

GAVEL FOR KEYNOTER



Associated Press Photo
Senator Aiben W. Barkley, keynoter for the democratic convention in Chicago, was presented in Washington with the gavel used in the Houston convention. Left to right: Ed Halsey, convention sergeant-at-arms; Pat Haltigan, clerk; Senator Barkley; Rep. Clarence Cannon, parliamentarian.

CHAMPION IN NEWEST SWIM SUIT



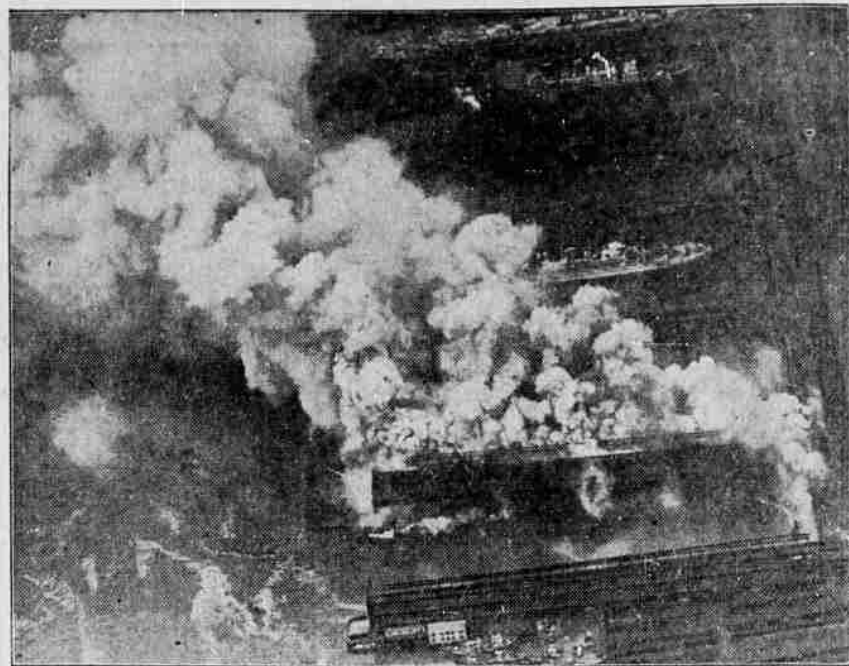
Associated Press Photo
Eleanor Holm of New York, one of America's swimming champions, appeared in this new low-cut swimming suit at the Olympic pool in Los Angeles. Miss Holm, a leading candidate for the United States' Olympic swimming team, is training for the National Amateur athletic union indoor championships.

Would Be Citizen



Associated Press Photo
Vicki Baum, German playwright, is shown as she arrived in New York for a stay during which, she said, she intends to become an American citizen.

\$2,000,000 FIRE SWEEPS HUGE NEW YORK PIER



Associated Press Photo
The most stubborn fire in New York's recent history wrecked the giant Cunard line pier on the Hudson river causing more than \$2,000,000 damage. One man was killed and about 300 firemen suffered injuries while battling the blaze.

SOLDIER TOMB COMPLETED



Associated Press Photo
A new 13-ton marble slab recently placed over the grave of the Unknown Soldier in Arlington cemetery, Washington, completes the shrine to America's soldier dead. The marble block was rejected once before because of a flaw.

RENEWS FIGHT FOR HOMELESS PETS



Associated Press Photo
With the arrival of spring and the dog-catcher, Mrs. Irene Castle McLaughlin, famous dancer of several years ago, is renewing her campaign to provide homes for homeless animals. She sponsors an "animal shelter" near Deerfield, Ill., and is shown with one of her many pets.

REPUBLICANS MAKE PLANS FOR CHICAGO CONVENTION



Associated Press Photo
Members of the Republican party's committee on arrangements are shown as they met in Chicago to plan their national convention in the same city in June. Left to right, standing: Martha McClure, Iowa; J. Henry Roraback, Connecticut; Clarence C. Hamlin, Colorado; J. R. Nutt, Ohio; Dr. E. B. Clements, Missouri; Charles D. Hilles, New York; Lafayette Gleason, New York; James Francis Burke, Pennsylvania; David Mulvane, Kansas, and George B. Keim, New Jersey. Left to right, seated: Ralph Williams, Oregon; Senator Simeon D. Fess of Ohio, national chairman; Daniel E. Pomeroy, New Jersey, and Mrs. Harry E. Thomas, Wisconsin.

Newcomer In Movies



Associated Press Photo
Gale Ronn went straight from Kansas City to Hollywood, and soon "her home folks" will see her in a new film production.

HE'S TIRED OF COLLEGE QUEENS



Associated Press Photo
James Montgomery Flagg is "bored" with college beauty contests. Pictures of Syracuse contestants including (top to bottom) Elizabeth Marsh, Mary Jane Hall and Lucille Hall, were sent to the artist. A hullabaloo resulted when he returned the pictures with a request that another be asked to judge because there were "no startling beauties among them."

5 AND 10 HEIRESS LEADS PAGEANT



Associated Press Photo
Barbara Hutton, heiress to the Woolworth millions and prominent in New York society, shown as she will appear when she leads the pageant at New York's charity carnival.

TELLS OF PAYING MONEY TO MEANS



Associated Press Photo
A federal grand jury in Washington investigated charges that Gaston B. Means, former government agent, received \$100,000 on false representation that he could return the kidnaped Lindbergh baby. Mrs. Edward B. McLean, estranged wife of a Washington publisher, testified she paid the money to Means. Mrs. McLean is shown with her attorneys, Nelson T. Hartson (left) and Albert W. Fox, after appearing as a witness.

Poet Lost At Sea



Associated Press Photo
Hart Crane, Cleveland poet, was lost at sea from the liner Orizaba while en route from Vera Cruz to New York.

Wendel Claimant



Associated Press Photo
Mrs. Anna Wendel of Los Angeles is claimant to a share in the \$125,000,000 estate left by Ella Wendel, New York eccentric. Her claim is based on a passport issued her father-in-law, Johann Heinrich Fredrick Wendel, in 1845.

'YOUNG TEDDY' BAGS BIG GAME IN PHILIPPINES



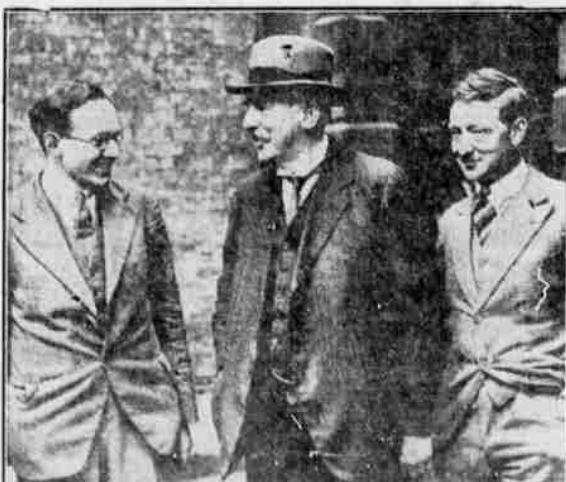
Associated Press Photo
Like several other members of his family, Theodore Roosevelt Jr. is quite a big game hunter. The new governor-general of the Philippines is shown with a wild caraboo which he bagged with a single shot from 150 yards in northern Luzon.

Missouri Beauty



Associated Press Photo
Chosen as the most beautiful girl at the University of Missouri, Sue Estelle Kermott of Kansas City has first place in the beauty section of the "Savitar," student year book.

THEY SHATTERED THE ATOM



Associated Press Photo
The two young British scientists, Dr. E. T. Walton (left), not yet 30, and Dr. J. D. Cockroft (right), 34, photographed at Cambridge, England, a short time after it was announced that they had succeeded in splitting an atom, one of the highest accomplishments in the scientific world. Lord Rutherford (center) made the announcement.

JACK AGAIN PLIES HOTEL TRADE



Associated Press Photo
When Jack Dempsey was heavyweight boxing champion one of his investments was a Los Angeles hotel, which under his ownership became well known for excellent food. After his defeat by Tunney, Dempsey sold it. The property recently reverted to him and he re-opened it. Here he is (right) conferring with Eugene Stark, culinary expert, as they discussed the menu for the formal opening.