

PETTY LOANERS ARE VICTORIOUS IN LEGISLATURE

Complete Triumph Is Seen
for Operators After
Senate Action.

Small loan operators Friday won a complete victory in the Indiana legislature.

With little discussion, the house accepted minor senate amendments to its petty loan bill, and the measure, barring a motion for reconsideration, is ready to go to the Governor.

The bill gives full supervisory and interest rate fixing power to the new department of financial institutions, with the provision that in the absence of a department rate schedule, the interest shall be 3 1/2 per cent a month on sums up to \$150, and 2 1/2 above that amount.

Senate amendment fixing a flat rate of 2 per cent was adopted Wednesday, but late Thursday afternoon, under the lash of Senator Anderson Ketchum of Greensburg, Democratic floor leader, the amendment was killed.

Ketchum had the bill recommitted to himself as "a committee of one," with specific instructions to eliminate the 2 per cent rate. He reported back at once and the 2 per cent amendment was killed by a voice vote.

The low rate amendment was offered by Senator William P. Denigan (Dem., Vincennes), author of a bill slumbering in the house, also setting a 2 per cent rate. The amendment, leaving the rate making power with the financial institutions department, stipulated that in no event should it be more than 2 per cent.

As the bill now stands, the department could fix any rate. It has been explained by supporters of the bill that public pressure will keep the rate down to 3 1/2 per cent, the present maximum.

Ketchum, as a prelude to the movement that killed the low rate amendment, denied that the petty loan bill is an administration measure.

However, its author is Representative Leo M. Gardner (Dem., Indianapolis), who, with twenty-five other representatives and nine senators, wrote a companion measure, reorganizing the banking regulation set up of the state and creating the department of financial institutions.

The bill has the approval, voiced in committee hearings, of Alex Pursley of Hartford City, Democratic state committee member, and a small loan operator, and of F. L. Thompson of Chicago, counsel for the Household Finance Corporation, operating in twelve states.

ONE ANIMAL WAIF IS ADOPTED BY ANOTHER

Unusual Hard Times Story Backed
Up by Photographs.

NEW YORK, March 4.—One animal waif that has adopted another as a foster-child is the strange hard times story told—and backed up with photographic evidence—by Miss Margaret Stanger of Riverside drive.

Tales of cats that nurse puppies are common enough, or of motherly dogs that adopt kittens; but in the case reported by Miss Stanger a mongrel dog has adopted a full-grown cat and makes it play the role of a presumably lost puppy.

The two animals were both strays which came to the neighborhood, Miss Stanger states. "My photographs were taken on the third day of their acquaintance. They are friendly at all times except when food is put out, which the dog insists upon eating, forcing the cat at a distance while doing so. However, as soon as she has finished she shares with the cat in this fashion . . .

"As this is the only food the cat gets, it is an unselfish way of maintaining two pets on the food of one."

NEW DOUBLE STANDARD

Movie Fans Are Less Critical of
Female Stars Than Male.

By United Press
HOLLYWOOD, March 4.—Take the word of Director Tod Browning, the public uses two pairs of spectacles to survey male and female cinema players.

And in this dual double-o, Mr. and Mrs. Fan are far more lenient in their appraisal of the fair sex. "More is demanded of the male star," Browning contends. "A female star can last on the screen as long as the freshness of her beauty and glamour survive."

"But the man who depends only upon looks and personality does not last so long. He must be versatile in character portrayal to stay at the top."

FEW WOMEN CRIMINALS

Only 7.4 Feminine Crooks Arrested
For Every 100 Men Held.

By United Press
WASHINGTON, March 4.—There were 7.4 women arrested for every 100 men during the last eleven months of 1932, fingerprint records received here by the bureau of investigation of the justice department show.

"One out of every thirty-eight women arrested was charged with robbery, while one out of seventeen men arrested was charged with that offense," J. Edgar Hoover, director of the bureau, told the United Press.

Arrests for violation of federal narcotic laws included one out of sixty-seven women and one out of 111 men.

GETS FIRST NIGHT OUT

Man Away From Wife After Dark
First Time in 33 Years.

By United Press
WEST STOCKBRIDGE, Mass., March 4.—When William Doughty went to Pittsfield recently to visit relatives it marked the first time that he and his wife had been separated overnight since they were married thirty-three years ago.

The only traveling broadcasting station in Australia sells advertising to pay for its expenses as it passes from one town to another.

Pussy's in Peril! Indiana Central Biology Classes Hot After Tabbies, for Vivisection



Upper Left—Professor W. P. Morgan of the biology department of Indiana Central college, and Miss Esther Bower of Greensburg discussing the bit of fur she treed for "lab" work.

Upper Right—Miss Helen Schmidt of Terre Haute turning over her catch to the pastor-executioner, Elmer Brown of Noblesville.

Lower Left—"Treed," or "The Last Meow," might be the title of this scene in the back yard of a friend of the college students.

preaches Sundays at the Gray Friends church, north of Indianapolis is the monitor of the chloroform bottle.

The school's biologists have their pet ideas about cat-hunting.

For instance, Miss Esther Bower of Greensburg loves kitties and wouldn't think of "snatching" a yellow cat for a trip to the laboratory.

"Mine will be maltese or just plain alley," she says.

In turn Junior Wilson of Wabash has killed his bad luck for the rest of his life if the black cat he brought

in is to be taken for the omen of his fortune.

Morgan and his class deny the theory of a cat having nine lives.

"If they had, I'd live to a ripe old age for all the cats I've killed," the professor says.

He explains that, according to law, a cat is nonexistent and, consequently, not recognized as even being alive.

But the professor's classes have had easier times in getting their quota of tabbies than the 1933 class. He says he'll never forget teach-

ing for Indiana university at Winona lake and how the town marshal always was the retailer of felines to his class.

"The housewives either kept their cats inside the house or a bell around their neck if they didn't want the marshal's cat-like eye to operate," Morgan said.

Indiana Central's cats will be the center of the biology department's workday for the next six weeks.

Butler university uses fish and Indiana university, due to the protest of housewives, has resorted to other vertebrate animals.

Booze Raiders' Era Is History Now



Left to Right—Patrolmen Otto Fulton and Joe Stutesman and Sergeant John Eisenhut.

HISTORY was made today, when, after more than five years as the daily helpers of federal agents in enforcing the prohibition law of the nation and state, Sergeant John Eisenhut and his squad today turned to regular police duties.

Their last activity as assistants of dry agents occurred Wednesday afternoon when they visited the federal building with alcohol cans, a gun and pants of a still seized in a raid the first of the week, before signing of the Wright dry repealer. The photo shows the trio mounding the federal building steps.

Eisenhut, patrolmen Otto Fulton and Joe Stutesman have a long list of dry raids on their record in the last few years. Before being assigned to the federal job, Eisenhut operated the city police booze squad a year.

Under the new system, with the squad removed, federal officials will receive co-operation, when needed, from local police in enforcing the national dry law.

PRINT MONEY ON SKINS

Parchment Strip Will Be Tried in
Oregon Sheep Country.

By United Press
HEPPNER, Ore., March 4.—Wooden money and scrip issued in various cities of the United States is gone one better by this city. Plans are underway to print scrip on sheepskin. Raising of sheep is one of the main industries here.

Your Garden

Now is the time to begin planning your summer garden—for vegetables and flowers as well. Now is the time to look over your seed catalogs, decide on what space you will give various features of your garden, see what you can do toward improving your grounds, replacing shrubbery, renewing the lawn and deciding on the various features of your garden. Our Washington Bureau has ready for you a collection of eight valuable and informative bulletins on gardening. They are:

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Greenwood Slated for House Democratic Whip

Rainey Remembers Promise
to Indiana Man and
Will Make Good.

By Scripps-Hoover Newspaper Alliance
WASHINGTON, March 3.—Representative Arthur Greenwood, of Washington, Ind., will be whip of the Democratic organization of the house.

The position is appointive, and Greenwood was named to the post Friday by the appointive powers—Henry T. Rainey, next Speaker, and Joe Byrnes, next Democratic leader.

Two years ago, when John Garner was chosen Speaker and Rainey was named leader, Greenwood thought that he was to be designated whip. But at that time, Rainey was forced to back down on his pre-caucus promise to Greenwood and permit Representative John McDuffie to remain the whip.

Now, Rainey has to make good on his two-year promise, and Greenwood, who was one of the first and most persistent of the supporters of Rainey's candidacy for the speakership, The McDuffie forces were routed Thursday afternoon when the Democrats agreed on a slate of Rainey for Speaker and Byrnes for leader.

A party whip in the house is charged with the responsibility of conducting preliminary polls on party measures and rounding up party members for important votes.

One of the reasons why Rainey wanted to name Greenwood whip is that he fears the Indiana congressman can not be elected to a place on the ways and means committee. Greenwood announced several months ago that he wanted to be a member of the ways and means committee, but the sentiment of his party colleagues is against him, because of his opposition to the Collier beer bill.

FAMILY SETS RECORD

Members Boast 212 Years Service
Continuously in Public Office.

By United Press
CHILMARK, Mass., March 4.—An unbroken record of 212 years in political office on Martha's Vineyard is the proud boast of the Allen family.

Henry H. Allen died recently after holding public offices for a half century, but his son, F. Roger Allen, was immediately elected to the board of selectmen.



Arthur Greenwood

BLINDED FOR SCIENCE

Search for Missing Chemical Element
Makes Martyr of Scientist.

HELSINGFORS, Finland, March 4.—Blinded completely in one eye, with his hearing affected, Professor Gustave Aartovaara of the Helsingfors Technical University is a martyr to his search for a missing chemical element. In 1931, while engaged in the chemical concentration of the missing chemical element, 87, Professor Aartovaara was the victim of a laboratory explosion, the effects of which have prevented his continuation of research.

To Professor Fred Allison of the Alabama Polytechnic Institute, Professor Aartovaara sent specimens that he believed contained element 87, and Professor Allison detected this element by his magneto-optical method of analysis.

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OLEO TAX MAY PAY FOR RELIEF OF STATE NEEDY

Bill Passes House, After
Initial Failure, for
5-Cent Levy.

Oleomargarine, and not cigars, will pay the \$1,000,000 needed for the state unemployment relief commission, in addition to a \$1,000,000 general fund appropriation, it appeared today.

This decision having been made by the McNutt administration, the 5-cent a pound tax on oleomargarine bill passed the house, 59 to 21, today, after having failed of passage Thursday.

Senator Anderson Ketchum, Democratic floor leader, said he did not know whether it would pass the senate. He said he was sure that the \$1,000,000 direct appropriation amendment to the unemployment relief commission setup bill will be adopted. The bill is on second reading in the senate and the amendment will be added whenever it is called down, Ketchum said.

Plan for a 2 cents a package "nuisance" tax on cigars was abandoned definitely.

The new \$2,000,000 plan was approved at a conference this morning in the Governor's office. Those attending were: Mayor Reginald H. Sullivan, Kiefer Mayer, Indianapolis district unemployed relief chairman; Fred Hoke, state unemployment relief commission chairman, and Wayne Coy, secretary to Governor Paul V. McNutt, and director of the unemployment relief commission.

HARVESTER CO. REPORTS DEFICIT OF \$7,583,000

Loss Compares With Net Profit
During 1931.

By United Press
CHICAGO, March 4.—International Harvester Company today reported a loss of \$7,583,000 for 1932, compared with a profit of \$1,346,538 in 1931.

A transfer of \$10,000,000 was made from the general reserves to the surplus compared with a transfer of \$11,000,000 last year. This was to offset dividends of \$16,758,909 in 1931 which were reduced to \$12,046,878.22 in 1932.

The net loss after all charges including dividends and interest, was \$19,629,757.19 compared with \$15,412,371 the previous year. The surplus was reduced from \$54,695,735.69 at the start of the year to \$45,065,978.50 at the start of 1933. Accounts receivable at the end of the year were \$119,000,000 or \$20,825,000 less than in 1931.

The ratio of assets to liabilities was fourteen to one at the close of the year. Assets were \$346,736,937.82, of which \$32,927,483.02 was cash.

TOUTED FOR U. S. JOB



Robert H. Gore, above, is expected to be named commissioner of internal revenue in the new administration.

Gore, a Chicagoan, was with Mayor Anton Cermak of Chicago at Miami when an assassin's bullet wounded the mayor.

LUESSE WILL SPEAK BEFORE JOBLESS ARMY

Unemployed Leader, Free
Again, Will Lead Pro-
test Rally.

For the first time since his release from the state penitentiary last week, Theodore Luesse, unemployed leader, was to speak at a mass meeting scheduled to be held today at noon on the courthouse steps.

Luesse served more than a year on the farm for conviction for interfering with an eviction.

His imprisonment drew state-wide attention when Indianapolis business men and civic leaders launched a fight to obtain his release and remittance of a \$500 fine which was imposed by Frank P. Baker, criminal court judge.

In hand bills circulated widely in the city Friday, leaders of the unemployed Council and the International Labor Defense, said Luesse's appearance will be in connection with marchers' protest against the "new deal" of the Democratic administration.

The hand bills charge that the new sales tax was "cramped down the throats of the poor," and that relief for the "forgotten man" has been neglected.

The marchers will demand immediate relief for the unemployed to prevent "mass starvation," the hand bills state.

Full of Bright Ideas

All the bulletins in the list below, prepared by our Washington Bureau, are full of suggestions for the hostess who is planning any sort of party or entertainment during the present season—from the simplest to the most elaborate affair. Here are the titles:

1. Bridge Parties.
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4. Parties for Every Occasion.
5. Old-Fashioned Dances.
6. Party Menus, Prizes and Favors.
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8. St. Valentine's Parties.
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AIR LINE HIRES HIGH TYPE MEN

College Degrees and Four
Years' Aviation Study
Are Required.

By Times Special

BOGOTA, Colombia, March 4.—Pilots employed by Scadta, South America's oldest commercial aviation operators, are required to possess college degrees, followed by an intensive four years' training course in aviation and navigation.

The flying personnel of Scadta Airways is composed largely of German pilots, of an unusually clean-cut, fine-character type of men, equal in training and ability to the finest pilots of the large commercial airlines of the United States.

It was Scadta, now the comm-

ercial operators in Colombia, who gave the first impetus to commercial flying not only in South America, but in the Western Hemisphere, the company being formed in 1919.

Today it is said to be among the world's leaders in commercial aviation transport. The terrain over which its men fly is mountainous, as Colonel Charles Lindbergh reported upon returning from his South American "good will" trip, and operation of continuous schedules over such routes is as efficient as are those of the large American air transport operators over "the hump" of the Rocky mountains and the Alleghany mountain section runs.

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HIGHER RATING CLAIMED FOR PILTDOWN MAN

Ancient Dweller in England
Held Nearer Human Than
Is Neanderthal Type.

By Science Service

BERLIN, March 4.—Eoanthropus, the Dawn Man of Piltdown, England, of all human or near-human fossils the most knocked-about in anthropological dispute, has been given a new shove—this time upstairs.

Dr. Hans Weinst, anthropologist at the Kaiser Wilhelm institute, has examined the original specimens in England, and is convinced that Eoanthropus is more human than he has been given credit for being—more human, indeed, than Neanderthal man—and that he probably is not as old as he has been considered by earlier investigators.

Dr. Weinst's argument turns to a considerable extent on the Dawn Man's teeth and lower jaw, which were found separately from the fragments of the upper skull. These hitherto have been considered to be quite definitely ape-like, contrasting strongly with the massive, but just as definitely human cranium.

So great has this contrast appeared to earlier workers that some of them would not believe that jaw and cranium belonged to the same being, but held that the skull was a man's, the jaw an ape's.

Teeth Are Human, He Says

But the German investigator finds that the teeth are human after all, and is of the opinion that the jaw and skull do belong together.

The Eoanthropus fossils consist of two fragmentary crania, half of a lower jaw containing two molars, a loose eyetooth and a loose molar. The pieces of one skull, the jawbone and the loose eyetooth were found in a gravel pit at Piltdown, Sussex, between 1909 and 1913; the pieces of the second skull and the loose molar in the same neighborhood, at a distance of about two miles, in 1915.

In the gravel stratum were many bones of extinct animals, including mastodon, hippopotamus and rhinoceros. These animals were identified as being of early Ice Age date, so the pieces of the fossils were assumed to be of equal antiquity, although it was recognized that the gravel deposit, bones and all, might be secondary, that is, washed in from elsewhere.

Now, Dr. Weinst states, the English scientists agree with him regarding the animal remains as older than the human fossils, so that the great antiquity heretofore assigned to Eoanthropus at least is open to question.

Coincidence Is Unlikely

As for likelihood that the skull and the teeth belong to two different creatures, he points out that the coincidence would have to be twice repeated, since the loose molar was found near the second group of skull fragments, just as the jawbone and the loose eyetooth were found near the first.

He feels that the probability of the pieces really belonging to each other is greater than the chances of a double coincidence of the same kind of ape leaving their remains in the same places.

As for the apelikeness of the jaw teeth, he says, "the lower jaw is not so pronouncedly anthropoid as has been assumed; the teeth are human; what appears apelike about them can be found in other human teeth as well."

Stating that he intends soon to publish his findings in a scientific journal, he adds, "If my work finds acceptance, then Eoanthropus is no 'Anthropus' and no ape, but a 'Homo' (man), indeed more 'Homo'—and therefore more truly human—than the Neanderthaler."

Dr. Weinst's preliminary conclusions are contained in a communication to the German scientific weekly Forschungen und Fortschritt.

TIRES OF 'TOUGH' ROLES

'Hard Boiled' Actor Yearns to Play
Part of Gentleman.

By United Press

HOLLYWOOD, March 4.—Allen Jenkins would like to be a gentleman at least once.

This ambition, although not unusual with actors who habitually portray "mugs" and "hard guys," has become a consuming desire with Jenkins.

It was his fortune or fate to be categorized as a tough one from the day he portrayed a gangster role in "Eased Event." Through picture after picture went Jenkins snarling and sneering in his best depraved manner.

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