

News of World

As Seen By Camera

THE famous Morse elm, named after Samuel F. B. Morse and long an object of interest, on one of Washington's busy streets, was cut down a few days ago because it was dead. Cutting away the roots some years ago to widen the streets killed the tree.

Colonel William Mitchell, assistant chief of the United States army air service, and one of the world's foremost authorities on aeronautics, has challenged the navy to a contest between army planes and warships.

James A. Fowler of Knoxville, Tenn., newly named special assistant of Attorney-General Daugherty, has charge of prosecutions of leaders of the alleged building material combinations, maintained to keep prices high. During the administration of President Taft, Mr. Fowler figured prominently in similar actions.

Two successive photographs taken of Miss Laura Brownell just after she had looped the loop 193 times in 80 minutes showed that the first thing she did was to comb her hair, while she next consumed a bottle of pop. This daring 23-year-old aviatrix next hopped into a tiny and speedy Italian plane—and broke the record for women flyers by making 135 miles an hour.

Ernest I. Lewis of Indianapolis, Ind., has been appointed as one of the two new members of the interstate commerce commission. For four years he has been head of the Indiana state public service commission. He formerly was a newspaper man.

Julia, alias the "Sing Sing kid," otherwise a frisky little zebra in the Bronx zoological gardens, New York, was three weeks old when she posed for her first photograph with Ma Zebra.

Archie (left) and Kermit Roosevelt, younger sons of the late Colonel Roosevelt, left about two weeks ago for an extended tour through Europe.

By the three young Cincinnati inventors it is said that, at a cost of about \$50, any enclosed automobile may be equipped with complete wireless telephone apparatus. The sets are particularly designed for physicians, so they may be reached while on the road. The operating radius is about five miles.



Famous Morse Elm Cut Down

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Julia, The "Sing Sing Kid"

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Aviation Chief Challenges Navy

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Fowler Starts Probe On Trusts

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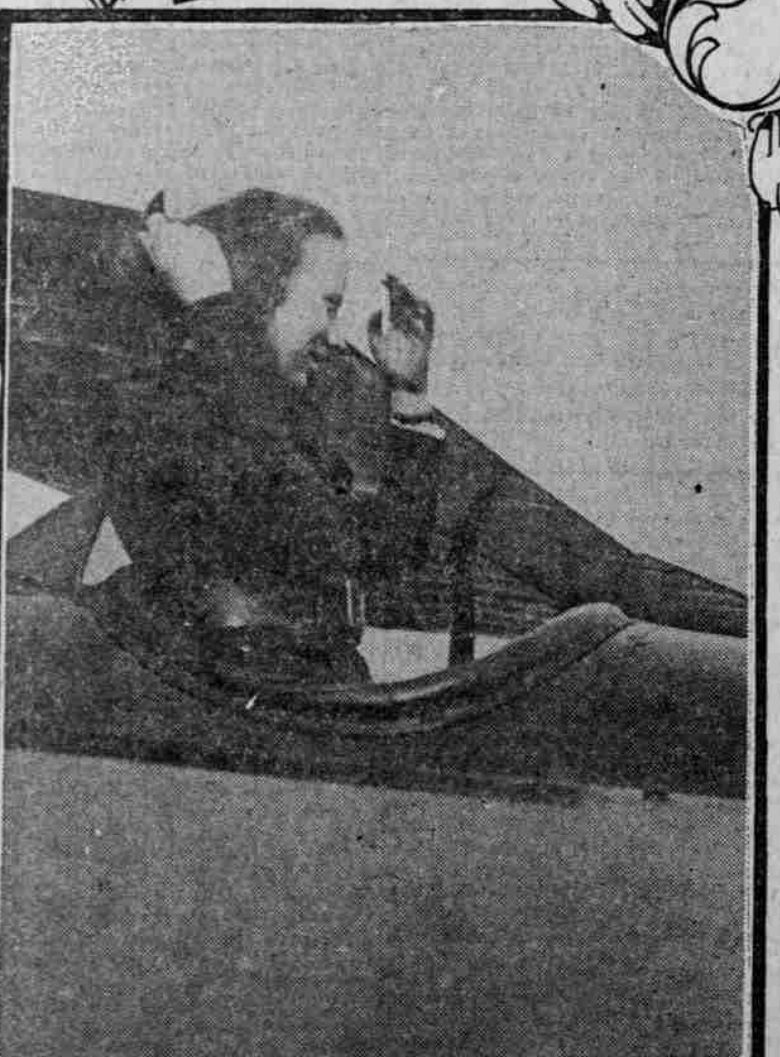


Roosevelt's Sons Sail For Europe

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Nervy Aviatrix Sets Record

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Portable Radiophone Used On Automobile