

# Outstanding Events of Week Are Portrayed in News Photos



Here are four of Hollywood's most successful stars during 1937, two of them newcomers to the screen. Each was featured in two box-office hits which were among the 20 best pictures of the year. Irene Dunne came through with superb performances in two clever comedies, "Theodora Goes Wild" and "The Awful Truth". Paul Muni has to his credit two of the finest productions in Hollywood history.

"The Good Earth" and "The Life of Emile Zola". Deanna Durbin was the sensation of the year. This 15-year-old singing prodigy proved herself no "flash in the pan" by coming back with her triumphal "100 Men and a Girl" after playing to packed houses in "Three Smart Girls". Sonja Henie, world figure skating champion, won laurels with "One in a Million", and then scored again in "Thin Ice".



Completion of another year of service by the huge Edward Hines, Jr., hospital in Chicago calls attention to the outstanding record of this institution devoted to caring for disabled American veterans. It was dedicated in 1921 in honor of Edward Hines, Jr., a lieutenant killed in action and the son of a prominent Chicago industrialist whose generosity made the project possible. The outlay is now valued in excess of \$15,000,000 and comprises 23 buildings with accommodations for 1,750 patients.



Hollywood may be devoid of snow and its chimneys offer quite a problem to portly Santa, but the Christmas spirit reigns there just the same. Here are some of the film colony celebs as they took part in the gala holiday doings. Claire Manners seems to be having trouble selecting a present, but

Ann Rutherford and Priscilla Lawson are loaded down with gifts. Shirley Temple is carrying out ancient traditions by peering up the chimney for Santa, while Marie Wilson anticipated his visit by going up on the roof and then thanking him for her remembrance.



Here is Mrs. Katherine Hughes, wife of Lieutenant Commander J. J. Hughes of the U. S. gunboat Panay, sunk by Japanese bombs in the Yangtze river, as she anxiously awaits further word from her husband whose leg was broken in the melee.



In competition with a score of other beauties from all parts of California, Cheryl Walker, stunning blond, was selected queen of the annual Tournament of Roses and will reign supreme at the celebration at Pasadena on New Year's Day.



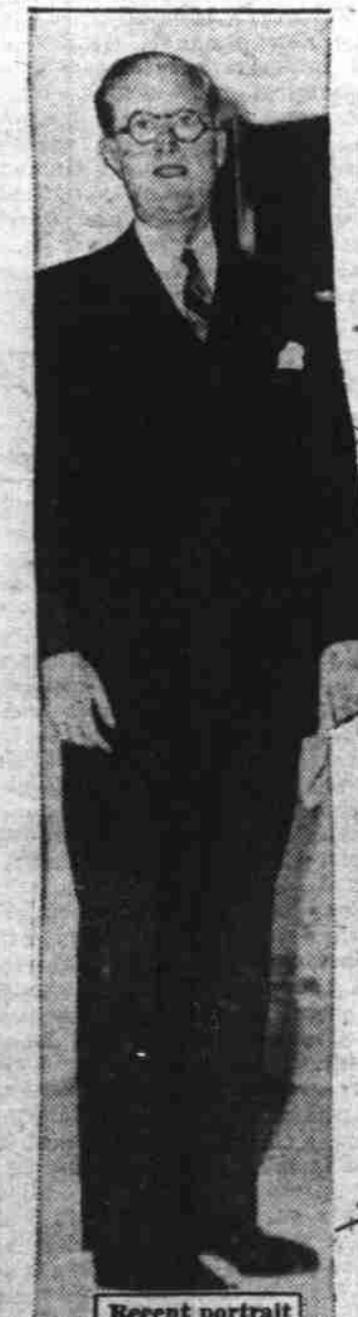
An impressive double-barré cross, 300 feet high and 120 feet wide, formed by a special lighting pattern in the windows of a Chicago skyscraper, aids in the sale of Christmas seals which finance the campaign against tuberculosis.



This recent photo shows Juliet Stuart Poyntz, known as one of the ten principal leaders of the Communist Party in the United States. Her disappearance from her New York apartment strangely parallels the disappearance of "Mr. and Mrs. Donald Robinson" in Russia.



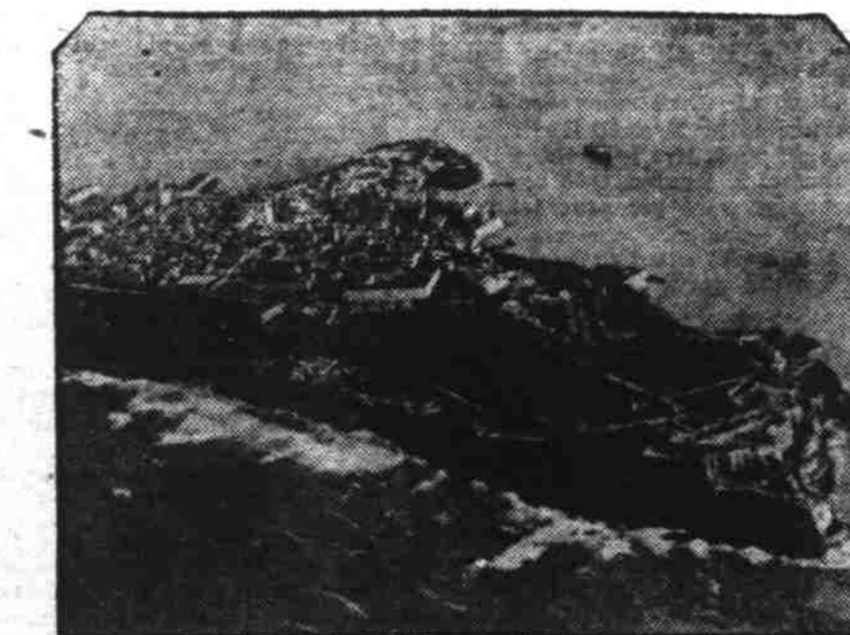
Despite protests of Vice Consul K. Fukushina, left, of the Japanese consulate in New York, William Dodd, Jr., center, son of the U. S. ambassador to Germany, took the lead in staging a sitdown demonstration and parade in protest against Japanese invasion of China.



Negotiation of a trade treaty favorable to United States' commerce is the principal duty confronting Joseph C. Kennedy when he takes over the post of ambassador to Great Britain in January. Kennedy's new appointment is further indication of the strategic place he holds as "trouble shooter" for the New Deal. He was first chairman of the securities and exchange commission, then took over the



job of straightening out the maritime commission, and now goes to the Court of St. James. Kennedy is the son of a wealthy Boston Irish politician and business man, and is himself a millionaire several times over. Although only 46, he rates as one of the shrewdest minds linked with the administration. He is married to the daughter of a former Boston mayor and has nine children.



Looking down on the fort-topped peninsular city of San Juan, Puerto Rico's capital



Long held in the grip of the depression, Puerto Rico apparently is finding its way back to a more balanced economy as a result of a reconstruction program instituted by the United States government. The program of the Puerto Rico reconstruction administration is aimed at checking certain economic tendencies which are said to have created widespread poverty among the 1,800,000 citizens. Chief trends which the government is combatting are: Concentration of land in too few hands, concentration of population in urban areas, absentee ownership of key properties, one-crop farming and poor sanitary conditions.



Albert L. Cobb (above), attorney of Sylvania, Ga., under indictment in connection with slaying of Charles Daughtry, wealthy farmer, charges the indictments part of "scheme" to deny part of \$200,000 estate to Daughtry's daughter, Marie, wanted for complicity.



Japanese occupation of the vast territory in central China they now hold was made directly possible when attack units landed on the south bank of the Yangtze river, above, 45 miles from Shanghai and turned the flank of the Chinese defense position, resulting in the fall of Soochow.



One of the most unusual educational projects in United States is now in the midst of its sixth and best season, the Farm Folk school at University of Wisconsin. This branch of the state institution is devoted to training young farmers to be the agricultural leaders of the future. It operates for four months, from November to March, and enables those in Wisconsin rural districts to obtain advanced training in various fields at a term cost of only \$97, including board, room and tuition. Modeled on the folk schools of Denmark, it is headed by Dean V. E. Kivlin and has an enrollment of more than 300 students, some of whom have only been to grade school, others college men.