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Iowa City's Morning Newspaper

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Group of Women Fight Excessive Water Rates

Organized To Study Costs Of Water in Iowa

Charge Iowa City Paying 34 Per Cent Too High Water Bill

By B. FRANKLIN CARTER JR.
Daily Iowan City Editor

Terminating their efforts as an attempt to prevent Iowa Citizens from paying exorbitant city water rates and the possibility of reducing the purchase price if the city should buy the Iowa Water Service company holdings, members of the group of women who are circulating petitions asking the city council to reduce the water service rates yesterday issued an explanation of their charge that Iowa Citizens are paying 34 per cent too high water rates.

Mrs. F. A. Stromsten, a member of the women's committee, said that the group started originally to make a study of the costs and methods of production and the service rates of the water plants operating in Iowa cities of more than 10,000 population. This study was begun, she said, while the Iowa Water Service company was offering its property to the city for \$790,000 in September, 1938.

The group's statement reads: "Letters were written to water companies asking for their annual reports and rate schedules. After several months were spent in obtaining this information, visiting the water plants and interviewing the managers, a chart was constructed comparing the water service rates in these cities. "The rates quoted are figured on the water consumption by the average user during a month, 300 cubic feet. We found that the average rate of the plants operated in first class cities is 85 and a fourth cents for the 300 cubic feet service."

"Nine first class cities take their water from the river and have almost identical purification processes with that used in Iowa City. Because of the great difference between the rate in Iowa City and the average rate for Iowa cities, we are petitioning the council to reduce the rates."

The group began circulating (See PETITION, page 8)

SHORT WAVE TRIG Amateur Operator Gets Lesson on Ether

CLEMSON, S. C., Jan. 21 (AP)—Trigonometry may be hard enough to learn in the classroom, but how about by short wave radio? Last November an amateur radio friend in North Augusta, Ga., talked with C. E. Kirkwood, Clemson college math prof, on a problem. Now Herbert Edison is receiving lessons regularly from Kirkwood's short wave set in the tower of the Clemson administration building.

Extra Money Refused WPA

Appropriation Group Stops Proposal By Top-Heavy Majority

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21 (AP)—Administration lieutenants suffered another thumping defeat on the relief issue today when the senate appropriations committee rejected a proposal to add \$150,000,000 to the WPA spending bill. By a top-heavy vote of 17 to 7, the committee decided to retain the relief appropriation at \$725,000,000—the sum voted in the house and approved by an appropriations subcommittee.

President Roosevelt had asked for \$875,000,000 and had warned that a \$150,000,000 cut in the allotment would throw 1,000,000 persons off relief rolls. Administration leaders obviously were surprised by the big committee majority favoring the \$725,000,000 allotment, but they immediately drafted strategy for a floor fight to increase the bill by \$150,000,000.

They indicated they were not so confident, however, as they had been earlier that the senate would restore the cut. One administration follower conceded that economy advocates might have sufficient votes now to retain the \$725,000,000 allocation, but said the picture might be changed next week. He said that mayors, relief organizations and other interested parties undoubtedly would exert strong pressure for an increase in the appropriation and would sway some votes.

Rebels Capture Spanish City In Hard Drive

Loyalists Forced To Abandon Important Key Defense Town

HENDAYE, France (at the Spanish frontier), Jan. 21 (AP)—A Spanish insurgent army smashing toward Barcelona announced late tonight the capture of the important communications center of Villanueva y Geltru—the second of four key points in the government capital's defenses to fall today. Villanueva y Geltru, on the Mediterranean coast about 23 miles southwest of Barcelona, was reported captured by a column which almost kept pace with the one which was said to have taken Villafranca del Panades, 22 miles west and south of the capital, and to have pushed on two miles beyond the town.

The reported advances at these two points came after insurgents were driven back from a third key, Igualada, 28 miles west and north of Barcelona. Late tonight, however, insurgents reported that Igualada was surrounded. Capture of the two towns was said to have forced government troops once again to retreat in haste toward Barcelona. They had formed a defense line running from Villanueva y Geltru, on the coast, through Villafranca del Panades, Igualada, and Manresa, 28 miles northwest of Barcelona. Just after nightfall the insurgents were within 10 miles of Manresa.

Unofficial sources in Barcelona had said earlier tonight that Igualada and Villafranca del Panades were menaced, but the official communique said only that fighting in these sectors was heavy. Despite the reversal at Igualada, however, the insurgent war machine bore down on Barcelona from the south along the Mediterranean coast, and in the capital itself brigades of workers hastily erected barricades for a house-to-house defense in the event the lines beyond the city fail to hold. (A Lerida dispatch said the insurgent government, anticipating capture of the capital, ordered establishment of governmental machinery to take over the city.

No Smallpox Cases Reported Left by Grinder

DES MOINES, Jan. 21 (AP)—The state health department said today no cases of smallpox have been reported from cities along the route taken by Jim Richards, itinerant scissor grinder now in University hospital at Iowa City.

Fairfield, Mt. Pleasant, Washington and Columbus Junction were along the route. The health department said 13 cases of smallpox were reported from the entire state during the week ending Jan. 14, with one death reported so far this month.

Iowa Legislators Ponder 142 Measures

Bill Seeks to Boost Old Age Pension Cash to 8 Million Annually

DES MOINES, Jan. 21 (AP)—Iowa's "poor man, rich man, beggar man and thief" all may find the course of their lives altered if the state legislature adopts any considerable number of the proposals now under scrutiny in legislative halls. The legislature received 142 bills last week, expects to ponder over 1,000 measures before adjournment is reached in April. For the "poor man," particularly if he is more than 65 years old, one bill would boost state old age pension cash from \$5,500,000 to \$8,000,000 a year. For the rich man, and many others not so hefty on the financial side are the various proposals

'How'd You Sleep Last Night?'



There's been a great deal of excitement at the Quadrangle the last few days, for the process of installing a new bed and mattress for each of the 700 men who live there is now underway. Almost 300 of the new beds are now in place, and the job will be completed by the middle of this week.

A total of 117 were put in place after 3 p.m. Friday. The beds are of metal with walnut finish, and the mattresses are of the inner-spring type. Mrs. Maud Tindall, who has more men under her supervision than any other house mother on the campus, reports that since the Quadrangle men

discovered several weeks ago that the new beds were on the way, she has been besieged with questions about them. In the above picture, Kenneth Cavenaugh, C4 of Des Moines, tests one of the new beds—and finds it very comfortable, thank you.

Radio Sponsors Prepare To Avert National Talent Strike

Detroit Truck Drivers Strike

Governor Intervenes In State-Wide Strike Involving Two Unions

DETROIT, Jan. 21 (AP)—A state-wide strike of union truck drivers Monday was announced tonight by J. M. O'Laughlin, president of the driver's union. Before the announcement was made Gov. Frank D. Fitzgerald had intervened in the hope of preventing the strike, which resulted from a jurisdictional dispute between two American Federation of Labor unions. The strike began in Detroit Wednesday but was limited to deliveries of beer from Detroit breweries. The two unions involved in the dispute are the teamster's union, local 271, and the brewery workers' union, local 38. It was said the strike would halt all deliveries by union truckers of foodstuffs and merchandise.

BULLETIN Eddie Cantor Asks Support

Strike Would Affect Programs of Most Big Stars of Radio

McGREGOR, Jan. 21 (AP)—Eight persons, including four children, died of suffocation here late tonight in a blazing two-story brick building. Coroner Leslie Oelke said the dead, all residents of the apartments on the second floor of the structure, were: Harvey Marlett, 21; Mrs. Ida Davis, 60; E. Leslie Spaulding, 45; Mrs. Charles Long, 35, and her three children whose ages were two, five and nine years, and Mrs. Long's grandson, 12 years of age. Spaulding's son, Cedric, 12, was the only occupant who escaped from the smoke filled structure. Two high school youths, Eldon Staples and Junior O'Neill, discovered the flames were issuing from the rear of the building about 11 p.m. They reported several persons were at the windows of the structure, screaming for help. The boys turned in a fire alarm and members of the volunteer fire department removed the bodies of the eight to a hospital here where the coroner pronounced them dead of suffocation.

Principal Ocean AIR DISASTERS

Of Recent Years

NEW YORK, Jan. 21 (AP)—Here are the principal ocean air disasters of recent years: 1933—Dirigible Akron crashed in the Atlantic ocean—73 killed. 1934—Transport plane crashed off Matanzan, Mexico—seven killed; five killed in crash near Mar Chiquita, Argentina. 1935—Dirigible Macon crashed in the Pacific ocean—two killed; British seaplane crashed near Sicily—nine killed. 1936—English channel plane crashed—10 killed; flying boat crashed in takeoff at Trinidad—three killed. 1937—Flying boat crashed near Cristobal, Panama—14 killed. 1938—Clipper exploded near Samoa—seven killed. Soviet dirigible crashed in the Arctic—13 killed. Italian air liner crashed in Tyrrhenian sea—20 killed. French flying boat crashed against breakwater at Marseille—eight killed. Hawaii clipper lost in mid-Pacific with 15 aboard.

British Flying Boat, Cavalier, Carrying 13 Toward Bermuda Forced Down by Heavy Icing

Tanker Rescues 10 Survivors Clinging To Wreckage of Battered Air Liner In Icy Ocean Waters

NEW YORK, Jan. 22 (Sunday) (AP)—The tanker Esso Baytown reported to the coast guard early today that it had found 10 survivors out of 13 persons aboard the British flying boat Cavalier which was forced down at sea between New York and Bermuda yesterday. The report said three were lost, apparently drowned. The 10 survivors were found clinging to the wreckage of the battered Cavalier, which had been forced down by heavy icing at 12:13 p.m. (CST) after leaving New York for Bermuda.

Cold and exhausted by their 10-hour battle against the waves, the survivors could not be questioned immediately, the coast guard learned. Names of the survivors were not known immediately. The coast guard cutter Champlain which was standing near the Esso Baytown swept the tossing sea with its powerful searchlights, trying to locate the three missing persons. The report of the rescue from the Esso Baytown to the coast guard at 11:20 p.m. (CST) read: "We picked up 10 survivors. These survivors feel certain the other three are lost."

The Baytown, owned by the Standard Oil company of New Jersey, was the first rescue ship to reach the scene of the crash of the huge seaplane.

About a dozen air and surface craft engaged in a 10-hour search for the stricken ship, a 20-ton luxurious giant of the skyways capable of carrying 20 persons.

An SOS several hours after the Cavalier's takeoff from Port Washington, Long Island, for Hamilton, Bermuda, started a parade by air and sea to the location given by the flying boat—about 322 miles southeast of Cape May, N. J.

Coast guard cutters, planes, passenger steamers, tankers—United States and Canadian navy craft, all joined the rush in an effort to rescue the eight passengers and crew of five. The Cavalier's wireless was silenced after sending one last word: "Sinking."

The U. S. gunboat Erie, bound from the canal zone to the New York navy yard was about 16 miles from the scene of the wreckage when the Esso Baytown reported its finding. It hurried to the spot with a doctor. The Esso Baytown had sent an urgent wireless message saying: "Survivors are bad off. If you can't send doctor tonight will start for Cape Henry."

"Will send doctor right away," the Erie replied.

The gunboat turned on powerful searchlights to aid its search for the rescue ship.

Shortly before 1 a.m. (E.S.T.) the coast guard received a message that the Erie had reached the Esso Baytown and was sending a doctor over in a small boat.

News of the rescue caused cancellation of a more extensive search. Orders to send seven army bombers from Langley Field, Virginia, into the hunt were rescinded, but Major E. E. Glenn, executive officer of the second wing, air corps, said the flight was organized "to take off at a minute's notice if needed."

Other air and sea craft—from both the United States and Bermuda—which were turned back by darkness were expected to abandon plans to resume the search at daybreak.

Tentative plans to launch the new navy blimp K-2 from the naval air station at Lakehurst, N. J., also were cancelled.

Trans-Ocean Airway to Europe Has Political Value

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21 (AP) Great political importance is attached in diplomatic circles to the prospective beginning of transatlantic airplane service next summer.

There is the salient consideration that air routes between the United States and Britain and France will bring this country yet closer to the large democracies of Europe.

Diplomats say international airlines promote commerce, foster contacts of peoples of two nations and—of prime importance to governments—make possible frequent, personal talks between diplomats.

Also—there is the military consideration that development of the lines will lead to the training of additional aviators at a time when the United States is greatly improving its air defenses.

The type of flying will lend itself to the creation of a reserve of pilots particularly adapted to the navy's long-range patrol plans.

Wheeler Wants Railroad Aid To Be Long-Range

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21 (AP)—Chairman Wheeler (D-Mont) of the senate interstate commerce committee expressed conviction today that any aid congress can give to the railroads must be of a long-range rather than an emergency nature. "There is no panacea that can be worked out for immediate benefit to the railroads outside of giving them money out of the treasury of the United States," he said. "I don't think the president would want to do that, and I'm sure I don't want to do it."

Wheeler has conferred with President Roosevelt in recent weeks on the problem raised by failure of many railroads to earn even their fixed charges.

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Back From The Front

ANOTHER IOWA student will return from the Spanish war tomorrow—return to the city that he once called his home for three and a half years.

Most of his teeth are gone. He was wounded at Brunete. After that he drove an ambulance, and when American boys were ordered to return home by the Loyalist government, he reluctantly went.

To many of us the outcome of the war means little. Many of us do not care whether the Italians, Germans and Moors are successful in taking over a country once peaceful. Of what concern is the war in Spain to us, more than 4,000 miles away?

Many of us again say, what goes on in Europe is their business and no concern of ours. But there were two boys going to school here who thought differently when that war first broke out. They were one of the first to go over. Some of us sneered and said it was stupid, useless.

Others called them communists because they were fighting against Hitler and Mussolini. Still others admired them for their determination to fight for ideals they held dear to their hearts—ideals that they were willing to sacrifice their lives for.

One of those boys returned several months ago, wounded, walking around on a cane. Did he regret going over? He didn't. The other boy left with but one semester left until he got his degree. Tomorrow he returns, a bit older, a bit more aged, not in the physical condition in which he left. He too is not sorry. He too would probably do it again if he could.

These boys were fortunate. They are returning, but there are some odd thousands of other boys—boys not only from the United States—that are not returning. Their bones are interred in the Spanish earth. They also had ideals, but those ideals although still alive, are no longer in those bodies.

We may not agree with Roger Hargrave or Milt Felsen. Our opinions may be as far separated as the stars in the sky, but we respect them. We respect them for their willingness and determination to stand by their ideals. Milt Felsen, we welcome you back!

Max Schmeling couldn't come back to regain his world's heavyweight championship, but he has achieved one unique distinction—he talked out loud in Germany and lived.

A bill introduced in Connecticut legislature calls for minimum speed of 70 miles an hour on the super-highway to New York. Can you imagine a cop pulling up behind a driver hitting fifty, and pinching him for illegal parking?

Well, It Might Work, So What Can We Lose?

IT HAS BEEN proved, and in a few cases admitted, that certain labor agitators, who start lawlessness wherever they go, are aliens. These agitators have no desire to become American citizens because they detest the manner in which we do things in the United States. They advocate sit-down strikes and show the men how things can be done with power, by going into the stock rooms and taking over any-

thing which would be handy in a pitched battle with local police. Some of these aliens are avowed communists and favor a forcible overthrow of the government. They rarely advocate this step publicly, but those who have talked have rabidly denounced our capitalism. The strange thing about all these aliens is the way they resist deportation. One would think that these dissatisfied radicals would welcome a chance to receive free transportation to Mexico or Russia, but they don't.

These disgruntled gentlemen should leave their picket lines long enough to interview Raphael Pacheco. He was once a citizen of Puerto Rico and his opinions might constitute an earful for his "comrades." Pacheco was bitten by the reform bug but he did not let it paralyze his brain. He was arrested by the Puerto Rican government and charged with sedition, but he contrived to make his escape to Santo Domingo. After traveling around in the Dominican Republic he went to Haiti. Leaving his island home, he secured passage to Mexico and Venezuela. In all these countries he had the opportunity to examine the conditions of the working man and his care by the government.

Still having his wits, he did like the prodigal son, who would fain have filled his belly with the husks that the swine did eat, and suddenly came to himself. Raphael Pacheco decided to return to his native land and face trial for sedition. He decided after three years of visiting other lands that whatever happened to him in Puerto Rico, he'd still be better off. He came back to face his trial. No longer does he despise the United States government as demonstrated in his native land. He does not wish to see his land "freed" from the grip of the United States since he has seen the independence of other men in other lands. He has seen several brands of "independence," and he still prefers his native type.

It might be a good idea if some of our reformers who are perennially dissatisfied with governmental administration in this country were shipped on a three or four year cruise to visit other countries. Raphael Pacheco was converted; maybe more miracles could happen.

CLIPPED from other COLUMNS

NORTH AMERICAN NAZIS

For the high-handed expulsion from Mexico of the New York Times correspondent, Frank L. Klueckhohn, nothing in the history of this hemisphere provides a precedent. The ominous fact is that, for the first time, a fundamental tactic of the modern dictator state has been transplanted to an American continent.

Had there previously been the slightest reason to doubt what kind of government exists in Mexico, this episode would remove it. Of course, no such reason existed. It has been apparent for months that our southern neighbor's primary policies were being cut to the familiar pattern. The denial of the elementary rights of private property, the seizures of oil and farm lands, the constantly increased collaboration with the fascist-Nazi bloc, pointed alike to an inescapable conclusion. South of the Rio Grande, on North American soil, we have a totalitarian state, based upon collectivism as ruthless and all-embracing as anything that exists on the other side of the Atlantic.

For fully and accurately reporting the growth and development of this menace, and for no other reason, Klueckhohn has been expelled. The procedure is summary. It is cruder, even, and more arrogant than any of its European precedents. No specific denial is made of the truth of any of the correspondent's statements. He is simply told to "get out of the country within 24 hours."

This illustrates the credence to be attached to the lip-service paid by the Mexican delegation at Lima to the ideal of inter-American solidarity. Indeed, as a singularly clear-cut and pat example of the true nature of the Cardenas regime, the incident is not without value. Our more rabid pinkies who have exhausted every quibble to defend the Mexican government will doubtless be able to blink even this evidence of their folly, but the mass of our citizens can require no further proof. Public opinion will now become insistent in its demand that the new deal quit coddling the Cardenas dictatorship. Fulfillment of this demand is in all likelihood all that is needed to end the menace of an entering wedge of nazism in the Western world. This regime that is so rotten that it cannot afford to have the truth told probably would have collapsed long since had it not been for the props, such as our silver-buying policy, with which our own government has sustained it.

Chicago Daily News

It's Been a Great Season for Skaters!



AROUND THE TOWN

With MERLE MILLER

NEWS AND VIEWS

In my days of most violent anti-military denunciations, I like to recall with a shudder the time I almost went to Annapolis for four years at the four-year government finishing school.

I passed the tests, got the recommendations and then withdrew because of a physician's advice. Weak eyes do have their advantages, at times.

Besides I don't like titles before my name. Captains hate the sea—and so do some non-captains.

An addenda might be made of the fact that Mark Sullivan almost went to West Point. Was rejected for the same reasons. Of course, I'm no Mark Sullivan—I hope.

ADDED INFO: Dr. Chris Richard, who's too little appreciated campus-wise, says no one enjoys himself (or rarely). Think over the two words and see if you don't agree.

A friend has written a truly intelligent letter to the New York papers regarding a job. One managing editor had this reply: "Thanks for yours of the 16th. We shall consider your application in its due turn, about 1965, I should judge."

ADD JOTTINGS: The university was the first ever to award a degree by air. Happened in 1925 when Clifford LaDeen, who'd dropped out, finished by correspondence and was awarded a B.A. via WSUL.

LaDeen's still living, in Burlington.

Interesting Items

The department of agriculture estimates that if all the land in the United States were laid out in the proportions of a 100 acre field, there would be 19 acres of tilled fields, 37 acres of pasture land, 32 acres of woodland, and about 12 acres of waste land or land used for building sites, roads, etc.

The University of Wisconsin has just established the first library in the world to be used exclusively by blind students. All of its books are in braille.

Approximately one-fourth of University of Texas students who take pure and applied mathematics end their courses with failing grades.

American manufacturers of athletic equipment employed 11,393 persons during 1937 and turned over \$44,460,325 worth of equipment, a gain of 27.5 per cent over 1935.

More than 200 tons of Irish yew trees were transplanted on Treasure Island as part of the \$1,500,000 horticultural extravaganza at the 1939 California World's Fair.

South Carolina's 1938 cotton crop was the smallest in 16 years while the yields of wheat, oats and sweet potatoes set new high records.

Four bears and 599 deer were killed during the 1938 annual big game hunt in the Pisgah Forest game preserve near Asheville, N. C.

TUNING IN

By Loren Hickerson

EDDIE CANTOR will present Martha Raye on his show at 6:30 tomorrow night over CBS. Funny, but not too quiet, action will keynote the affair when the swing-singing comedienne meets the affable Mr. Guffy, the Mad Russian and Eddie's newest announcer, Bert Parks.

Edgar Fairchild, Adam Carroll and the orchestra will be on hand to take care of the musical portion of the program.

DOG OWNERS THEMSELVES will personally present their dog problems to Bob Becker, nationally known authority on dogs, in his "Chats About Dogs" program at 2:45 this afternoon over NBC-Red.

One of these will be a man who thinks his dog barks too much. Another is a woman whose dog is jealous of a new baby in the home. A third is the owner of a dog that swallows bottle tops and other indigestibles.

To each owner Bob will give sound advice applicable to the particular complaint. He will also discuss questionable matters that may be found in the ordinary dog. The Becker players will enact a sketch which shows the affection often existing between dogs and children. Why did Mrs. Erskine believe something dreadful was about to happen? Why did Rex escape and return to his old home? A clever mixture of the heroic and uncanny makes this an especially gripping little drama.

JACK BENNY who reads nothing and knows as much, will prove that he can cut story material as well as salaries when he presents an abbreviated version of the "Encyclopedia Britannica" with Mary Livingstone, Kenny Baker, Don Wilson and Phil Harris over the NBC-Red network at 6 o'clock tonight.

Not to be outdone by Hollywood producers, who have condensed "Anthony Adverse" and "Gone With the Wind" to movie length, Benny will do likewise and still give the encyclopedia from A to Z.

The comedian will also assign operators to report on the progress of Livingstone and Harris Radio Enterprises. In case Mary and

Laughton might be pleased to know that the actor makes his own slogan. "Yes," admits Mrs. Laughton, "Charles waits till the first frost before gathering the furs. Then he mixes them, with other ingredients, into the gin, and 'lays it down.' It takes several months to make sloe-gin properly. Charles laid down 15 quarts just before I left."

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For Better For Worse

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A New Yorker at Large

By George Tucker

NEW YORK — Bottom of the barrel: "Abe Lincoln in Illinois" is easily the dramatic hit of the year. It may be a coincidence, but the Plymouth theater, where "Abe" is presented, is flanked by the Booth theater on one side, and by the Lincoln hotel on the other.

Lanny Ross will probably write "Attorney" after his name when he's tired of radio and open an office. He is a graduate of the college of law at Columbia university.

Aaron J. Levy is a Jewish judge on the New York state supreme bench, and Father Donnelly's church is a Catholic church in Corpus Christi, Tex. But one of the pews in that church bears Judge Levy's name. The congregation insisted on saying "thank you" this way when the Judge organized a drive to assist the church over financial hurdles some time ago.

Martha Scott, the little bride of last season's Pulitzer prize winner, "Our Town," created something of a sensation when she returned from Hollywood with no criticism of the place. "I was there for weeks and observed none of the dizzy stuff that is supposed to be routine out there. Everyone was generous and kind, but I don't think my screen tests will amount to much. They tell me my mouth is too small for my face."

Guests who are made happy by sloe-gin fizzes served by Charles

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Hollywood Sights and Sounds

By ROBBIN COONS

HOLLYWOOD — Three movie stars gave a party the other day to announce their engagements—respectively to an assistant director, a little-known actor, and a non-professional.

The average fan wouldn't know the names of any of the starlets, nor of their fiancés. And it struck me as a perfect example of the romantic workings of the Hollywood caste system, which is predicated on fame rather than family or earnings rather than social background.

And ridiculous and unnatural as the system is, strict adherence to it is still Hollywood's best happy-marriage insurance.

Three recent marital flops appear— from the outside at least—to have sprung from defiance of the system. Things looked rosy when Jackie Coogan and Betty Grable wed Jackie was no longer in the big chips, but didn't he have all that money from his boyhood stardom? Well, he's trying to find out in court about that now. Meanwhile, he's making peanuts, if that, and Betty's getting a regular salary, about \$700 a week, and so—they've separated.

Bette Davis was practically a star when she married Harmon O. Nelson Jr., her childhood sweetheart. "Ham" was doing all right with his orchestra, but he gave it up to try business in Hollywood. Bette's fame grew and grew. Sequel, from that or other causes, divorce.

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Big 10 Standings

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Illinois	4 1 .800
Minnesota	3 1 .750
Indiana	3 1 .750
Ohio State	2 1 .667
IOWA	2 3 .400
Wisconsin	2 3 .400
Michigan	2 3 .400
Purdue	1 2 .333
Chicago	1 3 .250
Northwestern	1 3 .250

Saturday's Results
Michigan 47; Iowa 32.
Illinois 37; Wisconsin 34.

Leading Big Ten Scorers

Player	G	FG	FT	TP
Dehner, Ill., c	5	21	22	64
Hapac, Ill., f	5	22	14	56
STEPHENS, Ia., f	4	18	20	56
Hull, O. S., f	3	15	11	41
Kundla, Minn., f	4	15	4	40
Harmon, Mich., f	4	12	4	38
Dupe, Wis., f	5	12	13	37
Thomas, Mich., f	5	12	11	35
Armstrong, Ind., f	4	11	8	30
PLETT, Ia., c	5	11	7	29
Andres, Ind., g	4	12	4	28
Lounsbury, Chi., c	4	11	6	28
Vance, N'hw'n, g	4	10	8	28
Koble, N'hw'n, g	4	12	3	27
W. Menke, Ind., c	4	12	3	27
Stampf, Chi., f	4	7	13	27
Maki, Minn., c	4	10	7	27
Pink, Mich., g	5	10	7	27
Smith, Wis., f	5	12	3	27
Fisher, Pur., f	4	10	5	25
Johnson, Ind., f	4	10	5	25
Add'ton, Minn., f	4	4	8	24
Igney, Pur., f	4	9	5	23
Beebe, Mich., g	5	9	4	23
Nisbet, Ill., g	5	8	7	23
Dick, Minn., g	4	9	4	22
Bell, Wis., c	5	6	9	21
PRASSE, Ia., g	5	6	8	20
Drish, Ill., f	5	9	2	20
Boughner, O. S., g	3	7	6	20

Missouri Beats Huskers, 54-41

Harvey's 14 Points Lead Tiger Attack In Big Six Victory

COLUMBIA, Mo., Jan. 21 (AP)—The Missouri Tigers tore the Nebraska Cornhuskers defense to shreds with a vicious scoring burst midway in the second period tonight to gain a 54-41 victory and undisputed first place in the Big Six conference basketball standings.

The drive broke up a nip-and-tuck battle in which the score changed hands seven times and neither team held more than a four-point advantage.

Bill Harvey, forward, and Hal Halstead, guard, engineered the victory march that shackled the Nebraska defense and split the offense wide open.

Harvey also took individual scoring honors with seven field goals. Halstead trailed with four goals and three charity tosses.

Spearhead of the Nebraska attack was Grant Thomas, forward, who accounted for 11 points.

During the first half, both teams, using fast breaks, kept the ball moving up and down the court, with Nebraska usually holding a slight advantage. The Huskers led 21 to 17 at half-time.

In the last period the lead shifted four times before the Tigers shook loose.

Nebraska's loss left it in a tie for fourth place with Oklahoma.

Metz Faces Horton Smith Reach Final Round In Frisco Tourney After Tough Battles

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 21 (AP)—Smashing par and the stout resistance of formidable opponents, Dick Metz of Chicago, and Horton Smith, veteran from Oak Park, Ill., became finalists today in the \$5,000 San Francisco match play open golf tournament.

They scored telling victories in sensational semi-final rounds featured by a hole-in-one on the part of one of the contestants.

Metz defeated Marvin Ward, star amateur from Olympia, Wash., 3 and 2. Smith eliminated Ben Coltrin 2 and 1, despite a 135-yard ace by the San Francisco entrant.

Coltrin's one was the most spectacular shot in the nine-year history of the San Francisco open. On the uphill layout, his ball landed about two feet beyond the pin. The backspin on it drew the ball into the cup as if it had been attracted by a magnet.

Metz and Smith will meet over the 36-hole route tomorrow for the major prize of \$1,050. The runner-up will receive \$500.

In this morning's quarter-finals Metz defeated Sam Byrd, Philadelphia, 4 and 3; Smith put out Leonard Dodson, Springfield, Mo., 4 and 3; Coltrin eliminated Harold McSpaden, Winchester, Mass., 2 and 1, and Ward won from Ben Hogan, White Plains, N. Y., 1 up.

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JOHN LEWIS GIVEN CHANCE

Ballyhoo Boys Beating Drum

Lewis Can Be Hit However, and When Joe Hits 'Em

NEW YORK, Jan. 21 (AP)—It will no doubt come as a tremendous surprise to all followers of the science of sock to learn the ballyhoo boys are smoking up John Henry Lewis to give Joe Louis the business in their heavyweight championship fight next Wednesday night.

It is being pointed out that: (1) Lewis never has been knocked out; (2) he plans to turn the trick by a body attack, thus taking the Brown Bomber completely by surprise, and (3) he is too finished a boxer to be caught by these high-caliber shells from the Louis artillery.

It also is being brought home that Jolting Joe must be in the "killer" frame of mind to do his best. He was that way against Maxie Baer, and against Max Schmeling last summer, with results as expected. The chances are, it is explained, he won't be quite that way in Madison Square Garden Wednesday because he and John Henry are palsy-walsy off stage.

First in 25 years Granting all that, there are a few factors that should give Joe just a slim chance of retaining his heavyweight crown over the 15-round route, in the first all-Negro title go since Jim Johnson fought Jack Johnson in an eight-round draw in Paris some 25 years back.

First off, Joe is as proud of that title as he is of his appetite, and that's quite something. Secondly, though he has been jolted by a punch on the chin, he also has shown his ability to come back, notably in the convincing manner he polished off Jimmy Braddock, Jorge Brescia and Natie Mann after each had belted him a good one.

You can say as often as you want to that John Henry never has been kayoed, but you can't overlook the fact that he has been off his pins. Isidoro Gastanaga sat him on the seat of his pants something like half a dozen times, and while Isidoro may have been as hard a puncher as Joe—which has been claimed—he certainly never threw so many fists, nor tossed 'em so straight, as the young man from Detroit. And don't forget Joe will have about a 15-pound weight pull Wednesday, scaling around 200 to John Henry's 185.

May Work The body attack may work. Ring veterans insist Joe never has been tested in the neighborhood of his bread basket. That may be true, but it doesn't seem logical to expect Joe to stand there while John Henry takes pot shots at his short ribs.

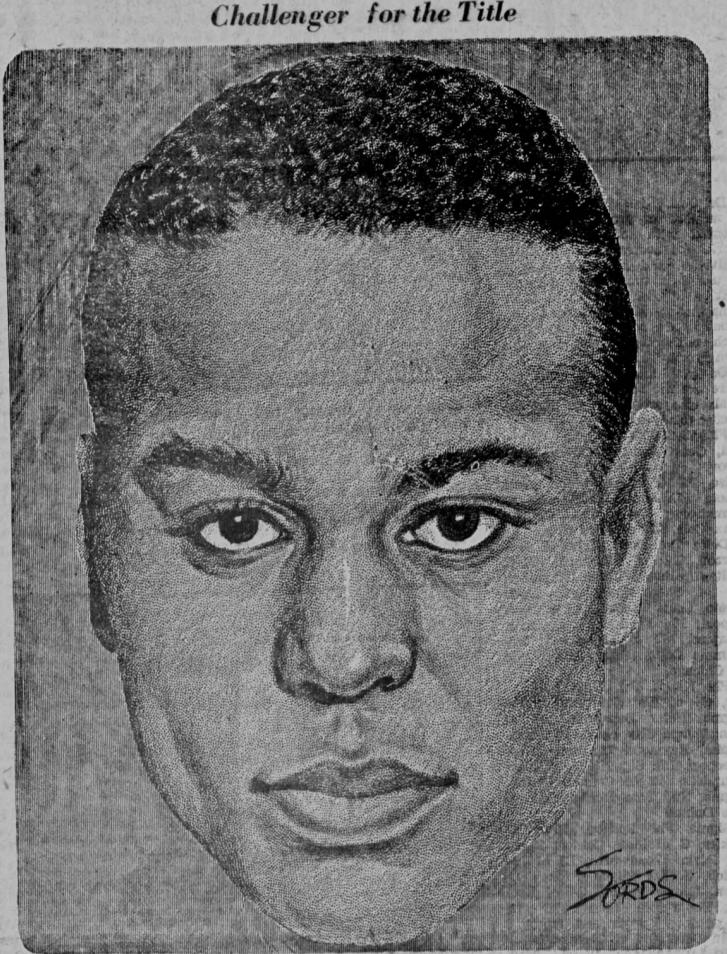
Finally, the betting boys have installed Joe on the top end of 6-1 odds, and even have gone so far as to say he has a 3-1 chance of finishing off John Henry before the scheduled curtain-lowering in this, his fifth defense of the championship.

Thus, to the slightly beclouded eye of the observer, Joe Louis should knock out John Henry somewhere about the middle of the evening, within 10 rounds anyway, before a crowd that should be close to the garden's 18,000 capacity. John Henry can be hit as his sparmates have shown, and if a fighter can be hit—well, some time ask Max Schmeling about Joe Louis.

BASKETBALL SCORES

COLLEGE BASKETBALL

Michigan 47; Iowa 32.
Marquette 45; Western (Mich.) Teachers, Kalamazoo, 32.
South Dakota State 50; Iowa State Teachers 41.
Southern Normal (Springfield, S. D.) 35; Augustana college (Sioux Falls) 38.
Yale 27; Princeton 26.
Missouri 54; Nebraska 41.
Dubuque university 33; Penn college 23.
Rice Institute 44; Texas Christian 41.
Kanawha 35; New River State 32 (extra period).
Waynesburg 64; Salem, (W.Va.) 38.
Southern Methodist university 40; Texas A. & M. college 29.
Tennessee 30; Kentucky 29.
Columbia 37; Cornell 32.



John Henry Lewis, master boxer and crisp puncher, carries the present championship of the world in a 15-round title bout. Lewis, into the ring Wednesday night in New York, meeting Joe Louis, although outweighed by the champion, is given an excellent chance of outscampering the "Detroit Destroyer" in the scuffle.

ILLINI PACE BIG TEN FIELD

Illinois Trips Badgers, 37-34 In Close Game

The box score:

Illinois (37)	fg	ft	pt
Drish, f	3	0	16
Hapac, f	7	3	17
Dehner, c	3	4	20
Nisbet, g	0	2	0
Wardley, g	1	0	3

Totals	14	9	7	37
A. Smith, f	4	0	1	8
Dupe, f	6	3	15	
Schwartz, f	0	0	1	
Bell, c	2	1	2	
Englund, c	0	0	2	
Weigandt, g	1	0	1	
Rundell, g	2	0	1	
Gallagher, g	0	0	2	

Totals 15 4 13 34
Half time score: Illinois 16; Wisconsin 15.

Free throws missed — Drish, Hapac 2, Dehner, Wardley, Dupee, Bell 2, Weigandt, Gallagher 2, Rundell.

Referee, Lyle Clarno, Bradley; umpire, Eddie Powers, Detroit U.

MADISON, Wis., Jan. 2. (AP)—The Illinois sharpshooters, Bill Hapac and Lewis (Pick) Dehner, sparked the Illini into undisputed leadership of the Big Ten conference tonight by taming the fiery University of Wisconsin cagers, 37 to 34.

Hapac, forward, scored 17 points on seven field goals and three free throws; Dehner, center, tallied 10 points on three field goals and four free throws. The Illini started clicking late in the first half and captured a 16 to 15 half time lead.

Dave Dupee, forward, was high scorer for Wisconsin, collecting six field goals and three free throws for a total of 15. Andy Smith, forward, who saw action only part of the game, was second with eight points.

It was Illinois' fourth victory in five games and Wisconsin's third defeat in five. Minnesota and Indiana, co-holders of the conference lead up to tonight, were idle, thus allowing Illinois to move to the top.

Challenger for the Title

Johnny McGovern, Once Grid Great, Thinks Davey Too Small

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21 (AP)—"Gosh," said Johnny McGovern, the old Minnesota quarterback, "gosh, but he's small." Davey O'Brien, an All-American back this year, squirmed with embarrassment.

"How much do you weigh, Davey?"

"Bout 150," he drawled. "Somebody asked Johnny how much he had weighed when he was tearing up the gridirons in 1911 and 1912."

"About 148," said McGovern. He looked as if he had surprised himself.

"Who's calling who little?" laughed O'Brien.

"Gee," said Johnny, "I'd plumb forgot."

Standing side by side as they did when Davey was given the Walter Camp memorial trophy, they were a lot alike.

McGovern, who was on Walter Camp's All-American in the old days, is a little shorter and a little wider. Both have big hands; quick, gliding strides;

CAPONE PLAYS GOLF Al Jr. Shoots 114 In Miami Meet

CORAL GABLES, Fla., Jan. 21 (AP)—Albert (Sonny) Capone, 20-year-old son of "Scarface Al" Capone, imprisoned Chicago gangster, played in the annual Miami Biltmore amateur golf tournament today while two young bodyguards followed him around the course.

The stocky young man who bears only a slight resemblance to his father, had a medal score of 114 and lost one up to Raymond Pawley of Coral Gables.

Capone's taciturn attendants, who declined to give their names, discouraged any gallery and Capone himself attended strictly to his game. The Capones maintain a winter home at Miami beach.

Cardinals Sell Tommy Heath

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 21 (AP)—Sale of reserve Catcher Tommy Heath by the Browns and the receipt by the Cardinals of three signed contracts were baseball developments in St. Louis today.

Heath was sent to Syracuse of the International league in a straight cash transaction.

Pitcher Curt Davis and two rookies, Shortstop Martin Marion and Pitcher Alred Sherer, were the latest to come into the Cardinal fold.

Davis, right-hander who was obtained from the Chicago Cubs in the Dizzy Dean deal, won 12 games and lost eight with the Cardinals in 1938.

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Michigan Downs Hawkeyes, 47-32

Medley Relay Team Potent

George Poulos, New Addition to Squad, Gives Impetus to Swimming Hopes

Since the coming of George Poulos, crack breaststroker, to the Hawkeye swimming team, and the return to form of Capt. Ray Walters, Dave Armbruster, Iowa team mentor, has things lined up for a big night when Michigan comes here for a dual meet Feb. 25.

One of the hot spots of the Iowa-Michigan dual meet two years ago was the 300 medley relay, and it figures to be even hotter this time. After that meet two years ago, there were several new records, but Iowa has set a few more since then, and Michigan wants to crack them. Especially have the Wolverines decided on the 300-yard medley relay mark as worthy of shooting for.

The Iowa trio of Francis Heydt, Bob Allen and Bob Reed, gave the Hawkeyes credit for the new pool mark in the medley last winter, when they swam the dis-

tance in 3:08.5. Allen and Reed are gone, but Dave Armbruster has no intentions of letting that record slip out of his grasp.

Francis Heydt, the remaining member of the record-breaking trio remains, but Reed and Allen have to be replaced. That is where Poulos and Walters come in. Poulos has been making times that would do credit to the best of swimmers in Big Ten circles, while Walters leaves no room for doubt concerning his ability. Holder of the Iowa pool and national marks for the 60-yard free style, Walters will take care of that style assignment.

Michigan, though, can't be discouraged. The Wolverines are depending on a team that will probably contain Farnsworth, Haigh and either Barker or Beebe, all rated high in national rankings. It looks as though Heydt, Walters and Poulos will have plenty to do that night.

Ohio State Hands West Point First Defeat of Season, 48-39

Hull and Baker Set Pace for Bucks With 12 Points Each

Ohio State (48)	FG	FT	PF	TP
Hull F	4	4	0	12
Baker F	5	2	2	12
Stafford F	0	0	0	0
Scott RF	1	1	1	3
Schiek C	3	1	4	7
Sattler C	0	0	0	0
Magg C	1	2	0	4
Eoughner G	1	0	1	2
Lynch G	3	0	2	6
Mees G	0	0	0	0
Dawson G	1	0	0	2
TOTALS	19	10	10	48

Army (39)	FG	FT	PF	TP
Brinker F	6	1	0	13
Vaughan F	0	0	1	0
McDavid F	2	0	2	4
Rasteller F	0	0	0	0
Woolwine F	0	0	0	0
Kobes C	6	1	3	13
Sullivan G	0	2	3	2
Gillem G	2	1	3	5
TOTALS	17	5	13	39

Score at half time—Ohio State 28; Army, 21. Free throws missed: Ohio State—Baker, 2. Army—Kobes, Samuel, Sullivan.

Referee—Pat Kennedy. Umpire—Dave Walsh.

WEST POINT, N. Y., Jan. 21 (AP)—Army's basketball team today dropped its first game in six starts this season, falling before the high scoring Ohio State combination 48 to 39.

The Big Ten five took the lead in the first minute of play on two field goals by Baker and never was headed. With both teams using a fast break and scoring often, the first half ended with Ohio State on the long end of the 28-21 score.

The Cadets struck back at the start of the final period when Brinker connected twice from beneath the basket and Kobes and Sullivan added free throws.

The Buckeyes quickly hit their stride again, however, and pulled away as Hull dropped in two field goals and a free throw and Schiek and Lynch scored once each from the floor.

Hull and Baker accounted for 24 of Ohio State's points with 12 points each but both were topped by Brinker and Jobs of the Army, who scored 13 apiece.

Paychek Signed For Omaha Bout

OMAHA, Jan. 21 (AP)—Max Clayton, Omaha boxing promoter, announced tonight Johnny Paychek, Des Moines heavyweight will fight in Omaha Friday, Feb. 3.

Clayton is looking for an opponent and said he has made overtures to Harry Thomas, Eddie Mader, Cowboy Frank Edgren of Denver and Art Oliver, Chicago Negro.

He said he hoped to match Paychek with Omaha's Paul Hartnek, but the latter was hurt in a Milwaukee bout Wednesday night. Carl Vinquerra, Omaha heavyweight, also is out of the running because of a thumb fracture. Clayton said.

St. John's (Collegeville, Minn.) 51; St. Thomas, St. Paul 49. Luther college 48; Western Union 23.

Notre Dame 72; Canisius 36. Western Reserve 57; Case 30. Wilmington 40; Denison 30. Seton Hall 38; Navy Plebes 24. Stout Institute 48; Winona (Minn.) Teachers 40.

Stephens Ill; Anapol Leads Iowa Attack

Wolverines' Last Period Spurt Too Much for Iowans

IOWA (32)	fg	ft	pt
Anapol, f	5	1	11
Lind, f-g	0	1	3
Hohenhorst, f	2	0	1
Hobbs, g	0	0	0
Plett, c	2	4	1
Evans, c	1	0	2
Bastian, c	0	1	0
Prasse, g	2	1	3
Irvine, g	0	1	0

MICHIGAN (47)	fg	ft	pt
Harmon, f	6	5	17
Wood, f	0	0	0
Pink, f	5	1	11
Brogan, f	1	0	2
Srnick, c	0	0	4
Dobson, c	2	0	2
Beebe, g	1	1	2

Freshmen Select Anson Weeks' Orchestra for Party Feb. 3

Marks Official Social Event For Yearlings

Band Comes Here After Engagements In Many Big Cities

They've come from the west and they've come from the east and they're all freshmen and they're going to give an all-university dance Feb. 3 in the main lounge of Iowa Union. What's more, they're going to have Anson Weeks and his orchestra to play for the dancing from 9 to 12 p.m.

The Freshman Party is the traditional party at which the freshman class entertains and it usually takes on the collegiate-carnival spirit when the band starts playing. It's a fun time and there will be confetti galore to comb out of your tresses when you and your aching feet return from the dance.

Weeks a Favorite
Weeks and his orchestra come to the campus on engagements in the Mark Hopkins and St. Francis hotels in San Francisco, the Edgewater Beach hotel and the Aragon and Triannon ballrooms in Chicago. Some of his original compositions



ANSON WEEKS

include such favorites as "I'm Sorry Dear," "Sorry," "Tuck Me Into Sleep," "The Last Dance," and more recently, the haunting Hawaiian strains of "Pali."

Anson Weeks' orchestra has always been a favorite with the college crowd. He was enrolled at the University of California before he started his band and since then he's been able to judge the likes and dislikes of the younger dancers. Anson found his orchestra in great demand at St. Mary's, Santa Clara and Mills colleges and

California, Stanford and San Francisco universities.
On Networks
Besides playing dance engagements, Anson Weeks' orchestra has been on coast-to-coast programs on the National and Columbia broadcasting companies, is one of the popular Brunswick recording orchestras and has been featured in both short and feature movies.

Committee members for the Freshman Party include James Guthrie, El of Iowa City; John Henry Hauth, P1 of Hawkeye; Marin O'Connor of Des Moines; Robert Johann of Des Moines; Roger Coulson of Ft. Madison; Ted Welch of Cedar Rapids; Josephine McElhinney of Iowa City; Virginia Shrauger of Atlantic; Betty Pentland of Webster Groves, Mo.; Barbara Kent of Iowa City, and Betty Jane DeGroote of Humboldt, all Al.

I. C. High Will Present Skit

Mr., Mrs. Graham Plan Program For P. T. A. Conclave

A skit, "Sauce for the Gossings" directed by Lola Hughes, numbers by a saxophone quartet including Susan Showers, Jean Mocha, John Whinery and Fletcher Miller, group singing led by Supt. Iver A. Opstad with Mrs. Vera Findy providing the piano accompaniment and refreshments served by a committee in charge of Mrs. Everett Williams are included in the plans for the meeting of the Iowa City high school Parent Teachers association Tuesday at 7:30 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Graham are in charge of the plans for the program.

Hillcrest Has New Library

The University libraries recently placed a browsing collection of books in the lounge of Hillcrest dormitory.

The collection at present contains approximately 200 volumes. The addition of current books will be made from time to time. The books have been placed on each side of the fireplace.

William Stipe of Clarinda, a graduate student in the graphic and plastic arts department, designed a book plate as a means of distinguishing ownership of the books. The design of the book-plate pictures the main entrance of Hillcrest with a miniature sketch of the university seal and bears the lettering, "Hillcrest Library."

Literature Dept. To Meet Tuesday

Mrs. M. E. Trowbridge will review "Brazos" by Ross McLaury Taylor for members of the literature department of the Iowa City Woman's club when they meet Tuesday.

The group will meet in the assembly room of the Iowa City Light and Power company, and the program will begin at 2:30 p.m.

Colleen Frenzen Will Be Feted

Colleen Frenzen will be the guest of honor tomorrow evening at a party at which the Theta Rho Girls' club will entertain in the I. O. O. F. hall. Miss Frenzen is leaving Iowa City soon with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Frenzen, 522 S. Van Buren street, for Mason City, where they will make their home.

W.C.O.F. to Have Potluck Supper

The members of St. Rita's court, Women's Catholic Order of Foresters, will meet tomorrow at 6 p.m. for a potluck supper and a social evening. Each woman is asked to bring a covered dish and sandwiches.

Rose Machovec will be chairman of the committee in charge of arrangements. Assisting her are Rose Neuzil, Katherine Neuzil, Mrs. Margaret DeFrance, Mrs. W. L. Cole and Mrs. Charles Smith.

Proctors--

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ton; Kellogg, Kalman Kroack, A2 of New Albin; Folsom, Albert Lemen, A3 of Akron; Whetstone, Edwin Lancaster, G of Le Mars, and Grover, Raymond Jennett, A3 of Algona.

TOWN: Carl Gustafson, A3 of Sac City; Dean Holdiman, A4 of Iowa City; Arthur M. Harwood, A3 of Hedrick; Clarence Sandelin, A4 of Des Moines; Donald Bogue, A4 of Belton, Mo.; Duane Anderson, A2 of Hawarden; Joseph Straub, M3 of Dubuque, and Leo Kerford, A4 of Atchison, Kan.

English Essay Wins European Trip From M.G.M. for University Student



Pictured above in the center is Dorothy Welch, A3 of Clinton, who with the other two contest winners, Gertrude Martin (left) and Mary Mink (right), sailed

for three weeks vacation in Europe as the result of an English essay contest by Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer film company.

Martin of Wichita, Kan., won in the general public classification. Dorothy was assigned the essay in her English course at Mt. St. Clair college and although she didn't care about writing it at all, she did finish it one Sunday afternoon and hand it in with the customary sigh of relief.

That was in February and Dorothy didn't hear anything more about the contest. Then suddenly on Aug. 15 she received a telegram telling her to be ready to go to Europe for three weeks and ready to sail in one month.

She made her preparations in a whirlwind of excitement and one day in September with the other two winners of the contest found herself in New York, bound for England on the Normandie.

Representatives of the film company met the travelers at each station and reporters and photographers heralded their approach in the newspapers all along the trip.

"The only thing about the whole trip we didn't like was that we had to wear great big ribbon badges telling who we were. But they weren't so bad since they made us look like visiting celebrities," Dorothy said.

The trio sailed from New York on the Normandie with such noted passengers as Sophie Tucker and Edgar Bergen and the inevitable Charlie McCarthy. Swimming, deck games, dancing and shows occupied all their time crossing and they arrived in London where the M. G. M. men took up their escort duties.

"Don't believe all that you hear about Englishmen being slow," said Dorothy. "We were driving along one of those winding narrow country roads in England when Miss Martin who was in the front seat happened to glance at the speedometer. We were going 93 miles an hour!"

Although they were warned that they would probably be seasick crossing the English channel, the group arrived in Paris in perfect health. But the boat train as early and the English speaking M. G. M. escort had not yet arrived. Unable to speak French, the three winners found themselves surrounded by a crowd of reporters and photographers and cab drivers who were equally unable to speak English. First one, then the other would try to explain and make herself understood, but their efforts were so in vain they were forced to laugh together and wait until some one arrived to help them.

In Paris they spent five days seeing all the historic points of interest and including such adventures as the proper way to eat a lobster in a little sidewalk cafe.

"We spent all day going sight-seeing and often didn't come in until 9 or 10 o'clock for dinner," Dorothy recalled. "But when we went to our rooms we always knew whether our neighbors were in yet because their shoes were neatly placed in the hallway for the porter."

"We were so busy we didn't even have time to do any shopping, but we were having such a good time we didn't care."

The three returned from Havre on the Ile de France and sighted the Statue of Liberty three weeks after they had headed eastward.

Money Sent Odd Ways

Bulletin Fees Come To Home Ec. Dept. By Queer Means

The various methods which the public devises in sending money by mail for consumer education bulletins, "How to Buy," amuses and impresses Margaret Connor, secretary in the home economics department.

Although the department desires that stamps be sent instead of money, many people send currency.

Miss Connor received a letter recently requesting one of the bulletins. In this case a quarter was placed in a hole cut in a piece of cardboard covered elaborately with transparent tape.

Some send quarters in small envelopes; some wrap a sheet of paper around a quarter and one individual sent a quarter in the corner of a letter, so completely stapled that it was almost impossible to uncover the money.

Sometimes checks for 25 cents are sent. Checks involve considerable trouble because they must be endorsed and taken to the business office before the money can be secured.

One of the most amusing cases was one in which Miss Connor had to go to the business office before a notary pub-

Iowa City High Music Group To Give Teas

Will Raise Money To Send Band To Regional Contest

Plans have been made for a series of "chain" teas at which the Iowa City high school music auxiliary will entertain to raise money to send the high school musicians to the regional contest at Minneapolis, Minn.

First in the series of teas will be the one Thursday in the home of Mrs. Vernon Capen, 1135 E. College street. Later Mrs. Edward Korab will entertain at a Czechoslovakian tea.

The hostesses will invite any number of guests who may each in her turn entertain at a tea, thus establishing the chain. Although the idea is not original with the group, it is a new plan in Iowa City. Mrs. H. S. Ivie is serving as general chairman of the events.

lic official in order to secure her quarter! This happened because a school had written without requisition, sending a voucher to be signed.

What impresses Miss Connor most is the amount of work and effort that people spend in devising methods of sending quarters.

TIPS on the Shopping Market

By Betty Harpel

YOU know what the sisters expect from you when you hang that pin — it's a box of PIPER'S chocolates. You can have them delivered right on the dot, so that the whole thing is a perfect surprise. Be sure that they're PIPER'S.

They've come! A beautiful collection of spring suits are in at TOWNER'S. Glorious shades, new stripes. New styles. The toast, melon and Japonica shades will be tonic for your wardrobe... soft cardigan types, classics will make you the smart young woman. You must see the coats with tucks at the waist-

A real live, white mouse was sent to Madeline Colliester, Kappa, by her Sigma Nu, John Phillips.

line, to give you that tiny look! TOWNER'S have a selection of all the new materials, shetlands, gabardines, coverts, and hard-finished worsteds. You will love the hickory stripes, which will be the thing this year. In fact, the thing to do is to get down to TOWNER'S right away, to look the situation over.

Happy New Year; Hello! Good Morning, Everyone. Our journey is 22 days begun, and trust you are enroute my way.

What's this we hear about a cake-with-whipped-cream fight at the Kappa house. Seems the cakes were flying right and left, and that there was a general scrubbing of walls afterwards. Some fun!

I'll make it interesting for you. We'll meet success, good fortune too; There may be set-backs as we go, Pavements aren't all smooth you know.

THAT worn out look always accompanies exam week. But if your hair looks dressed and neat no one will ever suspect you are tired out. Call the ETHEL GILCHRIST BEAUTY CRAFT, located at Towner's, for an appointment tomorrow.

Up to the minute fashions—the new spring suits featured at YETTER'S. If you have a whim for the masculine side the pin-striped, man tailored style will catch your eye. You'll just adore the dress-maker suit with lots of buttons and a gathered fullness in the front. Also leading the parade are the gay tweed jackets matched with plain skirts. But if you would rather match your own suits, the spring skirts are shown in pastel shades and may be combined with bright plaid jackets. YETTER'S are selling these stunning fashions at the lowest prices.

Planning to go home after finals? Why not drive home in a used car from the N.A.L.L. CHEVROLET CO. You can get it at the lowest prices and then you will be all set to go places this coming spring.

Make this Valentine's Day a red letter occasion by giving her, or him, your picture. For a real Valentine gift, have it taken at the ANDERSON STUDIO. She'll be tickled to death with it.

Ed McCloy, editor of the Frivol-Drivel, has followed up the opening wedge that naminy Dorothy Bell, Kappa, best dressed woman, gave him by asking for a date, not one, not two, but—

As soon as you are through with finals, is a good time to have your permanent. For a soft beautiful wave, make your appointment with the STAR BEAUTY SALON. You will be pleased with the expert work.

VALENTINE'S Day will be here in no time, and you will want to present her with a gift that she will like. You know what she really wants, your picture. Make her happy by having it taken at SCHARF'S STUDIO right away.

PROF. McCalliard bribed the students in his Chaucer class with an apple, the last meeting of class, so that they would take the course next semester.

As soon as you are through with finals, is a good time to have your permanent. For a soft beautiful wave, make your appointment with the STAR BEAUTY SALON. You will be pleased with the expert work.

If you want a nice congenial atmosphere and a smooth dance floor, large enough to really dance, get your friends together and plan a party at the CASINO. You will find that you can always have a better time when you are at the CASINO, on RFD 1. Start working on your plans now. You will find your friends will like the CASINO.

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Launch Study Of Training In Journalism

Frederick M. Pownall On Committee To Report School's Work

CHICAGO, Jan. 21 (AP)—Representatives of journalism schools and five major publishers' associations launched today a study of professional training for newspapermen.

Dean Kenneth E. Olson of Northwestern university described the objective as the creation of professional standards similar to those for law, medicine and engineering schools.

Four subcommittees, appointed at a meeting of the joint council, are to report to the annual meeting of the American Newspaper Publishers association, American Society of Newspaper Editors, National Editorial association, Inland Daily Press association, Southern Newspaper Publishers association and the American Association of Schools and Departments of Journalism.

Standard class A journalism schools were tentatively approved at the meeting. A subcommittee was appointed to study them and recommend changes or additions. Committee members are Walter Grim, Salem, Ind., Republican, for the newspaper enterprise association; Dean Frank L. Martin of the University of Missouri, and Dr. Ralph D. Casey, University of Minnesota.

Another group was named to investigate the possibility of a thorough survey of the educational demands of the newspaper profession and work done by the journalism schools.

It is composed of Jerome Barnum, Syracuse, N. Y., Post-Standard, for the American Newspaper Publishers association; Dean Lyle Spencer, Syracuse university, and Dean Carl Ackerman, Columbia university.

Working on a report on the present problem of education and work done by class A schools are Frederick M. Pownall of the Iowa City Iowan, for the Inland Press; Dean Olson, and Prof. Grant M. Hyde, University of Wisconsin.

A general statement of principles for journalism is being prepared by Mark Ethridge, Louisville Courier-Journal and Times, for the Southern Newspaper Publishers association, Dean Olson and Prof. Hyde.

Prof. Conant Will Lecture

2 Illustrated Talks Will Be Wednesday In Senate Chamber

Two illustrated lectures will be given by Kenneth Conant, professor of architecture at Harvard university, Wednesday in the senate chamber of Old Capitol at 4:10 and 7:45 o'clock respectively.

The afternoon lecture will deal with "Mt. Athos," and the evening with the "Church of the Holy Sepulchre" in Jerusalem.

These lectures are under the auspices of the Iowa Society of the Archaeological institute, which extends an invitation to the general public to attend.

New Fraternity Presidents



Newly elected president of the Theta Xi fraternity is Alfred Wooleyhan, A3 of Cedar Rapids, (left). Other new officers include Don Floyd, A2 of Iowa City, vice president; John Linsley, E3 of Cedar Rapids, treasurer; Robert Melvold, A3 of Cresco, secretary; and Ed Larson, A2 of New Hampton and Myron Mohs, A3 of Cresco, elders.

Lawyers To Keep Ruppert Estate Intact

NEW YORK, Jan. 21 (AP)—The vast baseball, brewing and building estate which bachelor Col. Jacob Ruppert left to three women will be held intact if the trustees have their way, which was the colonel's wish, even against deep inroads which state and federal taxes may make into his multimillion-dollar estate.

Byron Clark Jr., one of the trustees and the colonel's personal lawyer, said today the trustees would "extend every support" to prevent liquidation and that he believed they could keep the estate together.

Principal beneficiaries were Helen Winthrop Weyant, former actress and a "dear friend" of the colonel, who was surprised at her sudden fortune, and two of Col. Ruppert's nieces, Mrs. Joseph Holzer and Mrs. J. Basil McGuire.

Value of the estate has been variously estimated at from \$40,000,000 to \$70,000,000. Clark said no definite figure could be obtained until a complete inventory and appraisal had been made. The inventory will be started soon.

If the estate value is between \$40,000,000 and \$45,000,000, not less than 60 per cent could be taken by the federal and state governments and on the \$40,000,000 basis the estate might be reduced to \$16,000,000.

Other than the total taxable estate, on the other hand, should reach the \$70,000,000 estimated by some, federal and state taxes could take all but about \$12,000,000. A treasury official estimated the government could collect \$32,000,000 of the first \$50,000,000 net and 70 per cent of all over that.

Exactly 71 per cent of University of Pittsburgh co-eds participate in some extracurricular activity.

DEATH at the Manor Bulletin--

By M. E. Corne

CHAPTER ONE

I WAS GIVING one of our local belles a shampoo and a finger wave, and had just tied the net beneath her chin and tucked her under the drier when Polly, who is the "Madame Moira" of "Madame Moira's Beauty Shoppe," signaled from the desk that some one wanted to speak with me on the telephone.

I remember feeling excited and sort of wobbly at the knees, because the night before, at the annual beauticians' ball I had met my "dream man" in Phil Benson, a reporter on the Lawville Times, and he had promised to ring me soon. But the voice that came over the wire was a woman's—Kitty Wilson's—my girl friend. I swallowed my disappointment, and told myself not to be a chump. Maybe, after all, Phil had been handing me a line!

"Hello, Elsie!" Kitty said. "I want to ask a favor—" "Sure," I said, "anything at all." And I am still amused at the casual way I let myself in for a most terrifying and exciting experience. Of course I never thought Kitty was going to ask for more than the loan of my new gold evening slippers, or my bunny jacket at the most, and even when she finally told me what she wanted I was only mildly surprised.

"Emma's having another baby," Kitty went on—Emma is her married sister in Columbus—"and I have to go right over there and stay for awhile."

"Well?" I said, wondering what Emma and her baby had to do with me.

"I want you to come out to the Manor and take my place for a week."

"The Manor?" I repeated, though I had heard well enough what she had said. "But I have a job—"

"I know," she interrupted impatiently. "I talked to Polly and she's willing to let you off for a week. I'll pay you double salary and you'll get your room and board besides. Will you come?"

"Well—" I hesitated, but a week at the Manor did sound alluring. I had always wanted to see inside Lawville's showplace. "Well, yes!"

"Good!" Kitty sounded relieved. "Tim, the chauffeur, will call for you. You won't need to bring a thing but your aprons. Everything else is here."

"All right," I made up my mind to go. "You can send Tim to my place at six."

"He'll be there," she promised. "Do your best, and I'll be back as soon as I can. Mrs. Greely, the housekeeper, will show you the ropes."

"O. K., Kitty. I'll do my darnedest."

"So you're going to break into society," kidded Polly. "Be careful, my girl, that it doesn't go to your head!"

"I will."

The Manor is the name of a huge, wooded estate some three miles from the edge of this town, which is a few miles outside of Columbus, Ohio. It was the family home of the financially and socially prominent Witherspoons, whose fortunes during the lifetime of Horace T. Witherspoon, Sr., father to the then present family, leaped from comfortable thousands to uncomfortable and unbelievable millions. This seeming wizardry on the part of the elder Horace was nothing more magical than what is now known (although at the time it had been called "doing one's bit") as war profiteering. He had sold rope and leather goods to the United States government at enormous profit.

The Witherspoons were, naturally enough, the leaders of Lawville society. Scarcely a week passed that they did not entertain guests from New York and other points east. They were always having important personages—actors, athletes, aviators and other celebrities—stopping off at the Manor to plant a tree in the arboretum they had somewhere on the place.

They did not mingle much with the townspeople, being too, too exclusive, except when there was a charity ball to be opened or a civic drive to be inaugurated. Then Horace, Jr., would drop in his suits and top hat, and come forth to do the honors for dear old Lawville.

Only I had shaken his cold and clammy hand at one of these affairs and had looked into his pale, disinterested eyes that were like those of a man long dead yet living. A shrunken, insignificant little man he was, with a weak, womanish mouth and a receding chin.

Occasionally I had seen Daphne Witherspoon, the little man's daughter, driving like mad through the streets in her long, low roadster, her bright hair flying in the wind, her lips parted in reckless, rippling laughter. Sometimes she would stop in at the corner drug store when I ate my lunch and perch upon the high stool at the counter and joke with Pete, the soda jerk, as she sipped at a Coca-Cola. The town called Daphne wild, but it really did not know. She did not hang around Lawville much, for she spent most of her time abroad or in the east.

The rest of the family were strangers to me, though I knew along with the rest of the town that Horace, Jr., was merely the figurehead. The real chief was old Mrs. Witherspoon, Horace, Sr.'s widow, a semi-invalid, who never stirred from the house.

And Mrs. Witherspoon was the reason for Kitty's job and the reason for my own invitation to the Manor. Mrs. W., as Kittle always called her, was an extraordinarily vain old lady of seventy-five. She had a mania for permanent waves and henna packs and mud facials and crimson fingernails! Being rich, she was, of course, able to gratify her passion; and to this end she had built and completely equipped a regulation and up-to-the-minute beauty salon on the second floor of the Manor.

Naturally, I had never been inside this private parlor, but Kitty, who was its sole operator, had described it to me often enough. And did it sound like an operator's paradise! Mrs. Witherspoon had sent to New York and had imported the very latest and most expensive permanent waving machine and all that goes with them. She had installed a steam bath and a reducing cabinet and a mechanical horse and Heaven knows what else. And all were maintained for the enjoyment and convenience of herself, her guests and members of the household. More than once I had envied Kitty her job and wished myself in her shoes.

A year ago, Kitty like myself, was one of the girls at "Madame Moira's." At that time Mrs. Witherspoon had not built her salon, and twice a week regularly she would call in and have Polly send out an operator to give her treatment.

This had been going on for months, with Marcell, our head operator, doing the honors for "Madame Moira's" and coming back to the shop and making our mouths water with tales of the perfectly gorgeous food she had been served for lunch. Artichokes and pate de foie gras and other such trifles that up to then had been mere names on a menu to the lot of us.

Well, Marcell, as girls will foolishly do, married her bus-driving boy friend and retired to the suburbs to mess about with boiled beef and cabbage; and Polly, scarcely knowing which way to turn, packed Kitty off to the Manor the next time the old lady's call came through.

To make it short, Kitty made a hit and it was not long until she was spending half her days at the Manor fixing up the old girl and the rest of the family. I never did know just when or how Mrs. Witherspoon got the bright idea to install her own equipment and to hire Kitty for her private and personal attendant; but get it she did, and within six months the idea was a fact. Kitty moved bag and baggage to the Manor.

Of course a job like that is not all honey and molasses. A girl has to take plenty of sass when she works for folks who have more money than they know what to do with—and I had heard tell that Mrs. Witherspoon was no angel at best. However, you get big pay and you work on famous people instead of on shopgirls and local Garbos. So all in all, you cannot blame me for being thrilled and for looking forward to a week at such a place.

Looking back, I sometimes wonder why Kitty let me in for what she did without some sort of warning. But maybe that was because she had been there so long she did not notice the queer undercurrents and the tight, oppressed atmosphere, like a storm before it breaks, that formed the background of life at the Manor. But there—I'm getting ahead of my story.

(To Be Continued)

globularly as to give an advantage against us Europeanly.

International chat at present hints at a German naval base at the Azores islands. Those Azores are closer than Key West to the near far-eastern South American port of Pernambuco, and still nearer to farther South American east port harbors. The Azores, to be sure, are Portuguese. But if Germany, through Spain, grabs the Canaries, it will beat us to southern South America (east coast) by 25 per cent.

Dr. Fernando de los Rios, loyalist Spanish ambassador in Washington, has rubbed this notion in as thoroughly as he could.

He has convinced our navy. Our sea police do not want a potentially hostile base as near to us as the Azores or the Canaries.

The army is not so immediately interested.

But Portugal inclines totalitarian also. A totalitarian Latin America would be a fret to Uncle Samuel—not alone to his state department but to his commerce department, likewise.

But as to the navy department? Well, the U. S. navy is supposed to defend our entire western hemispherical coast, and to do it easily, because it is so much nearer to the U.S.A. than possible Europe is.

Closer Than Realized

But IS it? Not by a darned sight.

We are accustomed to thinking of South America as due south of us.

Look at a globe! It quickly will appear that the South American east coast is nearer to Europe, below the equator, than we are. The continents are so skew-ward

financial assistance and who contemplate spending more than one year at Harvard university. DEAN GEORGE D. STODDARD

Handcraft Club Handcraft club will not meet until the new semester begins. The time and new activities will be announced later. FRANCES SVALDI

Materials Available Students in the college of liberal arts, education, commerce and the graduate college may obtain registration materials at the registrar's office at any time beginning today, Friday morning, January 20. H. C. DORCAS, Registrar

Swimming Hours Recreational swimming hours at the women's gymnasium will continue through examination week at the following hours: Monday through Friday, 4 to 5:30 p.m.; Saturday, 10 to 12 a.m. GLADYS SCOTT

Kappa Phi Kappa Phi alumnae, Methodist girls' club, will meet at the home of Jeanette Parrott, 419 S. Johnson street, Monday, Jan. 23, at 7:45 p.m. Helene Miller will be in charge of the lesson. CHAIRMAN.

Graduates' Dinner Candidates for degrees may secure tickets for the graduates' dinner for themselves and their

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Mid-Year Convocation The mid-year convocation will be Tuesday, Jan. 31, at 8 p.m. in the lounge of Iowa Union, Benjamin F. Swisher, an alumnus of Waterloo, will give the convocation address. PROF. F. G. HIGBEE, Director of Convocations.

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Daily Cross Word Puzzle

Grid for the Daily Cross Word Puzzle with numbers 1-37 indicating starting positions for words.

- ACROSS 1-Liberal 23-Exist 24-Moderate instruments 26-A vale 10-English author to ale 11-Make a mis-take 30-Virginia (abbr.) 12-Printing fluid 13-Cheat 31-Witchcraft 16-By 33-French river 17-Native of Turkey 34-Electrified particle 28-Letter Z 35-Broad neck scarf 19-A moral fault 20-Disquiet 37-Thick slices 22-Symbol for nickel

Washington World

WASHINGTON, D. C.—American naval authorities are more than a little worried by rebel gains in Spain recently.

Yankee public opinion probably is split something like 50-50 as between the Spanish so-called insurgents under General Franco and the so-called loyalists—the official government's outfit.

Our pro-Franco sympathizers take this view: The revolution which overthrew King Alfonso perhaps had considerable justification, but very shortly after that communists, inspired and financed from Moscow, gained Spanish control and have perpetrated all sorts of atrocities. The Francoites' mission is to re-establish the short-lived post-revolutionary Iberian democracy.

Our pro-loyalist faction argues thus: Alfonso's regime was a very bad one. It was upset by good liberals. The current revolt against him was started and still is backed by Mussolini and Hitler. Bad as communism is, it is not any worse than fascism or nazism. And, anyway, communism hasn't much of a foothold in Spain, whereas fascism and nazism are dug in like sixty.

I am not reasoning one way or the other; our two schools of thought are what I am trying to speak for, one against the other and contrariwise.

Opposing Sympathies Now, they are just opposing sympathies. They do not mean much materially. Spain, after all, is a distant and rather small country. The average American's interest in the matter is not acute, so far as he knows.

The state department's interest, however, is acute. So is the navy department's. As to the state department: We certainly are concerned in Latin America. And Latin America is mainly Spanish. If Spain goes totalitarian, Latin America is likely to take the same direction. Brazil is not Spanish; it is Portu-

Answer to previous puzzle: ANOVERA DRAE I EMU BIOTA ME STARRY R RAW DAG K OVA FOVEAK DEFER ESKAR STAINS IRE R STRAY NED AMAHS HELC DEMY RAGOUT

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EXAMINATION SCHEDULE

First Semester 1938-1939

Saturday, January 21, 8 a.m., to Saturday, January 28, 4 p.m., 1939

The regular program of class work will be suspended, and the following semester-examination program substituted for it. Classes will meet for examination in the rooms in which they have been regularly meeting (except classes in SPECIAL GROUPS A, B, C, D, E, F, and G, as shown in the form below; and Speech (1), (2) and (3) as shown at the second N.B. below).

The Program Committee directs the attention of both students and instructors and professors, to the regulation that there is to be no deviation from this schedule, in the case of any examination—except as authorized by the Committee on Admission and Classification on the student's written petition, filed in ample time and supported by the recommendation of the department concerned,—to provide relief from an excessive number of examinations within a single day. Deviation for the purpose of completing examinations earlier will not be permitted.

Each student who is absent from the final meeting of his class as indicated in the Examination Schedule should be reported, on the official grade sheet at the end of the semester, as "Abs." Before this grade mark can be removed he must file with the Committee on Admission and Classification a written petition, with adequate vouchers attached, setting forth in full the necessity of his absence. This petition must include a departmentally signed statement indicating whether, in case the Committee finds the absence excusable, the student has the department's and instructor's permission to take the final examination. If the Committee finds the reason for the absence adequate it will issue to the student a partially prepared special report (signed by the Secretary, lower left corner) with a form letter explaining to him that he has the Committee's permission, with the departmental consent and at the convenience of the instructor, to take his final examination within one month (or other designated period of time) from the date indicated.

If the student takes the examination thus authorized the outcome is to be reported on this card and not on any other card. In the case of conflicts (within the SPECIAL GROUPS A, B, C, D, E, F, and G) the Schedule itself, as presented below, provides a general method of making adjustments.

All classes whose first weekly meetings have occurred as indicated in the rectangles below, meet for examinations during the periods indicated at the tops of these three columns, and on the days noted in the rectangles directly opposite at the left of the double vertical line.

Unless students are reasonably sure that their semester's work, including final examinations, is successful they are requested to call within the 24-hour period following the conclusion of each of their final examinations at the offices of the deans of men and women, appropriately, in order to learn whether any of their instructors has reported "Pd." for them; and if any student has reason to suspect that "Pd." will be his record for one or more courses, he is requested to register until he learns that he has passed.

Period	8-10 A.M.	10-12 A.M.	2-4 P.M.
Sat. Jan. 21	MONDAY AT 8 (Except those in Special Groups A, B, C, D, E, F, and G)	SPECIAL GROUP A All sections of: Acct. (7) Math. (5) Sociol. (1) Phys. (1) Bot. (1) Phys. (1)H Chem. (1) Physics (1) *except pre-medicals (For rooms see Department Bulletin Boards)	TUESDAY AT 9 (Except those in Special Groups A, B, C, D, E, F, and G)
Mon. Jan. 23	MONDAY AT 9 (Except those in Special Groups A, B, C, D, E, F, and G)	SPECIAL GROUP B All sections of: English (1), (2) (For rooms see Department Bulletin Boards)	TUESDAY AT 8 (Except those in Special Groups A, B, C, D, E, F, and G)
Tue. Jan. 24	MONDAY AT 10 (Except those in Special Groups A, B, C, D, E, F, and G)	SPECIAL GROUP C All sections of: Chem. (1) (Premedicals) Econ. (1) Home econ. (1) Econ. (3) Pol sci. (1) (For rooms see Department Bulletin Boards)	TUESDAY AT 11 (Except those in Special Groups A, B, C, D, E, F, and G)
Wed. Jan. 25	MONDAY AT 11 (Except those in Special Groups A, B, C, D, E, F, and G)	SPECIAL GROUP D All sections of: French (1), (2) French (3), (4) (For rooms see Department Bulletin Boards)	TUESDAY AT 10 (Except those in Special Groups A, B, C, D, E, F, and G)
Thurs. Jan. 26	MONDAY AT 1 (Except those in Special Groups A, B, C, D, E, F, and G)	SPECIAL GROUP E All sections of: German (1) Spanish (51), (53) (For rooms see Department Bulletin Boards)	TUESDAY AT 2 (Except those in Special Groups A, B, C, D, E, F, and G)
Fri. Jan. 27	MONDAY AT 2 (Except those in Special Groups A, B, C, D, E, F, and G)	SPECIAL GROUP F All sections of: Engl. (3), (4) (For rooms see Department Bulletin Boards)	TUESDAY AT 1 (Except those in Special Groups A, B, C, D, E, F, and G)
Sat. Jan. 28	MONDAY AT 3 (Except those in Special Groups A, B, C, D, E, F, and G)	TUESDAY AT 3 All sections of: Psych. (1) (For rooms see Department Bulletin Board)	SPECIAL GROUP G All sections of: Psych. (1) (For rooms see Department Bulletin Board)

CONFLICTS: In case of conflicting examinations the student should report to the instructor in charge of the first of the two conflicting subjects as listed within the particular SPECIAL GROUP rectangle above which is involved. (Read downward first in left column and then in right column.) This instructor will arrange for you a special examination. Report to him or her, not later than the regular class hour, January 16 or 17, if possible, January 9 or 10.

The first meeting of the class means the first lecture or recitation period in courses having both lectures and recitations, and laboratory periods; or in the case of courses involving only laboratory periods, the first clock-hour of the first weekly meeting. For example, chemistry 21 meets for lectures T Th S at 8. The first meeting is, consequently, Tuesday at 8—and the class will meet for examination Monday, January 23, 2-4, according to the tabular form above. Again, physics 123 meets twice each week, T F, for a three-hour laboratory exercise, 1-4. The period for the examination is, therefore, Friday, January 27, 2-4.

N.B. All sections of freshman Speech (1), (2) and (3) will meet during the examination week on the days and at the periods designated below. Rooms are assigned by the instructors.

Saturday, January 21—Section D, 8-10; Speech (2), 8-10.
Monday, January 23—Section A, 1-3; Section E, 3-5.
Thursday, January 26—Section I, 8-10; Section C, 1-3; Speech A, 1-3; Section G, 3-5.
Friday, January 27—Section J, 8-10; Section H, 10-12; Section B, 1-3; Section 3B, 1-3; Section F, 3-5.

"ODD" classes,—namely those whose first or only weekly meetings occur on Wednesday, Thursday, Friday or Saturday, or which meet as arranged, will be assigned for examination as announced to each class by the instructor in charge of the class, at one or another of the following periods:

1. From 4 to 6 on any day from January 21 to January 27, inclusive.

2. Any one of the examination periods assigned, as indicated above, for the examinations in SPECIAL GROUPS A, B, C, D, E, F, and G, since for such "odd" classes these five examination periods will be found quite available.

In connection with any such announcement it would doubtless be well for the instructor making the announcement to ascertain whether any member of his class is already under appointment for examination in some other class for the same period. To be sure, it is possible to have examinations in more than one class at any of these times,—if no student is a member of more than one of these classes.

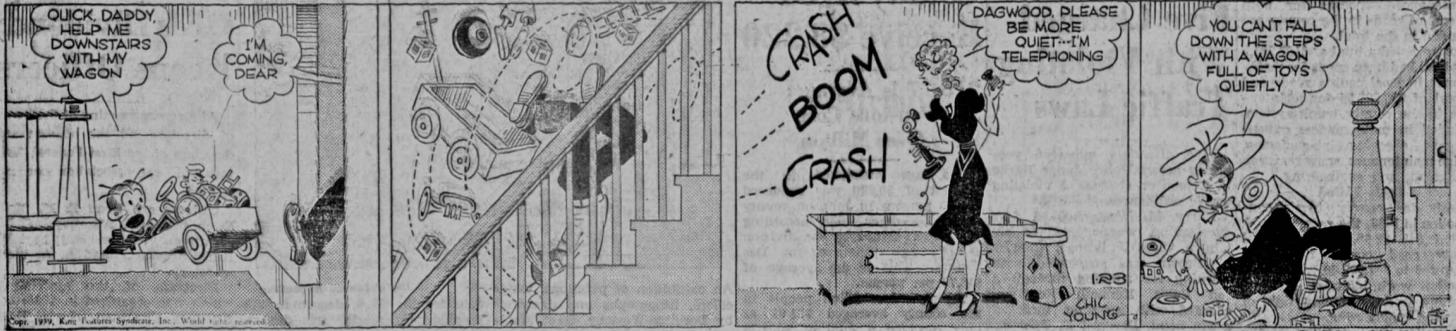
According to one clause in the formal action providing for a special semester-examination program, "the instructor may use the examination period as he sees provided he holds the class for the full period. He may have an oral or a written examination, or both, or neither. He may continue regular work or he may use the time for review, or for any phase of his work which may seem to him desirable at this time."

According to another faculty regulation, which is on record as adopted by the faculty, a student absent from the final examination should be reported "Abs." unless the instructor recognizes that his work up to this examination has been a failure, in which case the final report should be "Pd."—even though the student may have been absent from the final examination. No examination should be given, consequently, to such a student until after the absence has been excused by the Committee on Admission and Classification, as shown by a partially filled special report signed by the Secretary of the Committee, as indicating that the absence has been excused and that the student is authorized, subject to the consent at the convenience of the instructor concerned, to take the final examination. H. C. DORCAS, Secretary, Program Committee.

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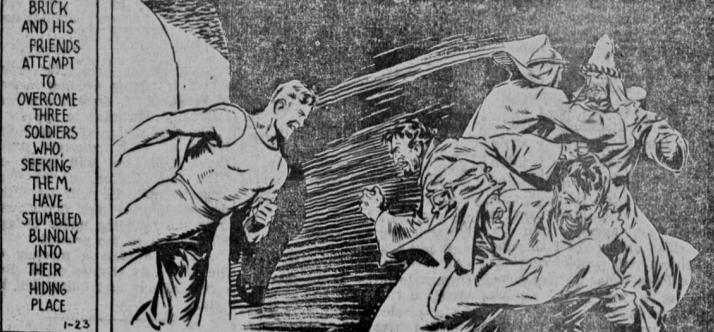
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\$124,165 Spent in 1938 On County Roads, Reports Justen

Maintenance And Construction Costs Included in Figure

A total of \$124,165.63 was spent in Johnson county on "county trunk" and "local county" roads in 1938, County Engineer R. H. Justen stated in his annual report of the condition of roads and bridges prepared yesterday for the Johnson county board of supervisors and the Iowa state highway commission. Both construction and maintenance expenses for both systems of roads in the county are included in the total.

Justen listed a total of \$107,781.44 which had been spent for maintenance in local county roads and a total of \$26,727.35 for maintenance in the county trunk system. Included in maintenance expenses are dragging, re-surfacing, bridge maintenance, snow removal, equipment, and engineering.

Costs for county trunk construction in 1938, the report stated, totaled \$42,122.85, and the local county road at the present time amounted to \$47,533.99. This construction work includes bridging, finishing grade, surfacing, right of way, and engineering.

Reporting the condition of the roads in the county as of Jan. 1, 1939, the county engineer said that there are no unimproved earth roads in the county trunk system and that the local county roads have 775.85 miles of unimproved earth roads. There are 49.87 miles of local roads graded and drained but not built to a permanent grade, and there are 4.35 miles of trunk roads graded and drained.

There are 139.56 miles of county trunk roads which are surfaced and 75.55 miles of surfaced local county roads at the present time. During the last year, Mr. Justen reported that 7.22 miles of county roads and 31.98 miles of local county roads were built to permanent grade. During the year there were 6.62 miles of county trunk and 11.59 miles of local county roads surfaced.

\$1,500 for Salary
Although \$4,770.86 is listed as spent on engineering in local county roads during 1938, it is pointed out that \$1,500 of the amount is salary to O. D. Cash, which is an expense incurred by

the county in restoring corner stones in the county. This restoration project which employs about 34 men is a PWA project. It was further pointed out that the county's only expense in this program is payment of Cash's salary.

Among individual items were listed expenditures of \$2,868.01 in the county trunk and \$11,063.31 in the local county system for maintenance of bridges during the year. Removal of snow on the county trunk roads cost \$232.84 in 1938 and \$770.41 on the local county roads.

Five Charged With Violating Traffic Laws

Five offenders appeared yesterday before Police Judge Burke N. Carson on charges of violating traffic ordinances.

Harry M. West, booked for overloading, was ordered to obtain a Class J license; Charles A. Brown was suspended with warning for running through a red light; Kenneth Herdiska, charged with speeding, forfeited a \$10 bond; Bernard D. Feld Jr. paid a \$1 fine for parking with the left wheel to the curb, and Joe Eisenhofer was fined \$1 for failing to report an accident.

Steve Gorman, charged with disturbing the peace, forfeited a \$10 bond.

'Boy Scouting' On Program At P.T.A. Meeting

"Boy Scouting" will be the theme of the program planned for the meeting of the Roosevelt Parent-Teacher association Friday at 7:15 p.m. in the school building.

An address on "Scouting" by Owen Thiel, local executive, and movies illustrating Boy Scout work shown by R. W. Scharf will be included on the program. There will also be a colored movie on flowers.

Mrs. Verne Miller will head the refreshment committee.

'MOOSEY' OUTFIT

Moose Lodge Officers Named Moose

CONCORD, N. H., Jan. 21 (AP)—The Concord lodge No. 404 of the Loyal Order of Moose has elected the following officers:

Past dictators, J. O. Moose Sr.; dictator, Dewey W. Moose; vice dictator, John D. Moose; prelate, Frank H. Moose; secretary, Thomas L. Moose; treasurer, J. O. Moose Jr.; outer guard, Harry B. Moose; inner guard, Lester C. Moose; and trustees, Wyatt Moose and Frank R. Moose.

County Aged Receive \$8,220

\$18.77 Is Average; Age Pensions Cost State Over Million

Old age assistance to the amount of \$8,220 was rendered to 438 persons in Johnson county up to December, 1938, according to a report issued by the division of old age assistance at Des Moines. This is an average of \$18.77 per person.

Twenty-four blind people in the county averaged \$21.01 as they received a total of \$504.22 from the state. According to the report it cost the state \$1,004,565 to give aid to the 50,667 aged persons who requested it. Throughout the state the average amount received per person was \$19.82.

The department report said that \$29,674.43 was given to 1,279 blind persons in the state for an average of \$23.20 per person.

Christian Laymen To Meet Tomorrow At M. E. Nelson's

The Christian Laymen's Fellowship will meet for Bible study in the seventh chapter of the Epistle to the Romans at the home of M. E. Nelson, 10 Highland Drive, tomorrow evening at 7:30.

The topic for discussion will be "I Know That in Me Dwelleth No Good Thing; For the Will is Present With Me; But How to Perform That Which is Good I Find Not," Romans 7:18.

An M.A. Thesis Painting—



An exhibition of paintings, water colors, lithographs and drawings by Dorothy Westaby, G. of Madison, S. Dak., is now on display in the auditorium of the fine arts building. The collection represents work done by Miss Westaby during her last year as a candi-

date for the M.A. degree in the graphic and plastic arts department. The above picture, "Two Girls," was submitted as a thesis for her degree, to be presented at the mid-year convocation ceremony a week from Tuesday.

MRS. GABLE

Will Ask Divorce On Mental Cruelty

LAS VEGAS, Nev., Jan. 21 (AP)—Mrs. Maria F. Gable will file suit for divorce from film actor Clark Gable about the first of March after establishing six weeks residence in Nevada, she told her Las Vegas lawyer, Frank McNamee Jr., today in their first interview. She will charge mental cruelty.

Mrs. Gable arrived from Los Angeles earlier in the day and went directly to the house she leased from her attorney.

Savings Group OK's Dividend; Keeps Officers

At a recent meeting of the board of directors, all the officers and directors of the First Federal Savings and Loan association were re-elected.

Officers are Dean E. M. MacEwen, president; Attorney L. C. W. Clearman, vice-president; Earl W. Kurtz, treasurer, and A. A. Welt, secretary.

Directors of the association, which was organized in 1935, are Attorney Clearman, Kurtz, Dean MacEwen, W. B. Packman, Frank L. Thompson, C. M. Updegraff and Welt.

The directors voted the regular dividend at the meeting.

Dewey Finds New Evidence For Second Hines Court Battle

NEW YORK, Jan. 21 (AP)—Starting new evidence against James J. (Jimmy) Hines, powerful chief of tammany hall, was hinted tonight in prelude to his retrial on charges of criminal conspiracy in the \$20,000,000-a-year "policy empire" built by the late gang lord, "Dutch" Schultz.

A "mystery woman" from Greenwich village and two other surprise witnesses were listed as unexpected additions to racket-busting District Attorney Thomas E. Dewey's all-star prosecuting cast.

A mass of supporting information heretofore undisclosed has also been uncovered by Dewey's operatives in recent weeks in preparation for the return engagement on Monday of one of the most sensational court dramas in years.

The young prosecutor, who since his close race with Herbert H. Lehman for the governorship of New York has been prominently mentioned as a possible republican choice for president in 1940, was determined to convict the tammany politician and thus redeem himself for the legal misstep he made in the first Hines trial last fall.

Four weeks the Hines-Schultz saga ran in that first engagement before Supreme Court Justice Ferdinand Pecora abruptly de-

clared a mistrial—four weeks, 50 witnesses, and 4,600 typewritten pages of testimony.

The "mystery woman" who is expected to make the retrial as much of a "standing room only" affair as was the first trial is Ethel Morton, 35. Held under \$5,000 bail, she is reported ready to testify concerning alleged meetings between Hines and Schultz mobsters when the flourishing policy racket ran wide-open and gleaned a fabulous harvest of "pennies from Harlem"—mostly from the poor.

About his new witnesses, Dewey himself said nothing. Close-mouthed, the prosecutor limited himself to a single comment:

"This time, Hines will be brought to justice."

Accused of serving as political "fixer" for the Schultz racketeers, at a fee of \$500 a week, the stalwart, white-haired defendant met Dewey's challenge with a grin.

"I'm ready. They'll never convict me."

So they faced each other—a popular, old-school tammany "boss" vs. a crusading young prosecutor.

A grizzled veteran who has been through the wars vs. a 36-year-old political "white hope" who came within 70,000 votes of winning the governorship of New York.

City-Wide Fire Inspection of Buildings By Fire Department Will Be Feb. 23, 24

Plans are already well under way for the city-wide inspection of fire hazards on Feb. 23 and 24, which will be another attempt by Iowa City to prevent the future loss of life and property.

The fire prevention inspection will be sponsored by the junior and senior chambers of commerce, local fire department and local establishments assisted by the Iowa City board of fire underwriters.

Richard E. Vernor, Chicago, representing the National Fire Prevention association, will address a city-wide luncheon meeting in the Jefferson hotel Feb. 23 instead of on Feb. 24 as had previously been announced. It was necessary to

make the change because some of the service clubs had conflicts.

Every building in the city except private homes will be examined by trained fire prevention inspectors and members of the local fire department. In addition to this question, blanks supplied by the schools will be given to children to take home to be filled out by their parents.

In this way, it is believed that the whole city can be satisfactorily checked, and certain improvements can be advised and ordered.

The local observance will be headed by Charles A. Bowman, secretary of the chamber of commerce.

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that Iowa communities decide for themselves whether they shall permit the sale of liquor and beer. Another lawmaker wants the old "mulct law," with a \$2,000 fee for the tavern operator, to be restored.

PRISONERS—Substitution of electrocution for hanging in death penalty cases is sought.

FARMERS—All kinds of proposals are in the hopper to provide additional financing of farm-to-market roads. Another would repeal the 10-cent bounty on starlings, would pay other bounties up to 50 cents each on rattlesnakes. Still another wants a flat annual tax of \$25 on farm-market trucks up to six tons.

PHYSICIANS—Three bills would require physical examinations for altar-bound couples, provide mandatory venereal disease test for expectant mothers, require venereally infected persons to report for treatment or face misdemeanor charges, and require restaurant help to have annual physical check-ups.

SOLDIERS—One bill would allow veterans full homestead tax valuation exemptions in addition to the amounts they already are allowed to subtract under the military service law. Another would boost national guard salaries during martial law service.

SPOUSES—A measure is on file to prohibit spouses working for the state if a husband or wife also is working and drawing wages above certain minimums.

Elks Clubs Will Hold Joint Party

Members of the Elks club and the Elks' Ladies club will have a joint card party Wednesday at 8 p.m. in the Elks clubrooms.

Dr. Jesse Ward is serving as committee member for the men and Mrs. Charles Fieseler is chairman of the committee for the ladies.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Starting January 23rd the rink will be closed on Monday, Tuesday and Thursday evenings for the rest of the indoor season. Those nights will be left open for private parties.

Come and enjoy large crowds and fine skating on every other night of the week.

\$15.00 Shoe skates free to the largest private party held during January.

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Postage-Stamp System of Railroad Rates Proposed by Former Senator

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21 (AP)—If a John A. Hastings had his way, anybody in America could go by train to the world's fair—either one—for five dollars.

Hastings is sponsor for the postage-stamp system of railroad rates, which would provide coach fare of not more than five dollars for a trip from any city in the country to either New York or San Francisco.

The former state senator of New York has been talking up the idea for 15 years.

"When I started, most people thought it was a crackpot scheme," he remarked. "Now more and more people are coming to realize that it is the only answer to the railroad problem."

An outstanding economist and leading senator recently expressed interest in the proposal. Most railroad men seemed doubtful, although Hastings declared some had reacted "excellently."

The plan provides for the establishment of nine railroad regions in the country with five types of passenger service. Instead of the present mileage basis, rates would be based on zones.

Rates between New York and Chicago, the extremes of one zone, for example, would be:

By **KARL R. BAUMAN**

Passenger coach fare, \$1; parlor car fare, \$3; local sleeper fare, \$5; express reserves fare \$10; limited de luxe fare \$15. The same rates would apply between any other points within the zone, regardless of distance.

A traveler going from coast to coast, through all five zones, could travel in a railroad coach for \$5.

In addition to the basic fares, nominal charges would be allowed for pullman and extra service.

Suburban fares, with a limit of about 50 miles, would be 15 cents, or 25 cents for a round trip.

Hastings has worked out elaborate charges which he contends prove the feasibility of the plan. He says it costs a railroad one third of a cent to move each coach seat one mile—333 miles for \$1 cost—and that trips would average only 100 miles, as compared with the present 82-mile average.

The cost estimate, he explained, is before payment of taxes, interest, social security and joint rentals.

"Instead of heavy annual losses on their passenger business," he said, "the railroads could make a profit of \$300,000,000 to \$500,000,000 annually on it. This is based

on an increase of only 300 per cent in the number of passengers, which is extremely conservative."

The postoffice has taught us by its successful experience, in the conduct of first class mail, of the social and financial value of low, uniform and distanceless postage rates," Hastings exclaimed.

"It has encouraged the use of mails. It has brought every part of the country within equal postage cost for a first class letter with every other part. It has unified the nation."

While most of the 10,000 letters he has received about his plan have been favorable Hastings said, some were extremely critical.

"Intelligent consideration of your crackpot scheme to wreck the railroad industry would be very much impossible," one Chicagoan wrote.

A Chicago "dresse shoppe owner" wrote that she liked his cheap-tride idea for solving the railroad problem because:

"I see myself and my family traveling and seeing this grand country of ours without having to wait until we are old and wealthy, and probably by that time have lost the urge to see and enjoy new places."

speaker at the Iowa City group school tomorrow evening instead of Lieut. C. H. Smoke, who was originally scheduled to speak.

The class will meet in the field-house at 7:30 tomorrow night. Lieut. Col. Love will speak on "The Organization of the War Department." He will trace the development of the department from the founding under George Washington to the present.

After the class a meeting of the Iowa City chapter of the Reserve Officers association will be held.

Two Marriage Licenses Issued

Martin Warren, 22, and Mary Sullivan, 22, both of Iowa City; and Charles Arvil Samuelson, 21, Rock Island, Ill., and Anna May Marquess, 19, Moline, Ill., were issued marriage licenses in the county clerk's office yesterday.

Oregon State college has a new class in sports appreciation that meets every week.

Petition--

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the petition in Iowa City early this week. With the petition blanks the group is distributing the chart showing the comparative rates of the cities used to compute the average rate for Iowa cities and a sheet showing the alleged statement of earnings by the Iowa Water Service company for a year-period ending September, 1937.

The group pointed out that the only Iowa city of the first class which pays a higher rate than Iowa City is Keokuk which purchased its waterplant in June, 1938, and is maintaining the former rate to rebuild the present plant.

A member of the group pointed out that the Peoples Light and Power company, a holding company which controls the Iowa Water Service company and eight other public utility companies in several states, will be forced to sell their holdings under the terms of the Holding Company Act of 1935 which makes it impossible for any holding company to control more than one integrated utility system.

Under the terms of the plan advanced for the purchase by the city of the water company's plant last September by H. E. Smith, representative of Stiffel Nicoulas and company, a Chicago bonding firm, the company would sell its Iowa City water plant and equipment to the city for \$790,000.

Smith said he found after an investigation of the company's books that the city could finance the purchase of the plant by issuing three per cent revenue bonds and retire them over a period of 35 years from the revenue obtained from the operating of the water service to Iowa City residents.

The group asserted that in the event the city should purchase the waterplant, Iowa Citizens would be faced with paying the present water rates for at least 35 years more.

The petition being circulated by the group will be presented to the city council at its next meeting Feb. 3. The group said it will have more than 2,000 signers to the petition before the council meets, more than half of which had been obtained by last night.

E. MacEwen Re-Elected Head Of Loan Assoc.

E. M. MacEwen was re-elected president of the First Federal Savings and Loan Association of Iowa City at the annual meeting of the group last week.

All officers and directors were returned to office at the meeting. L. C. W. Clearman was re-elected vice-president, with Earl Kurtz re-named treasurer and A. A. Welt, secretary.

The directors who were returned to office are as follows: L. C. W. Clearman, Earl W. Kurtz, E. M. MacEwen, W. B. Packman, Frank L. Thompson, C. M. Updegraff and A. A. Welt.

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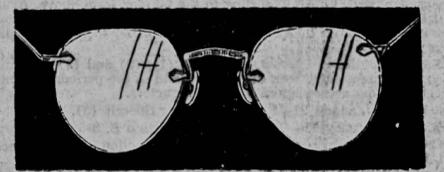
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