

## THOUSANDS ON WAY TO BASK IN FLORIDA SUN

Throngs Flee Frozen North by Auto, Train, Boat and Plane.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Jan. 8.—Along the modern paths to Florida, highways, railroads, airways and the sea, move 2,000,000 fleeing the rigors of a northern winter.

Chambers of commerce in resort cities are with one another in reporting arrivals. They are hopeful at Miami, Palm Beach and all along the east coast of a gay brilliant season, sparkling with social and sports events for those who like their winters that way.

At St. Petersburg, where the more sedate gather, they look forward to long quiet days with the semi-tropic sun beating down.

The hurricane is past—few vestiges of its terror and destruction remain. It is a gay, pleasure-loving Florida all over again.

The Royal Poinciana will open at Palm Beach. The new Breakers, a \$7,000,000 hotel, already has had its house warming.

Gaiety Reigns Again

The dogs will run at Miami—and the horses at Pompano—unless plans go awry.

Forty golf tournaments—speedboat and automobile races—horse shoe pitching at St. Pete—tarpon fishing off Key West—yachting at Miami—bathing everywhere—Everglades excursions—dancing at the thousand and one night clubs—Florida has awakened as the snow covers the north.

The Miami Jockey Club plans a gala reopening. Strings of ponies from the Bud Fisher, Henry C. Phipps, John Hertz and Harvey Firestone stables have arrived for training, polo and races at Ft. Lauderdale.

Sports of Every Kind

Sports programs of all kinds are scheduled in more diverse numbers than ever before.

The \$15,000 Miami Beach-La Gorce open golf tournament will be the main attraction for golfers. The Havana-Key West yacht race will be held in March, with a real international flavor certain, due to entries from England and Cuba.

At Miami Beach the Cuban Davis cup team will meet American amateurs in series of matches. Gar Wood has accepted a challenge from Major H. O. D. Segrave, the British race boat and race car driver, for a world's speedboat record race.

Major Segrave also plans to try for the race car record he formerly held, probably making the attempt on the Daytona Beach sands.

Prices to Be Lower

Among other sports events, is the first national shuffleboard tournament at St. Petersburg, the national roque tournament; the international lawn bowling tournament; and the horseshoe championship, all at the west coast city.

Reports from United Press correspondents in Florida cities indicate that hotel rooms will be below the high top prices of season's past—while managements have gone to greater trouble than ever to entice visitors.

Miami's hostilities are opening. At Key West the Casa Marina opened Dec. 30, ten days ahead of time. The visit of President-Elect Herbert Hoover to Miami before his inauguration is expected to make that city the hub of the season's activities.

FUNERAL IS ARRANGED FOR MRS. Z. C. TODD

Christian Science Practitioner Dies at Her Home Here.

Mrs. Zada Corson Todd, 40, died at her home, 5918 College avenue, Monday, and funeral services will be held at 8 tonight at the Flanner & Buchanan mortuary with James Taylor, reader of the Third Church of Christ, Scientist, officiating. Burial will be Wednesday at Genoa, Ill.

During the world war Mrs. Todd managed an organization soliciting American funds for wounded French soldiers. During this time she met and later married Lieutenant S. Wright Todd, now an insurance broker in Indianapolis. They have lived in Indianapolis ten years. Mrs. Todd has been a Christian Science practitioner for several years. Surviving are her husband and parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Corson of Genoa.

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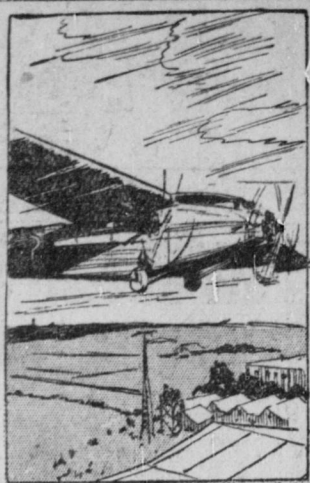
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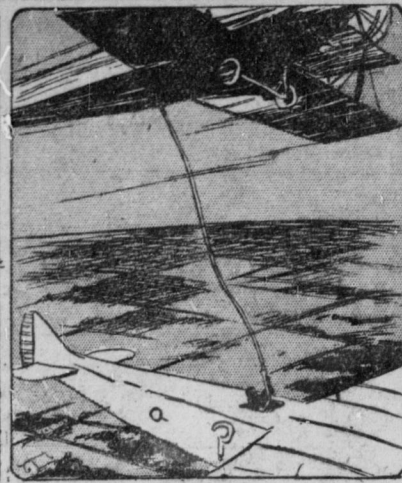
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## Pictures Tell Story of Question Mark's Record Flight —By Joe King



Determined to break the world's record for sustained flight, the big army transport, Question Mark, with five men aboard, takes the air at Los Angeles on the morning of Jan. 1 "to stay aloft until the motors wear out."



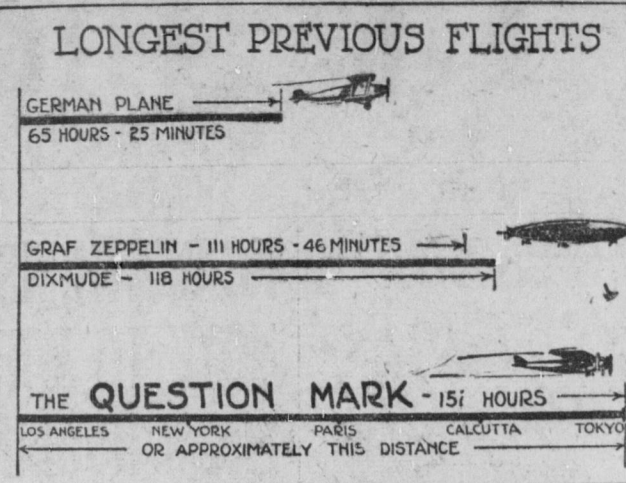
More than thirty times the Question Mark is refueled in midair by means of a hose from a supply plane flying directly above. Wearing a heavy helmet, thick gloves and a gas mask, Major Carl Spatz, commanding officer, handles the hose on each occasion.



Sergeant Roy Hooe, mechanic of the Question Mark, dares death climbing out on a narrow cat-walk hundreds of feet above the ground to make repairs on the motor. His parachute was his only hope.



During the long hours of flying which soon became monotonous, the flyers listen in on their radio in the Question Mark's cabin, read newspapers and magazines and dine on hot food sent up to them via the supply planes.



By flying for seven days and six nights, the Question Mark establishes a new world record of 151 hours in the air, far eclipsing all former endurance marks. Even the records of the dirigible are bettered. It is estimated that had the Question Mark flown in a direct line from Los Angeles it would have passed over New York, crossed the Atlantic, continued on to Paris and Calcutta and finally come to earth near Tokyo.

## DEATH CLAIMS HOTEL MANAGER

William A. Holt of Spink-Arms Flu Victim.

William A. Holt, 62, 2115 Central avenue, manager of the Spink-Arms, died Monday at 1:30 p. m. at the hotel, where he became ill three weeks ago. Bronchial pneumonia accompanied by influenza and a heart attack caused death.

Mr. Holt was widely known among hotel owners of Indiana and throughout the country. He was born in New York, came to Indianapolis with his parents when a child, attended the public schools here and was graduated from Shortridge high school.

Holt became telegraph operator in 1883 at the old Bates house, which stood on the present site of the Claypool.

After employment as clerk at the Palmer House in Chicago for a short time, Mr. Holt became manager of the Bates House, resigning in 1893 to become manager of the Grand hotel.

Five years later he became manager of the Denison, holding this position twelve years. Instrumental in building the Fowler hotel at Lafayette, Mr. Holt was its manager a number of years.

Eight years ago he returned to Indianapolis and for six and a half years had managed the Spink-Arms.

Mr. Holt was a member of Masonic bodies and the Indianapolis Athletic Club. He was a vestryman at St. Paul's Episcopal church. He was married to Miss Isabelle Appleby of New York forty-two years ago.

Surviving are the widow, two daughters, Mrs. Harry K. Dunn and Mrs. Wilbur B. Shook, and a granddaughter, Miss Jane Holt Shook, all of Indianapolis.

Funeral services will be held Thursday, 2:30 p. m., at St. Paul's Episcopal church. Dr. Lewis Brown, rector, will officiate. Interment will be in Crown Hill cemetery.

## NEWSBOYS TO TOP

Hertz Quits as Yellow Cab Chief in Chicago.

CHICAGO, Jan. 8.—Two millionaires, who more than forty years ago began their careers as newsboys on Chicago's streets, were the principals in the change of directorate announced by the Yellow Cab Company today.

John Hertz, who peddled papers along the water front of the Chicago river, retired as chairman of the board and president of the Yellow Cab Company. He gave \$250,000 in stock to about sixty employees who cast their lot with him in establishing the Yellow companies.

Another old time newsboy, Charles A. McCullough, president of the Parmelee Transfer Company, who long has been associated with Hertz in the cab concerns, takes Hertz's place.

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## Late, Bah Jove!

By Times Special

COLUMBUS, Ind., Jan. 8.—A resident of England who received a letter from the Cummins Engine Company here a year and twenty-nine days after it was mailed, replied without even as much as a sarcastic remark or a joke about the long delay.

## ASK TARIFF CHANGES

Nearly Every Industry at Quiz Wants Rates Higher.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—Strenuous campaign to bring upward revision of the tariff on hundreds of thousands of manufactured articles into the "farm relief adjustment" of the customs walls was apparent today, as the second day of congressional tariff hearing started.

Nearly every industry represented in the first day's twenty-eight witnesses praised the present tariff and then called attention to a few commodities on which the European producers are paying tariffs and still under-selling them.

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'HIGHER UPS' LINKED

Slot Machine Profits in Chicago Probed.

CHICAGO, Jan. 8.—Annoying echoes of the government's punitive expedition into Chicago Heights, suburban center of gangland, disturbed the peace of the municipal and county building in Chicago today.

The government is investigating methods by which \$60,000 a month slot machine syndicate profits and \$30,000 a month run ring profits were divided among "protecting higher-ups."

George E. Q. Johnson, United States district attorney, and John A. Swanson, state's attorney, who co-operated in the spectacular Sunday morning cleanup of the city's gamblers, racketeers, beer barons and gambling lords, said records seized in the raids implicated four prominent politicians.

ASKS CEMETERY BAN ORDINANCE REPEAL

Glen Haven Association Seeks Action by City Council.

Repeal of the city ordinance banning cemeteries within 1,000 feet of a boulevard was asked in an ordinance introduced in city council Monday night.

Merle N. A. Walker, attorney for the Glen Haven Cemetery Association, is sponsoring the measure to enable the promoters to obtain park board permission for the improvement.

Walker said he believed the ordinance, passed in 1925, to be invalid because the statute gives the park board authority over control of boulevards.

Glen Haven is located along Kessler boulevard across from Broadmoor Country Club. Walker said the cemetery will be beautifully landscaped, with no mounds or tombstones.

The measure was referred to the law and judiciary committee, headed by Meredith Nicholson.

FARMERS SAVE ON TAX

\$310,000 Cut Results From Slash in Land Assessments.

Indiana farmers will save approximately \$310,000 in taxes as the result of reduction of farm land assessments made last spring, the Indiana Farm Bureau Federation announced today.

Reductions amounted to \$135,000, it was estimated. This was in compliance with an act of the 1927 legislature providing reassessment should be made with consideration for the normal earning capacity of the land, voluntary sales of similar property in the same vicinity and speculative value.

Lewis Taylor is director of the farm federation's tax and legislative department, organized a year ago. More than a million dollars was cut from tax budgets through appeals to the state tax board, as advocated by the bureau, Taylor said.

## YOUTH, 17, HELD IN CRASH DEATH

Richard Lowther Facing Manslaughter Charge.

Richard J. Lowther, 17, of 5540 Central avenue, faces manslaughter and speeding charges today as the result of an automobile collision Monday afternoon in which Julius A. Underwood, 53, of Jamestown, Ind., was killed and his wife, Mrs. Ivy Underwood, seriously injured.

The crash occurred at Fifty-second street and Central avenue. Lowther, son of Richard L. Lowther, attorney and receiver for the J. F. Wild & Co. State bank, was freed on \$2500 bond as soon as he was taken to police headquarters.

Lowther, according to police, admitted he was going about fifty miles an hour. Underwood was east-bound on Fifty-second street, and according to Lowther and two youths riding with him, William Layton, 17, 910 Riveria drive, and Calvin Nelson, 17, of 4350 Guilford avenue, failed to stop at Central avenue, a preferential street.

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## OPEN FIGHT TO OUST GOVERNOR OF OKLAHOMA

Legislature Convenes; Plans Full Probe of Record of Executive.

By DON A. HIGGINS

United Press Staff Correspondent

OKLAHOMA CITY, Jan. 8.—Governor Henry S. Johnston fought a losing battle against impeachment today as the twelfth session of the Oklahoma legislature convened, bent on investigating the Governor's office "from top to bottom."

The session opens with the house organization controlled by insurgent legislators, the senate apparently anti-Johnston and the political fate of the Governor about to be delivered into the hands of his enemies.

Shear House Speaker

It was forecast that only untoward developments can prevent investigation and impeachment of the Governor by opponents who a year ago fought his unsuccessful.

Forty-seven Republicans of the house are pledged by caucus to support the anti-administration house members in a demand for a committee-on-committees, she