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"LOST BATTALION" RETIRES FROM CHAPEI

Editorials DETRUTRUE Day's News

THE big issue in this country RIGHT NOW is this:

Shall we have government by the people, as in the past, or shall

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT is de

I. A rubber stamp congress that jump when he cracks the

2. Control of industry and labor.

3. Control of agriculture.

4. Control of the courts.

If he gets these things, we will HAVE one-man government.

Let us give Roosevelt his just due.

He doesn't aspire to be a swashbucking dictator, riding roughshod over the liberties of the people. He merely believes that if given supreme power HE can do a better job of governing the United States of America than the PEO-PLE have done in the pust.

So he seeks personal power.

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of argument, that Franklin D. Roosevelt, as a beneficent dictator, an govern us better than we have Granting even that, we must fac-

WHO WILL FOLLOW ROOSE-

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COMMUNISM ON

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—(AP)— Chairman Copeland (D., N. Y.) of the senate commerce committee took preliminary steps today to-ward an investigation of what he called "communistic influences" at work or American ships work on American ships.

He ordered the committee's staff to collect all information available on labor disputes abour American merchant marine ships, including the strike of seamen on the Algie during a South American cruise.

the bottom of this communistic scamen's fight." Copeland said. "I'm sick and tired of that business. There is no use in building ships unless we have scamen that will operate them."

Conclusion.

(By the Associated Press.)

O'Brien Uses New Deal
Theoretically non-partisan, the election contest has brought from O'Brien a direct appeal for new deal democratic votes and a warning that republicans are ready to use his defeat as a "jumping off place" for state and national victories.

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Reading, nominally a republican, has held office for years in De-trol's non-partisan government.

CIO leaders have asserted the campaign issue is "labor vs. the economic royalists."

n the primary.

AFL support given Smith apparently has divided since the pri-

of Bitter Campaign on

Issue of Control by

Labor Faction.

LA GUARDIA-MAHONEY RACE DRAWS NATIONAL INTEREST NEW YORK, Oct. 30—(AP)— A tense political campaign that has drawn national interest ends

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SALEM SWITCHES TO SANTIAM WATER

Rescuers Save Youth Buried to

hight under floodinguis to release the lad.

For most of the 12 hours he remained conscious, guiding his rescuers and asking only for clearestes. Frequent drinks of whiskey stimulated his resistance. Late last night the Rev. Walter A. Quinlan, pastor of St. Mary's church, administered last rites of the Catholic church and remained nearby.

The youth was buried yesterday when the sandbank collapsed while he and three others were digging at its base. DETROIT. Oct. 30.—(AP)—The attempt of the Committee for Industrial Organization to score a major political coup in this automobile center has turned an ordinarily stald contest for the mayoral y into one of the bitterest campaigns in Detroit's history.

CHARGED TO YOUTHS

Pair Nabbed by Officer as They Prepare to Smash

Apprehended while assertedly at-tempting to force entrance into the Deer Creek Safeway store, Carl-regard the proposal as baving any Melching, 23, and Wilbur Chap-man, 19, who gave their home ad-which recessed Wednesday until Melching 23, and Wilbur Chapman, 19, who gave their home address as Sturgis, Michigan, were
arrested here last night. According to T. W. Thomason, specific
merchants night watchman, the
two men had rolled a barrel up to
the rear of the grocery store and
were preparing to smash a window
when he approached and flashed a
light on them.

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They admitted their intent to rob the store. Thomason said, and also stated they were picked up in Cottage Grove Friday and two other members of their party hold for attempting to steal gassoline.

Melching, Thomason reported, admitted a police record in Michigan for burglary.

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an for surgary.

Howard Chapman, 21, a third number of the party, claiming to be a brother of Wilbur, but density knowledge of the attempted obbery, was taken into custody ater by city officers, when found sleep in the trio's parked car on the street.

ne street. The three men were turned over Sheriff Percy Webb and were dergoing questioning today.

LIQUOR SALE BAN

PORTLAND, 'Oct. 20.—(AP)—tion of younger men in jou-number of the state liquor commission notified two daho commanies and an Oregon concern today to cesses selling liquor to certain outlets in Nyssa and Vale for the remainder of 1937 on the grounds that rimancial assistance had been given in the retailers.

(2) The state liquor commission notified with the census, he predicted, will direct attention to this manorization of the census, he predicted, will direct attention to this manorization of the census, he predicted, will direct attention to this manorization of the census, he predicted, will direct attention to this manorization of the census, he predicted, will direct attention to this manorization of the census, he predicted, will direct attention to this manorization of the census, he predicted, will direct attention to this manorization of the census, he predicted, will direct attention to this manorization of the census, he predicted, will direct attention to this manorization of the census, he predicted, and in the census, he predicted manner, it also will direct attention to this manorization of the census, he predicted manner, it also will direct attention to this manorization of the census, he predicted manner, it also will direct attention to this manorization of the census, he predicted manner, it also will direct attention to this manorization of the census, he predicted manner, it also will direct attention to this manorization of the census, he

Oddities Flashed From Press Wire

| Construction |

Safe and Sane

Lincoln, Neb.—Comes forth the Lincoln American Lexion post with a solution of the hallowern problem.

It will sponsor a city-wide chillence the produced \$71,200 in the struck to discover it will sponsor a city-wide chillence the mischief. The Lincoln recreation board and other civic organizations are produced and other civic organizations are produced and other civic organizations.

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Yule Chorus of

ers in a national unity conference here Nov. 27-29.

Milliam Green, AFL president, termed Lewis maneuver a "war-like gesture," and added: "It is bound to have a disturbing effect upon pending peace negotia-tions. It seems to us indicative of the CIO position."

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Lewis said the conference "will lay the basis for unity of all furniture workers in a single, powerful international industrial union at fillated with the CIO."

The CIO estimated 250,000 work, ers were employed in the furniture trades, 60,000 of them organized in unions.

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Roseburg Plan

CIO, Without Waiting for Resumption of Parley, Asks Allegiance of Furniture Union.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—(AP)—Organized labor's civil warfare broke out openly again today over a CIO proposal to enroll all furniture workers into one big union. Without waiting for resumption of stalemated peace negotiations with the American Federation of Labor, John L. Lewis, chairman of the committee for industrial organization, invited AFL craftsmen in the furniture workers in a mational unity conference here Nov. 27-29.

CANGSTER ESCAPEE

FRANK BIRD CAUGHT

His Mother.

tured in Philadelphia in a stolencar.

The Bird brothers and Widmer were arrested here in July, during an attempted robbery of a Cleveland Heights bank, and were being held for trial in a series of
Cleveland bank robberies.

Both of the Birds have long prison records, Charles escaped from
Missouri's state prison July 19,
1936, after serving less than four
years of a tenyear robberty sentines, Frank escaped from the same
prison last January 13, where he
was under a life sentence on a
first degree murder charge.

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Prince Indicted On

Right of Way Given Over Wage-Hour Nieasure and Other Agenda for Special Term.

Administration leaders in con-gress are working against time in an effort to get the president's five-point program ready for de-Farm legislation will have the

Farm legislation will have the right-of-way. EY = b - c or bills should be ready at the start of the session musty legislators have expressed the belief the entire program cannot be enacted before the regular sessions begins in January.

Here is the status of measures on the administration program: Farm legislation—The house agriculture committee is completing a bill to limit acreage planted in principal crops. Farmers would be allowed to raise and market as much as they can on their allotted land.

Chairman Jones (D., Tex.), said the measure also would continue the present soil conservation bene-fits and would establish an ever

normal granary system to store surplus of some crops for use in

Charles, only member of the Brit brothers' gang who escaped from the Cuyahoga county jait over a month ago and still at large.

Frank filled and his wife, Sylvia, also a fugitive, were trapped in a bulletless capture last night as bulletless captures as they drove up to the home of Mrs. Bird's mother.

Sheriff Martin L. O'Donnell said is deputies were in the house as Bird's wife walked in and that a member of the family was instructed to go out and tell Frank that the coast was clear.

Frank then came in and was captured. O'Donnell said.

Hird and his brother, accompasted break and a wild automobile chase through the city streets, leaving in their wake a fatuly injured woman whom their specific captured. On October 15 Widmer was captured in Philadelphia in a stolen car.

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FEHL SUIT AGAINST

MARTIN SQUELCHED

San Quentin prison on a life sentence.

The chief justice said Mooney also falled to show "that the prosenting officers caused or suffered to the introduced at his trial any testimony which they knew or land any reason to believe was at any testimony which they knew or suffered sustained the demurrer entered by stappressing or preventing the introduced at the prosenting of any evidence which they knew or later that the prosenting of the property of the pro On a PORTLAND, Oct. 30.—(AP)—Circuit Judge James W. Crawford sustained the demurrer entered by Ralph E. Moody, assistant state attorney general, on behalf of Governor Charles Martin as defendant in a \$548,000 damage suit killed by Earl Fehl, former Jackson contributed.

given 20 days in which to file a new corpilaint.

The demurrer said that Fehl was not entitled to the credits claimed, and that the governor was not liable to civil action for damages for any official action, however erroneous.

Judge Crawford held that credits for good behavior applied only to parole, and not to the discharge of prison inmates, and that the matter of parole was discretionary with the governor.

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DINING CAR TIPS
OUTLAWED BY PACT

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Charge of Murder

Facing second-degree murder indictment in connection with the slaying of his half-caste common law wife, Arvilla Kinslea, 22, Prince David Kalakaya Kawananakoa, above, is being held by Honolulu police. He is the last surviving member of the Hawalian royal family and a grandnephew of the last male monarch of the islands. The prince is alleged to have slain the woman with a piece of broken crockery during a wild party. He was already on probation on an old manislaughter charge growing out of the death of a young woman in an automobile accident in 1931.

MOONEY PLEA FOR

FREEDOM DENIED

Allegation of Perjury at Trial Not Proved, Says

California Court. SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 30 AP) — The California AP) — The California supreme court today denied Thomas J Mooney's plea for freedom on a writ of habeas corpus.

The decision was five to one with Justice William H. Langdon

lissenting.
In announcing the opinion, Chief
Instice Waste stated the court
has concluded that Mooney failed
to establish by substantial credible
syldence that his conviction was

Safety of British Lines Through Spray From Jap Artillery.

SHANGHAL, Oct. 31 — (Sunday)
— (AP) — China's "lost battalion"
early today succes fully ran the
gauntlet of heavy Japanese fire to
withdraw into the safety of the
international concession behind
American and British defense
lines.

More than 400 of the unit which had defied besieging Japanese for four days in devastated Chapei dashed through the waiting British army lines. They were disarmed and will be interned for the rest of the war.

The Chinese brought out in triumph the huge Chinese flag which had flown over their warehouse fortress.

Last to reach safety was Colonel
Hsieh Chin-Yuan, battalion commander, who said Generalisaimo
Chiang Kai-Shek had sent direct
orders to bring the unit out because the country felt it was "too
valuable to be spared."

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A Japanese assault on the battation's warehouse-fortress brought on a deadly battle and apparently nullified earlier plans for the Chinese to lay down their arms and withdraw into the international sattlement.

British troops and British police of the settlement already had made arrangements for such evacuation when the Japanese began blasting at the warehouse with artifler, machine suns and rifle fre.

Japanese searchlights played on the roadway over which the Chin-

of prosecution withesses."
Mooney, convicted with Warren
K. Billings of murder for the 1916
Preparedness day parade bombles
here, is serving his 11st year in
San Quentin prison on a life sentence. inent men attending, unanimous and amid wild cheering adopte this resolution:

U. S. Debt Slash in 1938 May Drop Two Billion in Tax-Free Securities

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30 - (AP) | These obligations are issued

DAMASCUS, Syria, Oct. 30.—

(AP)—More than 1,000 persons were drowned in floods contleast of Damascus, authorities announced today.

Ten thousand persons were made homeless and several villages were destroyed.

Touch the public, the treasury will be the public to the public to the public to the accounts.

ure business trends and congressional action on a new farm pro-

The budget would be knocked out of line, they said, unless taxes are provided to meet the cost of the proposed farm program.

In the Dog House

PHILADELPHIA—Jake, a police dog, is in disgrace. When a hold-up man entered his muster's gas station he just watched. He didn't even give a growl as the robber forced James White into a cellar and cleaned his pockets.

pattern study specimens she'll be more specific.

Fourth Grader Maxine Baker brought a sprig of poison icy, Sixth Grader James Nelson a young ratternate of the process of the pr

UNICN, S. C.—A policeman asked a merchant here to repark his car, but the tradesman found it tocked and couldn't locate the key. He ordered a locksmith to make a key, had the machine washed and greased, filled with gas and oil and reparked.

Then the real owner got in and drove away, apparently unaware of what had happened.

In the D.

OKLAHOMA CITY—Next time Teacher Lillian Morrow calls for nature study specimens she'll be

Neck 12 Hours

CHELMSFORD, Mass., Oct. 39, -(AP)—Rescuers early today reed Manuel Camacho, 19, of Low III, from a sandbank in which be ad been buried up to his neck

he was taken to a hospital for treatment of crushed legs. More than 190 policemen, fire-men and volunteers from three communities worked through the night under floodlights to release

Store Window.

More Than 100,

Killer and Wife Walk Into Police Trap at Home of

TRAFFIC CRASHES