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Keep right on trying for only

the fighter who play fair and keeps

going forward will win in the tough

old battles of today.

Its tough when a fellow has to

go to jail seventeen days for his

dog but that happened to Jasper

Bailor and may happen to others

unless they arrange to pay the dog

taxes now past due. The law can

not be denied on this subject.

Clarence Darrow will enter the

defense of the famous D. C. Steph-

enson but we doubt that even his

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to change their minds and they

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A hundred years ago the South Carolina railroad, seeking a dependable motive power for its line, offered \$500 for the design of the best horse operated engine. The "flying dutchman" which derived its power from a horse walking over an endless chain tread-mill, won the prize when it carried twelve passengers at the terrific rate of twelve miles an hour. Those birds would scarcely believe that now we feel fifty miles an hour in an automobile is just buggy riding.

Anyone who drives a car at night will agree with the correspondent in yesterday's paper who aimed some shots at the one-eyed autos that hurtle through the darkness, a menace to everything on the road. Why the police are so indifferent to the peril in which every other driver is placed by these partially emasculated contraptions of destruction is difficult to understand. Certainly they are one of the greatest jeopardies of night driving, the other being the blindingly brilliant headlights of road hogs who have no concern except for themselves. It's time the uniformed monitors of the highways got hep to their jobs.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Mr. Hoover is now directing his attention to world peace. Of course we all favor that. Wish it had come some fifteen years ago. We would have all been better off, but it didn't and just now we can't see why much time should be devoted to any thing but getting the world squared around economically. Most nations, according to their cries, are so poor they couldn't put on a sham battle even. However if what the President says is true—that armament is the base of the troubles and non-employment and empty treasuries, over the world, lets get a few delegates together and do away with armies and navies. What we need is action, something real, and we need it quickly.

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—and the Worst is Yet to Come



—H. Wellington

BIG FEATURES OF RADIO

Wednesday's 5 Best Radio Features
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WEAF (NBC network) 5:15 p.m.—Mme. Alda and F. La Forge.
WEAF (NBC network) 6:30 p.m.—Gladys Rice and Orchestra.
WABC (CBS network) 7 p.m.—Fast Freight.
WABC (CBS network) 8:30 p.m.—Nit Wit Hour.
WJZ (NBC network) 9:30 p.m.—Songs of the Homeland.

Thursday's 5 Best Radio Features
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WJZ (NBC network) 6 p.m.—Dixie Spiritual Singers.
WEAF (NBC network) 7 p.m.—Birthday Party; Orchestra.
WABC (CBS network) 7:15 p.m.—Boswell Sisters.
WJZ (NBC network) 8 p.m.—Story Behind the Song.
WABC (CBS network) 9:45 p.m.—Radio Roundup.

TEXAS FEUD ENDS FATALLY

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was dismissed recently, and Dan McDuffy, a Texas ranger. Scores of persons saw the two men killed on a crowded street.

Witnesses unanimously agreed that Johnson was the aggressor in the shooting. He reportedly had announced earlier in the evening that he was "looking for McDuffy."

The ranger and three other officers drove down the street in an automobile and Johnson fired once with a rifle. McDuffy was killed.

Police Chief Dial, who was passing by, fired seven bullets into Johnson's body.

Dial later assumed full responsibility for Johnson's death.

After he was dropped recently from the police force, Johnson was put in jail for fighting with McDuffy. He was released last night and immediately got his rifle and started looking for the ranger.

Shortly before he was dismissed from the force Johnson was said to have charged other officers with "planting" a whisky bottle on an oil field worker who had been killed by a policeman. Johnson also is said to have charged fellow workers with beating a boy prisoner over the head with handcuffs.

Three months ago Gladewater was a sleepy village of 400 people.

Lessons In English

Words often misused: Do not say "I don't remember if they did." Say "I don't remember whether they did."

Often mispronounced: Fungus (singular); pronounce the g as in "fo." Fungi (plural); pronounce un-ji, j as in "jug," i as in "lie."

Often misspelled: Robbery; two by's.

Synonyms: Thin, slender, lean, tank, spare, gaunt, haggard.

Word study: "Use a word three times and it is yours." Let us increase our vocabulary by mastering one word each day. Today's word: Sanguinary; attended with bloodshed. "A sanguinary battle ensued."

Modern Etiquette

By ROBERTA LEE (U.P.)
Q. What is the average amount of the wedding fee for the clergyman?
A. From ten to fifty dollars.
Q. Is corn ever served at a formal dinner?
A. Never.
Q. Does the general etiquette on a steamer differ from that on a train?
A. It does not.

Then came the East Texas oil boom and the town's population jumped to 10,000.

McDuffy, a former deputy sheriff and federal prohibition agent, joined the rangers three months ago. He was 48 years old. Johnson had been a member of the Gladewater police force for many years.

SEEK JUDGMENT AGAINST BANK STOCKHOLDERS

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James J. Adams, Charles Adams, William B. Weddy, Eleanor Reppert, Fred Reppert, Mathias Kirsch, Mary Agnes Kattermann, Ruth Dro, Paul E. Kattermann, Lucile Kattermann, Harold Kattermann, Henry W. Huckle.

Mary H. Long, Herman M. Gillig, Charles E. Schwartz, Fred Mutschler, Harold Kirsch, Otto Kirsch, Fred Ashbacher, Della Reppert, Kollo Reppert, Clarence E. Bell, Esther R. Braden, John G. Haesken, Bernard Clark, Grace I. Vail, Maggie A. Linn, Glenn Hill, Albert Mutschler, Fannie M. North, guardian, Mary Helen North, Etta Frazier, Margaret G. North, Delila S. Hopkins, Ezra E. Zimmerman.

The complaint sets out that The Peoples Loan and Trust company was organized here in June 1914, under the laws of Indiana and that the capital stock of the company was \$50,000, divided into 500 shares of \$100 each. The suit also states that the institution was closed on orders of Luther F. Symons, state banking commissioner, on June 14, 1930 and since that time the affairs of the institution have been administered by Mathias Kirsch, liquidating agent.

The suit for collecting a one hundred per cent assessment on the stock owned by the stockholders and for a receiver to collect and disburse the judgements among the 1200 or more creditors, does not seek to interfere with the continuing of the liquidation of the assets of the institution.

The complaint also alleges that "the assets of The Peoples Loan and Trust company do not exceed in the aggregate the sum of \$125,000.00. That the assets of said company will fall more than \$100,000.00 short of paying and discharging the debts and liabilities of the said, The Peoples Loan and Trust Company, to its creditors and the plaintiff herein."

The plaintiff further "averts that other creditors are threatening to prosecute separate suits against individual stockholders to enforce the personal liability of such creditors; that such separate litigations will waste and exhaust the proceeds of this liability of the stockholders of The Peoples Loan and Trust Company and that it will be to the best interests of all the creditors and stockholders that such creditors be enjoined from prosecuting such suits."

The suit was filed by Attorney C. J. Lutz in behalf of The Schaefer Company. Summons was ordered returnable September 7.

Depositors in The Peoples Loan and Trust company have received

approximately \$135,000.00, in the three distributions made since the bank closed last year. The distributions were made in three different issues of 15 per cent each.

LOUISA HAHN DIES TUESDAY
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day morning at 9 o'clock from the St. Mary's Catholic Church, and burial will be made in the St. Joseph cemetery.

The Rev. Father Simeon Schmitt of Marion, Rev. Father J. A. Seimetz, and Father J. J. Hennes will officiate at the services.

It is requested that flowers be omitted.

TO CONSTRUCT PARK TABLES

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Unearth Century Old Pipe

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BANK STATEMENT

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIRST STATE BANK at Decatur, in the State of Indiana, at the close of its business on June 30, 1931.

C. A. DUGAN, President
J. W. VIZARD, Vice-President
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Resources
Loans and Discounts.....\$596,119.93
Overdrafts.....323.27
U. S. Gov't Securities.....6,100.00
Other Bonds, Securities, etc.....191,579.50
Furniture and Fixtures.....7,710.43
Other Real Estate owned.....25,000.00
Due from Trust Companies, Banks and Bankers and Cash on Hand.....150,197.08
Cash Items.....299.47
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Surplus.....13,500.00
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Time Certificates.....430,377.90
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Certified Checks.....3,575.74
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