



NEWS of the DAY in PICTURES



HER FAILURE BECOMES SUCCESS



Ruth Harriet Louise (this is she) was taught from childhood that she was to become a painter. In her teens Ruth wisely realized she lacked the peculiar talents of an artist with the brush, gave up her planned career and became a photographer. Now, with a studio in New York and another in Los Angeles, Cal., she is busy as can be making photo portraits of movie stars. And she gets from \$500 to \$1,000 apiece for them! Ruth is 21.

Doomed, Pal Flees



As Lawrence Mabrey, 18, sits in his cell at Sedalia, Mo., awaiting death on the gallows for the fatal shooting of William Busch, 23, authorities have been searching for his pal, Ellis Collins, who was given a life sentence for the same crime. Collins escaped from Saline county jail at Marshall, Mo., with five other boys. Collins is at top, above, and Mabrey below.

CURTIS FORMALLY ACCEPTS NOMINATION



Formally accepting the republican nomination for vice-president, Senator Charles Curtis delivered his first address in the 1928 campaign on the steps of the Kansas state house at Topeka, not far from the spot where he was born in a log cabin. His sister, Mrs. Edward E. Gann of Washington, D. C., sat near him as he delivered his speech. The Rev. J. R. McFadden, pastor of the First Methodist church, who delivered the invocation at the ceremonies, is shown seated between Senator Curtis and Mrs. Gann.

HOOVER AT OLD SWIMMING HOLE



The republican candidate for the presidency included a visit to the old swimming hole during his stop over at West Branch, Iowa, where he was born. Although his guide erred in pointing out the place where the boys of Mr. Hoover's day went swimming, Hoover corrected him.

RIDES 1,800 MILES TO SEE PRESIDENT



Boyd Jones, 14 years old, rode horseback 1,800 miles to see President Coolidge at Superior and extend to him the invitation of Gov. R. C. Dillon of New Mexico to attend the eighth annual Indian ceremonial at Gallup, N. M.

Manchurian Governor



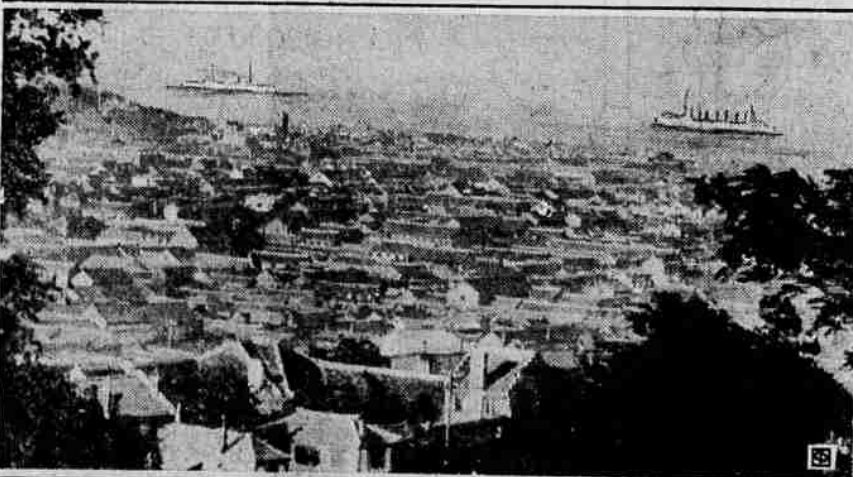
Upon the assassination of his father Chang Tso-lin, war lord of North China, General Chang Hsueh, his son, succeeded to the command of his troops and the governorship of Manchuria. This is the latest picture of the youthful military chieftain.

STILL EXPLOSION FIRE MAKES 150 HOMELESS



Between 150 and 200 persons were burned out of home by a fire at Ronald, Wash., which police authorities said started from an explosion of a moonshine still. It cost the life of Bert Pellegrine, owner of the still.

UNITED STATES RECALLS ITS FLEET FROM CHINA



With the virtual recognition of the new Nationalist government of China by the United States, the American fleet in Chinese waters has been recalled. This picture, just received from China, shows a view of Chefoo and harbor from a hill, with the flagship Pittsburgh, of the Asiatic fleet, at the left, and the supply ship Jason.

FORD VACATIONS IN NEW ENGLAND



The cool retreat at his Wayside Inn at Sudbury, Mass., drew Henry Ford there for a midsummer vacation. He is shown at a favorite spot, the old pump at the inn.

HOOVER SWINGS INTO CAMPAIGN



Herbert Hoover waving a greeting to crowds that gathered to see the presidential candidate and his party as they visited the famous old mission at Santa Barbara, Cal., before starting eastward on republican campaign tour.

To Succeed Voliva



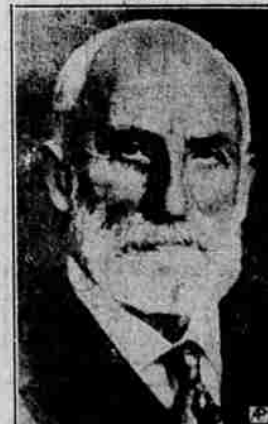
Apostle M. J. Mintern, above, youngest of the Zion church leaders, has been chosen by Wilbur Glenn Voliva, to succeed him as overseer. Voliva has explained that he felt he should name his successor because of "the uncertainty of this frail and transitory life." Voliva is nearing his sixtieth year. The church is in Zion, Ill.

ROBINSON MAPS CAMPAIGN TOUR



Sen. Joseph T. Robinson (right) and Sen. Millard Tydings of Maryland, chairman of the democratic speakers bureau conferring in New York on arrangements for the vice presidential nominee's speaking tour. Senator Tydings said he expected that the Arkansas senator would cover virtually all of the country before election day.

Rules Tiny State



Prince John II, 89-year-old ruler of little mountain principality of Liechtenstein, governs his 11,000 subjects with the aid of three policemen. If Prince John lives and reigns another two years, he will have ruled longer than any sovereign in history.

HOOVER AND BOYHOOD CHUM



Mr. Hoover, during his visit to West Branch, Iowa, his birthplace, gets first hand information as to the farm problem. He is shown here with "Newt" Butler, a boyhood chum, in an Iowa cornfield. Butler has the distinction of having "licked" Mr. Hoover in a boyhood fight.