

Society

Lois Black Married



Mrs. William E. Beach

SUI Graduate Weds Agricultural Engineer

Miss Lois Black, 1948 SUI graduate, and William E. Beach, Ames, were married Friday at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin B. Black of Preston.

Mrs. Beach has been on the staff of the information service at Iowa State college since graduating from SUI. She was a member of Theta Sigma Phi and Gamma Alpha Chi, national journalism fraternities, and of the University Women's association council while here.

Mr. Beach is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Beach of Shenandoah. He received his B.S. and M.S. degrees in agricultural engineering at Iowa State college where he belonged to Alpha Gamma Rho, national society fraternity. Since last December he has been on the agricultural engineering staff there.

Edna Ann Mellick Weds John Dooley At Student Center

Miss Edna Ann Mellick, SUI pharmacy graduate, and John W. Dooley, news director of radio station WSUI-KSUI, were married yesterday at 9 a.m. at the St. Thomas More Catholic student center.

They will make their home in Iowa City after Aug. 20 following a wedding trip in the Ozarks. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Ann Mellick of Albia. She is a member of Kappa Epsilon and Rho Chi, professional and honorary pharmacy fraternities, and has been employed as a pharmacist at Mercy hospital here.

Mr. Dooley, 44, a radio journalism major, is a member of Omicron Delta Kappa, honorary group, and Sigma Delta Chi, fraternity. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Dooley, 516 Ronalds street.

The Rev. C.D. Mannhardt solemnized the double-ring marriage rites yesterday. The bride wore a floor-length gown of white lace fashioned with a low rounded neckline with a lace edge and full-length sleeves. A crown of chrysanthemums and asters in her hair matched a bouquet of the same flowers which she carried on a white prayer book. The pearls she wore were a gift of the bridegroom.

Miss Frances P. Mellick of Albia was her sister's maid of honor and the bridegroom's brother, James J. Dooley of Iowa City, was best man. The ushers were F. Edward Fountain, Mount Union, and William Orr, Iowa City.

The maid of honor's gown was of floor-length lavender frosted organza with short sleeves and a rounded neckline. A reception was held after the ceremony at the home of Mr. Dooley's parents.

For her traveling ensemble, Mrs. Dooley chose a red palm beach suit with black accessories and a white hat with red trim.

Personal Notes

Mr. and Mrs. James P. Cassidy, 160 Riverside park, are the parents of a son, James Patrick, born at 6:30 a.m. yesterday in University hospitals. The baby weighed eight pounds and eight ounces.

Mrs. Mary Freeman, 527 Third avenue, left Thursday evening for a 10-day vacation trip in the west. She plans to visit friends in Denver.

Chicken in Basket Not Cricket

American Manners, Porches, White Houses New to English Visitor in Iowa City

By PHIL BLUMER

Eating chicken with the fingers just isn't cricket, according to Mrs. Rosetta Wellham, of London, England, who is visiting here with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Vose. The English people don't get the opportunity to struggle with "chicken in a basket" and Mrs. Wellham says she can't get used to manual mangling practiced by Americans.

Etiquette isn't the only thing in Iowa City that differs from London.

"Homes in England don't have porches," Mrs. Wellham explained, "but I like them. One note such a lovely view from them."

She said that another surprise to her was the large number of white houses here.

"They're very pretty," she said, but she added with a smile that England would have had a big camouflage job to do on them in wartime.

Mrs. Wellham, who worked 11 hours a day in a bomber factory during the blitz, said that London bomb damage was still being cleared away. Rebuilding is going ahead "very rapidly," she said.

She enjoyed her air journey from London to New York.

"It didn't take us long," she said. "We left London at 8:15 p.m. July 28 and arrived in New York 9 a.m. the next day."

Food prices in England are high, Mrs. Wellham said. "Storage eggs sell for 72 cents a dozen there," she said. "Green vegetables are also cheaper here."

She said that dry weather in England this summer probably would make food even shorter next winter.

Although meat is slightly cheaper in England, it is still rationed there, Mrs. Wellham continued. A week's ration is equal to about three small pork chops for two persons per week, she said. There is no rationing on fish.

Mrs. Wellham approved of Britain's socialized medicine program.

"I think that, on the whole, medical attention under the plan has been just as good as it was formerly," she said. "And it costs us only about 80 cents a week."

People in Iowa City seem "very, very friendly," she said. But she didn't like the Chicago police very well. "They aren't as courteous as our London bobbies," she said.

Mrs. Wellham said that she planned to go home at the last of October.

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Children who have had vaccination and immunization should be given booster shots. If they haven't had vaccination and immunization, they should get the shots before school starts.

The child should also have an eye examination and a dental checkup. The child's home conditions — food, sleep, exercise and health habits — are important, too, health department officials said.

University Hospitals, Oakdale Get Chaplain

The Rev. Warren W. Bentzinger, Clarinda, was chosen by the Iowa Interchurch council as chaplain at University hospitals and Oakdale sanatorium, the council announced yesterday.

Rev. Bentzinger, who begins his duties immediately, received his B.A. degree at Iowa Wesleyan, and D.D. degree at Garrett and Iowa Wesleyan.

He has served as minister at Methodist churches in Dallas Center, Mount Ayr, Winterset, Brooklyn and Clarinda.

He will devote full time to ministering at the hospitals.

The project is financed by contributions to the Interchurch council of Protestant churches.

Local Red Cross Gets Quake Contribution

The local Red Cross chapter reported yesterday one anonymous contribution has already been received here for the relief of Ecuador earthquake victims.

Red Cross chapters throughout the United States are authorized to accept monetary contributions from groups or individuals wishing to aid the disaster victims. Contributions other than monetary cannot be accepted because of transportation difficulties.

All needed supplies will be sent from the army medical depot in Panama to save time and transportation costs, local Red Cross officials said.

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Rosemary Schaefer Engaged to Wed



THE ENGAGEMENT AND APPROACHING MARRIAGE of Miss Rosemary Schaefer to Cloyce Messenger, E3, Wapello, has been announced by the bride-elect's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Schaefer, Breda, Iowa. Miss Schaefer graduated from the SUI school of nursing Wednesday. The marriage ceremony will take place Sept. 3 at 9:30 a.m. in St. Thomas More chapel.

Two Polio Deaths Reported

Two polio deaths were reported yesterday by University hospitals officials.

Paul Rawley, 2, Albia, died Friday morning and Lyle Moyle, 5, Edgewood, died yesterday morning.

Three new active cases of polio were admitted, officials said. Beth Dykema, 3, daughter of Mrs. Miriam Dykema, 26, who was admitted to the hospital polio ward three days ago, was one of the new cases. She is in "fair" condition, officials reported.

Others admitted were Russel Smith, 22, Iowa Falls, condition "serious" and Kenneth Hartson, 37, Cedar Falls, condition "fair."

Patients transferred to the inactive polio list include Kathleen Atkinson, 8, Camanche; Peggy Barton, 3, Quasqueton, and Jeffrey Llewellyn, 2, Cedar Falls.

Prof. Robert E. Moyers, member of the SUI dental faculty, will take over his new duties as professor and head of orthodontics at the University of Toronto in Canada.

Moyers, who received his Ph.D. degree here Wednesday, will direct a research and training staff of 150 persons at Toronto.

SUI Graduate Selected For U. of Toronto Post

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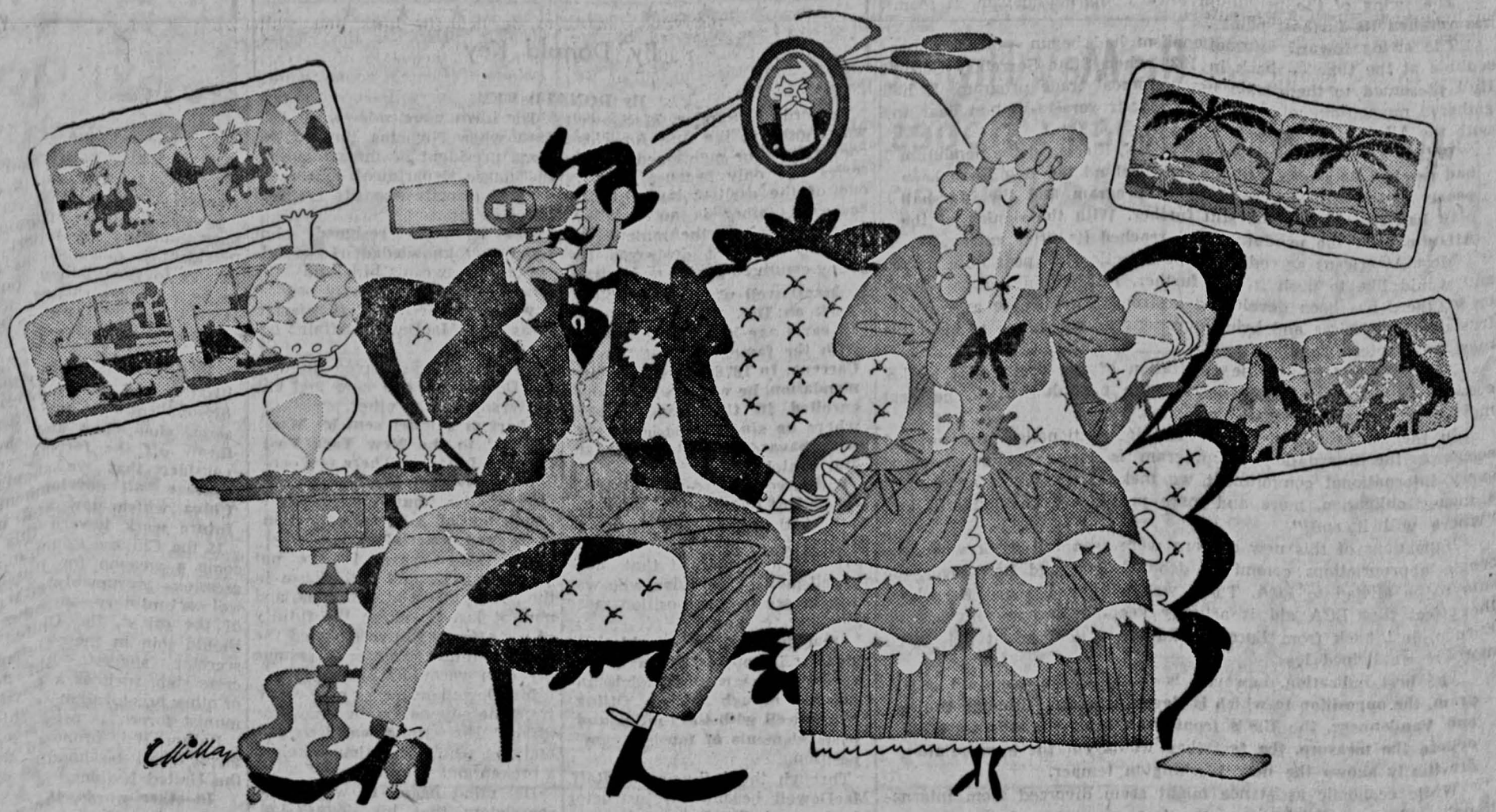
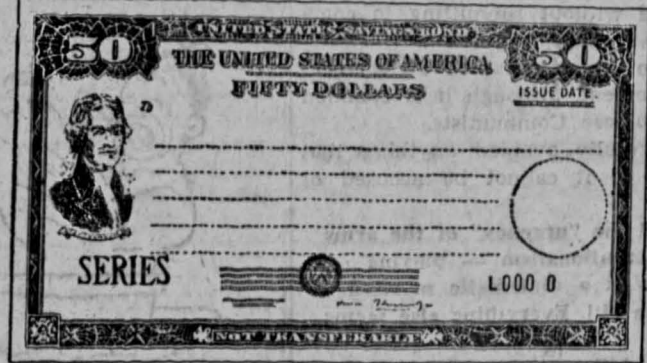
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Tall Toppers

Big Folks Finally Get the Breaks

By VIRGINIA BOYLE

It's a tall story that Charles Isbill has to tell. Chuck, 6'4" SUI graduate, 1906 Muscatine avenue, recently returned from the third annual convention of the American Affiliation of Tall Clubs in New York, July 26 through 31.

Complete with bathing beauty contests, fashion shows, beach parties and dinner dances in some of the best known New York spots, the convention attracted hundreds of tallesters from clubs throughout the United States.

"All of the New York papers and Life and Look magazines covered the bathing beauty contest," Chuck said. This year's beauty queen, Helen Lukas of Chicago, received an additional two-weeks expense paid visit in New York.

Prizes awarded at the convention included over-sized beds and clothing tailored for tall guys and gals.

Chuck, who has attended all three of the tall clubs national conventions, flew to New York for this one. "It was really a lot of fun," he said.

There are about 25 clubs throughout the country, Chuck said. Twenty of these were represented at the 1949 convention.

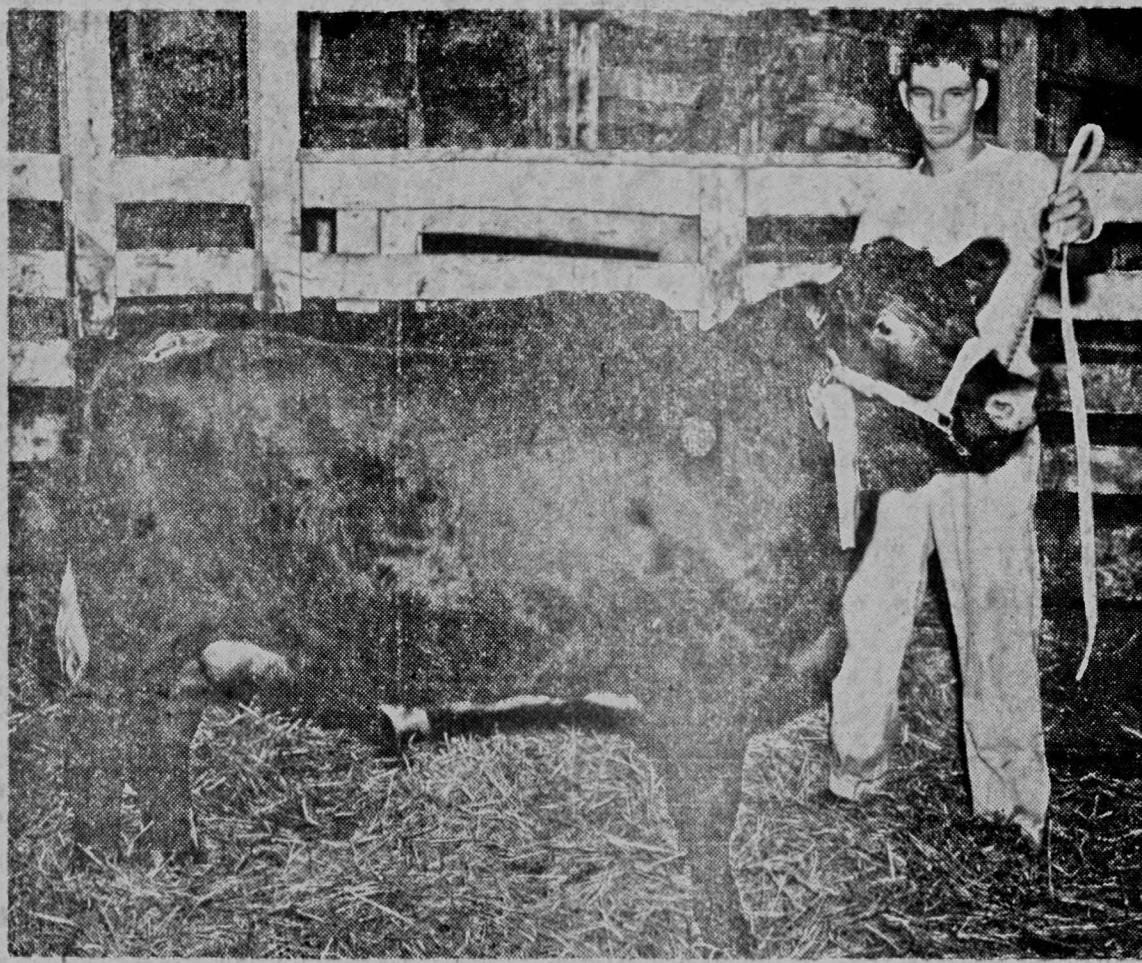
"At every convention you meet a lot of new people and see a lot of friends you have known," the former SUI student said.

"Among the tall people waiters and band members look abnormal," Chuck said. "You can imagine what the Hotel Commodore was like with all the tall people staying there," he added.

Chuck first became interested in the tall clubs when he attended UCLA in Los Angeles in 1947. He joined the California Tip-Toppers club of Los Angeles just in time to attend the first national convention which took place in Hollywood in 1947. Even Vancouver, Canada was represented at that convention.

National height requirements for belonging to the clubs is 6'2" for men and 5'10" for women. However, local clubs often have still taller requirements. The Los Angeles club to which Chuck belongs has a

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GRAND CHAMPION BABY BEEF of Johnson county is the short horn calf "Smitty" (above) being shown by Keith Hemingway, Route 7, Iowa City. The calf was a blue ribbon winner in the annual Johnson county 4-H club show which ended yesterday afternoon. Hemingway said "Smitty," who weighed in at slightly over 1,000 pounds, was sold for 38 cents a pound.

minimum height requirement of 6'4" for men and 6' for women.

The clubs are purely social in nature and are formed for tall persons with mutual interests. They are not an oddity, Chuck said, but function just like any other social organization.

"New members belonging to the Los Angeles club are accepted just like pledges of a fraternity," the tip-topper said. For 30 days they are the victims of all the mental tasks that need to be done, then they become full-fledged club members.

The Los Angeles club meets about twice a week. Twice a month they put out a paper containing news about club members. A bi-annual directory is published so persons belonging to the club can keep in touch with each other.

"There are a lot of marriages between club members," Chuck said. "However, there are fewer men belonging to such clubs than girls."

The history of tall clubs goes

back 14 years, Chuck said, when Authoress Kay Summer originated a California club. National recognition didn't come until the war years when members belonging to tall women's clubs started inviting tall soldiers to dances.

"Clubs are forming all over the country now," Chuck said. When a tall club has 50 members it may become a part of the American affiliation.

"Members of the clubs correspond quite regularly," Chuck said. Most of the persons belonging to the tall clubs are not professionals, although a few of them are models or show people. Some well-known athletes are members, too, he added.

All of the elongated fraternity members are concerned with questions like the size of theater seats, railway berths, and hotel beds.

Chuck, too, has such problems. All his clothes have to be tailored, and at present he "sleeps in a sort of semi-circle."

It looks like the American people are getting taller, too, so

maybe more of us will be concerned with Chuck's tall story. United States army statistics show the average G.I. was an inch and a half taller than his dad.

State Aids County's 149 Mental Cases

One hundred forty-nine persons from Johnson county are now patients in state mental institutions, Paul Leuz, steward at the Johnson county home, said yesterday.

In addition, 27 mental patients are being cared for at the county home-west of Iowa City, Leuz said.

Ninety Johnson county residents are patients at Mt. Pleasant, 20 at Independence, 29 at Glenwood and 10 at Woodward, Leuz said.

Leuz added, however, the county plans to transfer from 8 to 10 of the Mt. Pleasant patients to the county home in the near future.

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JUST HALF AN INCH TOO SHORT to become a member of the National Affiliation of Tall Clubs, Ruth Danielson, G. Fairfield is looking at a banquet picture taken at the club's recent New York convention. Charles Isbill, G, 1906 Muscatine avenue, a member of the Los Angeles Tip-Toppers club, flew to New York for the event.

Try and Stop Me
By BENNETT CERF

EDITOR Harold (Sunshine) Ross admits that life at the New Yorker is not the same since the redoubtable Alexander Woolcott vanished from the scene. Ross used to goad Woolcott deliberately into writing him letters. Woolcott mailed them in a fine white heat of anger, exulting: "When Ross reads what I called him, he won't dare show his face in public for a week." Ross, however, happily had the letters mimeographed and dispatched copies to all their mutual friends.

Woolcott once completed some intricate transaction whereby he came into possession of two hundred brand-new Sulka neckties, and in a moment of unaccountable graciousness, told Ross, "Pick one out for yourself." Ross not only picked one for himself, but pilfered forty extra in the process. The next time Mr. W. paid a scheduled visit to the New Yorker offices, everybody in the place, including the elevator man and the young lady at the switchboard, was draped in a Sulka cravat. "Ross," snarled Woolcott, "you are the kind of poltroon I find it hard to deal with," and flounced off to air his grievance to Lynn Fontanne and Alfred Lunt. He even persuaded them to cancel their subscription to the New Yorker. The following summer, they discovered the latest issue on Woolcott's table at Beemosen. "I've forgiven Ross," he explained airily. "I'm writing a piece for him now!"

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LAFF-A-DAY

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"When he points, he really points!"

ROOM AND BOARD
By GENE AHERN

ARRIVAL AT O'GOWAN LODGE

8-15

POPEYE
LAFS POPEYE HOMEWARD SETS HIS COURSE WITH WILD MEN IN THE HOLD. LET'S JUMP AHEAD AND SEE WHAT GOES AROUND OLD SARDINE BOWL!!

BLONDIE
YOU HAVE TO HAND IT TO THE GIRLS—THEY KNOW HOW TO KEEP COOL ON THESE HOT DAYS.

HENRY

CARLANDERSON

ETTA KETT
DOUG, DARLING? YOU LOOK UTTERLY MADDY! AND THAT TAN! IT'S TERRIFIC!

PAUL ROBINSON

Quake Victims Find Shelter in Public Square



MAKESHIFT SHELTERS HOUSE frightened Ecuadorian residents from outlying districts as they huddle in Ambato's public square following the earthquake which virtually destroyed that South American city. Airlift operating between Ambato and capital city, Quito, brings aid to stricken families. Statue in background is that of Pedro Ferman Cevallos, Ecuadorian writer.

'Miss America' Meets A Lord



BEBE REBOZO, 19, blond 'Miss America,' left for England for a tour of Europe's beaches, she said she wanted to see a British lord with striped trousers and top hat. Here the Hopkins, M. n. n., beauty gets her wish. She is holding the pearl gray top hat of Lord Dunboyne (left), who wears striped trousers. Bebe is currently on the continent, chaperoned by a Minneapolis newspaperwoman.

See America . . .



F. T. RICE, Colonie, N. Y., chemical engineer, made a 9,243-mile tour of the 48 states in a 1939 model car. Here, sitting on the hood, he acknowledges applause of friends who marveled at his ability to do 700 miles a day—every day.

Discloses Salaries



MISS JOSEPHINE ROCHE, told a senate banking subcommittee in Washington last week that two of three trustees of the fund receive \$35,000 a year salaries, but the third, John L. Lewis, accepts none. The committee is investigating 'monopoly practices' in labor unions. The salary-receiving trustees are Sen. Styles Bridges (R-NH) and Ezra Van Horn of Cleveland.

Bob Hope Injured in Studio Fall



BOB HOPE lies on studio floor after fall from a prop horse during filming of scene with Lucille Ball, who was rocking the contraption when ropes gave away and the horse "threw" Hope.

Hopes to Set New Channel Swim Record



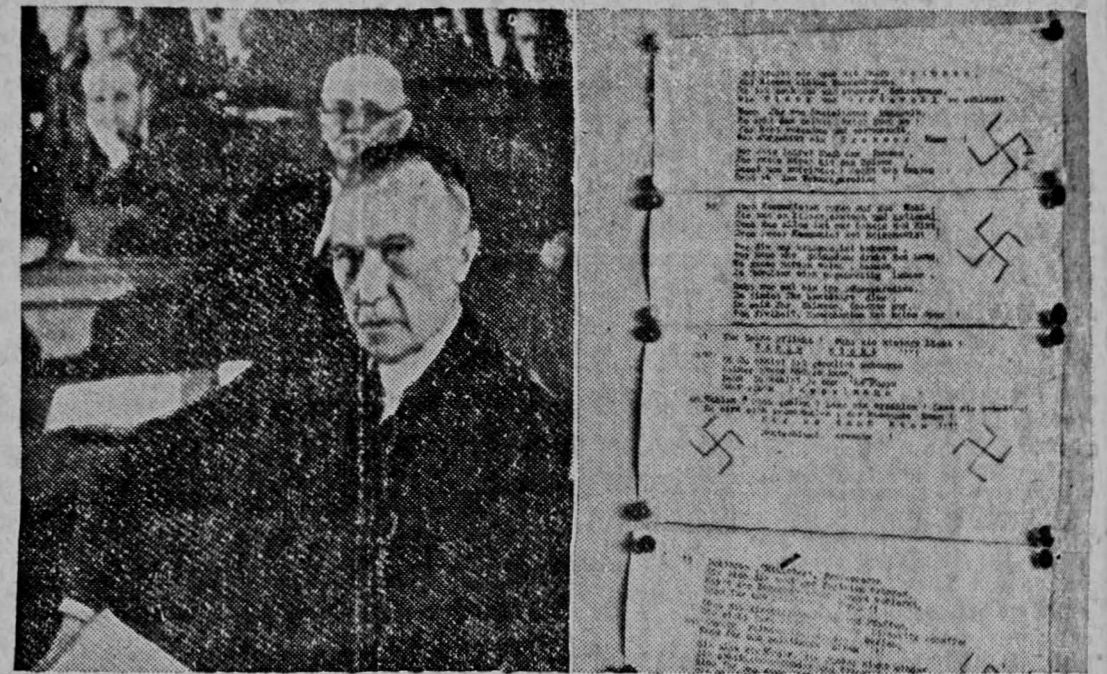
SHIRLEY MAY FRANCE (left) of Somerset, Mass., emerges from practice swim at Dover, England, where she is training to swim the English Channel. Sixteen-year-old Shirley arrived in England several weeks ago, hoping to swim the Channel before her next birthday and thereby become the youngest person to accomplish that feat. However, Shirley turned 17 Thursday. Now she is shooting for a new record. With her above are two other channel aspirants, British student Philip Mickman and Dutch hausfrau Willi van Rijssel.

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World News

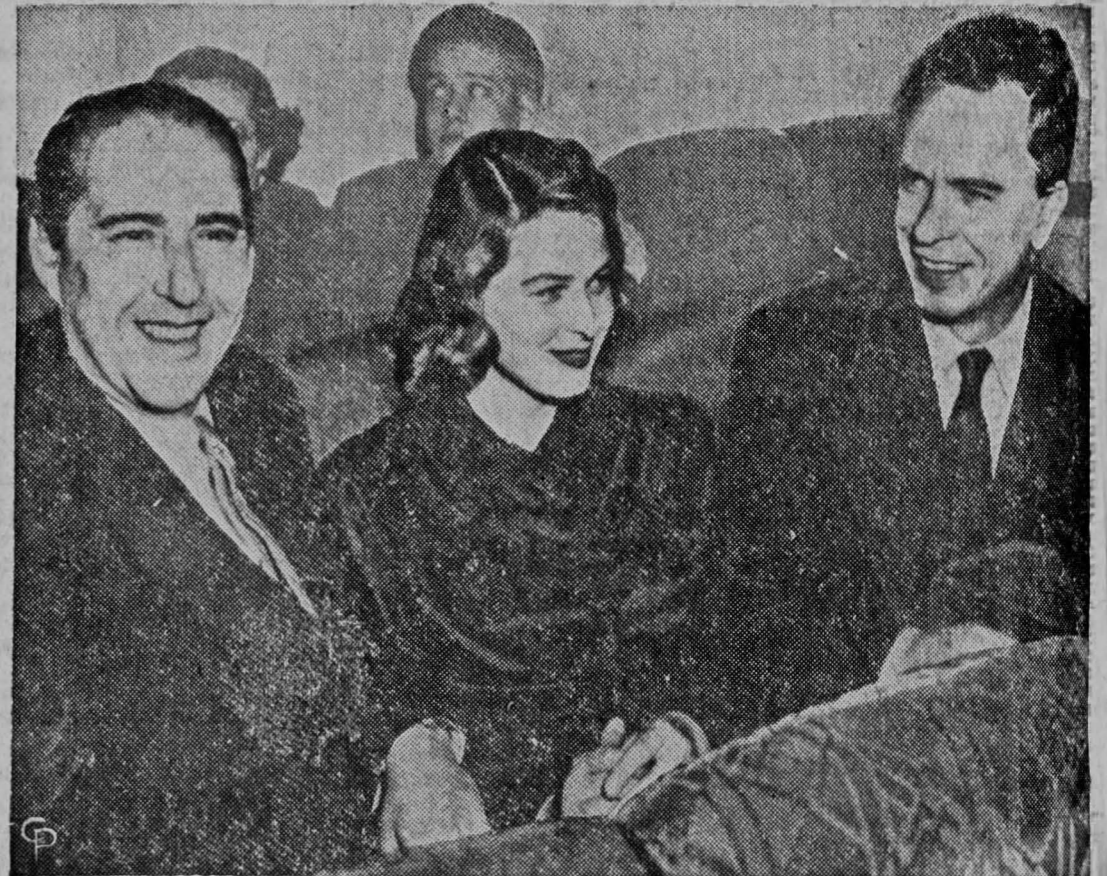
... In Pictures

Swastikas Appear On German Anti-Vote Posters



SPREADING UNREST and repeated speeches against occupation policies indicate a new nationalism—perhaps even a new fuhrer—is gaining headway in Germany. Unrest is especially evident in the British zone, most populous and economically most important. Placards emblazoned with swastikas are now appearing in an all-out campaign to boycott today's west German parliamentary elections. Konrad Adenauer, Christian Democrat party leader, claims denazification is 'ridiculous.' The above placards attempt to arouse the German people into throwing off the Communist yoke and to stop being political tools and fools.

This Looks Like a Happy Threesome, But . . .



PLANS FOR DIVORCE have divided this happy looking threesome, shown in Hollywood. Ingrid Bergman announced in Rome she will divorce her husband of 12 years, Dr. Peter Lindstrom (right) and quit films. It is believed she will marry Italian director Roberto Rossellini (left). Bergman and Rossellini recently finished a picture on the island of Stromboli, and during filming Lindstrom flew to Italy to try to straighten out the marital tangle. She is now 32 and Rossellini is 43.

Why Can't I Wear One!!!



SHAPELY PEGGY CASTLE is one Hollywood gal who has a mind of her own when it comes to fighting for rights of the poor, underprivileged lassies. Here, in conventional type swim suit, she pickets a French bathing suit beauty contest in Los Angeles, wanting to know why, when the rest of America can wear them, the censors frown on the new brief styles in Hollywood? Peggy has just signed a contract requiring her to pose for bathing suit pictures.

'Hello, Mother, This is Shirley'



SHIRLEY MAY FRANCE, 16, in England to swim the English Channel, telephoned home to her mother at Somerset, Mass., from Dover last week. Homesick, she burst into tears after the call. With her during the telephone call are her father (seated), Mary Lou Walsh, her companion, and Harry Boudakian, her coach. The 16-year-old champion swimmer stirred up a great deal of controversy last week when newsmen erroneously reported that Shirley was going to attempt the channel swim in the nude.

'Greatest' String Trio Rehearses in Chicago



REHEARSAL IN CHICAGO'S Ravin'a park for series of chamber music concerts brings together Jascha Heifetz (left), violinist; Arthur Rubenstein, pianist; and Gregor Piatigorsky, cellist, to form what some music critics term the greatest string trio in history. Their combined performances last week marked the first time this history-making trio ever has played together on the concert stage.

Dreams Fade As 'Miss NYC' is Disqualified



DREAM OF BECOMING 'MISS AMERICA' at Atlantic City faded for Mary Collins, disqualified after being chosen 'Miss New York City.' She's out because she's under contract to an agent and contest rule forbids an entrant to be under contract. The agent wouldn't release Mary, so, like a good sport, she wiped tears from her eyes and crowned another queen, Loreen Osgood, 23.