

## DOMINANT AUTHORITY IN IRELAND IS HELD BY SOLONS OF SINN FEIN

(By Associated Press)  
DUBLIN, Feb. 6.—The Dail Eireann, the Sinn Fein Parliament in the minds of an overwhelming majority of the Irish people, continues as the dominant—the only legitimate authority in Ireland. It is treated as an authoritative body. None of the municipal or county bodies which pledges allegiance to it have withdrawn from that position.

The Dail Eireann's instructions are obeyed by these subsidiary bodies and all dealings with the Irish local Government Board, which represents the British government, are barred. For this reason the board is unable to make its customary audit of county and city accounts. The result is increasing difficulty in every district.

"Rate," or tax, collectors are faced with two sets of instructions—one from British government representatives, or the Local Government Board, the other from local Sinn Fein authority. A King's bench decree, designed to compel these collectors to obey the law, has been unavailing. Obedience of Crown instructions, in many cases, would doubtless bring severe punishment; if not death, to the collector.

Tax collecting, needless to say is not brisk. The balances in local treasuries are proving insufficient to enable authorities to maintain public institutions. In Sligo, banks have refused to permit overdrafts, and there is no money to pay the contractors who are therefore withdrawing their services. Patients in hospitals are without sufficient food and the inmates of the poorhouse are in a similar plight.

The Chairman of the Board of Aldermen approved the suggestion of Dail Eireann that leading men of the city be asked to advance £50 each to relieve the situation, but there was no response.

In Queen's county, the greater part of the taxes of the county, amounting to about £60,000, remains uncollected, and the resources of the county are exhausted, involving serious consequences to the lunatic asylum and several hospitals. The county council at its meeting resolved to ask the advice of Dail Eireann. They have no doubt of its ability to meet, and are willing to act upon its instructions.

At Bray, an important seaside suburb within 12 miles of Dublin, an attempt was made by a member of the town council to get out of financial troubles by rescinding a resolution acknowledging allegiance to Dail Eireann, but he did not find a seconder.

### Fire Company, Citizens, Join in Chase After Pig

(By Associated Press)  
CINCINNATI, O., Feb. 7.—"This little pig went to market, and this little pig stayed home," and this is a story about a little pig that didn't want to do either and in its efforts to get out of saying home and going to market caused a Cincinnati fire department to go clanging away on a fruitless trip. The pig was in a pen in the Meyer Packing house. It got out, and soon had a throng of employees chasing it madly around. The pig rebounded here and there in the factory, finally coming full tilt against an automatic fire alarm. An engine company, hook and ladder and the district fire marshal responded. Also a great crowd of citizens, who for the time being were disengaged.

The pig eventually was corralled, with the aid of the citizens.

### M. Gounaris Remains In New Greek Cabinet

(By Associated Press)  
LONDON, Feb. 7.—M. Gounaris, whose break with former Premier Rallis led to the Greek ministerial crisis last week, remains as minister of war in the new Kallergopoulos cabinet, which took the oath of office yesterday, says an Athens dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company.

BANQUET GUESTS PAY \$10 FOR "CENT-A-PLATE" FOOD  
COLUMBUS, Ind., Feb. 7.—Frank P. Brockman, treasurer of the relief fund in Bartholomew county for starving children in central Europe, has reported that at a recent "invisible guest" banquet held each guest was charged \$10 a plate for food that cost less than 1 cent. There were 312 people present.

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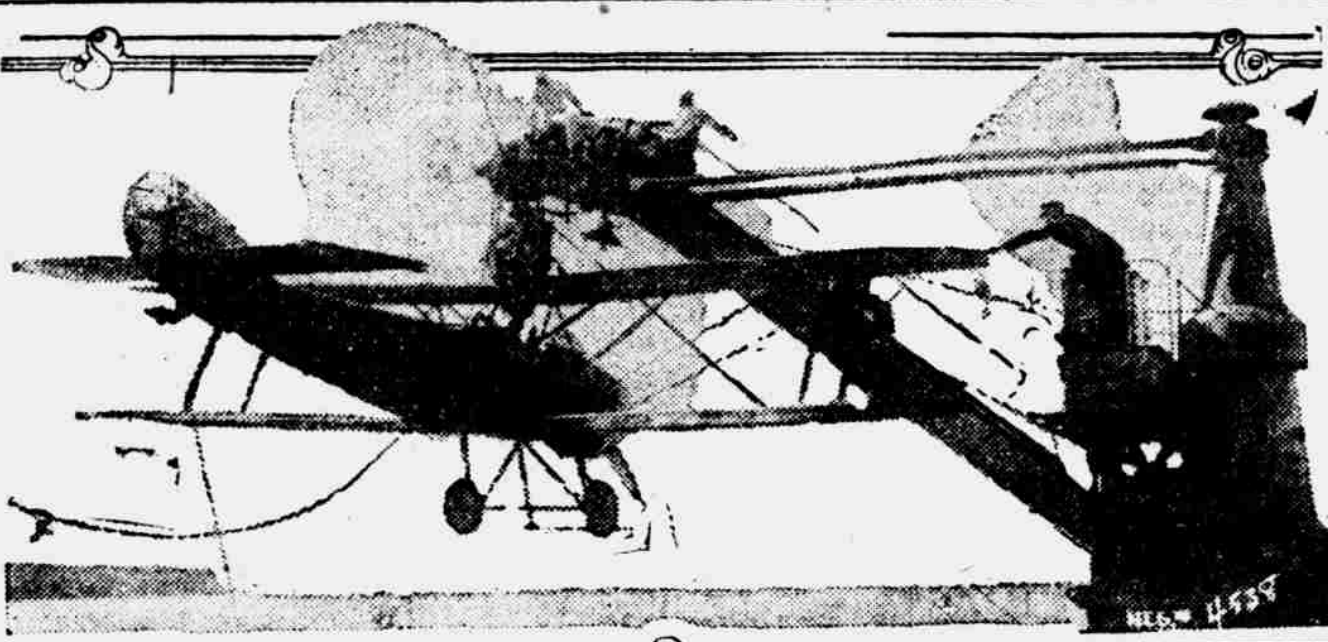
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scouting and combat drills in conjunction with the water craft. The photo above, taken at New York, shows how the planes are hoisted on board the warships for

the trip to Panama. Fourteen seaplanes flew from San Diego, Cal., to the Gulf of Panama to be present at the maneuvers of the fleets.

## LOOTING BY ROBBERS IN SOUTHERN CHINA RECALLS ROBIN HOOD

(By Associated Press)  
PEKING, Feb. 7.—Looting by robbers and levies by soldiers add to the distress of famine-ridden people of southern China, says a report by a missionary engaged in famine relief work at Wei-hsien, near the Honan border. The troops with their demands for "contributions" of grain, fodder and clothing are said to be worse affliction than the robbers. The latter are described as emulating Robin Hood in some respects in a recent raid at Fang Chia ying, eight miles from Wei-hsien, where the homes of the wealthy were invaded.

"As the robbers went from house to house, stores of grain were opened up, chests of clothing broken open and the poor were dressed and fed beyond the style even of better days. Copper coins and small cash were heaped up in the streets and bartered at considerable discount for silver dollars, for like their distinguished prototype, the Chinese Robin Hoods are not impelled by purely philanthropic impulse, but are after plunder in the most transportable and convertible form. While frankly aiming at the lion's share, they showed sympathy for those weaker than themselves."

The soldiers, instead of checking the operations of the robbers, are described as having an understanding with them and conniving at furnishing them with ammunition.

"There is first a parley," says the writer, "when the soldiers make an impetuous charge and the brigands retreat. The soldiers dig, at indicated places, and unearth money which has been buried by the brigands. Into the holes in the ground they put ammuni-

tion and cover it up. Then the brigands make a counter-attack and the troops retreat, leaving the former to recover the buried ammunition."

Not only are the rich being reduced to poverty by the demands of the soldiery, but a large proportion of the middle-class population who might have been able to get through the winter is fast becoming wholly dependent upon public beneficence, it is alleged.

HICCUGHS FOR TWO WEEKS.  
COLUMBUS (IND.) MAN DIES  
COLUMBUS, Ind., Feb. 7.—Lewis Frank Brooks, 53 years old, is dead at the county hospital here, where he underwent an operation a few weeks ago. Two weeks ago he suffered an attack of hiccoughing, which continued until his death. He is survived by his

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## FRANKFORT POLICE MAKE WHISKY HAUL

FRANKFORT, Ind., Feb. 7.—Approximately 900 quarts of bottled in bond whisky valued at \$12,000 were seized here Saturday afternoon when police arrested four men, all of Chicago and vicinity. Those under arrest are James G. Schaller, 2706 Indiana avenue, Chicago; O. S. Wilson, 3859 Cottage Grove avenue, Chicago; Karl G. Coleman, 258 Western avenue and Andrew Meyers, both of Blue Island, Ill.

The four were en route to Chicago and had stopped at a local restaurant for lunch. They parked their two automobiles in a garage where they were searched by the police. One of the cars, formerly owned by Tom Ally, a race driver, was stopped here by officers several weeks ago when it was suspected it was being used for transportation of contraband liquor. The police recognized it today and the men's arrest followed. All were taken to police headquarters where they were disarmed of 38-calibre revolvers. Later they were removed to the county jail.

**SOUTH AMERICAN TEACHERS  
ARRIVE TO STUDY COOKING**

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—Antonio Mori, a member of the faculty of the Popular university, Rosario, Argentina, and Armando Gambaro, a teacher in the Popular university of Buenos Aires, arrived here en route to Minneapolis, Minn., where they will study scientific cooking and food preparation. After a six months' course at the Henry Wood Dunwoody institute, the two teachers will return to Argentina, to act as instructors of domestic science.

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