

IN PATH OF JAPANESE INVASION OF JEHOI



This old Chinese shrine, the temple of Buddha at Jehoi, in the buffer province of Jehoi, is one of many ancient landmarks in the path of the current Japanese invasion. The temple was built in 1755. (Associated Press Photo)

MRS. SKEELE AFTER HER RELEASE



Mrs. Mary B. Skeele, 65, wife of the dean of the college of music at the University of Southern California, is shown with her grandchildren, Merideth and Bradley Humphreys, following her release by abductors who demanded \$10,000 ransom. (Associated Press Photo)

HALF TON OF BASKETBALLERS KNOWN AS ANGELS



Buck Bailey, football line coach at Washington State college, lined up the oversized Cougars shown here to issue a weighty challenge for basketball honors in their class. The combined weight of the team is more than a half ton. Left to right: Dr. Wilbur Bohn, 250 pounds; Oz Thompson, 235 pounds; Turk Edwards, 245 pounds; Buck Bailey, 248 pounds; J. F. Bohler, 205 pounds, and Jack Graham, 212 pounds. (Associated Press Photo)

FIGHTS FIRES AT 19 BELOW ZERO Charges 'Frameup'



Fireman James Cronin of Chicago shows results of the winter's worst cold snap as he took time out for a cup of coffee while his engine company battled an apartment house fire when the mercury stood at 19 below zero. (Associated Press Photo)



Samuel A. Ettelson (above), former corporation counsel of Chicago, in a meeting of creditors of Insull interests charged that "the entire proceedings in receivership in all the Insull receiverships were a frameup by and for Insull interests." (Associated Press Photo)

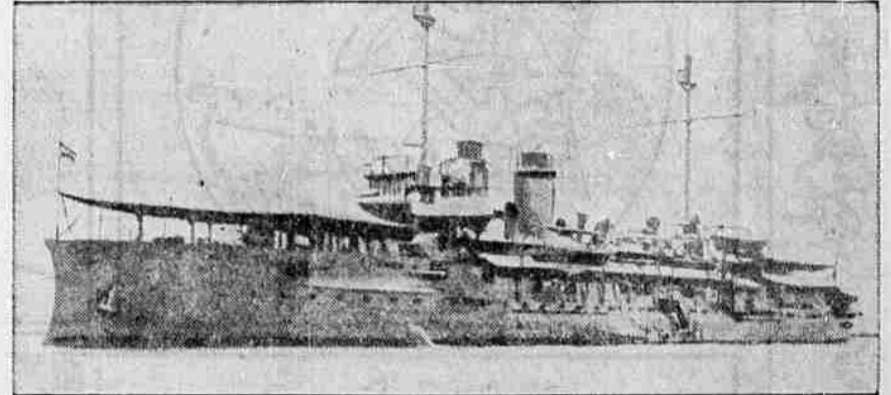
IN BATTLE OVER CHILD CUSTODY



Mrs. Margaret Ruppel (left) of Pasadena, Cal., former wife of Albert R. Brunker (right), wealthy head of Chicago's safety commission, has challenged Brunker's right to keep their two children in his custody. Each instituted court actions to win legal right to keep the children, and armed guards patrolled Brunker's estate to guard them. (Associated Press Photos)



MUTINOUS CREW OF DUTCH CRUISER SURRENDERS



Native Sumatran sailors, angered because their pay was cut, overpowered nine officers of the Dutch cruiser De Zeven Provinciën, seized the ship at Harbor Oelen in Sumatra and put out to sea. Five days later a concentration of Dutch naval and air forces bore down on the fleeing quarry and it was bombed. Eighteen of the men were killed and 25 hurt before they surrendered. (Associated Press Photo)

Bit of Scotch



Mrs. William H. Hyde of Ridgeway, N. J., introduced something a little different in beach fashions at Palm Beach, Fla. It is a one piece suit of orange, black and white Scotch plaid wool with a jacket to match. (Associated Press Photo)

YOUTH INDICTED AS SLAYER



James "Iggy" Varecha (above), 17-year-old asylum fugitive, was indicted in Chicago on charges of murdering one man, robbing a second and assaulting to kill a third. (Associated Press Photo)

ROOSEVELT AND BRITISH ENVOY CONFER



Associated Press telephoto of President-elect Franklin D. Roosevelt talking world problems over with Sir Ronald Lindsay, ambassador from Great Britain, upon the latter's return to New York from London, where he had been in conference concerning the British war debt.

IN TECHNOCRACY'S CIVIL WAR



Revolt split the ranks of the technocrats and Howard Scott (left), self-styled "director of technocracy," and his supporters were ousted from Columbia university. Scott said the research activities of technocracy would continue in new quarters. Prof. Walter Rautenstrauch (right) of the Columbia industrial engineering department is head of the group that parted with Scott. Rautenstrauch said he and his associates were going ahead with their own survey at the university but not under the name "technocracy." (Associated Press Photos)

READING A PRIZED LINCOLN LETTER



A letter in the handwriting of Abraham Lincoln, believed to have been unpublished through the years since the Civil war, is the prized possession of Mrs. Edith Hawker (above) of Milwaukee. She says the letter was written by Lincoln when President to a Mrs. Amanda Hall whose sympathies were with the South, at the request of her brother, a Union soldier. (Associated Press Photo)

CHINESE SEARCH RUINS OF HOMES



Residents of Shanhaiwan rummaging through their shell-destroyed homes after the Japanese occupation of the gate city of north-eastern China are seen in the upper photo. Lower: Chinese vendor peddling his wares through a street in ruins with fur clad Japanese soldiers in the background. (Associated Press Photos)

TEST PLANE FOR POLAR FLIGHT



Lincoln Ellsworth (left), explorer, and Bernt Balchen, noted pilot, are shown at Hasbrouck Heights, N. J., in the plane in which they hope to fly over the south pole next December. In preparation for the proposed adventure they will make test flights in Canada late in February. (Associated Press Photo)

IN LOUISIANA ELECTION INQUIRY



Gen. Samuel T. Ansell (right), counsel for the special senate committee holding hearings in New Orleans on the last Louisiana senatorial election, is shown with Earl Long, politically estranged brother of Senator Huey P. Long. Senator Long acted as counsel for Congressman John H. Overton in the inquiry, which concerned Overton's victory over Senator Edwin S. Broussard. (Associated Press Photo)

VICTIM CONFRONTS TWO SUSPECTS



Mrs. Mary B. Skeele, principal of a strange 24-hour abduction, dramatically faces two suspects, Luella Hammer and W. P. Howard, to make a partial "voice identification" of the latter in a Los Angeles police station while the pair hide their faces. Left to right: Mrs. Skeele, Dr. Walter F. Skeele, Miss Hammer and Howard. (Associated Press Photo)