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Floods Delay Franco's Drive

Hendaye, France (At the Spanish Frontier), Dec. 21 (AP)—With cold weather and floods still delaying General Franco's offensive, the interest of border observers today turned to Gibraltar where the Spanish destroyer Jose Diaz made ready to dash through the insurgent fleet to ward home...

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San Bernardino, Calif., Dec. 21 (AP)—Comedian W. C. Fields, charged \$12,000 for a month's medical treatment, doesn't have to pay because the amount "shocks the conscience" the state appellate court ruled today...

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Good Demand For Export Apples

Portland, Dec. 21 (AP)—Northwest apples for export held in good demand today but the inquiry continued light for the domestic trade...

Births, Deaths, Marriages

Births—Silvertown—To Mr. and Mrs. Allen Porter, at Marshfield, Dec. 16, a 6 1/2-pound daughter, Nancy Lee...

Grade Pupils Enjoy Their Annual Program

Mr. Angel—Grade pupils of Mt. Angel academy presented their annual Christmas program Monday afternoon in the academy auditorium under the direction of student teachers of Mt. Angel Normal...

Obituary

Mrs. Anna Parrey—December 16, Mrs. Anna Parrey, 52, died at Astoria, Ore., of a heart ailment...

Markets Briefed

(By United Press) Stocks lower. Bonds lower. Curb stocks irregularly lower. Foreign exchange easy. Cotton steady. Wheat unchanged to up 1/4, corn off 1/4. Rubber steady.

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Liquor Find Speeds Work

Pocatello, Ida., (AP)—WPA workers, improving a road near Inkon, unearthed a cache of a pre-prohibition bootlegger. The quality proving fine, and a report spreading that another 5-gallon jug of well-aged moonshine was buried in the vicinity, rapid progress was made on speeding up the road improvement.

Mumps Priced at \$35

Port Jervis, N. Y. (AP)—Because he contracted mumps when he went to the home of an ill pupil to give a Regents examination, Warren Fisher, high school teacher, will be paid for the seven days his illness forced his absence from school.

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