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THE JAIL PLAN

CONSTRUCTION of the new county jail, if undertaken by the Board of County Commissioners, will be a forward step, and a most necessary one.

There is no question at all, but that the county has outgrown its present accomodations. If we expect the sheriff to maintain peace and order, and to do his best to eliminate crime and control the criminal, we must have a place where those arrested can be lodged, safely, and in a manner suitable for human beings.

Added to this necessity is the economic advantage of starting such construction at the present time. Low prices for materials would mean a substantial saving, while the employment offered would benefit those who may be out of work.

With work starting on the county jail and the federal building in the early fall, and Boulder dam construction gaining impetus daily, the year 1931 should close with a spurt of prosperity.

DETOURS

WITH HIGHWAY construction at high tide in Clark county, it is inevitable that the hated but necessary detour will become a two-fold thorn, irritating both those who must use it and those who must maintain it.

Detour stories are fast assuming a status similar to the well konwn "fish story". They are always described as being much worse than they really are. Being accustomed to traveling at a 50 to 60 mile rate of speed, it is irksome to be forced down to a 25 to 35 mile rate.

The unavoidable dust forms an especially unpleasant annoyance, and by the time the tourist reaches Las Vegas he is sure that he has traveled over the worst road in the country.

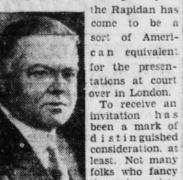
No one likes detours, and contractors should, of course, be required to keep these necessary evils in the best possible condition. Nevertheless is should not be forgotten that every dollar spent on constructing and maintaining detours in one dollar less to be applied on regular highways. In a state of large population and great wealth, construction of expensive detours is warranted, but in a sparsely settled state such as ours it is incumbent upon us to cut our detour expenses to the bone in order that we may have more miles of first class highway.

The dust evil is absolutely unavoidable on the desert unless we spend the money to construct an oil-gravel highway for use as a detour, and here again, Old Man Economy looks us in the face. The old boy insists that we slow down a trifle, and just grin and bear it, consoling ourselves, meantime that ten years ago the highway across the state was in the same condition as our present detours.

Five hundred cars a day are going over the Mormon Mesa detour. That means a lot of wear and tear on the detour, but rather contradicts the story that the road is impassable, especially in view of the fact that the usual running time to Bunkerville, 80 miles distant, is about two hours.

Leave Your Address With Western Union

By KIRKE SIMPSON WASHINGTON - Week - ending with Hoover at "Town Hall" down the presidential fishing camp on



ast. Not many folks who fancy themselves important - politi-cally, economically or socially-would be apt to ike previous engagement excuses. Still, for federal officialdom, the opening of the 1931 Rapidan season was anything but auspicious Cabineteers and their chief assistants probably dreaded the day when the telephone rang or White House

in the Virginia hills. A tough week - end was in prospect for such folk, dodging the edge of the presidential budgetry axe.

ubpoenaes otherwise arrived call-

ing them down to the de luxe and

exclusive little presidential resort

JOB PRESSURE HEAVY

It is a hard business, lopping off expenditures in any bureaucracy. In these unemployment days every departmental head is under heavy sure from people he would rath-

er find jobs for than eliminate. The Bystander knows one high administrative authority who sneaks to and from his office the back way to avoid the harrowing task of saying "no" to job seekers. It takes a search warrant, almost, to reach

When the wave of presidential overnment cost pruning passes, as must in time, the week-end guest for the Rapidan camp will return to its old social (or political)

Such entertaining and dinner or incheon invitations at the White House itself are about the only ges- election, likely as not, you can lose tures of special favor an American if you win, and vice versa. President can bestow. He has no The city uses the preferential votpass out. If the service rendered unconstitutional by three state sudoes not rate a federal job for some- preme courts and constitutional by body, a White House meal or a trip the fishing camp must serve as

HOOVER MISSES MEDALS

inhibition on presidents. He has, apparently very private- of the aspirants he cares to. ly, a sense of humor. Goodness

his official utterances. friend once that it would be hands o have a drawer full of medals in his desk and when an enthusiastic Hooverite came in to tell how he carried the tenth ward for the tick- 44,000 first choice votes, or 44 per Denver. et just pin one on him with thanks.

Another time Mr. Hoover is alleged to have said it was a great pity a President could not hang a few folks a year without having to reasons. Unfortunately there is no record of what senators or others had been under discussion just before that remark was made. It would be intriguing to know.

PROFESSOR WINS MEDAL
PHILADELPHIA, June 5 (U.P.)—
The Mendal Medal of Villanova
College was awarded to Dr. Karl Frederick Herzfeld, professor of physics at Johns Hopkins Univer-sity. It is presented annually to the Catholic who has achieved dis-



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EVERYDAY MOVIES



"That reminds me, William, I must get Fido some dog biscuits."

CITY ELECTS

DENVER, June 5. (U.R)-In Denver

corations or orders of merit to ing system, which has been ruled The system permits a voter to

for an office, if he chooses. He designates his first, second and other Mr. Hoover has recognized that choices. Or he can vote for only one, or for two, or for any number

If a candidate obtains fifty per cent of the first choice votes he is cumbent who polled 44,000. knows it does not reveal itself in

for all seven mayorality candidates, win if you lose or lose if you win. fracture of a wrist

PEACH TREE 50 YEARS OLD The average lifetime of a peach tree in Southwest Virginia is 10 years. But there is one, standing in the center of a rock pile here, that is known to be more than 50

PINE STATUE PRESENTED

CHAPEL HILL, N. C., June 3 er Raleigh, carved from a solid pine log, has been presented the University of North Carolina by cast a ballot for all the aspirants Col. Owen Hill Kenan, an alumnuof the university, class of 1894.

> The next high man with 27,000 first choice votes beat out the in-

elected. But if he doesn't the second and other and other choice votes are counted choices totalled only a few more against with 27,000 first choice votes re- here, alleged that tion the incumbent mayor received choice votes and became mayor of ing

cent of the first choice votes cast It's a game at which you can suffered a severe head injury and

SUITS FILED IN DISTRICT COURT

in the center of a rock pile here. Theodore R. Uphall, vs., Vivian torney Joab Banton, Louise Groody. that is known to be more than 50 Margaret Uphal, divorce. Com-Rosita and Banton Moore are from years old and is filled with young plaint alleges desertion. No com-Waco. Tex. Peggy Hopkins Joyce munity property. Ham & Taylor, atorneys for plaintiff.

on, divorce, Complaint cites failure from Circleville, O. munity property. H. N. Gambill, at- Cadiz, O., and George Tyler from torney for plaintiff allu (iocciaoinshrdlucm wypybgkq)

PLAYFUL COCKATOO COSTS THEATRE OWNERS \$350

A cockatoo's B. B. Parson decided.

in her suit Mrs. Chambers. 18,000 second and other lunged at her while she was watchthat she fell backward; that she

NEW YORK-The lament of the historian who claimed he had been never met a native New Yorker is no: far fetched. It is perfectly posmakes a new acquaintance here the Charles MacArthur. The famed first question usually asked is, Ward MacAllister, czar of the "400, Where are you from?'

It appears to be part of the naguishes himself at the cross roads Lydia Roberti. he strikes out for New York. The majority of New York celebrities are from out of town.

Colonel Lindbergh is from Little Falls, Minn., Lenore Ulric from New Ulm and Sinclair Lewis from Sauk Center of the same state. Julius Barnes, of the Shipping board, calls Duluth his home. Frazier Hunt early departed from the town with the incredible name

of What Cheer, Ia. BALTIMORE NATIVES

Fighting Johnny Dundce and Babe Ruth hall from Baltimere. H. thodist Sunday school students athis home in Baltimore.

home in Genesee Depot, Wis., while Evansville, Ind., is proud of oJe Cook and Louise Dresser.

Lois Moran, Earl Carroll and Carburgh, and Tallulah Bankhead from Huntsville, Ala. Gene Markey, noted well dressed man, is from Evanston, Ill., and Al Jolson from Odessa,

Lyle Saxon and Roark Bradford still have homes in New Orleans. and George Kelly in Philadelphia. Minneapolis produced George Ak-Floyd Gibbons, Edith Day and Evelyn Hoey, and from St. Paul across the river came F. Scott Fitzgerald. Grand Duchess Marie lef her royal estates in Petrograd to design styles for Park avenue dowand Lily Pons deserted Cannes, France, to sing opera for

Rudy Vallee has a square named for him in his home town of Westbrook, Me., and Emporia, Kans., is just as proud of Brock Pemberton. Marc Connelly calls McKeesport, Pa., his home, and Ann Pennington is from Camden, N. J.

FARMVILLE PEGGY

Texas Guinan, former District Atbegan her coquetting in Farmville Va., and Fidel La Barba his fighting Billie Sutton vs. Wayne F. Sutt- in San Francisco. Ted Lewis hails

o provide. No children and no com- | Critic Percy Hammond is from

in Corsicana, Tex., and Joan Craw-

ford in San Antonio. on Manhattan ten years and had still commutes between New York and Claremore, Okla. Savannah claims Miriam Hopsible, so much so that when one kins, and Chicago, Ben Hecht and

also was a Savannah product. Moscow sent Eugenie Leontovich tional credo that when one distin- to New York, and Warsaw sent Carmen Barnes wrote her first novels in Chattanooga, and J. Harold Murray hails from South Berwick, Me. Gary Cooper owns a dude ranch near Helena, Mont., and so does Hope Williams.

CLASSES HOLD

L. Mencken, long distance commut- | tended the annual picnic, which was has his business in New York, held in the Methodist chruch, Thursday afternoon. The affair Bat Battalino came down from was scheduled to be held at the old Bridgeport. Alfred Lunt still has a ranch, but due to the unsettled weather, they were forced to stay at the church.

In spite of the circumstances, the would-be-picknickers made the best olyn Edmundson are from Pitts- of the situation, and games, lunch and a general good time was en-

Mr. and Mrs. A. Melton had charge of the affair while Mrs. J. M. Ullom was in charge of the

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