

## COURT IS NOT LEAGUE'S PAWN, SAYS VAN NUYS

Denies U. S. Entry Is 'Back Door' Admission to Geneva Ranks.

By United Press  
WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—Opponents of the World Court today fought back against efforts of Administration leaders to press the issue to an early vote.

Senator Hiram W. Johnson (R., Cal.), declaring American "internationalists" were wavering in their sponsorship of the court, said he thought the vote should be delayed until next week.

Administration Leader Joseph T. Robinson planned to seek an agreement today for a vote tomorrow or Saturday. If unable to accomplish that he intended to set a definite time for a vote early next week.

Senator Frederick Van Nuys (D., Ind.), yesterday defended the court in a statement denying court participation meant a "back door" entrance to the League of Nation.

"It does not mean the assumption of any legal liability whatsoever to the League," he said.

The United States does not agree to confer upon the court any jurisdiction over disputes to which the United States may be a party. Our adherence would not bind the United States to make any use of the court or go before the court at the instance of any other state.

Regarding advisory opinions, which were attacked by Senator William E. Borah (R., Idaho), as putting the court under the political influence of the league and coloring its decisions with nationalistic prejudices, Senator Van Nuys said:

"All we have to do is to object and the court can not entertain jurisdiction of the question upon which an advisory opinion is sought. With this safeguard, we may enjoy all the benefits of the court and not be subjected to the alleged possibility of advisory opinions founded upon political and racial prejudices."

### LOCAL SUSPECT FACES MURDER TRIAL FEB. 1

William Hitchcock Accused of Slaying Hotel Owner.

By Times Special  
DANVILLE, Ind., Jan. 24.—William Hitchcock, Indianapolis, held in jail here on first and second degree murder counts in connection with the slaying of Fred Hier, Indianapolis hotel proprietor, April 10, 1934, will be tried in Hendricks County Circuit Court next Feb. 1. The case was venued here from Marion County and Prosecutor John A. Kendall of Hendricks County, will assist Prosecutor Herbert M. Spencer of Marion County.

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### PRESENTATIONS NEIGHBORHOOD THEATERS

**NORTH SIDE**

**TALBOTT** Talbot & 22nd  
Double Feature  
"BIG HEARTED HARRIET"  
"READY FOR LOVE"

**RITZ** Illinois at 34th  
Double Feature  
"SELL ANYTHING"  
"THE LAST GENTLEMAN"

**UPTOWN** 43rd & College  
Double Feature  
"PAINTED VIOLET"  
"LADY BY CHOICE"

**DREAM** 2261 Station St.  
Loretta Young  
"CARAVAN"

**Stratford** 19th & College  
Double Feature  
"THE FOUNTAIN"  
"CARAVAN"

**MECCA** Noble & Mass.  
Double Feature  
"CARAVAN"  
"NOW I'LL TELL"

**GARRICK** Illinois & 30th  
Double Feature  
Frank Morgan  
"BY YOUR LEAVE"  
"MARRYING WIDOWS"

**REX** 30th Family Nine  
John Mack Brown  
"AGAINST THE LAW"

**ZARING** Double Feature  
Ann Sten  
"WE LIVE AGAIN"  
"CHEATING CHEATERS"

**ST. CLAIR** St. Clair & F. Wayne  
Double Feature  
Warren Baxter  
"BELL IN THE CLOUDS"  
"KANSAS CITY PRINCESS"

**EAST SIDE**

**STRAND** 1332 E. Wash. St.  
Double Feature  
Barbara Stanwyck  
"A LOST LADY"

**"One Exciting Adventure"**

**Musical Revue**  
"GENTS OF POLISH"

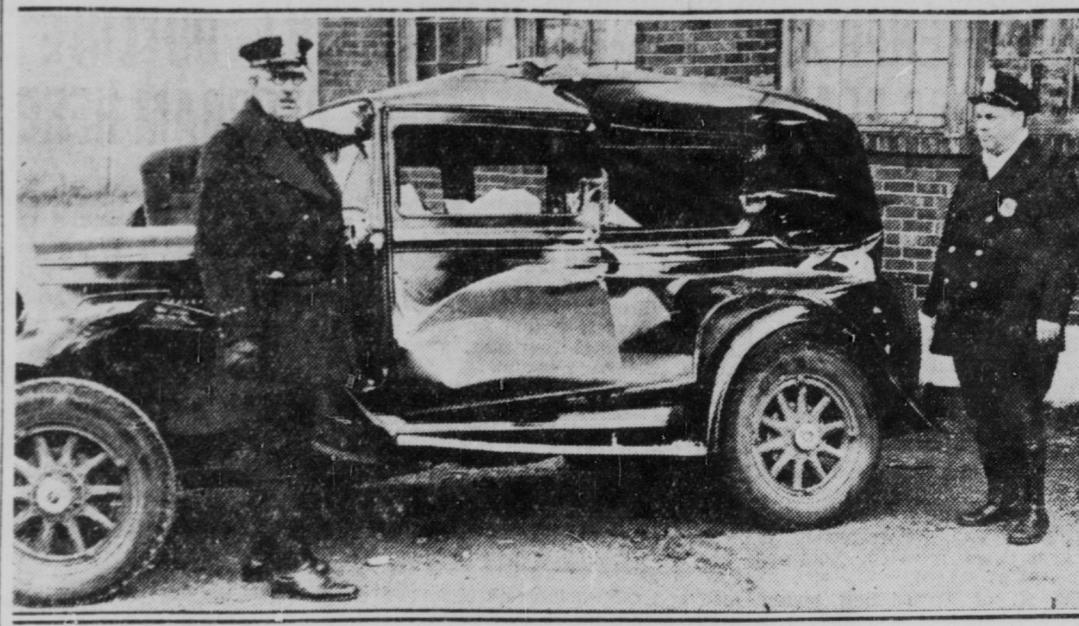
**RIVOLI** DeSoto at 10th  
Eddie Cantor  
"KID MILLION"

**IRVING** 5307 E. Washin. St.  
Joe Penner  
"COLLEGE RHYTHM"

**TACOMA** 2142 E. Wash. St.  
Double Feature  
Helen Hayes  
"WHAT EVER WOMAN KNOWS"

**"FUGITIVE LADY"**

### AUTO PROVES NO MATCH FOR INTERURBAN: DRIVER BADLY HURT



Patrolman Charles Icenogle

Proof that an automobile is no match for a trolley in fair combat is given by this view of the machine of Mitchell Burgess, 247 N. Randolph-st, which struck an outbound Indiana Railroad interurban car at Oliver-av and Harding-st yesterday afternoon. Patrolmen Charles Icenogle and Patrick Moriarity were among the police who investigated and sent Mr. Burgess to City Hospital. Mr. Burgess, who suffered severe head injuries, was described as being in serious condition this morning.

### U. S. Isolation Urged in Book Rapping Diplomats

Drew Pearson and Constantine Brown Review Last 16 Years of Efforts to Bring Peace.

"War in Europe may come in any number of ways now. It may come almost immediately. It may not come for five years. But when it does come to Europe it will come also to the Far East. War will come."

With that terse paragraph in their newly published book, "The American Diplomatic Game" (Doubleday, Doran; \$3), Drew Pearson and Constantine Brown sum up the last 16 years' efforts for disarmament and peace.

Mr. Pearson, co-author of the "Daily Merry-Go-Round," one of The Indianapolis Times' most popular features, has teamed up with Mr. Brown, foreign news editor of the Washington Star, in writing a powerful argument for complete American isolation.

"The American Diplomatic Game" has landed in Washington like a bombshell. It spares few of America's so-called "statesmen" and definitely paints the United States as the pawn of European diplomats.

**Roosevelt Reverses Stand**

A highly irreverent tale of American diplomacy and American diplomats, the book discloses that Franklin Roosevelt, like his predecessors in office, Wilson, Harding, Coolidge and Hoover, toyed with the idea presented by Premier Ramsey MacDonald of Great Britain—of tackling the role of world savior, the leader to save the world from war, and even took several steps in that direction.

But Franklin Roosevelt, the authors write, has turned in the other direction. They declare his three chief foreign policies to be:

1. The building of a giant navy.  
2. An attitude of almost bitter coldness toward Japan.

3. With the exception of Latin-America, a position of complete isolation in regard to the rest of the world.

**Adopts British Policy**

Mr. Pearson and Mr. Brown see the President as the keenest student of naval strategy ever to sit in the White House, a man who believes the United States exists through the strength of its fleet. The authors see him as having adopted the identical policy toward Britain and Japan as Britain has adopted toward the United States and Japan in the past.

British policy, they write, has been to play the two great powers of the Pacific off against each other. Mr. Roosevelt, they say, has decided to give the British a taste of their own policy. Henceforth, they believe, he will let the Britons act as their own bulwark against yellow imperialism.

"The American Diplomatic Game" is a racy, able and worth-while book for militarsists and pacifists alike. It, at least, tears the veil from America's almost constant diplomatic bungling.

If the reader is at all interested in foreign affairs as they affect the United States, he will enjoy this volume.

### MOTOR CLUBS ASK \$3 FEE FOR CARS

Measure to Be Offered in State Senate.

Reduction of automobile license fees to a flat rate of \$3 a year for all types of cars is provided in one of three bills proposed by motor clubs of Indiana and ready for introduction into the Indiana Senate.

A second bill would repeal the law creating a state oil inspection department while a third bill would amend the drivers' license law to provide that the licenses would be good for a four-year term without increase in cost.

Twenty-seven jobs would be abolished by repeal of the oil inspection law. Annual revenue of the department approximates \$400,000 and the revenue goes into the general fund.

Revenues would decrease approximately \$2,000,000 under the flat auto license fee. Licenses now cost between \$5 and \$10.

Similar bills are pending in the House of Representatives.

### ENGLISH TEACHERS TO HOLD PARLEY IN CITY

National Council Decides to Meet Here Next November.

**Hollywood** Bette Davis  
"FOG OVER FRISCO"

**EMERSON** 4630 E. Tenth  
Double Feature  
"GENTLEMEN ARE BORN"  
"PECK'S BAD BOY"

**Paramount** Double Feature  
Grace Moore  
"ONE NIGHT OUT"  
"16 FATHOMS DEEP"

**SOUTH SIDE**

**FOUNTAIN SQUARE** Double Feature  
"LIMELIGHT"  
"WHEN I'M SIXTY RED"

**SANDERS** Double Feature  
"THE NIGHT BEFORE"  
"FUGITIVE LADY"

**GARFIELD** 23rd Shubert  
Double Feature  
Victor McLaglen  
"CAPTAIN HATE THE SEA"  
"COURAGE WITHOUT PASSION"

**PROSPECT-CHURCHMAN** Double Feature  
Warner Oland  
"CHARLIE CHAN IN LONDON"

**ORIENTAL** 1105 S. Meridian  
Double Feature  
Helen Hayes  
"WHAT EVERY WOMAN KNOWS"  
"HAPPINESS AHEAD"

**Roosevelt** Fred Astaire  
"GAY DIVORCEE"

**WEST SIDE**

**BELMONT** W. Wash. & Belmont  
Double Feature  
Jesse Penn  
"COLLEGE RHYTHM"  
"FIREBIRD"

**DAISY** 216 W. Mich.  
Double Feature  
Marion Marsh  
"GIRL OF THE LUMBERLOST"  
"HOLD THAT GUN"

**STATE** 132 W. 10th St.  
Double Feature  
Spencer Tracy  
"MARI GALANTE"  
"GIFT OF GAB"

**BACK HOME AGAIN**

Automobiles reported to police as stolen belong to:

1. Harry Rice, 880 Torbett-st, Ford coupe, 12-210 (35), from home.

2. John W. Wilson, 1218 Vandemark-av, Double sedan, from garage in rear of home.

3. Morris Hubbard, 713 S. Sherman-dr, Cheviot, Marian, 20-819, from North and Cincinnati-av.

4. Roy J. Tolm, 1214 Prospect-st, Chevrolet sedan, 34-562, from Morris and Shelby-sts.

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