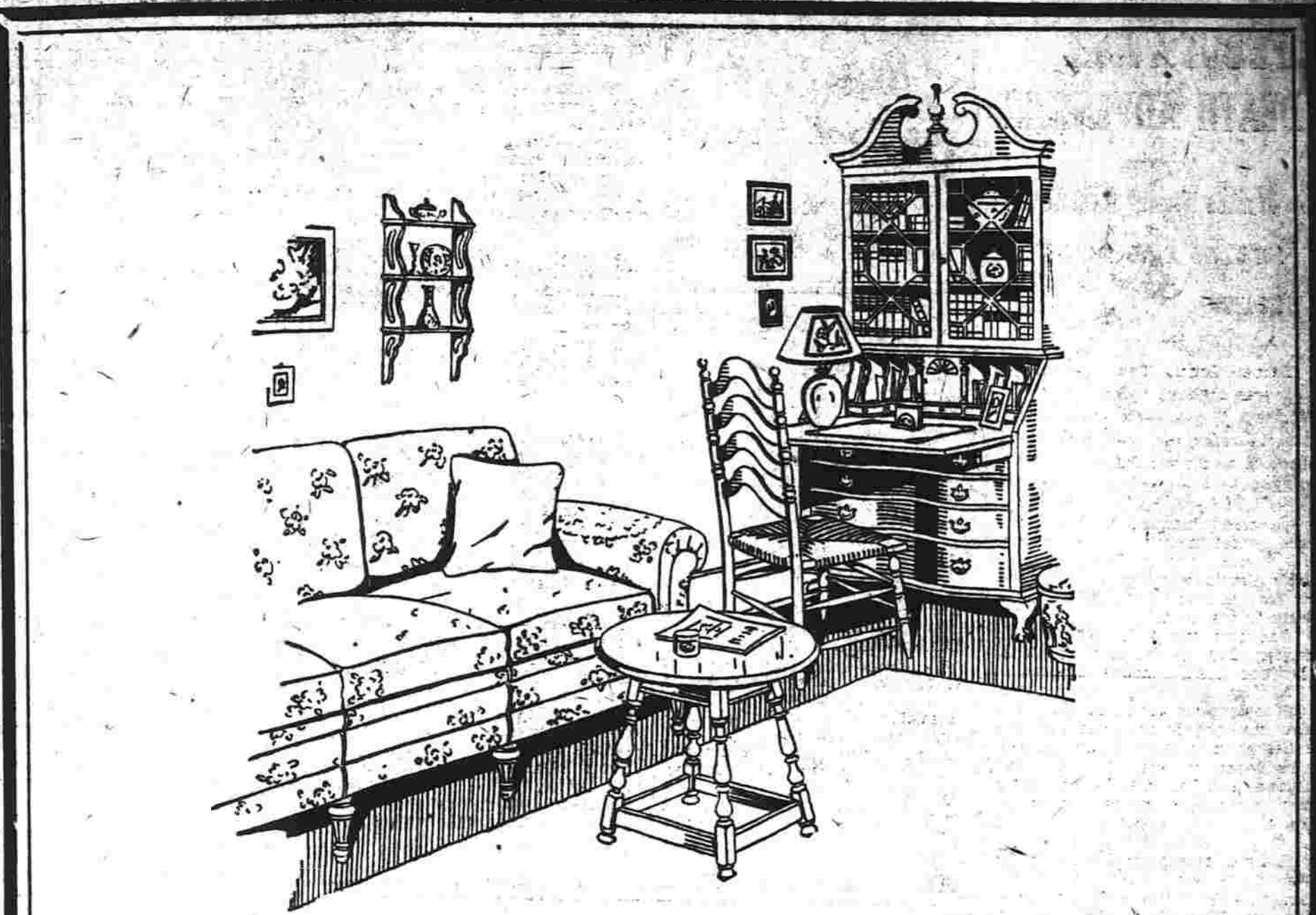
The opinion, too involved to outline here, also suggested a course for the commission by which most of the large federally licensed power sites might be freed from all but the most superficial type of regulation.

The new power commission was confirmed by the Senate with generally large majorities. Its membership was obviously satisfactory to the utilities, but not especially satisfactory to anyone but them and their sympathizers. Chairman Smith had admitted that he worked privately for the insul interests in Maine.

Next Fight On Norris Bill. It was charged that Marcel Garsaud was under business obligations to one of the Electric Bond & Share subsidiaries. Claude Draper was shown to have preserved a sweet amiability toward certain high rates when he was public utilities commissioner in Wyoming.

The question of power company connections was also raised against Frank R. McNinch. Nevertheless the senators standing for effective regulation were astonished at the prompt action of this new commission in discharging King and Russell.

The next big legislative power fight will be the Norris-Bond-Shoals bill, now before the House. President Hoover opposes the Norris bill and is so committed to private operation of Muscle Shoals that the congressman who wrote the private operation bill was the only candidate for re-election who received his official blessing in 1930. (The congressman was defeated.) If the Norris bill passes the House it is commonly assumed that Hoover will veto it.



Semi-Annual Clearance SALE! Of Watkins Fine Furniture

TODAY begins Watkins great mid-winter furniture event... the Semi-Annual Sale of 1931 home furnishings. This event, which is store wide, brings fine Watkins furniture to even lower prices than last year. Every piece included in our large stock is regular Watkins furniture, hand picked by our own buyers for New England homes. There is no special sale merchandise!

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food is not digested properly, it causes discomfort in the stomach and leads to fermentation and the production of gas in the stomach and bowels.

The digestive tract should be considered as a whole, and any trouble which interferes with the normal functioning of the stomach, itself, is liable to affect the bowels, leading to a blocking of the natural functions, or constipation. Any diet system that improves the digestion should also lessen the tendency toward constipation and gas. If a person is able to strengthen the muscular tone of the intestines so that constipation is overcome, there is also likely to be a marked improvement in digestion and less of that tendency toward flatulence.

In treating the body it should be considered as a functioning whole. Many doctors and patients make the mistake of trying to treat one specific symptom without considering the other functions. It should be remembered that, along with the "Big Three," the patient will usually mention some of the following troubles: coated tongue, tired feeling, headache, liver trouble, heartburn, nervousness, underweight, rapid heart, bad breath or skin disorders. It would be folly to try to treat any one of these symptoms if they are caused by trouble in the digestive tract. In the cure of any disease of the digestive organs it is necessary to substitute good habits of eating and living for bad ones. I have prepared a number of mimeographed articles covering these subjects which I will be glad to send to you if you will write to me in care of this newspaper and enclose a large self-addressed envelope and a two-cent stamp for each article desired.

- Constipation. Excessive Stomach and Intestinal Gas. Stomach Pains. Stomach Trouble. Analysis of Stomach Disorders. Stomach Ulcers. Gastritis. Gnauling Feeling. Reducing Stomach Acidity. Milk Diet. Cleansing Diet Course. Coated Tongue. Tired Feeling. Liver Trouble. Bad Breath. Skin Disorders. Ams. Boils. Keep the Abdominal Muscles Developed. Headaches. Questions and Answers. (Abscessed Tooth). Question: Mrs. A. writes: "My

A NEW MONTH - A NEW YEAR

Many good resolutions will be made—we suggest one for you—that you plan to eat a plate of delicious Manchester Dairy Ice Cream every day this coming year. You will find this pure, healthful dessert will be of great benefit to you.



dentist discovered from an X-ray of my teeth that one of my gold-crowned ones is abscessed. This tooth has never given me any trouble, but my dentist wants me to have it out and have some bridge-work done. I would appreciate your advice as to whether or not a condition of this kind can be cleared up with a proper diet. Answer: If the gold crowned tooth upon which the abscess has developed is dead, the best policy would be to have the tooth removed, but if the nerve is still alive, and the abscess is on the side of the tooth, it is sometimes possible to have the abscess drained by a puncture and irrigation. After this, a fasting and dieting regimen could be used to advantage. Get the opinion of several dentists if this seems advisable. (Salt) Question: M. B. asks: "Is common table salt necessary to the body? I have heard that one would lose weight if it were not used. Answer: Inorganic sodium chloride is never necessary for the body, as this salt is found in an organic form in vegetables and other foods. There is no harm in using a small amount to imitate that which has been destroyed by cooking, but it will have no perceptible effect one way or another upon your weight. (Cracking Joints) Question: W. M. F. asks: "What causes a cracking of the joints, in- cluding the jaw bones when eating. I might mention that I am also troubled with ringing ears." Answer: A cracking of the joints is usually caused by loose ligaments or a lack of synovial fluid around the joints. Sometimes, what appears to be a cracking of the jaw can be caused by the clogging of the sustentaculum tubercle leading to the mouth and ears, which is stretched when the jaw is moved and produces a cracking. The presence of the ear noises would also tend to indicate that this condition might be the cause. Employers who cut wages don't realize apparently that all work and no pay makes Jack exceedingly scarce.

Health and Diet Advice

By DR. FRANK MCCOY. A COMMON CHAIN OF SYMPTOMS. As I read over the many thousands of letters which are sent to me by my readers, I see that the majority of them deal with three main symptoms, which are more common than any other. If a letter mentioned one of them it is fairly sure to say something of the other two. "Big Three" are: First, indigestion; second, gas on the stomach and bowels; third, constipation. Time and again I have seen this common train of symptoms demonstrated. The reason for this is that when



**LIFE BUT A JOKE,  
DEATH, ADVENTURE**

**So Writes Young Aviator Before He Kills Himself In Darien.**

Darien, Conn., Jan. 2.—(AP)—Life was a ghastly joke to Roger D. Whedon, 23 years old and a former Navy aviator, and death was an adventure he did not fear.

Thus he explained his suicide in notes found with his body which was discovered crumpled in an automobile parked in front of the home of his friend, John R. Ruggles, early New Year's morning. A pistol was in his hand and two bullet holes were in the head.

One note was addressed to his father, Burt D. Whedon, of 173-23 Croydon Road, Jamaica, Queens.

In it he asked that there be no religious services at his funeral and that his body be cremated and the ashes given to James Haney, an aviator friend, to scatter over New Canaan and Darien as they were the two towns in which he said he enjoyed his only happiness.

Meet In New York  
Ruggles said he met Whedon in New York Wednesday and invited him to a New Year's Eve party at the Wee Burn Club. On the train going out they played cards and Whedon lost \$11.

"That's one debt you won't collect," Whedon said.

Shortly before midnight he excused himself from the party at the club and borrowed Ruggles' car to drive to his home. When Ruggles reached the house later he found the body.

Whedon's father and brother had the body removed to the family home in Jamaica.

After being graduated from Harvard in 1929, Whedon trained for a year at the flying station at Pensacola, Fla., qualifying as a pilot. He was stationed at Northeastern Airport until December 1 when he resigned.

**MENUS  
For Good Health**

A Week's Supply Recommended by Dr. Frank B. McCoy

Dr. McCoy's menus suggested for the week beginning Sunday, January 4th:

**Sunday**  
Breakfast—Eggs poached in milk, served on Melba Toast; Baked Apple.

Lunch—Stewed Corn; Spinach; Salad of shredded Lettuce.

Dinner—Roast Veal, Wholewheat Dressing; Buttered Beets; Asparagus; Celery; Apricot Whip.

**Monday**  
Breakfast—Fresh Fruit, all desired of one kind; glass of Sweet Milk.

Lunch—Corn Muffins; String Beans; Cauliflower Salad.

Dinner—Broiled Steak with Mushrooms; Baked Eggplant; Salad of Chopped Raw Cabbage; Pear Sauce.

**Tuesday**  
Breakfast—Coddled Eggs; Melba Toast; Stewed Prunes.

Lunch—Creamed Cucumbers; Wholewheat Bread and Butter.

Head Lettuce.

Dinner—Yellow Cheese (1/2 pound to each serving); Mashed Turnips;

XLima Bean Timbales; Salad of Shredded Spinach; Jello or Jell-Well.

**Wednesday**  
Breakfast—Wholewheat Mush with Butter; Crisp Bacon; Stewed Peaches.

Lunch—Oranges, all desired, with handful of Pecans.

Dinner—Broiled Rabbit; String Beans; Carrots; Sliced Tomatoes; small dish of Junket.

**Thursday**  
Breakfast—French Omelet on Toasted Jereid Biscuit; Stewed Figs.

Lunch—Baked Sweet Potatoes; Cooked Celery; Salad of Shredded Lettuce.

Dinner—Vegetable Soup; Roast Beef; Baked Grated Beets; Zucchini; Salad of Raw Cabbage; Prune Whip.

**Friday**  
Breakfast—Crisp Waffle, with butter and small amount of Maple Syrup is desired; Broiled Ham.

Lunch—One pint of fresh buttermilk with a dozen Dates.

Dinner—Jellied Tomato Bouillon; orroiled Fillet of Sole; Spinach; Asparagus; Stuffed Tomatoes on Lettuce; no Dessert.

**Saturday**  
Breakfast—Toasted Shredded Wheat Biscuit with Cream.

Lunch—Buttered Brussels Sprouts; Cabbage and Pineapple Salad.

Dinner—Roast Mutton; Stuffed Squash; Cooked Lettuce; String Bean Salad; Grapejuice Whip.

**SUNDAY**  
XLIMA BEAN TIMBALES: Press one cupful of cooked (or canned) lima beans through a sieve or vegetable ricer. Add two tablespoons of

soft butter, two egg yolks, and a half cup of scalded milk. Mix thoroughly; fold in the beaten whites of the eggs and bake in molds placed in hot water, until firm or about twenty minutes. Loosen from molds with knife and turn on to hot dish when ready to serve.

Note: When fresh fruit is desired at breakfast time, it should be used at least thirty minutes before breakfast.

**Questions and Answers**

(Arms Get Numb)

Question: M. H. writes: "Please tell me what causes the arms to go to sleep and get numb at night. Is this because of high blood pressure?"

Answer: If you know you have high blood pressure you have doubtless answered your own question, as this does cause the arms to become numb. Valvular leakage of the heart is also sometimes responsible for poor circulation and numbness of the arms.

(Diet for Bow-legged Baby)

Question: Mrs. A. V. asks: "Do you think that my baby sixteen months old, should have treatments for bow-legs? Don't you think he will outgrow it? One doctor said he would have to have treatments twice a week—that he would not outgrow it. Will you give me your opinion?"

Answer: I do not know of any special treatments which would be effective in the correction of bow-legs except through putting the

baby on a correct diet. It would be best to have your baby take nothing but milk and orange juice for a few months. This diet will supply plenty of bone-building minerals. If you wish to save my article on infant feeding, send your request with a large self-addressed stamped envelope and the article will be forwarded to you without charge.

(Space for Vegetables)

Question: G. F. asks: "How can one prepare a palatable sauce for green peas without making a 'wrong' combination?"

Answer: A palatable sauce can be made by adding cream and butter, and thickening with a little dextrinized, or orrowed, flour. The juice that is not used should be saved for soup, which may be made very appetizing by the use of milk or cream and any finely chopped non-starchy vegetable you may wish.

**GUARDING LORD IRWIN**

Calcutta, Bengal, Jan. 2.—(AP)—Extreme precautions were taken today to prevent harm befalling Viceroy of India Lord Irwin and Lady Irwin as they drove in state to the Bowrah railway station to take a train for Assam.

Owners of houses along the route were made responsible by police for seeing that no strangers or servants were given access to windows or balconies overlooking the street until the procession had passed.

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a loss of 400 men. He then decided on the dangerous expedient of scaling the heights above Quebec. After more than 4500 British had ascended the steep cliffs, Montcalm, French commander, opened fire. The inexperienced French lines were shattered. Wolfe, as he led the charge, was mortally wounded, dying as his men gained victory. Montcalm, dying too, said, "It is a great consolation to have been vanquished by so brave an enemy."

Official major league baseballs contain about 216 stitches.



WOLFE'S BIRTH

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**Condition Of State Roads**

Road conditions and detours in the State of Connecticut made necessary by highway construction, repairs and oiling, announced by the Connecticut Highway Department as of December 31, 1930:

Route No. 3—Woodbury-Middlebury road. Approach grading on new location. No detours.

Route No. U. S. 6—Thomaston. Bridge over Naugatuck river, East Main St. is under construction. No detour.

Route No. U. S. 7—Canaan and Salisbury. Lime Rock Bridge, grade crossing elimination is under construction. Open to traffic.

Route No. 12—Norwich-Jewett City road is under construction. Grading is being done and culverts are being installed. Traffic can pass.

Route No. 17—East Hartford. Bridge over Hockanum river is under construction but open to one-way traffic.

Routes Nos. 111, 118 and 3—Southington. Intersection of the Milldale road is under construction. Open to traffic.

Route No. 134. Cornwall bridge project. Approach grading on new location. No detours.

Route No. 135—New Haven. Extension of the Foxon Road under construction. No delay to traffic.

Route No. 202—Hartwinton. Hartwinton-Terryville road is under construction.

No Route Numbers.  
Danbury. Clapboard Ridge road. No work being done on this project.

Eastford. Kenyonville-North Ashford road is under construction. Grading is being done. Traffic can pass.

East Hampton, Haddam and East Haddam. Haddam Neck - East Haddam road is under construction. Through traffic advised to avoid this road.

New Fairfield—Balls Pond road. Steam shovel grading and macadam construction. No detours.

Orange. Grassy Hill road is under construction. No delay in traffic.

Trumbull. Church Hill Road is under construction. No delay in traffic.

**UNWRITTEN LAW FREES  
MUDERER IN MEXICO**

Mexico City, Jan. 2.—(AP)—Jesus Ballasestin, prominent Mexico City merchant, was released from custody today under the first application of that section of the New Mexican penal code which legitimizes killing in defense of honor.

Ballasestin returned to his home recently and found there Francisco Montes Corona and Senora de Ballasestin. There was a fight and Montes Corona stumbled from the house mortally wounded by a machete. He died in a taxicab.

Ballasestin surrendered, pleading violation of his home and after investigation of the facts the minister of justice ordered his release.

The new penal code became effective just a year ago. It provoked considerable discussion because it contained such advanced precepts as the unwritten law; making it no offense for a desperately hungry man to commit robbery once and providing for the elimination of juries.

"The past," says Carl Sandburg, the poet, "is a bucket of ashes." Yes, the scene has sifted.

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# BRISTOL FAVORED OVER MANCHESTER

## Poor Foul Shooting Fatal to Rec Five

### Y. M. H. A. Finishes Strong To Score Deserved 26-23 Victory But Manchester Team Looks Better; Crowd Goes Wild With Excitement In Hair-Raising Rally By Hebrews.

Superior foul shooting plus a determined last quarter rally enabled the Hartford Y. M. H. A. to defeat the Rec Five 26 to 23 at Foot Guard Hall in Hartford last night before a large crowd which went wild with delight at the thrilling finish.

On a basis of these two facts, Hartford deserved to win, but even in defeat Manchester appeared to be the better team. Loss of "Frank" McCann and "Ward" Waterman on an overdose of personal fouls was instrumental in bringing about the Rec's downfall.

Coach Harry Herbert's Hebrew hoopsters hit the bull's eye with 14 of their 19 pegs from the fifteen foot line while only nine of Manchester's 22 slings found their mark. The Rec scored one more field goal but five less points from the free throw line which accounts for the ultimate three point difference.

The first quarter was devoid of scoring and Hartford led 4-0 at its conclusion. Manchester came to life and pushed into a 12 to 10 lead at halftime and then continued to a 20 to 14 lead before the third quarter ended. All during these two middle periods, Manchester looked superior, passing much better.

Most of Hartford's shots, or at least a good many of them, came from long range, while Manchester for the most part was getting in comparatively close. The point, however, is that the shooting eyes of the Rec boys were a bit closed, perhaps from a too lengthy observance of New Year's Eve, though such a handicap undoubtedly affected one team as much as the other.

The surface of the Foot Guard floor was very slippery and there were quite a few occasions when a player would get up full steam ahead only to lose his equilibrium

and fall, often flat on his back where he would skid along like a novice skater. One of the baskets was against the front of the stage and several times players were crushed none too gently against the wooden wall.

Holland did the bulk of the scoring for Manchester by sinking three field goals. Silverman scored twice in his first half duel with Waterman but was held scoreless from the floor by Holland in the second half. Nye, Manchester center, broke through the Hartford defense several times to take looping passes under the basket but with one or two exceptions he was unable to complete the play by scoring a basket. He and McCann were off color in their foul shooting. Ding Farr, though in uniform, was not used by Manager Benny Clune in any part of the game. No reason was given.

Krinsky Is Star  
Pete Krinsky, Hartford's outstanding performer, was caught in a first half jam and finished the game with a patch over his right eye. No one else was injured although at times the play became very rough. Referee Johnny Manion held the game well in hand at all times.

During the exciting final quarter, the official scorers became engaged in an argument over the number of personal fouls on Krinsky. Manchester's tabulator insisted that he had three when he and Krinsky were called in a double-foul affair but the Y. M. H. A. scorer insisted that two was the total. Under such circumstances, the home scorer always has the final say.

Had Krinsky been banished shortly afterward when he committed what the writer claims was his fourth personal, the ultimate result might have been different although this is no attempt to offer any excuse for Manchester's defeat. The Y. M. H. A. deserved its victory because of better foul shooting and a stronger finish, but facts are facts.

Manchester was leading 23 to 20 when Krinsky's alleged fourth foul was called but Holland missed the free try. A moment later Krinsky dropped in a spectacular shot from midfloor and then Faulkner fouled Cohen, the Hebrew guard sank both of his only two shots of the evening to put the Hartford team out in front 24 to 23. The closing minutes were played with the crowd shouting wildly and the players fighting desperately. Tommy Murphy, former Dixie star, sank

### BOX SCORE

Y. M. H. A. (26)				B. F. T.			
2 Murphy, rf	1	2-2	4				
4 Silverman, lf	2	4-7	8				
3 Krinsky, c	1	5-6	7				
5 Langstein, c	2	0-1	1				
0 Cohen, rg	0	2-2	2				
8 Wias, lg	0	1-1	1				
2 Rosenblatt, lg	0	0-0	0				
	17	6	14-19	26			
Rec Five (23)				B. F. T.			
4 McCann, rf	1	2-7	4				
2 Faulkner, lf	2	4-4	8				
2 Burr, rf	0	0-1	0				
1 Gustafson, rf	0	0-0	0				
2 Nye, c	1	2-7	4				
4 Waterman, rg	0	1-1	1				
0 Dowd, rg	0	0-0	0				
1 Holland, lg	0	0-2	0				
	16	7	9-23	23			
Score by Periods:				4	6	4	12-26
Hartford				1	11	8	20-23
Manchester				12-10	Rec		
Referee: Johnny Manion.							

another long shot to put the game on ice.  
The town series between the two teams now stands even, Manchester having won a previous game here by a close score. The defeat was the second of the Rec Five in 11 games. On four previous occasions Hartford teams have been beaten, the K. of C. twice, the Y. M. H. A. once and the Independents once. Next Tuesday night the Rec meets the crack Philadelphia Colored Giants.

### Last Night's Fights

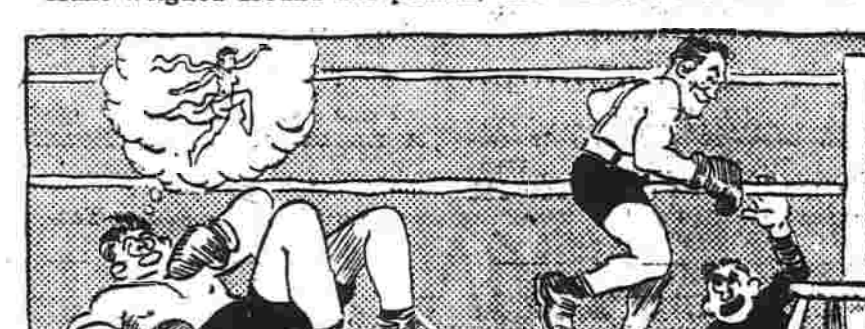
Milwaukee—Talt Littman, Cudby, Wis., knocked out George Courtney, Tulsa, Okla., 4 Harry Dublin, Chicago, outpointed Bruce Flowers, New Rochelle, N. Y., 10.  
Columbus, Ohio—Lou Bloom, Columbus, won on foul from Eddie Anderson, Chicago, 10.  
Fargo, N. D.—Billy Petrolle, Fargo, outpointed Billy Light, St. Paul, 6.  
Chicago—Mickey McFarland, Chicago, Winnipeg, Can., outpointed Leo Lomski, Aberdeen, 10.  
Cincinnati—Freddie Miller, Cincinnati, outpointed Roger Bernard, Detroit, 10.  
Boston—Jose Santa, Portugal, outpointed Roberto Roberti, Italy, 10.  
Rochester—Steve Dalako, Auburn, N. Y., outpointed Wesley Ramey, Grand Rapids, Mich., 10.  
Pittsburgh—Johnny Datto, Cleveland, outpointed Jackie Rodges, Pittsburgh, 10.  
Jack Francisco, worst half of the best lady horseshoe player in the country, is working out for the coming tournament at St. Petersburg, Fla., this winter.



## AN OLD TIMER'S SCRAPBOOK BY TIM MCGRATH

### Max Schmeling Might Be Able to Stop Mickey Walker—But Little Fellows Have Beaten Big Ones.

You won't have to listen very hard to hear a lot of the boys picking Max Schmeling to win if Jack Kearns succeeds in getting a match with the German for his Mickey Walker. Already I've heard some of the fans say the little man is beaten before he starts.  
But there's plenty of stuff in the old dope book to offset this. Why, I saw Walker stretch out Armand Emanuel, a good light-heavyweight in three rounds in San Francisco.  
Joe Wolcott was just an inch over five feet high, and weighed but 144. But he stopped Joe Choyinski, a six-foot light-heavyweight in seven rounds. Jack Dempsey, the Nonpareil, weighing 150 pounds, beat several heavyweights, including Jim Felt and Mike Brannan, the Port Costa Giant.  
Bob Fitzsimmons, who was a middleweight, fought all the heavies of his day, and held the heavyweight title. Yankee Sullivan, who fought the best heavies of England and America in the 40's, weighed 160 pounds. To go back still further, consider Ned Hunt, a pupil of Jack Broughton, father of British boxing.  
Hunt weighed around 126 pounds, and was five feet five. In 1746,



he stopped Major Hawkesley, a 238-pounder, in 10 minutes of fighting. Two years later, he stopped another heavyweight, Dick Mills, in a minute. Mills' friends forced Hunt to renew the fight—and Hunt stopped Mills within an hour that same day.  
Jem Mace and Charley Mitchell were middleweights, but won heavyweight titles. And there was Kid McCoy's defeat of Herr Placke, Dutch giant.  
Another welter who on occasion fought many a heavyweight was Peter McCoy. Pete also fought George LaBlanche, Jack Dempsey the Nonpareil and other middleweights.  
McCoy traveled with John L. Sullivan in the days John had a standing offer of \$1,000 for any man who'd stay four rounds with him. Occasionally, John would be in his cups and forget to show up. In those cases, McCoy would be planted in the audience.  
The announcer would then explain John L.'s absence due to illness, train wreck, etc., introduce the local challenger, and call for someone in the audience to take Sullivan's place against the bruiser. McCoy would jump to his feet, the crowd would cheer loudly—and in another minute or so, the local heavyweight would be stretched out.  
Pete McCoy was a dead shot when it came to hitting. I believe he coined that old saying, often attributed to Fitzsimmons: "The bigger they are, the harder they fall."

## Mammoth Crowd Expected To See Schoolboys Battle At State Armory Tonight

### ALABAMA'S AIR ATTACK BEATS RIVAL 24 TO 0

#### Crimson Tide Reveals Unexpected Aerial Power To Crush Washington State Eleven.

Pasadena, Cal., Jan. 2.—(AP)—Southern football stood at a new high water mark today, swept there by Alabama's Tidal Wave which yesterday swamped Washington State, 24-0.  
One large quarter, featured by three brilliant plays, and the Crimson Tide surged to a record of two victories and a tie during the last six years of the Rose tournament's sixteen-year classic here.  
Alabama's Tide broke loose in the second period and with a couple of long passes and a 41-yard run burst through the dikes of the Cougar defense with apparent ease for three touchdowns and the game.  
The scoring started with a reverse which pulled Jimmy Moore from end. He heaved a long pass to John "Flash" Suther. No one was present to challenge the "Bama halfback's" jaunt across the goal.  
As started as the 70,000 who braved the drizzling rain were, their surprise was augmented a few minutes later when Moore duplicated the toss to Ben Smith his fellow end for a 30-yard gain which put the ball on the one yard line. John Campbell scored in one plunge. Campbell's quarterback play was spectacular. He blitzed the scoring spurt, the fourth time he took the ball after the second touchdown by slipping through right tackle to shift unscathed down the sidelines for a 42-yard touchdown.  
Coach Orin "Babe" Hollingbery's forces rallied with the third quarter but even then "Ears" Whitworth was able to add three more points by kicking a 40-yard field goal from placement after the Tide had been stemmed on the 23-yard line.  
Fighting a losing game to the end, the Cougars launched a belated passing attack with George Sander, sophomore halfback on the throwing end of three successful passes which took the ball to the four-yard line. Capt. Elmer Schwartz was stopped for no gain on the first play but on the second he reached the two-yard line, only to fumble. Freddie Sington, the reliable All-American's "Bama tackle, pounced on the ball to terminate the drive. A few minutes later the final gun barked.

### STATISTICS

#### STARTING LINEUPS

MANCHESTER	BRISTOL
O'Leary, rf	Lincoln
Tierney, lf	Albertelli
Turkington, c	Hall
Squarrie, lg	Green
Hedlund, lg	Palau

Referee: "Chick" Hayes, Hartford.  
Umpire: Danny Ahearn, Middletown.  
Periods: Four 10-minute quarters.  
Time of Games:  
3:45—Freshmen  
7:30—Junior Varsity  
8:30—Varsity  
Place: State Armory on Main street.

#### MANCHESTER'S RECORD

Four Victories, No Defeats

Manchester 31, East Hartford	17
Manchester 29, East Hartford	24
Manchester 31, Rockville	15
Manchester 29, Alumni	24

120  
80  
40 Points Difference.

#### BRISTOL'S RECORD

Four Victories, No Defeats

Bristol 42, Terryville	12
Bristol 42, Torrington	21
Bristol 21, West Hartford	9
Bristol 30, Alumni	25

135  
67  
68 Points Difference.

Central Connecticut Interscholastic League standing: Manchester, won two, lost none; Bristol, won one, lost none.  
Favorite: Bristol because of past record in games with Manchester and latter's inability to solve zone defense in previous contests.  
Substitutes: Manchester—Lerch, McHale, Kerr, Smith, McCormick; Bristol—LaFonte, Patechak, Gurske, Becker, Caspiacki, King.  
1929-30 Result: Bristol 33, Manchester 16 at Bristol; Bristol 31, Manchester 16 in Manchester State Armory.

## Manchester High Confident It Will End Bristol's String of Eight Straight Victories Over Locals But Monahan's Charges Rule Favorites Because of Sturdy Zone Defense

Confident that it has the best chance in years to beat Bristol High school in basketball, Manchester High's undefeated red and white schoolboy quintet will take the State Armory court here tonight determined to spend every ounce of its energy in an effort to give Manchester its first victory over Bristol in nine successive games.  
Bristol rules a strong favorite because of past records if for no other reason. Although Manchester has had some string of teams in the past five years, it has not been able to do better than break even in the annual two games and has not beaten a Bell City team in three years. Bristol also enters tonight's contest undefeated. Each team has won the four games played.  
The Mismis.  
Manchester will have a slight advantage in regulars back from last season when Bristol won over Manchester 26 to 16 and 31 to 16. The lineup which will take the floor for Manchester this evening will with two exceptions, the same which faced Bristol during the 1929-30 campaign. Ernie Dowd and Bruno Nicola, two guards, are missing, while Bristol will be minus the services of Willie and Allaire, two of its outstanding players.  
Regardless of the outcome of all other games, Manchester's high school basketball season is admittedly not a big success unless Bristol can be repulsed. Interest in the Manchester series has grown rapidly during the past few years. Close to 1,600 persons, the largest ever to witness an indoor sporting event in Manchester's history, watched the two teams play at the State Armory here last February. They saw the home team sadly outclassed by a much smarter outfit that was close to invincible on the defense.  
Monahan's Defense  
Coach Thomas M. Monahan, Bristol's famous basketball mentor, exponent of the five-man zone-defense, has come to be regarded as the Knute Rockne of Connecticut basketball and coaches throughout the state value nothing above a victory over Bristol. For four years in a row, the team has won the championship of the Central Connecticut Interscholastic League on three occasions the state title was added to an already highly successful season by Yale Tournament victories at New Haven. Last March, however, Bristol's triumph over Manchester, 21 to 14, Manchester was also defeated in the first round at Yale, losing to West Haven 27 to 23.  
"We'll Know Soon  
Whether or not this is the beginning of the end of Bristol's monopoly of Connecticut basketball remains to be seen. Certainly the results of the first four games played by the Bell City 1930-31 edition gives no such indication. In its only supposedly hard games of the season so far, Bristol gave West Hartford a good drubbing, allowing only three field goals to penetrate their marvelous defense. Manchester has been practicing hard in an effort to perfect an offense which will finally solve the Monahan type of defense, and tonight will tell the story as to its success or failure.  
The last time Manchester defeated Bristol in basketball was back in the latter part of the 1926-27 season and then the feat was accomplished by the narrow margin of a solitary point. The winning Manchester combination consisted of Captain "Ty" Holland and Jimmy Gorman, forwards, "Ding" Farr at center, with Nino Boggin and Billy Dowd guards. The team broke even during the regular season, Bristol winning in Bristol 34 to 20 and Manchester topping the invaders 22 to 21 in a return game here.  
When It Started  
There followed what proved to be a third and deciding game when the two quintets came face to face in the Yale tournament at New Haven in the semi-final round and Bristol was returned a 14 to 13 winner in one of the hardest fought and most thrilling schoolboy basketball duels Connecticut has ever witnessed. Several Manchester shots just rimmed the basket in the closing two minutes of play that drove the spectators into a frenzy of excitement. Since then Manchester has never beaten Bristol.  
To find the time lines Manchester last won both of its annual two games from Bristol, one must turn back the pages of history to the 1924-25 season when a Manchester combination comprising of Nino Boggin and Joe Lutz forwards, Johnny Boyle center, Bobby Boyce and Jimmy Mistretta guards, topped back the Monahan contingent 24 to 19 and 24 to 17.

## WILL BRISTOL DO IT AGAIN?

The majority of the boys who will play in tonight's Manchester High school basketball skirmish at the local armory also participated in the final game between the two schools at the Manchester armory last season. Bristol was very handy, 31 to 16. Perhaps you will be interested in standing over the summary of that game and comparing it with what happens tonight. Well, here 'tis with the names of those eligible for service tonight in bold-face type:  
Bristol (31)  
2—White, rf ..... 3 2-3 8  
0—Wasley, lf ..... 0 0-0 0  
2—Lincoln, lf ..... 3 0-1 6  
1—Albertelli, lf ..... 0 0-0 0  
2—Hall, c ..... 1 2-3 4  
0—Gurske, c ..... 0 0-0 4  
0—Allaire, rg ..... 0 3-3 6  
0—Palau, lg ..... 0 0-0 0  
0—Green, lg ..... 1 0-0 2  
2—La Fonte, lg ..... 3 2-3 8  
9  
11 9-13 31  
Manchester (16)  
0—Tierney, rf ..... 3 2-3 8  
4—Smith, lf ..... 0 0-2 0  
0—O'Leary, lf ..... 0 0-0 0  
2—Turkington, c ..... 3 1-2 7  
1—Nicola, rg ..... 0 1-1 1  
0—Courtney, rg ..... 0 1-2 1  
2—Dowd, lg ..... 0 0-2 1  
9  
6 4-10 16  
Referee: "Chick" Hayes.  
Permission to publish reduced fares for sport fans has been requested from the state commission by railroads in Wisconsin.

## BATTALINO MEETS SHEA OR TAYLOR

But Title Won't Be At Stake; Bout Is Set For Chicago, January 23.  
Chicago, Jan. 2.—(AP)—Bat-Battalino, world featherweight champion, was signed today for a 10-round engagement in the Chicago Stadium January 23, with either Eddie Shea or Bud Taylor as his opponent. The title will not be involved.  
Battalino's last appearance was in Madison Square Garden at New York where he successfully defended his title last month against Kid Chocolate by being returned a 15-round decision winner. Battalino has fought Taylor twice and each won once. Shea and Battalino have never met. Many have come forth with the opinion that Shea is the best of the featherweight brigade today and that he will be the new champion if Battalino ever puts his title at stake in the ring with him.

## GOLAS HEADS EAGLES AGAIN

The following officers were re-elected at the Eagles A. C. meeting last night: President, Anto Golas, vice president, Benjamin Balon; secretary, William Brannick; treasurer, Edward Wilson.  
The social committee consisting of W. Copeland, V. O'bright and A. Golas made a report of progress. A Ways and Means committee, composed of J. Mitchell, B. Balon, C. Chatterer was appointed.  
Meetings are scheduled for every Thursday night at 7 o'clock.

## Local Sport Chatter

Judging from reports about town there will be very few real basketball fans who will not be at the State Armory tonight. Whoever wins, it ought to be a pip of a game.  
Coach Wilfred J. Clarke is confident his team will win. He said last night, "I think we are two or three baskets better than Bristol." However, Clarke was also confident last year.  
If Manchester is fortunate enough to get an early lead on Bristol, it will be no surprise to see the local boys take the ball into the backcourt and stall in the very first quarter in an effort to make the visitors come out of their shell-like zone defense.  
True, such a procedure wouldn't be very interesting from a standpoint of real basketball, but in the face of eight straight defeats from Bristol, Manchester is justified to do something drastic.  
Manchester planned to do just this thing last year, but Bristol spoiled the plans by being the team to get the early lead. What's more, they held it tightly and safely from start to end.  
Manchester will have one advan-

## Shields, Wood, Mangin, Sutter, Suggested as U. S. Net Team

BY LOUIS DAILEY  
President of the U. S. L. T. Association  
New York, Jan. 2.—(AP)—If I had to name four players to seek the Davis Cup in 1931 I would name Shields, Wood, Mangin and Sutter, since John Doeg already has announced that it is his purpose to devote his time to establishing himself in business.  
I would name them now so that they might organize their plans accordingly and on or about June 1 send them abroad with a non-playing captain, omit training trips, try-outs and avoid so far as possible all the strain and worry of making the team. Perhaps we would lose but we have been doing this for three years anyway.  
Three members of last year's Davis Cup team, Lott, Allison and Van Ryn, have recently married and have entered upon business careers and I believe our association should encourage them to concentrate upon their business and not tempt them to devote several months in 1931 to the playing of the game on international teams.  
Nevertheless I believe in the case of the three players mentioned further concentration on the game except upon local courts and our current championships would not be of value to them in their business careers.  
What they do as individuals, of course, we cannot control and if their families and business associates believe that continuing application to the game this year is desirable it is not our concern. We should not, however, to win the Davis cup again, urge them to make the trip.  
From a financial standpoint, the past season may be considered a successful one according to U. S. L. T. A. standards, and this affords me great pleasure since this will permit of the establishment of a definite financial plan insuring a steady income to sectional associations of the association. This is extremely essential as these refunds to the sectional associations permit the continuance and further broadening of tennis development within such sections.

## Local Sport Chatter

The Philadelphia Colored Giants who play the Rec here next Tuesday night have won 25 straight games. This club has always made a most favorable impression in past performances here. They are not untried like the Clowns.  
If the verbal fireworks which have been spitting for the past couple of weeks can be taken as any indication, then the series between the West Side and the East Side teams later in the season should be a humdinger.  
Adrian Brennan, coach of the Aetna-Travelers Girls' basketball team, watched the Rec-Y. M. H. A. contest last night. He said he is coming out tonight to see the Manchester-Bristol game and that there is considerable Hartford interest in the battle between these two naturals.  
Babe Hurley who played with the Community Club against the Rec several seasons ago, is now jumping center for Fordham. Zaleski, former New Britain High school star, is playing a forward berth. Eugene Huggins, former Bristol star, played center for N. Y. U. last night and helped does out Yale 27 to 24.

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LOTTA HOKUM

THANKS TO BLARNEY FOR THE GREAT ESCAPE



# Murder At Bridge

by ANNE AUSTIN author of "THE BLACK PIGEON," "THE AVENGING PARROT" and "MURDER BACKSTAIRS" ©1930 BY NEA SERVICE, INC.

**BEGIN HERE TODAY**  
A number of people could have killed JUANITA SELIM at her bridge party; JUDGE MARSHALL, her landlord, to whom she paid no rent, and owner of the gun and silencer with which she was shot, was one. JOHN DRAKE was another. FLORA MILES, in Nita's closet at the time of the murder, reading a note she thinks is from her husband, but which is from DEXTER SPRAGUE, is another. CLIVE HAMMOND and POLLY BEALE, who were in the solarium together, and JANET RAYMOND, in love with Sprague, also are suspected.

DUNDEE believes that Nita, recognizing only these six in a group photograph, came down from New York for blackmail, receiving \$10,000 and a bullet, and he warns Sprague not to carry on the scheme. Nita's will and the fact that she had Sprague confine a bell near her bed to summon POLLY, show that she killed by a New York gunman. Nita had burned papers, intending to marry RALPH HAMMOND, and Dundee thinks the murderer will return, looking for them. At the office Thursday morning, PENNY CRAIN is telling him of an important bridge party Wednesday at the Miles' home, to which Sprague came uninvited, when the telephone rings, with the news of Sprague's murder. His body is found in the trophy room at the Miles' house. PENNY says that Sprague disappeared mysteriously from the party, that Miles quizzed with Flora over him, and Dundee learns that all six of the original suspects had opportunity to kill him.

### NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

**CHAPTER XXXVII**  
The Miles home, still known in Hamilton as the Hackett place, since it had been built more than 30 years before Flora's father, old Silas Hackett, died these seven years, dominated one of the most beautiful of the wooded hills which encircled Mirror Lake in the Brentwood section. Of modified Tudor architecture, its deep red, mellowed bricks had achieved in three decades almost the same aged dignity and impressiveness that characterized the three-century-old mansion in England which Silas Hackett's architect had used as an inspiration.

The big house faced the lake, a long series of landscaped terraces leading down to the water's edge, but the driveway wound from the state road up a side hill, to the main entrance at the rear of the house.

Once before—on Sunday, the day after Nita Selim's murder, when he had come to interview Lydia Carr and had secured the alibi which had eliminated Dexter Sprague as a suspect—Dundee had driven his car up this hill between the tall yew hedges. But then he had taken the fork which led to the hooded doorway over the kitchen; had descended the kitchen stairs with Lydia, to the servants' sitting room in the basement. Now he continued along the main driveway to the most impressive entrance, whose flanking, slim turrets frowned down upon a line of police cars and motorcycles.

His approach must have been expected and observed, for it was the master of the house who opened the great, iron-studded doors and invited him into the broad main hall, at the end of which, down three steps, lay the immense living room. The detective's first glance took in stately arm chairs of the Cromwell period, thick, mellow-toned rugs, and, in the living room beyond, splendid examples of Jacobean furniture. In all this dignified but simple grandeur only Tracey Miles—short, stout, blond, the typical business Babbitt—struck a false note.

"A horrible thing to happen in a man's home, Dundee," Miles was saying, his plump, rosy face blighted with horror. "I can't real-

ize yet that we actually slept as usual with a corpse lying down here all night! And I have only myself to blame—" "What do you mean?" Dundee asked. "Why, that—body wasn't discovered sooner," Miles explained. "If it had occurred to me—that Whitson hadn't closed the trophy room windows, I should have gone in to close and lock them when I made the rounds of living room, dining room and library, after our guests were gone last night."

A pale-faced bald-headed butler had materialized while his master was speaking. "Beg pardon, sir, but I did not close the trophy room windows because I thought you might be using the room again. . . . You see, sir, and Whitson turned to Dundee, "Mr. Miles and Mr. Dunlap played ping-pong in the trophy room after dinner until the other guests began to arrive, and I did not want them to find the room stuffy—it was a warm night—if any of the guests—" "I see," Dundee interrupted. "Who, to your knowledge, was the last person to enter the trophy room last night, Mr. Miles?"

"I was, except Sprague, of course, and I had no idea he'd gone there. Drake wanted to play anagrams, and before the bridge game started, I went to the trophy room to get the box," Miles explained. "I turned off the light when I'd got the box, and there was no light burning in there this morning when Celia, the parlor maid, went in there to put the anagram box back in the cabinet, and—found the body. . . . Flora—Mrs. Miles—brought the anagrams in from the porch and left them on a table in the living room, as our guests were getting ready to leave. There was nothing else to bring in, in case of rain. The bridge tables are of iron, covered with oilcloth, and fitted with oilcloth bags for the cards, score pads, and pencils."

"Yes, I know," Dundee interrupted. "Miss Crain has already told me all about that, and a good many details of the party itself. . . . By the way, where is Mrs. Miles now?" "In bed. The doctor is with her. She is prostrated from the shock." "Where is this room you call the trophy room?" Dundee asked. "No, don't bother to come with me. Just point it out. It's on this floor, I understand."

Miles pointed past the great circular staircase that wound upward from the main hall. "You can't see the door from here, but it's behind the staircase. Celia found the door closed this morning, and no light on, as I said—"

Dundee cut him short by marching toward the door which was again closed. He entered so noiselessly that Captain Strawn, Dr. Price and the fingerprint expert, Carraway, did not hear him. For a moment he stood just inside the door and let his eyes wander about the room which Penny had already described. It was not a large room—12 by 14 feet, possibly—but it was less smaller, crowded, as it was with the long ping-pong table, bags of golf clubs, fishing tackle, tennis racquets, skis and sleds. There were two windows in the north wall of the room, looking out upon the yew-hedged driveway, and between them stood a cabinet of numerous big and little drawers.

Not until he had taken in the general aspect of the room did Dundee look at the thing over which Captain Strawn and the doctor were bending—the body of Dexter Sprague.

The alien from New York had fallen about four feet from the window nearer the east wall of the trophy room. He lay on his side, his left cheek against the floor, the fingers of his left hand still clutching the powder-burned bosom of his soft shirt, now stiff with dried blood, a pool of which had formed and then half congealed upon the rug. The right hand, the fingers half curled but not touching each other, lay palm-upward on the floor at the end of the rigid, outstretched arm. The one visible eye was half open, but on the swollen thin face, which had been strikingly handsome in an obvious sort of way, was a peace and dignity which Dundee had never seen upon Sprague's face when the man was alive. The left leg was drawn upward so that the knee almost touched the bullet-pierced stomach.

"How long has he been dead, doctor?" Dundee asked quietly. "Hello, boy!" Dr. Price greeted him placidly. "Always the same question! I've been here only a few minutes, and I've already told Sprague that I shall probably be unable to fix the hour of death with any degree of accuracy."

"Took your time, didn't you, Bonnie?" Captain Strawn greeted his former subordinate on the homicide squad. "Doc says he's been dead between 10 and 12 hours. Since it's nearly 10 now, that means Sprague was killed sometime between nine and 11 o'clock last night." "Better say between nine o'clock and midnight last night," Dr. Price suggested. "He may have lived an hour or more—unconscious, of course. For the indications are that he did not die instantly, but staggered a few steps, clutching at the wound. But of course I shall have to perform an autopsy first—"

Dundee crossed the room, stepping over the dead man's stick—a swank affair of dark, polished wood, with a heavy knob of carved ivory, which lay about a foot beyond the reach of the curled fingers of the stiff right hand. "Sprague's hat?" he asked, pointing to a brightly hanked straw

which lay upon the top of the cabinet. "Yes," Strawn answered. "And did you notice the window screen?"

He pointed to the window in front of which the body lay. The sash of leaded panes was raised as high as it would go, and beneath it was a screen of the roller-curtain type, raised about six inches from the window sill. A pair of curved, nickel-plated catches in the center of the inch-wide metal band on the bottom of the coppernet curtain showed how the screen was raised or lowered.

Dundee nodded, frowning, and Strawn began eagerly: "You'll have to admit I was right now, boy. You've sneered at my gunman theory and tried to pin Nita's murder on one of Hamilton's finest bunch of people, but you'll have to admit now that every detail of this setup bears me out."

"Yes?" "Sure. This is the way I figure it out: Sprague has good reason to be afraid he's next on the program. He's nervous. He hops a taxi at his hotel and comes here—can't stick to his room any longer. Wants a little human companionship. This crowd here—and I have Miles' word for it—ain't any too glad to see him, and shows it. He phones for a taxi to go back to his hotel—about 9:15, that was, Miles says—decides to walk down the hill to meet it. Doesn't want to go back out on the porch and lie in wait and a good time, when he hasn't. Well, he opens the front door, or what would be the front door if this was any ordinary house, but before he steps out he sees or hears something—probably a rustling in the hedge across the driveway, or maybe he even sees Miles, in the light from the lanterns on each side of the door.

"He feels sure Nita's murderer has trailed him. In a panic he darts into this room, and don't turn on the light for fear he'll be seen from the windows' but he can see well enough to make out how the screens work. I'll bet you anything you like Sprague stayed in this room for an hour or two, till he thought the coast was clear, then he slipped this screen, intending to climb out of the window and drop to the ground. . . . Not much of a drop at that. You can see that the tall hedge on this side of the driveway comes pretty near up to these windows. . . . Well, I figure he laid his hat on this cabinet, intending to reach for it when he was outside, but that he made some little noise which the gunman was listening for, and that when he got the screen up this high, the gunman, crouching under the window, let go with the same gun and silencer that he used to bump off Nita. . . . I've got Miles' word for it that neither he nor nobody else heard a shot. . . . Of course, nobody knew Sprague was in here, and since his hat and stick were both missing from the hall closet, they took it for granted he'd beat it. Any objections to that theory, boy?"

"Just a few—one in particular," Dundee said. "But I grant it's a good one, provided Dr. Price's autopsy bears you out as to the course of the bullet, and that Carraway finds Sprague's fingerprints on that contrivance for raising the screen. Even then—"

But Dundee was not allowed to finish his sentence, for Strawn was summoned to the telephone, by Whitson. When he returned there was a slightly bewildered look on his old face.

"That's funny. . . . Collins—the lad I sent to check up on the taxi companies—says he's located the driver that answered Sprague's call last night. The driver says he was told to wait for Sprague at the foot of the hill, on the main road; says he waited there until half-past 10, then went on back to town, sort of a hotted owl."

"It doesn't look exactly as if Sprague were afraid of anyone outside of this house last night, does it?" Dundee asked. "By the way, I suppose you've sent for everyone who was here?" "Sure!" But again Captain Strawn looked uncomfortable. "But we haven't been able to locate the Beale girl and Clive Hammond."

"No, I am unable to tell which came first—the hen or the egg." —Albert Einstein.

I have not devised a hair's breadth. . . . I still believe in prohibition. —Mabel Walker Willebrandt, former assistant United States attorney general, now counsel for a firm selling grape juice easily converted into wine.

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# GLORIFYING YOURSELF

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Rouge is the first gesture a woman makes to beauty after she has given herself a facial and applied her finishing foundation.

There are three general types of rouge, liquid rouge, powder rouge and cream. The liquid is very hard to apply, scientifically the powder or compact rouge is not nearly so good for most skins as cream. That leaves cream rouge, which is the choice of skilled women who achieve the subtlest effects.

Cream rouge takes some time to work into the skin and blend with it. But it can be made to look very natural, and that is the criterion of good make-up this winter.

The shade of rouge you use is entirely up to you. Some dark women get good results with bright rouge and lipstick. Other fair women, however, achieve an exotic look with dark rouge. It can be obvious, which is not quite in good taste now, or it can be your own blood tone. An ancient and honorable way of matching rouge and lipstick to your coloring is to prick your finger, get a bit of color and match it up.

Most strenuous is the method of exercising until you see what your natural cheek coloring would be if you had it all the time.

The bright raspberry red is the most popular of daytime rouges. Most women can wear it. Older women can tone it down slightly with darker powder. Fair women carry it perfectly. If you are a very fair blonde, try the geranium red tone. If you have an olive complexion, use dark rouge. If you are old, and do not want to seem to use rouge, but still need a little color in your cheeks, try an ash-roses rouge. It may give you a suggestion of a healthy flush without being detectable.

Orange Seldom Used Orange rouges are out. If a girl has a certain flamboyant red in her hair and a certain clear, transparency in her skin, the orange type of rouge may be what she really needs to make her ravishing. But for general wear, they belong to the deeply sun-tanned days of last year.

This winter, some women find that two rouges are better than one, but for evenings only. This is when they rouge and powder at home and, as a last gesture before dancing or dining, they touch up once more with their compacts.

First, choose your right rouge and then apply it correctly if you want to throw the glamor of beauty around yourself this winter.

Hand Care. In these days when hands chap quickly, keep a bottle of hand lotion above the kitchen sink as well as on your bathroom shelf. It should be used every time you dry your hands.

New Silhouettes. There are 10 new designs of spring coats that completely outlast any remaining ideas that clothes are uniform. Suit your own type and you can't go wrong.

# Daily Health Service

Hints On How To Keep Well by World Famed Authority

BY DR. MORRIS FISHBEN Editor, Journal of the American Medical Association, and of Hygiene, the Health Magazine.

As a result of the vote of a large committee of scientific men, the Popular Science Monthly recently awarded \$5,000 each and a medal to Dr. George H. Whipple, dean of the School of Medicine of the University of Rochester, New York, and to Dr. George F. Minot, professor of medicine in Harvard University Medical School, for having made the greatest current achievement in science for the benefit of the public.

On several occasions in the past five years the discoveries of these two men have been referred to in these articles. The principle of the use of liver in the control of pernicious anemia was developed by Dr. Whipple and the application of this principle to the treatment of human beings was the work of Dr. Minot.

Previous to these discoveries, pernicious anemia was considered an invariably fatal disorder. Dr. Minot experimented on animals, principally dogs, whose diets closely resemble those of man, and found that the liver, the kidney and the heart tissues contained chemical substances which stimulated the formation of red blood cells.

Dr. Whipple first began his work 13 years ago when he was professor of research medicine in the University of California. It occurred to Dr. Minot to adapt Dr. Whipple's investigations to the treatment of patients with pernicious anemia. When Dr. Minot began to feed liver to patients with the disease in 1924 and continued through 1925, he began at first with a quarter of a pound a day and increased it later to a half pound per day. Finally, in 1926, he announced that the feeding of liver to patients with pernicious anemia would prolong their lives by keeping the red blood cells constantly up to the required number.

It is, of course, a mistake to speak of the use of liver as a cure for pernicious anemia. Apparently it does not overcome the basic cause in the human body which produces the disease. However, as long as a person affected continues to take liver, either in the form of whole liver or of liver extract, his blood seems to go on building up the red cells and he is enabled to live a useful life. The method of treatment has not been known for a sufficiently long time to indicate to what degree the treatment will affect the longevity of these people in general.

Antique Effect. If you want to give out the antique idea for a candelabra for a rectory table, use plumber's candles. They are heavy and give the ecclesiastical, hand-made effect.

Tea Accessories. Try serving with your five o'clock tea, thin ginger wafers spread with cream cheese. They may be made in sandwich form and are quicker and easier to make than bread and butter sandwiches.

Easy Cleaning. Remember that glass ash trays are easier to keep clean than brass. When the house needs ash trays, pottery or glass may be a good bet. Shellacking the brass ones keeps them from tarnishing so badly.

# YOUR CHILDREN

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None of us behave normally under high pressure. We can go through an upset day quite coolly and calmly, proud of our ability to rise above trying circumstances, but in some way, often quite unnoticed by ourselves, we show signs of the strain. Control does not always mean calmness.

Children have not learned this lesson of control as we have, and quickly show signs of tension. The strain may not be an unhappy one, but no matter what the cause of it, few children can weather many days of chaos without some sort of storm. The way such nerve storms have a breaking depends on the nature of the child. An unhappy child by nature may go into spells of crying or melancholy. For that matter even a happy child, upset by continued deviation of routine, also may cry suddenly or become ill and lose his meals. Another type of child may suddenly fly out at a tangent and have a temper tantrum, and the most to be feared is the child who is mischievous may now go to extremes in his experiments that he would not think of doing under normal circumstances.

Nerves Must React. When children are out of school, with the regular routine of their

days upset, and the emotional strain of the holidays is on, it would be very unusual if they behaved normally for an unlimited period. A mother now may be puzzled by demonstrations of conduct absolutely out of the ordinary. But she must remember that nerves are physical things, not piano strings, and their protest is altogether likely to take a form she is entirely unfamiliar with.

A wise mother will not take too much notice of any temperamental shortcomings among the children during the holidays. She will say to herself, "It is only temporary," and not be too seriously concerned because her children have developed all sorts of odd forms of behavior. But at the same time she might look into conditions a little. In the house itself demoralized? Are the hours the same? The meals on time? Are the nerves and tempers of the older members of the family all they should be? Nothing is more apt to affect children than the emotions and behavior of their elders.

There can be happiness without confusion. And if the children are causing alarm by topey-turvy behavior, a little readjustment higher up might help a lot.



BY D. VICTOR LUMSDEN The schedule followed in the pruning of fruit trees cannot be applied to all ornamental shrubs without at least a temporary loss of their decorative value. The time for pruning flowering shrubs will vary, depending upon the growth habit of the plant and its season of bloom.

Shrubs grown chiefly for their ornamental flowers can be divided into two classes for pruning. The first class blossoms early in the spring on wood that has been formed, and from flower buds that have differentiated during the previous growing season. This class includes the Forsythia, Vanhoutte Spirea, and flowering quince.

When pruning, bear in mind that each shrub has a distinctive shape and habit of growth. Do not trim shrubs so that after pruning they have a uniform and uninteresting rounded top.

Do the work so that when completed the plant has the same general shape as before. This can be accomplished by removing the oldest wood down to the ground and leaving the newer growth untouched.

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Oneida Cases . . . . .	25c	Turkish Towels, double thread, Colored border. 20x40 . . . . .	19c	Scranton Silk Spreads. All colors. Regular \$4.98 . . . . .	\$4.17
\$3.98 Boxed Pequot Sets. Only a few left . . . . .	\$2.98	Fancy Turkish Towels. Slightly soiled. Values to 98c . . . . .	42c	Candlewick Bed Spreads. All colors. Regular \$2.98 . . . . .	\$2.47
CASES Good quality, pair . . . . .	35c	Sheets, colored hem, Pink only, 81x99 . . . . .	87c	Indian Blankets and plaids, singles . . . . .	\$1.47
15c Hope Cotton Bleached. Good quality. Yard . . . . .	12 1/2c	27 in. Flannel, white only. Good quality. Yard . . . . .	10c	Beacon Blankets. Regular \$2.98 . . . . .	\$2.67
Fruit of the Loom and Hill's Cotton, yd. . . . .	17c	18c Percales. White they last, yard . . . . .	10c	Two-tone Laundry Bags. Regular 85c. \$1.49. While they last, each . . . . .	39c

PERCALES . . . . .	19c yd.	\$10.00 All Wool DOUBLE BLANKETS . . . . .	\$7.75
Finest quality. 80 squares.		All colors, 70x80.	
Mercerized Pattern Table Cloths, 35x55, All white . . . . .	97c	Cottage Sets Blue dot only . . . . .	57c
86 inch Flannel, 12 1/2c		All White Voile Cottage Sets . . . . .	97c
All 98c and \$1.98 Woollens to close . . . . .	1/2 price out	Cretannes also reduced.	
30% off on all Table Linens from \$2.50 up		Closetout of Sutrite Hose, irregulars, all small sizes, pair . . . . .	\$1
\$1 Vanity Fair Allen A Bemberg Ladies' Hose 49c		Willimantic Thread, black or white Spool . . . . .	4c
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MASONS' POOL TOURNAY TO RUN INTO FEBRUARY

Here's Complete Report of Standing of Various Players; Dougan Leads Scratch Men.

Games won and lost in the Masonic Social Club pocket billiards tournament as of December 29 were reported today as follows:

Table with columns: Name, Won, Lost. Includes players like Henry Tilden, Houston, Dougan, etc.

The scratch men or those in the 50 class play those in the next group 50 to 40 or a handicap of 10 in 50.

Table with columns: Name, Won, Lost. Includes players like Hyde, Buckland, Austin, etc.

Those in the next group are known as the 35 class and the scratch men play them 50 to 35 or a handicap of 15 in 50.

Table with columns: Name, Won, Lost. Includes players like Bach, Norris, F. Jack, etc.

Those in the 40 class when playing men in the same group play a game of 50 points, as do those men in the 35 class when playing men in the same group.

It is expected that this large handicap tournament will be finished in the month of February.

Scores in the tournament up to and including Dec. 29 are as follows: Dougan 50, Lewis 46; Back 50, Knoffa 42; Norris 50, Ford 40; Dougan 50, Raleigh 30; Raleigh 50, Buckland 34; Austin 50, Back 25; Chambers 50, Austin 28.

Bells was to play Buckland 50 to 40 but Buckland won by a score of 40 to 34. Raleigh was to play Peterson 50 to 40 but Peterson won by a score of 40 to 35.

Buckland was to play Norris 50 to 45 but Norris won by a score of 43 to 36. Chambers was to play Ford 50 to 35 but Ford won by a score of 35 to 24.

WOMAN DRIVER KILLS OLD MAN ON STREET

Westport, Jan. 2.—(AP)—William G. McCune, 70, of Greens Farms was almost instantly killed last night and his wife, who was severely injured when struck by an automobile while crossing the Post Road.

Mrs. Mary Colinge of 835 Steamboat Road, Greenwich, driver of the car was arrested, charged with reckless driving, so as to cause death, and held under \$1,000 bonds.

McCune died from a fracture of the skull and a crushed hip, while in the city ambulance, enroute to the Norwalk hospital. His wife sustained abrasions of head and several body bruises.

The couple had just alighted from their son Rowe's car and were crossing the highway to visit a friend when the accident occurred.

In the car with Mrs. Colinge were her husband and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Colinge. After the machine struck the couple it careened into a stone wall.

DETECTIVE KILLED IN A PARKED AUTO

Tampa, Fla., Jan. 2.—(AP)—A volley of pistol bullets killed John E. Jones, 52 years old city detective last night as he sat in a parked motor car in the outskirts of the city with Mrs. Hattie L. Steward, widow of the former president of the Steward-Mellon Tire Company of Tampa.

Mrs. Steward said her companion was slain by a man "who talked like a woman." The assailant she said, approached the car, said "I've got you where I want you" and began firing through the door of the closed automobile next to which Jones was sitting.

She was detained by Sheriff R. T. Joughin for further questioning. At least four shots took effect and Mrs. Steward said there must have been a half dozen fired. She walked four miles to a telephone and notified police.

OVER-ASSESSMENTS

Washington, Jan. 2.—(AP)—The Bureau of Internal Revenue today reported over assessment of \$2,568,101.99 on income and profit taxes in favor of F. W. Woolworth Company of New York, covering the ten-year period 1917 to 1926 inclusive.

FINANCIERS MEET

Paris, Jan. 2.—(AP)—Representatives of the Bank of France and the Bank of England met here today presumably to discuss methods of preventing continued influx of gold from England into France.

These conversations were said in responsible quarters to be preliminary to a conference scheduled to take place in London some time in the future with a view to organizing closer co-operation between the money markets of London and Paris.

Accumulation of gold in Paris, which some financiers describe as involuntary, and the corresponding drain upon London's gold have been especially heavy in the past few weeks. This matter is reported to be one of the principal subjects to be considered at the London meeting.

CHILD WELFARE SESSION

New Haven, Jan. 2.—(AP)—A public meeting for mothers and fathers, sponsored by the Child Welfare Club of the First Methodist Episcopal church of this city, at which Mrs. Margaret Wells Wood of the American Social Hygiene Association will be the speaker, will be held on the evening of January 16 in the church audience room.

Wood's first visit to this city and her address which is unusual in that she will speak to parents of both sexes on social hygiene, is one on the club's program of the winter.

Members of Child Welfare and kindred bodies in the state have been extended invitations to the meeting through Mrs. Leslie Watson of West Haven who has been meeting with county clubs for discussions in child welfare work.

TWO MEN MURDERED

Victor, N. Y., Jan. 2.—(AP)—The proprietor of the Black Diamond hotel here and a roomer at a nearby boarding house were shot to death early today, following a midnight brawl in the hotel, in which the two men and their alleged assailant took part, police said.

The dead are James Antonio, 53, the proprietor, and Ralph Zucco, 35. Police are seeking Antonio Mussolini, 38, as the alleged murderer.

Mussolini came to this village a few weeks ago with his wife, police said, and were living at Antonio's hotel.

Police are seeking Antonio Mussolini, 38, as the alleged murderer. According to police, Zucco came to the hotel New Year's Eve in an intoxicated condition and became involved in an argument with Mussolini. When the argument became heated, police said Zucco pulled a gun and started shooting. At the same time Mussolini drew a revolver and returned the fire.

LEADS IN WATER POWER

Ottawa, Jan. 2.—(AP)—With a billion dollars invested in electric stations, Canada emerged from 1930 one of the world's leaders in water power development. The Department of Interior estimates a maximum of 43,000,000 horsepower could be generated from Canadian rivers and turbines totaling 6,000,000 horse power have already been installed, most of them in the past decade.

RECORD TELEPHONE EXTENSION IN 1930

About Twelve Millions Expended During Year in Extensions To Plant and Equipment.

The most extensive program of construction work in the history of the Southern New England Telephone company in one year was carried out during 1930. During the past 12 months approximately \$12,000,000 was spent for gross additions to plant and equipment, with some of this extension and betterment taking place in practically every section of the state.

About 56,000 telephones were converted to dial operation during the year, in New Haven and Bridgeport, the latter city now being practically 100 per cent dial operated. These changes brought the total number of dial telephones in the state to about 132,000.

Among some of the larger projects included in the telephone company's construction operations for the past year were the completion of its new building in Bridgeport together with a major addition to the existing building in New Milford, and the commencement of work on new buildings at Hartford and Waterbury and Torrington. The Hartford building is to be a six-story structure facing Bushnell Park and that in Waterbury will be a three story brick and marble building at Grand and State streets, in what is a high grade civic center.

In Torrington, as in Waterbury, dial equipment will be installed. The Waterbury and Torrington contracts will be closed some time during the summer when dial service will be operative in these exchanges.

Sizable additions were made to the switchboards at Stratford, Danbury, Norwalk, New Britain and Norwich, increasing facilities in these cities to meet the public's requirements.

About 730,000,000 feet of wire in cable was added to the exchange service facilities during the year while about 35 miles of full size toll cable were placed. Among the larger toll cable jobs were those from Meriden to Middletown, New Haven to Derby, Darien to New Canaan, and Thomaston to Torrington. Additional cables were also placed in the subway from Stamford to New Haven and from New Haven to Hartford, these being jointly owned by the Southern New England and the American Telephone and Telegraph company.

The large expenditure on additions to its plant give definite evidence of the faith which the management of the telephone company has in the future of Connecticut business, a faith unshaken by present business conditions.

With the improvements of the past year, the plant of the Southern New England is in excellent physical condition and the facilities available to the public are more complete, it is believed than at any time in the history of the business. Yet the point is made by telephone officials that there will be need for added facilities and the coming year will see no abatement in the company's established policy of planning well in advance to meet the public's need for telephone service.

BOY SCOUT NEWS

Troop 6 The meeting opened at 7:35 with Flag Salute. The patrols were dismissed to their dens. All first-class scouts met in the Scout Room for the purpose of organizing a Sea Scout Patrol. A Patrol contest will begin next week and last until the end of February when the winner will have a trip to Bear Mt. Ridge in New York state. The meeting closed with repeating of Scout Law and Taps.

Notes

The Crescents won their third game from the Sachalora last Tuesday, by a score of 25-12. Saturday at 2 o'clock, at the Old Golf links the troop will have a test passing period. Everyone come whether you have tests to pass or not. Scribe Arton Judd.

ECONOMY MEAT VALUES AT OUR MARKETS. SMOKED HAMS lb. 29c. Lamb Legs lb 27c. Lamb Forequarters lb 15c. Pork Loins lb 22c. Fresh Shoulders lb 16c. Face Rump lb 38c. Chuck Rib Roll lb 35c. Cross Rib Roast lb 32c.

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# FOOD & MARKET PAGE

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## ROCKVILLE

### Officials Take Oath

On Monday evening next, the oath of office will be administered to two aldermen and four councilmen of this city. The Mayor's inauguration will not be given as he had some other officials hold over until next year.

### Police Court

Three men were found guilty in the Rockville Police Court Thursday morning because of disturbances during the night New Year's Eve. Clayton Crandall, 30, was charged with intoxication. He pleaded guilty and was fined \$5 and costs of \$11.38. Raymond Smith of Tolland, 21, was charged with assault, pleaded guilty and was fined \$7 and costs of \$10.18.

Peter Wiczykowski, 23, of this city, was fined \$5 for intoxication; \$3 for assault and costs of \$10.08. Judge John E. Fisk was on the bench. Two other young men who were in court were discharged.

### Talk on India

Rev. M. E. Osborne of the Rockville M. E. church will be in charge of the program to be given on the subject "India" at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon, in connection with the Fiday work of the American Legion Auxiliary. The District meeting will precede the presentation and will be held at 3 o'clock. During the past seven months on the first Sunday of each month, one of these programs has been presented. "India" in Rockville is the final in the series. There is to be a prize for the winning unit, which will undoubtedly be awarded in Moosup in February, for the best program, that is in the way of instruction, interest, menu, costume, music and dancing.

### Thank Offering

The Thank Offering meeting of the Council of Congregational Women will be held in the chapel on Thursday, January 8 at 7:30. All men and women of the church are cordially invited to attend. Will the women having thank offering boxes please bring them as they will be opened during that meeting. Those who find it impossible to come are requested to notify the member from whom the box was received, and it will be called for.

Mrs. Charles H. Daniels of Tolland whose ability as a speaker is known to all will give the address, and the girls' choir will furnish the music.

### U. S. W. V. Election

John E. Gawtreay was elected Commander of the James W. Milns Camp, U. S. W. V., recently, and arrangements are about complete for the installation to be held jointly with the Ellen G. Berry Auxiliary on Tuesday evening, January 13. Mrs. Emma Hemman is the newly appointed president of the auxiliary. State Commander White of Waterbury will have charge of the installation ceremonies. The Camp and auxiliary have been making a name for themselves recently with the many activities in which they have taken active part.

### Announce Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. George MacCannon of 220 East Main street wish to announce the wedding of their daughter, Elizabeth Davis MacCannon to Russell Bernard Scoville, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Scoville of Burnside. The wedding was performed on Saturday, December 27, at the Baptist church, Lewiston, Pa., by the Rev. Phillips. Mr. and Mrs. Scoville will reside in Lewiston.

At St. John's church on Sunday at 8 a. m., there will be Holy Communion and sermon by the rector. His subject will be "A New Year's Prosperity." 6:30 o'clock Evening Prayer.

er and sermon. The monthly meeting of the Ladies Aid will be held next Wednesday afternoon at 8 o'clock in the rectory. The Guild room is in process of receiving a thorough overhauling and redecorating. In the meantime we realize in how many ways that room is used. We shall be glad when the work is done.

### Moose Whists

The Loyal Order of Moose will hold the first of a series of whist parties at the Rockville Home Club on Wednesday evening, January 7. These whists have been most popular in the past, and it is expected that there will be a large crowd on hand for this first whist of the series on Wednesday.

### Trinity Lutheran Church Service

Sunday school at 9 a. m. English service at 10 a. m. German service at 11 a. m. Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock there will be a business meeting of the voting members. The election of three members for the council will take place in this meeting, also other important business will be transacted.

### Late Trolley Service

In accordance with the usual custom, arrangements have been made for late trolley service on the night of January 6 when the Policemen's dance is to be held. It will be possible for Manchester and Hartford people to get to their homes after the dance is over.

### Notes

A delightful dinner party was held on Monday evening at the Rockville House when a number of young matrons of this city enjoyed a turkey supper. Following the dinner party, the guests played bridge at the home of Mrs. Raymond Hunt. Prizes were awarded and a very pleasant evening spent.

City Sheriff Arthur T. Dickinson is able to be out again after being confined to his home for some time by illness.

Ralph Martin of Hamilton College is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Martin of Davis avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Knight of Vernon Court spent a few days in New York City this week, stopping at the "New Yorker."

The Friendly Class of Union church will hold its January meeting and social Wednesday, January 7 in the church chapel as the church social rooms will be occupied that evening by the Men's Union banquet.

A hearing will be held at the Probate Court Monday at 10 a. m. to act on the application of Annie McDonnell of Rockville asking that an instrument in writing purporting to be the last will of Mrs. Bridget Ludwig of Rockville, who died a week ago be admitted to probate.

## FLOODS IN PORTUGAL

Leria, Portugal, Jan. 2.—(AP)—Peasants in the valley of the river Lys struggled along the roads in carts loaded with their household goods today, refugees from a flood which turned the Lys into a torrent, uprooting trees, sweeping away cottages from their foundations and inundating several quarters of this town.

The lower sections suffered considerable property damage, and the trades people were especially hard hit by waters which flooded their shops.

## BANKER DIES

Salem, Mass., Jan. 2.—(AP)—Henry Morrill Batchelder, 79, president of the Merchants National bank of Salem, died at the Salem hospital early today. He underwent an operation eight days ago. He was born in Salem February 11, 1852, was educated in the public schools, and entered the employ of the Merchants National bank shortly after his graduation from the Salem high school in 1870. Mr. Batchelder worked his way up the ladder from a clerkship and on October 15, 1901 was appointed president of the bank.

## WAPPING

Word has been received from Mr. and Mrs. Henry E. Hale that they expected to start from Kelsey City, Florida, where they have been with their son, Warren Hale, for a few weeks, on the day after Christmas. They expected to stop for a visit with Frank Gould at Hampton, and then go on to the West. Mr. Hale reports that he has paid a visit to Miami and has been fishing with good success.

Robert E. Burnham was the unanimous choice of the Democratic town convention, Friday evening as the party's candidate for the office of representative in the State Legislature to fill the vacancy created by the death of his father, A. Clinton Burnham. Richard D. O'Connell was chairman of the convention and he paid a tribute to the late Mr. Burnham, alluding to his loyalty to the party in the past and his good work during the last campaign in behalf of the entire Democratic ticket.

Henry Mayer of Deming street, has been ill at his home since Christmas Day, with the old fashioned grip, and is under the care of Dr. Boyd of Manchester.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Wells of East Windsor, entertained a family party at their home on Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Tromley, entertained relatives from Hartford on Christmas Day.

Mrs. Josephine P. Wetherell had as her guests on New Year's Eve, Mr. and Mrs. James M. Preston, Mrs. Louise M. Dart, and Mrs. Marion L. Lane, Mrs. George Slater and Miss Grace Dart all of Manchester.

The schools of South Windsor closed for the Christmas holidays Tuesday, Dec. 23. Each school had its own Christmas tree and program. The children gathered around the tree, where carols were sung and the gifts distributed. The schools will reopen for the winter term Monday, Jan. 5th, 1931.

Children perfect in attendance for the term are: Union school, Grade 8—Joseph Bajorinas, Bernard McLaughlin, Everett Cough, Grade 4—Nicholson, John Nicholson, Charlotte Clapp, Mary Healey, Julia Janson, Margaret McNamara, Pearl Moore, Julia Zelik, teacher, Arthur F. Squires. Grade 7—Anthony Dworki, Timothy Riordan, Helen Pryzula, Sophie Slaty, Sophie Slaty, teacher, John W. Reardon, Grade 6—Robert Cadder, Albert Karkowski, Paul Karkowski, Joseph Kiniry, William Sheridan, John Zagorski, Pearl Bragg, Anna Labutis, Joseph Leserky, Helen Sheridan, teacher Miss Mildred Barry, Grade 5—Frank Burnham, Joseph Janson, George Stevens, Malcolm Taber, Albert Washburn, Wanda Zelek, Veronica Sheridan, Veronica Muzikiewicz, Hazel Deming, Anna Cadder, Mary Labutis, Barney Scott, teacher, Mrs. Josephine Cough, Grade 4—Herbert Clapp, Donald Fieri, Edgard Gibbons, Harry Goff, Jack Jorgensen, Dorothy Ludlum, Chas. Muzikiewicz, Joe Pryzula, Stanley Pryzula, Andrew Setsyk, Raymond Stevens, Stanley Wilkac, David Washburn, teacher Mrs. Beatrice Manchester, Grade 3—Irma Della, Leon Fieri, Clarence Nicholson, Christine Labutis, Teddy Risley, Helen Karkowski, Patricia Vibert, Helen Yordegai, Major Johnson, teacher, Miss Grace Cavanaugh, Grade 2—Dexter Burnham, John McNamara, Victor Piligien, Kenneth Washburn, Katy Cadder, Frances Kruparica, Lydia Muzikiewicz, Anna Sheridan, Dorothy Zelek, teacher, Mrs. Arline Bidwell, Grade 1—Francis Barber, Raymond Luchins, Peter Motta, Mike Zorik, Stanley Knapska, Olga Dellabernada, Frances Delvick, Annie Gibbons, Elizabeth Zelik, teacher, Miss Charlotte Lucas.

Rye street school, Grade 1 to 4—Joseph Belazaris, Frank Petraitis, Ruth Twell, Mary Spilka, Joseph Petraitis, Francis Strong, Marcus Vasaris, Lois Hendricks, Irma Spring, teacher, Miss Helen Hanley, Grades 5 to 8—Mary Grust, Mary

Vasaris, Catherine Vasaris, Antonette Zagorski, Edith Spring, Paul Belsky, Elva Killam, Creamus Grust, Anthony Spilka, teacher, Miss Mary T. Connery.

Pleasant Valley school—William Watrous, Harold Crusius, Elaine Grant, Barbara Nevers, Helen Crusius, Esther Crusius, Anne Jilison, Thomas Kozis, Walter Parks, teacher, Miss Gertrude Frytag.

Wapping school, Grade 1—Emily Czackowski, Arthur Miller, Bruno Mikalonski, Clement Mikalonski, Francis Marzen, Sophia Merzekivik, Alberta Karvelis, John Gonsensky, teacher, Miss Alice Shatuck, Grade 2 and 3—James Carney, Frank Deen, Eugene Mikalonski, Nathan Miller, Walter Hair, Blanche Belcher, Helen Kinder, Grace Sullivan, Fay Birchard, Reynold Burger, Walter Bysszynski, Merlin Peterson, teacher, Miss Lydia Jones, Grades 3 and 4—Olive Buckland, Francis Jones, Raymond Navakowski, William Kavels, Harold Sheldick, James Wilson, Regina Blozic, Stella Bysszynski, Dorothy Graham, Mary Lawrence, Mary Murch, Anna Sokel, Eleanor Stead, teacher, Miss Anna Hasler, Grade 5—Edith Murch, Mollie Pudimat, Theodore Grant, Edward Kindsor, Richard Pudimat, William Zadanic, Nelson Johnson, teacher, Mrs. Ethel Bodoy, Grade 6—Mabel Dewey, Nellie Krawsky, Eleanor Thresher, Peter Delnick, Anthony Dzen, Anthony Marowski, Casper Matuchiat, Robert Murch, John Navakowski, teacher, Miss Blanche Finesilver, Grade 7—Edward Blozic, Merlin Cunningham, Walter G. Foster, Jack Heritage, John Sakowski, Josephine Lawrence, Rose Sliabot, Eunice Skinner, Anna Zdamis, teacher, Mrs. Ruth Anderson, Grade 8—Julia Anderson, Marion Baltounis, Helen Kavels, Martha McGehan, Elizabeth Peterson, Wells Dewey, Edwin Grant, Paul Kupchumski, James Mikalonski, Stanley Muzikievick, teacher, Mrs. E. Mae Holden.

A most interesting display has been on exhibition at Wapping school as an English project. The children of Grade 8 have written letters to the children of Los Angeles, California, explaining about Wapping, its schools and industries.

These letters were answered in a most pleasing manner accompanied with a return exhibit. This exhibit consists of figs and a branch from a fig tree, mesquite beans and branch, acacia pits, cotton, grape fruit, oranges, tangerines, berries from the umbrella tree, sugar cane, wild dates, prunes, palm leaves, Indian beads that were found in one of the children's door yard and many other things of interest to the school.

A luncheon was given by the Wapping teachers in honor of Miss Lydia Jones, who is to marry Kenneth Norton of Farmington, Jan. 3, 1931. Mrs. Mae Holden poured as the teachers read quotations from her latest poem, which was greatly enjoyed by all. A silk bed puff and pillow was presented from the faculty by the superintendent, Mrs. MacLaughlin, who made a few remarks suitable to the occasion.

Attempts will be made soon with a robot diving apparatus to recover treasure estimated at \$50,000,000 which has lain at the bottom of Navarino bay, Messenia, Greece, for more than 100 years.

## Hollywood Market

381 East Center St., Corner Parker St. Dial 4233

### Bond Bread Free

With every \$2.00 worth or more purchased at our store Saturday. We have just remodeled our market and would like you to make us a visit and look over our stock and store and to make it worth while we will offer the following goods listed below at greatly reduced price.

### Native Fresh Pork Roasts and Shoulders

Native Fowl 25c Lb.	Frankfurts Sausage Veal Loaf 25c Lb.	Lean Tender Pot Roasts 25c Lb.	Well Trimmed Pork Easts 20c Lb.
Cranberries 2 lbs. for 25c	Loin Rib or Shoulder Pork Chops 25c Lb.	Fresh Shoulders 15c Lb.	Rump Corned Beef 28c Lb.
Sausage Meat 25c Lb.	Ginger Snaps 2 lbs. for 25c	Pure Lard 12c Lb.	Native Fresh Shoulder 20c Lb.



A&P greets the new year with a pledge of VALUE and SERVICE!

Backed by the service of a nation-wide buying organization that assures the utmost in value—the A & P Stores of New England in 1931 promise you even more for your food dollars than ever before— together with efficient and courteous service wherever you see the A & P red circle

**FINE GRANULATED SUGAR 10 lbs. 49c**  
**SILVERBROOK BUTTER 2 lbs. 65c**  
**SILVERBROOK BACON lb. 31c**

- Pea Beans 4 LBS 25c
- Fat Salt Pork LB 19c
- Sweet Prunes 2 1/2 LBS 29c
- Catsup QUAKER MAID 4 OZ. 15c
- Sultana Molasses GAL 1.25
- Sultana Molasses 1/2 GAL 65c
- B & M Beans 3 CANS 50c
- Guest Ivory Soap 5 BARS 19c
- Flour VIRGINIA SWEET BUCKWHEAT 2 PKGS 25c
- Flour VIRGINIA SWEET PANCAKE 2 PKGS 19c
- Syrup VIRGINIA SWEET 8 OZ 21c

### FRUITS and VEGETABLES

- Texas Spinach, 3 lbs. .... 29c
- Florida Grapefruit, good size, 4 for ..... 25c
- New Bunch Carrots, 3 bunches ..... 19c
- Emporer Grapes, 2 lbs. .... 25c
- Iceberg Lettuce, medium head, 2 for ..... 19c
- large, 2 heads ..... 33c

### BREK RABBIT MOLASSES

- Gold Label No. 1 1/2 can 17c
- Green Label No. 1 1/2 can 14c
- Green Label No. 2 1/2 can 14c

### ITALIAN DINNER

- Chef Boiards can 33c
- DROMEDARY COCOANUT Shredded 4 oz pkg 12c
- SCOTT'S TOILET PAPER roll 14c
- WALDORF TOILET PAPER 4 rolls 35c
- BEECHNUT SPAGHETTI Prepared 2 cans 25c
- BEECHNUT GUM 3 pgs 14c
- BEECHNUT FRY DROPS 2 pgs 14c
- N.S.C. WAFERS Chocolate, Sugar and Ginger tin 25c

### MEAT SPECIALS

- TOP ROUND STEAK, lb. .... 39c
- SHORT OR SIRLOIN STEAK, lb. .... 43c
- UNDERCUT ROASTS (boneless—a very low price) lb. .... 35c
- FRESH RIB END ROAST PORK, lb. .... 21c
- FRESH PORK SHOULDERS (lean, well-trimmed short shank) lb. .... 16c
- RIB END PORK CHOPS, lb. .... 23c
- GENUINE SPRING LAMB LEGS (any weight) lb. .... 27c
- FOREQUARTER LAMB CHOPS, lb. .... 29c
- RIB LAMB CHOPS, lb. .... 31c
- LAMB FOREQUARTERS (boned and rolled if desired) lb. .... 15c
- LARGE, FRESH, PLUMP YOUNG FOWL, lb. .... 33c (4 lb. average)
- SMALL, MEATY YOUNG FOWL, lb. .... 27c (3 lb. average)

The food you buy at A&P stores has stood the test of wide popular approval. It has been tried and found good by millions of customers. Every day millions of them come back for more.

## The People's Market

356 MAIN STREET, CORNER PARK STREET SOUTH MANCHESTER, CONN.

### SATURDAY SPECIALS!

**BUTTER! BUTTER!**  
Fresh Churned Country Roll.

**34c lb.**

The Best of Them All. The Best of Them All.

**COFFEE! COFFEE!**  
Our Own Brand Elite.

**33c lb.**

As Good As All Others' "Best."

Fancy Fresh Texas SPINACH 11c per peck

Baldwin Apples 39c 16-quart basket Hand Picked, Fancy Apples!

Iceberg Lettuce 5c per head Fresh and Crisp!

**ORANGES! ORANGES!**  
Florida's Finest Fruit.

**49c per peck**  
Every peck has over 28 oranges. Regular 35c a dozen size.

Large Juicy GRAPE FRUIT 5c each

All our stock will be fresh for Saturday. Don't forget that we are here to stay and we want all our followers to remember that as long as they SUPPORT US—WE WILL HELP SUPPORT THEM. Come down and see a real display of FRUITS AND VEGETABLES. Save Money! Follow the Crowds!

## The People's Market

356 MAIN STREET L. L. FOSTER, Manager. SOUTH MANCHESTER

## A & P FOOD STORES

OF NEW ENGLAND

## Advance Guards

Thrusts and Counters Interest to Local Soldiers

The Howitzer Co. held their regular monthly inspection on Tuesday night. The men wore melon uniforms, white shirts and black ties. Captain Hathaway conducted the inspection assisted by Lieutenants Anderson and Murphy.

The annual meeting of the Howitzer Association will be held on the next drill night of the Company. At this time, the committee on the revision of the Constitution and by-laws present the new Constitution to be voted on by the Company.

The rifle team is putting in a lot of practice as they believe in being prepared for the Regimental Shoot this year.

Promotions are expected shortly for the following men: Paul Moriarty, 1st cook, to be Mess-Sgt. in place of David McCann whose enlistment expired. Theodore Robbins to 1st. Cook Collins, Lityvincheyk, Smith, Thomson, Trueman and Zaleski to 1st class privates.

Pvt. Euston Kuchenski, former company fireman, has been transferred to active duty from the reserves. Pvt. Fiedler, better known as Major Fiedler, has been transferred to the sixth squad. Corporal

Phaneuf believes that Fiedler was not transferred but (promoted)?

The Howitzer basketball team added another scalp to their collection by defeating the West Majors team by the score of 21-17 this week.

Corporal Francis Bober was given a tremendous ovation of boos and hisses by the cheering section when he went in to play for the Majors against his own teammates.

The non-commissioned officers of the company are taking up a collection to buy an alarm clock for Sgt. Edward Doran so that he will be able to attend schools on Sunday mornings.

### DIES ON WAY TO HOSPITAL

Bridgeport, Jan. 2.—(AP)—While Mrs. Mary Taraves of 144 Lexington avenue was running from her home to the Emergency hospital four blocks away, with seven months old baby in her arms last night, death overtook the babe.

The mother said she was playing in her home with the child, a twin, when suddenly the infant went into convulsions. Enroute to the hospital she said the child groaned most of the way but became silent when she neared the institution.

### \$125,000 BLAZE

Monessen, Pa., Jan. 2.—(AP)—Fire which followed a terrific explosion in the business district early today caused damage estimated by Fire Chief William Laird at \$125,000. An entire block was destroyed. The explosion, believed to have been caused by gas, hurled a score of persons from their beds and shattered windows many blocks away.





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## DETAILS OF FIGHT WITH REBELS TOLD

### Marines Were Repairing Telephone Line in Nicaragua When Fired Upon.

Mangua, Jan. 2.—(AP)—United States Marine detachments combed the hills and jungles near Achupaca, northern Nicaragua today seeking the band of insurgents who Wednesday morning annihilated a patrol of ten Marines in an ambush between Ocotai and Apalil.

Eight of the patrol of ten men who were repairing a newly erected telephone line were killed by the Nicaraguans who were believed to be commanded by Miguel Ortiz, a lieutenant of General Agustin Sandoz. The two remaining members of the patrol were seriously injured.

An account of the ambush given by Marine headquarters here today said at 1:30 a. m. Wednesday morning the patrol was suddenly fired on from all sides. One Marine working at the top of a pole was killed in the first volley, his body falling to the ground.

Two Hour Battle.

The others immediately began a vigorous defense which lasted two and a half hours. Sergeant Arthur M. Falrang of Port Lions, Colo., commanding the patrol, ordered Private Mack Hutcherson to attempt to reach Ocotai and bring help, but in trying to get through the ring of attackers he was wounded.

The insurgent fire was infrequent but very accurate, and the Marines were gradually picked off. Private Austin Jackson of Lawrenceville, Ga., was the last man left standing; he too was wounded and crawled into a nearby cornfield and hid from the Nicaraguans. The bodies of the eight dead were found later and were badly mutilated apparently by machetes.

Farmer Gives Alarm.

A Nicaraguan farmer living nearby heard the firing and rode to Ocotai and gave the alarm at about noon. Joseph J. Taverner with 25 men rushed to the scene of the ambush where he found the killed and the wounded who were moved to Ocotai and from there, by airplane Thursday to Mangua. Privates Jackson and Hutcherson, the only two survivors of the unfortunate patrol, were seriously wounded, but it was believed they might recover.

Retaliatory measures were immediately put into effect. The Marine aviation squadron was unusually active all New Year's Day, bombing patrols making extended but unsuccessful efforts to locate the insurgents who were believed to have fled across the frontier into Honduras.

Another detachment of fifty Marines were dispatched from Ocotai Wednesday afternoon and is now engaged in a search of the area around Achupaca for the insurgents.

General Augustino Sandoz was reported in a Mexico City dispatch of Nov. 13 to have recovered from wounds received in a battle with Marines or Nicaraguan constabulary a few weeks before and to have resumed charge of his followers in northern Nicaragua. The same dispatch said the two sons of Pedro Altamirano, his principal aide, had been killed in an encounter with Marines.

Sandoz is a former Nicaraguan Liberal. His activities as an insurgent began in the middle of 1927 with the elevation of Adolfo Diaz, Conservative, to the presidency. After the armistice which officially ended the fighting between government and discontented Liberal forces he and his followers remained under arms and offered considerable opposition to United States Marines who had been placed in the country to supervise a general election.

Returns to Nicaragua.

Early in 1929 Sandoz went into Mexico, living at Merida, Yucatan, for several months, finally returning to Nicaragua to resume his warfare against the Marines. He was said to have received leg wounds in a battle last summer in northern Nicaragua.

In a pronouncement in 1927 Frank B. Kellogg, then secretary of state, called him an "outlaw." His military operations sometimes have had a strong guerrilla flavor although his "anti-imperialistic" pronouncements aimed at the Washington government won him considerable sympathy in sections of Latin America.

## SHOWS FIRST PHOTO OF LATEST PLANET

New Haven, Jan. 2.—(AP)—A photograph taken in 1915 showing the location of the planet Pluto, which was not definitely recognized until 1930, was displayed today before the 45th meeting of the American Astronomical Society.

Three papers dealing with the discovery and movements of the new planet were on the morning program. The 1915 photograph taken at the Lowell Observatory where the later work that definitely established the presence of the body of the solar system was carried on, was one of the earliest of many early photos which showed, on study subsequent to the discovery last January, the presence of the new body.

The presentation this morning was the first time this picture had been shown before a scientific body and was made in connection with the reading of a paper prepared by J. O. Loewland of the Lowell Ob-

## TOLLAND

John H. Steele, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hall, motored to Palmer New Year's Day and visited Mr. Steele's mother who is 95 years old.

News has been received of the sudden death of Mrs. Minnie Norman in Jersey City, N. J. Mrs. Norman passed away New Year's morning at 3 o'clock. She was well known here and will be missed by her many friends where she has spent many months each year with relatives.

Mrs. Hattie Pease, a noted violinist, left New Year's Day for Hartford where she will spend a few days.

The all-day sewing meeting of the Union Missionary Society will meet next Friday in the Federated church parlors. The sewing will consist in part of looking after the needs of two families who were sewing for them much needed.

The Savings Bank of Tolland, Tolland, Connecticut, has declared the regular dividend of 1 1/4 per cent, payable to depositors on and after January 1, 1931. Yearly rate, 5 per cent.

There will be a business meeting of the Tolland Library Association next Monday afternoon at 8 o'clock in the library rooms. Important business is to come before the meeting and a good attendance is desired.

The regular meeting of Tolland Grange will be held next Tuesday evening in the Federated church parlors, when a class of candidates will be initiated in the third and fourth degrees.

The town schools will reopen Monday, January 5 after the holiday recess.

Miss Helen Sparrow and Donald Hicks of North Woodstock, Conn., were guests over the New Year's holiday of Miss Sparrow's aunt, Mrs. Fred Nutland and family of Tolland avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wochomurka with their son Edward, Jr., and daughter, Olive, were Sunday guests of Mr. Wochomurka's sister, Mrs. Oliver Pavey and family of New London.

Mrs. Anna Wochomurka of Willington was a recent guest of her son, Edward Wochomurka.

Miss Hope West of Snipscis district is visiting friends in Hartford.

Mrs. Virginia Fullwider and Mrs. Zoe Beckley have closed their summer home "Cubby House," and returned to New York City.

Fred Luce of New Jersey and Manchester called on acquaintances Tuesday.

Miss Miriam Underwood is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Underwood of Swampscott, Mass.

William D. Pardee of New Haven, educational secretary of the Connecticut Conference of the Anti-Saloon League, will be the speaker at the Federated church next Sunday morning.

## NEW MEDICAL EXAMINER

Norwalk, Jan. 2.—(AP)—Dr. William H. McMahon today succeeded Dr. William W. Tracey as medical examiner for Norwalk. Dr. Tracey resigned the position after serving for seven years.

Coroner John J. Phelan officiated as Dr. McMahon was sworn in office in Bridgeport this forenoon.

The new medical examiner is a graduate of Fordham University and has practiced in Norwalk for nine years. He is a native of the city.

## CHARGES POLITICS BEHIND ARRESTS

### Attorney Says Republicans in Wolcott Were in Conspiracy Against Dems.

Waterbury, Jan. 2.—(AP)—Arrest of Grand Juror Oscar Todd and Constables Julius Cowies and John Fulham by Deputy Sheriff Henry L. Norton, chairman of the Wolcott Republican Town Committee and two Republican constables, Edward Pracy and John Klitka, was part of a conspiracy to discredit the accused who are Democrats, defense counsel charged at their trials in Wolcott Town Court this morning.

Todd and Fulham are charged with accepting \$15 from Anthony Marino as alleged hush money. Cowies is charged with breach of the peace and intoxication. The defense is that the money was a contribution for the Democratic town committee of Wolcott. Defense counsel also contends Sheriff Norton had no authority to take Todd's black-jack and to confiscate badges of Todd and Fulham.

Charges Not Juggled.

Special Prosecutor Finton J. Phelan today vehemently denied that officers juggled the charges. "For the sake of the record I wish to publicly declare that the charges were not tossed around by the officers because they were made up on my advice" he said.

Attorney McGrath drew from Sheriff Norton the admission that he was chairman of the Republican town committee of Wolcott but his question as to whether Constables Pracy and Klitka, who assisted in the arrests were members of the Republican town committee was stricken out by the court, upon Mr. Phelan's objection.

It is essential the question should be answered," insisted Attorney McGrath, "because our defense will be that the arrest of the accused who are Democratic officials was the outcome of a conspiracy to discredit them. I also will show that after they were arrested the officers gave them the privilege of resigning and they were promised that the cases would not be pressed if they did resign."

PHONE CO. REPORT

New Haven, Jan. 2.—(AP)—The Southern New England Telephone Company spent about \$12,000,000 for additions to plants and equipment in the state during 1930, it was announced today in a report issued by the company. During the year 58,000 telephones were converted to the dial operation in New Haven and Bridgeport, the report showed, making a total of 132,000 dial phones now in operation in the state.

Dial phone systems are now being installed in Torrington and Waterbury, it was stated and these will be in operation early next summer.

WATER DIVERSION CASE

Hartford, Jan. 2.—(AP)—Deputy Attorney General Ernest L. Averill left this afternoon for Washington, D. C., where on Monday the arguments will be made in the United States Supreme Court in the water diversion case of the state of Connecticut against the commonwealth of Massachusetts.

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The J.W. Hale Company  
SOUTH MANCHESTER, CONN.

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Two Things We Will Not Do:  
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HALE'S FAMOUS MILK BREAD loaf 5c

Regular size and quality, 20-ounce loaf. This bread is not made especially to retail at this low price. It is really a quality loaf containing only the best and purest ingredients including Occident flour and Crisco. As good as the best, better than most! Hot bread at noon Saturday.

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COFFEE RINGS 3 for 10c

Individual coffee rings. Four varieties. Very good. Try some tomorrow!

FAMOUS JACK FROST  
SUGAR 25 pound bag \$1.22

Packed in sanitary cloth bags.

FLOUR Pillsbury's Best bag 81c

24 1/2-pound bag.

NEW PACK PARADISE  
FRUIT Peaches--Apricots 3 for 19c

Packed in convenient 8-ounce cans.

HALE'S "TESTED" STRICKLY FRESH  
NATIVE EGGS 2 dozen 69c

Every egg selected, large size and carefully candled as an extra protection to you. These eggs are only a few hours old and are produced on nearby poultry farms.

PURE CREAM BUTTER 33c lb.

Made from pure cream. Hundreds of pounds sold weekly. Our rapid turnover keeps our butter always fresh. Every pound guaranteed to satisfy you.

NEW PACK  
Crab Meat 2 cans 49c  
Floating cannery pack from the cool, clean waters of the Northern Pacific Ocean.

PURE Lard 1 pound 12 1/2c  
Packed in sanitary cartons.

SANTA CLARA Prunes 2 lbs. 19c  
New crop. Sweet, large size.

VAN CAMP'S Pumpkin 1 can 12c  
Large No. 2 1/2 cans. New pack.

HALF-HILL'S Tuna Fish 2 cans 29c  
Light meat.

"KING OF FRUIT" FANCY  
Pineapple 2 No. 2 1/2 cans 49c  
Sliced. Contains 8 perfect, uniform slices packed in heavy syrup.

FAVORITE GENUINE  
Dill Pickles 1 quart 25c

FINE Toilet Tissue 5 rolls 25c  
1,000 sheets.

LUX Toilet Soap 4 bars 28c

DOG AND OAT FOOD  
Calo 3 cans 29c  
Buy it by the dozen or case. Contains meat or fish, vegetables and oil.

SUGAR CURED, NO BONES—NO WASTE  
BONED and ROLLED HAM lb. 32c

NEW 1930 CROP NUTS

NEPLUS PAPER SHELL Almonds 19c lb.	OUR OWN FANCY Mixed Nuts 1 lb. 22c 2 lbs. 43c	DIAMOND California Budded Walnuts 29c lb.
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GROTE AND WEIGEL'S  
PURE PORK SAUSAGES lb. 23c

These sausages are made under the supervision of Sam Thornton, former manager of the Self-Serve Grocery. They contain only the purest and best ingredients and are made under most sanitary conditions.

## Hale's Health Market Specials

TENDER FOREQUARTER Lamb lb 14c

TENDER SHOULDER Pork Roast lb 14c

FRESH, TENDER Pot Roast lb 22c

FRESH MILK FED Fowl lb 32c

TENDER, LEAN RIB Beef Stew lb 12c

LEAN, TENDER Pork Roast lb 20c

FRESH ROASTING Chicken lb 34c

BONELESS RIB Roast Beef lb 38c

FRESH, TENDER Veal Chops lb 32c

## Service - Quality - Low Prices

Saturday Specials

Home Dressed Fowl, 4 to 4 1-2 lbs. each	35c lb.
Small Legs Spring Lamb	32c lb.
Boneless Roast Veal	33c lb.
Home Dressed Fresh Shoulders	19c lb.
Small Chickens to roast	35c lb.
Small Boneless Roast of Lamb, 3 to 4 lbs. each	25c lb.
Fresh Pork to Roast, rib ends	21c lb.
Prime Rib Roast Beef and Tender Pot Roast	21c lb.
Try our Home Made Sausage Meat from native pork	25c lb.
Fresh Ground Hamburg Steak	25c lb.
Fresh Spare Ribs	18c lb.
Fresh Pigs' Feet	12c lb.

Bakery Specials

Light or Dark Fruit Cake	25c lb.
Fudge Cakes	25c each
Squash or Pumpkin Pies	15c-35c each
Prune Pies	25c each
Try our Home Made Milk Bread	10c loaf
Ginger Squares	18c dozen
Fudge Marshmallow Layer Cakes	30c each
Coffee Rings	20c-25c each
Stuffed and Baked Chickens	\$1.50 and \$2.00
Home Made Baked Beans	25c qt.

Campbell's Tomato Soup, 4 cans for 29c  
Royal Scarlet Peaches, 2 1-2 size, 25c can, 2 for 45c

Fancy Sweet Oranges for juice 29c dozen

Manchester Public Market  
DIAL 5111



# ALL THE NEWS IN THE TOWN

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All orders for irregular insertions will be charged at the one time rate. Special rates for long term every day advertising given upon request.

Ads ordered for three or six days and stopped before the third or fifth day will be charged only for the actual number of lines the ad appeared, charging at the rate earned, but no allowance or refunds can be made on six time advertising after the fifth day.

No "fill forbids"; display lines not sold. The Herald will not be responsible for more than one insertion of any advertisement ordered for more than one time.

The inadvertent omission of incorrect publication of advertising will be rectified only by cancellation of the charge made for the insertion.

All advertisements must conform in style, copy and typography with regulations enforced by the publishers and they reserve the right to edit, revise or reject any copy considered objectionable.

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Situations Wanted—Male	AY
Employment Agencies	AZ
Live Stock—Poultry—Horses	BA
Dogs—Birds—Pets	BB
Live Stock—Vehicles	BC
Poultry and Supplies	BD
Wanted—Poultry—Stock	BE
For Sale—Miscellaneous	BF
Articles for Sale	BG
Boats and Accessories	BH
Building Materials	BI
Diamonds—Watches—Jewelry	BJ
Electrical Appliances—Radio	BK
Fuel and Feed	BL
Garden—Farming—Produce	BM
Household Goods	BN
Machinery and Equipment	BO
Musical Instruments	BP
Office and Store Equipment	BQ
Specials at the Store	BR
Wearing Apparel—Furs	BS
Wanted—To Buy	BT
Rooms—Resorts	BU
Restaurants	BV
Rooms Without Board	BW
Boarding Houses—Hotels	BX
Country Board—Resorts	BY
Hotels—Restaurants	BZ
Wanted—Rooms	CA
Real Estate For Rent	CB
Apartment Buildings For Rent	CC
Business Locations For Rent	CD
Houses For Rent	CE
Suburban For Rent	CF
Summer Homes For Rent	CG
Wanted To Rent	CH
Real Estate For Sale	CI
Business Property For Sale	CJ
Farms and Land For Sale	CK
Houses For Sale	CL
Resort Property For Sale	CM
Suburban For Sale	CN
Real Estate For Exchange	CO
Wanted—Real Estate	CP
Auction—Legal Notices	CQ
Legal Notices	CR

### LOST AND FOUND 1

**LOST—TUESDAY MORNING** Year rack from truck. Finder please return to 282 Healy street. Telephone 7922.

### LOST—BROWN BAG

Between Depot Square and Rainbow Inn, Bolton-Reward if returned to 282 Healy street.

### LOST—\$20 BILL WEDNESDAY

in vicinity of Main street. Finder please call 7790 and receive reward.

### LOST—WRIST WATCH

Swiss make, between Main and Bissell street. Finder return 140 Bissell street and receive reward.

### AUTOMOBILES FOR SALE 4

Remarkable Values in Used Cars  
Special 1929 Buick Sedan in excellent condition, just taken in 1926 Buick Coach  
1926 Buick Sedan  
Dial 7220 for demonstration, James Shearer  
Buick Agency  
Cor. Main and Middle Turnpike

### GARAGES—SERVICE—STORAGE 10

FOR RENT—STORAGE space for about 40 cars. \$5 for the season. Apply 214 Gardner street, telephone 8851.

### MOVING—TRUCKING—STORAGE 20

**PERRETT & GLENNEY Inc.**—Moving, packing and shipping. Daily service to and from New York. 14 trucks at your service. Agents for United Van Service, one of the leading long distance moving companies. Connection in 162 cities. Phone 3085, 8880, 8884.

### REPAIRING 23

**VACUUM CLEANER:** gun, phonograph, clock repairing. Key making. Braithwaite, 52 Pearl street.

### COURSES AND CLASSES 27

**BARBER TRADE** taught in day and evening classes. Low tuition. Rate, Vaughn Barber School, 14 Market street, Hartford.

### HELP WANTED—FEMALE 35

**WANTED—MOTHER'S HELPER,** experience unnecessary. Apply 76 Scarborough Road. Telephone 6579.

### AGENTS WANTED 37-A

**AGENTS TO SELL** towels to consumer. Clinton Towel Company, Clinton, Mass.

### POULTRY AND SUPPLIES

**FOR SALE—A FEW GOOD** white Wyandotte breeding cockerels. H. Kissman, 44 Griswold street. Phone 7784.

### FUEL AND FEED 49-A

**HARD WOOD, STOVE** feed \$5 a load. Special chunks for furnace or fire place \$6. Hardwood slabs \$4. F. O. Giesecke, telephone Rosedale 38-12.

### FOR SALE—BEST SEASONED

hard wood, 1-2 cord load \$5.00. 1-4 cord load \$3.00. Prompt delivery. Phone Rosedale 25-4. Geo. Buck.

### FOR SALE—HARD WOOD

and hard wood slabs sawed stove length and under cover. Cash price for hard wood \$6.00 per load, slabs \$5.00. L. T. Wood Co.

### SPECIAL—50 CORDS OF

seasoned birch wood \$4.00 load, good measure; also hard wood \$6.00 per load. Thomas Wilson, Phone 8581 or Rosedale 37-4.

### FOR SALE—HARD WOOD

or slabs \$5; also light trucking done. V. Firpo, 116 Wells street. Dial 6148.

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**HARD WOOD \$5 LOAD,** contains chunks for furnace, slabs \$5, special chunks \$6. Chas. Palmer, telephone 6273.

### FOR SALE—HARDWOOD

and slabs, Hardwood \$9.00 per cord; slabs \$8.00 per cord. Satisfaction guaranteed. Lathrop Brothers, Tel. 3149. Prompt delivery.

### GARDEN—FARM—DAIRY PRODUCTS 50

**FOR SALE—APPLES** Baldwin and Greenings \$1.00 per bushel. W. H. Cowles, Telephone 6908.

### ROOMS WITHOUT BOARD 59

**ONE OR TWO** furnished rooms, with or without board, or garage as desired. Terms reasonable. 19 Autumn street.

### FOR RENT—HEATED

furnished rooms at Edgewood House, 281 Center street. Rates \$3 to \$3.50 per week. Apply to M. L. Stacy, Cheney Brothers.

### APARTMENTS—FLATS—TENEMENTS 63

**FOR RENT—FOUR ROOM** tenement, with all improvements, 111 Holl street. Telephone 7330.

### FOR RENT—3 ROOM

tenement with attic, all improvements, 629 Center street, rent \$15. Telephone 8802.

### FOR RENT—TWO ROOM

suite in Johnson Block, facing Main street. Phone Aaron Johnson 3726 or janitor 7635.

### FOR RENT—6 ROOMS

Improvements. Inquire 24 Church street.

### FOR RENT—4 ROOM FLAT

trolley line, convenient to mills, all improvements; heat. 243 Center street. Telephone 6990.

### FOR RENT—MODERN 5 room

flat, 185 foot, 37 Delmont street. Phone 8039.

### FOR RENT—4 ROOM

tenement, all improvements, garage if desired. Inquire 28 Russell street. Tel. 5230.

### 6 ROOM TENEMENT, 26 Walker

street, all improvements, garage, good location, rent reasonable. Inquire 30 Walker, Geo. Murdock.

### FOR RENT—SEVERAL FIRST

class rents. Apply Edward J. Hill, 865 Main street. Telephone 4642.

### BUSINESS LOCATIONS FOR RENT 64

**BRICK BUILDING** store 26x36 at 314 Main street, near the Turnpike. Suitable for any business, large display window. Inquire Ed. Kraat, 312 1-2 Main street.

### HOUSES FOR SALE 72

188 Benton street, five room bungalow, steam, heat, garage, all improvements, easy terms; also new 6 room house. Telephone 8713.

### AVIATOR MISSING

Roseburg, Ore., Jan. 2.—(AP)—Fliers and mountaineers joined forces here today to search Douglas county for J. Russell Cunningham, of Seattle, missing Pacific air transport pilot.

Cunningham has not been heard from since early yesterday, when he was reported lost in a fog. Will have to land.

### WILDCAT STRIKES

Bochum, Germany, Jan. 2.—(AP)—Communist agitators started "wildcat" strikes in twenty mines in the Ruhr basin today, in some instances forcibly preventing workers from entering the pits.

Union officials said the strikes were unauthorized and called upon union men to resist the Communist attempts pending settlement of a wage dispute.

## ALUMNI GUESTS AT HIGH SCHOOL

### Prominent Graduates Address Assembly Yesterday; May Be Annual Affair

Yesterday afternoon the assembly hall was the scene of a most interesting program and reunion. The weekly assembly was given over to a special Alumni program and the hall was suitably decorated with the many banners representing the various classes. A large delegation of Alumni was present, many of whom spent the first part of the afternoon visiting the classrooms. The main part of the assembly program was devoted to very interesting speeches by four prominent alumni, William Potterton, Marjorie H. Smith, Joseph McCuskey, and Miss Mary McGuire. Miss McGuire, a member of the faculty at the local high school, was the first speaker. She welcomed the Alumni to the assembly and expressed her hope that Alumni Assemblies become an institution in the school. Miss McGuire then treated the subject of teaching as a profession, discussing its many advantages and possible disadvantages.

William Potterton, who graduated from Manchester High School in '24 and is an alumnus of Tufts University, was the next speaker. Mr. Potterton gained the reputation of belonging to the order of "silver tongued orators" through his connection with the debating club at high school, and by his speech, which concerned the routine of the typical "prep" school, he most certainly lived up to his reputation. Mr. Potterton is head of the English department at Dean Academy.

Miss Marjorie H. Smith, the first Alumna to be benefited by the Verplanck Foundation, was the next speaker. Miss Smith is at present a student at Pembroke College, the women's college of Brown University. She discussed the value of a college education and the fact that it is worth the struggle that those who are financially handicapped have to bear in order to obtain it.

Joseph McCuskey, who perhaps has done more than any other Alumnus to further the athletic prominence of Manchester High school, then addressed the assembly on the subject of Inter-Collegiate Athletics. McCuskey was given a splendid ovation by the student body.

The next speaker was Mr. Verplanck, who is always a very welcome figure on the assembly platform. Mr. Verplanck related the interesting story of one of his classmates at Yale, Alonzo Stagg, who is now a Professor of Physical Education at Chicago University. Mr. Verplanck held Stagg up to the assembly as one whose integrity enabled him to be the success he is today. The relation of several incidents in which Mr. Stagg was involved at Yale proved extremely interesting and enlightening.

The concluding speaker, Carl C. Cully, delivered a spirited speech in behalf of the game with Bristol this evening.

A well-attended social hour followed the assembly.

The Student Council announces that Frank Brown is to be next season's football manager, and his assistants will be Stuart Kennedy and George Fischer.

Extensive preparations are now under way for a very elaborate presentation of the famous Gilbert and Sullivan operetta, "The Mikado," by the students of the school under the direction of Miss E. Marion Dorward. The operetta will be presented on February 13.

## A THOUGHT

Blessed is he that considereth the poor.—Psalm 41:1.

Gifts and aims are the expressions, not the essence, of this virtue.—Addison.

Musical, some one notes, has never visited Monte Carlo. Thus spoiling the chance of many a columnist to wisecrack on "Duce's wild."

## Wall Street Briefs

New York, Jan. 2.—(AP)—New construction in 37 states east of the Rocky Mountains during the week ended December 26, totaled \$45,726,200, F. W. Dodge Corporation reports. The figure brought the total for December to December 26, to \$208,746,300. Awards for the year to December 26 totaled \$4,482,900, against \$5,750,760,500 for the full year 1929.

Pennsylvania railroad had distributed orders for 46,500 tons of steel and castings for use in building gondola cars.

The Norfolk & Western railroad will spend \$10,000,000 for improvements and equipment, said Mr. Needles, president, who looks for a gradual business revival by spring.

The Lycoming Mfg. Co., an Auburn auto subsidiary, reported an increase of 13.5 percent in December shipments over November. W. H. Beal, vice president, said January production has been set at three times that of December.

The new ruling of the N. Y. Clearing House association abolishing publication of daily clearing house figures, became effective today. Hereafter only the regular weekly statement will be published. The action to stop publication of the daily figures was taken largely to abolish gambling.

Sales of domestic appliances by the 12 retail units of the New England Power Association, a subsidiary of International Paper and Power Co., were well over the \$2,000,000 mark in 1930, an increase of about 20 per cent over sales in 1929, a preliminary estimate by the association shows.

While activity in the automotive parts industry slowed up in a seasonal manner in December, some reports indicate that a moderate upward trend in manufacturing operations should be noticed in January. The Motor and Equipment Association reports.

Employment in the silk industry increased 6.4 per cent in November as compared with October, the Silk Association of America reports. In November broad silk loom operation increased 8.3 per cent, ribbon loom activity increased 22.6 per cent and spinning spindle operations increased 4.9 per cent. Compared with November of 1929, employment in November 1930 showed a decline of 5.6 per cent, broad loom activity a decline of 4.7 per cent, while ribbon loom operation increased one per cent and spinning spindle activity 8.9 per cent.

### TERMINAL BURNS

Jersey City, Jan. 2.—(AP)—Fire damaged the Greenville Terminal of the Pennsylvania Railroad here today, crippling its harbor freight transfer facilities and causing a loss, unofficially estimated at more than \$100,000.

### BALLOON AND LIGHT HELP FLIERS LAND SAFE IN FOG

London.—(AP)—A pilot of the Royal Air Force, carrying a passenger, made five safe landings here through a fog which rose 90 feet above the ground.

The pilot's fog-fighting equipment consisted of a small anchored sighting balloon 400 feet in the air and one-half a mile from the airport; a pitch and yaw indicator on the dashboard and a weight suspended by wire a few feet below the landing wheel.

Getting above the fog, the pilot made use of the known height and position of the balloon for his landing, glided past the balloon at an angle indicated by instruments, and landed with the aid of a lamp lighted red on the dashboard when the weight suspended below the plane touched the ground.

## SWITCH MATRONS' POSTS AT BOARDING HOUSES

### Mrs. Abbott of Chestnut Lodge Goes to Teachers' Hall and Miss Bragdon Takes the Lodge

Mrs. Kathryn Abbott has been transferred by Cheney Brothers from her position as matron of the Chestnut Lodge to a similar post at Teachers' Hall. Recently Mrs. Olive D. Hayward of Walpole, N. H., completed nearly twelve years' service as matron at Teacher's Hall and upon her departure, it was announced that Miss Edith Bragdon, purchasing agent of the four boarding houses owned by Cheney Brothers, would be her successor.

A change has been made, however, and instead of coming to Teachers' Hall, Miss Bragdon will temporarily take care of Chestnut Lodge in addition to her other work and Mrs. Abbott has returned to Teachers' Hall. Mrs. Abbott, whose home is in Brookline, Mass., has been matron at Chestnut Lodge for more than two years.

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## GERMAN MINERS STRIKE

Essen, Germany, Jan. 2.—(AP)—Workers in twenty collieries of the Ruhr valley laid down their tools today in a strike not authorized by the trade unions but allegedly incited by jobless workers and Communists.

Dissatisfaction among the coal miners is greatly due to notices of discharge received by about 300,000 men effective as of January 15. After that date they will be re-employed but only at reduced wages.

## NEVER TOO OLD

London.—(AP)—Freddy Fox is 42 years old, but he showed the way to England's jockeys this year. He led them all in wins, booting home 129 winners, 35 place and 37 show horses out of 804 mounts. Gordon Richards, Fox's chief contender for jockey championship, was a much younger man.

## Ship Arrivals

Arrived:  
Deutschland, New York, Jan. 2, from Hamburg.  
Resolute, New York, Jan. 2, Hamburg.  
President Cleveland, Manila, Jan. 1, San Francisco.  
Albert Ballin, Hamburg, Jan. 1, New York.  
Olympic, Cherbourg, Jan. 2, New York.  
Western Prince, Rio Janeiro, Jan. 1, New York.  
American Trader, London, Jan. 1, for New York.  
Southern Cross, Buenos Aires, Jan. 2, New York.

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SENSE AND NONSENSE

What the frost has touched... sun? What the Age his wool has spun... Love and Hope and Faith are here... Waken to the glad New Year!

A radio is one of the best investments in America for the pleasure received, in spite of crooning tenors and wailing of busted loves.

Wife—John, you think more of that old radio than you do of me. John—Well, dear, I get less interference from it.

Radio on the air. Static everywhere. What do we care? Shut 'er off.

Father—Can you give my daughter the luxuries to which she has been accustomed? Young Man—Not much longer. That's why I want to get married.

Say, do you know I've been eating beef all my life and I'm strong as a bull? That's strange. I've been eating sardines all my life and can't swim a stroke.

Mother was going to call on a neighbor and met her little seven-year-old son coming from school. She said:

Mother—Go on home and feed the chicks, son. I left an apple for you with your sister. Son—Well, mamma, you just as well left a cabbage leaf with my pet rabbit.

Minister (to small son of one of his deacons)—Well, Bobbie, what's the news? Bobbie—Pop's got a new set of false teeth.

Minister—(restraining a desire to laugh)—Indeed, and what will he do with the other ones? Bobbie—Oh, I suppose, they'll cut 'em down and make me wear 'em.

Horace Greely once said that he didn't believe in ghosts, but was afraid of them. That's exactly the way a great many of our politicians feel about prohibition.

Johnson—Every dollar I have was made honestly. Tompkins—By whom?

Grocer—(making up the wholesale order for the week)—Jim, do we want any day-old eggs? Clerk—No, sir. We have enough in the store room to last another six weeks.

Aunt Mary Hootenanny of Brushville observes that it is as unusual these days to see a girl covered

FLAPPER FANNY SAYS.



After New Year's, it's the resolutions that get all the breaks.

with confusion as it is to see one covered with clothes.

Possibly, the reason some people decline to tell what they paid for their radio set is because they haven't paid for it yet.

Amos Tash (on visit to Brushville from Pea Ridge)—Hear they got a new dentist here. How do you get along with him?

Ragson Tatters—Well, he turned the air drill into me, but I escaped before the fool could tamp the dynamite.

Woman—Is it a genuine antique, sir?

Dealer—Positively.

Woman—But you are asking a fearful price for it.

Dealer—Well, madame, look how wages and materials have gone up.

The Nut Cracker

Art Shires was arrested in Hollywood and found to be toting brass knuckles. O'Goofy wants to know if Shires didn't have enough brass without carrying knuckles.

The lively ball is to be tamed a bit this year, according to some of the major league magnates. But it still will have a little of the old spirit left when served up by those Philly pitchers.

The seam of the league ball is to be raised by use of heavier thread in manufacture of the apple. This will make things rosey for the pitchers but some of the big league sluggers are going to see the seamy side of life.

K. O. Christner won a fight during the Christmas holidays in Indianapolis. Christmas, however, comes but once a year.

If we ever have another war, O'Goofy will nominate Jack Curley, the wrestling promoter, for quartermaster general. The other night Monsieur Curley gave a banquet for a dozen wrestlers.

The largest bull in the world weighs a ton, says a farm journal. We don't know where the animal is, but will make a little wager that Joe Jacobs can throw it.

Don't sell America short, says Mr. Coolidge. O'Goofy wishes to say personally that he's walking in a barrel himself, having pawned his last pair of shorts some time ago to raise a fund with which he could buy an apple.

SKIPPY



Toonerville Folks

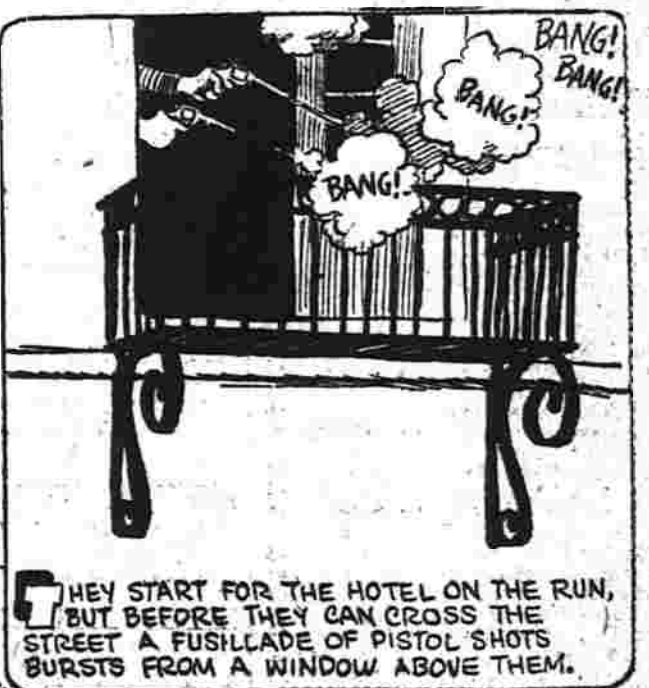
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WASHINGTON TUBBS II

On the Spot

By Crane



FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

Oscar is Dubious

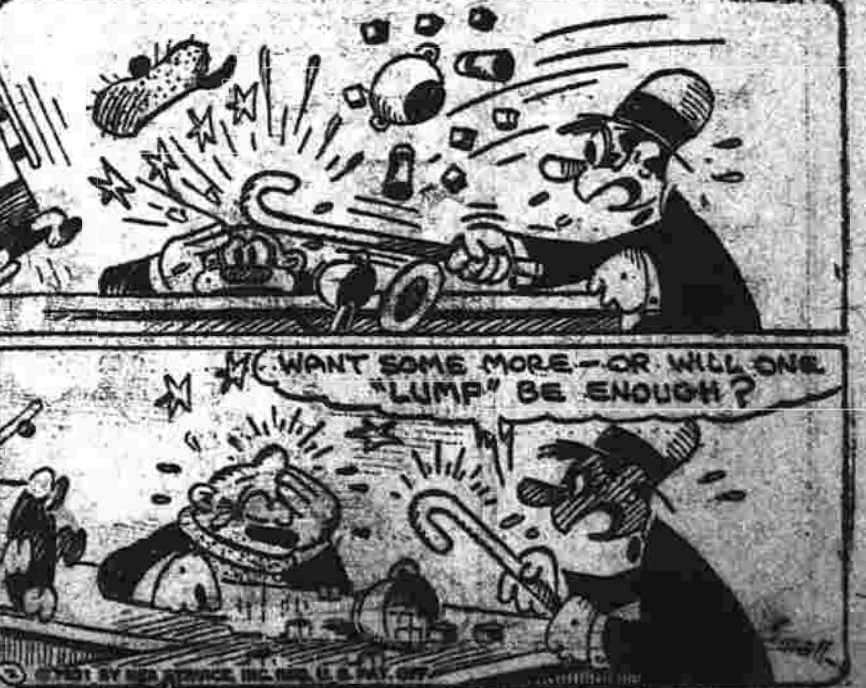
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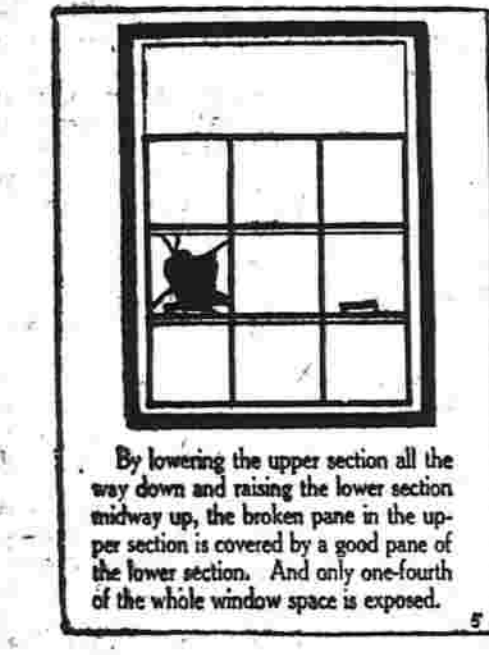
SALESMAN SAM

That's Sufficient, Sam

By Small



Stickler Solution



By lowering the upper section all the way down and raising the lower section midway up, the broken pane in the upper section is covered by a good pane of the lower section. And only one-fourth of the whole window space is exposed.

THE TINYMITES



(READ THE STORY, THEN COLOR THE PICTURE) The Hunter's aim was very true. The next thing that the Tinies knew, the lion slumped onto the ground and let out quite a roar. The spear had caught him where he stood. Wee, Scouty shouted. 'Ge! You're good! I've quite enjoyed this thrill, but gee, I don't want any more. 'That lion seems just like a cat, but he is dangerous at that. Perhaps it's just as well that he is stretched there on the ground. I'd hate to have him charge our way. Perhaps you've saved our lives today. Right now we'll walk right up to him and all be safe and sound.' The Travel Man came running near and gave the hunting man a cheer. 'That surely was a perfect shot. Your long spear did the trick. You seemed to throw it out with ease. How do you do it, if you please?' The hunter said, 'I've practiced long. That's why I seem so slick.' Then Clowzy asked, 'What will you do with the poor lion? We'll help you, if you are going to carry him.' Their hunter friend then smiled. 'I'm going to save his skin,' said he. 'If you'll all help, just follow me. Right now that great big jungle beast looks very far from wild.' They shortly dragged a tree limb out. The hunting man began to shout, 'Now, first we'll tie the lion's legs up tightly to this limb. Then, if you're strong enough to lift, we'll travel with him very swift. It will be a lot of help to me, if you'll help carry him.' They did just as the hunter said. Then Clowzy cried, 'Look at his head. It really is a beauty. He looks meek enough to play. But I'd prefer a dog or cat to something that's as big as that.' They lifted Mister Lion up and soon were on their way. (The Tinymites see a strange ant hill in the next story.)



**THIRD ANNUAL CONCERT**  
**G Clef Glee Club**  
**High School Hall**  
**Tuesday, Jan. 6, 8:15 P. M.**  
 Admission \$1.00.  
 Entire Proceeds To Go To Town Charity Fund.

**NEW YEAR'S FROLIC**  
**Saturday, Jan. 3, 8 P. M.**  
**MANCHESTER GREEN COMMUNITY CLUB**  
 Novelties and Noisemakers.  
**Bill Waddell's Orchestra**  
 Admission 50 Cents.

**ABOUT TOWN**

The second setback card party in the fourth series will be held tomorrow night at 8:15 in the Masonic Temple, under the auspices of the Masonic Social Club.

The Masonic Social Club has received a New Year's present of a new Telechron clock. It has been set up in the social room at the Masonic Temple. This is something that was very much needed and will be greatly appreciated.

Police Commissioner Willard B. Rogers, and Mrs. Rogers, of East Center street, left today on a combined business and pleasure trip to Providence, R. I., and Boston, Mass.

Roy Warren is chairman of the supper which young people of the Center church will have tomorrow evening at 6:30, under the auspices of the Cyp club. The speaker will be Rev. Elmer Thielen.

A New Year's frolic will be the attraction tomorrow evening at the Manchester Green Community club, under the direction of the same committee of young people who have been running these weekly Saturday evening dances for the past few seasons. Tomorrow night in celebration of the New Year an unusually good time is anticipated, with novelties and noise makers galore. Bill Waddell's Orchestra will play as usual for the all-modern dancing.

The Center church Men's League meeting Sunday morning at 9:30 will be addressed, as in previous years on the first Sunday of the New Year, by Ward Duffy, former Manchester man and member of Herald staff, now managing editor of the Hartford Times. Mr. Duffy will give a review of the high lights of 1930. Mr. Duffy has consented to do this ever since the league was organized. All men interested will be welcome.

The Junior choir of the Zion Lutheran church will have a rehearsal tonight at 6:30. An important business meeting of the young people will follow at 7:30.

Mrs. William S. Hyde of Main street had as her New Year guests, Mrs. Cora K. Doane and her daughter, Miss Susie E. Doane of New York City, formerly residents of Manchester.

Sunnyside Junior Circle of Kings Daughters will hold their regular meeting tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock at Second Congregational church.

Both the Prudential and Metropolitan Insurance companies who have offices in the Cheney building have changed their location. The Metropolitan company has closed its office and from January 1 the agents that have been connected with the office here are now working out of Hartford office of the company in the Connecticut Mutual building. The Prudential company which has occupied the center room in the building is today moving into the north front room in the same building.

**BOLD SIGN HERE READS "ALES, LAGER, WINES"**

Building in Prominent Section of Town Brazenly Carries Names of Forbidden Refreshments.

Manchester has one place that openly displays a sign that says that "Ales, Lager and Wines" are for sale within the building on which the sign appears. The Manchester police have never at any time made even an attempt to raid the place. It is on one of the most heavily traveled roads in the town of Manchester and is one of the few signs of its kind anywhere in the country today.

The sign appears on the west side of the brick building that was once known as Ape's opera house and the site of the saloon was in the basement. The one reason that it is not raided is that for several years before "Andy" Volstead was heard of it had ceased to be used as a saloon, but the sign was painted on the building and nobody has ever taken the trouble to have it painted over. So the sign still stands.

To some it recalls fond memories, but most people in Manchester today cannot remember the place as a real active saloon, although in its day it was the scene of considerable action.

"Perfectly satisfied," is the answer of our old customers. The Manchester Lumber Co. Phone 5145.—Adv.

**Circulating Library**  
 The newest and most popular fiction can be found at Hale's. Rental 2c per day.  
 Main Floor, front



**Radio Tubes Tested Free**  
 Bring in your radio tubes and have them tested free. No charge whatsoever for this service.  
 Second Floor

**WINTER APPAREL GREATLY REDUCED**

Coats and Dresses At The Lowest Prices In Years

<p>\$59.50 to \$79.50  <b>Furred Coats</b>        Now Reduced to  <b>\$39.50</b>        Our entire stock of better coats have been regrouped to \$39.50. Coats that feature the season's smartest styles, fabrics and furs. Coats of this quality were retailing last season at \$79.50 and \$88. Black, brown and a few high shades. Every coat is silk lined and warmly interlined.        Hale's Coats—Main Floor, rear.</p>	<p>Children's \$9.98  <b>Sweater Sets</b>  <b>\$6.98</b>        Children's 3 to 6 sweater sets in suede and plain knit in red, tan and navy. Set consists of hat, sweater and leggings. Regular \$9.98 grades. 5 to 6 years only.        Main Floor, rear</p>	<p>\$10 to \$16.75  <b>Silk Dresses</b>        Now Reduced to  <b>\$6.75</b>        The best-looking silk frocks that feature the favored and most popular style details—novel sleeves, flared skirts, eyelet embroidery, boleros, peplums and cowl necklines. Frocks for every occasion—sports, business and informal afternoons. Black, prints and high shades. Sizes: 14 to 20, 36 to 50, and 16 1-2 to 26 1-2.        Hale's Frocks—Main Floor, rear</p>
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\$39.75 Furred  
**Winter Coats**  
 Now Reduced to  
**\$29.50**  
 Choose your Winter coat from among this group tomorrow—wrap-around models as well as the smart Princess styles. Beautiful coats trimmed with the season's smartest furs—caracul, wolf, lapin and fox. It has been a long time since you've seen such coats at \$29.50! Black and brown. Women's and misses' sizes.  
 Hale's Coats—Main Floor, rear

One Group  
**Remnants**  
**1-4 to 1-2 Off**  
 One table-of remnants reprised 1-4 to 1-2 off. Short lengths of practically everything in our Yard Goods Department—silks, rayons, cotton prints, lingerie materials, rayon prints, creponnes and curtain fabrics. The thrift-minded woman will find here many short lengths that she can use.  
 Main Floor, left

\$5 to \$7.50  
**Silk Dresses**  
 Now Reduced to  
**\$3.75**  
 Surely you will be surprised to find such smart frocks priced but—\$3.75. Regular \$5 and \$7.50 silk dresses in plain colors and prints in smart little styles for dress and tailored wear. Black, brown and new high shades. Women's and misses' styles included. Purchase now for late Winter wear!  
 Hale's Frocks—Main Floor, rear

\$25 and \$29.50  
**Dress and Sports Coats**  
 Now Reduced to  
**\$19.75**  
 A group of regular \$25 and \$29.50 Winter coats reprised—\$19.75. Smart broadcloth dress coats with large fur collars; tailored coats of tweed and novelty woolsens for sports and general town wear. Styles and colorings for women and misses. Every coat is full lined and warmly interlined. Choose early for best selection!  
 Hale's Coats—Main Floor, rear

Bright, New  
**Angora Berets**  
**\$1.49**  
 Every girl is wearing angora berets this season—they're so smart and comfy. In bright new shades to brighten-up dark Winter costumes. Red, blue, green, yellow and other shades.  
 Main Floor, rear

Extra Heavy Quality  
**Rayon Vests and Bloomers**  
 Featured Tomorrow at  
**59c each**  
 Extra heavy quality rayon vests and bloomers that will give the maximum of wear. Smart girls and women prefer rayon undergarments under the fitted frocks. Full cut garments; expertly tailored. Choice of vests and bloomers in peach, flesh and white. All sizes.  
 Hale's Rayon Underwear—Main Floor, right

High Grade  
**Fur Coats**  
 Now Reduced to  
**\$79.50**  
 (Last Year \$125 to \$150)  
 Similar quality fur coats were retailing last Winter at \$125 to \$150. The assortment includes sealines, Mendoza beavers, muskrats, lapins, and other popular furs. Straightening and slightly fitted models trimmed with contrasting and self-furs. The drop in commodity prices makes it possible to offer these high grade furs at such a low price. Every coat carries our full guarantee.  
 Hale's Fur Coats—Main Floor, rear

Multi-Colored Angora  
**Mittens and Gloves**  
**\$1.00**  
 We can't keep our stock of these multi-colored mittens and gloves complete, they're selling so fast. Popular with old and young for sports, driving, school and general wear. A variety of colorings.  
 Children's Lined  
**Kid Mittens**  
**50c**  
 Little tots 1 to 3 can keep their hand warm if they wear these kid mittens with warm fleece lining. Sizes mostly for 1 to 3 year children.  
 Main Floor, right

Smart Chiffon and Service  
**Pure Silk Hosiery**  
 in Smartest Shades  
**\$1.00 pair**  
 These pure silk, full fashioned stockings have become one of our most popular hosiery numbers. Choice of a sheer chiffon hose with popular French heel; silk from tip-toe. For practical wear we are featuring a service-sheer stocking with 3-inch lisle hem. A full range of the smartest shades.  
 Hale's Hosiery—Main Floor, right

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**Annual January Cost Sale Now Going On**  
 Misses' and Women's Smart Apparel  
 At January Cost Prices  
 Suits and Ensembles, imported and domestic tweeds, twill broadcloths and other important fabrics, at Cost Sale Prices.  
**21.25, 29.75, 33.60, 42.10, 63.75**  
 All Winter Coats, sport and dress models, dark and the new high shades, at Cost Sale Prices.  
**33.60, 38.25, 49.25, 55.25 up to 165.75**  
 Dresses, silk and cloth, for all occasions, brand new models included at Cost Sale Prices.  
**12.75, 14.05, 21.25, 29.75, 33.60**  
 Sweaters, Blouses, Leather Coats, House Garments, Lounging Pajamas and Girls' Wearables at Cost Sale Prices.  
 Second Floor

**Dining Room and Bedroom Suites at Cost Sale Prices**  
 Six 9-piece Dining Suites, combination walnut 169.50. Ten 4-pc. Bedroom Suites, value to 300.00 at 149.50. All floor samples of Living Room Suites, Chairs and Sofas sharply reduced for clearance.  
 Third and Fourth Floors.

**Women's, Children's Shoes at Cost Prices**  
 Dull kid strap Pumps, Cuban heels, were 7.00, Cost Sale Price ..... 6.00 pr.  
 Black kid opera Pumps, Louis heels, were 6.00, Cost Sale Price ..... 5.00 pr.  
 Rubber Gaiters, in brown and black ..... 2.45 pr.  
 Children's smoked and tan elk Lace Shoes, were 3.50, special ..... 3.00 pr.  
 Street Floor

**NAPOLI BABY FIRST BORN HERE IN 1931**  
 Mill Street Parents Receive First New Year Visit From Stork—It's a Girl.  
 To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Napoli of 37 Mill street is conceded the honor of the first visit by Old Doc Stork in Manchester in 1931. Just nine minutes of the new year had ticked away when Mrs. Napoli gave birth to a baby girl. The babe was born at the home of the parents in the north end. The father is a shoe repairer in business on Depot Square.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Dion of Charter Oak street have received an announcement of the coming marriage of Mrs. Dion's son, Robert Allen, formerly of this town, but now of Bridgeport, to Miss Emily Miller, also of Bridgeport. The exact date was not announced but the wedding will take place in the near future.

**YOUR CAR WASHED Quickly NO WAITING**  
**\$1.25 SIMONIZING \$8.00**  
**WILSON'S AUTO WASH**  
 Rear of Johnson Block

**POLICE COURT**  
 Thomas C. Boucher of East Hartford, who was taken off a South Manchester trolley car yesterday morning so intoxicated that he refused to pay his fare, pleaded guilty this morning to intoxication and paid a fine of \$10 and costs.  
 John Fay, a Hartford plumber, who was picked up last night on Main street in the neighborhood of

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 Amazing Values.  
**MRS. ELLIOTT'S SHOP**  
 Room 4, Park Building, 853 Main St.

**HOSPITAL NOTES**  
 A son was born this morning to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Dilworth of 21 Homestead street at the Memorial hospital.  
 William P. Boyle, Jr., of Princeton street, for driving with improper markers, paid a fine of \$10 and costs.  
 Enter evening school at the Center and learn something that will be of lasting benefit to you, Connecticut Business College.—Adv.

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