

### University Minds To Fight Gangster Crime In Chicago

CHICAGO (AP)—High-hat gangsters here soon will be fighting two "smokey" detective bureaus that science is setting up to strangle them.

Cunning gangster minds will be matching wits against all the cool, incisive scientists of two great universities—the University of Chicago and Northwestern. It will be a battle of the machine gun against the laboratory.

Establishment of these "big shot" detective agencies, one at each school, can be traced directly to the bloody Valentine's day slaying on North Clark street when seven men met staccato death. Public horror mounted swiftly and a jury of leading business men probed the killings.

Out of their inquiry grew first the crime bureau at Northwestern. The University of Chicago followed at once, attacking the problem from another angle.

Burt A. Massoe, one of Chicago's business leaders, was foreman of the coroner's jury and has been the most active in organizing the crime school at Northwestern. He obtained an endowment of \$300,000 for it from business men. It has been pledged full cooperation by police and the coroner.

This bureau plans no idle study to staff library archives. "It will be primarily a place of investigations," says Dean John H. Wigmore of the university's law school.

"Its aim will be to gather evidence and have it presented to court and jury by men who have standing in their professions and whose testimony will be taken seriously," Massoe explains. "They will be men who are under no political domination and cannot be bought."

"The trouble now is that police do not get scientific evidence. Much evidence is obliterated when a policeman arrives on the scene. Detectives can be trained in the bureau and the entire department instructed in preserving evidence."

Maj. Calvin Goddard, leading authority on ballistics, the science of bullet markings, is to be a member of the laboratory staff.

At the University of Chicago a great center for scientific study of police work, with the whole country as its field, is to be established this fall under August Vollmer, chief of police of Berkeley, Cal., internationally famous for his scientific methods of combating crime.

The entire resources of the university will be absorbed into this study. Primarily the center will be for police research, aiming to put the university in a position to advise police departments. At the same time it can be called upon for immediate aid.

### Henry Ford Has 66th Birthday

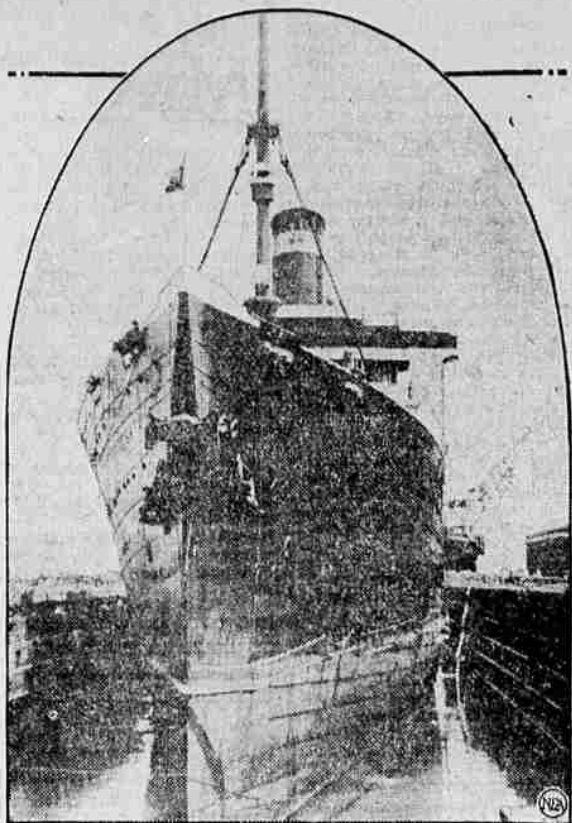
DETROIT, July 30, (AP)—Henry Ford turned 66 today.

However, as far as Mr. Ford was concerned, the birthday was much like any other day in his busy life. An inspection of property at Dearborn, including visits to the Ford farms and experimental laboratories and Fordson automobile plant promised to be the order of the day.

At Mr. Ford's office it was said that although he might pose for a few motion picture views today he would not have more than the usual number of visitors at "Fairlane," his estate in Dearborn. "Fairlane" is but a short distance from the farm house in Greenfield township where Mr. Ford was born, July 30, 1863.

Numerous congratulatory telegrams were received at the Ford

### Leviathan's on Vacation, Too



Not exactly a vacation, it is. Tremendous size of the Leviathan, America's largest ocean liner, is strikingly shown in this picture of the huge vessel in dry-dock at Charleston, Mass. The big ship is undergoing its annual overhauling.

## Society News

### Party Given Last Evening For Miss Kitchen

There were five tables of bridge at play when Mrs. Nellie Spencer and Mrs. Carrie Caldwell entertained, complimenting Miss Thelma Kitchen, a bride of next Sunday, at the home of Mrs. Audine Plagle, 1502 Fourth street, Alto. A few hours at the enjoyable diversion, Mrs. Lester Bramwell having made high score was given first prize and Mrs. Ralph Klanton second. These gift prizes were in turn presented to the guest of honor by the two winners. Miss Kitchen was showered with articles for her kitchen, and they were numerous and beautiful. About the home and in the refreshments served, a color arrangement of pink and white was followed, sweet peas having been used in profusion for the decorations.

The Riverside Ladies Aid society will meet at the home of Mrs. P. M. Kennedy, 1003 Lake street, Thursday afternoon at two o'clock.

Mr. Ford planned to leave early this evening for West Orange, N. J., to visit with his friend, Thomas A. Edison.

Methods of control and treatment for anaplastosis, a cattle disease similar to Texas fever, are sought by Texas and federal entomologists.



A TWO-PIECE felt hat held together with a slide fastening diagonally across the top is one of the clever new imports.

### Diplomat Worked For Steel Mills Till Past Thirty

PITTSBURGH, Pa. (AP)—Diplomacy as a career drew Irwin Laughlin from the steel mills of his forefathers at the age of 32.

For a quarter of a century he served in American embassies and legations in virtually every important nation in Europe and his career will be climaxed with appointment as American ambassador to Italy if President Hoover takes the formal recommendation of Senator David Reed of Pennsylvania.

Born with the benefit of wealth Mr. Laughlin by past achievements and personal promise fits the picture of a diplomat as that of a cultured cosmopolitan.

The clubs of Paris and London know him as well as those of Washington or New York. He always has taken a leading part in the civic and social life of Pittsburgh.

Yale is Mr. Laughlin's alma mater and he earned a bachelor of arts degree there at the age of 23. He was born in Pittsburgh April 26, 1871.

At the outset, he planned to follow in the footsteps of his family and enter the steel industry. He took a secondary position in the Jones and Laughlin Corporation at Pittsburgh in 1894 and became treasurer of the corporation in six years.

He resigned that post in 1903 to make his first contact with the American diplomatic service, becoming private secretary to the American minister in Japan. Steel as a life interest for him faded and he turned his thoughts to diplomacy.

From 1903 to 1919 Mr. Laughlin served successfully in American embassies and legations in Japan, Siam, China, Russia, Greece, Montenegro, France, Turkey, England and Germany. He has been secretary of legation, consul general, embassy secretary, charge d'affaires, counselor, envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary.

Granted an extended leave of absence in 1919 while stationed in London, Mr. Laughlin in 1921 served as secretary to Henry Cabot Lodge in the conference for the limitation of armaments.

His leave, however, was short, for in 1924 President Coolidge sent him to Greece as envoy. There he remained for two years, retiring in 1926 because of illness in his family and he has been "at liberty" since.

Mr. Laughlin married in 1912 and the Laughlins have two children, Alexander and Gertrude. He has been a life-long republican.

F. E. Lowry of Oxford, Kas., found an old fossil of the Declaration of Independence, the exact size of the original, while rummaging in a chest of family papers.



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### Men's Fancy Dress Hose

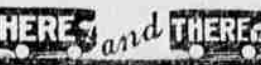


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### Sheriff Asks Her Deputy to Resign

SAN RAFAEL, Cal., July 26. (AP)—Frank Sherman, under-sheriff of Marin county, was requested to resign today.

It isn't the saturation point of the automobile that worries the pedestrian so much as the saturation point of the driver.

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### Spain Dismisses Trans-Ocean Air Hero And Ace

MADRID, July 30, (AP)—Major Ramon Franco, Spain's Premier aviator and trans-Atlantic air hero, has been dismissed from the Spanish air service for offenses considered derogatory to Spain's air prestige.

The dismissal was not the result so much of undertaking a transoceanic flight recently in defiance of purported government opposition, as in undertaking that flight in an Italian built plane, and in accepting French weather reports rather than those obtained by a Spanish observatory.

Both phases of the aviator's recent attempt to reach New York from Alcazar airdrome, Cartagena, which ended in a forced landing near the Azores, were distasteful to General Primo de Rivera, Spanish premier, who had counted on a flight achievement in which every entering element

should be Spanish, and non-Foreign.

The dictator had allowed to be constructed a huge four motor Bleriot bomber plane at Cadix, of Spanish material, and a Spanish variation of the Bleriot design. The plane, named the Numancia, was made available to Major Franco and his three companions, and it was supposed up to the last minute that they intended using it when they took off a month ago. On the day prior to departure, the plane was given a test flight and developed some sort of motor trouble.

With a station in the Azores, that weather was not propitious. Major Franco was made aware of the discrepancy and postponed his trip.

Major Franco was accompanied on the flight which ended at the Azores by Major Eduardo Gallarza, Captain Tuzio de Alda and Sergeant Pedro Madariaga.

Mrs. William Morgan Smith of Rosemont, Va., owns a lap desk on which she asserts, Thomas Jefferson penned the Declaration of Independence.

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