



BOMB PLOT FAILS—Detectives examine carton containing 30 sticks of dynamite described as "enough to wreck the building" which were found in Christmas wrappings in an outside basement stairway of the C. I. O. United Auto Workers headquarters building in Detroit, Mich. A bloated fuse, which was lighted but went out, spoiled the plot. Authorities believe the plot was hatched by the same "network" that tried to assassinate U. A. W. President Walter Reuther and his brother, Victor.

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LOOK HOW SHE HAS TO WALK IN THOSE SHOES! OF COURSE IF SHE EVER GETS ANYPLACE AND GETS DOWN SHE'LL LOOK WONDERFUL!

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ALLEY OOP

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Admiral Faces Suit In Apartment House Tilt

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—(AP)—The apartment house troubles of Rear Admiral Joseph J. ("Jocko") Clark were back in the news again today.

This time it's a \$500,000 assault and battery suit brought against the admiral and his wife by Miss Selma Sinclair.

The admiral is charged with forcibly preventing Miss Sinclair from entering the apartment house owned by Mrs. Clark.

Clark and his apartment home were in the courts before. Then it was over a battle to evict tenants from the \$200,000 fashionable Massachusetts Ave. property shortly after Mrs. Clark purchased it.

Miss Sinclair in her suit charges that Clark knocked her down Oct. 25 when she was trying to visit friends in the building. Clark says it's all a "split

SOAP PRICES SLASHED

CINCINNATI, Dec. 29.—(AP)—Procter and Gamble today announced a reduction of four percent in the wholesale price of household soap products.

The company said it had cut the wholesale price of shortening five percent.

The Kroger company, through a spokesman, said the reductions meant a saving of two cents to the consumer in the price of shortening and up to three cents a pound for soap products.

The number of horses and mules in the U. S. has fallen from 21,431,000 in 1915 to nearly 10,000,000 today. In about the same period tractors have increased from a thousand to around 3,000,000.

affair" and that he never used any violence in objecting to Miss Sinclair's entry.

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The water is a gift from the Highland Lakes News, a weekly devoted to fishing, hunting and loafing. When it reaches New York about New Year's eve, the tanker spigots will be opened to provide a drink for all Texans who can be found.

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