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## Should Reopen Palestinian Experiment—

For more than two thousand years a Jewish civilization within the boundaries of its original homeland, Palestine. And for nearly that number of years the plan has been forestalled either by Arabic uprisings or European intervention.

It was not until 1917 with the signing of the Balfour declaration that the Jews were given the legal right to immigrate into the desert country. And this benevolence on the part of the Central Powers proved to be short lived. In 1939 the Chamberlain government issued the White paper, forcibly prohibiting the immigration of Jews to Palestine after March 31, 1944.

Today the Jewish problem far exceeds anything even remotely envisioned in 1917. Adolf Hitler in his mad search for power has focused a blazing and savage purge upon the non-Aryans of central Europe. Guilty of no crime other than the inheritance of their birth, Jews by the millions have been left homeless, starving and dying. Others have been brutally tortured and murdered.

More pertinent than any other question of the times, the Zion-

ist movement stands as the only plausible solution to the tragic Jewish problem.

Already we have seen the great economic development of Palestine during the past two decades, wrought by the influx of enthusiastic Jews whose sole desire was to modernize the ancient Biblical country and bring it into the realm of progressive society.

In an otherwise backward and ignorant land, these people have built hospitals, welfare stations, libraries, clinics, laboratories for scientific research. They have drained swamps, pushed malaria control methods, rationalized agriculture, and outlined vast irrigation and water power projects.

Such progressiveness cannot be ignored. Anyone justly weighing the pros and cons of the Zionist program will find it commendable.

This serves to make it even more evident that the Palestinian experiment should be re-opened that the helpless victims of Nazi oppression be given a homeland, to live and labor as they so desire.

## Governmental Red-Tape Again—

Governmental red-tape has bungled many a war effort project, and now it's taking a swipe at the serviceman himself.

The little story that follows shows how the Iowa legislature—eager to give the soldier and sailor a fair share in selecting state officials—is fumbling its way through.

A former Iowan now serving overseas in the navy sent to the secretary of state a request for a war ballot. It was written on the federal government's pre-

pared war ballot request form and witnessed by a naval officer.

Two months later came the reply. The honorable secretary of state informed the seaman of his eligibility (a fact already known) and boasted the liberal attitude of the Iowa legislature. Instead of sending the requested ballot, he enclosed a request blank for the ballot!

The sailor had lacked the individual state form, and the federal blank would not do.

## Historic St. Louis Prepares to Break Bonds That Have Been Strangling It for Decades

ST. LOUIS (AP)—This historic city on the bank of the Mississippi is preparing for a fight to break the bonds strangling it for more than three decades.

St. Louis is prevented from expanding by the river which was responsible for a major part of its early rapid development—and by a score of small rival cities in adjoining St. Louis county.

To meet the city's increasing population the Missouri state legislature authorized three boundary extensions up to 1875.

Now the county dwellers won't permit the city to annex any more territory. They have voted against the suggestion three times. They prefer to be governed by their small responsive groups headed by druggist, doctors, lawyers—men who are their neighbors.

The city believes it can get the needed room by making provision in a new constitution now being shaped at the state capital in Jefferson City. That constitution will be voted on by every county in the state.

Since 1910 St. Louis has chafed at the restrictions imposed by its fixed boundaries. Census figures of 1940 revealed the first population loss in its 180-year history. Once the nation's fourth largest city it has slipped to eighth.

City planners surveyed other metropolitan areas which had outgrown their corporate limits—Boston, where more than 40 large separate municipalities form one large community; Milwaukee, surrounded by a thickly-populated urban area; Baltimore, which has made five annexations; Chicago, where the referendum was used in 31 of 56 boundary extensions since 1830, and New York City with its system of burroughs.

They concluded St. Louis would have to meet the problem in its own way.

St. Louis county's population was small when St. Louis broke away in 1879 over rural antagonism to its parks and playgrounds. The city went outside its limits to acquire the necessary land but the agricultural element resented the move and refused to continue its tax support.

With the slow transportation of

those days the 10 to 20 miles separating the county villages from the downtown business district seemed a long way.

New Hammer Developed  
PULLMAN, Wash. — A cast magnesium handle for a hammer has just been developed experimentally in the light metals foundry at Washington State college. It exactly duplicates in weight the wooden handle it replaces and yet is so strong that a 190-pound man could not break it even when he attempted to do so.

The hammer handle is one of several ideas now being worked on here for greater post-war development of markets in experiments being done here cooperatively by the Washington state planning council and the college.

## Students Have Mine Right on Campus

SALT LAKE CITY (ACP)—Mining engineer students at the University of Utah "go underground" without ever leaving the campus.

Believed to be the only on-campus mine in the nation, the college mine is complete in every detail—except for the ore. In the full-scale tunnels, students learn to excavate and to timber shafts and drifts. In one blind tunnel at the north end of the mine, students drive their way forward, loading the excavated rocks and soil on a mine car and wheeling it down the rails to a hillside exit.

They solve ventilation problems with a blower which can accurately control the flow of air throughout the two levels of the campus mine.

A vertical shaft connects the two levels with the surface.

Tunnels were built under the supervision of a veteran miner so that Utah students would have more than a mere "book knowledge" of mining. They learn—by practice—how to map out ore deposits, excavate and timber, ventilate and shore a mine.

## On and Off Campus—

# Opinion--

ON WHAT DATE WILL THE ALLIES INVADE EUROPE AND WHERE WILL THEY MAKE THEIR FIRST LANDING?

Dr. Paul Reed, 431 Oakland avenue: "My opinion is that the place of invasion would be the region of Dunkirk. As for the time, I would say about the end of the week."

G. E. Wilson, banker of Cherokee: "My guess for the date of invasion would be about May 14. I think it will probably be at two different points across the English channel."

Duane Swanson, butcher of Chicago: "I would say the date of invasion will be about May 10, and it will probably be on the coast of France."

Tom Davis of Mutual Benefit Life Insurance company: "I hope it will be from the south up through Sicily and Italy. If the invasion is from the west coast, which seems likely, the cost in lives will be terrific. As for the time of the invasion, that's a military problem no civilian should even hope to guess."

William O. Goettie, meat cutter of Means' grocery: "I'd say the date of invasion will be May 15. I think the allies will come in from Russia as well as coming in around Belgium or the northern tip of France. I don't think they'll come in from the south."

Ruth Schultz, A2 of Waterloo: "Landing operations will begin within two months. More intensified bombing will be concentrated on the industrial centers before the actual invasion. The actual landing will probably take place on German soil."

Richard Sherman, A4 of Des Moines: "I think the invasion will take place somewhere along the coast of France. It will either begin this week or at the end of the month."

Mayor W. J. Teeters: "I feel that the invasion is actually on, and that at a given time, it will merely be intensified with more concentration on certain areas."

Mrs. David E. Burrows, A1 of Council Bluffs: "I think there will be no specific attack, but rather attacks in several places at once. Invasion should begin before June first."

## Thank the Engineer For Balanced Diet

AUSTIN, Tex.—You can thank the engineer for your modern balanced diet—and henceforth, thanks to his ingenuity, your diet can be determined on the basis of what's good for you.

This assertion is made by M. R. Woolrich, University of Texas engineering dean and vice-president of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, in his retiring vice-president address.

Tracing the "Romance and Engineering of Food Preservation," Dean Woolrich said ground was laid for modern food habits by engineering developments such as electrical distribution, which makes possible home processing and preservation of perishable foods; highway construction and mass production of trucks, which permit delivery of fresh vegetables, dairy products, fruits and meats.

"The present state of the art of quick and flash freezing," he declared, "is now advanced to such a stage of perfection that with the release of equipment priorities after the present war, frozen foods can be made available to the purchaser at prices as low as those for hot processed and dehydrated foods.

"With the coordination of our implements of electrical power, internal-combustion engine, propelled transportation, excellent network of roadways and mechanical inventions, and with the competent support of the food technologists, the bacteriologists and the chemists, the engineering profession should be able to as-

## —AND NO SPARES!



## News Behind the News

### Roosevelt Army Seizure of Ward's Plant Springs From One Single Fact

By PAUL MALLON  
WASHINGTON—The Roosevelt election. The government itself had even ordered one. If one had been held at any time, there would have been no trouble. If one were held today, the sensational difficulties would dissolve.

Surface suspicions now being aired in the controversy have carried practically everyone away from the real issue. Mr. Roosevelt's critics, with justice, can complain that he has used the army against a non-war plant, to help the CIO.

This is quite an advantageous political opportunity, because the president has been required to resist CIO's efforts to force a higher general wage level. Also he has been trying to get a national labor draft act, which CIO especially deplors.

On the other hand, the courts being what they are these days after 12 years of Roosevelt appointees, the company also may be inclined to seek a political judgment. Some lower court might possibly challenge Mr. Roosevelt's act, but certainly the supreme court would uphold him.

In fact, common business practice has been to surrender as soon as the government steps in. Business well knows that the cost of a lost suit and lost business would be greater than whatever wage, hour or other provisions the government may wish to extract from it. It has been forfeiting rights to expediency.

In this case, if the government loses in the courts it will have to pay for lost Montgomery Ward business, which, however, may increase, as a result of publicity, depending on popular approval of the company position.

The only place the company can win the case however, probably is in congress, and there it is already being taken up unofficially in open debate.

### College Diploma Could Be Done Away With Says Professor

HARTFORD, Conn.—Prof. George Ross Wells, Hartford seminary foundation psychologist, suggests the college diploma be done away with or "be given to everyone as soon as they enter college."

Then, he said, "those who just want a degree can leave right away and those who are left can stay for an education."

Wells declared the diploma sets a "false goal" on education.

The psychologist said that if he ever founded a college, middle-aged and elderly people would be encouraged to attend such a college because "higher education as it is now administered actually discourages elder people from furthering their learning."

## Post-Graduate Course in War

WITH THE AEF IN ITALY, April 23 (Delayed) (AP)—The command car skidded to a sudden stop on the muddy road through the woods. Making their way through the white pathways of the headlights were scores of soldiers, their wet faces angry in the glare. "Turn out those damned lights," someone shouted. "It's all right," another yelled, "it's just some guys going through."

Then there was silence as the sergeant shifted into low and we plowed on between the grim silent lines of men. Many of them had small white patches on their helmets.

"What's this?" I asked the sergeant. "I thought you guys weren't going back to the lines for at least a couple of weeks yet."

"We're not," he said, peering on ahead as the trail twisted between the trees. "They're problems—maneuvers breaking in the replacements. Beats the way we used to get them upon rotundo, remember?"

I remembered. There was the night I thought the colonel was going to cry at the command post up there in the mountains. Eleven riflemen, raw replacement all, had started up the mountain that night to join a company in the line. Six of the 11 had never made it up even as far as the battalion C. P. The colonel had started cussing as soon as he got word over the phone that they were coming up. Then mortar shells along the rack-shale halfway up the mountain killed two and wounded four.

"They never had a chance," the colonel kept saying. "They didn't know anything. They never had a chance."

I was thinking of that when the sergeant spoke again.

"It's different here," he said, "probably we'll always have to shove in some new replacements right into the line but we're working it as much as possible to

## Before Rooseveltian Era—Many Memories Of White House Days

By HELEN ESSARY

WASHINGTON—A dateline: "Washington, B. R."—Let me see, now, when WAS that?

Let's think back. 'Way back.—"Washington B. R." Why, of course! That was the period "Before Roosevelt." It came to an end in the year 1933. Come 12 years ago next March 4.

March 4, when Franklin and Eleanor Roosevelt rode up Pennsylvania avenue side by side and Eleanor Roosevelt dished a new era into the self-conscious social life of the capital of the republic by serving ham sandwiches and paper napkins in the East Room of the White House to several hundred inauguration guests.

And what happened in Washington, B. R.? Can you remember ANYTHING about Washington Before Roosevelt? Can you recall any of the sights and sounds of the village on the Potomac? Any anecdotes about any of the people who lived in the White House "B. R."?

I can remember things. I can remember a trip I made from Baltimore to Washington in the Pullman chair next to Jessie Wilson, second daughter of Woodrow Wilson.

I was bringing an extremely brand new daughter home to Washington after the brand new daughter's first visit to her grandmother. I didn't know who the pretty girl opposite me was. I admired her blonde hair parted in the middle and braided about her small head. I thought her an angel when she took my restless child on her lap.

As we neared Washington she handed the baby back to me. Smoothed down her hair. Opened her big, black purse. Took out a pair of white gloves and put the black ones she had been carrying inside the purse. Folded her new hands demurely and said:

"I always keep my best appearance for Washington. Mother tells me I must look well for father's sake."

Then it dawned on me that she was the daughter of the president of the United States! She drove us to my house in Cleveland Park in an official limousine before she went to the White House.

If Woodrow Wilson's family was soable, Mr. Wilson was not. He would have liked to be gay and friendly. But he just couldn't loosen up his intellectual spine.

The handshake of Warren G. Harding was not quick and impersonal. In this White House family it was the wife of the president who used to frighten me. Perhaps it was that stiff-boned collar Mrs. Harding wore with all sorts of dresses. Or that rigid hair-do and that austere expression behind the eyeglasses that made me wish I were some place else—quickly.

For she really was a sweet person. Whatever the cause of Mrs. Harding's remote manner, there was none of this quality in her husband's personality. Mr. Harding was beautiful to look upon and did indeed have an encouraging way with him. He would have been a gorgeous lord of a southern Maryland manor.

When the Coolidges came to the Executive Mansion, everybody said, "It's fine to have a cautious Yankee running things after that uncertain Warren Harding." Even so, Mr. Coolidge wasn't much to brag about socially except as a butt for the stories about silence and frugality.

He was a neat little fellow and looked slightly scared at the White House parties. If you hadn't known he was the president, you'd have thought he was an extra waiter in a very clean suit and tie, got in to help for the evening.

Mrs. Coolidge was always smiling, always pretty and always having a good time.

I don't seem to remember many anecdotes about the Hoovers, except that it seemed to me they should have enjoyed the White House more than they did.

—By Kenneth Dixon

## OFFICIAL DAILY BULLETIN

Items in the UNIVERSITY CALENDAR are scheduled in the President's Office, Old Capitol. Items for the GENERAL NOTICES are deposited with the campus editor of The Daily Iowan or may be placed in the box provided or their deposit in the office of The Daily Iowan. GENERAL NOTICES must be at The Daily Iowan by 4:30 p. m. the day preceding first publication; notices will NOT be accepted by telephone, and must be TYPED OR LEGIBLY WRITTEN and SIGNED by a responsible person.

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## UNIVERSITY CALENDAR

Tuesday, May 2  
9 a. m. May Breakfast, University club.  
Friday, May 5  
6:30 p. m. Mississippi Palisades outing, Iowa Mountaineers.  
Tuesday, May 9  
1 p. m. Sand bridge (partner), University club.  
Thursday, May 11  
10 a. m. Hospital Library (post-lunch luncheon), University club.  
2 p. m. Kensington, University club.  
4:10 p. m. Graduate college lecture by W. F. Windle, "Alterations in the Brain after Neonatal Asphyxia," medical amphitheater.  
Sunday, May 14  
6 p. m. Supper, University club.  
Tuesday, May 16  
6:15 p. m. Iowa Mountaineers first annual banquet, Unitarian church.  
Tuesday, May 18  
12 M. Kensington and bridge brunch, University club.  
Tuesday, May 23  
7:30 p. m. Bridge (partner), University club.

(For information regarding dates beyond this schedule, see reservations in the office of the President, Old Capitol.)

## GENERAL NOTICES

IOWA UNION  
MUSIC ROOM SCHEDULE  
Saturday—11 to 3.  
Sunday—11 to 6 and 7 to 8.

NURSING APPLICATION  
Women students interested in entering the school of nursing with the class which begins June 12, 1944, should call at the office of the registrar immediately to secure an application blank. Completed applications should be returned to the registrar's office as soon as possible.

HARRY G. BARNES  
Registrar

SEMESTER GRADES  
Students wishing to obtain official reports of grades received during the last semester should leave stamped self-addressed envelopes at the office of the registrar, University hall. Such reports will be available some time after May 15.

HARRY G. BARNES  
Registrar

RECREATIONAL SWIMMING  
Recreational swimming periods are open to all women students, faculty, faculty wives, wives of graduate students and members of the administrative staff every day from 4 to 5:30 p. m.; also to husbands on Tuesday and Thursday evenings from 7:30 until 9 p. m. and Saturdays from 10 until 12 a. m.

Students must present their identification cards to the matron. All others will pay the fee at the business office.

PROF. MARJORIE CAMP  
MUSIC HOUR  
For the regular Wednesday

SCHEDULE OF LIBRARY HOURS  
April 24—June 9  
Main reading room, Macbride hall  
Reserve reading room, University hall  
Periodical reading room, Library annex  
Monday—Thursday 7:50 a. m.—12 M.; 1 p. m.—6 p. m.; 7 p. m.—10 p. m.  
Friday—Saturday 7:50 a. m.—12 M.; 1 p. m.—6 p. m.  
Government documents department, Library annex  
Monday—Saturday 8 a. m.—12 M. 1 p. m.—6 p. m.  
Education library, East hall.  
Monday—Thursday 8 a. m.—6 p. m.; 7 p. m.—10 p. m.  
Friday—Saturday 8 a. m.—6 p. m.  
Schedule of hours for other departmental libraries will be posted on the doors of each library.

R. E. ELLSWORTH  
Director of Libraries

SWAINE SCHOLARSHIP  
The date for applications for the Robert T. Swaine scholarship, yielding full tuition for one year in any department of Harvard University, has been extended to June 1.

C. E. SEASHORE  
Dean of Graduate College

## INTERPRETING THE WAR NEWS

### Hour for Russian-Allied Nut-Cracker East-West Attack Draws Closer

By KIRKE L. SIMPSON  
Associated Press War Analyst

The hour for the Russian-allyed nut-cracker east-west attack which Stalin says alone "can completely crush Hitlerite Germany" drew ominously closer as Anglo-American planes from Britain for the 17th consecutive day bomb-battered the continent to soften it up for invasion.

Rail and road hubs in France and Belgium servicing the Atlantic wall defense front were special targets of the big and medium bombers to stir Nazi uneasiness that the expected assaults from the west might be no longer weeks away, but only days, even hours.

Hitler's generals can have no doubt that at some moment the air attack will so concentrate in an effort to isolate continental beachheads picked for landing operations by aerial hamstringing of their communications with the rear. Every chance in peace or direction of that massive bombardment prelude to invasion must increase nerve tension for the foe, waiting in his deep-set battle zones in sleepless expectancy.

The price all ranks of the German army is paying in frazzled nerves for the total loss of initiative in the war on all fronts is beyond calculation. It is a still untested factor in attempting to estimate German resistance capacity in terms of months or years until the final collapse comes. It is also an element in the situation upon which Stalin by implication in a May day order was counting heavily in virtual announcement to his people that "coordinated blows" by Russian troops from the east and allied forces from the west were about to solve the more "difficult" problem of achieving total Nazi defeat.

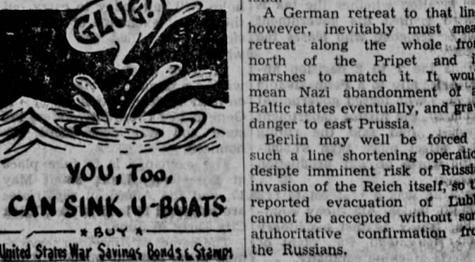
Even that advantage is evaporating as German air defensive power declines. The bombardment of behind-the-front communications from Romania and Italy to France and Belgium is stripping the foe of that ability to shift troops and heavy battle equipment quickly east, west north or south as danger threatens his over extended fortress walls on the continent.

The logistics of the impending Russian-allyed nut-cracker attack might account for an unconfirmed and startling Polish report via London that the Germans are evacuating Lublin, far behind the indicated Nazi defense line on the Polish Bug river in the lower central sector of the eastern front. Lublin is a critical link in Nazi communications for the whole section of the front from Brest to Litovsk to Lwow.

It is in this area, between the Carpathians in the south and the western extremity of the Pripiet marshes in the north, that most military opinion holds the Russians will launch their main drive. If evacuation of Lublin is in progress, it could only mean Nazi preparations to retire behind the San-Vistula line in southern Poland.

A German retreat to that line, however, inevitably must mean retreat along the whole front north of the Pripiet and its marshes to match it. It would mean Nazi abandonment of all Baltic states eventually, and grave danger to east Prussia.

Berlin may well be forced to such a line shortening operation, despite imminent risk of Russian invasion of the Reich itself, so the reported evacuation of Lublin cannot be accepted without some authoritative confirmation from the Russians.



# Municipal Swimming Pool Bond Sale Set

## Bids Received By City Clerk

**Council Also Hears Three Tax Appeals, Grants Beer Permit**

The sale of bonds for a \$82,500 swimming pool in Iowa City was set for 2 p. m. Wednesday, May 17, in a resolution adopted by the city council at a special meeting held last night.

All bids will be received at the office of the city clerk and will then be referred to the city council. The bonds, dated June 1, 1944, will be sold to the highest bidder with the inclusion of the rate of interest to be paid.

The bond issue, approved by the voters Sept. 4, 1941, has been prepared by Stipp, Perry, Bannister, Carpenter & Ahlers, attorneys, Des Moines.

Preceding this meeting, three complaints were presented to the members of the council meeting as a board of review with Vern W. Bales as chairman.

A personal appeal was presented in behalf of Alpha Delta Pi sorority. The appeal reviewed the steady increase in taxes over the last few years, emphasizing that no allowance had been made on depreciation of the property, and giving a comparison of the assessments made on other property in the same block.

A complaint was also entered in the interests of Delta Upsilon fraternity. The building is vacant, not under contract to the government and has little possibility of being opened until after the war. Consideration during this period was asked.

Jacob Goldberg presented the third complaint referring to a gas station now vacant on Gilbert and Market streets. His appeal stated that the property was not being used and will not be until after the war, yet taxes assessed in normal years when the site was that of a prosperous business are still being asked.

All complaints were referred to a committee appointed by the chairman for special investigation. Serving on the committee are Elmer Lenthe, chairman, H. S. Ivie and Carl S. Kring.

At the special meeting of the council, a renewal of a class B beer permit was granted to the Burkley hotel, 1-9 E. Washington street. The application was made by A. C. Dunkel, manager.

### MONTICELLO EDITOR RECEIVES TYPOGRAPHY AWARD



EARL ENGLISH, associate in the school of journalism, left, presents C. A. Dorse, right, publisher of the Monticello Express, with the award for best typography in an Iowa weekly, given by the University of Iowa chapter of Sigma Delta Chi, professional journalism fraternity. Governor Bourke B. Hickenlooper is shown congratulating Dorse. The award was made at a dinner Friday evening as part of the 29th annual meeting of the Iowa Press association in Des Moines. At this time, also, the 13th annual master editor-publisher awards were presented by Charles E. Robers, head of the department of technical journalism at Iowa State college in Ames. These awards were made to S. G. Goldthwaite, publisher of the Boone News-Republican; F. M. Beckman, editor and publisher of the Knoxville Journal, and Ralph E. Overholser, editor and publisher of the Red Oak Express.

## I. C. Schools Will Graduate 209 This Year

Two hundred nine high school seniors will be graduated this year from the four Iowa City high schools.

Members of the graduating class at University high school will attend baccalaureate services at 4 p. m. Sunday, May 7, in the University theater with Lieut. Elmer C. Elsea, chaplain at the Iowa Navy Pre-Flight school, as principal speaker. Commencement exercises are scheduled for 8 p. m. Friday, May 12. Prof. Earl E. Harper, director of the school of fine arts, will deliver the commencement address. Diplomas will be awarded to 37 students.

Baccalaureate services for the graduating class at Iowa City high school will be held at 8 p. m. Sunday, May 28, in the high school auditorium. The Rev. Fred W. Putnam, rector of the Episcopal church, will deliver the address. Commencement exercises for 127 seniors will be held at 8 p. m. Monday, May 29, in the high school auditorium. The principal speaker has not been announced.

St. Mary's Catholic high school will hold commencement exercises at 8 p. m. Friday, June 2, in St. Mary's church. Father John Budreau, an alumnus of the school, will deliver the address. Twenty-three seniors will receive diplomas.

St. Patrick's Catholic high school will hold baccalaureate services in St. Patrick's church at 8:30 a. m. Sunday, June 4. The Rev. Msgr. P. J. O'Reilly will sing the mass and give the principal address. Commencement exercises will be held at 8 p. m. the same day. Twenty-two students will be graduated.

**Traffic Fines Collected**  
Traffic fines collected over the weekend were: Deane Mokroy, \$3 for running through a red light, and Don J. O'Brien, \$3 for running through a red light, and \$10 for speeding.

Linn street, will be hostess to the Friendship Circle of the King's Daughters Thursday at 10:30 a. m. for an all-day meeting. A pot-luck luncheon will be served at noon, with Mrs. Tillie Wisler, Mrs. Philip D. Ketelsen, Mrs. D. H. Finch, Mrs. F. E. Meacham and Mrs. Lloyd Spencer as co-hostesses.

**TERESAN STUDY GROUP**  
The Teresan Study group will meet at 7:30 Thursday night in the home of Kate Donovan, 409 S. Summit street. Mrs. Leo O'Connor and Miss Donovan will have charge of the lesson. Current events will be discussed by Mrs. Walter Murray and Mrs. L. C. Greer will present a book report. Members are asked to note change in date of meeting.

**ZION LUTHERAN LADIES AID SOCIETY**  
The Zion Lutheran Ladies Aid society will meet Thursday at 2:30 p. m. in the church parlors for their regular business meeting. Hostesses are Mrs. William Schuppert, Mrs. Henry Schuppert and Mrs. A. P. McGuire.

## Mrs. Donald Seavy Will Address Group At 10 Tomorrow

Mrs. Donald Seavy will speak on "Indian Architecture" at a meeting of the Art circle tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock in the board rooms of the public library.

**JESSAMINE CHAPTER OF EASTERN STAR**  
Initiation of candidates will be held after the regular business meeting of the Jessamine chapter of the Order of Eastern Star tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock in the Masonic temple. A social hour will follow the ceremony.

**PEARRE MISSIONARY SOCIETY**  
Members of the Pearre Missionary society will meet in the Christian church parlors tomorrow afternoon at 2:30. Mrs. William Rohrbacher will be in charge of the meeting. Reports will be given by Mrs. Ira Powell and Mrs. A. J. Page on the national convention held in Des Moines last week. The subject will be "The Church Today and Tomorrow."

**PLYMOUTH CIRCLE OF CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH**  
Mrs. George Robinson, 215 Lexington street, will be hostess to the Plymouth circle of the Congregational church at a 1 o'clock luncheon tomorrow afternoon. Co-hostesses will be Mrs. Leslie Yetter, Mrs. Gerald Buxton and Mrs. Martin Tudor. A business meeting will follow the luncheon.

**FRIENDSHIP CIRCLE OF KING'S DAUGHTERS**  
Mrs. Elmer Schmidt, 319 N.

## Vernice France, William H. Van Duzer Wed in Double Ring Ceremony at Grinnell

In a double ring ceremony in the Grinnell chapel at Grinnell, Vernice France, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray France of Cherokee, became the bride of William H. Van Duzer, son of Dr. and Mrs. W. R. Van Duzer of Casey, Friday at 11 p. m. Dr. John Scott Everton performed the ceremony.

The chapel was decorated with candelabra and bouquets of spring flowers, and a white rug which led to a small white kneeling altar was spread for the bridal party. Nuptial music was provided by Carolyn Wood of Iowa City who sang "The Song Is You" and "Ich Liebe Dich."

Attending the bride were her sister, Marguerite, and Soni Orme of Iowa City. Best man was John Gansert of Grinnell and ushers were William Evans of Iowa City and Jack Nagle.

**Bride Wore White Satin**  
The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a white satin floor-length gown fashioned with a torso bodice, sweetheart neckline and bridal point sleeves. Her fingertip veil fell from a coronet of daisies and her only jewelry was a strand of pearls. She carried a sheaf of yellow roses.

Miss Orme selected a smoke blue gown designed with a floor-length draped skirt, V-neckline and long sleeves. Miss France wore a rose chiffon gown with a round neck and long full sleeves. Both had colonial bouquets of pastel flowers.

Mrs. France and the bride-

## Mrs. C. S. Williams Will Speak Today At Anamosa Meeting

Mrs. C. S. Williams, 226 S. Lucas street, will leave this morning for Anamosa, where she will deliver an address to women of that community during their annual meeting sponsored by the Methodist church. Her topic will be "The Oldest Civilization in Existence—China." She will return this evening.

**Return to Illinois**  
Mrs. Mable Tisius and granddaughter, Catherine Ann Pearnio, both of Alton, Ill., returned home Saturday after spending a few days in the home of Mrs. Tisius' son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Johnson, 517 Grant street.

**Returns From Convention**  
Dr. P. W. Herrick, 747 Oakland avenue, will return this evening from Des Moines where he has been attending the State Dental convention, held yesterday and today.

**Visits Brother**  
Mrs. A. C. Holloway, 32 Lincoln street, will leave today for Des Moines to visit Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Maxson and other friends. She will return home Saturday.

**Guest in Taylor Home**  
Mrs. J. G. Fowler of Buffalo, N. Y., sister of L. R. Taylor, is spending a few days in the Taylor residence, 1118 E. College street. She will leave for visits in other parts of the state the latter part of the week.

**Attend National Meet**  
Mrs. I. A. Rankin, 1114 E. College street, president of the Iowa Woman's club, attended the national meeting held at St. Louis April 25 until April 28. She was accompanied by Mrs. W. T. Mueller, 412 N. Dubuque street. Both returned home Friday morning.

**Returns From Florida**  
Mrs. Elbert W. Rockwood, 1011 Woodlawn drive, arrived home from St. Petersburg, Fla., where she spent the winter.

**Visiting in Moline**  
Mrs. W. R. West and daughter, Mrs. William Haney, 820 E. Burlington street, are visiting relatives in Moline, Ill.

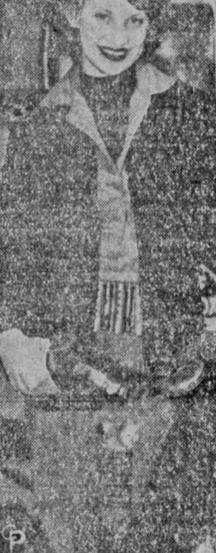
**Attends District Meeting**  
Mrs. H. J. Mayer, 217 1/2 S. Dubuque street, president of the Johnson County Republican Woman's club, attended the first district meeting of the Iowa Council of Republican Women at Washington Friday. Mrs. Mayer is a member of the legislative committee.

**Guests in Hegland Home**  
Mrs. T. E. Thompson of Highland Park, Ill., was a weekend visitor in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Hegland, 526 N. Linn street.

**Return From Chicago**  
Helen Reich and Dr. Helen Dawson of the college of medicine spent the weekend in Chicago where Dr. Dawson attended the regional anatomy meeting at the college of medicine at Northwestern university in Evanston, Ill.

**Attend Anniversary Party**  
Among Iowa City people attending the 50th wedding anniversary celebration of Mr. and Mrs.

## Date With Kelly



THOUGH FOLKS in his home city of Pittsburgh, Pa., had an entire program outlined for "Commando" Charles Edward Kelly, winner of the Congressional Medal of Honor, the young hero slipped away from the praising speeches and voluminous applause long enough to date the pretty young lady above. She is Josephine Stempier, 18-year-old neighbor of the Kelly's who says, "We're just friends." (International)

## Radio Station WMT Cancels Broadcast By Japanese Victim

The speech to be given in Cedar Rapids by Robert Bellaire, victim of six months of terror and starvation as a captive of the Japanese, will not be broadcast over radio station WMT as was previously announced.

Bellaire, manager of the Pearl Press bureau in Tokyo when Pearl Harbor was bombed, was jailed with American diplomats in the worst concentration camp in Japan and defied Japanese army officers who demanded that he broadcast enemy propaganda to the United States. He was returned to this country aboard the liner Gripsholm.

Because of the nature of the speech, it will not be possible to broadcast Bellaire's lecture.

Charles Slade of Tiffin recently were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Slade and family, 1114 Fourth avenue, and Mr. and Mrs. George Slade and family, 504 S. Lucas street.

**Weekend at Dysart**  
Ruth Ensminger, 508 N. Dubuque street, returned Sunday evening after spending the weekend in Dysart at the home of her aunt, Margaret Thiesen.

**Completes Visit**  
Mrs. I. K. Goldfein has returned to Chicago after spending the weekend with her daughter, Rosemary Goldfein, 508 N. Dubuque street.

## UNIVERSITY STUDENTS ENGAGED



MR. AND MRS. J. E. JOHNSON of Larchwood announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Joyce, to Dale D. Whiteher, son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Whiteher of Hawkeye. The wedding will take place the latter part of June. Miss Johnson is a junior in the college of liberal arts at the university. Mr. Whiteher was graduated from Upper Iowa university at Fayette and is now a sophomore in the college of dentistry under the army dental program at the university, where he is affiliated with Delta Sigma Delta dental fraternity.

## 5 University Graduates, Former Students Announce Recent Engagements, Weddings

Word has been received of the recent engagements and marriages of five graduates and former students of the university.

**Wilson-Gallagher**  
In the Chichester chapel of the Immanuel Presbyterian church at Los Angeles, Jayne Elizabeth Wilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lee Wilson of Los Angeles, became the bride of Capt. Robert H. Gallagher, son of Frank Gallagher of Des Moines.

The bride attended Marlborough school and the University of California at Los Angeles, where she was affiliated with Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority. Captain Gallagher, who attended the University of Iowa, has recently returned from duty in the south Pacific and is now stationed with the marine air corps at El Centro, Calif., where the couple will reside.

**Sawyer-Boyer**  
Announcement has been made of the marriage of Alyce Sawyer of Arroyo Grande, Calif., to Lieut. Clifford M. Boyer, son of F. E. Boyer of Moravia, March 17.

Mrs. Boyer is an accountant for the Bethlehem Steel corporation. Lieutenant Boyer, a graduate of Iowa Wesleyan college at Mt. Pleasant. He also attended Drake university in Des Moines and the University of Iowa, and taught for several years in Iowa schools. At present he is stationed as a naval air corps navigator in transport duty at Alameda, Calif., where the couple will reside.

**Ingelman-Haak**  
Word has been received of the marriage of Vivian E. Haak, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Haak of Marion, to Lieut. John R. Ingelman, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Ingelman of Rantoul, Ill., April 23 in the First Methodist church at Rock Island, Ill. The Rev. E. J. Campbell officiated.

The bride is a graduate of Marion high school and attended the University of Iowa and the American Institute of Commerce. She was employed in the Rock Island

## Prof. Sybil Woodruff Leads Discussions At Teachers' Meeting

In the second of a series of conferences for home economics teachers in Iowa colleges, Prof. Sybil Woodruff, head of the home economics department at the University of Iowa, led the discussions in a meeting held Saturday morning, April 23, in Hotel Roosevelt in Cedar Rapids.

Six colleges were represented at the meeting. The conferences are designed for the purpose of discussing the common problems which have arisen from teaching during war years.

The first of this series of conferences was held at the University of Iowa, at the invitation of the home economics department, last January.

Another conference is scheduled for early fall.

## Sylvia Schuhmann Files for Divorce

Sylvia Sidy Schuhmann filed a petition in equity yesterday in the office of R. Neilson Miller, clerk of the district court, asking that a divorce be granted her from Alfred Schuhmann.

The petition stated that the couple was married in Rome, Italy on June 19, 1933, and have been separated since Jan. 15, 1943.

Cruel and inhuman treatment are the grounds for Mrs. Schuhmann's charges. She asks lawyer's fees and court costs.

## Hendricks-Cole

In a double ring ceremony, Lois Anne Hendricks, daughter of Mrs. David M. Hendricks of Newton, became the bride of Lieut. Charles Robert Cole, son of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Hirt, also of Newton, April 23 in the First Lutheran church at Newton. The Rev. Frederick D. Boldt performed the candlelight ceremony.

The bride, a graduate of Newton high school, has been employed as a teller in the personal loan department of the Jasper County Savings bank at Newton.

Lieutenant Cole, also a graduate of Newton high school, attended the University of Iowa for two years. He recently received his commission as a second lieutenant in the army air corps at Brooks field, San Antonio, Tex.

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### Catherine Wallerstein, Ens. David White Married in Virginia Ceremony April 20

Under the traditional canopy of white lilacs and smilax, Catherine Wallerstein, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Morton L. Wallerstein of Richmond, Va., became the bride of Ens. David White, son of Mr. and Mrs. Maxon A. White of Dayton, April 20 in the home of the bride's parents, Dr. Cullich of Richmond, who also officiated at the marriage of the bride's parents, performed the ceremony.

Attending the couple were Elizabeth Wallerstein, sister of the bride, as maid of honor, and Morton Wallerstein, brother of the bride, as best man.

For her wedding trip, the bride wore a white net gown with a fingertip veil held in place by a Juliet cap of pearls. Her only jewelry was a strand of pearls, a gift of the bridegroom, and she carried a bouquet of lilies of the valley center with white orchids.

The maid of honor selected an aqua blue net gown and carried a muff of white azalea blossoms centered with an orchid.

Following the ceremony, the couple was honored at a wedding dinner for 50 guests, served on the garden terrace. In the evening a reception was held for 200 relatives and friends and Sunday the bridegroom's family entertained 75 at a wedding dinner in the Bohannon club in Chicago. Ensign and Mrs. White then left for Boulder, Col., where the bridegroom is stationed with navy intelligence division at the University of Colorado.

The bride attended the Connecticut college for Women at New London and received her degree.

### Pilots That Don't Fly, Just Keep Pushing

ABOARD AN AIRCRAFT CARRIER IN THE SOUTHWEST PACIFIC (AP)—The plane pushers feel that they do a good deal of work for very little glory.

"My grandchildren," says one, "are going to think I'm nuts. When one of those kids asks me 30 years from now what I did in the big war, all I can say is, 'I pushed airplanes.' It's not very romantic."

It isn't romantic, and it is a lot of work. An airplane, in the air, is a stunning testimonial to human engineering. On the ground or especially on the deck of a carrier, it is one of the most awkward and stubborn pieces of equipment ever devised by the mind of man.

The business of keeping a carrier's deck operating and at the same time storing idle airplanes on it presents obvious difficulties. When planes are taking off, the bow of the ship must be clear, so all parked planes have to be at the stern end of the long flight deck.

When planes are coming in, the stern must be clear and parked planes are clustered, in jigsaw formation at the bow. The plane pushers have the job of moving the folded-wing, dead-motor planes back and forth, putting them on the elevators, taking them off again, parking a dozen or so in a space which looks only big enough for four.

The pushers have some assistance from jeeps, which the carrier people discovered a year or so ago worked even better than the tiny freight-house tractors they had been using.

### Visiting Dean Comments

Visiting the university yesterday Dean Jacob Van Ek, dean of arts and sciences at the University of Colorado and former instructor here, commented on the developments which have taken place on campus since his last visit.

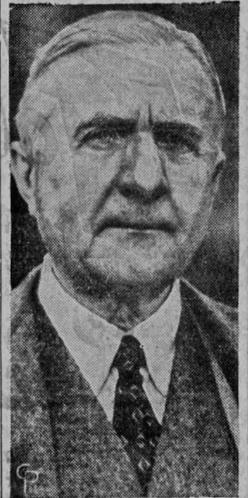
He said, "The developments on campus here are beyond any idea which we had received from descriptions we have heard." Dean Van Ek, who is on his way to Kentucky to a conference of the deans of liberal arts colleges, received his Ph.D. degree here in 1924. He was a graduate assistant in political science for two years, and an instructor in that field at the university until 1924. He will leave the campus for Kentucky today.

### Club Plans Luncheon

The Women's Plymouth circle of the Congregational church will hold a 1 o'clock luncheon tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. George D. Robson, 215 Lexington avenue. Members of the committee are Mrs. L. W. Yetter, Mrs. M. H. Tudor, Mrs. G. W. Buxton and Mrs. Leona Harris.

### New Bank Head

BARON CATTO of Calmeatto, shown above, is now governor of the Bank of England. His appointment came following the recent resignation of Montagu C. Norman. Baron Catto has long been prominent in the business life of the British empire and Russia.



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### A WAR HERO'S LAST WISH--



JOHNNIE HUTCHINS, seaman, first class, in Uncle Sam's Navy, died a hero. His last wish was that his dad, a Texas sharecropper, use his death benefit to buy a home at Lisse, Tex. His father bought the home and he is shown standing in front of it with his family. Johnnie, shown inset, has just been awarded the Congressional Medal of Honor posthumously. Johnnie died during an operation necessitated by injuries received when he took the wheel of a landing ship tank after the helmsman had been blown from his station, and almost steered it from the path of a Jap torpedo.

which have been in effect for years. They accused Sabbath of sitting tight on the investigation resolution and proposed that legislation be reported by members favoring it, instead of the committee chairman, and that three members may call a meeting whenever the chairman is absent or refuses to issue such a call.

Dewey raised the point that the inquiry should determine by what authority the government acted "and if there is such a law (pertaining to non-war plants) we'll repeal it."

Fish suggested the resolution be taken up Friday, adding in a statement: "The house and the American people are entitled to know under what statute and by what legal authority of constitutional power the seizure of a non-war industry is made. It smacks of totalitarian, dictatorship, and Gestapo methods."

### ATTACK! ATTACK! ATTACK!



America's attacking on both the fighting front and the home front today! We're giving the Axis a bitter taste of what's to come. We're fighting the inflationary 6th column that blows prices sky high here at home, too. And every one of us who saves at least 10% of his pay in War Bonds is an important soldier in the attack! Join the attack yourself!



MARINES FOREGATHER. Two of the several girls of the U.S.M.C. Women's Reserve who appear in RKO Radio's service melodrama "Marine Raiders," are seen with Russell Wade who plays an important role in support of Pat O'Brien, Ruth Hussey and Robert Ryan.

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### BLONDIE



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### ETTA KETT



### ROOM AND BOARD



### NEW CAPITAL EPISCOPAL BISHOP



NEW EPISCOPAL BISHOP OF WASHINGTON, Dr. Angus Dun, left, is shown after being consecrated in ceremonies presided over by Britain's Archbishop of York in the Washington cathedral. At right is the Archbishop of York, who came to the United States to officiate at the impressive ceremonies.

### PRELATE'S BODY LIES IN STATE



CASKET CONTAINING THE BODY of William Cardinal O'Connell, dean of the Catholic hierarchy in America, is carried into the Cathedral of the Holy Cross in Boston where the prelate's body lies in state. Cardinal O'Connell died at the age of 84 after being seriously ill with bronchial pneumonia.

### Attends Law School

Prof. W. Percy Bordwell, acting dean of the college of law, will leave this Friday to attend the American Law Institute at Philadelphia. The convention will be held from May 9 to May 12.

Professor Bordwell will stop during his trip to visit the law buildings of Cornell and Yale universities and will return to Iowa City May 14.

Spain's American colonies had already established five universities when Harvard, the first in the United States, was founded in 1636.

### WARD--

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erstep forgetting that we are a government by law and attempting to set up a government of men."

Representative Hoffman (R-Mich) submitted legislation in the house yesterday requiring a plant, such as Montgomery Ward, to have at least 50 percent of its output definitely classed as war material before the government may seize it to end a labor dispute.

Cox and Smith made a threat to change the rules of the house

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# Services to Honor Pilot

## To Hold Rites Tomorrow at 4

### Search for Missing Lieut. L. D. Pelzer Now Discontinued

Memorial services for Lieut. (j.g.) Loren Parker Pelzer, son of Prof. and Mrs. Louis Pelzer, 127 Ferson avenue, will be held tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock in the First Presbyterian church. The Rev. Iliot T. Jones will officiate, assisted by Lieut. Elmer C. Esea, chaplain of the Iowa Navy Pre-Flight school. Prof. H. J. Tohton of the history department, a former instructor of Lieutenant Pelzer, will give a brief address.

Navy personnel from the pre-flight school will act as guard of honor and after the services the American Legion will present the flag.

Lieutenant Pelzer (a member of the ferrying transport command, was piloting a bomber from Los Angeles, Calif., to Seattle, Wash., when his plane mysteriously disappeared in a storm somewhere near Mt. Shasta, Calif., March 14, 1943. His parents received official word from the navy a few weeks ago that the search for the pilot had been discontinued.

Lieutenant Pelzer was born in Iowa City March 31, 1919. He attended City high school, and in 1940 was graduated from the university where he majored in physics. Shortly after his graduation, he enlisted in the naval air corps, and was commissioned at Pensacola, Fla., in the fall of 1941. For nine months he served as instructor at the naval air base at Corpus Christi, Tex.

As a member of the transport command, he was stationed at New York City, Nashville, Tenn., Dallas, Tex., and Terminal island in California.

His brother, Lieut. Henry L. Pelzer of the armored command, will arrive tomorrow morning from Ft. Knox, Ky.

## Lieut. Elmer Eisea To Address Seniors To Address Seniors of University High

Baccalaureate services for the senior class of University high school will be held at 4 p. m. Sunday, May 7, in the University theater.

Delivering the principal address will be Lieut. Elmer C. Eisea, chaplain at the navy pre-flight school. The Rev. Elmer E. Dierks, pastor of the Baptist church, will give the invocation and benediction, "The Lord's Prayer" (Martotte) will be sung by Lucille Martin, soprano.

"Verdant Meadows" (Handel) will be sung by the double quartet including Peggy Starn, Lucille Martin, Sara Hulme, Priscilla Mabie, Edwin Kurtz, Robert Boyd, Robert Van der Zee and William Kennard. A procession by Bizet and a recessional by Sullivan will be played by an instrumental ensemble composed of 16 students.

The graduating class will include 37 students. They are: Robert Alan Boyd, Betty Ann Brees, Louise A. Crain, Mary Elizabeth Crowley, Mary Francis Davis, Norman R. Davis, Charles J. Dinsmore, Lucy Irene Files, Irene E. Fuhrmeister, Alice E. Hahn, William H. Helm, Ramona Jean Heusinkveld (Sara Jane Hulme, Donald F. Jackson, Dorothea I. Jank, Orgene H. Jank, George Janssen, Phillip G. Kendall, William E. Kennard.

Edwin B. Kurtz, DeLoris Grace Larew, Harold D. Le Grand, Mary Yvonne Livingston, Priscilla Ann Mabie, Lucille M. Martin, Bernard S. Mellecker, Elaine Lucille Miller, Frank T. Nash, Susan Sayre, John R. Shay, Ruth Seigling, Margaret Elynn Starn, Robert William Van der Zee, Harold M. Wetzel, Barbara Jo Victor, Donald R. Wagner and George H. White.

## James Swaner Struck by Car

James Swaner, 80, 711 Church street, was struck by a car at 10:45 a. m. yesterday (Monday) at the intersection of Washington and Dubuque streets. The driver, Gerald Frankhuser, is a truck driver for Racine's wholesale house.

Swaner suffered a fracture of both bones just below the knee in the left leg and a cut on his left ear. He was taken to Mercy hospital.

His physician, Dr. Ned J. Smith, reported last night that his condition was not serious.

Mr. Swaner has a son, Jack Swaner, state representative from Johnson county.

## MATCHING NAMES, KEY TO ROMANCE



A JUNE AND DECEMBER romance culminated in the wedding of Oscar U. Zerk, 65-year-old millionaire inventor of Kenosha, Wis., and Adele Zerk, 24, an employe of a Caldwell, N. J., aeronautical plant after she wrote to Mr. Zerk to inquire whether or not they were related. Adele noticed the inventor's name on several letters which she handled in her work. No relationship existed but a romance was soon underway and the wedding resulted. (International)

## Today Nine Organizations Plan to Meet

- Amistad Circle—Home of Mrs. Robert Hall, 801 Seventh avenue, 2 p. m.
- P. T. A. Council—Clubrooms of Community building, 7:30 p. m.
- Red Cross of Trinity Episcopal church—Parish house, 10 a. m.
- Missionary society of Church of the Nazarene—Home of Mrs. C. J. Breneman, 1031 S. Riverside drive, 2 p. m.
- Sara Hart Guild—Home of Mrs. Chester I. Miller, 8 W. Park road, 6:30 p. m.
- Music Study club—Baptist church, 2:30 p. m.
- Olive Newcomers—Iowa-Illinois Gas and Electric company, 1:30 p. m.
- Elks Ladies—Elks club, 2 p. m.
- Women of the Moose—Moose hall, 7:45 p. m.

## Canning Sugar Now Available

The Johnson county war price and rationing board has announced the distribution of applications for home canning sugar allowance during the 1944 season.

Applications will be accepted by the board at any time from now until Dec. 1 and consumers in Johnson county are requested to file application only when sugar for canning purposes is needed.

There is no time limit for obtaining canning sugar; therefore, application does not have to be made immediately.

Application forms will be distributed from the Iowa State Bank and Trust Company, the First Capital National Bank and the local war price and rationing board.

In Johnson county there are seven distribution offices set up for the purpose of distributing canning sugar applications, as well as other application forms for rationed commodities. They are as follows: the Hills Trust and Savings bank, A. J. Droll; the Lone Tree Savings bank, H. C. Buell; the Farmers and Merchants Savings bank, Lone Tree, Edgar Ashton; the Solon State bank, E. O. Markaton; Swisher Trust and Savings bank, C. J. Koss; Baker Printing company, Esther R. Baker, Oxford; Gingerich general store at Frytown.

Each consumer may buy five pounds of sugar for home canning by using sugar stamp no. 40 in war ration book 4. Not more than 20 pounds of additional sugar per person may be obtained by application to the board. Estimation of home canning needs should be made carefully and application made only for as much sugar as will be needed.

The amount requested for each person should be shown to the nearest five pounds and requested at exactly 5, 10, 15, or 20 pounds.

If later needs require more sugar, applications may be made again.

On the first application, spare stamp no. 37 should be detached from the war ration book 4 of each person for whom application is made. No application will be approved unless those stamps are attached to it, or unless a previous application with the stamps attached is on file.

## James Hotka Services Held

Funeral rites for James Hotka, 83, pioneer of Johnson county, were held this morning at 9 o'clock at St. Wenceslaus church. Mr. Hotka died in a local hospital at 3:30 a. m. Sunday.

Mr. Hotka resided on the same farm for 83 years, and was a lifelong member of St. Wenceslaus church. He was born in 1861 on a sailing vessel shortly before it docked in New York City. His parents came directly to Johnson county and settled in Newport township.

He is survived by his wife, Anna; one son, Joseph, and one daughter, Mrs. Frank J. Krall, all of Iowa City; three sisters, Mrs. Anna Petzel and Mrs. John Unash of Iowa City, and Mrs. Tony Sedlack of Solon; one brother, Joseph L. of Solon; 11 grandchildren and nine great grandchildren.

Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery. Services were under the direction of the McGovern funeral home. The body remained at the Beckman funeral home until the time of services.

## WSUI Program to Honor Mason City Enlisted Man

A winner of the navy air medal at 19, Sterling Seymour, aviation machinists mate second class of Mason City will be honored on the program, "For Distinguished Service," at 8 o'clock this evening over station WSUI. This program, presented by the department of speech and the department of radio of the University of Iowa, will portray the story of Seymour's life, his entrance into the navy and the events leading to his receipt of the air medal.

Hope Leaves Air

Bob Hope's spot on the air will be taken by Charlotte Greenwood when Bob leaves the air in June. Hope will spend his "vacation" this summer touring the south Pacific war front.

**TODAY'S PROGRAMS**

8:00 Morning Chapel  
8:15 Musical Miniatures  
8:30 News, The Daily Iowan  
8:45 Program Calendar  
8:55 Service Reports  
9:00 Service Unlimited  
9:15 Music Magic  
9:30 Treasury Salute  
9:45 Keep 'Em Eating  
9:50 Treasury Song  
10:00 Week in the Bookshop  
10:15 Musical Favorites  
10:30 The Bookshelf  
11:00 Waltz Time  
11:15 Between the Lines  
11:30 America Sings  
11:45 Musical Interlude  
11:50 Farm Flashes  
12:00 Rhythm Rambles  
12:30 News, The Daily Iowan  
12:45 Boys in Service  
1:00 Musical Chats  
2:00 Campus News  
2:10 Recent and Contmp. Music  
3:00 Fiction Parade  
3:30 News, The Daily Iowan  
3:35 Union Radio Hour  
4:00 Elementary French  
4:30 Tea Time Melodies  
5:00 Children's Hour  
5:30 Musical Moods

## Henry Negus Funeral Rites Held Today

Funeral service for Attorney Henry Negus, 85, president of the Iowa City Coach company, will be held this afternoon at 3 o'clock from the Hohenschuh mortuary. Mr. Negus, who had not been well for the past year, died at his home at 701 E. College street at 6 p. m. Sunday.

The Rev. Evans Worthley, pastor of the First Unitarian church, will conduct the service at the mortuary and Masonic services will be conducted at the grave in Oakland cemetery.

Mr. Negus is survived by a son, Joseph E. Negus of Iowa City; a daughter, Mrs. J. H. Ravlin of Minneapolis, Minn.; two sisters, Mrs. Rachael N. Fogg of West Liberty and Mrs. Mary N. Rood of Ft. Worth, Tex.; seven grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

Pallbearers will include Judge James P. Gaffney, Judge Harold D. Evans, Cliff Nolan, Fred L. Stevens, Ray McCann and L. R. Spencer.

Mr. Negus was born Feb. 22, 1859, in Springdale. He was graduated with the second class of the Springdale seminary. He began his business career as a door-to-door salesman, traveling by horse and buggy. In 1882 he was married to Sarah Alice Heppental, who died in 1932.

For a few years Mr. and Mrs. Negus lived on a farm near Springdale. They moved to Iowa City in 1900 and in that year he entered the college of law at the university at the age of 41, while his son, Joseph, was entering the college of engineering.

He was graduated in 1903 and practiced his profession in Iowa City until his death. In 1933, he purchased the Iowa City Coach company from the Mississippi Valley Electric company.

Mr. Negus was a former president of the Johnson county bar association and a member of the state bar association. He was a former president of the Iowa City chamber of commerce and of the Rotary club, a former member of the city council and a member of the Masonic lodge. He belonged to the Unitarian church.

## Grand Jury Convened

The grand jury was convened yesterday by Judge Harold D. Evans. Jurors include: Henry Apitz, foreman, Big Grove township; Virgil E. Bowers, West Lucas township; Philip Gough, Clear Creek township; Charles Holland, Fremont township; B. E. Manville, second ward; L. M. Rohret, Hardin township, and John Zeman, Liberty township.

## Former Students—Serving the Nation

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Lieut. W. C. Guenther

Lieut. William C. Guenther received his navigator's wings April 22 at the Hondo army air field, Hondo, Tex. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton A. Guenther of Winterset. Lieutenant Guenther received his B.A. degree in mathematics at the university in 1943.

Lieut. William S. Duree, a former student, is now stationed at a redistribution station in Miami, Fla. Lieutenant Duree flew 25 missions as a Flying Fortress bombardier during nine months in the European theater. He won the distinguished flying cross and the air medal with three oak leaf clusters. Men who have returned from combat are stationed at a redistribution station for a period of two weeks during which time they are examined by specially selected medical and classification officers whose joint findings are used in determining new assignments. Lieutenant Duree is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl E. Duree of Ottumwa.

Leroy Weeks has been promoted to the rank of sergeant, according to word received by his wife, who lives at 435 Clark street. Sergeant Weeks is stationed in England.

Corp. Irving O'Harra, son of Mr. and Mrs. George O'Harra, 1115 N. Dodge street, is expected home the latter part of May or early June. Corporal O'Harra has been stationed in Alaska for two years. He was a sophomore at the university before entering service.

Lieut. Wayne E. Putnam, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne S. Putnam, 613 S. Dubuque street, will receive his pilot's wings from the Pampa army air field, Pampa, Tex. Lieutenant Putnam, a graduate of the university, was appointed to flight training in October, 1943. He received primary flight training at Ballinger, Tex., and basic flight training at San Angelo, Tex. He is married to the former Patricia E. Campbell, 523 S. Clinton street.

Pvt. Dave Danner, son of Mr. and Mrs. William E. Danner, 126 N. Gilbert street, visited his home over the weekend. He reported to Camp Dodge Sunday evening and is now awaiting transfer to another base.

Irving L. Roberts, son of Mrs. Catherine Roberts, 410 S. Clinton street, has recently been promoted from second to first lieutenant. He is a member of the signal corps, and until recently was stationed on the New Hebrides islands. His location at present is not known. Lieutenant Roberts received a degree in electrical engineering from the university in 1937. His wife, the former Vanita Varner, is residing with her parents in Iowa City.

## Democratic Women Select Officers

Mrs. Albert Husa Jr. was elected president of the Johnson county Democratic Women's association at a recent meeting. Other officers named were Mrs. O. E. Sikora, vice-president; Maude McBroon, secretary and Mrs. Bion Hunter, treasurer.

Retiring officers who will now serve on the advisory board are Mrs. P. C. Jeans, Mrs. C. L. Woodburn and Mrs. Chester Clarke.

The next meeting of the group will take place May 18 in the council room of the city hall. Mrs. F. A. Stromsten, chairman of the resolutions committee, will present the committee's report.

## Chorus Positions Open

Prof. Herald Stark, director of the University chorus, has announced that positions are still open in all sections of the chorus, especially for bass voices. The chorus is preparing for a concert which will be presented some time during the first seven weeks of the summer session. Rehearsals are held Tuesday and Thursday evenings at 7:10.

A rat can consume 100 or more pounds of grain and feed a year.

## Extension Engineer To Conduct Contour Plowing Exhibition

A contour plowing and terracing demonstration will be conducted by C. H. Van Vlack, extension engineer of Iowa State college tomorrow at 1:30 p. m. on the Robert Adams farm. The farm is operated by Frank Dosedlo and located two miles south of Solon on highway No. 261.

At the demonstration, which is open to all interested in contour plowing, information regarding farming on the contour and the need for contour farming to save the soil will be given to spectators. A Ferguson Disk Terrace plow will be used to demonstrate how to construct small terraces to prevent erosion.

## University Graduate Dies in Washington

Word has been received that Dr. C. Luverne Smith, chief of staff of the Children's Orthopedic hospital in Seattle, Wash., and graduate of the University of Iowa in 1922, died at 9:30 a. m. April 23.

Born in Iowa City in 1897, Dr. Smith went to Seattle a year after his graduation from the University of Iowa. He had been on the staffs of Maynard and Seattell General hospitals. He served his internship at Seattle General hospital.

A past president of the American Academy of Pediatrics, he also was a member of the King County Medical society, and the American Medical association.

## Retailers to Meet Here

Members of the Retail Trade division, which includes all retailers and grocers, will meet Friday at 10 a. m. on the mezzanine floor of Hotel Jefferson. The possibility of closing all stores May 29 and July 3 will be discussed, as will the summer store closing hours.

## Victory Garden Lots May Now Be Rented

Lots on the Ferson avenue property and the Riverside drive project are now open for application for victory gardens, it has been announced by Prof. E. C. Cousins, Iowa City director of victory garden projects.

Applications for lots on the university-owned Ferson avenue property may be made before Friday at the office of civilian defense on the second floor of the First Capital National bank building. The lots are 60 by 75 feet in size and may be rented for \$7 per lot, including plowing and staking.

Lots in the Riverside drive project are now being plowed and are hoped to be staked and marked by Saturday. These lots are to be rented for \$1.75 each and are 60 by 75 feet.

Applications may be made by phone and those who have previously reserved their lots may pay rental fees at the O. C. D. office between 1 and 5 p. m. daily.

## Changes Meeting Place

A change in the place of meeting has been announced by the Music Study club. The session will take place this afternoon at 2:30 in the Baptist church rather than in the home of Mrs. Arthur Steindler, as previously scheduled. Dr. Marcus Bach of the school of religion will speak on "The Music of Little Known Religions." Discussion is open to the public. A business session and election of officers will precede the program at 2 o'clock. Those wishing to contribute sheet music or musical instruments to the service organizations are asked to do so at this meeting.

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