

## ACTIVE BATTLE LAUNCHED FOR BONUS PASSAGE

Conversion of Hoover Seen by Optimistic Patman, Leading Fight.

By Scripps-Howard Newspaper Alliance  
WASHINGTON, April 4.—With the bill through the house, congressmen advocating immediate cash payment of the \$2,300,000,000 soldier bonus today began a drive for passage of this legislation. President Hoover's warning that he will veto the measure should it pass congress is being ignored.

The ways and means committee may start hearings on the bill this week. When and if it will reach the senate, it will have to wait until the revenue bill is disposed of.

In addition to urging the bonus to help unemployed veterans, advocates of the bill now are asserting it will meet a national need by increasing money in circulation.

Representative Patman (Dem., Tex.) is chief sponsor, asserts it is not an "inflation measure."

### "Reflation" Says Patman

"It is a reflation measure," he says. "This means justifiable inflation."

Representative Rankin (Dem., Miss.) does not draw such a fine distinction.

"The currency must be inflated if we are to recover from this panic," Rankin said in a statement. "It must be inflated if we are to witness a rise in the price of agricultural commodities and a restoration of normal conditions in the industrial centers."

So confident is Patman that the inflation argument will prove persuasive that he predicts by the time the bill reaches the White House President Hoover will have dropped his opposition.

"The President will be persuaded by logic and reason to approve the bonus," Patman said. "The pressure will come from the people. They want this additional money placed in circulation."

### Won't Affect Gold Standard

Patman's bill authorizes the printing of new treasury notes in denominations ranging from \$1 to \$1,000 each.

"This issuance will not affect continuation of the gold standard for American money," he is telling congressmen. "We now are on a 40 per cent gold standard basis, which is high. England continued on a gold standard with only 10 per cent of gold."

"Bills issued by banks are not supported by gold, but by government bonds. There already is more than a billion dollars in the treasury fund to retire the adjusted service certificates when they become due."

"More than 5,000,000 names are attached to petitions now on file with congressmen and senators," Patman said. "They are not all from soldiers, but from farmers and small business men, too."

### Gone, but Not Forgotten

Automobiles reported to police as stolen by United Press

Crump and Forster, 613 Fletcher Trust building, Ford Tudor, 44-790, from 314 North Meridian street; 1930 Ford V-8, Gus Sansone, 616 Stevens street, Ford V-8, 1930, 124-962, from 2237 Broad street avenue.

P. F. Balz, 3038 Fall Creek boulevard, Indianapolis, 1930 Ford V-8, 1930 Fall Creek boulevard.

Eunice Johnson, Negro, Y. M. C. A. Club, 66-122, from Michigan Street and Second avenue.

Whipple, 1930 Ford V-8, 1930 First street, Beech Grove, Ind., La Salle roadster, from Washington and West Washington street, Hump sedan, from 4802 West Washington street, Austin, 877 Edgemont street, Paise sedan, from 858 West Ninth street, F. V. C. Co., 1930 Ford V-8, 1930 First street, from Holmes avenue and Tenth street, 1930, 1419 Kenyon street, Chevrolet sedan, from Fletcher and Virginia avenue, Victor, 772 Haush street, Ford coupe, 40-550, from Riverside park, near Thirtieth street.

### BACK HOME AGAIN

Stolen automobiles recovered by police

T. J. Van Gestel, 414 Marrott hotel, Ford sport coupe, found at Meridian and Thirtieth street, April 1, 1932. Medical Arts building, Plymouth sedan, found at Fifteenth and Center avenue.

M. H. Schumacher, 2005 College and University, 1930 Ford V-8, 1930 First street, from 1930 First street, from Washington and West Washington street, Hump sedan, from 4802 West Washington street, Austin, 877 Edgemont street, Paise sedan, from 858 West Ninth street, F. V. C. Co., 1930 Ford V-8, 1930 First street, from Holmes avenue and Tenth street, 1930, 1419 Kenyon street, Chevrolet sedan, from Fletcher and Virginia avenue, Victor, 772 Haush street, Ford coupe, 40-550, from Riverside park, near Thirtieth street.

"ROBOT COOK" ON VIEW

Mechanical Chef to Be Displayed in Block Windows.

A mechanical chef will be exhibited in a display of the William H. Block Company three times daily, starting today.

The mechanical chef, who resembles a robot, seldom smiles, and a White Star gas range will be awarded to the first person to make him smile, company officials promise.

The robot also will appear at the home complete exposition at the fairground each evening, starting tonight.

### POPE ISSUES BLESSING

Proclaims Virtues of French Nun Who Will Be Beatified.

By United Press  
VATICAN CITY, April 4.—Pope Pius XI blessed all with a sincere wish for common good and return of mutual confidence among peoples Sunday in a speech broadcast throughout the world.

The occasion was the proclamation of the theological virtues of Mother Alexia Leclerc, French nun, who is to be beatified.

### EXPOSE' TO BE FILMED

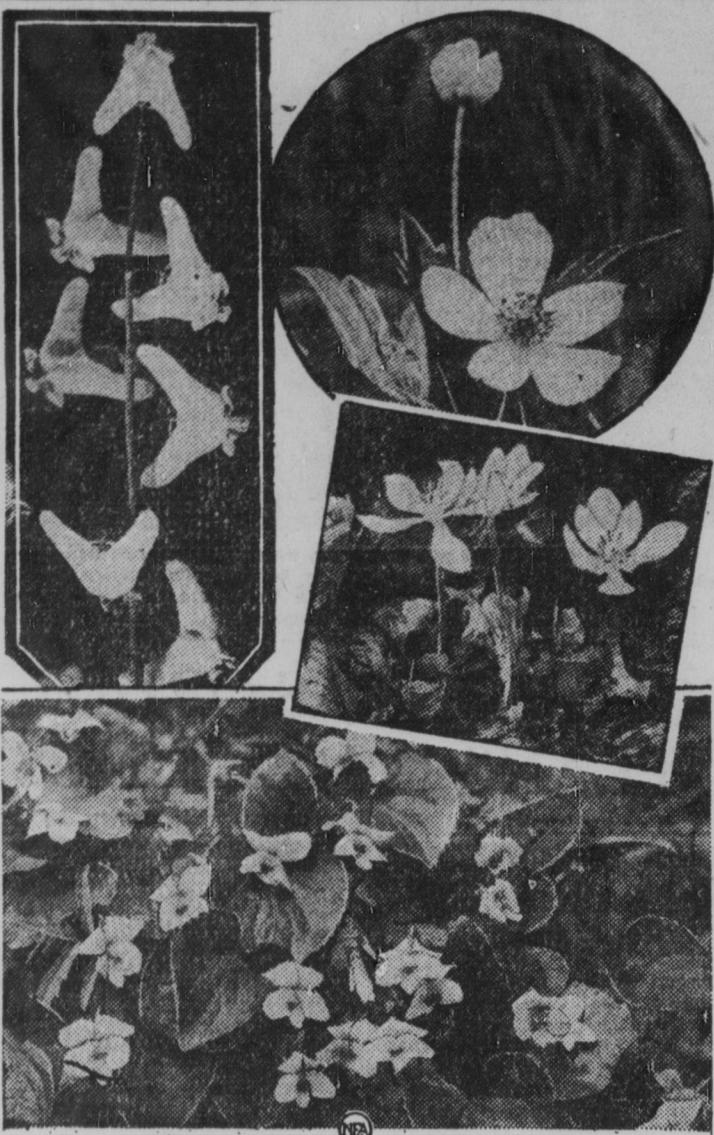
Washington Merry-Go-Round Will Have Aid of Maxwell Anderson.

By United Press  
HOLLYWOOD, April 4.—Maxwell Anderson, co-author with Lawrence Stallings of "What Price Glory?" and who wrote the screen dialogue of "All Quiet on the Western Front," was in Hollywood today to prepare "Washington Merry-Go-Round" for the screen.

Hugh Kaun, Composer, Dies

By United Press  
BERLIN, April 4.—Hugh Kaun, 69, composer who taught music in Milwaukee for fourteen years, died from heart failure here.

## Wild Flowers in Bloom; Transplanting Is Easy



THE INDIANAPOLIS TIMES

## COUNTY'S AUTO DEATH TOLL IS BOOSTED TO 24

Youth Is Killed in Crash; Six Injured; Three Drivers Held.

One motorist was killed, six others were injured, two critically, and three drivers were arrested in week-end traffic accidents, police said today.

Marion county's 1932 accident toll was raised to twenty-four with death Sunday night of John E. Marshall, 28, of 921 East Twenty-ninth street, in an auto crash ten miles east of the city on the National road. Marshall died within a few minutes after the car in which he was riding overturned in a traction right-of-way, injuring two other occupants. They are John Cavin, 18, of 2406 Bellefontaine street, driver, and William McKamey, 17, of 237 Cornell avenue.

Marshall and his companions were returning to the city from Newcastle, where they had spent the day.

### Driving About 55

Cavin told deputy sheriffs that he was driving about fifty-five miles an hour when an approaching auto swerved toward him. To avoid collision, Cavin said, he swerved his car off the road, where it careened into the traction tracks, struck a utility pole and rolled over twice. Cavin and Marshall were thrown from the car, which rolled on to Marshall, pinning him by the chest and neck. Passing motorists lifted the wrecked vehicle off of him.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Deinhart, 25 North Arlington avenue, placed Cavin and Marshall in their car, but Marshall died before medical aid could be obtained.

Cavin was treated at St. Vincent's hospital for cuts and bruises. McKamey was brought to the city by another motorist. He incurred fractures of the legs and collar bone and severe lacerations on the head. He is in a critical condition.

### Father Is Fireman

Marshall is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry G. Marshall. His father is a member of the Indianapolis fire department, assigned to engine house No. 23.

He is survived by a younger brother, two sisters and the parents. Funeral services will be held at the Moore funeral parlor at 2 Wednesday afternoon. Burial will be in Crown Hill cemetery.

Critical injuries were suffered by William Schrow, 9, of 1965½ Cottage avenue, when he was struck by an automobile as he crossed Shelia street in the 1400 block Saturday afternoon. His skull was fractured and he was bruised on the face and body.

Charles E. Guppell, 58, of 3880 Birchwood avenue, driver of the car, was not held by police. The boy is a pupil at school No. 18. He was sent to city hospital.

### Blinded by Lights

Henry Fuller, 30, of 2866 Adams street, incurred head lacerations when he was struck by an auto driven by Chester Ridley, 2341 Duis street, at Keystone avenue and Twenty-ninth street, Sunday night. Ridley, who said he was blinded by the lights of an approaching car, was not arrested.

A hit-and-run motorist, who struck Frank Moore, 75, of 105 North New Jersey street, near Lafayette Sunday, is sought today by police of two cities.

Suffering from a broken arm and body injuries, Moore was brought to his home by a motorist. Moore told police he was hitch-hiking his way home on Road 52 about twelve miles south of the upstate city, when he was struck by an auto traveling at high speed.

### Strikes Large Bowlder

George Parker, 40, of Zionsville, overturned his auto at Thirty-eighth street and Northwestern avenue, Sunday, after striking a large bowlder at the edge of the road, and suffered cuts and bruises on the head. He is in city hospital.

Charge of failure to have a driver's license were placed against Dwight Bartholomew, 22, of 1911 Sanders street, and Seybold Ensinger, 26, of 621 Birch street, after their cars collided Sunday afternoon at Noble and Washington streets.

Clarence Trater, 34, of 836 Drexel avenue, was arrested for drunkenness, reckless driving and driving a car while drunk, Saturday, after he drove his car over a curb in the 600 block East Vermont street.

**49c to 69c Cretonnes, Yard . . . 19c**

**Ready-Made Damask Drapes . . . \$2.39**

**27-Inch Velvet Carpeting, Yard . . . 94c**

**\$1 Cork Linoleum, Sq. Yard . . . 63c**

### HUNTS JOB; FINDS GEMS

Unemployed Man Hands Necklace Worth Thousands to Police.

By United Press

NEW YORK, April 4.—Robert Noseworthy, 21, has been nosing around town for six months trying to pick up a job, but he succeeded only in picking up several thousand dollars' worth of diamonds. He wasn't looking for diamonds, he found them.

The diamonds, all on a necklace, are awaiting a claimant at the police station.

There is Walter Myers, Speaker of the 1931 house of representatives, who has devoted his vocal chords and vocabulary to the tax situation and the tariff.

The Democratic party doesn't owe him anything, as far as can be learned.

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But the Democratic party will owe any one of these candidates the nomination if he brings forth some concrete ideas on unemployment relief, the utility situation, old age pensions on a national scope, and methods whereby such economic cataclysms as exist at this time can be averted in the future.

True enough is the phase, "anybody will be better than Watson," but at least you know where Watson stands, because he makes no effort to disguise his hard-shell, conservative Republicanism.

They have been strangely muted—but it is not strange. Not since 1926, when Albert Stump ran against Watson and failed to mention the Klan, corruption, or other issues, have Democratic candidates been so mute.

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him support which might have been gained.

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