







# Minnesota Acts to Make Park of Lindbergh's Boyhood Home

## LEGISLATORS MOVE TO HONOR FAMOUS FLIER OF ATLANTIC

### 90-Acre Farm Sloping Toward Mississippi Appears Mecca for Tourists

## SOUVENIR HUNTERS TAKE MOST OF LOOSE ARTICLES

### Home of Yankee Idol From 1902 Until 1920 Gets Attention of Entire State

By ROY MENDICKSON (By Associated Press) LITTLE FALLS, Minn., Dec. 25.—A project to have the boyhood home of Charles A. Lindbergh set aside as a state park will be introduced in the Minnesota legislature in January.

On this small tract, with its 90 acre slope toward the Mississippi river, the trans-Atlantic flier lived from 1902 to 1920. His rare idol was here five weeks after his birth at Detroit.

Since Colonel Lindbergh made his New York flight, the farm has been a mecca for tourists. Souvenir hunters have carried away almost everything movable.

According to State Senator Charles Rosenmund of Little Falls, an old friend of the Lindberghs, arrangements have been completed for introducing the necessary legislation.

"I am sure to have almost a sure assurance that the Lindbergh family will deed the property to the state, subject to appropriations as sufficient to assure maintenance."

"First Motor Excursion" Lindbergh's first experience with motors while living on this farm. His duplicated "river" was built in his days here.

"Here he did the small chore of a farm boy, interesting himself in poultry, cattle and raising hay."

"Or, fine, credit that courses through the farm. Charles Augustus built a small suspension bridge. Across he tramped daily, taking the cows to pasture."

"For two years after being graduated from the Little Falls high school in 1918, he spent most of his time on the farm until matriculation at the University of Wisconsin in 1920. For 10 years he made periodic trips to the home of his parents."

"Lindbergh's last visit to the farm was in August, 1927, when he came to the 'old home town' with his children. He followed the flight to Paris. Free from crowds, he spent each morning with his mother over the old garden."

"Old friends were so hopeful he could return next summer for a ceremony which the Lindberghs place as a state park."

## CHRISTMAS DAWNS IN "RED" CAPITAL WITHOUT ACTIVITY

Throughout the island and in most of the cities surrounding it, the streets are deserted and the crowds in cafes.

The American Ambassador Harry F. Guggenheim and Mrs. Guggenheim entertained members of the embassy last night and had a family celebration for their daughters.

Through the generosity of the government, the many private and public charitable groups are feasting throughout the republic.

BERLIN OBSERVES DAY: Christmas dawn passed quietly in Germany, and the whole world is today forgetting politics and other troubles and gave itself up to the traditional festive Christmas was no exception here for a while yesterday married the holiday merriment.

MELBORN IN BONUSES: NEW YORK, Dec. 25.—Billions in Christmas bonuses cheered the hearts of employees of dozens of New York firms today.



A proposal to preserve the boyhood home of Charles A. Lindbergh as part of a state park will be made to the Minnesota legislature. The home (below) is located on a 90-acre tract near Little Falls, Minnesota.

## THEATRES

### ORPHEUM NOW FEATURES WHEELER AND WOOLSEY

Those two gorgeous crazy clown, Bert Wheeler and Robert Woolsey, who have established themselves within the last year as the greatest screen comedy team, deliver their funniest performance to date in "Half Shot at Sunrise" which opened yesterday at the Orpheum theatre.

Wheeler and Woolsey, funnier men than in "The Outcasts" are cast as American doughboys in Paris. They raise everything but the roof, stealing the colored doughboy and also his sweetheart, but wind up as heroes in the uproarious final scenes.

The comedy team receives excellent support from a talented cast. Dorothy Lee, diminutive comedian, scores brilliantly once more. Hugh Trevor and Robert Robinson make a clever romantic team.

"Half Shot at Sunrise" introduces some biting humor in clever and topical fashion, with much by Harry Terrace, composer of "Rolo Rite" and "Diamonds" melodies and lyrics by Anne Caldwell. The Tiller Sunshine girls are featured in two sparkling and unique production dance numbers.

Paul Stone, who directed Wheeler and Woolsey in "The Outcasts," did an even more effective job of action making at a fast pace throughout and was admirably timed the laughs.

"Half Shot at Sunrise" is one show you won't want to miss.

The holiday revelled the New York crowd to well over 100,000. The curb exchange announced a payment amounting to 1 per cent of their annual salaries for the holidays and the rubber exchange gave 5 per cent. Other firms and organizations also tendered the hearts of their workers.

DIAMOND NOT FORGOTTEN: NEW YORK, Dec. 25.—Diana didn't forget Jack (Legs) Diamond. He played in the program's stocking in a scene that had to be cut of the Metropolitan hospital on Welfare Island soon after the New Year.

Riot ruckies who have never been caught tried to "rub out" Diamond in the Manhattan hotel October 12 and came very near success that he hovered between life and death for weeks.

One of the four bullets which entered his body are still in it, but his condition was described today as excellent.

CAFÉ FEELS POOR: BOISE, Dec. 25.—The doors of the cafe operated by George Cordes were thrown open today to everyone who wanted a square meal, but was not able to pay for it. Free dinners were served to 100 persons and every man received a square while candy was given to the women.

Included among those served were a mother and her six children, whose father is ill. Manyville, two persons ordered dinner, but the meals were free. When Cordes refused to accept their money, he was given to the women and her children. Before she left the cafe she had been given \$10 and was promised a head rest over \$10,000.

SIX MEN—PERISH IN INDIANA FIRE: (Continued From Page One)

rickety stairs. Progress had been cut off by the furnace cover, and the corrugating blast of smoke and fire.

## SELLING OF MEATS IN PACKAGE FORM APPEARS PROBABLE

C. B. Denman, Farm Board Member, Predicts Change in Merchandising System to Diminish Sales Costs

By FRANK J. WELLEN (Associated Press Farm Editor) WASHINGTON, Dec. 25.—A radically new system of merchandising meats is forecast by C. B. Denman, farm board member representing livestock.

Essentially, Denman said, the packaging and preserving materials will replace the cutting block and the hook and line.

There is opposition to the change among those interested in the great distribution process for fresh meats. It is forecast by C. B. Denman, farm board member representing livestock.

Denman says there is prospect for more money for the producer and less for the consumer in the picture and that, in turn, the change will come for the greater good of the public.

The board member area rejected the proposed purchase plan in selling fresh meat. He is being processed at lower cost than ever before, but the sale has been lost in increased merchandising and selling cost.

The trade says plant efficiency has about reached the limit. There is little hope of increasing prices to the consumer, so the answer must be found in a new system of merchandising.

Development of quick freezing process which leave meat in its fresh state, and development of more conservative refrigeration are counted on to accretize the new move.

A big package company reports an increased volume since it has put on the market a combination package in which pork sausage may be packed to the consumer in whatever quantity desired.

The next move, Denman says, will be for packers to sell steaks, chops, roasts and other cuts in similar fashion.

## CHRISTMAS CLOSES FILMDOG'S STUDIOS

(Continued From Page One) been explored, actor died and the camera simply slipped off for a few hours more of sleep, while the children raised the usual noise with long snoring.

But Hollywood is young enough to have its own Christmas. There are many young stars whose curiosity is sharp enough to bring them out of bed at dawn.

Throughout the day, merry-making continued. Every house was open, and the stars and well-known names flocked from one home to another. If anyone in Hollywood says: "It is not a bad drop in oil Christmas," it is not an idle invitation.

Presented from socks to automobiles. Paper were had his by Christmas but that was a small matter in the spirit of the holiday.

And tomorrow, every one goes back to work. Just like John F. Kennedy and everyone will be heard: "How's your Christmas?"

## IDAHO HEIR LIKES CONTINENTAL LIFE

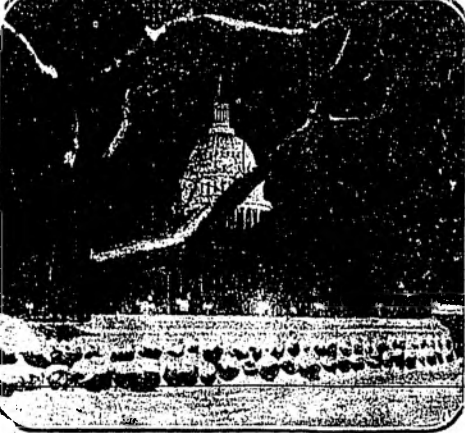
(Continued From Page One) limit of his first building and another after it was enlarged.

Through marriage of a cousin to a son of von Hindenburg, Marchbanks has found himself related to the president of Germany, Krogstadts.

After establishing Marchbanks in the state, Krogstadts spent some time touring Germany where he found conditions bad. Much excitement was created by the victory of Hitler in the elections, he said, and fights among bands of citizens of various groups are frequent.

In a crowd, the room where the fire apparently had its origin, the body of a small watchdog was found. His name and nose were flattened against a smoke blackened window pane.

## Capitol Blanketed Under First Snow Fall



THE NATIONAL CAPITOL, like a great white frosted cake, looms through a wintry night after the first snow fall of the year.—(AP) Photo.

## Couple Rescues Small Sons Trapped in Natural Tar Pit in Los Angeles

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 25.—Trapped for hours in a natural tar pit in the Baldwin hills, southeast of Los Angeles, two small boys were saved early today from suffocation when the searchlight of a passing electric trolley train drenched their heads and shoulders protruding from the blackness.

The two boys, Buster and Jackie Lowe, 3 and 2-year-olds of John Lowe, had been presented with a tricycle for Christmas. They ran off the south end of Hauser boulevard into the pit yesterday just as dusk was falling.

Shortly before midnight Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Boyd heard faint cries for help.

They looked around them but could see nothing. As they were on the verge continuing on their way home, an electric train rounded a curve.

The boys were born in Mt. Sinai hospital this morning to Mrs. Rose O'Connell. Both were girls, the first Christmas twins. Mr. Boyd had known. They will be named Doris and Joan.

In an automobile loaded with gifts for his five motherless children, Carl W. Plank, 35, killed himself in front of the home of his housekeeper who had refused several times to marry him.

Christmas songs at a party in the Metropole park district. As one ballad reached the high note, a bullet found its mark in the back of John Bobkowski, Joseph Polignone, 28, had died at him after an argument. The wounded man will recover.

## VINCENT RECOMMENDS "TANNING" OF PUPILS

BOISE, Dec. 25 (AP)—Recommendation that schools tan students with artificial sunlight instead of the old history rod was made by W. D. Vincent, commissioner of education in a report recently sent out to legislators.

Commissioner Vincent said the Dunker Hill and Sullivan Mining and Refining company had installed an artificial sun in the locker rooms of the miners to give them the sun they lack in the underground workings. The light plays on the workmen as they walk between the locker where they keep their "street clothes" to the locker where their mining clothes are kept.

Treatment of students a few minutes daily with this artificial sun, Vincent said, has been found to reduce the tendency to have "cold" during the winter by supplying them with the sun rays which by long confinement in classes.

## DEATH STALKS LAWYER'S HOLIDAY AT SING SING

OSWEGO, N. Y., Dec. 25 (AP)—Death today stalked Warden Lewis Christmas at Sing Sing prison; death and sudden illness.

## VARIETY FEATURES IN CHICAGO OBSERVANCES

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## Don't Stub Your Toe!

ONE DARK NIGHT—so the story goes—a certain monarch placed a large boulder in the middle of the road. Thousands of his people, thereafter, severely stubbed their toes or troubled to walk around. At length, one lusty youth—wiser than the rest—seized the stone and heaved it from his path. And where it had rested, he found a bag of gold.

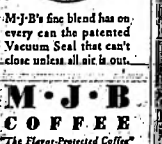
Are you stubbing your toe? Are you overlooking any bags of gold? How about the advertising in this paper? Do you read it consistently? It is a bag of gold to many of our readers.

In our columns you will find the advertisements of alert, progressive merchants and manufacturers who seek to tell you something they think you ought to know. This advertising is news about the very things that interest you most—articles that will save you money, lessen your work, or add materially to your comfort and well-being.

Thrifty men and women read advertising. To them it is a plain, every-day business proposition—a duty they owe themselves and their purses. It tells them where they can buy exactly what they want at a price they can afford to pay.

Advertising pays them. They make it pay.

It Will Pay You Too... Read It



**M-J-B**  
COFFEE  
"The Flavor-Protected Coffee"

TWIN FALLS DAILY NEWS

Subscription rates... Published every morning except Sunday...

MEMBERS OF REPUBLICAN PARTY

Members of the Republican Party... to be held in the city of Twin Falls...

LAUDABLE MOTIVE

Response by the Twin Falls citizens to the request of the Twentieth Century Club...

ONLY ONE QUESTION

Only one question is important in all this controversy...

TRAGEDY CASKS BLIGHT OVER GAY CHRISTMAS

States in fatalities for the two days... Kentucky and Mississippi each reported three fatalities...

FEW ACCIDENTS

BOSTON, Dec. 28 (AP)—Few accidents to upset holiday rejoicing...

13 PERSONS PERISH IN BOWTIE CRASHES

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 28 (AP)—Accidents in which 13 persons were killed or fatally injured...

PAPEL FAMINE

The Russian committee of education fears that his department may have to write the minutes of its proceedings on the ceiling...

NINE PERSONS LOSE LIVES

BALTIMORE, Dec. 28 (AP)—Nine persons were killed in accidents in Maryland on the Christmas holidays...

TWO MEN KILLED

WILLAMSBURG, Ky., Dec. 28 (AP)—Two men killed today in a collision...

New York Society Manikins Display Gowns



Many of New York's debutantes and younger society matrons became manikins in a benefit style show displaying the latest in gowns...

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Explorers Plan to Leave for Great Jungle of Brazil to Make 'Talkie'

NEW YORK, Dec. 28 (AP)—The Mattio Group, of Great Jungle of Brazil, when Amazonas abound...

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28 (AP)—One could tour the national zoo with its director, Dr. William Mann...

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28 (AP)—The subway owners recently made an effort to break up the two blocks by dividing the benches...

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CALIFORNIANS JOIN UNDER GIANT TREE

Throng, Workshops at Scene of Largest Living Plant, More Than 5000 Years Old

GENERAL GRANT NATIONAL PARK, Calif., Dec. 28 (AP)—Around a giant Sequoia tree that was a veteran of the great age...

Towering 265 feet above the earth and measuring more than 40 feet in diameter...

Scientists say the tree is the world's largest living tree and that it is at least 5000 years old.

A message from President Hoover was read today by O. S. Hubert...

'Christmas is the children's day and older folk can enter into its joy only when old folks are young.'

Police find necklace in pawnshop in Cuba

HAVANA, Dec. 28 (AP)—Secret police have unearthed in a pawnshop a necklace which was valued at \$50,000...

The necklace originally contained 128 pearls from which was suspended a pearl shaped diamond pendant.

After being stolen the necklace was divided into two strings and one piece was hidden in a secret place...

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Hero of Ship Board

Submarine attack has been popular retort for homelike men and sometimes women...

For the price of a nickel one can improve a fairly comfortable bed by means of a mattress...

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# Babson Predicts "Turning of Business Tide" During 1931

## Noted Massachusetts Statistician Appears Optimistic in Survey of Stocks, Commodities and Salaries

### Generally, Next Year Looms in Eyes of Economist as Time of Wonderful Opportunities for Investors in All Lines

By ROGER W. BABSON  
BABSON P. A. R. K., Mass., Dec. 25—What will business do in 1931? What will the stock market do in 1931? What will commodity prices do in 1931? What will happen to the wage level in 1931? These are the urgent questions of the hour and on the minds of bankers, investors, manufacturers, merchants, and wage workers as they scan the horizon in the hope that they may be among the first to see the dawn of a new and more brilliant day rising out of the night of depression.

Of course, any forecast for the year 1931 must necessarily be made on the basis of reasonably normal trends, because an important part of the discovery could be the realization of the situation that the most pessimistic forecasts would temporarily go for naught.

In a big way 1931 can be described as a year of wonderful opportunities. In 1929 we were living in a palace with a powder keg in the cellar. In 1930 we were living in a tenement in a poor house, but with a gold mine in the cellar.

The general credit situation has been gradually and partially freeing itself from the frozen position of 1929. Before the crash, money was being borrowed in large quantities to throw money into the market. It was not melted away so rapidly that customers could not pay up their loans and banks were left holding them.

Of course, in the large financial centers the credit situation is being reworked. On the other hand, in the smaller centers, money rates are back to 1929 levels. Money is the same as in 1918 and credit is the same as in 1918.

Some economists explain the business recovery in terms of a fair-weather supply of some of the raw materials. As a matter of fact, there are many raw materials which are in a position to be used for many purposes and in many ways.

I am convinced that the general credit situation has been gradually and partially freeing itself from the frozen position of 1929. Before the crash, money was being borrowed in large quantities to throw money into the market.

The outlook is for some strengthening in commodities in certain lines where prices are below the cost of production. In the case of wheat, a statistical evidence is conclusive, the time to buy is now and not after.

## GASOLINE ALLEY—SMOOTH WORK, WAL.



## Girl, 14, Bound For Africa, Finds Christmas In Jungle No Novelty

CHICAGO, Dec. 25 (AP)—Christmas for a 14-year-old African girl is not a novel experience. She has spent her entire life in the jungles of Africa, and she has seen the same scenes of a large city in the United States.

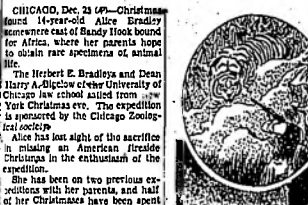
Herbert E. Bradleys and Dean Harry A. Dignow, chief of the Chicago Zoological Laboratory, are the ones who have been looking after the girl since she was brought to the United States.

Among the industries which, on a relative basis, appear to me as having a more favorable outlook for the following year are: electric power, oil, and rubber.

I especially recommend industries which have a monopoly on account of their franchises like the electric power corporations or industries which have secured the equivalent of a monopoly through national advertising.

So far as previous records are concerned, the general trend of the market is upward and has been established in the United States.

It can be very strongly stated that there must be a financial reorganization in government securities of the countries engaged in the late World war or else there must be agreement upon some practical plan of disarmament.



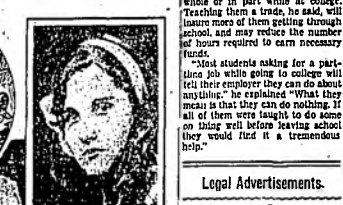
Curly-haired Alice Bradley, 14 (upper right), who has spent half her Christmas in Africa or on the high seas, is shown at left displaying a Christmas doll to natives of the Belgian Congo. That was eight years ago, and this year she's on another trip.

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