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Lowell Thomas broadcast for the Literary Digest, Wednesday, April 6, 1932.

Good Evening, Everybody:-
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Secretary-of-the-Treasury Ogden Mills asked the Senate Finance Committee today to fix up the tax bill and improve it somewhat. The Secretary claims that the bill produced by the House of Representatives has a number of bad features. The Senate is considering the bill now, and will undoubtedly make some changes.

The United Press in the New York World-Telegram quotes Secretary Mills as declaring that you "can't distribute weal th by taxation." He declares that the bill, as it stands, won't provide enough money to balance the budget. He maintains that the bill includes taxes that will discourage business. He believes that the Corporation Income Tax rate is wrong, and that the stock Transfer tax is too high.

Aside from that Secretary Mills finds a few other tinge wrong witt the bill.

Tonight's checkup on the returns of man mm yesterday's election in Wisconsin shows three definite things. One is that the LaFollette faction of the Republican party scored a victory over the conservative Republican elements, who are supporting President Hoover. And then a good deal of significance is attached to the fact that (Governor Roosevelt, of New York, won a sweeping victory. The figures as given $\mathrm{my}_{\mathrm{n}}$ the Detroit News show that the New York Governor is the overwhelming choice of the Wisconsin Democrats Democratic nominee. for tho Presidency= And then there seem to be a whole lot of Wisconsin Democrats this year. The state is famous as a rock-ribbed Republican stronghold, but the Gammon Democratic vote in yesticiedays primary shows a huge increase, and the Democrats are claiming that this is another sign of the 1932 vemocratio

LINDBERGH

There is the usual confusion of rumors and counter-rumors in the Lindbergh case tonight. On one side it is said that there is nothing new, that the case has simmered down to the old familiar police routine. The New York Sun quotes a police bulletin issued by the New Jersey State troopers which has little to say, save that various clues have collapsed.

On the other and, There is a persistent rumor y that the be returned. The New York WorldTelegram declares that there is a strong impression that the child may be given back to its parents within a few hours. The source of all these optimistic reports sooms to be doubtful. Ifvernor Moore of $M \cdot V$. announce today that the child is safe,

Mr. John Hugh Ciuitio, one of ${ }_{23}$ the 3 genitemen of Norfolk, Va, states ${ }^{2}$ definites, that he has been touch with ${ }_{25}$ the thdnappera and that the baby io

For this evening I have asked Dr. Thomas D. Wood to tell us something on that eternally interesting and important subject - health.

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to extend the period of our lives by ten years. This has been proven by masses of figures and facts.

Then How to Live goes on and tells us just what to do to add those ten years to our lives, years that in many ways should be the best of all. We go on gathering an ever-increasing store of experience and knowledge, and
 living correctly, wipe out the possibility of living during the years when those stores of experience and knowledge should count the most.

That is why How to Live is such an important book. Who wouldn't want to add ten years to his life?
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Health is well being of body, mind, and character.

Health is the most important, the most neglected and carelessly treated of all human resources.

Health is not the ma in end of life but it is an essential, even an indispensable means $\mathbf{x} \mathbf{x}$ or condition for achieving some of the most highly valued ends or goals of living. Health is not the most interesting thing to think about, or to work for, except for those who have lost or endangered a serious part of health and are therefore compelled to become health seekers for a longer or shorter period of time.

Some people keep well a long time, a few live to a ripe old age without giving any particular attention to health, but they are simply lucky and they are fewer in number each year. As civilization develops with scientific discoveries and devices, many forms of protection, comfort and

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satisfaction increase, but at the same time, in many ways, life and heal th become more difficult.

As a physician, 1 confess that conscious attention to, or care of one's health is often very uninteresting, and may even seem to be a nuisance. However, within reasonable limits, and if one is not a health faddist, the end in conserved or improved heal th fully just fies the means of successful understanding and care of health.

The gap between the actual health of a person and the health attainable by that person may be the gap between success and failure, between happiness and misery, between economic prosperity and bankruptcy, or even between life and death, and uncounted multitudes of people are falling through this gap or chasm every day.

The intelligent person who
most important problem of all is How to Live. It's worth plenty of thought and study.

But now let's see what else we've got in the way of news. in London, and its purpose is to discuss the economic or isis along the beautiful blue Danube.

The small nations of the
Balkans and the former Austro-Hungarian empire are having a hard time, and so the big fellows of Europe have gathered to see what can be done about it. It's a Four Power Danubian Conference, with England, France, Italy, and Germany participating. It will take up such subjects as how to stabilize the currencies of the countries along the Danube, how to enable them to meet their debts, and set the financial houses in order.

In the Honolulu courtroom, where the trial of the "honor slayers" is taking place, proceedings to day are concerned with the selection of jurors. Of the temporary jury that has been installed, 6 are Americans, one is a Portuguese, and 5 are Orientals.

A United Press dispatch in the New Orleans Item points out that there are mighty curious angles to trials before mixed juries like that. For example, to day one of the jurymen, a Chinaman, was dismissed because he couldn't define the meaning of the word "Innocence."

## PROHIBITION POLL - 4/6/1932

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Then let's fly up the Coast and drop in at a few more towns in the East. Nor ristown, Pennsylvania, 709 favor the Amendment, 1,929 do not.

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Then comes Richmond, Indiana, right in the heart of one of the richest farming regions in America, all so a Quaker center, and a college town. Richmond, Indiana, votes 785 for the pr esent amendment, while 2,206 demand repeal.

But wait a minute, I am one state ahead of myself. Here's Findlay, Ohio; 941 Dry, III 80 Wet.
of course we expect the vote from Chic ago to continue Damp. It does -emphatical|y--I|,563 say the present $p l a$ is okay. 109,773 say let's have a change, and hurry up about it.

And how goes the tide of affairs at Waterloo--the battle of ballots at Waterloo, lowa--well the vote stands 698 Dry - - 1, 250 Wet.

And then for the final one on the California: 408 for the $18 t h$ Amendment, I,801 for Repeal.

The latest news from
Newfoundland tonight paints an ugly picture of the situation on that foggy island.

## Solders are $x \times=10$

 an after a mol of the city of st. John's today $A_{\text {stormed the parliament }}$ building, wrecked the governor's office, assault ted the Prime Minister, and were on the verge of killing him. A United Press dispatch in the Providence Bulletin gives the cause of the trouble as the question of unemployment relief. The mob went on the warpath, as the result of a 16 controversy over unemployment relief,17 anger was Sir Robert $A$. Squires, Prime Minister of Newfoundland. The mob raged around trying to get hold of him. The Prime Minister's wife and several other women passed through this storming crowd. The men opened way and raised their hats, and allowed the women to pass. The Prime Minister himself managed to get out of the parliament building, but fell into the hands of the mob outside, who attacked him savagely. They shouted that they were going to throw him into the harbor and drown him, and the Prime Minister was sure that his last moment was at hand. His life was saved by Xxx. Father pippy, a priest, who threw himself in front of the Prime Minister and shielded the statesman with his own body. The priest was roughly dashed against an automobile, but he climbed on the running board and made a fervent appeal to the crowd, begging them not to harm the Prime

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Minister the eloquence of the priest, drew back, and then Father Pippy and several companions carried the Prime Minister away.

There was a riot in New York today too, but it was a good deal less seriousxxixux than that half-way revolutionary affair in Newfoundland. The new wont was m he form ic opera fracas at columbia University. there was and pommeling, and clothes were torn, and faces bruised.

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social problems $\mathbb{C l}$ bub tried to gag the statue of the Alma Matter. This is a big statue symbolizing columbia University, and the indignant youths wanted to tie a black cloth around
6 Madame Columbia's mouth to symbolize the lack of freedom of speech.

And that's when a squad of husky lade got into action. They were football players, members of the crew, and other athletes.

The expelled editor had specialized in writing disparaging things about athletics, and so the athletes are gin him. While the of the Social Problems club strikers were trying to gag Miss Columbia with a long strip of black cloth, the athletes charged up and interfered. They grabbed the cloth. The strikers held on. Then there was a tug o' war until the cloth
woW. broke and both sides sat down rather $A^{\text {and wert roll ing down the steps. }}$ there are a series of fist fights.

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It was the athletes battling with the Social Problems club, and the football ital players and members of the crew seem to have had the better of it.

The football players gave the striking intelligensia and their social probleme the finis rush. And now, to avoid a social problem night here


