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Shooting in Fairbanks Two Killed

MORGENTHAU ANNOUNCES GOLD PLANS



Two Dead And One Injured in Brawl Fairbanks

FAIRBANKS, Feb. 15th, (AP)—Shot while sitting in a parked car in the business district, was Howard Shade, aged 26, and his companion Myrtle Burchard Grinnell, aged 20, who was seriously wounded last night, having been wounded in the left breast and hand. Charles Fisher, aged 19, was found dead a short time later with a self inflicted bullet wound, at a cabina on the edge of town. Witnesses said the three had quarrels and had been drinking together before the shooting. Shade is a truck driver; his father carries the winter mails out of Nenana. Fisher, who was a railway employee, and the girl are both part native.

New Gold Policy Announced By H. Morgenthau

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 15, (AP)—Secretary of the Treasury, Henry Morgenthau announced a partial abandonment of the treasury's gold sterilization program. The treasury head announced a plan under which up to four hundred million dollars worth of gold which may come into the United States in any one year, will be permitted to flow as the Nation's credit base and thereby relieve the Treasury the trouble and expense of borrowing money to pay for gold and keep it inactive. The plan will be retroactive. On January first approximately thirty million dollars in gold was acquired by the Treasury, since then it was deposited with the Federal Reserve System. Action was immediately taken to freeze at least temporarily, one billion, two hundred and twenty three million now in the treasury's inactive fund. The thirty million had not been made a part of the fund. The action was taken by Morgenthau with the approval of the Federal Reserve Board. It was learned however, that the new program was initiated by the Treasury and not the Reserve System. Federal officials declined to give their opinion on the policy, and what affect it will have on business credit and other matters.



FOR RUSSIA'S FLYING VOLGA BOATMEN this monster cargo plane, the largest ever constructed in America, was launched at the Glenn L. Martin company's Baltimore plant. Room for 46 passengers is provided in the air leviathan whose 63,000 pounds are borne on a wing span of 157 feet. Its four 1,000 horsepower motors are capable of carrying the ship at a speed of 140 miles an hour from New York to Moscow non-stop.

ALARM is felt over pro-Hitler activities of Konrad Henlein, 39, who is campaigning for autonomy for German people in Czechoslovakia. Government fears he'll disrupt republic.

Marines Turned Back Japanese Shanghai Area

SHANGHAI, Feb. 16, (AP)—The United States Marines turned back for the fourth time armed Japanese patrols of 13 men, attempting to enter the American Defense Sector of the International Settlement. The incident came as Marine officers and Japanese authorities conferred in an attempt to settle amicably the issue of authority in the Settlement. The Americans maintained they were perfectly capable of patrolling the area with Japanese help. Japanese troops in the vast Lung-hai corridor battlefield, fought desperately to establish a base for crossing the Yellow River in their drive to sever Lung-hai railway to Teirsten and Hankow.

Bill Introduced Increase Pay of Postmen Alaska

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 16, (AP)—Delegate Anthony J Dimond introduced a bill providing for custodial service for employees of the Postoffice Department in Alaska, who should receive twenty per cent higher pay than those in the United States.

Japanese Near Objective Today

SHANGHAI, Feb. 15, (AP)—The vanguard of the Japanese army is fighting its way into Central China and it is reported to be only ten miles North of China's lifeline railway at Lung-hai. The advance patrol is said to be on the North bank of the Yellow River opposite Kaifeng, a Lung-hai railway point, nearly three hundred miles inland from China's eastern coast. The capture of Kaifeng would choke off the railway and give the Japanese a base for their drive southward three hundred miles to Hankow, the temporary loca-business credit and other matters.

Reported Japan To Stop Salmon Fishing Alaska

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 16, (AP)—Representative Fish told the House Naval Committee that State Department officials informed him that Japan had agreed to stop all salmon fishing off the Alaskan coast. He made the statement after Representative Magnuson had asserted that there would be "blood shed" if conditions were not changed. "If trouble comes to Japan it is going to come to Alaska, and there is going to be bloodshed there unless it stop," Magnuson said. Rep. Fish said that R. Walton Moore, Counselor for the State Department, informed him that Japan had agreed to terminate all its salmon fishing "off of our coast", and Fish further added, that he assumed all Japanese boats would soon be withdrawn from Alaska waters. The Congressman said, he understood that there was still some dispute with Japan over Crab fishing according to State Department advices given Representative Fish, but testimony obtained declined to confirm that an agreement had been reached with Japan. Salmon canning officials said that Japanese vessels engaged in making a survey of Alaska coast waters, have disputed the fisheries question the past several years with knowledge of the United States officials.

Sentenced Life \$2.10 Robbery Of Bus Driver

NEWARK, N. J., Feb. 16, (AP)—Judge Daniel T. Brennan said he would sentence to life imprisonment two girls—one a policeman's daughter, convicted of first degree murder in the \$2.10 hold-up of the slaying of bus-driver William Barhorst. Counsel for Mrs. Ethel Sohl, aged 20, and Genevieve Owens, aged 18, said they did not plan to appeal from the verdict which was reached last night by twelve middleaged married men. Patrolman Frank Strouge, who testified that his daughter Ethel was insane, wept as the verdict was read.

Cary T. Gravson Head Red Cross Died Washington

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 15, (AP)—Rear Admiral Cary T Grayson, renowned as head of the American Red Cross, physician and condante of three presidents, died early today. The 59-year-old retired Naval officer had been in poor health almost from the time his close friend, President Roosevelt, persuaded him to accept one of the world's foremost humanitarian jobs in 1935. He contracted a cold during his Southern visit last month and developed bronchial infection after he returned here. President Roosevelt was informed of his illness and called at his home late yesterday. Former President Theodore Roosevelt started him on his eminent career by appointing him to the White House for duty in 1907; William Howard Taft retained him and Woodrow Wilson made him his personal physician



SEA PERIL WAS WORSE THAN WAR PERIL for the \$8,000,000 S. S. President Hoover which ran aground near Formosa while trying out a new course to avoid Sino-Japanese war. Here, lifeboats filled with passengers are pulling away for nearby island.

Wilkins Enroute Back to Aklavik Repairs Plane

EDMONTON, Feb. 16th, (AP)—Carrying a new engine for his damaged plane at Aklavik, on the Arctic coast, Sir Hubert Wilkins left here today aboard a MacKenzie Air Service plane, to resume his search for the missing Soviet Polar fliers.



FLORIDA CUSTOM, to sun after swim, is followed by Janet Kneale.

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Baseball Doubleheader---High School Gym, 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 16
NOME WOMEN Vs. BLAZERS. ALASKANS Vs. ALL-STAR TEAM ADMISSION: ADULTS 50 cts.—CHILDREN 25cts.