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## Lewis' Attack on F. D. R. Prompts Talk He'll Back Wheeler

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24 (AP)—John L. Lewis' warning that a Roosevelt third term attempt faces "ignominious" defeat caused a sensation in Washington today and prompted new talk that he will throw his support to Senator Wheeler (D-Mont) for president.

His speech at Columbus, Ohio, was widely regarded as the opening of a campaign to influence the democratic platform and ticket-making, and it was recalled that he has been making friendly gestures toward Wheeler.

His charges that the democratic party had broken faith with labor came as a shock to new dealers, and several of them were quick to dispute it. In addition, Senator Norris (Ind-Neb) contested Lewis' statement that President Roosevelt could not be re-elected. Norris said there is "not a man in sight in either party to take his place."

Republicans took pleasure in the Lewis blast, regarding it as a split in the labor support that helped Mr. Roosevelt attain his tremendous victory in 1936.

Senator Davis (R-Pa) remarked:

"All I can say is, let the brethren fuss."

There was no direct comment at the White House, but Stephen Early, presidential secretary, said: "On the other side of labor, we see Mr. Green (William Green, president of the AFL) coming in here and doing a very nice thing."

(This was a reference to plans for the bakery and confectionery union to present Mr. Roosevelt with a giant birthday cake today, plus \$5,800 in AFL donations for the national campaign against infantile paralysis. As it happened, Green arrived with the \$5,800 but without the cake, because it had been broken in a truck jolting over Washington's snowbound streets. Bakers were set to work repairing the pastry so it may be presented tomorrow.)

While many persons in the senate and house were reluctant to discuss the Lewis speech, Senator Gillette (D-Iowa), who has expressed opposition to another term for Mr. Roosevelt, said his position was based on the desire to maintain the anti-third term tradition "and not on any effort to criticize the Roosevelt administration."

"I believe that the record of the last seven years regarding labor legislation," Gillette declared, "would fully justify all labor organizations in continuing to support the democratic party, whoever the democratic nominee may be."

Lewis' statement raised to three the number of potential democratic candidates toward whom he has indicated displeasure. Only yesterday, Lewis termed Paul V. McNutt a "political adventurer." He had referred earlier to Vice President John N. Garner as a "labor baiting, poker playing, whisky drinking evil old man."

Some senate observers said Lewis' policy seemed to be pointed toward disapproving one candidate after another until he had narrowed the field to the one he wishes to support.

Whether Lewis could command the full support of the United Mine workers for or against any candidate was an unanswered question. Several of the mine workers' sister unions in the CIO already have endorsed Mr. Roosevelt for another term.

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## Barely Miss German Boat In Air Raid

### Finnish Land Armies Ensnare Soviet Force North of Lake Ladoga

HELSINKI, Jan. 25 (Thursday) (AP)—Soviet bombers, swarming again over Finland, yesterday sank a Finnish ship with a shower of bombs in the Aland Archipelago and tried to bomb a German vessel while Finnish land armies maintained a steel trap around a big Soviet force cut off from Helop northeast of Lake Ladoga.

Dumping 10 or 15 bombs, the planes sank the 1,133-ton Notung, of Finnish registry, at Sotunja, a small island in the eastern part of the Archipelago. Other bombs barely missed a German ship, unnamed in dispatches reaching here, which had run aground nearby. A third ship, also unidentified, was machine-gunned from a plane near the island of Houtskar.

Soviet Air Power

The aim of the Soviet aviators was so poor that not a direct hit was scored on the Notung, but one bomb fell close enough to cause a leak. After the Notung had foundered, the planes were reported to have machine-gunned the crew as they rowed toward shore, but no one was hit.

Waves of five, 10 and 15 planes bombed Kuhmo, in eastern Finland, damaging one frame building and firing another. The towns of Vuokatti and Taivalkoski also were bombed and the populations machine-gunned.

For the third consecutive day the Finns, northeast of Lake Ladoga, repulsed and inflicted heavy losses on red army units trying to batter through to the relief of the marooned Soviet divisions, on the flank of the Mannerheim line.

Important Developments

Excitement was mounting in Helsinki where the Finns said important developments were only half revealed by laconic Finnish communiques.

Today the army communique said: "The enemy attacked . . . in the greatest strength at Kollanajoki and Aittojoki. All attacks were repulsed. The enemy's losses in this fighting were very heavy."

Yesterday the communique said that in the "fighting at Kollanajoki the number of enemy dead was mounted during the past two days to upwards of 1,000."

Monday's communique said the Russians had lost 570 dead in fighting about Aittojoki and Kollanajoki.

That was the official version, but the unofficial version of what is happening was like this:

Early in the Finnish invasion, the Soviet generals sent large forces (See FINNS, Page 8)

## Britain Will Assist Belgium If Little Neutral Is Attacked

### Chamberlain Will Fulfill Pledge of '25

#### Government Retains Privilege To Define Meaning of 'Attack'

LONDON, Jan. 24 (AP)—Prime Minister Chamberlain, avoiding a stand on the subject of a break with Russia, today the house of commons told that Great Britain was ready at any time to fulfill its pledges to Belgium.

Reviewing treaties and declarations from the signing of the treaty of Locarno in 1925 to as late as last August 27, a few days before Germany invaded Poland, Chamberlain said Britain had undertaken "to go to the immediate assistance of Belgium in the event of unprovoked aggression by Germany."

Retains Right To Define

Under these pledges the British government retains the right to decide what constitutes aggression or threatened attack.

While the prime minister dealt in general terms with this and other issues of foreign policy, three German bombers thoroughly scouted the Shetland islands for two hours and dropped eleven bombs, all of which fell harmlessly into the sea or on land.

Some of the bombs were aimed at a trawler and a steamer. The trawler disappeared in a high cloud when British fighters went after them.

13th Attack

It was the thirteenth attack on the Shetlands, off the north coast of Scotland, since the start of the war.

Chamberlain avoided a direct reply when asked whether Britain would break off relations with Russia. Such a move, he said, "would require most careful consideration in all its aspects."

He declined to reply to a further inquiry from Major General Alfred William Fortescue Knox as to whether a break with Moscow would not be "logically and morally right" and "politically sound."

### Misconduct Results In Retirement For Japanese Captain

TOKYO, Jan. 25 (Thursday) (AP)—Capt. Yoshisada Watanabe, master of the Japanese steamer Asama Maru, was retired from active service today by the owners, the Nyk line, on grounds of "misconduct" in connection with the halting of the steamer last Sunday by a British warship which took off 21 Germans.

Capt. Watanabe's retirement was not further explained.

The master reported last Sunday, after the steamer was halted in sight of Japan's shores, that he first protested there was "no reason why the Germans should be handed over."

A fist fight was said to have occurred between one of the German passengers and a British sailor.

### House Fails To Override Relief Veto

#### Government Refund To Ohio Killed; Republicans Angry

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24 (AP)—Crying "Politics" and "Hitlerism," republicans sought but failed today to induce the house to override a Roosevelt veto of an Ohio relief bill.

Speaker Bankhead announced the vote as 171 to uphold it. Since a two-thirds vote is necessary to pass legislation over a veto, the relief bill was killed.

The issue was whether the government should make a refund to Ohio for payments which the Social Security board withheld in October, 1938, on the ground that Ohio's old age assistance plan was administered irregularly. The state claimed \$1,338,000.

President Roosevelt based his veto on the contention that the payment would set a precedent and lead states to believe that they could violate federal aid standards "with impunity and still get their money."

He expressed hope that his veto would "serve notice on every state in the union that all kinds of federal aid must be conditioned on full compliance with the federal law."

As soon as the message was read to the house, administration leaders tried to thwart a vote on overriding the veto by referring the matter to a committee, but republicans howled down the move.

On the roll call, some democrats joined the republicans in voting to override. They held that complete denial of the funds to Ohio as reimbursement for money the state already had spent for social security aid was too severe a penalty.

Abuses Corrected

Rep. Bender (R-Ohio) branded the veto "sheer political vindictiveness," and Rep. Vorys (R-Ohio) asserted that it "deliberately ignores the most important fact in the situation—that a clean republican governor has corrected every abuse that was charged."

Martin L. Davey, a democrat, was governor at the time the grant was withheld. He denied complaints that he used the state pension system for political purposes.

"Now the guiltless are to be penalized for wrongs of others that have already been righted," Vorys added, "in order to strike terror in the hearts of all who question the rulings of the central bureaucracy."

"That is the policy of Hitler—a bill of attainder against a whole state. It cannot be tolerated if we are to remain a democracy."

### GERMANS POLICE VITAL RAILWAY



This Central Press map shows the Rumanian-Polish-German railway which is being policed in Russian Poland by German troops following consent of Russian authorities. The Germans had complained to Moscow that vital shipments of wheat and oil from Rumania were being delayed or lost in transit on the road.

## Cold Wave Attacks United States Anew

### Arizona Extradition Refusal Called Assinine By County Attorney

COUNCIL BLUFFS, Jan. 24 (AP)—County attorney Roy W. Smith said today he will make further attempts to return Mrs. G. W. Tyler to Council Bluffs, from Phoenix, Ariz., despite the "assinine action" of Governor Bob Jones of Arizona in refusing to grant the request of Iowa authorities for extradition papers.

Mrs. Tyler was indicted by a grand jury here on charges of conspiracy to obtain money by false pretenses.

He added that he would confer tomorrow with Cloyd I. Level, Des Moines representative of the state's attorney general's office, here attending federal court, on the possibility of charging Mrs. Tyler with using the United States mail to defraud.

Smith declared he had discussed the latter charges with postal inspectors H. H. Smith of Phoenix and James Nelson of Omaha.

### Frigid Air Moves East Over Nation

#### Highways Blocked, Classes Suspended In Southern States

(By The Associated Press)

A new cold wave, stupendous snow storms and buffeting winds plagued a winter-weary nation yesterday.

Temperatures fell in the path of a mass of frigid air moving eastward across the midwest while huge mounds of snow isolated many communities in the south and east.

Snow hills scaling up to 10 feet in height blocked all highways in eastern Virginia before the skies cleared. Danville's mayor termed the 21.7 inch fall there the heaviest in 40 years. Richmond's 16-inch burden was the deepest since 1908. Gales of 40 to 50 miles per hour lashed the state's coast but the blow eventually passed out to sea.

17-Inch Snow in Delaware

The storm left as much as 17 inches of snow in lower Delaware. Eight foot drifts formed in some sections. Business idled, and schools were closed in the snow-bound centers.

Southern West Virginia was coated with 15 inches of snow. Most of the land in the Carolinas was covered. High Point, N.C., had an 18-inch deposit, greatest in 10 years. Newberry, S.C., measured an 8-inch blanket, thickest in a quarter century. Flakes piled up to 15 inches in eastern Tennessee for the first time since 1900.

Seven to 10 inches of snow fell in southern New Jersey. Numerous roads in southern Maryland were blocked in the wake of two to 18 inches.

Many hamlets in upstate New York were still cut off by snow hummocks eight to 10 feet high. Plows opened a path to the village of Barnes Corners after it had been marooned for six days. Watertown, N.Y., in the storm sector, recorded a temperature of 7 below. Maensha had a minimum of -18.

More than 2,000 men were assigned to the task of clearing Washington streets of 9.5 inches of snow, the highest since 1936. Schools suspended classes at noon.

Thousands of students in the south enjoyed a holiday. Dixie, from Texas to the Atlantic seaboard, struggled through a snow coverlet that ranged in depth from two to 20 inches.

## Four-Day Sea Warfare Toll Approaches New Record

### Captain Who Reported Mistaken S. O. S. Call Arrested, Convicted

BOSTON, Jan. 24 (AP)—A retired U. S. army officer, whose mistaken report of an S.O.S. call sent eight service vessels searching for a non-existent "sinking ship with 146 persons aboard," said tonight he would "do it again" if he heard another broadcast as realistic.

Captain Byron C. Brown, 48, arrested and convicted on an intoxication charge as a climax to last night's futile hunt for the supposed vessel south of Cape Cod, conceded afterward he probably had confused a dramatic radio program for a distress call.

### 21 Vessels of Nine Nations Sunk By Submarines, Mines

(By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS)

An outburst of sea warfare during the past four days indicated yesterday that the 21st week of the conflict might be the most disastrous of the war.

Mines, planes and submarines were blamed for 21 sinkings reported since Sunday. That figure was only 13 below the worst full week of the war, when 34 ships went down, and topped all but four weeks.

Nine nations have lost ships since Sunday; Britain was the chief loser with eight, including the British destroyer Exmouth, "mined or torpedoed" with a loss of possibly 200 lives.

Four other losses were reported yesterday:

### \$20,000,000 Loan Voted For Finland

#### Clears Committee On Banking in Senate; Faces Greater Block

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24 (AP)—Legislation authorizing the export-import bank to lend Finland a maximum of \$20,000,000 cleared the senate banking committee today, but faced a possibly steeper obstacle in the foreign relations committee.

By a vote of 18 to 2, with only Senators Taft (R-Ohio) and Danaher (R-Conn) voting in the negative, the banking committee approved a revised bill by Senator Brown (D-Mich) to expand by \$100,000,000 the lending authority of the bank.

Three restrictions, however, were provided:

1. That a cumulative total of not more than \$30,000,000 be lent to any one nation or business firm. (Finland already has been granted a \$10,000,000 credit by the bank).
2. That no loan be made for the purchase of arms, ammunition and implements of war, as defined in President Roosevelt's 1939 neutrality law proclamation.
3. That no loan be made in violation of international law, as interpreted by the state department.

Although Finland was not mentioned in the legislation, Senator Brown told reporters he thought Jesse Jones, federal loans administrator, "will understand that congress wants to make a loan to Finland if it is safe to do so."

### 5,000 Honor Marshall Wu At Funeral

PEIPING, Jan. 24 (AP)—A million funeral parade today of 5,000 individuals, brass bands, flute bands, chanting monks and yellow-robed lamas honored Marshal Wu Pei-Fu, the model war lord who bitterly defied Japan.

It was the most elaborate funeral here in 30 years—since the death of the empress dowager in 1908. Wu's body was in a huge catafalque on the shoulders of 80 coolies clad in ancient ming costumes.

Ahead of the catafalque marched the family mourners, clad in white and surrounded by a portable tent—to protect them from the stares of spectators; and bearers of hundreds of eulogistic plaques.

Behind were carried 100 paper effigies of Wu's favorites aides—his cook, his chauffeur, his bodyguards and others—all of which will be burned later, to carry over the aides' beneficent influences into the next world.

Peiping's most celebrated money-thrower emerged from several years retirement to toss bunches of currency into the sky near the funeral procession, to invoke the influence of spirits.

Occasionally the solemn procession was interrupted by Japanese army truck drivers insisting on passing through the dense traffic.

Wu died suddenly of blood poisoning on Dec. 4. His record is known to every Chinese because he always paid his troops and never permitted looting. He had been in retirement since 1927, steadfastly refusing Japanese demands that he emerge to head a regime cooperating with Tokyo.

### Netherlands Rejects Idea Of Churchill

#### All Dutch Parties Agree Action Not Way To Collective Safety

THE HAGUE, The Netherlands, Jan. 24 (AP)—Representatives of all parties tonight rejected, during a foreign affairs debate in the Netherlands first chamber, the thesis of Winston Churchill that the collective safety of Europe's small neutrals lies in "united action" with Great Britain and France.

The British first lord of the admiralty advanced this thesis in a radio speech last Saturday night.

Today's Dutch speakers voiced approval of the neutral foreign policy of Eduard Van Kleffens, Netherlands foreign minister, who will close the debate tomorrow. Churchill's speech was assailed vigorously and unswerving neutrality was applauded as the only course for Holland.

Right to Neutrality

"Holland has a moral right to neutrality and has nothing to do with endeavors like those of Churchill to draw us into battles for which we have not a single responsibility," declared Prof. B. De Savornin Lohman, member of the Christian historical party of Premier Derek Jan De Geer.

Britain and France, not the neutrals, "have killed collective security," said Lohman. He suggested, also, that the Netherlands stay aloof from Soviet Russia and the league of nations alike.

Members of the Catholic party asked why Churchill had addressed himself to small European neutrals instead of to the United States, Italy and Japan.

One speaker contended that membership in the league of nations was not dangerous to Dutch neutrality but declared neutrals, en bloc, should refuse to cooperate in any projected international organization for settlement of European problems after hostilities cease.

Cites Versailles Lesson

"We must understand the lessons of Versailles and Geneva," he said.

Both Prime Minister Chamberlain of Great Britain and Premier Daladier of France have spoken hopefully of some sort of a United States of Europe after the war is over.

### Trade Laws Misused, Says Peek

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24 (AP)—George N. Peek, one-time farm administrator and trade adviser in the new deal, charged today that whoever was responsible for administering the reciprocal trade treaty law had practiced fraud and deception upon congress.

Declaring the act had been used to effect a general tariff reduction, he contended that congress had had no such purpose in mind when it authorized reciprocal trade agreements with other nations.

Meanwhile 11 women's organizations meeting here in the 15th annual conference on the cause and cure of war adopted a peace program urging renewal of the act.

Peek, former Moline, Ill., farm implement manufacturer who left the administration in 1935 because of policy differences, made his accusation before the house ways and means committee, which is considering extension of the act. It brought a demand from Chairman Doughton (D-NC) that the witness specify to whom he referred but Peek did not do so.

## St. Lawrence Waterway Project Moves Step Forward

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24 (AP)—A gigantic St. Lawrence waterway project, revised to meet the objections of senators who defeated it in 1934, moved a step nearer realization today when engineers of the United States and Canada reached a "substantial agreement" on the project's feasibility.

On behalf of delegations from both countries, the state department issued a joint statement asserting that the next move would be a decision by the two governments on matters of policy.

The basic cost of the project has been estimated at around \$250,000,000. Engineers say that between five and seven years would be required to complete a seaway from the Atlantic to the Great Lakes, but that power development phases could be completed in much less time.

The engineering advisers of the two governments, the announcement said, "have reached substantial agreement on the feasibility and desirability of a project in the International Rapids section of the St. Lawrence river which would involve a main dam in the vicinity of Barnhart island, with a power house in each country, and a control dam upstream."

## Herring Mum on Iowa Bootleggers

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24 (AP)—Senator Clyde L. Herring reiterated tonight that he had no intention of divulging names of persons who gave him information concerning alleged bootlegging activities in Des Moines, Ia.

The senator asserted "it is the county attorney's job to find bootleggers, not mine."

In response to a previous request by Kube for similar information, Herring asserted that he was "not at liberty" to give out the names of persons who had told him of bootlegging conditions in Iowa and that to furnish the names "might penalize" the informants.

"It is the county attorney's job to find bootleggers," the senator said, "not mine."

"It is absurd for him to try to get names in Washington. If he will go to Sixth and Walnut streets in Des Moines and question 10 persons, nine of them can tell him who the bootleggers are."

The Polk county grand jury is scheduled to convene tomorrow to investigate allegations of bootlegging activities in Des Moines.

Herring said yesterday he was "sure" the grand jury could get "the whole story about bootleggers" from the witnesses it had subpoenaed.

"I'll be helpful in the investigation in any way that I can be, except that I won't give any names," he declared.

Iowa Liquor Control Chairman M. L. Curtis, who also made a statement recently about the size of bootlegging operations in Iowa, heads the list of those under subpoena to appear before the grand jury.

## Swiss Plan Removal Of City Populations As Routine Measure

BERN, Switzerland, Jan. 24 (AP)—The Swiss general staff tonight published instructions for possible removal of populations of two of Switzerland's largest cities—Zurich and Basel—and strongly advised civilians to refrain from hostile activities in event of invasion unless the military command proclaims "a mass rising."

This mass removal, if carried out, would involve about 864,000 people. Instructions to the populations of Zurich and Basel, both on or near the German frontier, were issued just four days after similar orders were posted in the Kreuzlingen district, at the western end of Lake Constance, near Germany's fortified area on the south side of the Rhine.

The general staff, however, informed the public these measures were routine and should cause no alarm.

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America Must Maintain Her Faith!

EVERYTHING on the European front seems to indicate that Russia, whose prestige over the Finnish invasion is at its lowest ebb, will one day soon launch an offensive to end all offensives against the little north European nation.

That's because the weather, according to one interpreter of the news, will one day soon come to the aid of the Finns in a new way. By the middle of March, according to Kirke L. Simpson of the Associated Press, Finnish roadways will be a sea of mud, and Soviet mechanized units will be in worse shape than the present 40 below zero cold has left them.

With the threat of that offensive hanging over Finland, the shadow of war extends to the whole of Europe. Something soon, apparently, is going to happen.

The immediate question is: "How wide will be the conflict?" Simpson expresses the point of view that Britain and France fear an ultimate war that will extend from tip to tip in Europe, from north to south and east to west, extending possibly into southwestern Asia.

That's why, says Simpson, England's Winston Churchill is now urging Europe's small neutrals to join at once to carry the war against Hitlerism and Bolshevism to an immediate climax—before all of England's fleet of destroyers fall prey to Nazi mines and subs and before Hitler openly joins Stalin in an attack on Finland's vital Karelian isthmus, thus wounding Europe's two wars into one.

Because Churchill, it is indicated, expresses the allied opinion that the fall of Finland through the Karelian tip will mean the return of the dark ages to Europe, the possible defeat of the allies, the return of power politics to Europe the like of which has never been seen.

It is not a pleasing picture for America, who is, as someone said recently, "at the dawn of her destiny."

America awaits the outcome of this critical period—a period of vital importance to that destiny of hers.

It is not a pleasing possibility, that possibility that ultimately America may be surrounded by regimented states whose political theories and practice destroy the foundations of democracy.

And oceans, we are told, are shrinking with science.

What shall be America's attitude, then, as the realization of the import of this new crisis becomes more apparent?

Peace loving America, it would seem, can only watch and wait. Oceans may be shrinking, it is true, but not so fast that America must shrink in fear or grow bold in over-anticipation of a troubled future.

We in America watched this war materialize as we watched other wars materialize in Europe—wars that grew out of the centuries of racial, political and religious conflict that have passed there.

We have watched war abroad grow in intensity, grow as threats to America and to the ideals which flow through her traditional make-up.

But America, we believe, has faith in herself, despite the lean years of the immediate past and the shadows of the immediate future. America has faith that the welfare of the individual is the welfare of the state, that the individual with rights and privileges in a nation whose laws permit the growth of freedom and culture and religion as personal things, not as regimented principles of a super-state.

And America WILL stay that way so long as we in America shall choose that way of life, despite crises abroad.

As Europe faces a new period of tension and the most active warfare of this current conflict, let America stand by quietly and firm of policy, protecting her rights and privileges, exerting an influence for the right.

Let our sympathies and legitimate aid rest with those abroad whose principles we admire. But let the American nation insist that she shall avoid any course which

destroys her own way of life. Let her actions be guided by her traditional belief in freedom.

Let's not lose our heads, therefore, over the great critical period which lies immediately ahead in Europe. Let's keep in view the broader panorama of America's future. Let's keep alive the one thing for which America has always stood—a deep and lasting faith in herself, whatever the future holds.

Mr. Dies Is 'In' Again!

MR. DIES, the little man who, as far as several congressmen are concerned, wasn't there, has gained legislative sanction to investigate un-American activities until early in January, 1941.

Dies, whose committee has probed into dusty corners to pull all sorts of un-Americans out into the open, will therefore be at it again before long.

A lot of people approve of the Dies committee. A lot more disapprove. There are arguments for and against the work the group has accomplished.

But whatever may be said about Mr. Dies' success of the past two years (his committee was organized in 1938 and extended in 1939) one thing is fairly certain:

Mr. Dies has scared the wits out of a lot of people who, if they weren't un-American, might have been somebody.

As long as Mr. Dies himself, not to mention his co-workers, doesn't become an "un-American" or engage in "un-American" activities in the liberal sense of the term, he'll probably not harm the nation to the extent some people have believed.

And you never can tell. There once was a man who called "wolf" once too often. But then again there was a man who began locking his stable after the horses had been stolen.

Both are bad, perhaps, but then it's one or the other. Maybe the man who called "wolf" learned his lesson before it was too late. The other man didn't.

The nightly blackouts, according to a dispatch from England, is making Londoners grouchy. How come the censor didn't keep that dark?

By this time of the year the average cold-bath addict begins to wish he hadn't so much courage.

CLIPPED FROM OTHER COLUMNS

LEARNING AHEAD OF FOOTBALL

Maybe the University of Chicago started something in dropping football and it wouldn't need to be similar action by any considerable number of other institutions. But it could and probably will be a lot of serious thinking on the subject and some shifting of emphasis to the thing that an institution of learning ought to put first.

The case for Chicago itself is laid before the students by President Hutchins at a mass meeting. It is a frank statement of the reasons for the action taken by the trustees in voting unanimously to discontinue intercollegiate football. It is not a statement of charges against other institutions.

The advantages of the intercollegiate game are admitted but Dr. Hutchins says they "are of two sorts; either they are not peculiar to football or they accrue only when the football team wins." As to the first, it is shown that the benefits of football can be had in other forms of athletics and applied to much larger numbers of students.

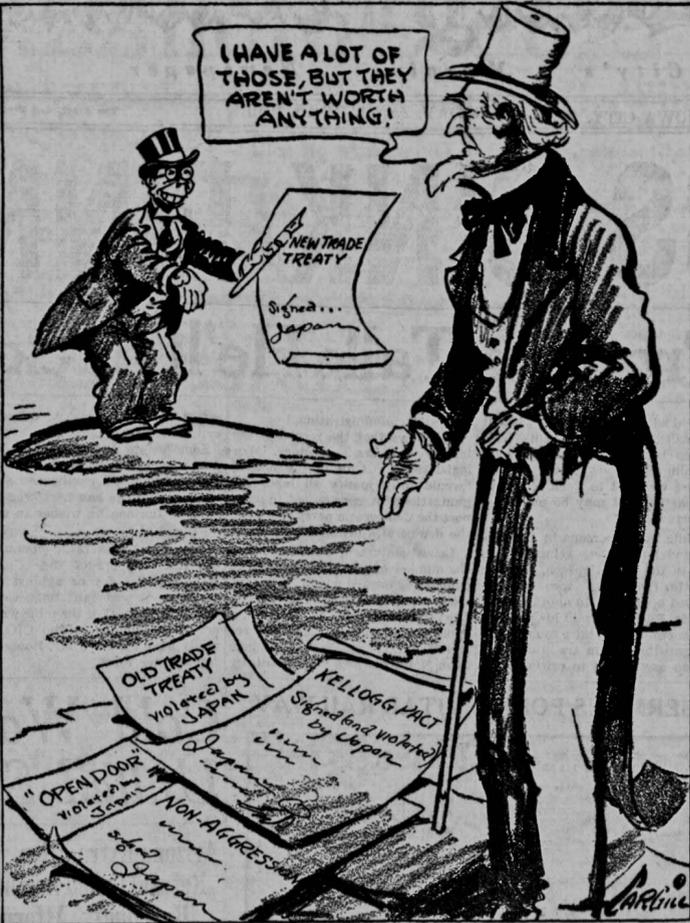
Chicago, for instance, has 18 forms of intramural sports and the number of students participating in them has increased 50 per cent in the last six years. Use of the gymnasium has increased by one-third and of the tennis courts by 350 per cent. Further, Chicago hopes to continue participation in all the Big Ten intercollegiate sports except football and also to continue its good record of victories in those sports. Also as to drawing power of the one game, Chicago last fall had the largest freshman class in its history "but nobody has so far suggested that the record of the football team was responsible."

As to the other point, the Chicago educator cites the recent testimony of President Wells of the University of Indiana that "football unquestionably has an effect on the spirit of an institution, providing it is winning football." Once it is started you must keep on winning or the devil's to pay. So there's the further testimony of President Valentine of the University of Rochester, who said to the students the other day that "much of the good work which you or I or many others slowly and painfully achieve for this university is in popular opinion, undone in two months by a disastrous football season."

Of course not every team can win every year or every game or even a majority of them, no matter what the emphasis a school puts on football or how it gets its players. Therefore the Chicago president thinks "it is a good thing for the country to have one important university discontinue football." And, incidentally, to depend on something else for its chief distinction.

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Stark Wants More Than A 'Paper Navy'-- He Wants Authorization and Appropriation

CONGRESS has a habit of "authorizing" expenditures for various purposes without "appropriating" any money to foot the bill. This happens quite frequently in connection with the matter of warship building. The vessels are voted for but no cash is provided to start work on them. We already have big additions to our fleet "authorized" but no building's being done, due to lack of the financial wherewithal.

Now there's plenty of sentiment on Capitol Hill for another "authorization" running into 10 figures. Chairman David I. Walsh of the senate's naval affairs committee isn't hostile to the additional "authorization." Only, he says, "First let's start construction of our previously 'authorized' fighting craft; then 'authorize' some more."

Admiral Harold R. Stark, the navy department's chief of operations agrees with Senator Walsh. He points out that "paper ships" can't fight, no matter how numerous and powerfully they're "authorized." What he wants is the real article.

Biggest Navy Ever In fact, the admiral goes rather farther than the senator does. Naval officers generally do go the limit on the subject of Uncle Sam's sea-fighting strength. The senator stops with a plea for "appropriations" equal to our "authorizations." The admiral says we need a lot more "authorizations" with "appropriations" to go with them. In short, Admiral Stark's thesis is that our navy ought to be physically (not merely "on paper") big and formidable enough to lick any imaginable combination of navies against us. He doesn't want it for offensive purposes. The stronger it is, the less likely is such a combination to tackle us.

That is to say, military strength is insurance against war; not a bid for participation in hostilities. The question's argued both ways. Right after the 1914-18 war there was a vigorous international campaign to get all first-class powers to cut down on their armaments. It was in Congressman Fred Britten's day as chairman of the representatives' naval affairs committee. Britten was pretty hard boiled but he was an ardent armament limitationist. His reasoning was that the only way to prevent a country from employing its naval might was to keep it from having enough of it to be worth employing. Britten didn't contend that any one country, alone, could afford to adopt such a policy. His notion was that they should do it by what diplomats call a "multi-lateral" compact.

The "5-5-3" Treaty Well, such a dicker was framed up. Uncle Sam promised to hold down to a naval ratio of five versus Britain's five. Japan undertook to hold down to a basis of three to every five units of United States or British strength. France and Italy in the same ratio limited themselves to one and one-half each. It was known as the "5-5-3" treaty. Germany didn't count, having been so recently beaten.

The thing never worked from the beginning. Britain began by fudging surreptitiously on Uncle Sam's allowance. Japan fudged much more openly. Germany started building pocket battleships. France and Italy never paid much attention to the bargain, either. The arrangement simply evaporated. Today last year's snows haven't got anything on it. Then Congressman George Huddleston of Alabama observed at the time that he didn't believe the frame-up would amount to anything—unless the various signatories honestly meant it. It's abundantly evident that they didn't. Congressman Britten's plan to hamstring hostilities in advance fizzled also.

Admiral Stark suggests the chance of a four-power alliance against the United States—Germany, Russia, Japan and Italy. Suppose, he says, that Britain and France lose? He doesn't seem to consider this an impossibility. Then, he suggests, the Eurasian quartet will be liable to gang up on us. On our present basis, he surmises that one ocean will be enough to keep our navy adequately occupied, leaving the other one neglected. He proposes a two-ocean American navy—and not a "paper" navy, either.

It's rather melancholy, considering the international peace talk of about 15 years ago.

Now that Stalin has sent the general who whipped the Japs to lead the Russians against Finland, that Mongolian war takes on the status of a spring practice game. A Danish fisherman reports a submarine got caught in his net momentarily. Since it got away, how come it wasn't a super battleship? ALSO AT 9 o'clock, but lasting for an hour, is the Kraft Music Hall show with Bing Crosby and Bob Burns. John Scott Trotter's orchestra plays and vocals are by the Music Mads. A FAMED ACTOR, a popular fighter and a mimic will share the spotlight on the George Jessel "Celebrity Program" over the NBC-Red network tonight at 7 o'clock. THE PROGRAM ... will also mark the debut of Benay Venuta as regular soloist on the series replacing the Merry Macs. Music is under the direction of Peter Van Steeden. THEY ARE Sir Cedric Hardwicke, Hollywood star; Billy Conn, light-heavyweight champion, and Charlie Cantor, network mimic and character actor. AMONG THE BEST For Thursday 6:30—Vox Pop, CBS. 7:30—Those We Love, NBC-Red. 7:30—Strange as It Seems, CBS. 8—Good News of 1940, NBC-Red. 8—Major Bowes' Amateur hour, CBS. 8:30—America's Town Meeting of the Air, NBC-Blue. 9—Kraft Music Hall, NBC-Red. 10—Dance Music, NBC, CBS, MBS.

Dave's New Restaurant Things Certainly Get Around on Old New York's Broadway

By GEORGE TUCKER

NEW YORK—Secrets on Broadway travel faster than favorites at Hialeah. I was sitting in the Beachcomber's bar having a bowl of egg flower soup when a Dave came by. Dave is the proprietor of Dave's Blue Room, a famous Broadway eating place that failed several months ago.

Outside of Lindy's and perhaps one or two others, none of the late hour restaurants was as famous or enjoyed the patronage that was Dave's. I never cared much for the place, personally, because it was always filled with loud-talking actors. But if you wanted to see famous people, Dave's was the place.

They say Dave never refused a meal to anyone. They say actors have dined "on the cuff" for months on end against the day when their ship or a new job would come in.

But Dave ran into reverses and the Blue Room folded. To many of Broadway's best-known this was a minor tragedy in their lives. Famous song hits had been written on the table covers by Tin Pan alley chiefs between cups of black coffee. At least one famous star became engaged over a plate of Canadian bacon and eggs at Dave's. Gangsters went there, too. . . Dave's was Broadway.

Now let's get back to the Beachcomber's. Dave and another man came in. As he passed I just happened to hear him say, "Don't say anything about it—not a word; don't mention it to anybody." I presume his companion solemnly promised to carry that secret to the grave; that is the usual way of things. But in any case, Dave came back a few minutes later and sat down. He seemed a little excited. . . After a while I said, "What's worrying you, Dave?"

Dave flung around and leaned over the table. "I'm going to open a new restaurant—a swell place on 52nd street—a new Blue Room. But don't say anything about it. Deal's all set. I'll announce it in a couple of weeks. Swell place. Just right. Deal's almost set."

"Swell, Dave," I said, "swell." "Now, I won't say anything."

It must have been an hour later that I got up and got into a cab and went back to my office. On the drive across 50th street the cabbie told me all about Dave's new place. "Gonna open sure in a couple of weeks," he said. "I got it from my brother whose wife's brother is one of the waiters. I don't think he wants it mentioned, though."

That was about 11 o'clock at night. I was supposed to do some work that night, but it was a bad night for work and I walked over to a radio and turned it on; a commentator who talks about Broadway and horses and such things came on the air. The first thing he announced was Dave's new Blue Room. He gave a glowing account of Dave's career. He told of all the long midnight history of the old Blue Room. Then he announced the new one, its exact location, and when it would open. He even explained that Tommy Manville (often a bridegroom but never for long) was Dave's secret angel—that Manville was putting up the money.

So, Dave's going to have a new restaurant. But don't say anything about it. It's strictly off the record.

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University Calendar

Thursday, January 25 7:00 p. m.—Kensington and Business Women's group, University club; illustrated talk on "A Trip to Puerto Rico," by Dr. Eloise Maymi. Friday, January 26 8:00 p. m.—Skating Carnival, University skating lagoon. Saturday, January 27 6:00 p. m.—First semester ends. 7:30 p. m.—Business meeting, University club. Sunday, January 28 6:00 p. m.—Sunday night supper, University club. Monday, January 29 8:00 a. m.—Second semester begins. 7:35 p. m.—Basketball: South Dakota State vs. Iowa, fieldhouse. Tuesday, January 30 1:30 p. m.—Dessert bridge, University club. 8:00 p. m.—University convocation, Iowa Union. Wednesday, January 31 7:30 p. m.—Meeting of Iowa section, American Chemical society; Graduate Lecture: "The Differences in Physical Properties of Isotopic Compounds and their Use in the Separation of Isotopes," by Prof. Harold C. Urey; chemistry auditorium. Thursday, February 1 8:00 p. m.—University lecture by John Mason Brown, Macbride auditorium. Friday, February 2 9:00 p. m.—Freshman party, Iowa Union. Saturday, February 3 SATURDAY CLASSES Sunday, February 4 4:15 p. m.—Gallery talk by Prof. L. D. Longman: "Quality in Art"; exhibit of paintings by group of Iowa artists, preceded by concert of chamber music, art auditorium. Monday, February 5 7:35 p. m.—Basketball: DePaul vs. Iowa, fieldhouse. Tuesday, February 6 8:00 p. m.—Panel forum: "Colonies and Raw Materials," senate chamber, Old Capitol. Wednesday, February 7 8:00 p. m.—Sigma Xi soiree, sponsored by department of botany. 8:00 p. m.—Opera: "The Serenade," Macbride auditorium. Thursday, February 8 7:30 p. m.—Baconian lecture (illustrated): "Models and Civil Engineering," by Prof. C. J. Posey, senate chamber, Old Capitol. 9:00 p. m.—Masquerade, Triangle club. Friday, February 9 8:00 p. m.—Opera: "The Serenade," Macbride auditorium. 9:00 p. m.—Graduate Students dance, river room, Iowa Union. Saturday, February 10 7:35 p. m.—Basketball: Wisconsin vs. Iowa, Fieldhouse. 9:00 p. m.—Currier Hall Dance, Iowa Union. (For information regarding dates beyond this schedule, see reservations in the president's office, Old Capitol.)

General Notices

Iowa Union Music Room Following is the schedule for the Iowa Union music room up to and including Saturday, Jan. 27. Reservations will be played at these times. Thursday, Jan. 25—11 a. m. to 1 p. m. and 7 p. m. to 9 p. m. Friday, Jan. 26—10 a. m. to 12 noon and 1 p. m. to 3 p. m. Saturday, Jan. 27—10 a. m. to 12 noon and 2 p. m. to 4 p. m. EARL E. HARPER

Second Semester Registration Students in all colleges, except medicine, must register for the second semester during the week of Jan. 22 to Jan. 27, inclusive. Medical students register from Jan. 29 to Feb. 3, inclusive. Assessment of late fees begins Jan. 29 and Feb. 5, respectively. HARRY G. BARNES, Registrar

Graduates' Dinner Candidates for degrees may secure tickets for the graduates' dinner for themselves and their guests at the alumni office, Old Capitol, up to 12 noon, Tuesday, Jan. 30. The dinner will be held in the river room of Iowa Union at 6 p. m. Tuesday, Jan. 30, preceding the mid-year convocation. F. G. HIGBEE

Play Night Postponed The play night sponsored by the Inter-Dormitory council to have been Friday night, Jan. 26, has been postponed because of the ice carnival. JOSEPH J. LEBEDA

Class Schedules, Exam Schedules 1.—All students seeking employment for the second semester are to report their new class schedules immediately. Our success in assisting you to secure work is dependent upon our knowledge as to when you are free for employment. Recreational Evening Dance Class The recreational evening dance class will not meet Tuesday or Thursday of this week. Next meeting will be Tuesday, Jan. 30. MIRIAM RAPHAEL

Newman Club The Newman club will hold its regular monthly party Friday night, Jan. 26, in the K. of C. hall. Festivities will commence at 9 p. m. Membership cards will serve as tickets of admission. CHARLES J. SENER

Graduate Students The signature of the dean of the graduate college may be secured in the graduate college office, 116 University hall, as follows: Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 25; Friday afternoon, Jan. 26; Saturday morning, Jan. 27. GEORGE D. STODDARD

Library Hours The library reading rooms will close at 5 p. m. Friday, Jan. 26, and will be open from 8:30 a. m. to 5 p. m. Saturday, Jan. 27. The medical library will be open the usual hours, from 7:50 a. m. to 10 p. m. Special hours for all other departmental libraries will be posted on the doors. GRACE VAN WORMER

Faculty Swimming The faculty swimming hour will not be held today at the women's gymnasium. PROF. GLADYS SCOTT

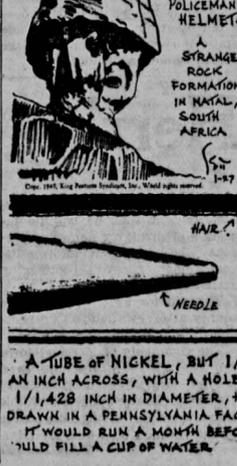
INTERESTING ITEMS

Many earthquakes are predicted for 1940 by a noted seismologist. After reading the news from Europe we can hardly blame the old earth for coming down with a bad case of shakes. This year the ground hog not only may be afraid of his shadow, but of the entire human race. The Finns, it appears, in chasing the Russians have changed the spelling of that 1910 wisecrack to "aki-do."

A Canadian has invented an auto engine which utilizes bacon fat for fuel. Soon you may not only be able to eat your breakfast, but what's left over will drive you to the office. If Stalin isn't more careful in handling the great Russian war machine he's going to wear out the reverse gear.

SCOTT'S SCRAP BOOK

By R. J. SCOTT



Whitney Martin's SPORTS TRAIL

Great Record Aggie Grad Starts Early

NEW YORK, Jan. 24 (AP)—Oklahoma A. and M. puts a welcome sign on the mat, and if you step foot on it any one of dozens of young men will roll you around like a keg of nails.

Great Record His 22-year coaching record is phenomenal, to say the least. The high spots include: Eighteen undefeated teams.

Aggie Grad Gallagher himself is a graduate of Oklahoma A. and M., but track and football were his sports.

Start Early Consequently, in recent years his success has been due to superior conditioning and better early training.

Dodgers Sign Trainer BROOKLYN (AP)—Artie McGovern, prominent metropolitan conditioner and self-styled first holdout among Brooklyn's National league baseballers, signed a contract yesterday to train the Dodgers during their spring preparations.

Armstrong Stops Montanez in Ninth

No Aces for Stoller Former Michigan Track Ace Ready To End Running This Year

By DALE STAFFORD ANN ARBOR, Mich., Jan. 24 (AP)—Lady Luck has dealt few aces to "Singin' Sam, the sprintin' man."

Accompanied by three former Southern California trackmen, Sam then went to the Philippines and what was intended to be a brief visit developed into a stay of a year and one-half and marriage.

Hawklets Put More Work On Drills for Davenport Tilt

Table with 5 columns: Name, fg, ft, pf, tp. Rows include Fay, Rudi, Plecker, Dohrer, Slater, Shannon, Patterson, Walters, Melecher, Fliedschinger, Lackender, Bradley.

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The clever ball handling of the entire Globe Trotter team and the masterful shooting of Cleo Johnson gave the visiting Harlemites an easy 26 to 17 victory over the Moose at the Army last night.

Trackmen Drilling For Triangular Meet With Purdue, Wildcats

Coach George Bresnahan has been giving his trackmen light workouts during the final examination week in preparation for the first intercollegiate indoor meet of the season, a triangular affair at Purdue with Iowa, Northwestern and Purdue competing.

Giants Sign Chiozza

NEW YORK (AP)—The New York Giants announced yesterday that Lou Chiozza, one of their several candidates for third base, had signed his 1940 contract.

Issue Appeal To Athletes

STOCKHOLM (AP)—An appeal to athletes and sportsmen of neutral nations to aid war-harassed Finland, "one of the foremost athletic nations of the world," was issued yesterday by the International Amateur Athletic Federation from its headquarters at Norkoping, Sweden.

Floors Foe Three Times In Fierce Go

Henry The Hammer Sets Killing Pace To Hang to Title

NEW YORK, Jan. 24 (AP)—Little Henry Armstrong brought his perpetual motion fighting machine and a fierce two-fisted attack into high gear tonight to stop Pedro Montanez in nine rounds and successfully defended his world welterweight championship before a howling near sell-out crowd in Madison Square Garden.

Tilt at Old City Hi Gym

Ramblers Faced With Problem Of Watching Miller

ANN ARBOR, Mich., Jan. 24 (AP)—Pittsburgh rates high on the list of potential foes for Michigan's 1940 open date in football, but the Wolverines still are keeping their plans secret.

Red Sox In Free-for-All

Collins Trying To Get McCoy For Sub Shortstop Position

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., Jan. 24 (AP)—The Boston Red Sox today jumped into baseball's free-for-all—the battle of dollars for rights to Bennis McCoy, Detroit Tiger infielder who was declared a free agent by Commissioner Kenesaw M. Landis.

Finns Leave Home

STOCKHOLM (AP)—The Finnish runners, Paavo Nurmi and Taisto Maki, left last night for Bergen, Norway, enroute for Finnish funds-raising exhibitions in America.

Bosox Sign Hurler

BOSTON (AP)—The Boston Red Sox announced yesterday that Earl Johnson, 21, former pitcher at St. Mary's college, California, had been signed a contract and would go south with the ball club for spring training.

Metropolitan A. A. U. Goes Out on Limb; Forbids New Yorkers To Run at Boston

NEW YORK, Jan. 24 (AP)—From a position safely out of the line of fire, it seems the Metropolitan association of the A.A.U. has left itself without a leg to stand on in its present fight with the national body, and is doing its best, besides, to amputate that leg with a sharp saw.

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HAWKEYE HIGHLIGHTS

Apparently 1940 is not captain's year in Iowa winter sports. Basketball and track teams have no permanent leaders, the first wrestling leader, Ken Kingsbury, elected was unable to report because of heavy studies, the gym captain, Bob Parry, failed to return to the university. . . swimmers, however, have co-captains.

Originally scheduled for Feb. 10, the Iowa swimming meet with Minnesota has been set for Feb. 9 to avoid conflict with another event. . . it's the first 1940 meet in Iowa's fieldhouse pool.

Coach George Bresnahan is not too happy about his track team's prospects. . . it leaves a gaping hole when the first three high scorers of the previous season are lost by graduation: Graves, Billig, and Carl Teufel. . . season opens Feb. 24 with a triangular meet with Northwestern and Purdue at Lafayette, Ind.

Iowa's full baseball squad will begin drills in the fieldhouse next Monday. . . defense of that Big Ten title is the major item of business next spring. . . they open the 28-game schedule March 18 with the first of six games in Louisiana.

"Dutch" Thornton, senior forward who always shoots one-handed, may both the Iowa defense when the South Dakota State basketball team plays in the fieldhouse Monday. . . Thornton even shoots his free throws with one hand. . . in 8 games he has made 82 points, 30 more than the second high scorer on the Jackrabbit quintet.

Quite the opposite are those who would settle the matter at once. They can't see a member dropping the conference's biggest sport; neither could they stand being without 10 schools. Leaving the number at nine would put them in the same class as the average college girl who has just heard her parentally decided label of Margaret vulgarly sliced to Maggie.

Beind this attitude that would deem it sacrilege to hint changing the name is probably the most worthwhile motive, if we deem ambition worthy of admiration. It is quite probable that the thing that makes the world go round, having a personal soup dish to fill, is what makes the sudden desire for a new member. There are those, it is thought, who would like one of several other outfits added.

Mentioned in the discussions of possibilities are Pittsburgh, Nebraska, Michigan State and Marquette, with Pittsburgh out in the lead, and Nebraska a close second. The Michigan State and Marquette chances would be good, but aren't quite equal to those of Pitt or Nebraska. The Huskers, however, are in one conference and a switch in playmates might be of questionable wisdom.

Pitt, of course, is getting closer to the Big Ten. The Panthers meet several conference teams, they are about in the same class athletically and they would probably get along here quite well. But, Pittsburgh's eastern location wouldn't make competition with Iowa and Minnesota, for instance, very profitable. On the other hand, Nebraska is a long way from Ohio and Michigan. It's a problem the conference will probably ponder at length before acting at all, with action of any sort rather uncertain.

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# Parent-Teacher Council Plans 1940 Benefit Feb. 6

## P. T. A.s Plan Card Party, Style Show

Mrs. Pudgil, General Chairman, Appoints Various Committees

The Iowa City Parent-Teacher council's annual benefit card party and style show will be Tuesday, Feb. 6, at 7:30 p. m. at Strub's department store, according to an announcement made yesterday. Proceeds of the affair will go to the milk fund for all needy children in public and parochial schools here.

Mrs. Arthur Pudgil, general chairman, has appointed the various committees. General ticket sale chairman is Mrs. Fred Brown. Other committees include: prizes, Mrs. Bruce Mahan and Mrs. J. F. Citek; models, Mrs. C. Burkhardt, chairman, Mrs. Clarence Beck and Mrs. George Scanlon; tallies; Mrs. L. C. Fitzpatrick; cards, Mrs. Richard Jones, Mrs. A. W. Bennett, Mrs. Sidney Fitzgarrald, contract committee, Mrs. E. G. Gross, Mrs. Harold F. Smith, Mrs. Frank Lorenz and Mrs. Roy Ewers; auction, Mrs. George Hall, Mrs. Ellis Crawford, Mrs. Francis Boyle and Mrs. William Gower; euchre, Mrs. Clarence Conklin, Mrs. Fred Goss and Mrs. Albert Vevera.

### Pinchle Committee

Pinchle, Mrs. James Stika, Mrs. George Kondora and Mrs. Ollie White; door prizes, L. D. Greenwald; door, E. O. Nybakken, Elza Means and David R. Thomas; checks and pencils, W. E. Beck; checking, R. W. Poulter, C. S. Trachsel, F. L. Jones and E. G. Gross; posters, Lucia Otto.

### Collecting tables and chairs, A. D. Hensleigh and J. P. Krouth; setting up tables and chairs, C. J. Butterfield, C. L. Woodburn, Clarence Conklin, Arthur Pudgil and Louie Crow; table covers, Mrs. Louie Crow and Mrs. Clarence Conklin; publicity, Mrs. A. M. Turnipseed and Mrs. H. S. Ivie.

### In charge of tickets for Henry Sablin P. T. A. are Mrs. G. A. Graham, Mrs. Forest Barker, Mrs. Joseph Bane, Mrs. Elmer Hay, Mrs. Clarence Michel and G. O. Kirchner. Longfellow P. T. A. ticket committee includes Mrs. Everett Means, Mrs. William Hart, Mrs. Harold Evans, Mrs. Clarence Strub, Mrs. George Van Deusen, Mrs. John Thomas, Mrs. Frank Kinney, Mrs. Sherman Maxon, Mrs. Ell Braverman, Mrs. Claud Reed, Mrs. Dan Dutcher, Mrs. W. E. Boeken-thien, Mrs. E. Y. Sangster, Mrs. Richard Horrabin and Hazel Fritze.

### For Roosevelt P. T. A., Mrs. I. C. Nichols, Mrs. Sig Nelson, Mrs. Roy Winders, Mrs. Virgil Fordyce. For St. Patrick's P. T. A., Mrs. W. L. Condon, Mrs. L. H. Billick, Mrs. J. R. Hamilton, Mrs. Walter Kelly, Mrs. Louis Greer, Mrs. Richard Connor, Mrs. Joseph Eisenhofer, Mrs. N. E. Welter and Mrs. A. G. Derksen.

### For St. Mary's P. T. A., Mrs. J. F. Citek, Mrs. George Scanlon, Mrs. Lee Chopek, Mrs. H. S. Ivie, Mrs. C. G. Adrian, Mrs. Carl Strub and Mrs. Ralph Baschnagel. For Junior high P. T. A., Mrs. C. A. Beckman, Mrs. Helen Gay, Mrs. W. W. Tuttle, Mrs. William Simpson and Mrs. Harold Brown.

### For Iowa City high school P. T. A., Margaret Cannon, Mrs. Fred Goss, Mrs. Herman Worton, Mrs. Olive Bauer, Mrs. George Spencer, Mrs. Ernest Bright, and Mrs. M. N. Leffer. For Horace Mann P. T. A., Mrs. C. L. Woodburn, Mrs. James P. Gaffney, Mrs. Milo Novy, Mrs. Frank Emmert and Mrs. J. P. Krouth.

## Dr. J. P. Johnson To Speak to Club

The social service department of the Iowa City Woman's club will have a luncheon meeting tomorrow at 12:30 p. m. in the Hotel Jefferson. Mrs. Hazel Miller is chairman of the meeting.

## Dr. Eloise Maymi To Entertain Club With Talk on Trip

Dr. Eloise Maymi will speak to the members of University club today at 7 o'clock in the clubrooms of Iowa Union. Her talk will be on "A Trip to Puerto Rico" and will be illustrated with pictures.

## Opstad Will Speak To Roosevelt P.T.A.

Roosevelt Parent-Teacher association will meet tomorrow at 7:30 p. m. at the school. Supt. Iver A. Opstad will speak to the group on "Home, School Cooperation," after the business meeting. The Iowa City Mothers-singers will sing on the program. Refreshments will be served during the social hour.

## Chicken-Noodle Dinner Tonight at Church

A chicken-noodle dinner will be served by the women of the Congregational church at 6 o'clock tonight in the church. The dinner is open to the public and students are invited.

## Today 8 Meetings Planned By Organization

**CORALVILLE HEIGHTS . . .** . . . club will meet at 2:30 in the home of Mrs. T. T. Brown in Coralville.

**ST. PATRICK'S . . .** . . . public card party will be at 2:15 in the school.

**MANVILLE HEIGHTS . . .** . . . club will meet at 2:30 in the home of Mrs. Lloyd Howell, 505 River.

**TEA DANCING . . .** . . . will be in the river room of Iowa Union from 4 to 5:30.

**CIVIC NEWCOMERS . . .** . . . club will meet at 2 o'clock in Park's tearoom.

**GARDEN DEPARTMENT . . .** . . . of the Iowa City Woman's club will meet at 2:30 in the club-rooms of the community building.

**PAN-AMERICAN . . .** . . . League will meet for luncheon at noon at Iowa Union.

**PAST PRESIDENTS . . .** . . . of the Women's Relief corps will meet for luncheon at 1 o'clock in the home of Mrs. A. C. Harmon, 121 E. Fairchild.

## Isabel Heupel, George Hatch Wed in South

## Former Students Will Make Home At West Palm Beach

Word has been received here of the announcement of the marriage of Isabel Heupel of West Palm Beach, Fla., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon W. Heupel of Clinton, to G. Leland Hatch, son of Mr. and Mrs. George N. Hatch of West Palm Beach, Fla., which took place recently in the home of the bridegroom's parents.

The Rev. Frank Atkinson, pastor of the Union Congregational church, officiated at the service, which was witnessed by members of the immediate families only, including the bride's mother from Clinton.

The bride, who was unattended, wore a slate blue wool suit, a sailor hat, white accessories and an orchid corsage.

After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Hatch left for a short wedding trip. When they return they will be at home at 265 Granda road, West Palm Beach.

Mrs. Hatch was graduated from Lyons high school and from the university. Since her graduation she has been teaching dramatics in Clinton high school and doing dramatic and fashion work in the Midwest and east and in New York City. This is her second winter in West Palm Beach, where she had been known as Karen Andre, radio fashion commentator.

Mr. Hatch is president of Hatch's Inc., one of the largest of South Florida's mercantile firms.

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## Campus Groups Plan Parties For 'After-Exams Week End'

### Chi Omega Sorority Entertains Tomorrow At Bob-Sled Party

Although many university students will spend the week end after semester final examinations at their homes, several campus groups will relax at informal radio and novelty parties.

### 'Worries End' . . .

. . . will be the theme of a party to be given Saturday at 8 p. m. at the Methodist student center by members of the Wesley Foundation.

### Sleigh Bells . . .

. . . will ring when members of Chi Omega sorority entertain their dates at a "bob-sled" party tomorrow at 9 p. m. After the ride there will be dancing at the chapter house, and refreshments will be served.

In charge of arrangements is Lois Lippold, A2 of Wauwatosa, Wis. Assisting her are Lois Ruth Wimmer, C4 of Afton, and Carolyn Stanzel, A1 of Des Moines.

### Chi Omega

Lana Campbell, A4 of Des Moines, will spend the week end in her home.

### Sigma Delta Tau

Those who are going home for the week end include Marjorie Goldstone, A1 of Des Moines; Florence Davidson, A1 of Des Moines; Marie Sherman, A1 of Des Moines; Libbie Grossman, A1 of Council Bluffs; Bernice Levich, A1 of Des Moines; and Betty Bookey, A4 of Des Moines.

### It Will Be . . .

. . . a radio party at which members of Phi Beta Pi, medical fraternity, entertain their dates Saturday from 9 to 12 p. m.

### Men and Women . . .

. . . alike will wear sweaters at the "sweater party" given by residents of the Quadrangle from 9 to 12 p. m. Saturday in the dormitory lounge.

### Tomorrow . . .

. . . from 9 p. m. to 12 p. m. in the K. of C. hall Newman club members will be entertained at a radio party. Special guests will be the Rev. Donald Hayne and the Rev. P. J. O'Reilly.

### Among Iowa City People

Dean Emeritus Wilbur S. Teeters, 302 Main, left yesterday for Winter Park, Fla.

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### Relief Corps Plans Party

A Lincoln-Washington and Valentine party Feb. 13 was planned at the Tuesday meeting of the Women's Relief corps in the Community building. A potluck luncheon was served at noon.

### Rabbi Kertzer Will Speak at Davenport

Rabbi Morris N. Kertzer of the school of religion will speak at the Temple Emanuel, Davenport, tomorrow at 8 p. m. on "Candle in the Darkness."

### Man of The Hour

Sir John Simon, chancellor of the exchequer and a member of the National Liberal party of Great Britain. His post is particularly important during war time, since wars cost money and Sir John must arrange to make money available. Sir John, who will be 67 on Feb. 28, served successively as attorney general with seat in cabinet, secretary of state for home affairs and major general in the R. A. F. during the World war period.

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### Mr. and Mrs. Flave Hamburg Elected President Of Lutheran Dames

Mrs. Flave Hamburg was elected president of the Young Lutheran Dames at yesterday's meeting in the home of Mrs. Ralph Dornier, 40 Olive court. Other officers are Mrs. Ralph Freyder, vice-president; Mrs. C. M. Tanner, secretary-treasurer; and Mrs. John Wolz, program chairman.

### Guild To Hear Poetry At Meeting Tomorrow

Margaret Walker will read Negro poetry selections at a meeting of Wylie guild of the Presbyterian church tomorrow at 8:30 p. m. in the church parlors.

### Devotionals Will Be in Charge of Esther Pollock

The committee members in charge of the supper include Dorothy Buchanan, Prof. Luella Wright, Lydia Edwards, Persis Sheldon, Mrs. Eva Rentz and Mrs. Mildred Ayers.

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## A. McPhee Announces Nuptial Plans

### Bridegroom's Father Will Marry Couple Here February 2

Invitations have been issued for the wedding of Anne McPhee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. McPhee of Newton, Mass., and James S. Youtsler of Chicago, son of the Rev. and Mrs. William E. Youtsler of Diagonal.

The ceremony will take place Feb. 2 at 4:30 p. m. in the local First Presbyterian church with the Rev. Mr. Youtsler, the father of the bridegroom-elect, officiating.

Miss McPhee is executive secretary of the university Y.W.C.A. here, and Mr. Youtsler is taking graduate work in the university economics department.

### Water Wagon Affair

CHAPEL HILL, N. C. (AP)—The fire department, answering an alarm, found the town's water wagon afire. Driver Hubert Atwater said that although he had 500 gallons aboard, he couldn't find a bucket.

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# Prof. Harold Urey To Speak In Chemistry Auditorium Here Wednesday, January 31

## Columbia Professor To Discuss Properties Of Isotopic Compounds

Prof. Harold C. Urey of the chemistry department at Columbia University will lecture in the chemistry auditorium Wednesday, Jan. 31, at 7:30 p. m. under the auspices of the Iowa section of the American Chemical society and the graduate college.

The topic of Professor Urey's lecture will be "The Differences in Physical Properties of Isotopic Compounds and their Use in the Separation of Isotopes."

Professor Urey is widely known in scientific fields for his work in both chemistry and physics and has engaged in research and discovery of many principles in these fields of great value to science.

After receiving his B. S. degree from the University of Montana at Missoula in 1917, Professor Urey spent some years in industry and returned to that university as an instructor in chemistry where he remained until 1921.

He then went to the University of California where he worked with Prof. G. N. Lewis in chemistry of modern atomic structure and statistical mechanics, both new fields at that time.

From 1923 to 1934 he was in Copenhagen studying under Neils Bohr with the American-Scandinavian Foundation fellowship.

From his work at California and in Copenhagen came the determination of his present work on the borderline between the two scientific fields.

Since 1933 he has served as editor of the Journal of Chemical Physics.

## Gets Notice Of Election

### Anderson Becomes Member of London Zoological Society

Dr. Rudolph M. Anderson, a graduate of the University of Iowa, has received a notice from Prof. Julian Huxley of the Zoological Society of London that he has been elected as a corresponding member. Dr. Anderson is at present the chief of the division of biology at the National Museum of Canada.

He was elected to this honorary membership Dec. 21, 1939, at a meeting of the society at Regent's Park, London.

## Applications For Festival Due Feb. 15

Applicants for admission to the University of Iowa's high school music festival in May have three more weeks in which to file applications.

Rules of the university's event state that the application blanks, which are furnished upon request, shall be returned to Prof. Charles B. Righter of the music department not later than Feb. 15. The festival is May 2, 3, and 4.

Supervisors and teachers are urged to make application only for such groups and individuals as are definitely outstanding in musicianship and performing ability.

Participants in the affair will be selected by university officials on an invitational basis. The festival will include 34 events.

## TODAY With WSUI

**TODAY'S HIGHLIGHTS**  
William Hughey, secretary to the commissioner on student aid and manager of student housing, will be interviewed on the Campus Personality program at 12:30 today.

The Iowa Union Radio Hour at 3:30 this afternoon will present the second and third movements of "Concerto in D Minor" by Mozart, "Le Carnaval Romain Overture" by Berlioz and "Allegro" from "Toccata in G Major" by Bach.

**TODAY'S PROGRAMS**  
8—Morning chapel.  
8:15—Grand opera chorus and orchestra.  
8:30—Daily Iowan of the Air.  
8:40—Morning melodies.  
8:50—Service reports.  
9—Illustrated musical chats, Dvorak, Piano Quintet.  
9:50—Program calendar and weather report.

10—The week in economics, Prof. C. Woody Thompson.  
10:15—Yesterday's musical favorites.  
10:30—The book shelf.  
11—Southland singers of Boston.  
11:15—Fashion highlights.  
11:30—Melody time.  
11:50—Farm flashes.  
12—Rhythm rambles.  
12:30—Campus features.  
12:45—Service reports.  
2—Trends in radio.

2:10—Organ recital, Howard Chase.  
2:30—Radio child study club, Guiding the adolescent, Iowa child welfare research station.  
3—Adventures in story land.  
3:15—Geography in the week's news, Prof. Harold H. McCarty.  
3:30—Iowa Union radio hour.  
5:30—Musical moods.

**5:50—Daily Iowan of the Air.**  
6—Dinner hour program.  
7—Children's hour, the land of the story book.  
7:30—Sportstime.  
7:45—Evening musicale, Maud Whedon Smith.

8—History in review, L. O. Leonard.  
8:15—Your job and mine.  
8:30—Album of artists.  
8:45—Daily Iowan of the Air.

## Commission Waives One Income Tax

**No Employers' Tax On Salaries Over \$3,000 Until July 1, 1941**  
DES MOINES, Jan. 24 (AP)—The Iowa unemployment compensation commission made a decision today that it would save employers of the state an estimated \$350,000 in taxes this year.

The commission voted to waive, until July 1, 1941, the employer's tax on salaries in excess of \$3,000 to conform to a change in the federal social security act, which exempts salaries over \$3,000 from the unemployment compensation tax.

The action of the commission was taken in preference to asking a special session of the legislature to make the state law conform to the amended federal law. It is subject to approval by the employment securities division, but the action is provided for under Iowa law, it was determined.

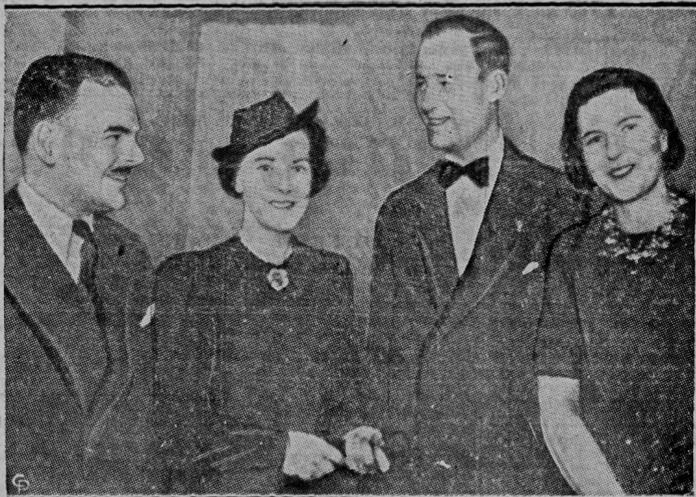
Waiving the tax paid by employers on salaries over \$3,000 until July 1, 1941, will give the regular session of the legislature, convening in January, 1941, an opportunity to make a change in the law, if necessary.

Several sections of the present Iowa law indicate that the commission is empowered to vary the unemployment compensation tax payable by employers. These sections provide that the tax shall be "due and payable at such time and in such manner as the commission shall prescribe."

Congress, effective Jan. 1, 1940, provided that the unemployment compensation tax, paid only by employers, shall not apply to salaries in excess of \$3,000. The Iowa law applies the tax to compensation paid, which would continue it on all salaries.

Pefferle explained that he opposed the resolution because he did not wish to take an action in anticipation of future legislative concurrence.

## VANDERBILT TO BACK DEWEY? THIS LOOKS LIKE IT



Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Governor and Mrs. Vanderbilt  
Chatting happily together are Thomas E. Dewey, New York racket-busting district attorney, and Mrs. Dewey and Governor and Mrs. William H. Vanderbilt during a reception at a Providence, R. I. hotel. The cordial meeting between Dewey and Vanderbilt may indicate the Rhode Island governor will be one of Dewey's backers in seeking the 1940 Republican presidential nomination for him.

## Prof. Marjorie Camp Leaves To Attend 1940 Camping Group Parley

Prof. Marjorie Camp of the women's physical education department left this week for Asilomar, Cal., to attend the national convention of the American Camping association scheduled there for Jan. 24 to 28.

The local camp director is a member of the board of directors for the association and will represent Iowa at the board meeting, it was stated.

## For The 80th Time-- S. U. I. Commencement Events Scheduled For May 29 to June 3

It's 80th commencement will be celebrated by the University of Iowa between May 29 and June 3 with the awarding of more than 1,000 degrees and certificates as the feature.

Dates for the event were announced yesterday and tentative plans already are being made for a full program of festivities and formalities.

The 1940 commencement will be significant in that it will be the final one over which President Eugene A. Gilmore will preside as president of the university. He will retire from this position July 1 after holding office since 1934.

Among the traditional events which will be included upon the program will be alumni day June 1, when classes with numerals ending in zero and five meet for reunions, the baccalaureate services, formal commencement exercises in the fieldhouse June 3 and the commencement supper and party.

From the university alumni office, invitations were dispatched 10 days ago to presidents of the 103 alumni clubs in 25 states.

Not only will the affairs celebrate the university's birthday, but also they will honor the 1939 Hawkeye football team which won national recognition for its winning feats.

## Junior Orchestris Club To Sponsor Group In Modern Dancing

Junior Orchestris will sponsor a new dance group for university women interested in modern dance beginning Tuesday at 4 p. m. it was announced by Janet Cumming of the women's physical education department, sponsor of the dance group.

The club will have no try-outs and all women interested are urged to participate. Any dancer showing adequate proficiency in technique and originality in composition

## Dr. Willard Will Lecture Saturday

### Traveler To Speak Twice on Culture; Will Show Slides

Dr. Henry M. Willard, president of the Bureau of University Travel, will present two lectures Saturday in Old Capitol under the auspices of the classical languages department, Prof. Roy C. Flickinger, head of the department, announced yesterday.

Dr. Willard's afternoon lecture will be "The Abbey of Monte Cassino as a Center of Medieval Culture," and will be illustrated with slides. The evening lecture, "Paths of European Culture," will be presented with Kodachrome views.

The lecturer received a Ph.D. in history from Harvard university and has had unusual success in combining educational values with foreign travel, Professor Flickinger said.

## Groups Plan Dinners For SUI Birthday

First responses to the invitation to have dinners in honor of the University of Iowa's 93rd birthday have been received from two county and two outstate groups.

Alumni leaders in Cleveland, Ohio, and Rochester, N. Y., have declared that they are working on plans for affairs during the week end of Feb. 25. Jefferson and Osceola county heads also are interested in the project.

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## Lonely Refugee



Eva Kohn

War has left its marks hideously on the life of little Eva Kohn, four-year-old refugee from Austria. Eva's mother died nine months ago in Shanghai, China. Her father is seriously ill in Honolulu, Hawaii. She is now in Los Angeles, Cal., under the care of Mrs. Victor Stein.

## End Near! Saturday Last Day Of Semester

End of the first semester and of the examination period occurs Saturday at the University of Iowa.

In addition to examinations, students have been registering all week for the second semester, with classes scheduled to begin Monday morning. The second semester will end June 3.

Degrees and certificates will be awarded next Tuesday evening to men and women who have completed their academic work.

## Morgan Lists Topics For Daily Morning WSUI Programs

"The Challenge From a Member of a Minority Group" will be the subject of Dr. William Morgan's talk this morning at 8 o'clock on the daily university morning chapel program heard over radio station WSUI.

Dr. Morgan's message tomorrow morning will be "Facing the Personal Crisis in Life," and Saturday morning, "The Autumn and Winter of Life." Dr. Morgan is director of the religious activities of the campus.

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  - \$39.95 BLACK FAILLE CREPE FRED BLOCK ORIGINAL, size 20 ... \$18.98
  - \$29.95 BLACK BASIC DRESS IN SHEER CREPE, button front, size 14 ... \$9.98
- And Many Others on the BARGAIN RACK!

Don't Overlook These

## Special Fur Coat Values

One of a kind Coats we have made drastic price cuts on—see them and you'll be convinced that now is the time to save money on Fur Coats.

- \$225 Black Moire Caracul Coat ... \$129
  - \$145 Natural Grey Kidskin Coat ... \$88
  - \$125 Black Kid Caracul Coat ... \$88
  - \$100 Laskin Mouton 3/4 Coat ... \$69
  - \$179 Black Persian Paw Coat ... \$129
  - \$150 Natural Tipped Skunk Jacket ... \$69
  - \$150 Eel Grey Chekiang Caracul Coat ... \$88
  - \$89.95 Black Northern Seal-dyed-coney ... \$59
- And Many Other Real Fur Buys!

## E. O. M. And Pre-Inventory SALE

Women's \$1.98

## Nightgowns \$1.69

Of fine quality rayon stripe patterns in blue, rose and aqua. SILK SLIPS—One small lot of lace trimmed style. \$1.69 values at ... \$1.69

WOMEN'S PAJAMAS—Of rayon suede in blue and wine. \$2.98 values at ... \$2.49

SILK HOUSECOATS—Full zipper length. Stripes and plain. \$6.98 values at ... \$3.79

STRUB'S—2nd Floor

## Pre-Inventory Sale of Gossard and Le Gant Girdles \$5

Any garment in our January Sale assortment— Sizes 26 to 31 in models fashioned of best quality satin Lastex. Regularly sold to \$10.

Also final price on Munsing irregulars in Girdles, Panty Girdles and Combinations at ... \$1.79

## E. O. M. Sale! Hosiery

Two Renowned Makes! ROLLINS! MANIKIN!

3 and 4-Thread Sheers ... \$1 and \$1.15 Values!

3 Pairs \$2.25 \$1 and \$1.15 Values!

Don't miss this chance to save on Manikin "first" quality in 3 and 4-thread weights, also Rollins 3-thread stockings in slight irregulars! Lovely enough for dressy wear... durable enough for every day! New shades! Stock up now at these savings!

STRUB'S—First Floor

## Hankies 15c 2 for 25c

Linen, prints and plain colors.

50c HANKIES—Prints and plain white. This sale, each— 29c, or 4 for \$1

## Toiletries

500 Cleansing Tissues, 25c value, box ... 19c

Silver Swan Tissues—multi-colored; 3 packages of 300 each (900 sheets) for ... \$1

Rubbing Alcohol, 16-oz. ... 10c

Calgon— 25c, 49c, 98c

STRUB'S—First Floor

## ALL'S QUIET IN WINTER SCENE ON WESTERN FRONT



Snow-covered trees form a frosty winter background almost out of place as a war scene in this new photo from the western front. French soldiers march single file to their positions. Note the one with his gun who apparently is ready to deal death to snipers.

# Democrats Hedge Governor Issue

## Kraschel, Breen Talk Over Plans

### Indorse Party Policies That Give Wallace 'Green Light' in Iowa

DES MOINES, Jan. 24 (AP)—Mystery around the Iowa democratic race for governor deepened a bit today when state Senator Ed Breen of Ft. Dodge, and former Gov. Nelson G. Kraschel of Harlan, both considered gubernatorial possibilities, put their heads together in a conference here.

Both, however, told reporters that they considered discussion of the race "premature" since no candidacy announcements have been made as yet.

John K. Valentine of Centerville, federal district attorney, and the hot stove league favorite for the nomination is Senator Clyde L. Herring's horse in the race. Valentine, however, has not said he would make the run.

**People Should Choose**  
Asked if he intended to attend a meeting of democratic members of the legislature here Feb. 7, Breen said:

"I feel that candidates should be chosen by the people in the primary."

The last legislative conference, held several weeks ago, indorsed Valentine for governor.

Calling themselves "two battle-scarred warriors who have taken many a licking" in efforts to protect the liberal and progressive policies of the democratic party, Breen and Kraschel issued the following statement on the national party situation:

**Wallace Influence**  
"If this party means anything in Iowa, it means an unqualified and vigorous support of whatever is necessary to perpetuate the Wallace influence in government. It has been through him, and an administration that always gave him the green light, that Iowa has received the most effective economic results that it has ever received through government."

"Any program that would tend to weaken the forces supporting that program are going to be vigorously resisted by us."

Kraschel is considered an intra-party opponent of Senator Herring. Breen several weeks ago retorted that he would not under any circumstances be a candidate for lieutenant governor. Herring had said that many callers had been suggesting that a Valentine-Breen combination at the head of the state ticket would be effective.

**General Trend in Government**  
Kraschel castigated some of his political contemporaries with a statement saying:

"We have some in our ranks just as unaware of the general trend of government as the republican grab-bag artists."

## FINAL EXAMINATION SCHEDULE

College of Liberal Arts, College of Commerce, College of Education Graduate College  
First Semester 1939-1940  
Saturday, January 20, to Saturday, January 27

The following examination schedule is substituted for the regular program of classes.  
Schedule Plan  
All sections of courses specified by name and number meet as scheduled.

All courses not specified by name and number and having first meetings on Monday or Tuesday meet according to the hour of the first weekly lecture or recitation period as indicated. Courses with laboratory periods only, meet according to the hour at which the first period begins.

Courses which have the first meeting on days other than Monday or Tuesday, or at hours other than provided for, or which meet as arranged are scheduled by the instructor.

Except when announced otherwise by the instructor, examinations are held in the regular room.

Schedule Adjustments - Absences  
Deviations from the schedule are not permitted except when authorized. No student is required to take more than two examinations in any one day. Conflicts are adjusted. Final examinations missed may not be made up without authorization. Undergraduates present petitions at the Registrar's Office.

HARRY G. BARNES, Registrar  
Secretary, Program Committee

| Hour and Day          | 8-9:50 a.m.  | 10-11:50 a.m.   | 1:10-3:00 p.m.  | 3:10-5:00 p.m.  |
|-----------------------|--|---|---|---|
| Wednesday, January 24 | Monday, 10:00 (except as specified)<br>Speech (1) Sec. G and H and J | Com. 117 (all sections)<br>Speech (1): (sophomores, juniors, seniors)<br>Speech (2)<br>Speech (3) | Tuesday, 11:00 (except as specified)<br>Speech (1) Sec. K and L | All sections of:<br>French (1)(2)<br>German (1)(4)<br>Spanish (51);(53) |
| Thursday, January 25  | Monday, 11:00 (except as specified)                                  | All sections of:<br>Com. 139  | Tuesday, 10:00 (except as specified)                            | All sections of:<br>Psych. (1)  |
| Friday, January 26    | Tuesday, 1:00 (except as specified)                                  | Open  | Open  | Open  |
| Saturday, January 27  | Open   | Open  | Open  | Open  |

## Inadequate Relief—Representatives of Omaha's Unemployed Picket Courthouse

of government as the republican grab-bag artists."

Breen said he regarded the party's chances of a state election victory as excellent this year, "even without taking into account the national situation."

## Calls Swine Erysipelas Major Animal Disease Spreading in U. S.

DES MOINES, Jan. 24 (AP)—Swine erysipelas has become one of the major farm animal diseases in this country, Dr. Max Lentner, Superior, Neb., veterinarian, said here today.

Addressing the Iowa Veterinarians' convention, Dr. Lentner said that although the disease has existed in Europe for centuries it has spread across this country in the last 10 years.

He cautioned the veterinarians on the possibility of spread of the disease, which he said infects the soil where the swine are quartered. An immunization for the disease

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hours this afternoon in sub-zero temperatures, protesting against what they termed inadequate relief.

Each picket carried a banner, with typical slogans reading "We Cannot Live on \$2.19 or Less Monthly," "Captains of Industry, Provide Jobs or Food," "We Can't Live on Promises."

Some of the slogans attacked County Relief Director E. F. Magaret, asserting "Magaret Must Move Out," "Magaret Gets \$350 per Month, We Can't Get \$2.50."

Mrs. Marie James, leader of a delegation of 20 unemployed, declared an "appeal board" which county commissioners agreed should hear complaints on relief

ENDS "WHAT A LIFE" —ADDED TODAY!  
"REPUBLIC OF FINLAND" 1919-1940  
Added—MARCH OF TIME  
DOORS OPEN 1:15— 8:10 To 5:30 P.M.  
STARTS TOMORROW

**ENGLERT THEATRE FRIDAY**  
THE GAY ROMANCE OF FOUR GRAND GIRLS  
IT'S A FOUR BELLE PICTURE!  
PRISCILLA LANE • ROSEMARY LANE  
LOLA LANE • GALE PAGE  
*Four Wives*  
with CLAUDE RAINS  
JEFFREY LYNN • EDDIE ALBERT  
Coming THE HUNCHBACK OF NOTRE DAME

**STRAND Today**  
THE COMEDY DRAMA OF THE NEW CIVILIAN AIR PILOTS TRAINING PROGRAM IN PROGRESS AT THE NATION'S UNIVERSITIES —  
50 MEN ARE ENROLLED AT S. U. I.

Conquering the frontiers of the sky... THE NATION'S EYES UPON THEM!  
**20,000 MEN A YEAR**  
DRAMA! ROMANCE! ADVENTURE!  
The new brood of American eagles!  
RANDOLPH SCOTT • PRESTON FOSTER  
MARGARET LANSAY  
MARY HEALY • ROBERT SHAW  
GEORGE ERNEST • KANE RICHMOND  
JANE DARWELL • MAXIE ROSENBLUM  
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distribution, refused to grant a hearing.  
County Commissioner Jelen explained the delegation arrived 30 minutes late.  
James Powell, president of the unemployed group, said he attempted to obtain a permission to

conduct a street parade, but was unable to obtain a permit at the city hall in the absence of Mayor Dan Butler.  
**Rock Island Reports Gain**  
CHICAGO (AP)—The Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railway

company yesterday reported net operating income of \$5,458,853 in 1939 compared with \$2,512,843 for 1938.  
The population of New York City exceeded 7,000,000 at the last census.

**Potters Oppose Trade Pact**  
WASHINGTON (AP)—Unanimous opposition to reenactment of the reciprocal trade agreements act was voted yesterday by the annual meeting of the United States Potters association.

# Daily Iowan Want Ads

## ROOMS FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Approved room for men. Dial 9383.

FOR RENT—Approved room for men. 306 S. Capitol. Dial 2705.

IDEAL LARGE double room for men. Comfortable, gas heated, hot water, well lighted. Inner-spring mattresses. Close in. 220 N. Dubuque.

ONE HALF large warm room. Men. West side. Dial 6308.

FOR RENT—Girls' approved rooms, \$7.50 up. Kitchen. Dial 6942.

SINGLE and double rooms for students. Men. Dial 9771.

BOYS ROOM for rent. 937 E. Jefferson. Dial 2083.

DOUBLE OR single room near Fine Arts building. Sunny and warm. Men. Dial 5128.

ROOM FOR RENT 1-2 block north of Union. 225 N. Madison. Dial 6977.

LARGE DESIRABLE room for single man in Manville Heights. Dial 4352.

ROOM, two girls, private home in Manville Heights. Dial 3089.

STUDIO ROOM with adjoining dressing room. Four blocks from campus. Large. Clean. Light. Inner-spring mattress. Lounging chair and ottoman. Graduate student or business woman preferred. Dial 7572.

FOR RENT—Double room, University heat. 32 E. Bloomington. Dial 3426.

FOR RENT — Approved room. Girls. Exceptionally warm. Close in. Dial 5557.

FOR RENT—Single room at Quad. Dial 3583.

FOR RENT—Approved rooms for men. Two blocks from East hall. Dial 4378.

ROOMS for boys, private bath. Constant hot water. Close in. Reasonable. Dial 3385.

FOR RENT—Room on First floor. Kitchen privileges. Couple preferred. \$15.00. Dial 6301.

FOR RENT—Rooms for girls. Special privileges. Dial 6664.

NICE DOUBLE ROOM—3 windows, near bath. Dial 6595.

DOUBLE OR SINGLE ROOM—Graduate student preferred. 115 S. Clinton.

HOUSES and APARTMENTS  
ROOMMATE WANTED—Girl to share attractive apartment. Close in. Dial 4303 evenings.

FOR RENT—Furnished apt. \$18. Double room \$14. Private entrance, 6459.

2 ROOM furnished apartment, private bath. Dial 4315.

FOR SALE—HOUSES  
FOR SALE—5 room bungalow. Large lot on paved street. \$4,500.00—\$500.00 down balance like rent. Koser Bros.

WANTED—EMPLOYMENT  
WANTED—Position as cook in fraternity. Experienced. Dial 5820.

WANTED—LAUNDRY  
WANTED STUDENT LAUNDRY. Shirts 10c. Free delivery. 315 N. Gilbert. Dial 2246.

LAUNDRY—10c lb. 10c shirt. Call for and deliver. Dial 9486.

LAUNDRIES—Reach all the students. Fill your capacity with steady customers early in the school year. Use The Daily Iowan Want Ads for student washings Dial 4192.

WANTED—Students' laundry. Soft water used. Save 30%. Dial 5797.

**Daily Iowan Classifieds Pay**  
Daily Iowan classifieds may be small, but their power is great. The cost for insertion of your ad is low, indeed, but to profit by reading the classifieds costs you nothing at all! Read them every day, and when you want to put one in yourself, just

**DIAL 4191**

## HELP WANTED

WANTED—CARRIER BOYS. Apply James Nelson, circulation mgr. Daily Iowan.

STUDENT GIRL to work for room and board. Dial 7361.

If you can't find an apartment to suit—Use the

WANT ADS—

A "WANTED TO RENT" AD WILL BRING RESULTS

DIAL 4191

## WANTED ROOMMATE

MAN STUDENT to share room. Very reasonable. 4861-721 Washington.

WANTED—Male roommate. Approved room. \$6 per month. Dial 5552.

ROOMMATE—wanted for student boy. Reasonable. Dial 7241.

## PLUMBING

PLUMBING, HEATING, AIR Conditioning. Dial 5870. Iowa City Plumbing.

HEATING, ROOFING, SPOUTING. Furnace cleaning and repairing of all kinds. Schuppert and Koudelka. Dial 4640.

WANTED—PLUMBING AND heating. Larew Co. 227 E. Washington. Phone 9681.

## COAL

We Have Coal at \$6.00—\$7.00—\$8.25—\$8.50—\$9.75—\$10—\$10.50—\$11.50 & \$12.50. Pay your money and take your choice. It will all burn.

JOHNSTON COAL CO. Dial 6464

Let Us Supply You With FIREPLACE WOOD Clean—Easy To Burn LAMPERT YARDS DIAL 2103

## CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING RATE CARD

CASH RATE

1 or 2 Days— 10c per line per day

3 days— 7c per line per day

6 days— 5c per line per day

1 month— 4c per line per day

—Figure 5 words to line—  
Minimum Ad — 2 lines

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Or \$5.00 per month

All Want Ads Cash In Advance  
Messenger Service Till 5 P.M.  
Counter Service Till 6 P.M.

Responsible for one incorrect insertion only.

## DIAL 4191

## WHELP TO EAT

HOME COOKING Assured. Single meals or by week. We serve seconds. Girls invited.

SCOTT'S DINING ROOM 9 E. Washington

## HOT CHOCOLATE HOT LUNCHEONS

DYSART'S Free Delivery Dial 2323

## SELL YOUR BOOKS!

Run an ad in The Daily Iowan classified section for best prices—

DIAL 4191

## LOST & FOUND

LOST—Before Christmas, old fashioned gold Elgin with initials E. F. C. Dial 5649.

LOST—Gold cased Gruen wrist-watch. Brown braided leather strap. Dial 9460. Reward.

LOST: Brown pigskin gloves at Reserve library. Dial Ext. 8153.

## PERSONALS

JOHN—After this when you borrow my pants bring them back the next morning. I have eight o'clock exam. J. C. C.

## FOR SALE—CLOTHES

FOR SALE—Dark brown Caracul fur coat. Swagger style. Like new. Originally \$165. Price now \$45. Dial 5830.

## FOR RENT—SLEDS

BOB SLED PARTIES—Howard Fountain. Dial 116-44F11.

BOB SLED PARTIES—Bill Potter. Dial 6470.

## SALESMAN WANTED

UNEXPECTED CHANGE makes available fine Rawleigh Route in South Johnson County. Splendid business secured in this district for 2 1-2 years. Exceptional opportunity for right man. Write Rawleigh's Dept. IAA-284-201, Freeport, Ill.

## FOR SALE—BANJOS

FOR SALE: Five string Stewart banjo, music rack and music. Dial 5118.

## HAULING

Iowa City Born --- Iowa City Owned --- Iowa City Managed --- Local-Long Distance Movers THOMPSON Transfer Co. Inc. C. J. Whipple, Owner 509 So. Gilbert Dial 6604

## Maher Bros. Transfer & Storage

Dial 9696  
Long distance and general Hauling  
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21c to 5:30  
Then 26c  
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WHAT'S she got?  
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**ZENOBIA**  
OLIVER HARDY  
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TODAY THRU FRIDAY  
LESLIE HOWARD  
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Scotland Yard attacks! Gasp! Thrill-mystery!  
The SAINT IN LONDON  
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NOW! ENDS FRIDAY

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Boys will be 'Boys' terrous!  
**"BOY TROUBLE"**  
Charlie Ruggler-Mary Boland-Sonald O'Connor

**SATURDAY**  
THE SCREEN'S BIGGEST SHOW OF PIONEER DAYS!  
The romance of America's first Rebel and his blonde in buckskin  
**ALLEGHENY UPRISING**  
CLAIRE TREVOR  
JOHN WAYNE  
with GEORGE SANDERS • BRIAN DONLEVY  
WILFRED LAWSON • ROBERT BARRAT • JOHN F. HAMILTON • MORON OISEN • EDDIE QUILLAN

Before  After  
**Relax !**  
BETWEEN EXAMS  
See— Randolph Scott in "20,000 MEN A YEAR" NOW AT STRAND  
Go To and From in a YELLOW CAB Dial 3131  
Get Up A Party When You're Through at MAYFLOWER  
Maid-Rite Cold or Hot Drinks Dial 4595  
Maid-Rite Hamburger Shop  
HAMBURGERS — COKES SANDWICHES Dial 4336  
D & L GRILL  
Stay Down For Lunch Meet at the HUDDLE Hotel Jefferson

Now Is The Time To Rent That Room! Try A Daily Iowan Room-For-Rent Ad!

JONES, NOE UNITE AS LONG FOES



Sam Jones James A. Noe

Attorney Sam Houston Jones, who will oppose Governor Earl Long in February in a run-off of the Louisiana Democratic gubernatorial primary, gains a supporter in James A. Noe, one-time adherent of the late United States Huey Long, Governor Long's brother. Noe, who finished third in the original primary, has announced he will support Jones.

BROWDER, SENTENCED, SPEAKS



Central Press Phonophoto Earl Browder

Following his conviction in a New York court on charges of passport fraud, Earl Browder, general secretary of the Communist party in the United States, addresses 20,000 demonstrators in Madison Square Garden. Sentenced to four years in prison and fined \$2,000, Browder is temporarily free under \$7,500 bail.

\$13,000 Richer

Girl Scout Aide



See Jordan, a crippled Pittsburgh, Pa., newsboy, has become reconciled with his estranged wife, after she learned by radio that a brother had bequeathed him the sum of \$13,000.



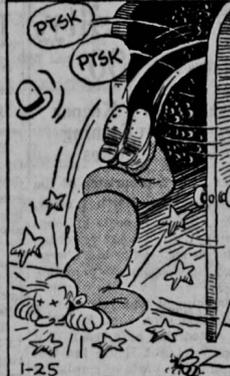
Bess Johnson, stage and radio actress, has been made a dramatic counsellor of the Girl Scouts of America by Miss Mabel Thompson, executive secretary of the Girl Scout organization.

SALLY'S SALLIES



Some people are hard-boiled when they are only slightly stewed.

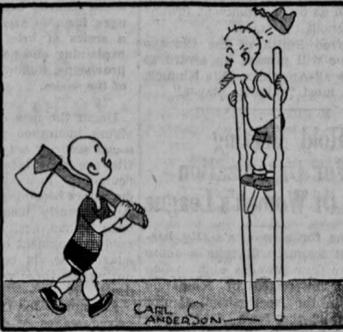
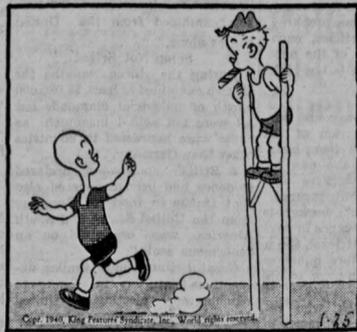
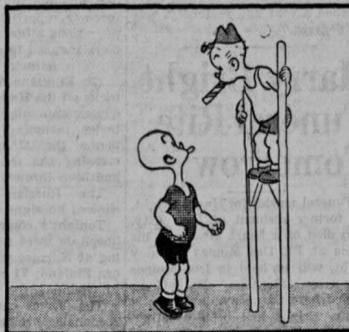
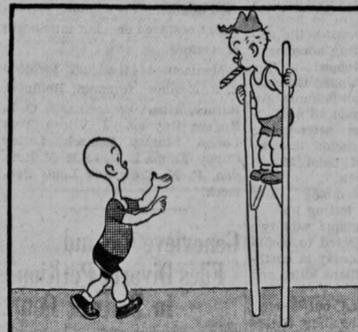
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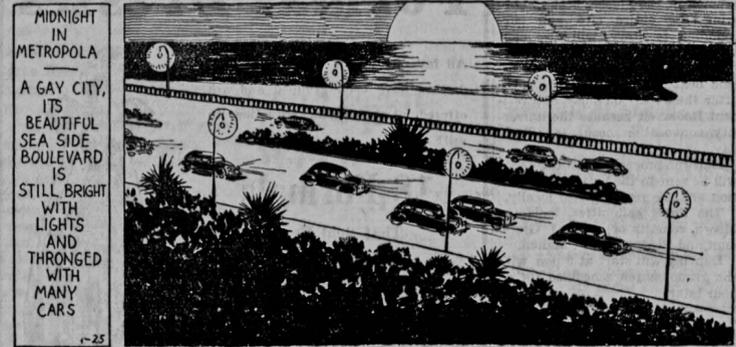
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BRICK BRADFORD



ROOM AND BOARD



BY GENE AHERN

OLD HOME TOWN



BY STANLEY

### James Stuart Pleads Guilty, Fined \$100

#### Lighthouse Inn Keeper Charged With Owning Slot, Dice Machines

James Stuart, proprietor of the Light House inn, North Liberty, was fined \$100 and costs in Johnson county district court yesterday when he pleaded guilty to a charge of illegal possession of gambling devices.

### Tickets For Grid Dinner Available

Tickets will be put on sale today for the first annual all-Iowa football dinner in the Iowa Union lounge Feb. 12, it was announced yesterday. Two dollars a plate will be charged.

### To Hold Meeting For Organization Of Women's League

Plans for a women's city basketball league will take a more definite form Monday night, when women interested in competing meet in the Recreational Center offices at the Iowa City Community building.

### 'Gone With The Wind' To Play Here Soon

Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's technical production of "Gone With The Wind," the Margaret Mitchell best-seller, has been engaged to play at a local theater in the near future, it was announced last night.

### Yes . . .

McNamara's Are Recovering Chairs for \$12.95 and Davenport for only \$23.95. This is for a limited time — so dial 5836 now. Sure we're glad to give free estimates.

### McNAMARA FURNITURE COMPANY

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### Forced Landing Students, Pilot In Montezuma Field

#### Two students and an air pilot, flying back from Omaha yesterday, felt the effects of the cold winds and landed in an open field near Montezuma to do something about it.

The students were Xavier Leonard and George Nissen and their pilot was Lain Guthrie, all of whom arrived back safely late yesterday afternoon.

The pilot determined, according to Nissen, that the cold gale was responsible for a layer of ice on the carburetor.

Guthrie had flown Leonard and Nissen to Omaha Tuesday. The students went to Lincoln, Neb., Tuesday night and met Guthrie yesterday morning in Omaha for the trip back.

They were forced down at 12.20 p. m. yesterday.

### 'Currently Insured' Workers Protected Under Old-Age Plan

Editor's note: Every worker who has a social security account number card should know how the recent congressional changes in the old-age and survivors insurance provisions of the social security act apply to him or her.

Under the new old-age and survivors insurance program of the social security act, survivors benefits are provided in the case of "currently insured" workers who die before becoming "fully insured."

Example: Joe Black who received wages of \$50 or more in covered employment for each of six calendar quarters in 1939, 1940 and 1941, dies in January, 1942.

The only survivors who can receive monthly benefits after the death of a currently insured worker are his widow, if she has dependent children in her care, and the dependent children themselves.

### Gilmore City Youth Winner of State-Wide Discussion Contest

DES MOINES, Jan. 24 (AP) — A 17-year-old Gilmore City youth, Marvin Julius, tonight was named winner of the state-wide rural youth discussion contest sponsored by the farmers grain dealers association of Iowa.

Julius was introduced at the annual banquet of the association tonight. Loren Hechtner of Sac City won second, while Charles Cook of Waukon, and Mary Dwight of Des Moines, tied for third place.

Oscar Helme of Marcus, association president, declared in his annual address that the farmers' battle for "economic equality is by no means won."

"Their battle," he said, "is to gain a reasonable share of the national income, to gain a share of the foreign market through reciprocal trade agreements, reasonable payments to offset the prices they pay to tariff-protected industry and trade barriers of all kinds—and this battle today hangs in the balance."

### Government Corn Must Pay Charges Before It Is Sold

DES MOINES, Jan. 24 (AP) — Government-owned corn under the AAA's ever-normal granary program will be disposed of when it can be sold for enough money to pay the charges against the stored grain, William McArthur of Mason City said here today.

McArthur, in charge of the commodity loan division of the AAA in the corn belt, spoke at the convention of the Farmers Grain Dealers association of Iowa.

When the sale of the corn is started, he said, the first corn to

be moved will be that in the country elevators. County AAA committees are charged with the responsibility of handling the corn in the steel bins when it is sold, he added, although the committees can engage a local elevator to do this work.

The AAA official indicated he favored the handling of the corn by the elevators in most instances. McArthur reiterated that the commodity credit corp. intends to hold the corn until the amount of the loan plus costs can be re-

### British Take Contraband In U. S. Mail

#### Informed Sources Describe Articles Destined for Reich

LONDON, Jan. 24 (AP) — A description of jewelry, cash, drugs, food, cameras and other "contraband" seized in examination of 25,000 parcel post packages from the Americas during the three months ended Jan. 12 was released tonight by informed British sources.

A pearl necklace valued at \$32,320 and huge quantities of cash destined for Germany were among the articles of contraband seized from between 16,000 and 17,000 parcels examined from the United States alone.

Some Not Seized During the three months the British examined at least \$8,080,000 worth of industrial diamonds but all were not seized inasmuch as some were addressed to countries other than Germany.

A British spokesman declared evidence had been uncovered also that traffic in food for Germany from the United States and South America was organized on an "enormous scale."

Great Britain made similar accusations Saturday in a note to Washington rejecting a United States protest against seizure of mails aboard United States and other neutral ships.

The shippers were described as both private well-wishers and German firms in the United States, with sample mail the most popular method employed in attempting to get food into Germany.

The seized sample packages contained principally small bags of coffee, beans, soap and edible and inedible fats.

Cash, Checks Mailed Besides food, the British charged a large-scale "racket" had sprung up in the United States to get foreign exchange to Germany by sending large quantities of cash and checks through the mails.

In another instance, examination of 4,462 packages enroute to Germany resulted in 4,063 of them being branded as contraband.

Letter mail was said by the British to be used frequently to send valuable articles, especially industrial diamonds, to Germany.

### J. Vesely Residence Damaged by Flames At Noon Yesterday

The roof of the John Vesely residence at 518 S. Dubuque street was slightly damaged by fire during the noon hour yesterday.

Fire Chief J. J. Clark said the fire was caused by sparks from the chimney. He estimated the loss at between \$50 and \$100.

### Five Below 'Moondog' Seen in East As Mercury Falls

A five-below-zero temperature was recorded in Iowa City late last night with the mercury expected to drop at least five more degrees before this morning.

A halo around the moon, which weather officials call a moondog, was evident in the eastern skies last night. This effect was said to have been caused by the reflection of the moon on the ice crystals in the cirrous clouds.

Although these clouds contain ice particles even in the summer months, weather officials said, lower clouds assume like contents in colder weather, enlarging the circle of light around the moon.

Yesterday's highest temperature was 10 degrees, one below the normal low for Jan. 24. Normal high, touched a year ago yesterday, was 30 degrees.

### Harry Bright Funeral Rite Tomorrow

Funeral service for Harry Bright, 56, former resident of Iowa City, who died of a heart attack at his home at Ft. Des Moines Tuesday night, will be held in Des Moines tomorrow afternoon. He will be buried here Saturday.

Mr. Bright had been a father. He was born in Iowa City and lived here for many years before moving to Chicago. He had lived in Des Moines 23 years.

Survivors include his wife and several nieces and nephews in Iowa City.

### Women of Moose Sell President's Ball Tickets Outside City

The Women of the Moose, solicitors of tickets for the local celebration of the President's Birthday ball, yesterday canvassed outside communities in an effort to raise funds to fight infantile paralysis.

It was announced yesterday by Leslie Moore, committee member in charge of ticket sales, that the Women of the Moose, besides covering the entire city and surrounding territory, will also canvass the university.

This year's celebration will be held next Wednesday night, a day after the actual birthday of President Roosevelt because the university convocation occurs on Tuesday.

Half the proceeds from the dance will be sent to the national foundation and the rest retained locally.

The ticket committee, including Moore, consists of Dr. T. J. Gretman and Prof. Bruce E. Mahan.

Dancing will start at 9 p. m. with the grand march scheduled for an hour later.

### Finns--

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northwestward along the shores of Lake Ladoga with the idea of threatening the Karelian isthmus Mannerheim line from the rear.

Columns Smashed Two columns rushed forward in characteristic "Blitzkrieg" style, but at Loimola and Syskyjarvi they were smashed.

Again a big force was sent northwestward along the lake shore—this time more cautiously.

Kitela, Loimola and Syskyjarvi all are in a line about 20 miles from the Russian border. Kitela is the southernmost, only six or seven miles from the lake shore, Syskyjarvi about 12 miles north of the lake, and Loimola about 28 miles north of the lake.

Several attempts were made to send troops across the ice of Lake Ladoga to the relief of the force at Kitela, but every attempt was frustrated.

New Attempt Halted Then more desperate efforts were made to rush supporting forces to Kitela along the railway line which runs southwestward from Suojarvi, 55 miles to the north, near the Soviet frontier.

Russian generals, ordered to get relief to the Kitela divisions before another debacle takes place—such as happened to the wiped-out 163rd and 44th divisions at Suomussalmi—ordered repeated attacks in the last three days, but their men were thrown back with heavy losses in each case.

Meanwhile the trapped Kitela force is reported here to be in a precarious situation, with the soldiers reduced to eating horsemeat.

Attacks Stopped The Russians continued their attacks on the Karelian isthmus. Today's communique said all new attacks including an attempt to pierce the Mannerheim line by crossing the ice of Lake Muola, had been thrown back.

The Russian bombing raids showed no signs of letting up. Tonight's communique said two hospitals were subjected to bombing at Nurmes yesterday in northern Finland; 21 civilians killed and 21 wounded.

The Finns carried out several reconnaissance and bombing flights of their own, and reported nearly 800 enemy planes brought to earth since the start of the war.

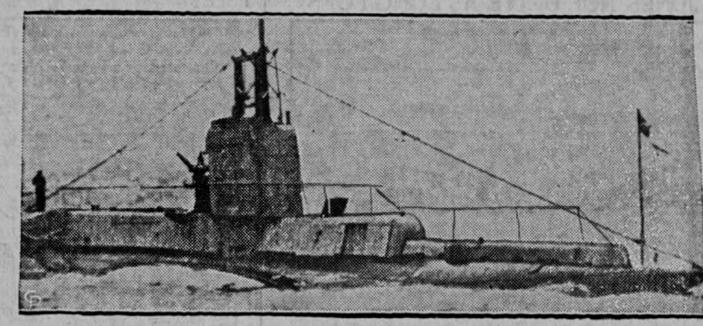
### Albertina Hess Will Admitted to Probate

The will of Mrs. Albertina Hess was admitted to probate in district court yesterday.

Paul Nosek was appointed administrator of the estate by Judge Harold D. Evans. Bond was set at \$10,000.

Mrs. Hess died Jan. 7, 1940.

### ONE OF THREE BRITISH SUBMARINES SUNK BY NAZIS



H. M. submarine Starfish

Above is H. M. submarine Starfish, one of three submarines the British admiralty has announced have not returned to their bases nor reported. The German admiralty has announced the sinking

of the Starfish and the Undine in the Heligoland Bight. The starfish's sister ship, the Seahorse, also is missing. Survivors of the Starfish and the Undine were rescued, the Germans announced.

### Jury Acquits William Binz

#### Arrest Made After Auto Accident Near Oxford Last May

After 12 hours of deliberation Tuesday, the district court petit jury returned a sealed verdict at 10 a. m. yesterday acquitting William Binz, charged with driving while intoxicated.

Binz had been arrested on a county attorney's information after having been involved in an auto accident May 7, 1939. The accident occurred one-half mile north of Oxford.

Members of the jury included C. F. Gardner, foreman; Rollin E. Barnes, Albert Betz, Charles O. L. Rogers, Raymond J. Vitosh, Tom Loney, Stanley Zenisek, LeRoy Cuppy, Emma L. Jones, H. M. Runyon, F. N. Crow and Louis Sedlacek.

### Genevieve Rieland Files Divorce Petition In District Court

Genevieve Rieland filed a petition in Johnson county district court yesterday asking a divorce from Arthur Rieland, charging him with cruel and inhuman treatment.

The petition states that the couple were married March 11, 1933, and lived together two months.

The plaintiff, seeking custody of one minor child, asks that a judgment be entered ordering the defendant to pay \$20 a month for its care and support.

Attorney W. J. Jackson is representing the plaintiff.

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