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## ITALY PROPOSES REAL ARMS CUT

### Grandi Tells Delegates His Country Will Go the Very Limit in Reducing Arma- ments.

Geneva, Feb. 10.—(AP)—Foreign Minister Dino Grandi of Italy and Ambassador Tameo Matsudaira of Japan presented the last two of the disarmament proposals of the five great powers to the world conference today.

The young black-bearded Italian foreign minister, believed to be the youngest delegate to the conference, brought thunders of applause from the floor as he tolled off in staccato fashion a long list of war implements Italy stands ready to implement.

The list included capital ships, submarines, aircraft carriers, heavy artillery, tanks, bombing aircraft and chemical warfare weapons.

He also proposed a revision of the laws of war to protect civilian population. In international quarters afterward the Italian plan was hailed as the first proposal for "real disarmament."

### Shortest Speech

Ambassador Matsudaira, chief of the Japanese delegation, assured the conference, in the shortest speech delivered by the representative of any of the great powers that "notwithstanding the unfortunate situation in the Far East Japan is as eager as ever to further the cause of disarmament."

He said the Japanese delegation had come to co-operate with all the powers and that Japan favors a reduction in the size of battlefleets and the caliber of their guns. He also stated limitation of the use of all classes of war vessels, prohibition of air bombardments and of the use of poison gases and bacteria.

### August Zaleski, Polish representative, presented a plan for "moral disarmament."

He said Poland would offer a formal program under this head later and that Ambassador Hugh Gibson of the United States "forcibly reminded us yesterday that the guarantee of security consists in our neighbors' goodwill."

### Grandi Applauded

Signor Grandi's address brought three especially enthusiastic bursts of applause when he said his country was willing to prolong the London naval treaty, to do everything possible toward bringing about actual disarmament and to abolish many of the most important items on armament programs.

He said Italy rejects the French theory of security to precede disarmament. "Without disarmament," he added, "there can be no security." He accepted the German demand that other nations disarm in the same proportion as Germany is forced to do under the Treaty of Versailles.

### Moral Disarmament

The address of the Polish foreign minister, advocating "moral disarmament,"

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## GANGSTER KILLED IN RACKETEER WAR

### Another Dying As Gunmen Send Shower of Lead Into Two Men.

Scranton, Pa., Feb. 10.—(AP)—Gunmen riding in an automobile through Scranton streets this morning at six o'clock sent a shower of lead from sawed off shotguns into the bodies of two men, killing one and wounding the other so seriously that he may die.

A man known as Jacob Levine, 30, who had come here less than a month ago from either New York or Philadelphia, was killed, his body riddled with shot.

### Shot Five Times

Edward Weiss, 25, of 817 Monroe avenue, was the man wounded. Weiss, shot four or five times, was arrested here a year ago charged with the theft of silk valued at \$10,000 from the Erie railroad freight station.

Weiss and the man known as Levine were walking along Poplar street when an automobile raced alongside them and four men in the machine opened fire. Levine fell in his tracks and Weiss tried to escape, but was followed and shot down.

Witnesses said the men in the automobile returned to the fallen Levine, got out of the machine and fired shots into him. When Levine was picked up he was dead.

Police said they believed the shooting was the outcome of a war between racketeers.

## UNPLEGDED PARLEY SHOUSE'S PROGRAM

### Democratic Leader Denies He Favors Any of the Can- didates; All Have a Chance

Washington, Feb. 10.—(AP)—Jouett Shouse, chairman of the Democratic National executive committee favors a party convention unpledged in advance to any presidential candidate free to have its voice on the basis of conditions at the time it is held.

He disclosed this view in a statement to the Associated Press made public today. In it he directly denied having combined with former Governor Smith and Chairman Raskob to block the nomination of Franklin D. Roosevelt. "Complete impartiality," he insisted, has been maintained, both by himself and the National party headquarters. Raskob in New York, yesterday, issued a similar declaration of neutrality.

Shouse made no reference to the Smith statement.

### Results of Poll

This same statement caused the Louisville Courier-Journal to undertake a poll of Democratic National committeemen and women. Replies received by it up to now accounted for about two dozen of the more than one hundred members of the committee. Coming from all parts of the country they ranged from: "I do not consider Governor Smith a contender" to "his statements made him a candidate."

In this partial list was no outspoken support for Smith, while several of the replies confirmed expected stands for Roosevelt, particularly in the far west and south. Some, on the other hand foresaw the chance for a compromise candidate with the Texas committeeman Jed C. Adams, of Dallas, declaring: "The situation seems to make the nomination of John T. Garner, the logical solution."

### States Canvassed

Among the states in which one or both of the committee members spoke openly for Roosevelt were Vermont, Georgia, Montana, Nebraska, New Hampshire, Oregon and Washington.

Shouse revealed he intends to retire from party management after the convention, which will be held June 27 and he has no intention of accepting public office thereafter.

## HEFLIN'S CHARGES CITED IN SENATE

### Charges of Vote Buying and Efforts by Corporations to Influence Help, Reported.

Washington, Feb. 10.—(AP)—Charges of vote buying and efforts by corporations to influence their employees were discounted today in a report to the Senate elections subcommittee considering the Hefflin-Bankhead contest, but testimony on other law violations was stressed.

Chairman Hastings, in a report on the recent testimony submitted to the committee in Alabama, cited charges of 50 varieties of law violation in the election of Senator Bankhead (D. Ala.) which is being contested by former Senator Hefflin.

He said there seemed to be no dispute that voters were allowed to cast their ballots without appearing in person at the polling places, and reported the testimony showed it was the practice to pay the poll tax for others, though that is forbidden by law.

The report was based on evidence submitted to a commissioner for the committee by witnesses for the two contestants. It was submitted to attorneys for Hefflin and Bankhead for their comment before being turned over to the committee.

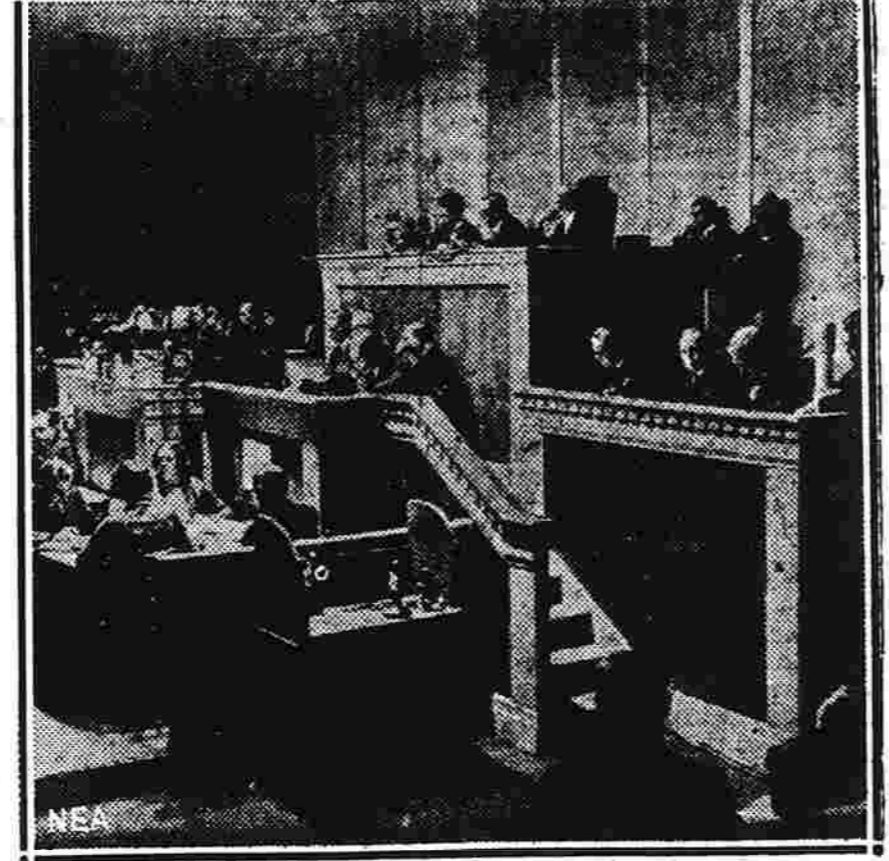
### Vote Buying

Hastings said 17 witnesses testified to influence votes of the elector to purchase.

"I do not think," he said, however, "the testimony offered upon this point is sufficiently satisfactory to make it appear that the purchase of votes was carried on to such an extent as to seriously affect the election. There was no testimony connecting Mr. Bankhead with the purchase of votes."

### Pointing out Alabama law that provides any person paying the poll tax for another ball be guilty of bribery, Hastings said "the testimony shows that it was not only permissible but it was the practice of the electors." (Continued on Page 4.)

## Arms Parley Opens in Face of War



Solemnly meeting in the shadow of Far Eastern war clouds, delegates to the world disarmament conference are pictured above in session at Geneva, Switzerland. Arthur Henderson, British statesman and president of the conference, is shown seated in the center of the speakers' tribune overlooking the assembly room.

## HIGH COURT UPHOLDS PARKER SMITH VERDICT

### In Decision Handed Down Today No Error Found In Verdict of Guilty Against Hartford Men.

Hartford, Feb. 10.—(AP)—Confirmation of the conviction of John E. Parker, Clarence V. Smith and Paul M. Smith of New Haven of the crime of conspiracy to cheat and defraud note holders under mortgages, of which the Parker-Smith Company was trustee, is handed down today by the Supreme Court of Errors which finds no error in the verdict of guilty by the jury and the judgment of guilty by Judge Alfred C. Baldwin in the Superior Court at New Haven.

The three accused have had two trials for their manipulations of the Parker-Smith Company, which had large business interests in Hartford and other parts of the State. State prison sentences had been imposed in both trials, but pending decisions in the two appeals to the Supreme Court the accused have been at liberty on bail.

State's Attorney Samuel E. Hoyt, when he learned of the decision, said he would move at once to have the court order execution of the sentence imposed March 2, 1931 when the Smith brothers were each sentenced from three to five years and Parker was sentenced from one to three years.

### Their Sentences

The Parker-Smith concern, which had a branch office in Hartford went into bankruptcy in May, 1929.

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## TREASURY ORDERED TO GIVE DETAILS

### House Committee Wants to Know New Sources That May Balance Budget.

Washington, Feb. 10.—(AP)—The Treasury Department was called upon today by the House ways and means committee to give detailed figures on its need for \$1,241,000,000 additional revenue to balance the budget by the end of the fiscal year 1933.

Confronted by the discouraging task of finding new sources of revenue, the committee decided to make a close study of every means of obtaining funds to run the government.

### Manufacturers' Tax

Members of Congress estimated today a general manufacturers tax of one per cent will yield \$200,000,000 less on the basis of present business conditions than it would have a year ago.

It has been expected to yield probably \$600,000,000 annually. However, this tax does not meet with the general approval of the Democratic House leadership.

The committee's sentiment is turning to the manufacturers tax as the most productive of the proposals before it.

A decline of \$321,000,000 in revenue expectations, also has caused the group to look with more favor on gasoline, automobile, radio, oil imports, electricity and gas taxes.

## VOTE TO DROP TWO-PAYMENT TAX SYSTEM

### Meeting Does "About Face" After Endorsing Plan; Speakers Point Out Cost If Tried This Year.

One hundred voters gathered last night in a special town meeting in High school hall rejected the two-payment tax plan. Installment tax paying had been voted at the annual town meeting held last fall. Last night's gathering did an "about face" on the proposition since it had earlier in the session voted to continue two-payment taxes.

### Vote by Ballot

Voting by ballot 53 said they did not favor rejecting the installment plan and 47 wanted it rescinded. The special appeal to the meeting to reconsider this vote. Town Counsel W. S. Hyde had stated that the vote passed last night could be reconsidered in the same meeting if someone voting negative would move for reconsideration. This was done and then the meeting reversed its decision of 15 minutes previous and cast 63 votes in favor of rescinding town meeting adoption of the two-payment plan and 39 against rejecting the plan.

### Advised Against It

The two-payment plan was adopted last October with the sponsorship of the Taxpayers' League of Manchester. Town officials advised against it at that time maintaining such a system would add to the town's expense unless the fiscal year could be made coincident with tax collections. In order to do this legislative approval would be necessary. The plan was adopted nevertheless. This meant that the first installment would be due on April 1 and payable by May 1. Since the fiscal year closes August 15 the second payment would be due July 1 and payable not later than August 1. These payments were not sufficiently far apart to relieve the taxpayer's burden.

### Agitation Aroused

As financial conditions became strained and it grew increasingly difficult for municipalities to sell their bonds the local officials realized.

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## U. S. 2-MAN BOB SLED IS WINNER

### World's Record Smashed Six Times as Stevens Beats Capadrutt Before 10,000.

Lake Placid, N. Y., Feb. 10.—(AP)—Hubert Stevens, of Lake Placid, twice smashed the world record for two man bobs to catch Reto Capadrutt, sensational young Swiss in the final two heats of 12 sleds of the United States the title Jack Heaton won at St. Moritz in 1928.

Going into the final day 4.28 seconds behind the 20 year old Swiss after the first two heats yesterday, Stevens turned in two almost unbeatable perfect runs of 1:59.69 and 1:57.68, both times smashing the record Capadrutt set on his first run today. His final total time for the four heats of the competition was 8 minutes, 14.74 seconds. Capadrutt finished his last run in 1:59.67, taking second place, 1.54 seconds behind Stevens.

### Others Far Behind.

No other bob run ever saw the terrific speed Stevens and the young Swiss developed today as they battled for the Olympic title. The remainder of the field of 12 sleds of eight nations distanced almost from the start, among them Heaton, American living abroad, who won the two man title in 1928.

A crowd of 10,000 lined the course.

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### TREASURY BALANCE

Washington, Feb. 10.—(AP)—Treasury receipts for February 8 were \$83,177,887.87; expenditures \$83,268,406.30; balance \$599,181,838.64, customs duties for 8 days of February were \$6,805,978.61.

## Intense Cold Reported From Most of Europe

London, Feb. 10.—(AP)—Intense cold came to most of Europe today accompanied by snow flurries, and numerous deaths were reported.

London had its first snowfall of any consequence while traffic in some of the rural districts of England were hampered by a heavier fall. All small craft in the English channel was driven to shelter by a heavy squall.

Paris reported brisk snow flurries this morning. It was the coldest day of the winter there, with the mercury at 5 below zero centigrade. One third of the country was reported under a snow. There was one death at Rhod. Bucharest dispatches said the bitter cold in years prevailed in many sections of Rumania with numerous deaths from freezing reported. Eleven persons died on a wagon near Chisinau, Bessarabia. Their four horses also were frozen. Two families were reported frozen to death in another Bessarabian village and the Danube was frozen from bank to bank.

## USE CHINESE CAVALRY TO REPULSE JAPANESE

### EDGAR WALLACE, FAMOUS AUTHOR, DIES IN THE WEST

### World's Most Prolific and Highest Paid Writer Pass- es After But Few Days Illness; Was 56 Years Old.

Beverly Hills, Calif., Feb. 10.—(AP)—Edgar Wallace, who became one of the world's most prolific and highest paid writers after starting life as a newsboy in the slums of London, died this morning at 4:45 o'clock. Death was due to double pneumonia. He was 56 years of age.

The noted author of mystery stories was stricken Sunday with influenza. Pneumonia developed Monday, and since yesterday he had had been in a semi-conscious condition. At his bedside when he died were his secretary of many years, Robert Curtis; Walter Huston, the actor, and his physician.

Wallace came to Hollywood from his home in England several months ago to write scenarios for the RKO-Radio studios.

Known especially for his mystery novels, which he often wrote as rapidly as two a month, Wallace was one of the most distinguished writers of the day. He, however, laid no claim to literary genius.

### Born in Poverty

Born in the squalor and poverty of London slums, Wallace's parents were so poor they had to leave him in the care of a public boarding school.

At ten he sold papers on the streets and his education in school stopped at that age. At eleven he engaged himself as a cabin boy on a trawler which later cruised the North Sea.

When eighteen, he enlisted as a private soldier and saw service in South Africa for the period of the Boer War. During his six years of active campaigning he developed a latent talent for writing.

### Copied Kipling

He began first by patterning after the man he most admired, Kipling, writing vigorous poetry of soldier life. This attracted the attention of various journals throughout the world with the result that Wallace had a ready sale for his material.

Accumulating money, he purchased his discharge from the army and covered the rest of the Boer War as a special correspondent for Reuters' News Agency and the London Daily Mail.

After the Boer War, he founded the Rand Daily Mail, the first English newspaper in South Africa.

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## WALKER SUGGESTED FOR SECOND PLACE

### Tammany Hall May Try This If Smith and Roosevelt Should Deadlock Parley.

New York, Feb. 10.—(AP)—Mayor James J. Walker today declined to discuss reports from Washington that Tammany might put him forward as a candidate for the Democratic vice-presidential nomination.

It has been suggested, according to stories appearing in New York newspapers today, that in the event of a deadlock in the National convention in Chicago in June, Tammany might turn from both Governor Franklin D. Roosevelt and former Governor Alfred E. Smith and propose Walker as candidate for vice-president, to run with a presidential nominee from the west or south.

Such a possibility, it was said, had been admitted by members of the New York Democratic delegation in Congress, but only in the event Roosevelt and Smith supporters should deadlock the convention.

It is for Baker

It was said Washington Democrats understood Walker was not enthusiastic about either Roosevelt or Smith for the presidential nomination, and that he might support Newton D. Baker of Ohio, or some other candidate from farthest west to give himself a chance for second place on the ticket.

Mayor Walker was not at his office today, but told his assistant, Charles F. Kerrigan over the telephone he would have nothing to say.

The mayor will leave tonight for Lake Placid for a few days of rest prescribed by his physician. He will be the guest of the Olympic winter games committee. He will return to New York Monday night.

## BIG GUNS CEASE FIRING FOR TIME

### Both Sides Shifting Forces Which May Mean That Big Battle Is Imminent—Field Guns Being Moved Into Po- sition on Outskirts of Shanghai—Guards Increased In International Settlement; In Tokyo Jap Students Pro- test "This Imperialistic War."

Shanghai, China, Feb. 10.—(AP)—Tearing across No Man's Land in an old fashioned cavalry charge, a Chinese squadron was reported to have inflicted heavy casualties today on the Japanese who have been laying waste to Chapei with artillery.

It was an incident in a comparatively quiet day. The big guns were not firing and although machine guns were in action it was apparent both sides were shifting their lines and no one knew what was going to happen next.

Over at Woosung, where the Japanese had been trying to blast the enemy loose from the forts at the Whangpoo Narrows, the action so had subsided somewhat late this afternoon.

Sometime in the night the Chinese hoisted their five-barred flag of red, yellow, blue, white and black. It was on the highest flagpole in town and the Japanese gunners were concentrating their fire on it.

### Reinforce Trenches

Meanwhile the Chinese were reinforcing the trenches which had been battered by raking shell fire from war craft in the river and by airplane bombs.

The Japanese were working hard on a pontoon bridge across Woosung creek, but Chinese machine gunners were not making the job any too easy.

Toward dusk a fleet of trucks backed up to the docks on the outskirts of Shanghai and assisted in unloading of additional field guns which apparently were to be used against Woosung.

### Shifting Soldiers

There were indications part of the Chinese main force had been taken out of the Chapei lines and sent over to Woosung. Foreign observers found that only two lines of trenches were manned in the North station sector where heretofore there have been three or four. The nearest Chinese support lines were half a mile to the rear.

In the International Settlement there was considerable apprehension and United States Marines took part with other foreign units in building additional sandbag barricades and barbed wire defenses. The guard was increased at several strategic points along the boundaries between the Chinese concessions. The authorities who recently ruled that civilians must be off the streets at ten p. m., moved up the deadline to nine p. m.

### FRENCH CRUISER ARRIVES

Shanghai, Feb. 10.—(AP)—The French cruiser Waldeck Rousseau arrived here today from Hailong of French Indo-China, with a battalion of French Colonial Infantry to be added to the foreign defense forces of Shanghai. The cruiser was also brought by the government governor general of Indo-China, who was understood to be investigating the situation for the French government.

### JAPAN TO EXPLAIN

Tokyo, Feb. 10.—(AP)—Foreign Minister Kenjiro Yoshizawa announced today he had under consideration a plan to send envoys to the United States, England and France to explain and clarify the Japanese position on the Manchurian question.

Should this procedure be adopted upon by the government the foreign minister said, the men to present the Japanese viewpoint have been tentatively selected.

### Favors Neutral Zone

While it is clear the United States would not agree to demilitarization of the principal Chinese ports, a temporary establishment of a neutral zone about Shanghai to restore peace pending a permanent adjustment of differences might fall into a different category.

However, if such a plan as this were agreed to it would be stipulated that its character was only temporary and that it should not constitute a precedent for dealing with other cities. Such a proposal has been discussed in truce plans.

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### Naval Orders

The destroyer Smith Thompsonson has been ordered from Shanghai up the lower Yangtze, probably to stop eventually at Nanking.

Two other destroyers are stationed at Nanking. They are the Parrot and the Simpson. They report that 61 Americans remain in that area

which at present is quiet. More than 150, mostly women and children, already have been evacuated to Shanghai.

The destroyer Edsall has been ordered from Nanking 70 miles up the river to Wuhu. The Bulmer is stationed at Chingkiang, 30 miles below Nanking.

### The auxiliary ship Gold Star

arrived at Manila from Hongkong. A large ship capable of carrying many passengers, it will be held at Manila in readiness to proceed at once to danger points if evacuation becomes necessary.

### CIVILIANS WOUNDED

Shanghai, Feb. 10.—(AP)—More than 1,000 persons, half of them civilians, were suffering from war wounds in Chinese Red Cross hospitals here today, and others continued to pour in from the battle area.

A visitor to one of these islands of mercy today found its four staff doctors haggard from the strain of working day and night.

The wounded are not all soldiers. Half of them are coolies, peasants and the like caught by bombs, shells and stray bullets.

The wounded from the Chapei area get emergency treatment at a field dressing hospital at Chapei. Here the war torn forms are swathed in bloodsoaked rags and towels and placed on a row on the floor.

This correspondent rode from Chapei hospital to the Chinese general hospital in Shanghai with a load of the wounded. The patients obviously were suffering great pain as the vehicles bumped over the rough road but they bore it without an outcry.

### Plucky Patients

This stoicism also was in evidence at the hospital where the correspondent witnessed treatment of wounded as they arrived in trucks from the front.

The pluckiness of a young army officer was typical. While attendants picked shrapnel fragments from a wound in his arm he discussed cheerily with the doctors the progress of the fighting in Chapei.

One of the most pitiful sights was a view of the many wounded children who were maimed for life as a result of their wounds. Among today's arrivals at the General hospital was a young woman whose foot had been shot off.

### MUST FINISH FIGHT

Washington, Feb. 10.—(AP)—The opinion is growing in Washington that China and Japan must fight out their differences in the Shanghai area and reach a military decision before further peace overtures can well be made to Japan by foreign governments.

Through fourteen days of fighting, the international truce plan and violation of attempted local truces have failed and there seems little the United States, Great Britain, France and Italy can do but keep up their representations to Japan against the dangers to the International Settlement and the French Concession.

The latter, which is somewhat protected against the shells from the Chapei fighting zone by the International Settlement, has recently been much disturbed by shells, most of which were duds.

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### OTHER CITIES QUIET

Hongkong, Feb. 10.—(AP)—C. C. Wu, an outstanding figure in Chinese politics, has definitely declined appointment as governor of Canton, it was said on good authority today, because he could not extricate an entirely civilian government would be permitted.

Hongkong and the other coast ports all are quiet; but at Canton sandbag protection is being erected for the electric light plant, the water works and similar structures.



HARD AT WORK ON OPERETTA High School Glee Clubs to Present "Pirates of Penzance" Friday.

The combined Glee Clubs of Manchester High school are hard at work rehearsing the Gilbert and Sullivan operetta, "The Pirates of Penzance," which they will present Friday at the High School hall.

Together with "Pinafore" and "The Mikado," "The Pirates of Penzance" is considered the best of the many musical comedies composed by Sullivan in collaboration with William Gilbert. These operettas were all written in the last century, but they grow more popular every year.

"The Pirates of Penzance" deals with the plight of young Frederic who is apprenticed against his will to a band of pirates until he reaches his twenty-first birthday. On that day he meets Mabel, one of the many daughters of the major general, who wishes to break up with her band.

However, Frederic finds that since he was born on February 29, he is still bound to serve the pirates, because he has only had one birthday. The plot is developed by Major General Stanley, come to seize the pirates, and Frederic's position is a ticklish one, for he cannot belong to both sides at the same time.

The situation is finally straightened out in a very novel way, the pirates and police are reconciled, and the pirates, police and madmen are not at all what you would expect them to be. The soloists have been well chosen and there is a strong, well trained chorus. Under the supervision of Miss E. Marion Dorward and N. B. Gatchell, this musical comedy is expected to be an even greater success than the "Mikado," which was presented last year.

"The Pirates of Penzance" was first produced on New Year's Eve, 1878, at the Fifth Avenue theater in New York, with Arthur Sullivan as the composer, conducting. London did not see it until three months later. "The Pirates" immediately became the vogue in America and proved equally, if not more popular than its predecessor, "Pinafore." Sir Arthur pronounced the score of even greater beauty than the nautical opera. In London, after its English premiere, "The Pirates" enjoyed the unprecedented run of 400 consecutive performances.

LAWYER KILLS SELF Portsmouth, N. H., Feb. 10.—(AP)—Samuel W. Emery, 49, one of the leading Democrats of New Hampshire, and an outstanding lawyer committed suicide by shooting himself twice today. He took his life in the basement of Christ's Episcopal Church of which he was treasurer.

Emery, a member of the Democratic State Committee went to the church after attending a session of the city court. He was scheduled to appear in court today to answer a suit brought by Josephine L. Hunt against the estate of her husband, David G. Hunt of Manchester, N. H., of which Emery was administrator.

CORRECT COURT ATTIRE London, Feb. 10.—(AP)—Women folk summoned to attend the Royal Courts this season may wear colored gowns modeled upon four approved by the King and Queen today.

A description of the gowns now on view in the Lord Chamberlain's office says one is of cloud-white silk net sprinkled with tiny diamond stars; another is of waterily green Nottingham lace and silk chiffon; the third is of blue, red, ruby, orange and black brocade; the fourth is of orchid mauve satin with a train of pearly purple velvet.

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION 10 SALESMEN WANTED—Very attractive position. Apply at Waranoke Hotel from 8 to 9 a. m. Mr. Brown.

Personal Notices CARD OF THANKS At this time we pause in our bereavement, the recent loss of our beloved husband, son and brother, Sergeant John Crockett to express our appreciation for the many splendid tokens of esteem and expressions of sympathy extended to us by members of Manchester Police Dept., officials of the Town of Manchester, Manchester Lodge No. 73, A. F. & A. M., Tall Cedars of Lebanon, B. P. O. No. 125, King David Lodge, L. O. O. F., Washington Loyal Orange Lodge, No. 117, Washington Social Club, Hose Co. No. 5, B. O. E. F., our many friends, neighbors and those who so kindly furnished care.

MRS. IRENE CROCKETT and FAMILY. MR. AND MRS. WILLIAM TEDFORD. MRS. MARY G. CROCKETT. MR. AND MRS. G. GOODSPED. MR. AND MRS. FRANK ROBINSON.

CARD OF THANKS We wish to thank our relatives, friends and neighbors for flowers and kindness during the illness and death of our beloved sister, Theresa Gibbon. We also extend thanks to Mrs. B. Cheney auxiliary, U. S. W. V. and the W. E. A. for beautiful floral tributes. We deeply appreciate the kindness and fine spirit shown to Miss Gibbon during her illness by Superintendent Mrs. Jane Aldrich of the Memorial hospital and the doctors and nurses.

MRS. MARY GIBBON GRIMLEY, FRANK GIBBON, PATRICK GIBBON, JOHN GIBBON.

FREE OF RESPONSIBILITY IN HARTFORD DEATH Albert J. Weir and Thomas Balfour Not to Blame for McInerney Death.

While damages of \$10,000 were being sought on the civil side of the Superior Court, against Albert J. Weir of 219 Summit street and Thomas J. Balfour of Hartford, by the administrator of the estate of Patrick J. McInerney of Hartford, the criminal side of the Superior Court found Weir and Balfour not responsible for the death of McInerney and the case against them was nolle.

The last finding submitted by the late coroner J. Gilbert Calhoun was read, in which the coroner found that the two operators of the cars were not responsible for the death of the Grand street man. Repairs were being made in the roadway in Hartford at the time of the accident, October 21, 1931, and a detour was made for vehicles while the work was in progress. Both drivers were entitled to proceed through the "one-way" detour, according to the coroner's observation, too late that the other had started to go through.

Weir was driving west on Grand street and Balfour was going south on Broad street. McInerney was standing on the southwest corner of the intersection when the cars collided. The Balfour car turned over and hit the pedestrian, who suffered a fractured skull and died soon after at a hospital.

The trial in the suit for damages was begun Monday before Judge Newell Jennings and a jury and was brought by Robert J. Travis, administrator of McInerney's estate.

GIRLS FRIENDLY GROUP GIVES ANNUAL SUPPER St. Mary's Girls Entertain 225 Parishioners and Friends Last Evening.

Mrs. John Trotter, chairman, and her associates from the St. Mary's Girls Friendly Society were congratulated last night on the success of the annual supper and entertainment which was enjoyed by 225 of the parishioners and friends.

Miss Hazel Robinson and Associate Organist Manning named two tellers. As the vote was being taken Mathias Spies, president of the Taxpayers' League, said that he did not favor the two-payment plan at this time explaining that the fiscal year closing as it does on August 15 would make it necessary for the town to borrow money in lieu of tax collections.

Town Treasurer Waddell gave a lucid statement of the financial standing of the town explaining in detail why maturing notes have made it necessary for the town to do its business on a narrow margin.

House Without Food Mr. Waddell described the condition as being like a family owning a house but no food. Manchester like nearly every other municipality has the assets but no money.

When the votes were counted there were 53 "no" and 47 "yes." Selectman Bowers then addressed the gathering asking that the vote be reconsidered. He said he did not believe the voters realized the seriousness of the situation. He stated the point that the Town of Manchester had never defaulted upon its note payments and that the credit of the town was good now and would be impaired if the two-payment plan was not rescinded. He asked someone who had voted "no" to ask for reconsideration.

Changes Vote W. H. Schielde said that the meeting was not showing common sense in taking the action it had taken. He urged that the voters see to it that the town gets its house in order before adopting the two-payment system. Joseph Hadden argued that the two-payment plan helped the poor class, and said that the rich man could pay his taxes in one sum. Selectman Frank V. Williams said he did not believe the voters realized how serious the condition is and urged them to reconsider their action. Thomas Trotter refused that the town is in difficult circumstances enough without taking action that would add to the burden. Archie Haugh who had previously voted "no" moved that the vote be reconsidered. On a ballot vote the reconsideration motion was voted 63 to 39. Then the town meeting action was rescinded by acclamation. A motion to adjourn was immediately put and voted.

This didn't exactly conclude the entire meeting however since a group that gathered at the rostrum afterwards argued vociferously the good and bad points of the two-payment tax plan. Jacob Lauffer insisted that a good many taxpayers had let their tax payments go and then had paid them without paying a nine per cent interest charge. Selectman Rogers said that was possible but the interest charge still remained on the books and would be added to the next bill. Selectman Rogers pointed out to Lauffer that he (Lauffer) had not paid the interest on his own tax bill.

No Leadership During the argument several members of the Taxpayers' League deplored the lack of leadership displayed in their organization and one of its organizers, W. H. Schielde intimated that he was disgusted and said he was going to resign from the league. Several points raised in criticism of the town management of its affairs were quickly answered by Selectman Rogers and Town Treasurer Waddell. The chief critics were Jacob Lauffer and Walter Mahoney, both active in the Taxpayers' League.

LEWIS CHALLENGES Waterbury, Feb. 10.—(AP)—Prof. Albert Lewis of Redding, today sent the following telegram to Senator Hiram Bingham in Washington: "The newspapers this morning carried the story that you had attacked me in secret session of the U. S. Senate. My charges against you have always been in the open. I challenge you to repeat your charges against me in Hartford any day you choose."

LAWYERS ORGANIZE New York, Feb. 10.—(AP)—Incorporation of the Trade and Commerce Bar Association, a national organization of lawyers engaged in the field of industrial and trade relations, was completed today with the filing of a certificate in the county clerk's office.

The object of the association is to supplement, not displace, the work of existing bar associations.

VOTE TO DROP TWO-PAYMENT TAX SYSTEM (Continued From Page 1)

ed that the two-payment plan was not practical and would be costly to operate. Some criticism was made that notes should have been made payable May 1, but Town Treasurer G. H. Waddell had taken that action in order to save the town three months' interest charges on \$619,000, a considerable sum. When this condition was explained to leading citizens and taxpayers in town agitation was started for a special town meeting to rescind the October vote.

Members of the Taxpayers' League who had previously favored the two payment plan realized that the system was not practical as long as the fiscal year and taxation year were not coincidental. They then petitioned the Selectmen to call a special town meeting to consider rescinding the installment tax paying plan. Last night's session was the result.

Lauffer the Champion The leading champion of the two-payment plan last night was Jacob Lauffer who said that the plan should be given a try. He said that perhaps the rich taxpayers would be willing to pay their taxes in one installment and thus help the town out.

The meeting was called to order by Thomas J. Rogers chairman of the Board of Selectmen. Attorney Frederick R. Manning was named moderator upon motion of Judge W. H. Hyde. Selectman Rogers made the motion that the two-payment tax plan as voted last October be rescinded after the call had been read by Town Clerk Samuel J. Turkington. Selectman Rogers told the gathering that the town must raise \$600,000 by taxes this year and that \$619,000 in notes mature in May. There would be insufficient funds to meet the payments if the two-payment plan were allowed to stand, he said. He said the town had never defaulted and he urged that the vote be rescinded.

Spies Favors Change When the question was called for Jacob Lauffer moved that the vote be by secret ballot. Judge Hyde said that such action was silly and only a waste of time. The gathering voted for the secret ballot, however. The vote was 53 to 47.

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Manchester's Date Book

This Week Friday, Feb. 12.—High school presents musical comedy, "Pirates of Penzance."

Saturday, Feb. 13.—Luna Lodge, No. 72, Knights of Pythias, celebrates 25th anniversary at Orange hall.

Old-timers' basketball game at State Armory, benefit Manchester Emergency Employment Association, Inc.

Next Week Sunday, Feb. 14.—Annual ice Carnival at Center Springs pond.

Friday, Feb. 19.—Annual banquet of Luther League of Swedish Lutheran church.

This Month Sunday, Feb. 13.—Dedication of Y. M. C. A. at North End.

Monday, Feb. 22.—Joint banquet of American Legion and Auxiliary at Masonic Temple.

Friday, Feb. 24.—Annual meeting of Manchester Country club.

Next Month Wednesday, March 2.—Opening of Automobile Show at Armory, continuing through Saturday.

Monday, March 7.—Adjourned annual town meeting at High school.

Tuesday, March 8.—Fourth annual concert of G. C. Glee club at Swedish Lutheran church.

Wednesday, March 30.—Annual ball of Knights of Columbus at State Armory.

Coming Events Monday, April 11.—Annual Kiwanis Minstrel Show at High School also April 12.

Friday, June 24.—Opening of two-day state convention on field day of the Order of Moose here.

Saturday, June 25.—State Masonic Veterans Reunion at Temple.

LATEST STOCKS

New York, Feb. 10.—(AP)—The Stock Market support today, in the same area where the decline was checked in early January.

The turn came after several issues had registered new lows in the early dealings, and was accompanied with a run in of short selling in Union Pacific, in advance of tomorrow's dividend meeting. Trade news was on the whole still rather gloomy, but Washington news to the effect that Senator Glass' bill to revise Federal Reserve Act was being altered met with a favorable reception in some quarters in Wall street.

Union Pacific pushed up more than 3 points. Auburn fully recovered an early drop of nearly 6 points, which reduced it to 9 1/2, in contrast to last week's high of 13 1/2. Morning losses of 1 to 2 points in prominent issues were generally erased in the afternoon, the similar extent appeared during the afternoon in such issues as U. S. Steel, American Can, American Telephone, Eastman, Westinghouse, Case, Dupont, Consolidated Gas, Johns Manville, New York Central, and Pacific Telephone.

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BOWLING GIRLS REQUEST REJECTED BY CHAMBER

Wanted Permission to Canvass Merchants for Gifts—Try to Raise Money for Tourney.

The Manchester Chamber of Commerce, acting in behalf of its committee on solicitations, today announced it had rejected the Charter Oak Girls Bowling Club's request for permission to canvass local merchants for prizes to be given away at benefit card parties arranged for the purpose of raising funds to permit the local state champions to participate in the world's championship tournament in Virginia during April.

The special notice mailed to Manchester merchants said in part: "Very careful consideration was given to the matter and some felt that it would be very fine to see these young ladies make the trip south to enter the contest, but the solicitations approval committee thoroughly realized the danger of allowing a sort of thing to get started. Every club, society or organization in the town or out of town, would soon be running benefit events and would be asking the merchants to contribute or donate merchandise for the prizes and the merchants and the business houses of this town simply cannot afford to do this constantly and to do it for one it means they must be prepared to do it for all.

"It is therefore my duty to inform you that the Solicitations Approval Committee disapproves this and those requesting permission have been notified to this effect. You are hereby informed of their disapproval and reminded that when one of these affairs is disappointed, you are, according to your own choice by agreeing to the contract, supposed to refrain from participation.

E. J. McCABE, Executive Secretary."

WAPPING NO. 2 TEAM TAKES SETBACK PRIZE Watkins Bros. Representatives Lead in North End Tournament, However.

First prize in last night's session of the Community Club setback tournament at the Hilliard Street Hose House was awarded to Wapping Team No. 2, consisting of: xMcCarthy's Volunteers, 1811; xWoodland Street, 1810; xFoley's Express, 1802; Veteran's, 1779; Hose company, No. 1, 1779; Curran's Barbers, 1741; xMidway's, 1734; xBurr Nursery, No. 1, 1717; xMcCarthy's Store, 1683; xWapping, No. 1, 1683; xBurr Nursery, No. 2, 1658; xKeller's, 1651; and xDalton's Radio, 1637. The "x" before each team indicates that it has taken its turn at scoring a sitting of the tournament.

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The four girls who ran screaming about the apartment ranged in age from 17 to 19 and said they met the men two days ago while they were looking for work.

The cash recovered was riddled up as though prepared for deposit in a bank. Police said Morgan admitted he participated in the holdup in which \$115 was taken and that he escaped from Deer Island several months ago.

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OBITUARY

DEATHS JOHN KUHNLY, SR. DIES IN ROCKVILLE

Well Known Plumbing and Heating Contractor Passes After Illness. (Special to The Herald)

Rockville, Feb. 10.—John Kuhnly Sr., one of Rockville's most prominent citizens, died early today at his Talcott Avenue home after a long illness. He was 76 years old.

Mr. Kuhnly was secretary and treasurer of the Kuhnly Plumbing and Heating Company founded 27 years ago, and was also a copartowner and director of the People's Savings Bank.

Born in Norwich, Sept. 5, 1855, son of the late Andrew Kuhnly and Sophia Adams Kuhnly, he moved to Coventry and then came to Rockville with his parents in 1885.

Ten years later he began work in the Corbin division of the United States Envelope Company and 62 years ago entered the plumbing business with his brother, the late Edward Kuhnly.

For two years he had been in ill health and for the past five months had been confined to his bed. His death caused widespread regret here as he was a man of splendid character, noted for his honesty and his devotion to his family.

Mr. Kuhnly's wife, formerly Miss Caroline Zimmerman whom he married October 21, 1876, died May 8, 1930. They celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary in 1926.

Three sons survive. They are John Kuhnly Jr., who is connected with the company of which his father was head, William, a former alderman who is now superintendent of the Horton Company, and Frederick who is proprietor of the Village street barber shop; also nine grand children.

The funeral will be held at 4 o'clock Friday afternoon at the home on 47 Talcott Avenue. Rev. H. B. Olmstead, pastor of St. John's Episcopal church, will officiate and burial will be in the Grove Hill cemetery.

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ROCK GARDEN EXPERT COMING TO HARTFORD

Many Local Garden Enthusiasts to Attend Lecture Week From Tonight in Hartford.

Manchester Garden club members and others will be interested in a lecture by Edith H. Banghart, F. R. H. S., of Medina, Washington, to be given at the Center Church House, Hartford, Wednesday evening, February 17 at 8 o'clock. Mrs. Banghart is considered this country's foremost authority on rock gardens and has one of the finest collections of alpine in the United States. Her subject will be "Best Alpines for American Rock Gardens, Their Requirements and Culture." Mrs. Banghart's talk will be illustrated with colored slides.

The lecture is sponsored by the Connecticut Horticultural society of which the local Garden club and many Manchester gardeners are members. The seating capacity of the hall is limited and it will be advisable for all who contemplate attending to secure their tickets in advance. The society is bringing forward a bill for the appropriation of \$375,000 for unemployment relief. This was the first time the administration's disapproval of the measure had been voiced on the Senate floor.

HAWAIIAN FINANCES Meanwhile a Senate committee heard a Haitian citizen—George Legere, a brother of the Haitian foreign minister—testify that the State Department had forced loans on that country. The department replied quickly in a statement that Haiti was never on such a sound financial basis as at present.

Other Senate committees received a report on the contest brought by Former Senator Hefflin of Indiana against the election of Senator Bankhead (D., Ala.), and heard testimony on the nominations of James H. Wilkerson of Chicago to be a circuit judge and Thad H. Brown of Ohio to be a member of the radio commission.

Before a House committee, Secretary Hurley said this is no time to consider Philippine independence due to the political chaos in the Far East.

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PREFERS BATTALINO New York, Feb. 10.—(AP)—It promises to be a busy spring for Billy Petrolle, the Fargo express, if the plans of promoter Jimmy Johnston of Madison Square Garden materialize.

Johnston said today he was negotiating with the managers of three of the greatest lightweights and welterweights in the game for bouts with Petrolle in the next few months. They are Bat Battalino, featherweight champion; Tony Conzoneri, lightweight champion, and Jackie Fields, holder of the welter weight crown.

Johnston hopes first to match Petrolle with Fields and has been negotiating with Jack Kearns, manager of the welter king, Jack Hurley, who pilots Petrolle, prefers to take on Battalino first.

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ON NEXT WEDNESDAY

Competition Open in Bowling, Volley Ball and Billiards; Teams Are Entered.

In its effort to permit every group in the Community to participate in the activities of its opening week, the Manchester YMCA is staging a men's night on next Wednesday, February 17. Competition is open to the men in bowling, volley ball, pool, and billiards.

Teams are being entered by the Bon Ami, C. E. Wilson Nurseries, Burr Nurseries, Everymans' Bible Class, North End Business Men, and several other community and individual independent groups. A splendid evening of friendly competition and fun is promised the men, and will be followed by a social gathering with a splendid musical program.

The regular program for the day will feature activities among the women and girls. Mrs. Mary Crockett, perhaps better known to Manchester people as Mary McMenemy, who is to serve the YMCA as Physical and Club Director for Women and Girls, is planning a gymnasium class for women in the morning, and Girls' Club Recreation Periods in the afternoon.

**QUOTATIONS**

In the first place, if you don't have it to spend you can't spend it.—Mrs. Hattie Caraway, senator from Arkansas.

Japan does not want a unified China. She wants a piebald China.—Mayor Wu-Teh Chen of Greater Shanghai.

Signs point to a Democratic year.—Gov. Albert C. Ritchie of Maryland.

With wrestlers it is different. When they are tired they drop to the floor and grunt.—Dr. Philip H. Krouscher, Chicago surgeon.

We pride ourselves on the fact we have no backyard variety of justice.—Kenneth V. Abendana, member Legislative Council of Jamaica, British West Indies.

**DEATHS LAST NIGHT**

Los Angeles—Dr. A. F. Matyas, 62, internationally known pathologist and general superintendent of a Los Angeles hospital.  
Nancy, France—Monsignor Alfred B. Pettit, 75, noted as the founder of the Nancy Passion Play, Minneapolis, Minn.—The Very Rev. F. L. Kelly, 82, one of the early leaders in prison reform.

**HEBRON**

Word has been received that the Rev. Benjamin H. Eisen has returned from his sojourn of about a year and a half in England. He arrived a short time ago on the Albert Ballin, at New York. Since that time he has been the guest of friends at his writing in the guest of Dean Ladd, at the Berkeley Divinity School, New Haven. While in England he acted as curate at Farnham, and was later transferred to a large and important church in London. He has greatly enjoyed his experience abroad and visited many points of interest there. He now plans to remain in this country for his future life's work.

At the morning service at St. Peter's Episcopal Church on Sunday it was announced that the first of the Lenten services will take place on Wednesday next, Ash Wednesday, at 3 o'clock, p. m., at the home of the Misses Pendleton. Mr. Allan L. Carr will be in charge. The service will be held weekly throughout the Lenten season, and will be at the homes of members who find it convenient to offer their hospitality for the purpose. All interested are invited to attend.

Gordon Bevin of East Hampton was a caller at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ames W. Sisson on Saturday. He brought Mr. Sisson home from East Hampton with him, remaining for a short visit which was much enjoyed by Mr. Sisson, who is employed at East Hampton, returned by bus, Monday.

Frank R. Post, clerk of St. Peter's Episcopal church has appointed Mrs. Anne C. Gilbert to act as his assistant. Mr. Post has been clerk since the death of the former clerk, D. Wallace White, in 1914, or eighteen years. He tried to resign at the last meeting of the church, but was urged to continue his work, and was finally prevailed upon to do so, with the help of an assistant.

Miss Clarissa L. Pendleton spent Sunday afternoon at her Hebron home. Her patient, William Curtis Colchester, continues to improve and is able to walk with help. He broke his hip last fall a short time before his 96th birthday, by a fall at his home.

The subject of the Rev. Walter Vey's sermon at the Hebron and Gilead Congregational churches, on Sunday last, was Leadership, the text being taken from the 15th chapter of St. John, verses 1-13. The choir sang an anthem, "Sing Unto The Lord."

Allan L. Carr, lay rector of St. Peter's Episcopal church, spoke on "The greatest thing in life," in his sermon Sunday morning. The Misses Jennie Pomprovicz and Katie Kulynych sang an offertory, "Faithful Shepherd, Feed Me, In the Pastures Green."

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Ward and children were visitors at the home of Mr. Ward's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William E. Ward, in Norwich, on Sunday. Mrs. Ward returned with them and spent a few days as their guest here.

Norman Wilson has returned from the Hartford hospital after having been laid up for nearly thirteen weeks from the result of an injury received while chopping wood, at the

home of William J. Warner in Gilead. Mr. Wilson is able to get about his home a little with the aid of crutches, but will not be able to walk without them before next July, it is predicted. His back was injured at the same time that his leg was broken. He does not expect to be able to work for another year.

The Congregational choir rehearsals are now being held Saturday afternoons at 4 p. m., at the homes of singers on or near the center.

A Father and Son banquet is to take place at the Congregational church, Hebron Center, Friday evening, Feb. 12—The Ladies Aid Society have the refreshments in charge.

It is planned to hold a Christian Endeavor social at the church parlors of the Center Congregational church, Friday evening, February 19. The Endeavor societies of Andover, Columbia, Scotland, and Windham are invited to join with the local society, and a pleasing program will be carried out.

**GAME BREEDING STUDY AT STORRS PROPOSED**

To assist experiments in game breeding and at Connecticut Agricultural College, the State Board of Fisheries and Game has authorized an offer of six pairs of bobwhite quail and six pairs of ring-neck pheasants to the Storrs institution. Under the Six Year Program for game restoration in Connecticut, recently submitted to Governor Wilbur L. Cross, inauguration of a game breeding and management course is proposed at the college next fall.

Several other states have recently embarked upon plans to interest farmers in raising game, both for hunting and marketing purposes. With an extensive acreage admirably suited to game in Connecticut, much of which is unsuited for any other purpose than woodland, a new source of revenue may become available to Connecticut's future farmers. The Storrs faculty is now investigating the possibilities and probable cost of the work and a report will be made to the trustees for their action.

Songs have immortalized the corner where the gang used to hang around. The depression has immortalized the corner where Prosperity is still hanging.

**NOTICE!**  
**Capitol Barber Shop**  
Open for Business  
Over Rubino's  
Use South Entrance

**LICENSES SUSPENDED**

A list of operators whose licenses to drive automobiles in Connecticut

have been suspended for one year because of a conviction for driving while under the influence of liquor was given out today at the State Motor Vehicle Department as a part

of the effort to reduce this highway menace. The department statement advised people to notify the department or the police in case they should see any of these driv-

ers operating motor vehicles. Bridgeport, William F. Maher, Jr., 1385 Iranistan ave.; Cornwall, Edw. A. Conkling, Box 61; New Britain, Theodore Yaas, 37 Dwight

street; Pomfret Center, Matti Hurme, R. F. D. No. 2; South Norwalk, Waddie Carlos, 3 Cliff street; West Haven, Angelo Alfrida, 22 Park Terrace; Foster Center, R. John Victor Aho.

**Porcelain Top Table**  
Hardwood base. Handy drawer with knob. All legs nicely turned.  
**\$3.95**

**Brass Wash Board**  
Cable crimp, regular size  
**54c**  
Hot dipped galvanized, standard weight wash tub  
**79c**

**Unfinished Chair**  
Priced Lower Than Usual in February Sales! Panel Back  
**77c**  
Of hardwood, sanded smooth, ready to paint. A big value at this low price.

**Your Neighbor Saves at WARD'S Why don't you?**

**Mazda Bulb Kits**  
New Gas Filled Bulbs! Backed by Ward's and Westinghouse Electric!  
**58c**  
Two 21 c. P. headlight and 2 tall or dashlight bulbs. Save at Ward's.

**Steel Utility Box**  
All Steel! Lacquered Finish! Nickel Plated Hardware! Only  
**75c**  
Neat! And it holds plenty of tools. Size 14x6x6 3-8 inches. 1 key.

**\$2 Steel Axe**  
One-Piece Tool Steel Head Scientifically Honed! Only  
**\$1.00**  
The handle is 30 inches of smooth hickory! White lacquered with red tip. 3 1-2 lbs.

Special First Floor Men's 1-2 wood combed y r n. Shirts or drawers. \$1.49 values  
**98c**

Special Basement Flat Wall Finish All colors. \$2.75 value, 1 gallon  
**\$1.21**

Special—Second Floor 9x12 Linoleum Rugs Assorted pattern  
**\$4.49**

Special Basement Dry Fast Varnish, dries quickly, wears longer. 1 gallon  
**\$1.19**

Special First Floor Children's Shoes Browns, blacks. Patent calf, Sizes 6 to 8, 8 to 11, 11 1-2 to 2.  
**\$1.00**

**New Roll Rim Kitchen Sink**  
Sells Elsewhere for \$27!  
**\$22.25** Complete  
All cast iron, white porcelain enameled! Roomy sink and drain board, with nickel plated brass fittings. 2 faucets.

**Hack Saw Frames**  
All Metal... Nickel Plated With One 8-inch Blade! Now  
**77c**  
Adjustable for 8 to 12-inch blades. Get it now at Anniversary savings.

**Double Lift Jack**  
Lifts 1 1-2 Tons Easily! Get it Now at Anniversary Savings!  
**\$1.00**  
Ball bearing construction! Easy to operate. 42-inch crank handle.

**Cast Iron Deep Fryer**  
Self heating cover. May be used to bake or roast, \$2.00 value.  
**79c**

**Garbage Cans**  
Hot Dipped Galvanized! 18-Gallon Capacity. Save Now!  
**\$1.19**  
A real buy for the home! Tight cover. Corrugated sides.

**Men's Caps**  
8 piece top, full leather sweat band, Rubber vision.  
**\$1** each

**Electric Lantern**  
Turns Night Into Day! Four-inch Focusing Head! Handy!  
**\$1.00**  
Penetrates 1,000 ft. Enamel finished case! With lamp; less battery.

**Full Size Porcelain Top KITCHEN CABINET**  
With All These Features is an Exceptional Value.  
**\$19.95**  
When you find such features in a Cabinet at this low price—**TIME TO BUY!** 40-in. stain-proof top, metal-lined and covered bread drawer, stiffer flour bin, roomy drawers, and big utensil cabinet.

**Poultry Fountain**  
Lamp Heated! 5-Gal. Capacity! Often Sells for \$1 More.  
**\$3.75**  
Large drinking pan and oil fount. Water always at even temperature!

**Chambray Shirts**  
Color blue double back. Triple stitched, full cut.  
**2 for \$1**

**Rayon Bedspreads**  
80x105. Choice of color, blue, rose, gold, orchid.  
**\$1.49** each

**Even Lower Priced than 1931!**  
**INNER SPRING MATTRESS and Helical Top Spring both for \$14.90**  
Many distinctive features not found in most Mattresses and Springs selling at this low price! Sturdy double-deck Coil Spring with flexible steel center bands... rolled edge Inner Spring Mattress covered in imported damask.

**Latest Model Radio**  
Ten tube Superheterodyne personal tone control. U. M. tube added feature Utah speaker. Former price \$89.95. Now  
**\$69.95** Cash  
For easy payment small additional carrying charge.

**Men's Dress Shirt**  
Collar attached two ply broad cloth tailored to fit, pre-shrunk. All sizes.  
**\$1.00** \$1.95 values.

**Ruffled Curtains**  
Extra wide, dotted and plain. Exceptional value.  
**59c** Per Pair

**Cottage Curtains Sets**  
Assorted colors, blue, green and gold.  
**49c** Per Set of 5 Pieces

**Console Radio**  
8 tube superheterodyne padded tone chambers, meter tuning. Mighty Pentode super power tube, finest tone.  
**\$49.95** Cash  
Also sold on easy payments. Small additional carrying charge.

**Men's Union Suit**  
Combed yarn. Spring needle knit. \$1.49 value.  
**\$1.00**

**Cannon Towels**  
They are soft and thirsty, yet tough and tenacious. Cotton long inner fiber, sizes 24x44.  
**19c** each

**Full Size Metal Bed Mattress, Coil Spring**  
All for **\$14.95**  
Imagine—this COMPLETE outfit for only \$14.95. Metal Bed is ungrained walnut enamel finish, sturdy enameled Coil Spring, 45-lb. felt and cotton Mattress.

**Wardway Washer**  
Standard type, three fan agitator, 1-4 horse power motor, genuine Lovell wringer, porcelain tub leakproof wearing glands.  
**\$49.95** Cash  
For small additional charge may be purchased on easy payment plan.

**Men's genuine fore quarter Horsehide Coat**  
Wool blanket lined. Now  
**\$7.95** Last year's price \$14.75.

**TUNE IN Wards Beautiful Thoughts RADIO PROGRAM EVERY WEEK DAY**

**HERE'S A WINNER FOR THE MONEY 3-Piece Bed Outfit**  
Full Size Metal Bed  
All for **\$14.95**

**Step Ladders**  
5 ft. size seasoned grained pine. Steps mortised and reinforced.  
**\$1.00**

**Chamois Skin**  
Size 25 x 36 inches. Full bodied. Long wearing. A bargain!  
**98c**

**Spark Plugs.**  
Set of 4 Chevrolet and Ford plugs. Leak and short proof!  
**\$1.00**

**Co-Var—For floors, woodwork or furniture—stains and varnishes.**  
**69c**

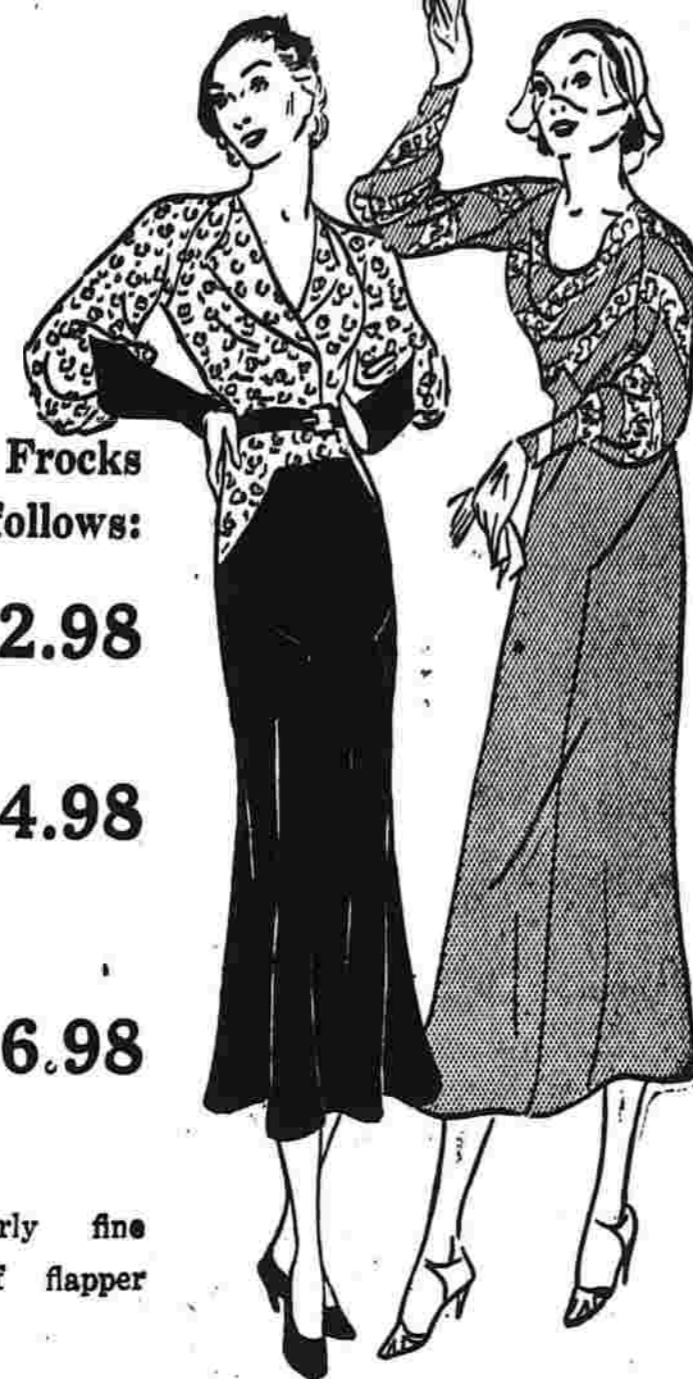
**Liquid Enamel Famous "Miro-Lite"**  
Brilliant washable surface. SAVE!  
**63c**

Always Courteous Treatment at Ward's

**Frading's**  
Tomorrow Begins Our February Three Day DRESS SALE

Printed Frocks in the Spirit of Spring

Fresh as a first apple blossom, these heralds of a happy new season... the smartest thing of all to wear right now!



Tomorrow These Frocks will be reduced as follows:

- Reg. \$3.98 and \$5.00 **\$2.98**
- Reg. \$5.98 and \$6.98 **\$4.98**
- Reg. \$7.98 and up to \$10.00 **\$6.98**

A particularly fine assortment of flapper sizes.

**Spring Fashions** made to sell at higher prices. Gigolo Moulded Waist Lines, Capelet and Puff Sleeves, New Jackets and Boleros.

**Spring Colors** To give your wardrobe a lease on life. Candy Stripes and Paisleys, Lightning Flash Prints, New Shades and Combinations.

**MONTGOMERY WARD & CO.**

824-828 MAIN STREET TEL. 5161 SOUTH MANCHESTER Your Neighbor Saves Money at Ward's—Why Don't You?



LENTEN SEASON BEGINS TODAY

Ash Wednesday Custom Observed In Catholic Churches—Meaning of Lent.

The Lenten season, which embraces a period of 40 days, Sundays excluded, began today with Ash Wednesday services in both Roman Catholic churches and St. Mary's Episcopal church.

Lent is the annual season of fasting in the spring of the year, observed by many churches as a preparation for the Great Feast of Easter and as a time of special penitence, and in the Western church since the early Middle Ages fixed in duration at 40 days which have been established as the 40 week days preceding Easter, the first being Ash Wednesday.

Today's Significance Ash Wednesday is a custom of the Roman Catholic church. Formerly ashes were placed upon the foreheads of public penitents only, but now all the faithful observe it.

HEFLIN'S CHARGES CITED IN SENATE

(Continued from Page One) to pay the poll tax for other persons. Candidates Assessed "An assessment was made on the various candidates to furnish sufficient money to pay the poll tax for persons who would not otherwise be authorized to vote."

ITALY PROPOSES REAL ARMS CUT

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SUPREME COURT UPHOLDS PARKER-SMITH VERDICT

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The three principals were found guilty of embezzlement October 24, 1929 and the sentences at that time were five to eight years for the Smiths and three to six years for Parker. Then followed appeal to the Supreme Court, which resulted in another trial on charge of conspiracy, conviction, sentence appeal and now confirmation of the conviction.

Prosecution and conviction of Parker and the Smith brothers some three years ago was on a charge of embezzlement and they won a new trial on appeal to the Supreme Court, one of the grounds being that the state cannot rightfully prosecute an individual for embezzlement where the corporation is liable for embezzlement by other officers.

Methods Used "The defendants offered evidence to prove that the methods pursued had been used and continued since 1921, with the exception of the intervention of segregated accounts in 1928 as above stated; and they claimed that the course of conduct was not with intent to cheat and defraud any noteholder but to protect the interests of all investors, that they believed the assets of the corporation sufficient to pay all note holders in full, that there was no agreement or understanding between them or any of them to use unlawfully the assets of the corporation to defraud or cheat or to cheat or defraud note holders, but that their acts of omission and commission were due solely to poor business judgment and lack of understanding and were done in good faith.

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CECILIAN CLUB ELECTS MISS LITTLE PRESIDENT

South Methodist Church Group Holds Annual Meeting; Study Biblical Drama.

Miss Ethyle Lyttle was elected president of the Cecilian club of the South Methodist church which held its annual meeting last night at the church. The club which was organized in February of 1930 now has 28 members, a group of young women of the church whose interest in music has held their enthusiasm for weekly rehearsals under the leadership of Thomas Maxwell.

VETERAN REPORTER DIES AT CAPITAL

(Continued from Page 1.)

call to hundreds of former members of that body the part he played in the reporting of the news under the capitol dome. No writer there ever had a larger circle of friends. He was a man of gentle speech, of dispassionate writing, a student of politics as they passed before him, and a friend of everyone about whom he wrote. Party men trusted him and he was confident of the leaders and always close to the men in high office.

ANDOVER

Ellsworth Mitten played in the Symphonian Orchestra at a dance in the Armory at Willimantic, Friday evening given by the Windham High School scholars. Frank Brown, Jr., and Carol Wright attended the junior dance in High School Hall in South Manchester, Saturday evening. Mr. Brown is a senior in the school.

SCHOOL BLOWN UP

Nelson, B. C., Feb. 10.—(AP)—Champion Creek school, a one-room building in the Doukhorobor community Castlegar and Trail, was wrecked by an explosion last night. Word was received today.

Guaranteed Fountain Pens \$1

Various Colors and Sizes. New Hadley Link Bracelet with adjustable ratchet clasp that works similar to a handcuff; can be tightened to any position; will not slip back but can be released instantly upon opening buckle \$3.50

WAPPING

Mr. and Mrs. Everett A. Buckland and Clynton E. Buckland who have been spending the past six weeks in Florida, returned to their home in Wapping last Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawton and son who have been building a new house on the Ellington road, just west of the center, have it completed and moved into it from Burnside, a week ago last Monday. Robert Warner of Bolton, was the guest of his daughter and family, Mrs. Herbert Watrous on Saturday. Mrs. Martin and Mrs. Thresher will give a benefit party at the home of Mrs. Martin, on Friday afternoon, February 12th.

MAY IMPROVE HARBOR

Washington, Feb. 10.—(AP)—Improvement of Boston harbor to cost \$4,800,000 was recommended to Congress today by Maj. Gen. Lyole Brown, chief of Army engineers. The report said it was advisable to provide for keeping the main ship channel from the city to the Commonwealth Pier No. 1 to 40 feet depth for a width of 600 feet with suitable widening at the bend in the channel and for dredging to afford an anchorage area 40 feet deep, 2,000 feet wide, and 5,500 feet long on the north side of President Road. Gen. Brown recommended \$30,000 annually for maintenance.

FORD'S WORKING HOLIDAY

Detroit, Feb. 10.—(AP)—Henry Ford would like to have the nation celebrate the birthday of his late friend, Thomas Edison by working. The eighty-fifth anniversary of the late inventor's birth is tomorrow. Mr. Ford said he planned to observe the date by working and hoped that the practice would become general. He suggested that Edison's birthday become a "do the best you can day."

LOVED TO EAT, AND NOW SHE CAN!

Much of the suffering from so-called "indigestion" or acid-dyspepsia could be avoided if everyone could know what thousands like Miss Lillian Ralston have learned. This New York City business woman, who lives at 1160 Park Avenue, says: "I suffered from headaches and heartburn after meals; couldn't sleep like I should; never felt right. For five years I experimented with medicines and treatments, until I learned about Pape's Diapepsin. I have used three packages now; have gained five pounds, and feel fine."

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DRINKWATER IS ILL

London, Feb. 10.—(AP)—John Drinkwater, the playwright, is critically ill of bronchial pneumonia at his home in Highgate, it was learned today.

John Drinkwater is best known in the United States for his play about Lincoln though he also wrote dramas on the lives of Robert E. Lee and Oliver Cromwell. Several books of his verse are well known on both sides of the Atlantic and a number of his plays have been produced in foreign languages. One of his most recent books, published last year, is "The Life and Adventures of Carl Laemmle," about the American motion picture producer.

BECKER SENTENCED

Hartford, Feb. 10.—(AP)—Arthur M. Becker, 35 of New Britain, was sentenced to 10 to 20 years in prison today by Judge Edwin M. Dickenson in Superior Court and ordered to serve in addition eight years unexpired on a previous charge, for which he was on parole. Becker, who was charged with assault with intent to murder Constable Nathan W. Fuller of Farmington early in December, climaxed a dramatic fight against the maximum penalty with an impassioned plea to Judge Edwin M. Dickenson and confused counsel with a statement that he pleaded guilty against his own wishes.

KILLS SELF WITH AXE

Bristol, Feb. 10.—(AP)—Charles Johnson, 68, was found dead, his throat cut with an axe, early today by members of the family with which he roomed. He is believed to have been a suicide, due to ill health.

LOCAL DRIVER ABSOLVED OF ACCIDENT BLAME

George W. Heskliss, Jr., Given Clean Bill by Middlesex Coroner; Car Killed Glastonbury Man.

George W. Heskliss, Jr., of Maple street, was absolved of criminal responsibility in the death of Michael Gondek of South Glastonbury, who was struck by Heskliss's car on the night of January 17, in a finding issued today by Coroner L. A. Smith of Middlesex County. Gondek was walking towards Middletown with a companion on the concrete road near the Portland-Glastonbury line. Heskliss was driving towards Manchester and struck Gondek in turning out to pass another car.

ARRESTS SUSPECT

Middletown, Feb. 10.—(AP)—A man which Eric Lingquist, 23, of Cleveland, Ohio, had in a lunch cart last night had an unpleasant ending for him. Officer Edward Hill was having coffee at the time. He recognized Lingquist as a man Waterbury officials were looking for.

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# LOW PRICES FEATURE "SELF-SERVE" EVENT

### Hale's Famous Grocery Department to Observe Its 12th Anniversary Beginning Tomorrow; Special Demonstrations and Free Samples to Be Given.

Opened in 1920 as an experiment the Self Serve department of the J. W. Hale company has developed into an institution, and starting tomorrow, Hale's Self Serve will observe its twelfth anniversary with a three-day sale that will feature prices as low and in average prices as they were before the World War. During Thursday, Friday and Saturday demonstrations of various products will also be held and free samples will be given away.

There is no secret about the success of Hale's Self Serve. It was a success from the start because it appealed to Manchester people. And this appeal was created by six outstanding merits of the store, as follows: Absolute cleanliness, merchandise fresh and attractive, tremendous turnover, the entire stock averages to turn over once in every three weeks, ease of purchasing, take as long as you want or hurry as fast as you wish, no coercion to buy and the largest assortment in town, nearly three times the assortment of the average chain store.

**"Wait On Yourself!"**  
In the twelve years since its creation, Hale's Self Serve has established a wide reputation for low prices and still lower prices and always the highest quality products. Its slogan, "It Pays To Wait On Yourself," has become a by-word in Manchester and vicinity.

**Well Supported**  
And Manchester people have been loyal to institutions they believe in. Despite the present inflation period, the grocery has had a new lease on life, it being almost physically impossible to handle the number of people who trade at the Self Serve on Saturday. In the grocery department alone last Saturday, it was estimated that over fifty percent of all the families in Manchester were represented some time during the day. By actual count, more than 3,550 customers were handled last Saturday.

**Big Savings**  
The answer lies in low prices. It is conservatively estimated that the savings to Manchester people since the store opened are \$250,000. It has become a community institution and there is nothing like it in New England. It is not to be compared either, with the self serve stores of the south and middle west. It stands alone as a unique service to the townspeople.

**Expenses Low**  
The success of Hale's Self Serve is not an accident. It is the result of careful planning, skillful buying and most of all a determination to keep expenses down to a minimum and the selling up to a maximum. So far as is known, there is not a grocery store in Connecticut that operates on as low an expense account as Hale's. And the grocery

### TON OF BUTTER SOLD ONE DAY AT HALE'S

An interesting sidelight on the success of Hale's Self Serve, which tomorrow, Friday and Saturday will observe its twelfth anniversary, is found in the amount of business done at the store on a single Saturday. In every instance the figures reach astounding totals, in most cases running into four figures. They are as follows:  
2,400 pounds of smoked shoulders  
3,000 loaves of Hale's Milk bread  
800 heads of lettuce  
6,000 pounds of granulated sugar  
2,250 pounds of butter  
1,000 pounds of Atlantic cookies, one brand only  
800 packages of Rinsol  
6,000 fresh eggs  
1,200 coffee cakes  
200 dozen of doughnuts and crullers.

operates on a profit of only one to two cents on a dollar, making possible the low prices that attract customers from a wide radius about Manchester.

**Meat Department**  
Four years after the Self Serve grocery came into being, the meat department was added, built into an alley-way. Last Saturday, this meat department, which consists of one show case 32 feet long, waited on 1,331 customers. According to the best information available this is the busiest thirty-two feet in the state.

**Big Loaf of Bread**  
Hale's Self Serve broke the price of sugar in 1920, constantly reduced the price of bread and is now selling the largest and best loaf of bread at the lowest price known of any loaf in the United States. This loaf is the big nineteen ounce type, baked by Newton and Robertson of Hartford, and sold for five cents, only one example of Hale's low prices. Pure milk and butter only are used, chemical substitutes being banned in Hale's.

The Self Serve also offers a delivery service, for those who haven't automobiles at a charge of ten cents, for one package or a truckload.  
**Week's Supply**  
It is not unusual for people to come in and buy enough to last them a week or two and it is a common occurrence for people to come in weekly from out of town and buy their week's supply of food at the Self Serve.

Tomorrow, Friday and Saturday, low prices will predominate more than ever before. Seven demonstrations will be given by companies, whose products are sold at the Self Serve. They are: Beechnut Packing company, Austin-Nichols company, makers of the "Sunbeam" products; Best Foods, Inc.; Kraft Cheese, Heinz Ketchup, Farm Crest Cakes, Atlantic Biscuit company and the Silver Lane Pickle company. Free samples will be given away at all of these demonstrations.

**YEAH, MUCH MORE**  
SHE: I don't think much of men's love. They all want to marry women with money.  
HE: You are unjust—they would be satisfied with money without the woman.—Flegende Blaetter, Munich.

### HERE'S FULL VIEW OF "MANCHESTER'S PUBLIC PANTRY"



The Self-Serve Grocery Department at Hale's has always been synonymous with health and cleanliness. This sweeping photograph shows how neat and attractive the famous department is.

### Overnight A. P. News

Sino-Japanese developments: Chinese cavalry surprises Japanese machine gunners in saber attack but is driven back by bullets; Chinese retain positions in Woonung forts and at Chapel despite heavy shelling from Japanese big guns and airplanes; Japanese reported landing additional bluejackets for new lunge at Chapel and Woonung fronts; Chinese commerce and banking leaders appeal to foreign powers to settle dispute with Japan according to the "ideals of the League of Nations, the Kellogg Pact and the Nine Power Treaty;" Japanese spokesman says Japan's proposal to demilitarize and neutralize, which the United States looked upon with disfavor, is the same American proposal during hostilities in 1927; the Black Hawk, U. S. destroyer tender, arrives in Shanghai from Manila with supplies for 31st Infantry.

London: Two Cabinet members vote against government's 10 per cent tariff proposals.  
London: Daily Mail says government plans to end trade agreement with Soviet Russia; sees trade balance injured as police halt march of 2,000 unemployed demonstrators.

Washington: Shouse favors Democratic convention unpledged in advance to any candidate; denies he, Smith and Raskob seek to block Roosevelt.  
Washington: State and National labor organizations urge approval of direct Federal unemployment relief legislation.

Washington: Senate confirms nomination of Robert L. O'Brien, Massachusetts Republican, as chairman of tariff commission.  
New York: Anonymous postcard leads to discovery of body of 13-year-old girl attacked and beaten to death with metal gas burner.

New York: Police arrest 28 persons and seize 275,000 tickets in important "policy slip" raid.  
Lake Placid: Karl Schaefer, of Austria, wins Olympic figure skating championship.  
Chicago: Relselt takes second place in three cushion billiard playoff; Layton captures fourth place.

Concord, N. H.—Gas ranges ordered installed in National Guard armories to equip them to feed large groups of people.  
Burlington, Vt.—Guy W. Bailey, president of the University of Vermont is not a candidate for governor.

Hanover, N. H.—Annual meeting of the National intercollegiate football rules committee to meet at

### Dartmouth Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

Easton.—More than 150 members of the Motion Picture Machine Operators' Union, Local 182, vote to accept a voluntary reduction of 10 percent from present salaries.

Caratunk, Me.—Heavy ice jam, driven by flood waters of the Kennebec river, forms at Otter pond landing and pushes a second ice barrier across the Bingham-Jackman highway, already under 12 to 26 feet of ice.

North Attleboro, Mass.—Ralph Schriker, 3, scalded to death when he falls in pail of boiling water.

Providence, R. I.—Two buzz saw operators killed on Rhode Island farms.

### CONVENT IS BURNED

Rustico, P. E. I., Feb. 10.—(AP)—Six nuns and 115 pupils escaped in night attire early today when fire destroyed a large convent and Catholic boarding school here. An early checkup indicated there were no casualties.

The fire broke out in the basement and made rapid headway. For two hours the entire countryside was lighted by the flames. The convent and school formed the center of community life in this small fishing village and residents worked valiantly in a bucket brigade in a futile attempt to save the two buildings. They were successful, however, in saving the church and some smaller buildings which were threatened.

### No More Gas In Stomach and Bowels

If you wish to be permanently relieved of gas in stomach and bowels, take Seaman's Gas Tablets, which are prepared especially for stomach gas and all the bad effects resulting from gas pressure.  
That empty, gnawing feeling at the pit of the stomach will disappear; that anxious, nervous feeling with heart palpitation will vanish, and you will again be able to take a deep breath without discomfort.  
That drowsy, sleepy feeling after dinner will be replaced by a desire for entertainment. Bloating will cease. Your limbs, arms and fingers will no longer feel cold and "go to sleep" because Seaman's Gas Tablets prevent gas from interfering with the circulation. Get the genuine, in the yellow package, at any good drug store. Price \$1.

Always on hand at E. J. MURPHY'S

### MARLBOROUGH

The funeral of Mrs. Mahala West, aged 82, widow of Chauncey B. West was held at the funeral home of Taylor and Moden, 233 Washington street, Hartford, Saturday afternoon and burial took place in Hillside Cemetery this town. Mrs. West was born in Marlborough. She leaves four sons, Irving H. West and Fred West of Middletown, Albert J. West, of East Hampton and Elmer H. West of New Britain, two daughters, Mrs. Mabel Siebert of Kensington and Miss Nellie B. West of Hartford and a sister Mrs. Nellie B. Hanna of Hartford.

There are a few cases of chicken-pox about town.

The Board of Relief held their second meeting Monday at Oshay's store. A surprise shower was given Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Roberts at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Roberts Friday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Roberts were married recently. Mrs. Roberts was Miss Betty Rauk of this place before her marriage.

Plans are being made by the Ever Ready Group to give a Washington birthday entertainment on the evening of February 22.



Fourteen members of the Girl Scout Council attended the first meeting to be held in the new headquarters in the Cheney Block, Tuesday afternoon.

The candy sales at the poultry show were divided with the officers' association. It was voted to use the council's share to start a fund for additional drums for the drum and bugle corps.

A report of the state convention at Bridgeport was given by Mrs. Sidney Wheaton. Many helpful ideas were brought out in the report. It proved very inspiring to those attending, to be able to hear Mrs. Frederick Edey, national president.

The council members are especially requested to be present at the next rally, February 19. Several badges and awards are to be given, including 25 second-class badges.

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## EVERY WOMAN

Thought is a blooming field of pleasures and not of pains, if you think about the blessings and not the adverse things.

Telephone us your dry cleaning trouble. Dougan Dye Works. Phone 7155.

When cleaning or washing cut glass, add a little turpentine to the water, and the articles will have a brilliant polish. The best proportion is one tablespoon of turpentine to two quarts of water.

If you buy "blue coal," you will be sure you are practicing economy—which is uppermost in the mind of all. W. G. Glenn—4148.

If you have a small living room, do not place a table in the center of the room. If the furniture is arranged artistically with wall tables, the room will seem larger and will be much more comfortable.

Do you remember as a child how much you enjoyed making your own Valentines? Dewey-Richman's have the material. And for the party they have an excellent selection of table decorations, place cards, etc.

In case "he" has forgotten (it's Leap Year) propose a Valentine of chocolates from The Princess Candy Shop and you'll be sure of the best.

For a substantial and very wholesome dessert, try Cream Rice with Prunes; One-half cup rice, one cup boiling water, 1-2 cups milk, one-half teaspoon salt, one-half cup sugar, two cups chopped fruit, fresh or dried fruit soaked and cooked. Cook the rice over direct heat in the cup of boiling water. When the water has been almost absorbed put the rice in a double boiler, add the milk, salt and sugar. Cover and cook until the rice is tender. Mix the rice and fruit and when chilled serve with top milk.

Hale's have just received a new shipment of the bias cut pure silk slips for \$1.59. They come in peach, flesh and white—with neat lace trimming on top and bottom in sizes 34-44.

Jean

### SLOGAN CONTEST

Hartford, Feb. 10.—(AP)—A contest for an official slogan for the National Flower and Garden Show, which will be held in Hartford, at the State Armory from April 2 to 10, has been announced by George F. Lane, of Hartford, chairman of the public relations committee. Twenty dollars will be awarded to the winner.

Each slogan should contain not more than twenty words, and should be sent, with the name and address of the author, to 722 Main Street, Hartford, not later than February 25. The slogan will deal with the advantages of the present show, or with the beauty of flowers and gardens in general.

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WEDNESDAY, Feb. 10, 1932.

**PRESIDENTIAL YEAR**  
 Already more than a tenth part of the Presidential year of 1932 has passed. As the sun climbs higher in the southern sky and as we begin to count the days of winter yet remaining, the period of nominating conventions and strident political campaigning is, after all, merely just around the corner.

And what is the situation?  
 For nearly twenty-eight months the country has been suffering from the collapse of a financial, industrial and trade bubble only comparable to, and far exceeding in magnitude, the land boom bubble that collapsed in the 50's of the last century and the railroad building bubble that blew up under the feet of the country in 1875. We have had a distressing era of hard times and it is not yet over though on the way to recovery. There is bitter disappointment and a vast amount of bewilderment and discontent. The Republican party, in power during the building of the great structure of prosperity and at the moment of the collapse, has been lambasted unmercifully, blamed without reason for all the sins of omission and commission in which a whole nation shared and which had not, in most cases, the remotest connection with political policies as they are understood in this country.

For a long time, so complete was the disgust of the people with the whole machinery of government—to which they charged up all their woes—that the chances of the Republican party remaining in administrative control appeared to be practically nil.

But in these February days as the sunlight grows stronger out of doors so is the light of calm reflection growing clearer in the minds of the people. Granting that there was a bit of rather silly braggadocio in the too strenuous claims of the G. O. P. to the parenthood of prosperity—embarrassing when the child developed coxcoxy and rickets—it is beginning to dawn on the man in the street that whatever has been done to stem the tide of collapse has been done by this same Republican government that he had been cursing; and that some tremendously important things have been done. At the worst, pretty close to three quarters of normal business has been maintained—where would we have been today if it had been only one quarter? At the worst, the fiscal and banking structure of the country has been a great deal better than three-fourths maintained. The nation is solvent, the states are solvent, even the worst managed and most involved of the badly run municipalities is far from an actual condition of bankruptcy. There has been no real collapse and nothing like a real collapse. What is best, there is now no danger of any such collapse.

The affairs of the nation might have been conducted worse—worse in a degree appalling to contemplate—if there had been less steady hands at the helm and less courageous spirits in command. Perhaps hindsight will show that some steps might have been taken to better effect, or more promptly, or that still better ones might have been employed. But if we have muddled a bit at least we are muddling through, and we are coming out right side up. Instead of which we might very easily have upset the boat in midstream and all drowned together.

On the whole the Republican party, sailing the old ship of state through these turbulent times, hasn't done so badly.

What better, on the eve of returning well being, is the opposition going to offer?

Absolutely no program, so far as the developments of more than two years indicate, except a program of fault finding. A scramble for the

party leadership on the part of two individuals, one of whom has been painstakingly making himself all things to all men, seeking reputation as a progressive among progressives and as a conservative among conservatives and committing himself nowhere to any constructive policy; the other one whose horizon is that of a life long professional politician devoted to good jobs and the minutiae of local affairs, possessing, for all evidence to the contrary, no more ideas on economics than a cat. A party consisting of constituent elements as foreign to each other as black and white; torn by sectional and religious animosities and incapable of any sort of cohesion on any question of policy; unled and unleadable; at war with itself on every conceivable issue, even on its former sole ground of unity, free trade. A party incapable of putting forward a strong leadership because inferior leaderships quarrel and threaten if thrust out of the van.

After all, despite the depression and the temporary disaffection of many of its supporters, the prospects of the Republican party in this Presidential year, as the late winter fades away, don't look so bleak as they did a while back—not by a long, long chalk. The G. O. P. may be at bit rumbled—but just take a look at the opposition!

**HOPELESS PARLEY**  
 However unfortunate it may be, the fact remains that the long anticipated Disarmament Conference at Geneva is engaging the attention of world populations in very slight degree. Current events lend no encouragement to the hope that the time has arrived for men everywhere to get rid of the ruinous business of war and begin to mold a civilization based on something more intelligent than force.

There is simply no denying the fact that the highest moment of world idealism was reached thirteen years ago last November—on the day after the Armistice. From that day to this we have been slipping farther and farther away from the likelihood of a warless world.

The Disarmament Conference is the best expression of faith in peace of which the world is now, after all these years, capable. And it is clear enough—was clear enough before the conference met—that there is lacking in it the one element absolutely essential to success of any such enterprise, confidence in the mutual good faith of the parties to the parley.

There can be no hope of mutual arrangements for continued peace unless it is fully believed that the arranging parties will keep their engagements. And what faith is there in the world today concerning international engagements? At the very moment there is being displayed in the Far East a disregard for treaties and the pledged word so flagrant as to become historic.

The Geneva conference is born in an atmosphere of cynicism and disbelief. It is too much to expect it to thrive in such air. It is so extremely unlikely to get anywhere that it is hardly more than a waste of time to consider its several proposals on their respective merits—even the American nine points which almost hysterically propose the abandonment of the only type of seagoing warship capable of surviving aerial assault, the submarine, and to make war gentle by banning tanks and long range guns.

For weeks, for months, the conference will, in all probability, strive with all its might to accomplish some good. But unless in the meantime some means is devised for compelling trickster nations to refrain from violating their pledges, what good will it all do?

What good would it do for all nations to swear to employ no more submarines, no more poison gas and no more twenty-mile guns if one or two or three of them were to secretly build subs, secretly manufacture lethal gases, secretly construct great guns in complete disregard of treaty obligations? No good—and a terrible deal of harm. They would soon have the truthful and honorable nations at their mercy.

That is obvious. So obvious that as matters now stand there is no hope of any happy outcome of the Disarmament Conference.

**SHANGHAI JAPS**  
 Ponderous and spectacularly calm statesmen who live somewhere else have been much given, for many years, to admonishing Pacific Coast people on the bad manners of their attitude toward Japanese settlers. Californians particularly have been rebuked publicly and very frequently for their "narrow" prejudices against the Japs.

It would be interesting to be in California right now and get at first hand the reaction of the inhabitants there to the history of these last two weeks in Shanghai. The news dispatches from the harassed Chinese port are not too prolific, leave much to be desired in the way of

major reportorial achievement; but however fragmentary and lacking in the making of a complete picture of the proceedings, there was one factor conspicuous in all of them during the early days of the fighting. That was the instant appearance of bands of civilian Japanese residents who fell upon the defenceless Chinese in Chapel with pistols, bludgeons and knives and slaughtered and burned without mercy. It would be worth while to know how this part of the Shanghai news struck the average Californian.

The Shanghai Japs had been living in precisely the same relationship to the Shanghai Chinese as that of the California Japanese to the natives of that state; eminently peaceable folks, going quietly about their business of making a living plus a little money, polite, suave, adaptable to the manners and customs of their adopted country. But secretly more alien than any other people who ever crossed seas to American shores.

Californians are not likely, for a long time to come, to forget the sudden loosing of blood lust and racial hatred among the civilian Japanese of Shanghai.



**Washington**—Do you smoke cigarettes?  
 Or perhaps you have a friend who does, in which case you may now be able to tell him a few things he doesn't know about cigarettes.

The cigarette smoker appears to be better entitled to a thrill of patriotic pride—in days when the treasury is broke—than most other people. If he—or she, of course—smokes only one 15-cent package a day he pays \$21.90 a year in Federal taxes for his smokes. Six cents of every 15 is tax money.

Estimates of the number of American cigarette smokers run as high as 35,000,000, but Julius Parker, New York lawyer who represented the tobacco industry at the tax hearings of the House Ways and Means Committee, undertook to speak for an estimated 20,000,000 persons who, he guessed would average about a package a day.

What makes us 20,000,000 cigarette smokers so valuable to our government is that while we pay \$20 or more apiece in cigarette taxes, fewer than 2,000,000 persons contribute to the treasury with income taxes and are paid more considerably higher than those of men and women in the lower income tax brackets. The total internal revenue derived from cigarettes is about \$380,000,000 and for all tobacco, both tax and import, is somewhere around \$500,000,000. Peak consumption of cigarettes was 120,000,000,000 in 1930.

Secretary of the Treasury Mellon would raise the cigarette tax from six cents to seven cents a pack. The tobacco industry, and the depression has already decreased cigarette sales and an additional tax might so accelerate that trend as to lose money for the government.

When you buy a package of cigarettes you pay Uncle Sam six cents, the wholesale and retail dealers 2.9 cents and the manufacturer 6.1 cents, according to Parker, who said the manufacturer's profit was not in excess of 1-1/2 cents a package—30 per cent of the entire "profit" as compared with 80 per cent taken by the treasury.

Depression, it was brought out, has driven many persons to pipe-smoking and has stimulated the use of cigarette-rolling machines. The tobacco used in "roll your own cigarettes" is taxed at 18 cents a pound as compared with about a dollar a pound tax on tobacco in manufacturing cigarettes.

All popular brands of cigarettes use some Turkish tobacco and all use imported cigarette paper, both items subject to duties, Parker said.

Cigarette consumption was increasing at the rate of about 10 per cent a year up to and through 1929, but depression and state sales taxes slowed up the rate of increase substantially in 1930 and business remained about the same in the first half of 1931. But, according to Parker, consumption dropped off 5 per cent in 1931 and 10 per cent for the last six months. His theory was that a further tax at this time would have a disastrous effect all around, hitting the treasury, the manufacturer, the tobacco growers while acting on the 20,000,000 consumers just as if the income tax brackets had been lowered so as to include them.

The post-war increase on the cigarette tax was similarly attacked, but Parker pointed out that no one in 1919 foresaw the great development of smoking among women or the "tremendous impetus" given the habit by the return of soldiers who had had free cigarettes fed them in France.

About a dozen states now have cigarette taxes, committee members found, including Arkansas, with a tax of five cents a package. In such states, according to Congressman Virgil Chapman of Kentucky, per capita consumption in 1930 was only 431 as compared to national per capita consumption of 975. "Bootlegging" and mail order buying usually increased, however. When citizens have had a chance to vote on cigarette taxes by referendum, as in Michigan, Oregon and New Mexico, they have defeated them overwhelmingly.

The per capita income of Czechoslovakia during 1931 did not exceed \$125.

**Health and Diet Advice**  
 By DR. FRANK MCCOY

**CAULIFLOWER AND BROCCOLI**  
 Cauliflower is the most easily digested member of the cabbage family. As Mark Twain said, "Cauliflower is only cabbage with a college education." The succulent, compact white head of cauliflower which you obtain so readily at the market represents many centuries of patient cultivation and selection. It was grown for hundreds of years in the countries around the Mediterranean before it found its way into England and Holland where it received its final degree of culture.

In selecting a cauliflower, choose one on which the outer green leaves appear crisp and fresh and the head of a smooth white texture. Yellow, dark or green spots or a rough surface represent an inferior quality.

Cauliflower looks as though it were a starchy vegetable, but as a matter of fact it does not contain any more carbohydrate than cabbage, but does contain more protein. The principal mineral consists of potassium, phosphorus, magnesium and sulphur.

Cauliflower will cook in about twenty minutes in a closely covered pan.

Care should be taken not to cook cauliflower too long or some of the Vitamin B, of which it contains a good amount, will be destroyed.

**BROCCOLI**  
 Broccoli is probably the original form of cauliflower. Both of these vegetables may be considered as cabbage blossoms, which have been developed into pleasing and nourishing foods by cultivation.

Broccoli has a stronger flavor than cauliflower and is a little more difficult to digest, but makes a good winter green, and many people find the flavor excellent. It is very pleasing when boiled in a small amount of salted water and served with olive oil. In preparing this vegetable soak it about a half hour in salt water to kill and separate out any small insects which may be present. The vegetable may then be rinsed and cleaned in fresh running water.

Broccoli takes about five minutes longer to cook than cauliflower because it is more fibrous.

In broccoli the principal elements are phosphorus, sulphur and potassium.

Broccoli, in addition to Vitamin B, also contains a good amount of Vitamin A and C. The C Vitamin is also destroyed with too much cooking. In order to conserve the vitamins which are destroyed by heat, it is a good plan to occasionally serve this vegetable raw in salad, especially during the winter months when other fresh vegetables are not as plentiful.

**QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS**  
 (Vitamin Research Work)  
 Question: "Willing Sam" writes: "In an article you recently published was this sentence: 'Until we get men to volunteer several years of their lives to vitamin research, it will be difficult to determine their full effect on human beings.' Now, the point is, I am willing to become a subject in this science. I enthusiastically feel that my time will be well spent in the research field as an intelligent subject. I could give you many reasons for this statement, but one is the depression. If you can give me hope for such a career as I have suggested, I am willing to start immediately."

Answer: As I stated in the article the final test of any food discovery must be on human beings. However, in order to conduct these researches on a large scale in a scientific way, it would be necessary to have a large financial endowment. Experiments such as you could make on one's self would not be of great value because so many individual factors are involved. You can undoubtedly do a great deal of good by studying dietetics and physical culture thoroughly so that you will be an example to those with whom you come in contact.

(Parrot Fever)  
 Question: Mrs. Gert I. writes: "For several years I have had a pair of Love Birds or Parakeets. I have recently read of several deaths caused by Parrot Fever, and Parakeets are also said to be subject to this disease. Could you advise me what I should do?"

Answer: If you have had the birds for several months and they have not since that time come in contact with other birds, there is little danger that they have the disease. If your birds appear sickly in any way, it might be a good plan to have an agent from your local board of health examine the birds for Parrot Fever.

(Paralytic Stroke)  
 Question: M. B. writes: "Four months ago I had a paralytic stroke which left my left eye almost blind. Is there any known remedy that will dissolve the clot?"

Answer: The surest remedy for dissolving a blood clot is to take a fairly long water and acid fruit juice fast. During the fast the blood absorbs the deposited mass of coagulated blood, and the pressure of this clot is thus removed from the brain or spinal cord. This is the way paralysis can be cured. I have known of some cases getting well without fasting, but the blood is unable to absorb the clot while the patient was on a restricted diet. There are no remedies which are as effective as fasting and diet.

**IN NEW YORK**  
 New York, Feb. 10.—Oh-h, say, can you "scat"?

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groid yodels, such as, "hey-de-hoy and ho-de-ho and hey-de-ho-ho."

That, messieurs and mesdames, is "the scat." To scat, as Webster defines the word, is no longer to "be gone!" However, it might be interpreted as "a sound used to frighten away small animals"—such, for instance, as radio listeners!

At any rate, Manhattan is in the throes of a "scat" craze. It trickled downtown from Harlem. Every jazz band goes in for it. Crooners shiver, wondering fearfully if they will ever be able to put the "scat songs" over.

What "hog calling" contests were to the farm sections, "scat singing" contests are to the big town. A phone call from Bert Nevins advises me that he's staging one in the midst of Broadway. In Harlem such contests threaten to take the place of rent parties.

Historians of such episodic epidemics are scurrying around trying to trace the sources. Others wrangle over just how the "scat" got started and who was first to "scat." At the moment chief contenders for such honors are Cab Calloway, hand maestro of the Cotton Club, and Louis Armstrong.

Calloway appears to be most closely identified with its spread, whether or not he was the originator. "Minnie the Mooch" was the first of the "scat songs" to gain general notice.

The Mills Brothers, appearing out of nowhere with their tricky radio voices, rose to quick fame with several "scat" numbers, including "Minnie" and "Old Rocking Chair." Latest reports indicate that the sleuths of Americans have tracked the vogue back to the southern plantations. There, it seems, the cotton field dardies had a more call-like method of yowling out the "hey-de-hoy" sounds. Slave masters of the olden days, hearing the sounds, were presumed to shout "Scat!"—in the fashion used on cats. Hence the name!

What those who, take their sea-chanties seriously insist that negro sailors revised old sea ballads or picked them up on the wharves. Venerable sailor songs as "Oh for the Rio Grande" wind up with a series of yells and echoes such as "And aw-ay-ay!"

So there you are, and there you are, some readers may have any other versions of where the "scat" came from—just as long as it's over on the East Side, they'll say.



EDGAR WALLACE, FAMOUS AUTHOR, DIES IN THE WEST

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High newspaper in South Africa. While editing the paper he began writing adventure stories which were eagerly sought by publishers in London.

During his career, he wrote approximately 200 novels, between 1,300 and 1,400 short stories and 20 plays.

Funeral arrangements probably will await the arrival of Mrs. Wallace who on hearing of her husband's illness arranged passage to New York on the liner Majestic, sailing today.

VERY POPULAR HERE New York, Feb. 10.—(AP)—A million and a half of Edgar Wallace's books have been sold in the United States, his publishers estimated today.

"Which is a lot of books," they added. But that's a mere bagatelle as compared to his record the world over. Here are a few figures as given out by the publishers.

He wrote more than 150 books, the exact number being unknown to the publishers. Five million copies are sold yearly.

He wrote the six most successful plays in London last year. Successful from a financial standpoint, that is.

One quarter of all the books sold in England last year, 1,200,000—were written by him. He also was a best seller in Germany, Austria and South Africa.

He wrote about 12 books a year, employing a voice recording device and two secretaries. It took him about two weeks to write a book, and a week end was usually enough for a play.

In his spare time he conducted a racing column for a London newspaper.

Had Plenty More Edgar Wallace was one playwright to whom the "boos" of dissatisfied first night audiences in London meant little. When his play "The Mouthpiece" brought this expression of disapproval late in 1930, he remarked:

"What do I care? I have plenty more." And he had, for drama, novel, detective thriller, and verse poured from his pen as if from an inexhaustible well.

To vary this activity he tried politics, standing as a Liberal candidate for Parliament in October, 1931. But he was defeated in the Conservative landslide that succeeded the second Laborite government of Ramsay MacDonald.

Wallace was born in 1875 and began writing 20 years later. He first put out a book of songs, but quickly switched to prose, and appeared in 1898 as the author of a novel, "The Mission that Failed."

Was a Soldier This writing was done while he was a private in the British army. He took the king's shilling soon after leaving the London board school where he obtained such education as he managed to get formally. He served successively in the Royal West Kent Regiment and the Royal Army Marine Corps and went to South Africa.

When the Boer war broke out he became a war correspondent for Reuters' (the big British news agency) and later wrote from South Africa for the London Daily News and the London Daily Mail. Then he turned to journalism on his own account, becoming editorial founder of the Rand Daily Mail, published at Johannesburg.

War Experiences His war experiences were the background for several early books, including "Writ in Barracks" (1900) and "Unofficial Dispatches" (1902).

By 1905 he was well on the way for the rapid production for which he became famous. In the next six years he turned out nine novels and a play or two, then began to swing into mystery stories and "thrillers."

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Wall Street Briefs

New York, Feb. 10.—The "Iron Age" composite price for pig iron declined this week to \$14.48 a ton the lowest since September, 1915, and to \$8.23 a ton for steel scrap, a new all time low. Finished steel is unchanged at 2.037 cents a pound.

It is understood the New York Telephone Co. plans to spend \$70,000,000 during 1932 for plant additions, betterments and replacements. This compares with an expenditure of \$85,000,000 in 1931.

In a message to employees, F. E. Williamson, president of the New York Central Railroad Co., expressed confidence in the future of the railroad industry, and predicted solutions would be found for any problems that may confront the industry. Railroad managers realize that changing conditions must be met with changed and improved methods, he declared.

J. J. Pelley, president of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Co. believes that prompt action should be taken to regulate commercial motor vehicle operation. In an interview, he said railroad companies no longer could be expected to plan large capital investments until they knew when unregulated or subsidized competition would cease.

Science has discovered a new coal-tar color, known as Brilliant Blue FCF, which has been added to the authorized list of food dyes by the Federal Food and Drug Administration. It is expected this coloring will be used to color breakfast cereals.

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CURB QUOTATIONS table with columns for stock names and prices.

GEN. WEYGAND ILL. Paris, Feb. 10.—(AP)—General Maxime Weygand chief of the army general staff and aide-de-camp to Marshal Foch in the World War, underwent an operation for appendicitis today. A physicians' bulletin said his condition was satisfactory.

Local Stocks

Table of local stock prices including Cap Nat B and T, Hfd Conn Trust, Hfd Nat B and T, First National, Land Mtg and Title, New Brit Trust, West Hartford Trust, Insurance Stocks, Aetna Casualty, Aetna Life, Aetna Fire, Automobile, Conn General, Hartford Fire, Hartford Steam Boiler, National Fire, Phoenix Fire, Travelers, Public Utilities, Conn. Elec. Service, Conn. Power, Greenwich W&G, Hartford Elec, Hartford Gas, do, pfd, S N E T Co, Manufacturing Stocks, Am Hardware, Am Hosiery, Arrow H and H, com, do, pfd, Billings and Spencer, Bristol Brass, do, pfd, Case, Lockwood and B, Collins Co, Colt's Firearms, Eagle Lock, Fafnir Bearings, Fuller Brush, Class A, Hart and Cooley, Hartman Tob, com, do, pfd, Inter Silver, do, pfd, Landers, Frary & Clik, Mann & Bow, Class A, do, Class B, New Brit Mch, com, do, pfd, North and Judd, Niles Bem Pond, Peck, Stow and Wilcox, Russell Mfg Co, Scovill, Underwood Mfg Co, Standard Screw, do, pfd, guar., A, Smythe Mfg Co, Taylor and Fenn, Torrington, Underwood Mfg Co, Union Mfg Co, U S Envelope, com, do, pfd, Veeder Root, Whitlock Cell Pipe, J.B. Williams Co. \$10 par.

MERCHANTS TO DISCUSS PROPOSED SALES EVENT

To Hear Stories of Successes in Other Towns in Meeting to Be Held at Sheridan. Members of the South and North Merchants Divisions of the Chamber of Commerce and also every merchant not connected with the Chamber, have been invited to attend a meeting to be held at the Hotel Sheridan, Monday evening at 6:15 o'clock. The purpose of the meeting is to discuss a proposed sales event to be known as "Manchester Day," which it is planned to hold early in the spring.

AIR PILOTS STRIKE

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SCOUTCRAFT EXHIBITS ATTRACT MUCH NOTICE

Boy Scout exhibits on display in the window of the C. E. House & Son store and at Depot Square in connection with the twenty-second anniversary of the Scouting movement in this country, are attracting much attention. The articles on display at the South End represent the work of Troops 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6, and those at the North End represent Troops 1, 7, 8 and 9.

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THE WILROSE DRESS SHOP

Hotel Sheridan Building "The Shop of Individuality"

U. S. 2-MAN BOB SLED IS WINNER

(Continued from Page 1.) In zero weather to see the greatest of all two-man bobbed struggles and neither Stevens nor Capadrutt disappointed them. Stevens almost made up the 4.28 seconds he needed to catch Capadrutt on the first run, when he came down the course in 1:59:59 as the Swiss turned in 2:03:52. Capadrutt made a magnificent run of 1:59:57 in his final heat but again Stevens turned in a new world's record, 1:57:58 to clinch the championship.

Heaton Finishes Fourth. Jack Heaton, defeated titleholder finished third, with Lieut. A. L. Panam, Roumanian army officer fourth; Hanns Killan, one of the last of the German drivers, fifth; Count Theo Rosal Di Monteleone, of Italy, sixth; Werner Hyth, of Germany, seventh; Agostino Lanfranchi, of Italy, eighth; Max Houben, Belgium, ninth; Christian Hansen, Belgium, tenth; Louis Balsan, France, eleventh and Hugo Weinstengel, of Austria, last.

The crowd that lined the sides of the chute were in a frenzy of excitement all morning as Stevens and Capadrutt, driving their thin heats not many minutes apart, shattered all previous records.

Along the course, loud speakers told the crowds the progress of each sled as it swept down the fastest track in the history of the slide. Although the drivers had difficulty holding the comparatively light two-man sleds on the terrific curves, there were no accidents.

Both Stevens and Capadrutt sited as it swept down the fastest track in the history of the slide, while two men bobs. At the start of the competition yesterday

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The 23 fliers turned down pay of \$5 an hour for night and \$3 an hour for day flying with a monthly minimum guarantee of \$150, threatening to strike if former flat salaries of \$350 to \$375 a month were not restored. The company announced it would hire other pilots.

Seventeen planes were grounded as the result of the disagreement, and Century service between Chicago and Cleveland, Toledo and Detroit, including air-rail connections with New York, was temporarily abandoned. Other lines were not affected.

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STEVENS ON VISIT

Hartford, Feb. 10.—(AP)—National Commander Henry L. Stevens of the American Legion arrived in Hartford today to address a legion mass meeting tonight and to visit officially the department of Connecticut. He stated on arrival that the unemployment relief drive which the Legion, in co-operation with the auxiliary, and the American Federation of Labor and the association of National Advertisers, assisted by the American Association of Advertising Agencies, will launch February 15, is the biggest thing the Legion now has to do, and said that he met with an enthusiastic response to the project wherever he has been.

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A professor says churches can get along with second-rate pastors. For pastors out of work, that's first rate.

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New York, Feb. 10.-(AP)-If a player has contracted for four hearts and holds only four to the queen-ten, and the player at the declarer's left holds five trumps to the king-queen fulfillment of the contract would seem impossible. Success with such a hand is one of the triumphs of Mrs. Josephine Culbertson.

EX-EMPRESS DIES

Peiping, Feb. 10.-(AP)-The former Empress Yi, widow of Tung Chih, eighth Manchu emperor, died here on February 5 in her 77th year, and today Buddhist monks clad in red and saffron robes began chanting a requiem.

BURGLAR WOUNDED IN DUEL WITH COP

Boston, Feb. 10.-(AP)-A trio of holdup men last night robbed the Savin Hill station of the Boston Elevated and four drug stores in the Dorchester district before a police officer fired on them and, it is believed, wounded one as they attempted to hold up a fifth drug store in the Jamaica Plain section.

ROCKVILLE

SUES TRUCK OWNERS AFTER AUTO ACCIDENT

James Maynard, claiming Memory Has Been Impaired, Acks \$10,000 Damages.
Plans are complete for the annual banquet of the American Legion to be held in the Rockville House on Thursday evening.

POST OFFICE SCHEDULE FOR LINCOLN'S BIRTHDAY

South End Office Only One to Have Special Hours-North End on Regular Schedule.
The South Manchester Post Office will make a few changes in its schedule for Friday in observance of the birthday of Abraham Lincoln.

NEED MONEY NOW?

Our friendly service is ready to help you. Loans arranged within 24 hours. Small monthly repayments. Call, write or phone. Up to \$300.

Dial Twisters

FOR REFERENDUM PLANK

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Queer Twists In Day's News

Hamburg: Only half of Hamburg's 4,000 saloons are selling beer. The other half has launched a "beer strike" protesting against a decree ordering a price cut.
Los Angeles: Big strong man should inhabit a "strong" room, which reflects color and life. They shouldn't sleep in pink boudoirs. That's what the convention of the International Society of Master Painters and Decorators, Inc. thinks.

LEGIONNAIRES TO HEAR NATIONAL COMMANDER

H. L. Stevens, Jr., to Address Gathering in Bushnell Memorial Hall at 8 Tonight.
This evening at 8 o'clock National Commander H. L. Stevens, Jr., of the American Legion will deliver his official Connecticut address in the Horace Bushnell Memorial Hall in Hartford.

Butler Asks G. O. P. For Referendum Plank

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Thursday Specials At EVERYBODY'S MARKET
25c DAY! 25c DAY!
Just see what 25c will do today! Take advantage!
Land o' Lakes BUTTER! 25c lb.
Delicious Sealdsweet TANGERINES! 25 for 25c
Florida's Finest Juice ORANGES! 18 for 25c

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Thursday, Friday and Saturday  
Hale's Great Three-Day



# 12<sup>th</sup> ANNIVERSARY SALE

The Lowest Prices In Our History! Join The Thrifty Shoppers At Hale's

On Thursday, February 11th, we celebrate the 12th Anniversary of an unending, uninterrupted service to the people of Manchester and vicinity. Hundreds of thousands of customers have passed through the turnstiles of the "Self-Serve" and have learned that our slogan "It Pays to Wait on Yourself" is truthfully based on quality foodstuffs at lowest possible prices. Never before in the history of the Self-Serve Grocery have prices been as low as they are during this 12th Anniversary Sale. Other low prices are being featured on everyday necessities throughout both food departments. Shopping at Hale's during these three days and every business day the year around will cut down living costs for you while still maintaining a high standard of quality.

No. 1 Green Mountain  
**NATIVE POTATOES**  
**51c bushel**

This is positively the lowest price in town! All A, Number 1 Green Mountain potatoes. Medium large and guaranteed to cook up white and mealy. Stock up during this sale and save!

Land o' Lakes  
**CREAMERY BUTTER**  
**2 pounds 49c**

The most popular butter in town and at the lowest price in town. A 95 score butter that is known for its fine, uniform quality.

**PICKLES** Silver Lane Brand. Sweet mixed, FREE! A generous sample jar with every quart. **quart 29c**

**FLOUR** Washburn Crosby Gold Medal brand. Large 24 1-2 pound bags. A real economy price. **bag 73c**

**SUGAR** Jack Frost Confectionery sugar. In sanitary one-pound cartons. **3 lbs. 19c**

**BREAD** Hale's Famous Milk Loaf. The largest 5c loaf in the country at 5c. Made from 100 per cent pure ingredients. Baked by Newton Robertson, Hartford, Conn. **loaf 5c**

**RINSO**  
**2 lg. pkgs. 37c**

A miracle on wash day. Limit 4 to a customer.

**BRILLO**  
**19c lg. pkg.**

A real low price for our 12th Anniversary Sale. Stock-up now!

**CRACKERS**  
**25c 2 lb. pkg.**

Atlantic saltine, graham and cream lunch crackers. Fresh today from Providence, R. I.

**Eight Food Demonstrations**

Beechnut Packing Company  
Best Foods Inc.  
Heinz Ketchup  
Silver Lane Pickle Company

Austin Nichols Company  
Kraft Cheese  
Farm Crest Cakes  
Atlantic Biscuit Company

Florida Fancy  
**GRAPEFRUIT**  
**7 for 25c**

Ripe with juice and deliciously sweet.

Extra Fancy  
**TANGERINES**  
**4 qt. basket 19c**

Good size. Sweet, sound fruit.

**APPLES** Winesap extra fancy fruit. Tasty Winesap flavor. **doz. 19c**

**ORANGES** Sunkist oranges—sound and sweet. California oranges of large size. **doz. 35c**

**APPLES** Macintosh A-1 graded fruit. The finest Mac's in town! **3 lbs. 25c**

**BEETS** Fancy, firm beets. 4 to 5 beets in bunch. **bun. 9c**

**TOMATOES** Firm, ripe, large and tasty! **lb. 19c**

**POTATOES** Large Idaho baking potatoes. Direct from Lava beds in Idaho. **lb. 9c**

Hale's Strictly Fresh Local  
**EGGS (large) doz. 28c**

Large, No. 1 eggs from local farms. Just a few hours old—guaranteed to satisfy. Do not confuse these with smaller eggs being offered around this price—these are large, A-1 eggs. Tested as to size and quality.

Campbell's  
**PORK-BEANS 4 cans 25c**

Regular size. This is a very low price on Campbell's beans featured for the 12th Anniversary Sale. Buy now and SAVE!

Campbell's  
**TOMATO SOUP 4 cans 25c**

A special low price for this sale. Known for its fine, high flavor.

Burt Olney's Assorted  
**VEGETABLES 3 cans 23c**

Includes peas, carrots, tomatoes, spinach, lima, cut refuges and wax beans.

Hale's Orange Pekoe  
**TEA lb. 49c**

We sell hundreds and hundreds of pounds weekly. It must be good. A high grade tea at a low Self-Serve price.

Beechnut  
**CHILI SAUCE bottle 25c**

Large bottles. A well flavored chili sauce made under Beechnut specifications.

Extra Fancy  
**CELERY 10c bunch**

Crisp, bleached celery. The same as offered last Saturday.

Extra Fancy  
**SPINACH 15c peck**

Crisp green leaves of fresh spinach.

Fancy California  
**CARROTS 9c bunch**

Large size. Each bunch has 5 to 6 carrots.

Fancy Iceberg  
**LETTUCE 9c head**

Firm, large heads of crisp Iceberg lettuce.

Kibbee's  
**Pastry Flour bag 17c**

Five pound bag of silky cake flour.

Armour's  
**Corned Beef 2 cans 31c**

One-pound can.

Medium Size  
**Ivory Soap 3 cakes 17c**

Buy a few weeks' supply now and save!

Crosse and Blackwell's  
**Jams jar 31c**

Assortment includes Gooseberry, Black, Currant, Blackberry and Green-Gage.

Sunbeam Sliced  
**Pineapple 3 no. 2 1/2 cans 47c**

Containing 8 full size perfect slices.

Quick cooking  
**Rolled Oates large 19c small 8c**

A nourishing breakfast food for grown-ups and children.

Grandmother's  
**Marmalade 2 1-lb. jars 35c**

Ka La Crushed  
**Pineapple 2 no. 2 cans 29c**

Solid pack Hawaiian pineapple.

Burt Olney's White or Yellow Bantam  
**Corn 2 cans 25c**

This is a real bargain! Burt Olney's label stands for quality—always.

Heinz (large)  
**Ketchup bottle 19c**

This is National Heinz Ketchup Week. Regular 28c size.

Navy Brand  
**Pears 2 no. 2 cans 35c**

Large cans.

Free Running  
**Table Salt box 8c**

Two-pound tall round box.

Sunbeam Stuffed  
**Olives 2 jars 25c**

6-ounce tall jars.

Palmer's "Strike Anywhere"  
**Matches large box 3c**

(8 for 17c).

Sunbeam Assorted  
**Preserves each 15c**

Strawberry, raspberry, blackberry and pineapple.

**Figs and Dates 3 pkgs. 19c**

Wrapped in cellophane. 4 ounces.

College Inn  
**Clam Juice Cocktail 37c**

Serve cold as a cocktail.

Pure  
**Lard 2 lbs. 13c**

In sanitary one-pound container.

Salada "Red Label"  
**BLACK TEA 46c 1/2 lb.**

Orange Pekoe tea.

"Better Than Chicken"  
**WHITE TUNA 19c can**

7-ounce can. Stock up now for Lent!

Special Tomorrow!  
**HOT CROSS BUNS 17c doz.**

Tasty, delicious hot cross buns with white frosting. Made by Newton Robertson, Hartford, Conn.

Fresh Shipment  
**FIG BARS 2 lbs. 25c**

Pure fig filling.

Fresh  
**Roasted Peanuts 5c quart**

Fresh supply for this sale.

New York State  
**PEA BEANS 2 lbs. 9c**

Hand sorted, White beans.

**LENTEN SPECIALS**  
Pink Salmon . . . . . 3 No. 2 cans 29c

Our Regular 25c  
**DOUGHNUTS 18c doz.**

Our regular Saturday treat offered for tomorrow for this Anniversary Sale. Plain, jelly and twisted doughnuts and crullers.

Grote and Weigel Products  
**Frankfurts Bologna Liverwurst 23c lb.**

Namco "Super Quality"  
**Crab Meat can 59c**

Our regular Saturday treat offered for tomorrow for this Anniversary Sale. Plain, jelly and twisted doughnuts and crullers.  
**IMPORTED Dainties**  
Pate De Foies Gras . . . . . \$1.25  
French imported. With truffes.

**HEALTH MARKET SPECIALS**

Wisconsin  
**American Cheese 19c lb.**

Last Saturday we offered this special and sold out within a few hours. It must be good!

Fresh  
**OYSTERS pt. 23c**

Loin  
**VEAL CHOPS lb 17c**

Best Cut  
**SHOULDER STEAK 11c lb.**

**Sausages lb 17c**

100 per cent pure pork sausage links by Grote and Weigel, Hartford.

Mr. Red Alaska Packed  
**Red Salmon can 29c**

Peck Freeman's Assorted  
**Caviar Puffs pkg. 59c**

English imported for use with all varieties of Hors D'oeuvres.



The dime a-dance girl

BEGIN HERE TODAY

Beautiful ELLEN ROSSITER, a salesgirl in Barclay's Department Store, lives with her extravagant mother, MOLLY ROSSITER, her elder sister, MYRA, and her young brother, MIKE. The two girls support the family. Molly foolishly spends money saved to pay the rent. Ellen decides to work at night at Dreamland, a dance hall, hostess until the sum is made up. The hostesses must wear evening dresses and Ellen owns none.

STEVEN BARCLAY, a man of 37 and Ellen's employer, sees the girl crying and discovers the situation. He offers to give Ellen a dress but she proudly refuses. He then loans her a dress from stock.

Ellen dines with Barclay and he drives her to Dreamland where he leaves her. Ellen is half-pleased, half-frightened by her wealthy employer's obvious interest in her. She forgets to bring her dress when she meets handsome young LARRY HARROWGATE, an artist, whose prospects, in his own phrase, are exactly nothing. She eagerly accepts Larry's invitation to tea the following day.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY CHAPTER VII

Ellen had never before realized how many steps there were in the five long flights that led to her own home. She was really very tired but she climbed doggedly forward, and terminated not to stop. The hall was not and she piled up at the landings with rubbish awaiting the janitor's disposition. The house was asleep. Through thin walls she could hear the heavy sound of breathing and even the restless stirrings of the sleepers. At the second floor she identified the terrifying buzzing sound as Papa Clancy's snore. She chuckled and pushed on.

Halfway between the fourth floor and the fifth she was unpleasantly surprised to see light shining from beneath the living room door of her own apartment. Oh, dear, someone was still awake! All the way home on the subway she had planned to hop straight into bed and drift off to sleep on the tide of her own glamorous imaginings. She did not want to share those imaginings or to discuss her experiences of the day. Now there was no help for it.

With a resigned sigh she unlocked the door and stepped into the Rossiter living room. Molly Rossiter, bright-eyed and wide-awake, sat at a battered mahogany table playing solitaire. Molly's solitaire was the joke of the family. Whenever she was beaten it was her habit to rearrange the cards and to proceed with the play. By faithfully adhering to that system, she never failed to run out all her cards.

"I've just beaten old Sol," she announced innocently as Ellen entered.

Then she sprang up and ran to greet her daughter.

"Sit down, darling," she urged. "You look tired to death. Do you

STOP Adding Fat

Medical science finds that when a certain gland is weak, too much energy food turns to fat. So doctors the world over now combat that cause. They seek to stop the fat formation, then help Nature take the excess fat away. Starvation is not required.

That is the method employed in Marmola's prescription tablets. People have used them for 24 years—millions of boxes of them. Now in every slender figure show what Marmola does.

Follow this proved method, this right method to reduce. Do what your friends are doing, or have done. Ask your druggist for Marmola. A book in each box tells you how and why it acts. Follow the easy directions until weight comes down to normal. Why not start today?

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Beautiful New Assortment of

SPRING DRESSES

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\$2.95 \$4.95

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Exceptional Values as All Are Brand

New Spring Models.

New CELLOPHANE HATS

In All Head Sizes

Special \$1-\$1.49

Send stamps or coin (coin preferred).

Price of book 10 cents.

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WE LOVE AND LEARN

I Think Women Have a Right to Marry When They Want To

By

Elsie Janis

BY ELSIE JANIS (Copyright, 1932, NEA Service, Inc.)

I have received hundreds of letters from friends and absolute strangers since I started 1932 by stepping out of my character as the stage's most unmarried star and hurried into Hymen's overcrowded and uncertain kingdom with a man 16 years my junior.

Most of the letters are optimistic, all of them are friendly, and the bride and groom are grateful! I know a lot of people are dubious about the marriage, but after all 1932 couldn't be worse than 1931, so bring on the pessimists!

The editor is apparently not too sanguine, because the first question that disturbed his rest reads, "Is there a hope for a woman of 40 who has never married before to get happiness out of marriage?" I answer, "Yes!" with a titanic Y!

Most of the reporters who were sent to secure the details of the nuptials seemed to be concerned about the groom's future plans. I hopped in with the information that I thought helping me with my affairs and being my first husband should keep him busy for a little while at least, and so far it looks as if I were right.

The groom is proving to be a most understanding combination of adviser, secretary, comforter, and last but by no means least, husband. We laugh more than honeymooners should, but not at each other!

Ye Editor wants to know whether Ye groom is going to be a pet, or is he going to make a career of his own. Well! He is already a pet, but he is going to do whatever he wants to do with his own life. I'm his wife, not his keeper.

If he wants to be an actor, I'll give him any advice he asks for, if he wants to run a gas station, I'll buy my gas there and send my friends.

I believe he will become a somebody, because I couldn't have known and loved as many regular fellows as I have and then pick just a candidate for the "Only Their Husbands Club."

I am asked if I think every woman should marry regardless of age. What if she is 70? I wouldn't know. Come around again in 28 years!

I do think marriage should not be regarded as something that every one must experience, like measles, mumps, or whooping cough!

People tried to scare me into it years ago by warning me of the terrible things that happen to what used to be called an old maid. They told their figures, complexions, minds, and finally blew away. Well! I don't want to brag, but the bride's "chassis" is modern, the complexion is not bad, the mind is active, and so far I have "blown up" on occasions, but never away. If I do, it will be marriage, not celibacy, that turns me into an autumn leaf!

I think that women should have the right to marry when they really want to and not to oblige the relatives, doctors, statisticians and traditions. I believe they should work if they want to after marriage, but don't advise it, if the husbands can keep them in the style they are not accustomed to. Some one has to amuse and entertain the tired business man and it is not apt to be the tired business woman!

In conclusion let me add, there was no obey clause in our marital agreement. I know too much about loopholes in contracts and options in Hollywood. Anything you can get into you can get out of, except a coffin.

paper. Roses, wet and darkly red—dozens of them!

"How many are there?" Molly incoherently demanded.

"Millions, it looks like. I can't count them. Oh, the beauties!" She wrenched the card free and tore open the envelope. The ink had blurred with dampness but the writing was perfectly distinguishable. The writing was not Larry's.

"To the success of your new venture, S. B." read the message.

Ellen was ready to cry in her disappointment. She had been so sure! Myra and Molly were far too pleased and fluttered to notice anything amiss. Flowers and beaux in the Rossiter household were rare enough to cause any amount of excitement.

"I told you, I told you," Molly

was insisting. "They're from Mr. Barclay, aren't they?"

"Yes," said Ellen.

The girl read the message a second time in an effort to recapture some of her original delight at receiving such a splendid gift and failed. The card fluttered from her fingers. Molly pounced upon it. Together she and Myra read the short note and exclaimed and speculated and jubilated quite enough to make up for any lack in Ellen.

An umbrella stand was rushed into service. It was the only vessel in the house deep enough for the long stemmed beauties. Deplored the wastefulness Molly cut down the smooth green stems of half a dozen buds and arranged them at the shabby breakfast table. But her eyes were all for the tall splendor of the blooms in the stand pulled close to Ellen's chair.

"They're four feet long if they're an inch," she murmured happily, slipping into her place at the head of the table.

"Mother, if you say that again," Ellen said crossly, "I'll scream."

"I'll join you in the screaming," Myra offered amiably. But she added with a curious look at her sister, "Aren't you pleased, honey?"

"Of course I'm pleased," snapped Ellen. "What am I supposed to do—dance a jig?"

"Ellen's got a fellow; Ellen's got a fellow!" chanted Mike, catching belatedly the excitement of his sisters.

"Be still, Mike," said his mother absentmindedly. "Don't tease your sister."

She and Myra exchanged a long, significant look. Ellen caught the look. It occurred to her a little forlornly that the only person in the Rossiter household not delighted with Steven Barclay's generosity was the recipient of it.

(To Be Continued)

TODAY IS THE WORLD WAR ANNIVERSARY

REORGANIZE WAR DEPT.

On Feb. 10, 1918, Secretary of War Newton D. Baker issued an order for complete reorganization of the War Department.

Secretary Baker directed the chief of the general staff to establish five divisions of the staff: (1) an executive division under an executive assistant to the chief of staff; (2) a war plans division under a director; (3) a purchase and supply division under a director; (4) storage and traffic division under a director; (5) an army operations division under a director.

Germany made an attack near Courjers Wood but were repulsed. Australians raided German positions southeast of Meines.

The Rumanian cabinet resigned after receiving an ultimatum from Germany demanding peace negotiations be begun in four days.

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# Tunney Insists He Will Never Try a Comeback

## Guards Play K. of L. At Armory Tonight

Two-Time Conquerors of Rec Five Anxious to Avenge One-Point Defeat Administered by Guards Recently: K. of L. Girls in Preliminary.

The Knights of Lithuania who are tied with the Kevin Barry for the lead in Hartford's city titular series, come to Manchester for the fourth time this season when they meet the National Guards at the state armory tonight.

The Knights twice defeated the Rec Five by close scores, once in an overtime tussle, and in the other game here they were defeated by the Guards 26 to 25. The Guards have found the going rather rough of late, losing three of their last four games, losing to the Brantford Tanks, Bristol Ingrahams and St. Mary's of East Hartford and defeating the Saints in another game by one point.

This will be the first of two games for the Guards this week. Saturday night they play South Willington at the armory. The South Willington team which features the Usher team which features the Usher team which features the Usher team...

## RISE OF MAROONS, FALL OF RANGERS

Montreal Trims Canadiens 4 to 1 and Boston Bruins Edge Rangers 2 to 1.

## Sport Forum

JUNIOR BASKETBALL. It seems to us (The Crescents Jr. Town Champions last year) that a West Sides and Casey's Hicks are a bit premature in their plans of playing for the junior town championship...

## ROGERS MASTER AT CHARITY GAME

Prominent Manchester Man To Speak Through Amplifier At Oldtimers Program

Willard B. Rogers, talented public speaker, has accepted the nomination as "master of ceremonies" for the Manchester-New Britain Oldtimers game to be played for charity at the state armory Saturday night.



W. B. Rogers

plifier, the voice of the announcer will be easily heard in every part of the large hall even while action in the game is taking place.

## PIRATES ARE BEATEN BY HERALD NEWSIES

The Herald Newsboys Five defeated the Pirates 32-13, for the second time, last night at the Franklin Gym. Sears, regular forward converted to guard, combined with Walker to hold the Pirate scoring ends, McCurry and Moriarty, to one basket each.

Table with columns P, B, F, T showing scores for Pirates and Herald Newsies.

## Last Night's Fights

West Palm Beach, Fla.—Ray Trumble, Rockford, Ill., outpointed Clyde Chastain, Dallas, Tex., 10.

## FRESHMEN WIN SIXTH IN ROW

Loss of Regulars at Mid-Year's Fails to Stop Local Schoolboys.

Manchester Frosh journeyed to Kingswood yesterday and defeated the Kingswood juniors 26-13. Raguskus starred for Manchester while Geer totaled six points for his squad.

Table showing scores for Manchester Frosh and Kingswood Juniors.

## BOWLING

### CHENEY GIRLS' LEAGUE

Table showing bowling scores for Cheney Girls' League.

### K. OF L. LEAGUE

Table showing scores for K. of L. League.

### MATCH TONIGHT

The New Britain Girls will be matched against the fast going Charter Oak Girls at Farr's alley tonight at 8 p. m.

### STAGG OFF FOR N. H.

Chicago, Feb. 10.—(AP)—A. A. Stagg, St. director of athletics at the University of Chicago and dean of the country's football coaches, left today for Hanover, N. H., to attend the annual meeting of the football rules committee, of which he has been a member since 1904.

## LADY LUCK AGAINST JOIE



Twenty years ago, a boy with a bright Olympic dream, full of fire and faith, and with flying feet to win for him high honor among the greatest runners the world ever knew...

## Ray Never Got Half Breaks He Deserved

New York, Feb. 10.—Lady Luck is still carrying on her feud with Jole Ray. Track hero, Olympic runner, boxer, roller skater, snowshoe racer and dancing man, he has been an athlete extraordinary—but a champion, mostly of misfortune.

## WEST SIDES PLAY GLASTONBURY TEAM

The West Sides will play the Glastonbury Towners at the Armory tonight in the preliminary to the Guards and the K. of L. game.

## Princeton Beats Yale Nikkel Stars for Losers

New York, Feb. 10.—(AP)—As expected, Princeton has come through with the victory over Yale it needed to regain undisputed position of second place in the Eastern Intercollegiate Basketball League race.

## G. H. WILLIAMS' DEFEATS HICKS

West Side League Leaders Win 40-38 Battle At Rec Gym Last Night.

The G. H. Williams' team of the West Side League defeated the Casey Hicks at the East Side Rec last night by the score of 40-38.

Table showing scores for G. H. Williams and Casey Hicks.

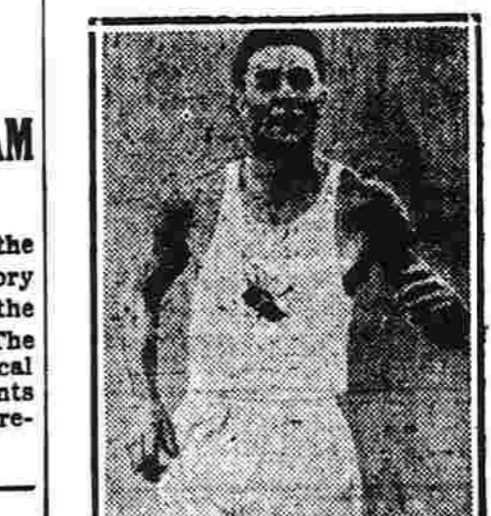
Score first half: 26-9 Williams. Referee: Billy Dowd.

## Do You Remember?

One Year Ago Today—Phil Edwards, Canadian negro middle distance runner, stepped away from Paul Keller, French 800-meter champion, and two others in the 1000-yard feature race of the Seton Hall college games in Newark.

## SETS WORLD MARK FOR MILE RUN

After picking up a glove, a man hung it over a fence and remarked to his companion: "I believe in being honest. Some woman is sure to come looking for it."



He ran the greatest mile that America has ever witnessed, did Gene Venzke, who here is shown in action. At the annual indoor games of the Millrose Athletic Association in Madison Square Garden, New York, the Pottstown, Pa., high school athlete raced the classic mile in 4:11.1-5, shattering the world indoor record and setting a new American indoor mark.

## Ex-Champion States Dempsey Should Not

Gene Says He Has No Thought Whatsoever of Going Back Into Boxing Game Again As a Fighter; Stories Are All Bunk, He Says.

New York, Feb. 10.—(AP)—The boys who have been building up the pleasant fiction that Gene Tunney contemplates a fighting comeback may just as well knock down the structure of their imagination.

"I still am keenly interested in boxing and always will be. Why not? It was a big part of my life. But what a fool would I even be to think of attempting a comeback."

## OLYMPICS

RESULTS YESTERDAY. Bobsled, two man—four heats, total time decided. First two heats 4:13:09; J. Hubert Stevens, United States 4:17:37; Jack Heaton, United States 4:22:53.

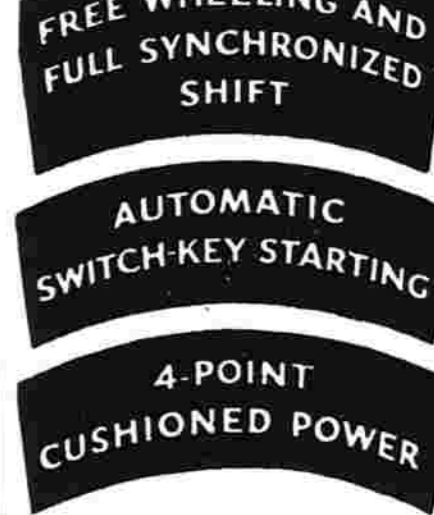
## BOXER GIVES CONCERN TO FILL OUT PROGRAM

Barnsley, England.—(AP)—Don Volante, Liverpool boxer likes to give a crowd its money's worth.



## The sensation of 1932!

THE Rockne Six would be a sensation if it stopped only with giving more dollar value than any other car on the market.



- Aerodynamic Body Design, One-Piece Fenders, Sloping Radiators and Windshields, New Convertible Body Styles, Extra Long Wheelbases, Extra Wide Shafts, Extra Large Six-Cylinder Power Plants, Quadriple Counterweighted Crankshafts, Glass-Smooth Electro-Plated Pistons, Silent Carburetion, Extra Large Brakes, Hydraulic Shock Absorbers, Self-Adjusting Spring Shackles, Lanchester Vibration Damper, Finger-Tip Steering, High-Velocity Cooling, Owner Service Policy.

Table with columns Model '65', Model '73', and prices for various car models.



Walter A. Hoffman Garage and Service Station, 20 East Center St., So. Manchester

Read Herald Advs







# SENSE AND NONSENSE

**Here's Magic**

1	15	10	8
12	6	3	13
7	9	16	2
14	4	5	11

You'll admit there's magic in small space when you see 16 numbers set up to total 34 in 52 separate ways.

**Golfer**—Just learning — Terrible lot of birds about, boy!  
**Caddie**—Yairs—s'pose they're followin' us up for the worms!

Joan, five, out to tea was puzzled when she saw the family bow their heads for grace.  
 "What are you doing?" she asked.  
 "Giving thanks for our daily bread," she was told. "Don't you give thanks at home, Joan?"  
 "No," said Joan, "we pay for our bread."

She—How did you come to be discharged from the Army?  
 He—Well, when the enemy was coming towards us, our captain yelled, "Shoot at will!" and not knowing which one to shoot at, I asked the captain, "Which one is Will?"

**Epitaph**  
 Here lies the wife of Hiram Green. He would not buy a washing machine. When his wife at the tub her life spent, He hastened to buy her a monument.

Physician—What you have got to do is to give up red meat, smoking and take no liquor. (As patient prepares to go.) Oh, but stop a moment, you have forgotten my fee.  
 Patient—Fee! What for should I pay a fee? I'm not going to take your advice.

Joseph—Sorry to interrupt you, pal, but I just got word that your house has burned to the ground!  
 Harold—Only to the ground! Thank goodness! My home brew's safe.

Every man tells you that you are "so different"—and then proceeds to charm you with the same old line. To much pleasure blows us up far more quickly than too much work. . . . The kind of a man who will never admit his faults is not half so hard to live with as the kind who will never stop bragging about them. . . . How times have changed! Once upon a time ladies thought that smoking ruined lace curtains. . . . Also, no girls know the thrill of being kissed "unexpectedly" these days. . . . No doubt the only reason General Sherman said "War is Hell" was because there was no stronger word for the comparison. . . .

He has the reputation of being the stingiest man in the town he calls home, it even being whispered that he counts the grains of corn he feeds his chickens. It was in the holidays that he entered the store in mild excitement, telling how his wife had married and two

with one or more children, were coming home for Christmas. "We're going to have a big time all of us together at home again. Give me a dime's worth of candy."

Willie Wise says: "Maw and pa had an awful hard time gettin' married. Maw wouldn't marry Pa when he was drunk and Pa wouldn't marry Maw when he was sober."

Jack—Why do you call me "Pill-grim?"  
 Jill—Well, every time you call you make a little progress.

Gladys says: "If you can't cure a boy friend of the idea that one chair is big enough for two you might try marrying him."

Sergeant (at morning calisthenics)—Breathing exercise—inhale at "one", exhale at "two." Ready, exercise—one, two; one, two; one, halt. Cease breathing, Rest.

A girl may be an expert at picking out a frock that won't fade, wear out or run—but she is not always so lucky in picking out that kind of a husband. . . . There are two times in a woman's life, when her husband admits she is perfect—the days before he marries her and the day after he buries her. . . .

**GR-R-R-R!**  
 "Were you annoyed because I sharpened a pencil with your razor?" asked the attentive wife.  
 "Twice," replied the patient husband. "After I had given up trying to shave, I tried to write with the pencil."—Hummel, Hamburg.

**FLAPPER FANNY SAYS:**  
 DRESSES FOR LITTLE FIGURES AREN'T ALWAYS PRICED THAT WAY.



## Toonerville Folks By Fontaine Fox



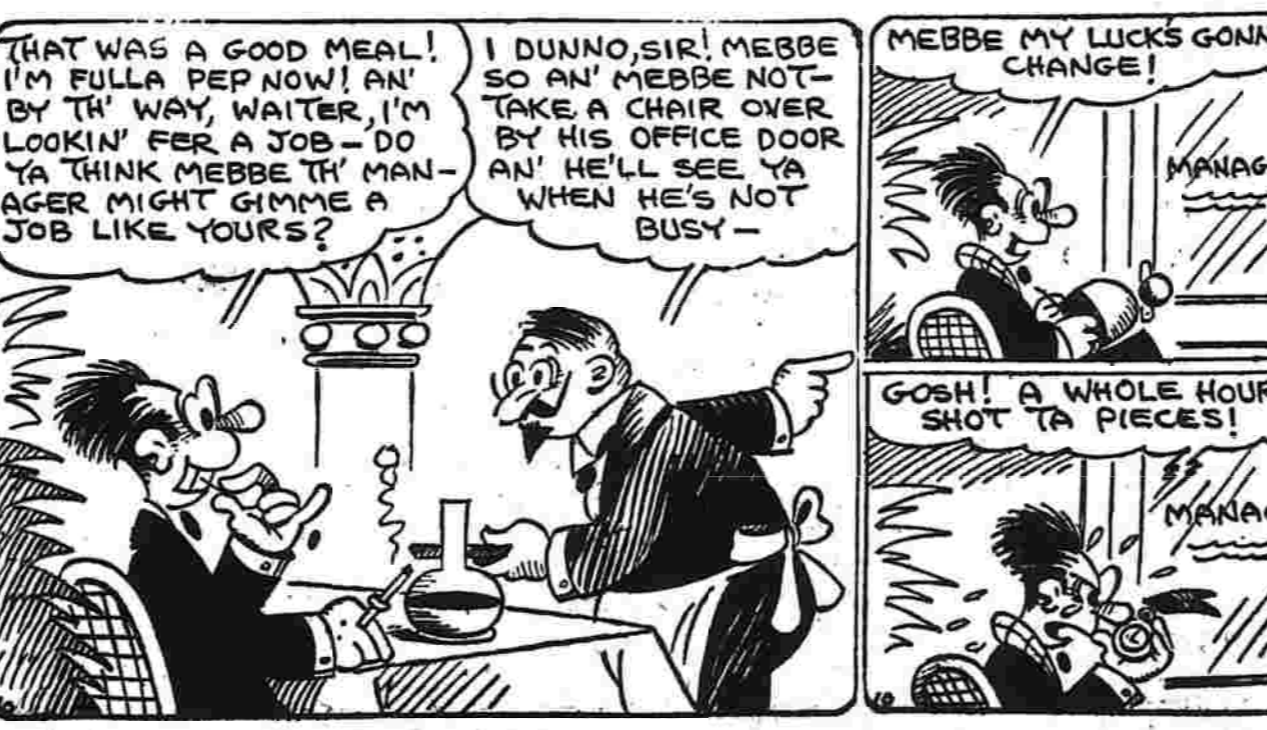
SCORCHY SMITH Au Revoir!



WASHINGTON TUBBS II. By Crane



SALESMAN SAM A Different Kind By Small



## OUR BOARDING HOUSE By Gene Ahern



THE HOOPLE LOVE NEST 2-10



OUT OUR WAY By Williams



ARE YOU SURE HE WON'T BE A NUISANCE ON YOUR HANDS, DOCTOR? NOT AT ALL, I ASSURE YOU... THIS IS A NICE OLD MAN I'M CALLING ON AND I THINK HE'D BE GLAD TO SEE A SMILING BOY, LIKE YOURS!



## FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS By Blosser





BASKETBALL NATIONAL GUARDS

VS. K. OF L. State Armory TONIGHT Main Game at 8:45 Dancing to The WDBC Flotilla Orchestra

ABOUT TOWN

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McAdams of Woodbridge street were called to Holyoke today because of the death of Mrs. McAdams' father, Jethro Palmer. The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon.

Men in the employ of the Roger Sherman Transfer Company of Hartford, this morning started removing the bolts in the interior of the vault of the Home Bank and Trust Company's former banking house.

Mrs. Elliott's Shop, which occupied one of the stores in the upper part of the Rubimow building is to be moved into the store in the building owned by P. J. O'Leary at 893 Main street.

Mathias Spies, who has given over 30 years to the study of Indian history in New England is to be the principal speaker at a father and son banquet in Braintree, Mass., on February 17.

Mrs. Richard Alton, chairman of hostesses for the Manchester Mothers' club meeting Friday evening at the South Methodist church, announces that the men folks will be welcome to attend the meeting.

Principal C. P. Quimby of Manchester High school will be the speaker at the meeting of the Men's League of the Center Church Sunday morning at 9:30.

Local people were much interested in watching the proximity of the moon and Venus in the western sky about supper time last night.

A pre-natal clinic will be held tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock at the clinic building of the Memorial hospital.

Women of the Church of the Nazarene will hold their weekly prayer service tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock at the parsonage with Mrs. H. B. Anthony.

The Ladies' Sewing Circle of the Concordia Lutheran church will meet tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

A meeting in observation of the World Day of Prayer for missions has been arranged by the missionary societies of the South Methodist church to be held in that church on Friday at 2:30 p. m.

Miss Eleanor Dwyer, daughter of Mrs. E. F. Dwyer of 23 Strickland street, Manchester, Conn., has been admitted to the Council of Debate at the College of New Rochelle.

There will be a rehearsal of the guard team of King David lodge of Odd Fellows tomorrow night at eight o'clock.

Mrs. Allen W. Duckworth, of 20 Henry street, last night received word by cablegram of the death of her father, William W. Blackman, in Hamilton, Bermuda.

Ward Cheney Camp, United Spanish War Veterans, will hold its regular meeting tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock in the State Armory.

Mrs. Frances Chambers, of Main street, grand chief of the state organization of Pythian Sisters, made her official visit to Gafcon Temple of Thomaston last night.

Y. M. C. A. Notes

Troop Nine of the Boy Scouts and the North End Boys' Club will hold separate meetings tonight at 7 o'clock at the new Y. M. C. A.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Admissions: Robert Scranton of 18 Williams street and William Mc-

Discharged: Margaret Bell of 19 Collum of 19 Jackson street.

Marked improvement in the case of Mrs. Clara L. Lincoln of Buckland who was seriously ill with pneumonia, has resulted in her name being removed from the danger list.

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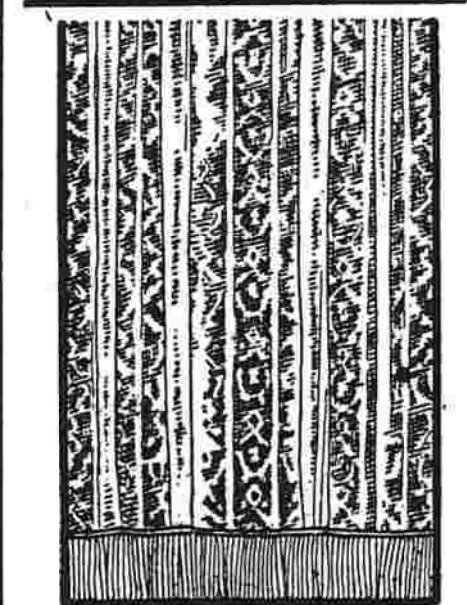
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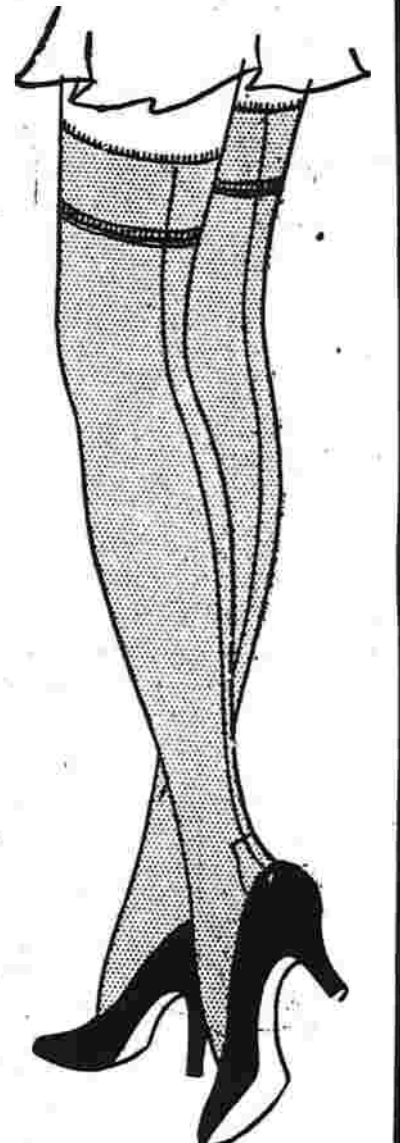
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