# Scenes and Persons in the Current News



1-Chuzi Machida, appointed finance minister of Japan to succeed Korekiyo Takahashi, who was assassinated during the recent military revolt. 2-Summer homes in the Kankakee river valley in Illinois threatened with destruction by ice jams and flood. 3-Group of Japanese "fascists" who were responsible for the futile uprising in Tokyo.

### WHITE HOUSE AIDE



Commander Paul H. Bastedo, U. S. navy, who was appointed naval aide to President Roosevelt, effective in May, 1936. Commander Bastedo succeeds Capt, Wilson Brown, who resumes sea duty.

### LITTLE HEROINE



When Clara Kathleen Van Horn of White Cottage, Ohio, eleven years old, saw a sled headed down a hill toward a railroad train she if you want real success.

# "Father of Half-Tone" Still Alive



Frederic E. Ives, at eighty, is a kindly, white-bearded old man, whose mind is undimmed by the years, and whose interest in the things which have made his life-the photograph, newspaper illustrations, and the like -is as alive today as it was back in 1878 when he patented the first practically successful process of halftone engraving. Mr. Ives is shown here in his laboratory in Philadelphia, where he is carrying on experiments in color photography.

flung herself prostrate on the snowpacked ground and shunted the sled into a deep bank at the roadside. The boys, Raymond Kelly, ten, and Gerald Nixon, twelve, were uninjured, but Clara suffered cuts and bruises where the sled runners hit her. Hundreds of friends paid tribute to her as she lay in bed with tonsilitis which she contracted after the accident. Efforts have been made to obtain a Carnegie hero award for her.

Act Straight Think straight and act straight

#### Tar Water as Medicine In 1739 Bishop Berkeley, Protest-

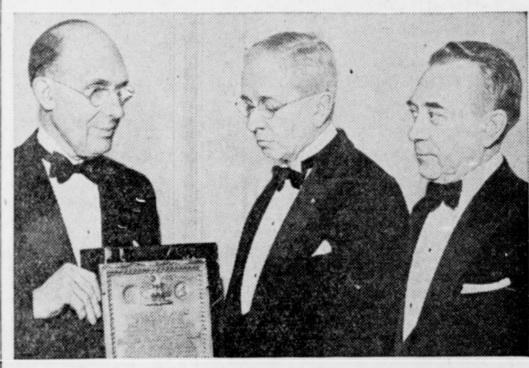
ant bishop of Cloyne, in Ireland, found during a visit to America that the Indians of Narragansett made lavish use of tar in concocting their medical nostrums. The people of his diocese at this time were stricken with violent illness, and he became obsessed with the idea of the efficacy of tar water for all maladies. He wrote a treatise on the virtues of tar water which drew down upon him the indignation of medical men and the ridicule of the American and British newspapers of the time,

# Crowning a Champion of the World



Carnation Ormsby Butter King at Carnation, Wash., completed her 365 days' test for producing more milk and better than any other cow in the world, and while E. H. Stuart, president of Carnation company, looked on, Master Jackie Cooper placed the double crown on the head of the new sensation of the world in the dairying industry.

# Kettering Gets Washington Award



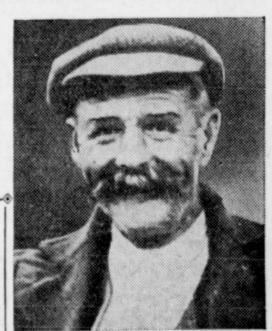
The Washington award for the year 1936 was presented to Charles Franklyn Kettering for his high achievements in guiding industrial research towards the greater comfort, nappiness and safety of mankind in the home and on the highway. Mr. Kettering is vice president and director of General Motors corporation and general director of their laboratories. The Washington award was founded in 1916 by John Watson Alvord of Chicago and is conferred annually on outstanding members of the engineering profession who are chosen for the honor by an award committee of 18 members, representing the five national engineering societies in the United States. The photograph shows, left to right: Charles F. Kettering; Frank F. Fowle, president, Western Society of Engineers, and Frank D. Chase, chairman of the commission of award.

### TORCH BEARER

S. Loues, a Greek shepherd, who won the first modern Olympic Marathon, run in 1896 in Athens, was designated by the athletic committee of Greece to carry the Olympic symbolic torch, which will burn in the Berlin stadium during the games next summer.

## The Beaver's Feet

A beaver's front foot looks like a hand, the nails being long and slightly curved for ease in handling sticks, roots, etc. The hind feet are much larger and fully webbed. The beaver does all of his swimming with his hind feet and his broad flat tail is used as a rudder.



S. Loues