

ONE-MINUTE PULPIT  
BE SUBJECT—Let every soul be in subjection to the higher powers; for there is no power but God.—Romans 13:1.

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Good Morning

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## BILLS TO CURB CROPS WILL BE READY MONDAY

### Committees of Both Houses Would Limit Cost of Plan

WASHINGTON, Nov. 19.—Farm legislation, was virtually ready tonight to provide the idle and restless congress with the special session's first real task.

## Skunk Credited With Closing of Buckeye School

STUEBENVILLE, O., Nov. 19.—A powerful animal, the skunk, closed the school here today for its sudden uncheduled vacation.

## G. M. TELLS SIT STRIKERS WORK PACT IN PERIL

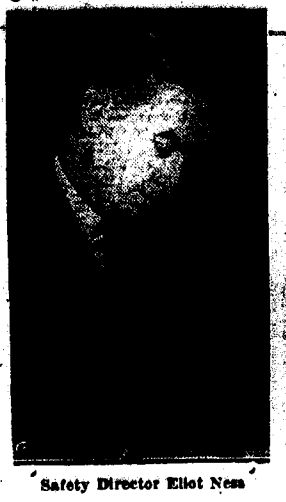
### Men Defy Company, Own International Union

PONTIAC, Mich., Nov. 19.—General Motors Corporation warned defiant sit-down strikers holding its Fisher body plant here tonight that their action may "make agreements valueless and collective bargaining impossible in practice."

## Boy With Screw In Lung Raced East for Help

COLUMBUS, O., Nov. 19.—Blue eyed little Melvin Martin of Blackwell, Ohio, showed no discomfort—only fright at spectators—late today when he and his mother were forced by bad weather to halt a plane race to a Philadelphia hospital for removal of a screw lodged in the two-year-old boy's right lung.

## CLEVELAND SUSPECTS RACKET IN BUILDING TRADES



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## FIVE DEATHS IN STATE TRAP CAUSED BY ICE

### Two Inches of Snow in South-west Ohio

COLUMBUS, O., Nov. 19.—Winter paid a preliminary call to Ohio and the central west today, covering the state generously with snow.

## FARM FEDERATION RE-ELECTS TICKET

### Warns Labor It Must Consider Public Ability to Meet Its Added Costs

COLUMBUS, O., Nov. 19.—The Ohio Farm Bureau Federation tonight re-elected all officers.

## WINDSOR'S 'GUIDE' TO SEE DUKE SOON

### Ex-King's Libel Suit Over Coronation Commentary Due for "Mention"

LONDON, Nov. 19.—Charles E. Bedaux today hurried from an Atlantic liner, en route toward London, Paris and a reunion with the Duke of Windsor, for whose postponed American tour he was to have been guide.

## NESS SAYS UNION MEN BEGAN PROBE

### Denies Cleveland Chamber of Commerce Aided Labor Racket Investigation

CLEVELAND, Nov. 19.—Safety Director Elliot Ness, whose under-cover investigation resulted in a county grand jury inquiry into alleged labor racketeering here, said today, "union men themselves started the investigation to rid their numbers of certain grafting leaders."

## FAR EASTERN WAR BRIEFS

### (By The Associated Press)

SHANGHAI.—Japanese announced capture of Soochow, center of the main Chinese defenses between Shanghai and Nanking; were reported in possession of Nanking and an encircling Changsu.

## RAID ON BUJARALOEZ BY REBELS KILLS 16

### Defense Ministry Reports Firing on Enemy Explodes Stores of Munitions

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## PHILIPPINE STORM WORST IN 25 YEARS

### Fatality List of 123 May Be Increased, Is Fear, By Later Reports

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## LABOR UNIONS AID SEARCH FOR KILLER

### Minneapolis Police Question Man Who Struck Workers' Chief Later Slain

MINNEAPOLIS, Nov. 19.—Labor unions throughout the nation sent pledges of aid to union headquarters here today.

## STUDENT WITH AMNESIA REJOINS HIS OHIO FATHER

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 19.—Merrill Braneby, 20, of Columbus, O., three-year student at Denison university, who was found in a railroad station last night, suffering from amnesia, has a chivalrous reunion with his father, Oscar Braneby, a Columbus business man, today.

## WOMAN OF MIDDLE AGE IS STRANGLER

### Body Found in Maryland Woods Identified as House-keeper From Baltimore

FERNDALE, Md., Nov. 19.—A middle-aged woman found strangled to death in a clump of woods near here was identified tonight by R. C. Percy, a railroad trainman, as Mrs. Mary May Marlow, his Baltimore housekeeper.

## POISONED PEPPERS KILL SEVEN; OTHERS MAY DIE

### TUCUMCARI, N. M., Nov. 19.—(P)—A roundup of all unsuspecting victims of a slow, fatal food poisoning was under way tonight as health authorities counted seven dead and seven more possibly dying from home-preserved chili peppers eaten at a funeral luncheon, Monday.

## SHERRIFF-FREE IN MURDER HASN'T ASKED POST BACK

POMEROY, O., Nov. 19.—Roscoe O. Fowler, freed by a jury of a second-degree murder charge in the death of Lyle Williamson, said today he had given little thought to obtaining reinstatement as Meigs county sheriff.

## BOLIVIA GETS ARGENTINE OUTLET FOR PETROLEUM

BUENOS AIRES, Nov. 19.—An accord was signed today giving inland Bolivia outlet through Argentina for her potentially rich oil deposits.

## WOMAN SENDS \$1 TO JUDGE, ASKS DIVORCE

SOUTH BEND, Ind., Nov. 19.—Judge J. Elmer Peck returned a dollar today to a Burnham, Ill., woman. She had sent it to him with the request that he photograph her a divorce from an Indiana state prison inmate.

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## BRAZIL SUPREME COURT TO ASK DECREE CHANGE

RIO DE JANEIRO, Nov. 19.—The supreme federal tribunal today voted unanimously to request President Getulio Vargas to suspend or change his decree of yesterday for rationalizing the Brazilian judiciary.

## THREE HURT AS MACHINE HITS FREIGHT IN STORM

DAYTON, O., Nov. 19.—Three Dayton men were injured when an automobile collided with a freight train in a snow storm near here, they were en route on U. S. route 40 to a Culver military academy football game at Culver, Ind.

## OHIO GETS VOCATIONAL CASH

WASHINGTON, Nov. 19.—Secretary Ickes announced today the disbursement of \$5,000,000 to the states to finance vocational education under the George-Deen act for the six months ending Dec. 31, 1937.

## COP USES MANY TAGS ON CARS 'NOT GUILTY'

BALTIMORE, Nov. 19.—Policeman Charles Rimehart, just transferred to the traffic division, spent a busy morning tagging cars parked in the middle of a business street.

## FOUR TOTS DIE IN BLAZE WHILE MOTHER IS AWAY

TECUMSEH, Okla., Nov. 19.—Four children were burned to death today when fire, said to a wood-burning stove, destroyed their home while the mother, Mrs. W. H. Hawkins, shopped three blocks away.

## ONE KILLED IN COLLISION

WILLIAMSBURG, O., Nov. 19.—A car was killed and a driver critically injured today when their car skidded near here and collided with a truck.

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## 60 Monarchists Nabbed VIENNA, Nov. 30—(Saturday)

Sixty monarchists who wanted "Kaiser Otto" to come back to Austria to re-establish the Hapsburg reign were arrested early today by a police riot squad.

## Hunter Badly Wounded

PORTSMOUTH, O., Nov. 19.—Willbur Gardner, 33, of Mt. Joy, was near death in a hospital here tonight with a shotgun charge in his abdomen suffered when he slipped and fell from a stump while rabbit hunting.

## Brothers Given 30 Days

CLEVELAND, Nov. 19.—Verne Seckler, 21, and Alvin Seckler, 19, Hubbard, O., brothers, were sentenced today to 30 days in the Milan, Mich., federal reformatory and fined \$50 and costs each for the white friend and millionaire landlord, Arthur J. Paul Jones after they pleaded guilty to counterfeiting five-cent pieces to play in slot machines.

## CINCINNATI, Nov. 19—(P)—A

white-haired negro walked today to the battered brick tenement at 338 George street, and inquired as to the health of William F. Devou, his white friend and millionaire landlord, suddenly ill in a hospital.

## WIRY LITTLE MAN'S WEALTH AT FROM \$6,000,000 TO \$1,000,000 AND ASSESSMENT TODAY THAT MONEY FORMED BASIS OF AN EARLY-FORMED AVERSION TO WOMEN THAT REMAINS THROUGH THE YEARS

Devou's real-estate quarters Wednesday rushed to the middle of a business street. Then the traffic division spent a busy afternoon retracting the tickets. It's legal to park there.

## Former Western Star III HOLLYWOOD, Nov. 19—(P)—

William S. Hart, western star of the silent screen, is seriously ill of pleurisy.

## TWO DETAILED AS DRIVER IS REPORTED BLOWN UP

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Nov. 19.—(INS)—Two persons were reported to have been killed and one injured in a collision between a car and a truck.

## OUR WEATHER MAN



OHIO: Mostly cloudy and slightly colder with snow flakes in east portion Saturday, continuing cold Saturday night; Sunday clear with rising temperature.

## Wife Shot by Husband Dies

WILMINGTON, O., Nov. 19.—Mrs. Hejok Godwin, 29, died tonight of shotgun wounds which Sheriff J. McKersy of Champlain county said her estranged husband Raymond, 44, inflicted Wednesday night.

## SOME IN SUPREME COURT HELD TOO CONSERVATIVE

WESTERVILLE, O., Nov. 19.—Sen. Burton K. Wheeler (D-Mont) told an audience today at Otterbein college that "some members of the (U. S. supreme) court have been ultra conservative—too conservative for the good of the court and too reactionary for the good of the country."

## DEFENSE MINISTRY REPORTS FIRING ON ENEMY EXPLODES STORES OF MUNITIONS

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