

### FOREST TROOPERS ECLIPSE REGULARS IN CAMP COMFORT

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tional Synthetic Wood Co. of Wilmington, N. C. This firm sold the government 20,000 coats at \$3.10 and 5000 at \$3.25.

Conservation Commissioner Robert Fecner had nothing to do with placement of these orders. The only contract he has essayed was that with the Be Vier Co. for \$1.40 toilet kits.

President Roosevelt is expected to visit Puerto Rico next winter or spring. As did Herbert Hoover, he will make the voyage aboard a battleship.

One of the ports of call probably will be the Virgin Islands. Former President Hoover spent five hours at this West Indian outpost and left to declare the Virgin Islands were "the world's most effective poor house."

It may be that F. D. wants to take the curse off the abandoned naval base.

He will be aided immeasurably if prohibition is repealed as promptly as he foresees. Rum was the principal product of the Virgin Islands. Now they're reduced to bay rum and nobody gets excited about that.

A return of hard liquor would give the islands a boom that would warm the cockles of the natives' hearts.

Even without rum the islands may come back.

Government scientists have discovered that a plant flourishes there from which comes the extract for bug sprays. America now imports large quantities from the Orient.

We paid Denmark \$25,000,000 for this naval coaling station. Then turned with the rest of the world to fuel oil. We'll take our investment back in rum or bug powder and no questions asked.

An interesting development is impending in connection with formation of industrial codes.

Newspapers are as liable to regulation as any other form of industry. Irregularity of newspaper hours is notorious. When a reporter gets on a hot story he may go forty-eight hours or more without sleep to wind it up.

A New York tabloid with huge circulation has established the practicability of the five-day week—possibly excepting a reporter's occasional forays into the realms of smash news.

First test of the possibility of codifying newspapers may come when the Industrial Recovery administration reaches the paper industry.

Some of the larger newspapers and newspaper chains control their own forests and pulp mills. They even have steamship lines to bring their reprints to them.

In this field they are not in direct competition with anyone. They

### WHITE HOUSE DOG HAS OPERATION



"Major," White House police dog whose quick temper and sharp teeth have put him in the news, looks more or less subdued after an operation by Dr. F. M. Weedon, veterinarian, to remove cysts from the dog's back. (Associated Press Photo)

merely are supplying their own needs. If the question is raised the decision will be interesting.

Other industries have their peculiar problems. This is notably true in the specialized groups with comparatively small capitalization.

Take the soil pipe industry for example. The mechanical process for manufacture of soil pipe requires constant attention of a laborer for ten hours on an attack.

The industry overcame the government's demand for a shortened working week by submitting a code that called for a 30-hour week—three days of ten hours each.

Pay will amount to \$12.75 weekly. The industry claims it will spread employment by about 50 per cent. That will pull a lot of men off the relief rolls.

When the London Economic conference gets around to serious discussion of international trade—if it lasts that long—one very unpleasant obstacle is going to be encountered.

World shipping tonnage has been increased 100 per cent in the last 30 years. Trade has diminished 33 per cent. Two-thirds of the world's bottoms are now tied up because there just isn't any freight.

What to do about this is making many a delegate reach for an aspirin instead of a highball. The French plan for pooling will get close inspection for concealed Africans.

### Tot Drowns While Others Seek Help

EUGENE, Ore., July 13.—(UP)—Drowning claimed the life of five-year-old Joan Coe yesterday while her brother and Henry Trovynck, 11, ran home for help instead of calling several girls swimming nearby. County and state officers dragging the river with grappling hooks, had failed to find her body.

### MISTREATMENT BY GANGSTERS TOLD POLICE OFFICERS

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ed by the British government for an alleged \$7,500,000 swindle in England, approached Policemen Cortez and Policeman Gerard of River Forest, at the main business intersection in Lagrange and announced: "I'm John Factor.

Torture Threatened He was taken to the police station and later was brought to his Chicago hotel, where he told Captain Gilbert and Police Lieutenant William Blaul that his abductors had demanded \$500,000 ransom and had threatened him with machine guns and a pair of scissors when he told them he couldn't raise the money.

When they demanded that he get the money from rich friends he said he told them that he "wouldn't put them on the spot."

A farm house, northwest of Chicago overrun with cockroaches was believed by Factor to have been his place of imprisonment, but he was not certain because during the entire period of his captivity he was blindfolded with tape, which was not removed until a few minutes before his release.

"They never harmed me, but they were pretty tough in their threats," Factor said. "Once they put machine guns against me—one in back and another in front and they said they were going to kill me.

"Another time they held a big pair of shears close to my face and let me feel it. They said they were going to cut my ears off."

ALTON, Ill., July 13.—(AP)—A public appeal to have been his place of imprisonment, but he was not certain because during the entire period of his captivity he was blindfolded with tape, which was not removed until a few minutes before his release.

Mrs. Luer, 75 years old, was described in the statement as "in an extremely nervous and distressed condition" because of worry over her husband's delicate health. He is a sufferer from heart disease and subject to frequent smothering attacks likely to prove fatal, physicians said, if he is roughly handled.

### ROOSTER IS MASTER BIG RATTLESNAKE

SCIO, Ore., July 13.—(UP)—Councilman A. L. Plummer points with pride today at his snake-fighting rooster. An 18-inch garter snake fell out of a load of hay being hauled in the Plummer barnyard. The guardian of the flock pounced on the reptile after evading the snake's coils, stunned it

### THE PRESIDENT IN FLOWERS



Marjorie Lines of Seattle is admiring a floral portrait of President Roosevelt which was designed by Mrs. August Swanson. Thousands of roses were used in this North End flower club exhibit in the Washington state city. (Associated Press Photo)

with a blow on the head with its beak. He then proceeded to swallow the snake whole.

### Wall St. Report

Table with columns for Bond Sale Averages, Ind's, RR's, U's, Total, and various market indicators for July 13, 1933.

Table listing various commodities and their prices, including Al. Chem. & Dye, Am. Can, Am. & Fgn. Power, etc.

### SIMPLY WORN OUT? Take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Can anything be more wearing for women than the ceaseless round of household duties? You have no time to be sick... you are tired... ailing... yet cannot stop. There comes a time when something snaps and you find yourself simply worn out.

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### You Save the Most On Everything

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BAKING POWDER, CREAM OF WHEAT, MILK, COFFEE, SALAD OIL, BUTTER. Includes prices like Calumet Double Action 25c, Libby's Extra Quality Can 6c, etc.

### Only a STRAIGHT EIGHT can give Straight Eight PERFORMANCE!

PONTIAC advertisement featuring testimonials from satisfied customers and a description of the car's features like 'Fiber Controlled Ventilation'.

US Tires advertisement for 'Only US builds TIRES of TEMPERED RUBBER'. Includes a large image of a tire and promotional text about performance and safety.

Pay'n Takit advertisement for 'Shortening 3 lbs. 25c', 'Boiling Meat lb. 7c', 'Veal Roasts lb. 10c', and 'HAM Sugar Cured Half or Whole lb. 16 1/2c'.

Southern Pacific advertisement for 'NOW - TRAVEL FOR ABOUT 2c A MILE ANY DAY - ANYWHERE ON S-P'. Includes fares for San Francisco and Los Angeles.

PONTIAC THE ECONOMY STRAIGHT EIGHT advertisement with price \$585 and contact information for Skinner's Garage.

Sixth Street Super Service advertisement with contact information for Val J. Fisher at Sixth and Fir Streets.

Southern Pacific advertisement with contact information for J. C. Carle, Agent, Tel. 34.