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EUROPE WAITS! WHAT WILL FUEHRER DO?

Hitler Deliberates Move As Americans, British, French Quit Germany

Reich Begins To Realize Polish Conquest May Not Be Peaceful

Louis P. Lochner Pictures Europe As War Clouds Thicken

By LOUIS P. LOCHNER
BERLIN, Aug. 25 (Friday) (AP)—Adolf Hitler and his most trusted advisers deliberated early today on his asserted right to a free hand in eastern Europe in light of Germany's consultation and non-aggression pact with Soviet Russia and Prime Minister Neville Chamberlain's speech to the British House of Commons.

In authoritative quarters, Chamberlain's speech was pronounced "purely negative."
Only the ministers most directly involved surrounded Hitler at the conference which went into the early hours of the morning. They included among others Field Marshal Hermann Goering, Foreign Minister Joachim von Ribbentrop, Propaganda Minister Joseph Goebbels and Rudolf Hess, Hitler's deputy party leader.

High military officers also were present.
It was considered most unlikely that an official communique would be issued. Men, however, who were in constant touch with the chancellery, presented the following picture:

1. Albert Forster, now the chief executive of the baby state of Danzig, can do two things—first, declare that Danzig considers herself part of the reich; second, ask that this latest acquisition to the reich be properly protected in view of the asserted "encirclement" of Danzig by Polish troops.

2. Germany will not declare war upon Poland. It will merely organize a punitive expedition to Poland to "establish law and order." One of the places that must be guarded from lawlessness, above all others, is Upper Silesia with its rich zinc, iron, copper and coal deposits. To safeguard these deposits the "police action" in Silesia must be so fast that the Poles won't have time to blow up or dynamite the mines.

3. After Chamberlain's speech the Fuehrer and his advisers are more convinced than ever that the British and French will not fight.

Accordingly, when the 30 German newspapermen still left in London urgently asked for instructions what to do, they were curtly told they must stick to their posts as there was no danger involved for them.

Also, German ships are arriving and leaving as though nothing were in the offing. There is an indulgent smile in Berlin for the anxiety of the Italians in not letting their big ocean liners leave their ports at this time.

From a military point of view, the entire emphasis is laid upon measures on the Polish border. There is no serious thought of any possibility of trouble from the west.

4. Preparations are going on as usual for the Tannenber celebration next Sunday in East Prussia.

This is done in the firm conviction that the "police action" will have been completed in time for the celebration to be held in perfect peace.

5. In order that Danzig, while (See LOCHNER, Page 6)

German Liners Continue Travel

NEW YORK, Aug. 24 (AP)—A survey made as all the world trembled with war fears showed tonight that not one of the larger nazi passenger liners was in a German home port.
They continued to travel over the world on schedule in contrast to the time of the Munich crisis last September when craft flying the swastika were ordered turned around for home.

Britain Calm, Preparing

Parliament Passes Emergency Bill, Strengthens Defense

LONDON, Aug. 24 (AP)—Prime Minister Chamberlain solemnly told Britain today that it was in "imminent peril of war," and the nation hurriedly but calmly prepared to meet the danger.

Parliament, answering an appeal by Chamberlain for speedy action, passed without a record vote an emergency powers bill giving the government virtual dictatorial authority and suspending some civil liberties; King George, having cut short a vacation to hurry to London in the crisis, immediately gave assent to the measure.

The British navy was reported to have strung a barrier across the Skagerrak, strategic channel commanding the entrance to the Baltic sea; the foreign office advised British subjects to cancel vacations abroad; women and children left London for the country; workmen silently but hurriedly built air raid shelters in London's parks, and gleaming anti-aircraft guns were manned there.

American tourists in England, Scotland and Wales—there are between 3,000 and 4,000 of them—(See BRITAIN, Page 4)

Racketeer L. 'Lepke' Buchalter Surrenders Voluntarily to FBI

NEW YORK, Aug. 24 (AP)—Attorney Thomas E. Dewey, Lepke Louis (Lepke) Buchalter, for a month the most hunted man in America, surrendered tonight to the head of the nation's G-men, J. Edgar Hoover.
Quietly and secretly, the boss racketeer submitted to arrest somewhere in Manhattan—in a dramatic meeting in which he and the federal bureau of investigation director were alone.
The surrender took place shortly after 8 p.m. (CST) and an hour later Hoover announced it at FBI headquarters. He gave few details but asserted Lepke, the man with a \$50,000 price on his head, was unarmed, that he was promised nothing to give up, and that Lepke said he had never left Manhattan in his two years as a fugitive.
Called the "most dangerous industrial racketeer" in the United States by New York District At-

International Scene Developments Throughout The World—

Next Move?



11,000,000 Men Under Arms in Crisis

LONDON, Aug. 24 (AP)—Europe had more than 11,000,000 men under arms tonight, not counting naval and air forces.

Here are the round numbers, a composite of estimates made by various sources:
Poland 1,000,000; France 2,000,000; Great Britain 600,000. Total 3,600,000.
Germany 2,000,000 to 2,500,000; Italy 1,300,000. Total 3,300,000 to 3,800,000.
Rumania 850,000; Turkey 300,000; Greece 200,000. (These countries have received pledges of aid from Britain and France.)
Other countries not committed: Hungary 200,000; Spain 150,000; Yugoslavia 300,000; Bulgaria, Belgium, Baltic state, The Netherlands, Portugal and Switzerland 400,000; Soviet Russia 2,000,000.

Marine Corps Kills Escaped Lion on Ship

CAPE MAY, N. J., Aug. 24 (AP)—Terrorized by a full-grown lion which broke out of his cage and stalked the deck, nine passengers and 30 seamen aboard the Dutch freighter Amazona barricaded themselves for more than eight hours today until marine corps and coast guard riflemen from Cape May shot the animal.
With the lion in undisputed command of the forward deck and a cargo which included dynamite and more beasts below, the Amazona raced 90 miles to a point within six miles of the cape, where First Sergeant Michael Peskan of the marine corps rifle range and seven coast guards led by Chief Boatswain's Mate John Williams met the freighter.
"Not a soul was in sight" when he pulled his "six-bitter" patrol boat alongside the Amazona and threw a boarding ladder to the deck, Williams said later.
An officer rapped on a porthole glass and motioned, "shoot him," when the lion poked his head around a corner and growled.

United States Urges Poland, Germany To Negotiate Differences, Preserve Peace

A New Shot for Peace

WASHINGTON (AP)—The text of the message sent tonight by President Roosevelt to Adolf Hitler: His Excellency, Adolf Hitler, Chancellor of the German Reich, Berlin (Germany).

In the message which I sent to you on April 14 last I stated that it appeared to me that the leaders of great nations had it in their power to liberate their people from the disaster that impended, but that unless the effort were immediately made with good will on all sides to a peaceful and constructive solution of existing controversies, the crisis which the world was confronting must end in catastrophe. Today that catastrophe appears to be very near at hand indeed.

To the message which I sent to you last April I have received no reply, but because my confident belief that the cause of world peace—which is the cause of humanity itself—rises above all other considerations, I am again addressing myself to you with the hope that the war which impends and the consequent disaster to all people everywhere may yet be averted.

I therefore urge with all earnestness—and I am likewise urging the president of the republic of Poland—that the governments of Germany and of Poland agree by common accord to refrain from any positive act of hostility for a reasonable and stipulated period, and that they agree likewise by common accord to solve the controversies which have arisen between them by one of the three following methods: first, by direct negotiation; second, by submission of these controversies to an impartial arbitration in which they can both have confidence; or third, that they agree to the solution of these controversies through the procedure of conciliation, selecting as conciliator or moderator a national of one of the traditionally neutral states of Europe, or a national of one of the American republics which are all of them free from any connection with or participation in European political affairs.

Both Poland and Germany being sovereign governments, it is understood, of course, that upon resort to any one of the alternatives I suggest, each nation will agree to accord complete respect to the independence and territorial integrity of the other.

The people of the United States are as one in their opposition to policies of military conquest and domination. They are as one in rejecting the thesis that any ruler, or any people, possess the right to achieve their ends or objectives through the taking of action which will plunge countless millions of people into war and which will bring distress and suffering to every nation of the world, belligerent and neutral, when such ends and objectives, so far as they are just and reasonable, can be satisfied through processes of peaceful negotiation or by resort to judicial arbitration.

I appeal to you in the name of the people of the United States, and I believe in the name of peace-loving men and women everywhere, to agree to the solution of the controversies existing between your government and that of Poland through the adoption of one of the alternative methods I have proposed. I hardly need reiterate that should the governments of Germany and of Poland be willing to solve their differences in the peaceful manner suggested, the government of the United States still stands prepared to contribute its share to the solution of the problems which are endangering world peace in the form set forth in my message of April 14.

Franklin D. Roosevelt.

France Rushes Preparations, Fears Worst

Former Sheriff Shot Wife, Girl, Self, Jury Says

PARIS, Aug. 24 (AP)—France rushed defense preparations to-night in fear the worst might come at any moment.

Officials told all in Paris whose presence was "not absolutely indispensable" to depart. The United States embassy advised Americans to leave France, and many were doing so.

Diplomatic circles reported communications with Poland had been disrupted since 5 p.m. (10 a.m. CST.)
(The Associated Press in London however reestablished communications with the Polish capital after several hours of interrupted service.)
Calling up of reservists proceeded rapidly. Vehicles of all sorts were commandeered. Emergency patrols guarded "danger areas" and a union government, embracing all save perhaps the communists, was projected.

The government took full control of all private factories manufacturing war materials. Employees on vacation were ordered back to work. The managements were told they were under government orders.

Latest available estimates were that some 2,000,000 men were under arms in France and French territory.

Forster Takes Leading Role In Free City

DEADWOOD, S. D., Aug. 24 (AP)—A coroner's jury decided today a 14-year-old girl, her mother and her father, found slain in their home early Wednesday, were victims of murder and suicide.

Coroner A. S. Jackson said his investigating jury found Edward E. Minard, 47, former Lawrence county sheriff, shot and killed his wife, Minnie, 47, and a daughter, Mabel Louise, 14, and then killed himself with a sawed-off shotgun.

A son of the former sheriff said his father had been "brooding" recently.

Iowan Dies Of Infection

AMES, Aug. 24 (AP)—James E. Kanealy, 31, of Ames, died here today of an infection the attending physician said resulted when he pulled a hair out of his nose.

The doctor said the irritation of pulling the hair produced a streptococcal infection that developed into a sinus thrombosis. The filling station operator was ill a week.

Moscow Session

MOSCOW (AP)—The supreme Soviet (the parliament) of the USSR was summoned yesterday for an extraordinary session on Monday.

Secretary Declares U. S. Not Offering Herself as Conciliator

German Officials Ignorant of Plea

BERLIN, Aug. 25 (Friday) (AP)—Government spokesmen who could be reached in the early morning hours said today they did not know whether President Roosevelt's peace appeal had already reached Adolf Hitler.

The indifferent tone with which they received the news spoke almost louder than words. The spokesmen professed complete ignorance of the message and therefore declined to comment.

'Torso Slayer' Ends Own Life

CLEVELAND, Aug. 24 (AP)—The suicide of the only person ever formally charged in Cleveland's 12 "torso" slayings added another question mark tonight to the five-year investigation.

Frank Dolezal, 52, brawny Bohemian-born bricklayer accused of decapitating Mrs. Florence Polillo, hanged himself from a clothes hook with a ragged towel at county jail, Sheriff Martin L. O'Donnell said. Coroner S. R. Gerber returned a suicide verdict.

Deputy Sheriff Hugh Crawford found the accused man's limp body and cut him down.
On two previous occasions, the sheriff said, Dolezal had attempted to end his life—first only three days after his arrest, when he attempted hanging with a shoe string, and later with his shirt, which broke.

Forster Takes Leading Role In Free City

DANZIG, Aug. 24 (AP)—Danzig's nazi party leader, Albert Forster, took charge of the Free City government today while the population waited tensely for some settlement of its fate.

The senate voted to make him chief of state, taking precedence over Arthur Greiser, hitherto head of the government as its senate president.

The city was quiet tonight, but where men were gathered there was a tendency to measure the future in days, if not hours.
Many foreigners hurried out. Wives and families of many Polish officials left for Poland.
Official assurance was given that no troops had marched across the East Prussian frontier, but it was not denied that thousands of German soldiers were quartered there.

The British consul general, E. H. S. Shepherd, advised British residents who could be reached, but said he was staying "until war breaks out, if it does."

All Want Peace

To Moscicki, the president said: "The rank and file of the population of every nation, large and small, want peace. They do not (See F. D. R., Page 6)

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Japanese Factories Remain Idle In War Boom

WHILE THE Japanese invasion of China has brought about a general boom in war industries at home and a serious shortage of certain kinds of skilled labor, on the other hand it has caused considerable unemployment among workers and small employers engaged in supplying the civilian population because of lack of raw materials. The Tokyo government is trying to solve this problem and has made an inquiry for that purpose.

This has shown, according to an article in the Chugai Shogyo Shimpo, that at the end of February 1939, the number of persons reduced to unemployment in consequence of the measures of mobilization of resources was 212,800, of whom 70,000 were employers working on their own account. Comparison with previous statistics showed that the number of unemployed wage earners had decreased by about 45,000 a month, as these had been absorbed by industries not affected by the measures for the mobilization of resources.

At the same time the number of employers without work had remained more or less stationary, so that the efforts of the Ministry of Welfare would be aimed at securing the absorption of this class of persons.

News From Germany

NEWS IN Germany is put through many a filter before it becomes available to the German reporter and through additional filters before the German public is let in on it, according to Louis P. Lochner, Associated Press correspondent in Germany. The Nazi theory is that close supervision of newspapers and other publicity best serves the country's interests.

Every day in Berlin in the various ministries and principal departments of government the press chief of that department—known in America as the public relations man—confers with the head of the department as to what news is available; what news shall be imparted to the representatives of the German press for their information only, but not for publication; what reply shall be given to this or that embarrassing question, etc.

From here this liaison officer goes over to the Ministry of Propaganda and Public Enlightenment. This ministry is charged with the control of the press and has a special press department just as it has one on radio, theater, film, literary output and various other cultural functions. At its head is Hitler's personal chief and confidant, Dr. Otto Dietrich who knows his master's mind as few Germans do.

From the reports of the various departmental representatives Dr. Dietrich obtains a pretty comprehensive picture of what news is available. Dietrich enjoys the advantage of knowing what is in Der Fuehrer's mind, how Hitler wishes the news to be handled and how he wishes to have the public prepared for coming events. He also knows many things that none of the departmental press chiefs know because they are outside their own field or because their minister or secretary of state, bound to secrecy by an oath with Hitler, does not dare reveal them even to his closest collaborators.

From this composite picture of news reports, plus personal knowledge the "Reichspreschef" or his deputy evolves a budget of news that is fit for the German press, and to a lesser degree, for the German public to know. Once a day the representatives

of the German Fourth Estate gather at the propaganda ministry for the daily press conference. Meanwhile the 30 odd sub offices of this ministry throughout Germany have been instructed on a special radio set-up what the government at Berlin deems advisable to give out.

All editors of papers are well grounded in Nazi principles and practice. They remain in closest touch with Nazi party officials and with the propaganda ministry.

German press representatives are not private individuals; they are licensed functionaries of Nazism. Further, the German newspaperman is under oath not to reveal information divulged at the press conference as confidential matter, nor even to reveal information which he may himself have gathered but which the ministry decides may not be published.

The result of all this discipline is uniformity of the day's news which has recently been responsible for so many consolidations of German papers.

Even purely local news may be held up for hours until the propaganda ministry has given its approval.

Comments of American addresses are often withheld for days or until Hitler can himself answer in a special radio address. Obviously under such circumstances an authentic official commentary is not available, and nobody can risk unofficial comment.

Lochner says the only way he can obtain a relatively complete record of the goings-on in Germany is to cultivate and widen his circle of friends and acquaintances. A remark of his barber, a conversation overheard in the street, an unusual emphasis in a public speech may put the foreign correspondent on the scent of a big story.

And that is the freedom of the press in Nazi Germany today.

No End Of Slacks

SEVENTY-FIVE per cent more men wore slacks this summer than they did in the last season, according to recently released figures and next year it is predicted there will be a further gain of 30 per cent, which either means that all and then some of America's males will have taken to the style or that the men who are now slacked afflicted will buy them in greater quantities.

Sixteen mills producing men's slacks suits yesterday began preparing for next season, with cottons, hosiery and spun rayon mixtures the preferred fabrics for 1940. Colors will be the very dark blues, browns and reds with more of the contrasting whites. Stripes are also promised in abundance.

Where the men have been satisfied with matching shirts and slacks this year, next year they will demand contrasting combinations and go in for various shades of the same color. A new shade of dark brown has also been developed and may reverse the trend away from browns and tans this year.

What strikes the reader most profoundly concerning men's styles for next year is the opportunity this prediction makes for the women to hand back a criticism they have long been receiving from the husky males to the effect that women are always planning their outfits for the season ahead. But look at the gallant males, would you! Not satisfied with what they will be donning to go to football games this fall or party in at Christmas time they are eagerly awaiting the summer season of 1940, and that with hardly the mud, score cards and paraphernalia of this year's sporting activities more than just days back. And what is even more startling is the fact that despite all their preparations ahead the men of 1940 will all be slackers.

Going To The Fair?

DES MOINES is playing host again this week to thousands of visitors to the state fair. It's a happy time in Des Moines because it is the vacation of many of Iowa's residents.

"Heigh ho! come to the fair" echoes a cheerful invitation to frolic, see and learn. A gay mid-way with entertainment for the whole family, exhibits of special interest to parents and the 4-H club programs for young people with all the carnival spirit of the season to add to the good time are awaiting visitors to the fair.

From most places in Iowa Des Moines is not more than hours away. It can be reached easily because of its central location. Perhaps some of the fair's visitors this year are first timers, they will thrill to the life of the fair and to the many sights, including the state capital, located in Des Moines. To all—here's to a happy vacation at the fair's.

THE MISSING LINK



A MAN ABOUT MANHATTAN

By George Tucker

NEW YORK — A gang of kids is standing around a truck in a parking lot on west Fifty-eighth street. It was the only truck in the lot. Surrounded by automobiles, it looked tall and imposing, with its black, shining top and sides. This truck didn't just "happen" to be there. Nor was it "by chance" the only truck in that particular lot. The man who drives it is careful to see that it is never hemmed in by other, and especially taller, trucks. It's a good stunt. On each side of the truck, in easily read script, are the words, "Bob Crosby's Orchestra." Bob's boys tote their instruments around that way. And it's a fine ad. You see it all around town, but always in conspicuous places, always where it will scream that name right out at you.

There may be nothing new to this, but I had never seen an outdoor motion picture theater for motorists until I ran into one outside of Milford, Conn. The screen is a big thing with a concrete background, and the "lot" is graduated in tiers, or levels. You simply drive in and park. If it pours a cloudburst that doesn't matter either. You just click your windshield wipers on, and enjoy the movie, which usually is an old one. The one I saw was "The Magnificent Obsession." It costs by person — not by car, the fee being 35 cents a head. Cars for miles had driven in from the surrounding country to catch the movie. Good idea!

If I were a young fellow just starting out in New York I think I'd try to fit myself for a job with one of the big air-conditioning companies. It is the biggest new business in New York. People have been air-conditioning theaters and public buildings for years, but in the last two years the idea has been embraced by thousands and maybe millions of "small" people — tea rooms, candy stores, offices, and apartments. Last summer you noticed it more than ever and this summer you notice it more than last. It is possible to walk from one end of the city to another through the most sweltering heat spells and keep cool by edging in and out of air-conditioned stores.

Almost every day I get letters from people wanting to know how they can get stories published. They want to know if there is someone to whom they can send their manuscripts who will "whip them into proper shape"; in other words, make them saleable. No, there isn't. There are people who claim to be manuscript "doctors," but I never heard of a successful one. If those people could supply the magic formula for YOUR manuscript, they would be turning out manuscripts themselves. The only worthwhile advice I can think of is to forget about the style of others, even those you admire, and just write — and write. Some day you may surprise yourself. But you never will get beyond the rejection slip stage if you ape other people and try to duplicate something that has already been done better than you can ever hope to do it.

HEALTH HINTS

By Logan Clendening, M. D.

We discussed yesterday the danger of the disease, and the improvement in surgical technique, in spite of continuous educational hammering of the public on the advisability of early operation, the death rate from acute appendicitis has steadily risen. In 1900 it was 8.7 per cent per 100,000. In 1936 it was 11.2. In Massachusetts in 1900 there were 243 fatal cases; in 1936 there were 490.

The causes of death from appendicitis are put forcibly by Dr. Frank K. Boland, of Atlanta, as "delay in operative treatment and promiscuous administration of purgatives before operation." For both of these the patient with his fetish for self-treatment is to blame. Disease is Very Old. Appendicitis is a very old disease, but only within modern times have the symptoms been ascribed to inflammation of the vermiform appendix. The appendix is a vestigial organ in man. In herbivorous animals it is very large and plays an important part in digestion. In man it is contracted down to a small, hard rod, lined with tonsil-like tissue. It is situated at the junction of the large and small bowels, attached to the head of the large bowel. It varies in size in different individuals from half an inch to nine inches in length; usually it is two or three inches long. Why Cathartic Is Dangerous. Appendicitis consists in the infection by germs of the lining membrane of the appendix. The infection may go on to pus formation. While the pus is confined within the appendix it does no harm, but it has a tendency to burrow, and may rupture through the wall, producing peritonitis. While this is localized it is not dangerous, but if the infection moves out and soils the entire peritoneum, a serious, usually fatal, issue results. Any movements of the intestine may produce this, and therefore any cathartic which causes intestinal movements is dangerous. Symptoms Vary Widely. The symptoms and signs of appendicitis may vary in a wide degree. Classically there is pain, nausea, vomiting, fever, tenderness in the abdomen, increase in the white blood cells and rigidity of the abdominal muscles. The pains begin in the pit of the stomach under the ribs, move to the navel, and then over the lower right section of the abdomen. But the pain may be anywhere because the appendix, being a free floating organ, may be anywhere. Nausea, vomiting and,

Stewart Says

Peace Efforts Of Hamilton Fish Draw Attention

By CHARLES P. STEWART, Central Press Columnist. Hamilton Fish Jr., republican representative from President Roosevelt's New York state congressional district, has attracted a good bit of attention recently while touring Europe, winding up as a delegate at the Inter-Parliament union's convention in Oslo, Norway.

True, the Union turned down his plan to preserve peace throughout the Old World on the ground that it was impractical. However, Ham Fish was heard from. The other delegates knew he'd been in attendance.

He probably was somewhat handicapped, in the fight he put up, by his reputation as an outstanding American isolationist. He has argued all along that, come what may, Uncle Sam should keep out of any overseas mixup. The overseas reasoned that, considering the unshakableness of his neutrality principles in the event that a row does start, it will become him to offer international advice in advance of such a contingency.

That Ham's a maximum isolationist there's no question. If anything, he goes even such enthusiasts as Senators Nye and Hiram Johnson one or two better. That is to say, doubtless they're just as isolationistic as he is, but he makes more noise about it—which is going some.

Representative Fish simply bulges with sincerity. In a queer way he's a very liberal republican, though he hails from an ultra-conservative congressional district. For instance, if the G.O.P.'s to stand any chance of a presidential victory in 1940, he asserts that it's got to put up a progressive candidate. He's dead against Franklin D. Roosevelt, but on the ground that the new deal basically is totalitarian — fascist, Nazi or some such thing.

He's a kindly soul. My, how he hates communists! But he wouldn't massacre 'em.

A number of years ago he started a congressional investigation of communistic activities in this country. It was much like Representative Dies' current investigation of un-American organizations in the United States, except that Dies is on the trail of nazis and fascists and communists, whereas Fish confined himself to the communists. This wasn't because Ham isn't as hostile to Hitlerism and Mussolinism as Dies is. The reason was that, at the Fish investigation's stage of the game, fascism hadn't gained much of a foothold in Italy, German Naziism was in its mere infancy, and Spanish Falangist-ism hadn't been invented at all. Communism was in full blast, however.

So Fish took what the market had to offer—communism. Gosh! —but did he give the communists headaches.

One day he handed out an interview to the effect that all communists ought to be segregated on an island. This thing of marooning folk you don't like "on an island" is no new proposition. Yet Ham was so especially insular in his recommendation that I thought I'd better get an explanation of insularity's particular advantages.

Accordingly, I chased down to the representatives' office building for detailed information. "Why," I asked Congressman Fish, "exclusively an island?" "Well," answered the representative, "I don't hold a brief exclusively for an island.

"It's convenient; that's all. "Segregate the cusses on the mainland and it'll be necessary to patrol their reservation constantly, or they everlastingly will be seeping through our picket lines and polluting the rest of the country. On an island a single cruiser can keep 'em bottled up effectually."

"Sure," I agreed, "but why not kill 'em?"

Ham looked shocked. "That," he said, "would be inhuman."

"A man with smallpox, like a man with one of these contagious governmental philosophies, has got to be quarantined. But you wouldn't kill him."

Now, I call that a tolerant attitude.

more rarely, fever may be absent.

In treatment certainly the greatest danger is the promiscuous administration of cathartics. This is usually done by the patient or family, on the ground that this pain is due to something you ate and the thing to do is to clean you out.

Statistics Show Effects. Statistics are given on this point. In a group studied when a laxative was given, 7 per cent died; where no laxative was given, 2 per cent died. When only one dose was given, 1 in 17 patients died. When multiple laxatives doses were given 1 in 5 died.

The promiscuous dispensing of cathartics by druggists for acute indigestion is happily on the wane. But enough exists to repeat the warning. When druggists learn that paregoric is better for acute abdominal pain than castor oil, a better mortality rate for appendicitis will arrive.

TUNING IN

with D. Mac Showers

BOB RIPLEY ... shows how a rock struck an amnesia victim in the head and started a chain of circumstances which led to the literary world's discovery of Mary Ernest Henley as a great poet, during his "Believe it or Not" program over CBS tonight at 8:30.

Ripley's guest will be the Rev. Dan McNally who will tell of his conversion from the worst criminal ever confined in Jefferson City, Mo., jail to a clergyman.

B. A. ROLFE'S ... orchestra furnishes musical background for the show with vocals by Linda Lee.

Something new in radio annals is the sponsor's plan to take their "It Happened in Hollywood" program, which stars John Conte and Martha Mears, touring.

IF PRESENT ... plans are worked out, the program will originate in St. Louis Monday, Sept. 4; in Chicago, Wednesday, Sept. 6, and at Austin, Minn., Sept. 8, Friday.

At Austin, where the sponsor's product is made, Conte and Mears will be entertained and shown through the company plants and factories, returning to Hollywood immediately thereafter.

KEN STEVENS ... currently one of the singing stars at the Earl Carroll theater restaurant in Hollywood, has been signed as vocalist on the new Joe Fenner program and is scheduled to debut on the NBC-Blue network Oct. 5.

Bess Brown, stage comedian, Gay Seabrook and Dick Mack also are scheduled for the show.

BRET HARTE, ... one of America's best-known literary men of the past and who immortalized the pioneer west in his stirring stories, will be featured on a special NBC-Blue broadcast at 6 o'clock this evening.

"The Outcasts of Poker Flat," one of the author's most noted and popular stories, will be dramatized on the program. The event is the 100th anniversary of the writer's birth.

THE CAST ... has not been announced beforehand, but will be a carefully picked group of players, and a specially written musical background will be presented.

"Why The Stars Wink" is the drama to be presented tonight at 7:30 over the "First Nighter" program. It is an exciting romance of the motion picture world.

TED HUSING ... will broadcast the interzone Davis cup finals between Australia and Jugoslavia from Chestnut Hill, Mass., today at 4:45 over CBS. The contests began yesterday.

The same commentator will microphone the Davis cup finals from Philadelphia for three days beginning Sept. 2.

FRANK GRAHAM, ... narrator-star of "Armchair Adventures," has won the title "Columbia's color commentator" as a result of his graphic description of the Inter-Tribal Indian Ceremonial, broadcast last week-end from Gallup, N. M., over the network.

AMONG THE BEST For Friday: 6—Cities Service concert, NBC-Red. 6:30—Johnny Presents, CBS. 7—Plantation party, NBC-Blue. 7—Waltztime, NBC-Red. 7:30—99 Men and a Girl, CBS. 7:30—First Nighter, CBS. 8—Guy Lombardo, NBC-Red. 8—Grand Central station, CBS. 8:30—Robert Ripley, CBS. 9—Dance music, NBC, CBS, MBS.

OFFICIAL DAILY BULLETIN

Items in the UNIVERSITY CALENDAR are scheduled in the summer session office, W-9, East hall. Items for the GENERAL NOTICES are deposited with the campus editor of The Daily Iowan, or may be placed in the box provided for their deposit in the offices of The Daily Iowan. GENERAL NOTICES must be at The Daily Iowan by 4:30 p.m. the day preceding first publication; notices will NOT be accepted by telephone, and must be TYPED or LEGIBLY WRITTEN and SIGNED by a responsible person.

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General Notices

Library Hours: From now through Sept. 20 the reading rooms in Macbride hall and library annex will be open Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 12 noon and from 1 to 5 p.m. and Saturday from 8:30 a.m. to 12 noon. Special hours for departmental libraries will be posted on the doors.

GRACE VAN WORMER, Acting director of libraries PH.D. Reading in German: For the benefit of graduate students in other fields desiring to satisfy the language requirements for the Ph.D. degree, reading examinations in German will be given as follows: Friday, Sept. 22, 3 p.m. All examinations will be given in room 104, Schaeffer hall.

H. O. LYTE, Landladies Notice: All landladies expecting to keep student roomers this year and whose rooms have been approved should list their room vacancies at the housing service office, Old Capitol, on or before Aug. 25. Vacancies reported after that date may not appear on the list used by students who are seeking rooms.

All landladies whose rooms have been approved previously but who have moved to new locations should notify the housing service (ext. 275) of the change in address immediately. All landladies who expect to keep student roomers for the first time this year and whose rooms have not been previously approved should call the housing service (ext. 275) at once.

ROBERT E. RIENOW, Dean of Men. Summer Employment: Men and women, students or non-students interested in earning board (three meals) during the summer, especially from Aug. 1 to Sept. 1, please register at the university employment bureau, old dental building, immediately. Most of these jobs, within university units—cafeterias, dormitories and the hospitals—occur at the meal hours.

LEE H. KANN, Manager. Recreational Swimming: The fieldhouse swimming pool will be open for recreational swimming from 2 p.m. to 8:45 p.m. daily during the three-week study period.

SCOTT'S SCRAPBOOK R. J. Scott



Dodgers Trip Cincinnati, 4-2; Cardinals Lose to Philadelphia

Tot Pressnell Holds Leaders To Eight Hits

Todd Clouts Homer In Sixth Inning To Pace Dodgers

BROOKLYN, Aug. 24 (AP)—Behind Tot Pressnell's eight-hit pitching, the Dodgers trounced the league-leading Cincinnati Reds 4 to 2 tonight before a crowd of more than 34,000 fans. The Dodgers showed three runs across in the fifth and added their final tally on Al Todd's homer in the sixth.

The victory was the Dodgers fifth in a row. For Pressnell, it was the fourth straight win and his eighth of the season against five setbacks. So effective was he, that the Dodger outfielders had only three fielding chances during the game. The Dodgers collected only six hits off Mill Shoffner and Lefty Lee Grissom, who took over in the eighth, but they bunched three of them in the fifth. Dolph Camilli, Todd and Tuck Stainback singled in order for the first run. After Leo Durocher was purposely passed, the second tally scored while Pressnell was being thrown out. Pete Coscarart's sacrifice fly sent the third one home.

The Reds did their scoring in the eighth on Nino Bongiovanni's pinch-sling, Billy Myers' double and an infield out.

CINCINNATI		A	B	R	H	O	A	E
Myers, ss	4	1	3	1	2	0	0	0
Koy, cf	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Goodman, rf	4	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
McCormick, lb	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lombardi, c	4	0	2	1	1	0	0	0
West, 3b	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Craft, p	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bordagaray, lf	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Riggs, 3b	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Shoffner, p	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bongiovanni, c	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Grissom, p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	35	2	8	4	9	0	0	0

BROOKLYN		A	B	R	H	O	A	E
Coscarart, 2b	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Lavagetto, 3b	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Koy, cf	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Parks, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Camilli, lb	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Todd, c	2	2	2	1	0	0	0	0
Stainback, cf	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Durocher, lf	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Pressnell, p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	20	4	6	2	12	0	0	0

CHICAGO, Aug. 24 (AP)—The years exacted a toll of six strokes from Walter Hagen's golf game today — but another veteran of the fairway wars, stocky Gene Sarazen, came through gallantly to take up the slack.

Gene Sarazen Scores 67 In Best Ball Meet

CHICAGO, Aug. 24 (AP)—The years exacted a toll of six strokes from Walter Hagen's golf game today — but another veteran of the fairway wars, stocky Gene Sarazen, came through gallantly to take up the slack. Hagen and Sarazen formed one of the eight all-star teams which opened first round play today in the best ball, round robin tournament commemorating Hagen's first national open victory scored 25 years ago at Midlothian Country club.

It was on the same course that Hagen and Sarazen matched shots with golf's younger stars today — and it was Sarazen who produced the more brilliant individual performance. "The Haig" needed 74 strokes for his round in contrast to the 68 he fired in that first round in 1914. Sarazen came home with a great 67, four under par and the best medal for the select field of 16 experts.

It was Sarazen's fine play which kept him and Hagen all even with Horton Smith and Paul Runyan in the opening skirmish of a four-day tourney in which the team taking the most holes will be named first place winner.

Two of golf's younger stars—Dick Metz of Chicago and Byron Nelson, the national open champion from Reading, Pa.—took honors for "plus holes" won. This combination finished two up on Denny Shute of Huntington, W. Va., and Ernie Harrison of Little Rock, Ark. Their medal scores were Shute 73, Harrison 73, Nelson 74 and Metz 71.

Tommy Armour, Chicago, and Jimmy Thomson, Shawnee-on-Delaware, Pa., finished one hole up on Ralph Guldhall, Madison, N. J., and Harold E. McSpaden, Winchester, Pa. Ed Dudley, Philadelphia, and Billie Burke, Cleveland, scored the same edge over Henry Picard, Hershey, Pa., and Johnny Revolta, Evanston, Ill. Revolta and Burke had 70's, Dudley 72, Picard 77, Guldhall, McSpaden and Armour had 69's and Thomson a 71.

Tennis Entries Reach Finals

John Ebert, Keith Weeber Score Triumphs In Doubles, Singles Matches

John Ebert and Keith Weeber, last year's doubles champs, have a chance to make a clean sweep of the third annual Iowa City Tennis tournament today, after smashing their way to the finals in both singles and doubles events of the tourney.

Ebert advanced to the finals of the singles by easily winning from Dale Hatch, 6-3, 6-1. The Ebert-Hatch match was expected to be very close, but Ebert was far too steady for his plucky little opponent, and took the match without much trouble.

Weeber had a much harder time with Chuck Owens, runner-up in last year's singles tourney, as he was forced to three sets before winning. Both Weeber and Owens played steady tennis with many long rallies, but Weeber was able to take two consecutive games with the score knotted at 5-all in the third set, and thereby won the match, 2-6, 6-4, 7-5.

Weeber and Ebert came one step nearer to their second doubles crown, by defeating Chuck Owens and Bob Huffman, 6-4, 6-4. The deciding factor in the match was the superior cooperation of the defending champs. Owens and Huffman were playing together for the first time, and their teamwork did not compare with the smoothness of the victors.

Ted Swenson and Charles Okerbloom stepped on the courts for the first time today, and went right to the finals, by defeating Vic Koelzer and Cleve Horke, 6-1, 6-4. The powerful strokes of Swenson and the clever angle shots of Okerbloom, were instrumental in the victory. Swenson and Okerbloom will meet Weeber and Ebert in the finals starting at 4:15 today.

Bob Simpson was the first junior to reach the finals, as he won a hard fought match from Rate Howell, 6-4, 9-7. He will meet the winner of the Tom Wurtuboh Merriam match, in the junior finals.

Herman Keiser Annexes Title In Iowa Open Golf Battle

Springfield, Mo., Professional Cards 218 for 54 Holes

DES MOINES, Aug. 24 (AP)—Lanky Herman Keiser, Springfield, Mo., professional who operates a driving range, won the Iowa open golf championship today with a total of 218 strokes for the 54-hole tourney.

The Missouri sharpshooter, who posted a 75 for the first round yesterday, came back with a 72 and 71 in the final rounds today as Johnny Kraft, the veteran Oelwein amateur, slumped on his last 18 holes after leading the pack by three strokes at the 36-hole mark.

Mel Harder registered his sixth straight win in the opener and Southpaw Al Milnar coasted to the easy nightcap victory.

PHILADELPHIA		A	B	R	H	O	A	E
Moses, rf	5	1	2	1	0	0	0	0
Amber, ss	4	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
Johnson, lf	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Tipton, 1b	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Hayes, c	3	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Brucker, c	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nagel, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
S. Chapman, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Loftis, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lodigiani, 3b	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ross, p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Master, p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Collins, p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	36	2	9	2	9	1	0	0

Chicago Ace Hurls Mates to Victory Over Boston's Bees

BOSTON, Aug. 24 (AP)—Claude Passeau won his 12th game of the season today as the Chicago Cubs defeated the Boston Bees 6 to 1, although they made but seven hits off Boston's Lefty Joe Sullivan.

Two Boston errors were major factors in the 11th victory for the Cubs in their last 15 contests. The Bees made 11 hits but couldn't make them count. Chicago scored twice after two were out in the first inning. With Galan and Bill Nicholson and a fielders' choice on Hank Leiber, Glenn Russell singled to left center sending two home.

The Cubs made another in the sixth after an error by Henry Majeski allowed Herman to reach first. Galan doubled him to third and Reynolds, who replaced Nicholson in right field, hit to Warstler, who threw to first as Herman raced home.

Three singles and a miff of Galan's belt by Outlaw accounted for the other three Chicago runs in the eighth. The lone Bee run came in the first. Outlaw singled, went to third on Garms' single to right field and scored after Nicholson's booming catch of Hasset's booming shot to deep right field.

CHICAGO		A	B	R	H	O	A	E
Hack, 3b	5	1	1	0	7	0	0	0
Herman, 2b	4	0	1	0	4	0	0	0
Galan, lf	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Leiber, cf	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Nicholson, rf	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Reynolds, 1b	4	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
Majeski, 3b	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Mattick, ss	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Macon, c	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Passeau, p	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	35	6	7	2	18	0	0	0

BOSTON		A	B	R	H	O	A	E
Outlaw, cf	5	1	3	0	1	0	0	0
Garms, rf	4	0	2	1	0	0	0	0
Hasset, 1b	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Cucinello, 2b	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Simmons, cf	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Majeski, 3b	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Warstler, ss	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mast, c	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sullivan, p	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	35	1	2	2	13	0	0	0

Score by Innings
Chicago.....000 000 000—6
Boston.....000 000 000—1
Runs batted in: Reynolds 3; G. Russell 2; Hasset 2; Cucinello 1; Majeski 1; Warstler 1; Mast 1; Sullivan 1.
Left on bases: Chicago 5; Boston 3.
Bases on balls: off Passeau 1; off Sullivan 1.
Umpires: Goetz, Pinelli, Reardon.
Time: 1:56.

Preps To Race Here Oct. 7

The fall championship races for high school distance runners, held at the University of Iowa, will occur Oct. 7 and 21, it has been announced by George T. Bresnahan, Hawkeye track coach.

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Yankee Steamroller Massacres St. Louis for 5th Straight Win

Tribe Batters Philadelphia In Twin Bill

CLEVELAND, Aug. 24 (AP)—The rejuvenated Cleveland Indians came back at the plate with a vengeance today, handing the Philadelphia Athletics double disaster with 10 to 2 and 17 to 2, trouncing in a doubleheader.

The Redskins landed on three hurriers in each contest for 13 and 16 hits, respectively. An 8-hit, 10-run spree in the sixth frame of the nightcap gave the home team a complete turn at bat. In this rally, Outfielder Bruce Campbell delivered two singles, driving in three runs. He also led a six-run spurge in the second inning of the first contest by tripling with the bases loaded.

First Baseman Hal Trosky came through in the opener with two home runs, his 18th and 19th of the season.

Mel Harder registered his sixth straight win in the opener and Southpaw Al Milnar coasted to the easy nightcap victory.

PHILADELPHIA		A	B	R	H	O	A	E
Moses, rf	5	1	2	1	0	0	0	0
Amber, ss	4	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
Johnson, lf	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Tipton, 1b	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Hayes, c	3	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Brucker, c	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nagel, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
S. Chapman, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Loftis, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lodigiani, 3b	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ross, p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Master, p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Collins, p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	36	2	9	2	9	1	0	0

CLEVELAND		A	B	R	H	O	A	E
Boudreau, ss	3	2	1	0	2	1	0	0
Campbell, rf	5	1	2	0	0	0	0	0
S. Chapman, cf	4	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
Weatherly, lf	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Trosky, 1b	4	3	1	0	0	0	0	0
Tracy, 2b	4	2	2	0	0	0	0	0
Keltner, 3b	5	1	4	1	2	1	0	0
Mack, 2b	5	0	3	0	0	0	0	0
Pott, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sewell, c	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Harder, p	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	38	10	17	2	10	2	0	0

Score by Innings
Philadelphia.....000 20 0 0—2
Cleveland.....120 010 05x—17 16
Runs batted in: Boudreau 2; Campbell 2; S. Chapman 2; Trosky 2; Keltner 2; Johnson 2; Tracy 2; Sewell 1; Harder 1.
Left on bases: Philadelphia 8; Cleveland 2.
Bases on balls: off Ross 4; off Potter 1; off Masters 1; off Sewell 1; off Harder 4 in 5.
Umpires: Giese, Reel and Ormsby.
Attendance: 2,500.

Pirates Down Giants, 4 to 3

NEW YORK, Aug. 24 (AP)—With the help of Elbie Fletcher's two run homer, big Max Butcher chalked up his second straight victory for the Pittsburgh Pirates today, pitching a six-hitter to nip the Giants 4 to 3.

Fletcher's four-bagger came in the second. Pep Young's single in the fourth drove in one run and Johnny Rizzo's long sacrifice fly in the fifth, after Fern Bell singled and Paul Waner doubled, sent the winning tally across.

Manuel Salvo lasted five innings and was charged with the loss. Butcher had only one bad inning, the eighth, when the Giants scored all their runs on three hits, and Young's error.

PITTSBURGH		A	B	R	H	O	A	E
Whitehead, 2b	3	0	0	4	0	0	0	0
McCarthy, 3b	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kampouris, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Moore, lf	4	1	2	0	0	0	0	0
Demaree, cf	4	0	2	1	0	0	0	0
Ott, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dunning, c	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Bonura, 2b	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Jurgas, ss	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Hafey, 3b	4	1	1	1	0	0	0	0
Salvo, p	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Seeds, c	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gumbert, p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ripple, p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Brown, p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	31	4	7	13	3	0	0	0

Score by Innings
Pittsburgh.....5 1 1 3 0 0—6
New York.....0 0 0 0 0 0—3
Runs batted in: Fletcher 2; Young 2; Vaughn 2; Salvo 2; Bonura 1; Jurgas 1; Hafey 1; Salvo 1; Seeds 1; Gumbert 1; Ripple 1; Brown 1.
Left on bases: Pittsburgh 3; New York 2.
Bases on balls: off Salvo 1; off Gumbert 1; off Ripple 1; off Brown 1.
Umpires: Giese, Reel and Ormsby.
Attendance: 3,441.

Gehring Stars In Tiger Win Over Senators

DETROIT, Aug. 24 (AP)—Charlie Gehring, rapping out three singles and a double in five trips to the plate, paced the Detroit Tigers to an 8 to 1 victory over Washington in the series opener here today. He batted in two runs, and scored twice himself.

Paul Trout, Detroit right-hander, scattered eight Washington hits. The Senators' only run came in the second inning on a walk, a balk and Rick Ferrell's single.

Ernie (Dutch) Leonard, Washington pitching ace, gave up seven hits and five runs, in six innings before he was lifted for a pinch hitter, Walter Masterson finished.

Hank Greenberg, after missing two games because of a wrenched muscle, returned to first base for Detroit. He failed to hit safely in two official times at bat.

WASHINGTON		A	B	R	H	O	A	E
Case, rf	4	0	1	2	0	0	0	0
Lewis, 3b	4	0	2	2	0	0	0	0
Watts, cf	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wright, 2b	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Travis, ss	4	0	2	1	0	0	0	0
Higgins, 1b	4	0	2	3	0	0	0	0
Prichard, lf	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Perrell, c	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Leonard, p	1	0	0	0	0</			

Local Entries Win High Honors in State Fair Competition

Dean Williams, Lloyd Propst 4-H Winners

Market Pig Event One of Earliest To Be Reported

Entries in the 4-H club market pig competition at the state fair yesterday were judged yesterday, and Iowa City entries were among those to receive high ratings.

Among the winners by class as reported by The Associated Press were these:

Poland China—1st, Gaylord and Thealburn Thompson, Eagle Grove; 2nd, (blue) Gaylord and Thealburn Thompson, Eagle Grove.

Blue ribbon winners—Arlen Houghland, Ames; Arlen Houghland, Ames; Carrol Parrish, Imogene; Carrol Parrish, Imogene; Kenneth Spangler, Eagle Grove; Dean Williams, Iowa City; Dean Williams, Iowa City.

Chester White—1st, Verle Sywassink, Muscatine; 2nd, Melvin Smith, Prairie City.

Blue ribbons—Bernard Ebbing, Eagle Grove; Bernard Ebbing, Eagle Grove; William Hitz, Polk City; Clair Hollander, Fairfield; Melvin Smith, Prairie City; Dean Williams, Iowa City.

Tamworth—1st, Lloyd L. Propst, Iowa City; 2nd, Lloyd L. Propst, Iowa City; blue ribbons—Beverly Howter, Woolstock.

Champion Tamworth—Lloyd L. Propst, Iowa City; 2nd, Beverly Howter, Woolstock; 3rd, Wayne Fox, Slater.

John Gurwell, Oklahoma Girl Wed Recently

Was Daily Iowan Managing Editor, University Student

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin E. Qualls of Ada, Okla., have announced the marriage of their daughter, Kathryn Kimes, to John Kleth Gurwell, son of Edward Gurwell of Chascon, which took place Aug. 23 in Ada.

Mr. Gurwell, who is a former student of the university, was at one time sports editor and later managing editor of The Daily Iowan. He was later employed on the staff of the Chicago Daily News.

At the present time he is connected with the publicity department of the public administration clearing house of the University of Chicago in Chicago, where the couple will make their new home.

Today Lady Golfers To Tee Off at 9 o'Clock

Several local groups will meet for business and social sessions this morning, afternoon and evening.

Mrs. Wilbur Tallman will be in charge of Ladies Day activities at the Iowa City country club today. Women golfers will tee off at 9 o'clock this morning. Luncheon will be served at 12 o'clock.

The American Legion auxiliary will entertain at its weekly card party at 2:15 in the Legion rooms of the community building.

Members of the Stith and Chatter club will meet this afternoon at 2 o'clock in the home of Mrs. C. D. Jennings, route 2.

Carnation Rebekah lodge, No. 376, will meet in regular session at 8 o'clock in the I.O.O.F. hall.

Euchre will be played by the members of the Eagle auxiliary and their guests this afternoon at 2:15 in the Eagle hall. The public is invited to attend.

Women of the Moose will meet for a ritual practice tonight at the Moose hall at 7 o'clock.

PERSONALS

Fern and Helen Dot Newcomer, 518 S. Capitol street, returned home yesterday from Greene, where they spent a week visiting friends. Greene is their former home.

Mary Louise Sheets, 1711 Muscatine avenue, will also attend the Alpha Xi Delta luncheon and bridge party tomorrow at the Outing club in Davenport.

It is an unwritten law of the United States senate that a new member shall remain silent on the floor the first year he is there.

Proof of a Real Fish Story



Thirteen Iowa City professional and business men last night were guests of H. I. Jennings, at Smith's cafe where they feasted on the 83-pound catch that Jennings brought back from a fishing trip to Vermillion lake at Sioux Lookout, Ontario, Canada, last Sunday. Included in the "fish story" catch were nine large muskies ranging in weight from 14 to 27 pounds and 10 salmon-trout averaging eight pounds each. And he brought proof to back up the tale—a statement signed by his guide and

the owner of the camp where he stayed. The catch was made in three days and the large fish was hooked on a bass rod using an 18-pound test line. Guests at the dinner were Ben Summerwill, Joe Gartner, Roy Koza, Earl Snyder, Harry Bremer, Dr. George Scanlon, Dr. Eddie Anderson, Vern Nall, Jack Illian, Roscoe Taylor, Roland Smith, Bill Summerwill and Del Wareham. Shown in the picture are Ben Summerwill, Roscoe Taylor, H. I. Jennings, the host, and Vern Nall.

Mrs. Earl Klein Guest of Honor At Farewell Girl Scout Party

Troop 10 Members Entertain for Captain Yesterday Afternoon

As a farewell courtesy to their captain, Mrs. Earl Klein, the members of Girl Scout troop 10 of the University high school entertained yesterday afternoon at a party in the home of Shirley Harper, 324 Hutchinson avenue.

The group presented the guest of honor with a poetry anthology volume. Two members of the troop, who will leave the city to make their homes elsewhere, received autograph books. They were Ann Cassat, who will move to Springfield, Ohio, and Mary Hawley, who will go to Omaha, Neb.

Twenty guests were present. Mrs. Klein will leave Iowa City tomorrow to make her home in Champaign, Ill.

Evans Grants Anna Krueger Divorce Here

Anna L. Krueger was granted a divorce from Herman J. Krueger yesterday by Judge Harold D. Evans on the grounds of cruel and inhuman treatment.

The couple was married in Iowa City Feb. 26, 1924. The plaintiff was awarded the custody of the three children and an order was issued by the court permanently restraining the defendant from molesting or interfering with the plaintiff or the children.

Dutcher, Ries and Dutcher represented the plaintiff in the action.

Judge Evans also granted temporary custody of one child to Dorothy Grolmus, who had previously filed a suit for divorce from James Grolmus in district court. The defendant, who now has possession of the child, was ordered to place it in the custody of its mother but he was granted the right to pay visits to the child. Permanent custody will be decided upon when the case comes up in the September term of court.

Wagner Auto Missing Here

A brown Chevrolet car belonging to Ralph R. Wagner, 1117 Keokuk street, was reported stolen to police in Iowa City last night.

The car disappeared between 7:30 and 11:30 p.m. A 1939 model, it bore license number 52-8781.

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NOW—ENDS SAT.
HEADING DRAMA
Adventure in Sahara
GENE AUTRY
SPRINGTIME IN THE ROCKIES
PLUS LONG RANGER—SERIAL

AMONG IOWA CITY PEOPLE

William Johnson and John Piper, both of Iowa City, flew to Des Moines, where they visited. The two plan to return today.

Mrs. Cora Bostwick of Evanson, Ill., is a guest in the home of her sister, Mrs. A. O. Thomas, 221 Melrose avenue. Mrs. Bostwick arrived Wednesday.

Mrs. Emma Randall, 321 S. Clinton street, and her daughter, Loie Randall, will leave tomorrow morning for Chicago. Mrs. Randall will remain there until Monday and then return home. Miss Randall will visit in Chicago several days longer and then go to Milwaukee, Wis., where she will be a guest in the home of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Randall. She plans to be gone about two weeks.

Dorothy Jean and Betty Keyser, 128 E. Fairchild street, and Jeanette Bryan, 365 Ellis avenue, will leave this morning on the Rocket for Chicago where they will spend the week end. Dorothy Jean and Miss Bryan will return to Iowa City Sunday evening. Betty will go on to Glen Ellyn, Ill., where she will visit Monday in the home of Lucy Ellen Johnson.

Mildred Dresselhaus, 322 N. Clinton street, left yesterday to spend several weeks visiting in the home of her parents in Parkersburg. Miss Dresselhaus will return to Iowa City in September to enroll in the university as a junior.

Norman Warner of North English spent yesterday visiting friends in Iowa City.

Clara Hinton, superintendent of the order department of the university library system, and her father, F. D. Hinton, 1127 E. Davenport street, have returned from a motor trip through the New England states. They also visited in New York City. Florence Hinton, another daughter of Mr. Hinton returned with them and will

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visit here for a short time. Florence Hinton is assistant librarian at Connecticut State college in New London, Conn.

Shirley Hegg, 217 E. Davenport street, Patricia Maruth, 423 E. Ronalds street, and Mrs. Kenneth Brinkhous, 123 Ferson avenue, will attend an Alpha Xi Delta luncheon and bridge party at the Outing club in Davenport tomorrow. Clare Walker of Davenport, a member of the local active chapter, is chairman of the affair.

Mrs. C. H. McCloy and son, Edward, 526 W. Park road, and Mrs. McCloy's sister, Mrs. Grace Keck of Marshall, Tex., will go to Des Moines today to visit relatives.

Prof. Grace E. Chaffee, 412 Bayard street, is spending the week visiting in the home of her son, Robert Chaffee, in Detroit, Mich.

Dr. and Mrs. R. A. Fenton and children, 1126 E. College street, have returned from a vacation trip to Lake Okoboji and the Black Hills.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles N. Showers and son, James, route 5, were business visitors in Sumner yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Guthrie, 410 Melrose court, have returned home from a vacation trip to Minnesota.

Dr. N. G. Alcock, 430 Brown street, will go to Chicago this week end, where he will meet his daughter, Jane, who has been spending her vacation attending the Joy camp at Hazelhurst, Wis. The two will then return to Iowa City.

Mrs. H. J. Long, 322 Melrose avenue, returned recently from a vacation trip to California. She visited in Pasadena and San Francisco. Her daughter, Shirley, who has been attending a summer camp in Maine, will return home this week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Van Alstine and daughters, Janet and Joan, of Omaha, Neb., are visitors in the home of Mrs. Van Alstine's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Williams, 8 Bella Vista place. The girls have been here for several weeks, and their parents came early this week. They plan to remain here a week or 10 days.

Martin L. Seitzer of Des Moines is a guest in the home of C. W. Keyser, 128 E. Fairchild street.

Shelter House Now in Making At City Park

A new shelter house is now under construction in the center of the picnic grounds at the City park at a cost of \$300.

The new structure will extend 50 feet in two directions, being "L" shaped, and is 24 feet wide. It will have a cement floor and a well will be provided for picnickers using the shelter.

There will be no side walls to the shelter and the roof will be supported by large posts hewn from trees in the park. Fire places on the picnic grounds are near the new building.

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Dates Named For Contests At University

6,000 Expected For Music Event Early in May

Dates for four of the University of Iowa's largest competitive events of 1940—the music festival, play production meet, forensic tournament, and the scholarship contest—have been announced by the extension division.

The 14th music festival, which attracts some 6,000 pupils, will occur May 2, 3, and 4. If the Iowa High School Music association follows the 1939 plan, pupils from the western section of the state will enter a festival at another location on the same dates.

High school casts will enter their play production meet March 25 to 30. During the latter part of that week, the forensic tournament for high school and junior colleges will occur.

The play production section for community and junior college casts is set for April 1 to 6. It is expected that the total number of casts in the two-section festival will exceed 125.

Smartest students, as determined by the "every-pupil" testing program of May 6 and 7, will compete in the 12th annual scholarship contest at the university June 4 and 5.

TODAY With WSUI

TODAY'S HIGHLIGHTS
L. O. Leonard, on the 7:45 History in Review program, will quote from an original letter he received from J. H. Harper dated from Miami, Fla., Jan. 25, 1931, giving an account of a snow blockade on the Laramie plains during the winter of 1868-69 which lasted 28 days.

TODAY'S PROGRAMS
8—Morning chapel.
8:15—American folk singers of Boston.
8:30—Daily Iowan of the Air.
8:40—Morning melodies.
8:50—Service reports.
9—Illustrated musical chats, Mozart, concerto for bassoon.
9:50—Program calendar and weather report.

10—Homemaker's forum.
10:15—Yesterday's favorites.
10:30—The book shelf.
11—Concert hall selections.
11:15—The little red schoolhouse of the air.
11:30—Melody mart.
11:50—Farm flashes.
12 noon—Rhythmic rambles.
12:30—Daily Iowan of the Air.
12:35—Service reports.
5:45—Organ melodies.
5:50—Daily Iowan of the Air.
6—Dinner hour program.
7—Children's hour, the land of the story book.
7:15—Poetic interlude, Barbara White.
7:30—Wings of Song, James Waery.
7:45—History in Review, L. O. Leonard.
8—Album of Artists.
8:45—Daily Iowan of the Air.

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Britain--

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were advised by Ambassador Joseph P. Kennedy to go home immediately.

Museums in London were closed and steps were taken to move art treasures to safer places; precious stained glass windows in Canterbury cathedral were being removed and taken to an unknown underground vault; all London school teachers were ordered to return from vacation and report at their schools Saturday to prepare for possible evacuation of children to the country.

The tenor of all this preparation was one of calmness and determination. This was a keynote sounded for the nation by tall, 70-year-old Chamberlain in a speech to the house of commons reviewing recent events and urging passage of the wartime emergency bill.

Free Hand for Hitler
Chamberlain told commons that Wednesday's diplomatic message to Chancellor Hitler, delivered by the British ambassador and restating Britain's position, was answered by Hitler with a demand for a free hand for Germany in eastern Europe.

Hitler added that any country which interfered was to blame for any war that might ensue, Chamberlain related. He implored Hitler to settle his dispute with Poland by negotiation, but he firmly repeated that Britain would stand by her pledge to assist Poland in event she resists a threat to her independence. "As we think, so shall we fight, as a united nation," he said. Commons arose and cheered this.

And the British press almost as a single voice stressed the nation's unity in support of Chamberlain in his course in the crisis.

In passing the emergency powers bill parliament agreed to these provisions:

King Given Power
The king shall have power to issue decrees having the force of law;

Any property or undertaking except land may be taken over by the government;

Any premises may be entered and searched;

The secretary of state may order any arrest he deems expedient; Judicial proceedings may be heard in secret if the court deems it expedient;

The government may put into operation immediately any measures considered necessary for the national safety, such as taking over railways and other transportation, controlling food supplies and directing defense against air attack.

The Chinaman laughs when told bad news—to fool the evil spirits in whom he believes.

University of Iowa Exhibition At State Fair Will Open Today

Temperature Rises Again Yesterday's High Within Two Degrees Of Normal For Day

Warm weather again returned to Iowa City yesterday but the temperature still failed by two degrees to reach the normal high set for the day.

Likewise, the low temperature recorded for the 24-hour period ending at 7 o'clock last night again dropped considerably below the normal low.

High temperature recorded was 81 compared to the normal for the day of 83. Low for the period was 52 with nearly 60 degrees set as normal.

No rainfall was recorded for the day, the university hydraulics department weather station reported.

Fair Officials Halt Youthful Peace Pickets

DES MOINES, Aug. 24 (AP)—Five youthful "pickets for peace" were ordered off the Iowa state fairgrounds today shortly after opening an "anti-war" campaign before a preparedness exhibit.

Fair officials said the picketing was halted because of exposition rules "prohibiting the distribution of advertising literature and carrying advertising signs in the fairgrounds."

The pickets, all college students and a unit of the Student Peace Service of the American Friends Service committee, immediately took up posts outside the fairgrounds. George Snyder, 22, of Chester, Pa., said other pickets may be called to the colors from Minnesota and Kansas to augment peace forces here.

The group carried signs saying "Houses, Not Cannons," "Protest This Exhibit as War Propaganda," and "Battleships are for Wars Overseas." Fair officials termed the war equipment display an "educational exhibit."

Under the title of "Memories," over 350 different tunes are said to have been published in the United States alone.

Work of Departments, Students, Classes Will Be Displayed

DES MOINES, Aug. 24 —(By Special Correspondent) — Everything was in readiness late this evening for the opening of the state fair here in Des Moines.

After days of preparation for this exhibition, recognized nationally as one of the leading exhibitions of its kind, carpenters and laborers laid aside their tools, executives sighed a breath of relief and one and all expressed the belief that tomorrow's official opening would provide Iowans something about which to talk for years to come — the 1939 state fair.

The University of Iowa exhibit, one calculated to give the people of Iowa a glimpse of the work carried on at the Hawkeye institution in the fields of art, science, engineering and journalism, was an early favorite, crowds flocking around the pavilion before the exhibit had been ready for public inspection.

Movies depicting life at the university will have a daily showing. Child welfare and correction clinical demonstrations will also be a part of the Iowa show.

Sculptors, painters, journalists all will have a part in the exhibition, an exhibition which is the talk of fair crowds and town crowds on the eve of what is expected to be the greatest opening day in state fair history.

Lost Boy Sharon Center Youth Goes to Fair

A nine-year-old Sharon Center youth, Carl Menel, yesterday saw the West Liberty fair after it was feared he had been lost after disappearing from his home Wednesday.

Parents recalled that the boy wanted to see the West Liberty fair, and, having been a former resident of West Liberty, they concluded that he would go there.

Unable to make the trip in one day, he slept in a field Wednesday night and continued on his way yesterday. A statewide police radio call was sent out for him following his disappearance but he was found yesterday by Mrs. Mabel R. Evans, county probation officer, who arranged for him to see the fair and then return home.

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It has been estimated that the various European powers are spending over \$50,000,000 annually to support their spy systems.

The United States national park service and biological survey bureaus have saved the trumpeter swan, largest American native waterfowl, from extinction.

The words of the song, "He's a Jolly Good Fellow" are modern, but the tune is said to be the world's oldest.

Falconry was so popular in the days of knighthood, that laws were passed limiting use of the best birds to kings and dukes.

Lesser nobles had the mediocre birds.

Goiter is almost unknown among the Japanese because they eat a great deal of sea food which contains iodine.

A California scientist has invented a non-reflecting glass. The ideal gift to send a homely girl?

The unluckiest girl is the one whose vacation occurs the last two weeks in September—when the sun-tan fad has passed.

Japan, we read, did not anticipate the great sums their invasion of China is costing. For one thing, they probably didn't figure on the cable tolls their repeated apologies are costing.

Daily Cross Word Puzzle

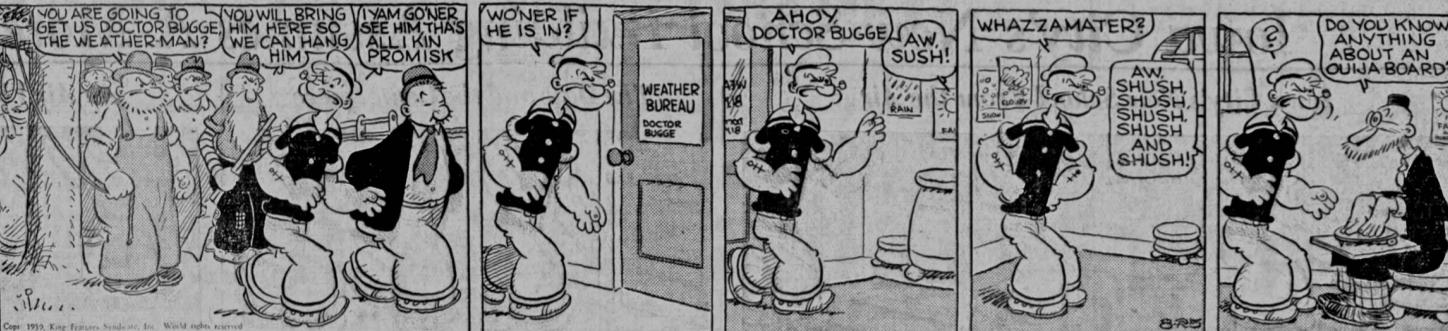
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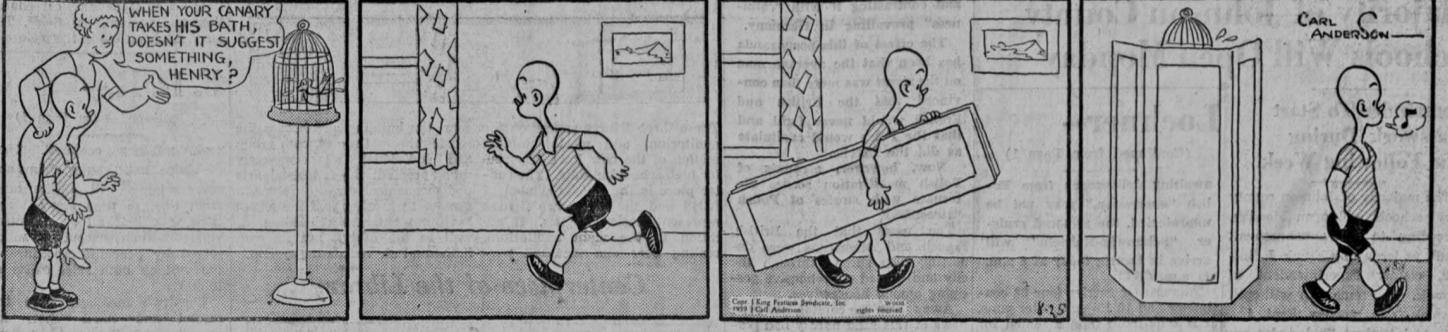
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Iowa City's New School Building Assumes A More Finished Air

Iowa City's New School From the Air



This air view of the new Iowa City senior high school shows the arrangement of the three buildings. In the center is the main classroom building in which are located the office, cafeteria, physics, chemistry and home economics laboratories. The little theater for use of dramatic classes is also in

the center building. The tower serves as the air intake for the large ventilating system. Seven different small systems serve the other buildings as well as certain laboratories and classrooms. The section on the right is the gymnasium building with three dressing rooms and a special correction-

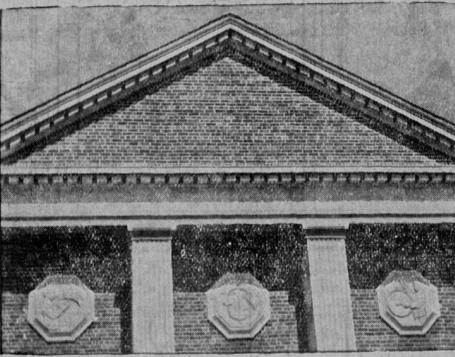
Iowa Air-Photo by SEVERT J. DAVIS

The Date and the Centerpiece



This ornamentation, showing the date of construction of the new Iowa City high school building, is directly above the main entrance of the central building of the school layout. Within the main entrance of this building are plaques listing the members of the school board and the school officers who have been responsible for the construction of the new building.

Symbols on Senior High Auditorium



These three figures appear on the auditorium and music building section of the new Iowa City senior high school building. The center piece is the official symbol of ICHS and the other two figures represent music activities. In addition to the main auditorium, seating over one thousand persons, the building also houses the music rehearsal rooms, both group and individual, all completely sound-proofed; the industrial arts and mechanical drawing rooms, a stage set workshop and the school heating plant. This building, as well as the others, has its own individual air ventilating system.

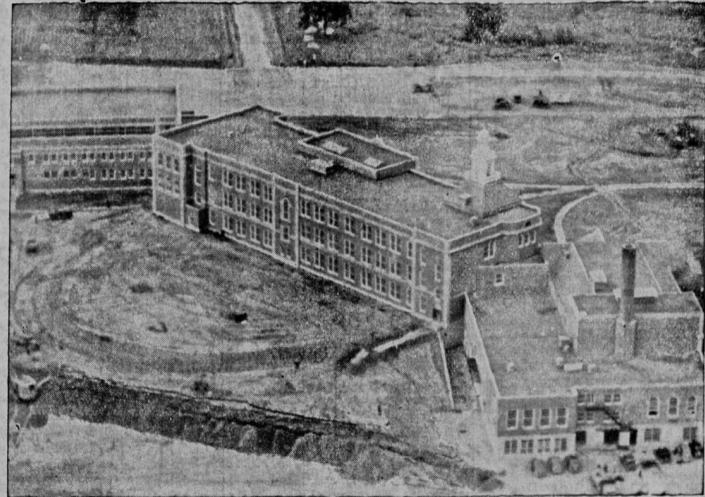
Centerpiece of the Library



This is the main entrance and the end. This room is furnished with blinds tinted blue to cast a soft, even light in the room for easy reading. This is on the second floor of the building; the main entrance shown here opens directly in the center of the hall at the top of the main stairway.

Atty. Harold W. Vestermark. Mr. and Mrs. Singleman were married in Iowa City June 30, 1936. This petition was filed by

An Air View From the Back of the New School



Mueller Photo, Courtesy Shaw Aircraft Company

This air view of the new Iowa City high school shows the building from the back where grading and sodding is now underway, constructing the football playing field as well as physical education and recreational fields. The large ditch visible in the picture is

a drainage ditch for the grounds; sodding is now underway on some parts of the grounds surrounding the building. Two parking places have been constructed and covered with crushed rock and packed down with a tar surface—one on the north and one on the south

end of the school. At the east end of the school grounds there will be a football bowl around which it is hoped will be, eventually, cement bleachers. When the \$750,000 school building is completed it will embody all the latest improvements for modern schools.

Majority of Johnson County Schools Will Open Monday

Remainder To Start Classwork During The Following Week

The majority of Johnson county rural schools will open Monday, according to an announcement made yesterday by Frank J. Snider, county superintendent of schools. The remainder will open a week from Monday, Sept. 4.

Superintendent Snider also announced that one school in each of five townships will not open this year, these being Fremont, Oxford, Monroe, Pleasant Valley and Sharon. This move was made necessary by the falling off of attendance in the localities.

One hundred twenty-eight schools were operated in Johnson county last year, it was announced, and 123 will be opened this year.

A meeting of all rural school teachers is scheduled to take place in the courthouse tomorrow morning at which time they will receive their teaching supplies from the county superintendent.

Today new teachers in Johnson county and teachers beginning for the first time will meet with the superintendent.

The total enrollment in rural schools for last year was 1,865, according to the county superintendent's annual report issued yesterday. Rural pupils in city and town schools totaled 3,466.

Rural schools of the county were valued by the report at \$18,908,864 and schools in the cities were listed at \$16,203,387.

Receipts in the general fund totaled \$601,243.53 for both rural and city schools and district tax receipts totaled \$372,138.25 last year. Tuition receipts amounted to \$369.54 in rural schools and \$20,606.54 in the city schools.

The report gave general expenses as \$137,873.15 in rural schools and \$286,644.38 for city schools. The balance on hand in the rural school fund is \$50,964.42 and in the city schools fund, \$125,761.58.

Buttermakers Vie for Title

Johnson County Man Entered in Contest At Iowa State Fair

Ernest C. Asleson on Lone Tree in Johnson county has entered the statewide contest to choose the champion buttermaker of Iowa at the 1939 Iowa state fair, according to announcement of entries made today by state fair officials.

The local buttermaker has entered a 20-pound tub of butter in competition with 93 other leading buttermakers of the state. The prize butter show, a part of the big dairy show at this year's fair in Des Moines carries with it \$700 in cash prizes besides gold, silver and bronze medals and diplomas.

The contest will be determined on the basis of 45 for flavor, 25 for body, 15 for color, 10 for salt and five for package. All butter scoring 92 or better will receive a special diploma of merit and the three highest tubs will win medals in addition to the cash prizes.

Lochner--

(Continued from Page 1)

awaiting deliverance from Polish "oppression," may not be unprotected, the armored cruiser "Schleswig-Holstein" will arrive in Danzig today at 8 a.m. (1 a.m. CST).

This cruiser carries four 28 centimeter and 10 15-centimeter guns. It is thus more than a match for the Polish fortress of Hel.

Also, with its 13,000 tons it has bigger tonnage—according to German belief—than the whole Polish fleet put together.

In other words, as Danzig has not had time to build her own forts, she will have a swimming fortress equal to anything the Poles may pose against her.

Such was the picture at midnight. What nobody could answer was: Just when will Adolf Hitler press the button for the "police action" in Poland?

And yet another question which nobody, not even Hitler, could answer was: What will the Poles do? And finally: What will England and France do?

Hitler flew suddenly to the capital last night for his vital show-down talks.

Little Danzig produced ominous news, and the nationals of Britain, France and the United States were getting out of Germany as quickly as they could as Germany's fuhrer and his prize statesman came together in Berlin.

Hitler made his surprise landing at 5:50 p.m. (10:50 a.m., CST) followed by four other trimotored Junkers planes, bringing his immediate staff from his Obersalzberg chancellery.

A very small crowd saw the fuhrer come back and but few "heils" were heard.

Hitler looked cheery and tanned and he smiled as he stepped from the plane with his arm raised, saluting foreign officials in black and silver trimmed diplomatic uniforms. They had been waiting for von Ribbentrop to return from Moscow with the pact.

Spotting the Italian ambassador, Bernardo Attolico, Hitler smilingly stepped up to him and shook hands, his eyes literally sparkling. A few minutes later the fuhrer and his staff drove away to the chancellery.

A scorching sun was about to set as the two four-motored Condor planes approached the air-drome from the east, bringing von Ribbentrop and his entourage back from Moscow.

Attolico patted Germany's foreign minister on the back and said in English, "It is big work, beyond all praise."

Von Ribbentrop left the air-drome at 6:45, driving straight to the chancellery to deliver his report.

As soon as the fuhrer's standard was raised over the chancellery in the Wilhelmstrasse, silent crowds gathered in front of the leader's residence.

In the chancellery court yard soldiers and elite guard troops raced about.

Millions of Germans went to bed realizing for the first time that other than a peaceful walk into Poland may be in the offing. The press at last was giving publicity to preparations for war in other countries.

The official German news bureau also gave a rather full account of what Prime Minister Chamberlain told the house of commons today.

and contrasting it with "calmness" prevailing in Germany.

The effect of this propaganda has been that the average man on the street was more than convinced that the British and French would never fight and that the Poles would capitulate as did the Czechs.

Now, however, accounts of Polish mobilization scenes alternate with stories of Polish "atrocities."

The news that the British, French and Americans were departing also spread through the city and caused apprehensive gossiping among housewives.

Away from the capital, however, news of this kind hardly had percolated.

The provincial press still was jubilating over Hitler's "stroke of genius" in arranging for the non-aggression and consultative pact with Soviet Russia. To the provincial press, the question of a Polish war still seemed distant.

The most ominous news of the day, from certain points of view, from Danzig.

There a new position, that of "head of state," was created, and Hitler's trusted lieutenant, Albert Forster, was designated as the city's new chief executive.

This seemed to indicate that Hitler wants this man to be in full command during the days immediately ahead.

Political circles were quick to point out that as chief of the Free State, Forster has the right to call for help from Germany if and when he sees his "country" endangered. They spoke of this in the light of the DNB (German news agency) report of Polish troops "encircling" Danzig.

This, these circles said, could give Forster the cause for asking German assistance.

The importance of the DNB dispatch was indicated in the concluding words of the official radio news broadcast at 10 p.m. (3 p.m., CST). The announcer said "danger is imminent. Danger is imminent."

The second piece of sensational news from Danzig was a series of official DNB (German news agency) reports stating that three commercial planes flying the German flag had been shot at by the Poles.

And tonight, this official German news agency said Danzig was surrounded by Polish troops and that there was danger of a coup d'etat.

All these things seemed to indicate that the "casus belli" might soon be found.

Nevertheless, hope continued for an 11th-hour miracle to stave off war.

The miracle performer, in the eyes of German officialdom, might well be Col. Josef Beck, the Polish foreign minister.

Men who should know contended "the thread between Colonel Beck and Hitler has never been torn."

Beck, it was thought, might possibly come to Berlin much as President Emil Hacha of Czechoslovakia did last March, and place Poland under Germany's "protection."

These quarters further asserted that Soviet Premier Vyacheslav Molotov was putting pressure upon Beck and the Polish government.

Two Petitions Asking Divorce Filed in Court

Two petitions for divorce were filed in district court yesterday, one by William H. Singleman seeking separation from Dorothy Singleman, and the other by Violet Gorman asking separation from Stephen Gorman. Both petitions ask for divorce on the grounds of cruel and inhuman

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