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### Weather

Mostly cloudy and a little warmer. Occasional light snow and warmer tonight. Today's high 30; low 20. Thursday's high 24; low 9.

## Truman Checks Up — Interviews Reporters

KEY WEST, FLA. (AP) — President Truman assumed the role of an inquiring reporter Thursday to probe into the habits of newsmen covering his vacation activities.

He discovered that they stay up late, forget to eat breakfast, but write home to their wives.

He reserved until a later date an inspection of their quarters "to see how you are keeping house."

Looking little like the conventional reporter, Mr. Truman appeared unexpectedly at Presidential Press Secretary Charles G. Ross' 10 a.m. news conference, wearing a white pith helmet, a tanish cotton suit and an open-neck sports shirt.

**Strange Attire**

The reporters, looking even less like their conventional selves in shorts, bathing trunks and some in pajamas, looked up with surprise as Mr. Truman, tanned and gay, strode in front of Ross.

The President, his eyes twinkling, took a seat in an arm chair, whipped out a pencil and grabbed a sheet of western union note paper.

"We have with us this morning a distinguished contributor to the federal register," (This is a daily journal of official actions of the government.)

**Florida Grapefruit**

The President grinned as Ross went on to relate that Mr. Truman had breakfast of grapefruit ("Florida grapefruit," he said) bacon, toast, milk and coffee. The President, he went on, walked twice to the dock to see two fishing parties off.

When another reporter asked Mr. Truman if that was an accurate account, the President ducked all questioning by saying: "You'll have to ask Mr. Ross."

## Airliner Hits Hill, Nine Die

VALLEJO, CALIF. (AP) — Charred remains of nine victims of a commercial airplane crash were found Thursday amid the wreckage on a steep hill near here.

The victims included three crewmen, three children and three adult passengers. Two of the dead were the wife and son of the owner of California Arrow Airways, operators of the smashed DC-3 plane.

Bound from Burbank, Calif., to Sacramento, the plane had stopped at Oakland before 5 p.m. Wednesday to discharge 10 passengers. It took off on the 90-mile hop to Sacramento and at 5:08 p.m. the pilot, James S. Garnett, 33, Redondo Beach, radioed he was over Richmond.

Authorities estimate it was only six minutes later when he ran head-on into the side of the 1,000-foot hill six miles east of here. All aboard died as the plane burst into flames.

Civil Aeronautics authority officials went to the crash scene and began an immediate investigation.

The bodies were brought here. Coroner McDonald said all of the bodies were burned beyond recognition. Flaming gasoline pouring from the wing tanks burned a large section of the steep hill. The plane missed passing over the top of the rise by an estimated 150 feet.



Plane Crash Carries Nine to Death

REMAINS OF NINE PLANE CRASH VICTIMS are found amid the wreckage of a California Arrow Airline DC-3 six miles east of Vallejo, Calif. The scene of the wreck, which was located by a Coast Guard pilot, marked the death of three crewmen, three children and three adult passengers.

## Five Saved from Ocean After Two Hours Afloat

MIAMI (AP) — A coast guard rescue boat plucked a family of four, including two small children, and another man from the ocean Thursday after their small plane crashed and they clung to air-filled gasoline tins for two hours.

The seaplane landed at sea 60 miles east of Miami and hauled aboard A. K. Henneken, 39, Monterey, Calif.; Mrs. Henneken, 25; their children, Robert, 2, and A. K. Jr., 5, and T.G. Jungerson, 29, of Summit, N.J.

Their single-engine, four-seater Beechcraft Bonanza had sunk beneath the water when the rescue plane reached them.

"I wasn't scared," said the wet and bedraggled older boy. "But the plane drowned."

The Hennekens and Jungerson were en route home from British Guiana for their first Christmas in the United States in three years. The plane plunged into the sea shortly before noon after Henneken had sent radio distress calls during the Puerto Rico-Miami leg of the trip.

Henneken said the plane began to "go bad" about 20 miles west of the fishing resort island of Bimini and that he decided to turn back in an attempt to land on its broad beach.

"Going In"

At 11:53 a.m., he told the coast guard by radio, "I'm at 600 feet and going into the water."

A few seconds later the plane hit the ocean.

It floated briefly while the passengers crawled out on the wings. Then it sank slowly under the water, leaving all five clinging to two empty gasoline tins.

Mrs. Henneken said on their arrival at the coast guard base here that "we were all scared, of course, and Butch (the older boy) cried a little just before the plane hit the water. But they were both wonderfully brave."

She said she and the baby shared one of the gasoline tins. Henneken and Butch shared the other while Jungerson "found a place" in the tight huddle they made.

Coast Guard Assistant First Pilot Donald Cobough, in a small search plane, sighted the group a mile west of Bimini. He radioed their location and waited until Leut. D. M. Reed's PBY reached the scene.

"It was wonderful when those planes came," Mrs. Henneken said, "but it did seem such an awful long time."

"I'm Hungry"

She said she talked to the children to keep their courage up. The only comment by either that she could remember was when Butch said after an hour in the water:

"I'm hungry."

"I told him he'd have to wait awhile," she said.

Butch wore a Catholic medalion around his neck when he arrived at the base aboard the PBY. Henneken lifted it from the boy's neck and held it aloft.

"That's what got us through," he said.

The Hennekens and Jungerson were treated for exposure at the coast guard infirmary and went to a Miami hotel. They planned to leave for Monterey and Summit, where they have relatives today.

## SUI Treasurer Warns Students to Pay Debts

F. L. Hamborg, SUI treasurer, warned Thursday that no registration materials for the second semester will be available to students unless their indebtedness to the university is paid.

He also said that notes for the Hawkeye yearbook must be paid before Jan. 1.

"Payment of debts in advance of registration will make second semester registration easier," Hamborg said.

## Groves Urges Probe Of Russ Shipments

NEW YORK (AP) — Lt. Gen. Leslie R. Groves, retired, former head of the A-bomb project, said Thursday he thought the Russians had obtained some of our wartime secrets.

"How much they obtained, nobody knows," he said.

The wartime chief of the atom bomb project said he hoped the house un-American activities committee would continue its current investigation, especially in an effort to find out "whether there were enormous, unnecessary shipments to Russia."

Groves denied Wednesday that Henry A. Wallace and the late Harry Hopkins "pressured" him to release atomic materials or secrets to the Russians. Thursday, however, he said he had withheld from Wallace secret reports which normally would have gone to the former vice-president.

**Committee Member**

The reports, Groves said, would have gone to Wallace as a member of the President's special committee on atomic energy.

In Washington, house probes sought to find the trial of wartime shipments of uranium materials to Russia, spurred by a Canadian announcement that 1,000 pounds of such material had been sent to the Soviet in 1943.

House committee investigators also think they may uncover a 1,000 gram shipment of heavy water to the Russians, although Groves doubts it.

Canadian Trade Minister C.D. Howe said 500 pounds of black uranium oxide and 500 pounds of uranium nitrate were sold the Russians in May, 1943, through normal trade channels.

Informed circles said that while both materials are used in atom-bomb making, the amount of the Canadian shipment was so small it could have no appreciable importance on the Soviet's bomb development.

In an interview by telephone Thursday from Norwalk, Conn., Groves elaborated on his testimony Wednesday before the house committee.

Groves said he showed one of the secret reports on atomic developments to Wallace in the fall of 1943 — but withheld others that followed from the then vice-president.

Asked why he had done so, Groves said he just "preferred not to."

He was asked if this was a deliberate withholding of information from Wallace.

"Some people might think so," he replied.

Asked if there was any special reason for his action Groves said: "We took a number of deliberate risks on security matters in an effort to bring the war to a quicker end, but we took no unnecessary risks."

**Declines Comment**

Wallace declined comment on Groves' new remarks.

Meanwhile, he had trouble getting together with the house un-American activities committee on a date for testifying before the committee in the atomic controversy.

Wallace asked to be heard next Monday or Tuesday. But the committee said neither day would be convenient. It told him in a telegram that he would be consulted later regarding a definite date.

The former vice-president, in reply, messaged that he objected to this "indefinite postponement."

"I do hope," he said, "that your committee will afford a former vice-president of the United States the courtesy of an opportunity to clear his name from baseless charges."

## Nationalist Government Flees China Mainland for Formosa

TAIPEH, FORMOSA (AP) — The Chinese Nationalist government fled the mainland Thursday.

Its fifth capital in a year was set up on Formosa island 100 miles off the Communist-held coast.

Premier Yeh Hsi-Shan and 14 cabinet members arrived here in Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek's private plane, the Mei Ling.

The generalissimo remained in Chengtu, Yen said, to organize guerrilla warfare against the conquering Communists.

Flight was decided upon in an emergency cabinet meeting, Yen said. Collapse came after Yen learned, just before taking off, that "the airfield at Kunming had been occupied."

This apparently meant that the long-feared defection of Yunnan's governor, Gen. Lu Han, had taken place. He appeared to be holding this great southwest province until the Communists arrive.

The bad news about Lu climaxed a disastrous week. In Kweichow province, Yungling had fallen, depriving the Nationalists of a refueling base through which they could supply an inland capital by air.

The Communists were taking over the South China coast, and Gen. Pai Chung-Hsi, Moslem leader who had the largest intact Nationalist army, had reportedly gone to Hainan island, 300 miles southwest of Hong Kong.

**WARD PARTY LANDS**

TOKYO (FRIDAY) (AP) — Consul General Angus Ward and his Mukden staff reached Tientsin safely last night, state department officials were advised today.

## Basketball Seating Change Protested By Student Council

SUI's Student council Thursday night unanimously protested the unannounced student seating change at basketball games in the fieldhouse.

Delegate-at-Large Gaige Walters, C4, Harlan, proposed the motion which was later carried at the council meeting in the house chamber of Old Capitol.

The council appointed Law Commons Representative Jim Pritchard, L3, Storm Lake, chairman of the committee to investigate inadequate student seating facilities.

The council voted to take no stand on the resumption of SUI-Iowa State football games because of the athletic department's announcement that such games will not be scheduled.

**Named Chairman**

Tom Olson, A2, Red Oak, was named chairman of the All-Iowa conference committee.

The conference will include representatives from all Iowa colleges and universities and will be held at SUI in the spring.

Council Vice-Pres. Murray Kniffen, A4, Rock Rapids, announced eight students have been appointed to the council public relations staff.

**Staff Members**

Staff members are Jim Stephens, C4, Kansas City, Mo.; Marjorie Thul, A2, Davenport; Philip Fine, A2, Brooklyn, N.Y.; Dick Levitt, A1, Des Moines.

Murray Seeger, A3, Hamburg, N.Y.; Greta Grossman, A3, University Heights, Ohio; Marilyn Madson, A1, Royal, and Jane Fall, A4, Burlington.

## New Jersey Claims Water Emergency

NEW YORK (AP) — A state of emergency was declared in neighboring New Jersey Thursday because of a dangerous water shortage that could force the entire New York metropolitan area to ration water within a few weeks.

Gov. Alfred E. Driscoll ordered the state of emergency to enforce water conservation in the northern New Jersey cities which really are a part of the New York city.

New York's water supply dropped Thursday, to a point where, without adequate rain, water rationing might be started in 37 days.

Scores of "water warden" cruised New York City to check on leaky faucets and report all incidents of water wastage to the nearest police station.

**WHY SAVE FOR GRAVE?**

ENFIELD, ENGLAND (AP) — Two men and a woman broke into an Enfield poor house Thursday and robbed an aged woman inmate of heirlooms and \$140. Miss Florence Knight, 82, said she had saved the money over 20 years to pay for her funeral.

## AMA Raises Dues To Hit Socialization

WASHINGTON (AP) — The American Medical Association Thursday ordered compulsory \$3,050,000 annual dues for its membership, part of it to war on so-called "socialized medicine" proposals.

How much of the \$25 a head levy will be allocated for this purpose will depend on "how the battle develops," said Dr. Louis Bauer of New York, chairman of the AMA's board of trustees.

## Reports Progress Of Council-Manager Move in Iowa City

Committee progress reports submitted Thursday night at the second general meeting of the local Council-Manager association were termed as "very encouraging" by Atty. Clair Hamilton, chairman of the group's executive council.

About 80 persons met in the main dining room of Hotel Jefferson to hear reports and discussion of a city government plan whereby the city's business is carried out by a trained manager under the advice of a council.

The executive committee was organized a month ago at the first general meeting of the non-partisan group, Thursday night. The group adopted the official name of the Council-Manager association to be used in future business.

Finance Officer Roy Ewers submitted the finance committee's report which included setting a budget of \$2,500 for the current "voter-education" campaign.

Atty. Dan C. Dutcher, chairman of the group's speakers bureau, re-emphasized the association's intention was not to oust present city officials but to work for what they believe to be the best form of city government for Iowa City.

Prof. Russell Ross, SUI political science department, described some key aspects of the proposed plan and reported on discussions at the recent national conference of the National and Municipal League last month in St. Paul.

Hamilton pointed out that the association seeks the support of anyone interested in the group's objective.

"The association is composed of individual citizens, not of groups," he said. "We want all political parties, businessmen, professional men, the university, labor — all classes of people in Iowa City."

## Veterans' State Bonus Free from Income Tax

DES MOINES (AP) — Iowa veterans are exempt from federal income tax on their state bonus, their government insurance dividends and many other forms of veterans' benefits under the GI Bill of Rights, more than 700 Iowa attorneys were told Thursday.

Frank Blaser, assistant chief of the federal income tax division office in Des Moines said veterans need not pay federal income tax on what they receive from the government as educational allowances or as part of their on-the-job training pay.

## Cedar Rapids Police Find Cab Stolen Here

Cedar Rapids police recovered at 10:51 a.m. Thursday a cab stolen from the Iowa City Yellow Cab company garage, 118 N. Linn street, police said.

The cab, a 1949 Chevrolet, was stolen at about 12:30 a.m. Thursday, police said. Company officials said the cab was still in running condition and was returned to Iowa City in the afternoon.

## Dress of Princess Scorned by Model

PARIS (AP) — The beautiful French "cover girl" who modeled Princess Margaret's controversial new evening dress said Thursday that wearing the creation was "just agony."

"I wouldn't wear that dress again for anything," said Ghislaine de Boisson. "It was so full of whalebone I could hardly breathe, and the hoop around the hips ... why I couldn't even sit down in the thing."

## He Gives the Word to Santa



THE LAW'S LAID DOWN TO SANTA as Warren Rohls, 14-month-old Brooklynite, states his Christmas expectations during a visit to a New York department store. Warren is as voluble as most of his fellow citizens.

## A-Bomb Workmen End 4-Day Strike

OAK RIDGE, TENN. (AP) — Construction workers employed on multimillion dollar atomic plant projects here ended a four-day wildcat strike Thursday.

An atomic energy commission announcement signaled the end of the first walkout in the history of this young atomic city.

R.W. Cook, Oak Ridge operations manager for the AEC, said a "wholesale back-to-work movement" got under way during the morning.

"We consider the strike ended," added C.A. Budnik, supervising engineer for the Maxon construction company of Dayton, Ohio, which is doing the building.

Some 3,000 workers were involved.

## Christmas Seal Sales Total \$2,500 in County

Christmas seal sales in Johnson county had reached \$2,500 Thursday, Sales Chairman James Schmidt said.

The drive is being conducted by the county Tuberculosis association.

However, Schmidt said the association will need more funds this year because the American Heart association has been added as a beneficiary of the campaign.

The Heart association will receive part of each dollar donated for Christmas seals to help fight heart disease.

## Three Children Die In Flames



THREE DES MOINES CHILDREN PERISHED in their one-room temporary home. The bodies of the children lie covered with a blanket on the charred bedstead. The house where the fire occurred is in the background.

# editorials

## Homes-Away-from-Home in Iowa City? —

The population of Iowa City, swollen as it is for nine months of the year, takes a nosedive when school is not in session.

The Christmas recess, which starts a week from today, will cut into the 30,000 population figure. More than half of the students will take advantage of the opportunity to get away from the school routine for a few weeks.

However, the number of students who won't have a chance to go home represents a pretty sizeable portion of the student body.

Students who have jobs, foreign students and many married students will spend the Christmas period in Iowa City.

Many of them will have little to celebrate when Christmas Day rolls around.

During the war years, many servicemen were in a position similar to that of the students who won't get home for Christmas. At that time civilians were urged to open their homes to the servicemen.

The response to the plea was wonderful. Few servicemen spent wartime Christmas Days in their barracks. Almost all of them received invitations to spend Christmas in homes-away-from-home.

There is nothing to stop such a plan in Iowa City. Many Iowa Citizens would be willing to "adopt" a student who can't get home for Christmas.

Also, in the hustle-bustle of everyday life in Iowa City, there is sometimes lacking a feeling of "oneness" between students of various schools and colleges. There are probably many law students who know no one in the pharmacy college, for example.

During the "goodwill to men" era that is supposed to characterize the Yuletide it would be possible for the stay-away-from-homes to cross the lines of various interests and colleges by holding impromptu meetings of some sort.

Town and gown and all students should do their level best to spread the true Christmas spirit.

## Biting Off a Pretty Big Chunk —

The Democratic party, looking into the money income situation across the nation, has come up with another promise for the green years to come.

This is to raise the standard of living of nearly one-third of the nation's families and single individuals who received less than \$2,000 in cash income in 1948.

Sen. John J. Sparkman (Dem-Ala) heads a joint committee which will this month report to the president. Action in the field will be part of President Truman's program to hike the national income to \$300-billion a year.

"Dole" legislation will not be a part of the remedy, the Democrats have indicated. Instead, the program will try to raise the level of the lower groups by careful examination of the conditions that account for poverty, and corrective measures.

It looks as if the administration, which already has a mouthful of reform legislation, has

bitten off a pretty big chunk. There are two possibilities as to what might happen to any findings or suggestions the joint committee may come up with.

Judging by what has gone before, the President will toss the matter in congressional laps early in the session, it will be hashed and re-hashed, retired to a pigeon-hole, brought out when adjournment is around the corner, chopped up and passed in some cut-down form.

The other alternative would be a serious consideration, with the matter held before Congress by public sentiment and fear of losing standing on the part of congressmen, and passage of legislation that would help raise the income level. What form this legislation would take is a difficult question.

This second alternative would gain the Democrats a lot of popularity and probably fixate them in the public eye for several more years to come. The first is probably more realistic.

## Ring in the New — a Little Differently —

It may be a little early to start thinking about New Year's eve with Christmas still around the corner, but a national religious organization has scouted a note that might bear careful consideration.

The Federal Council of Churches has called on Americans to celebrate the arrival of the new year with prayer and watch night services instead of the usual revelry.

Said the organization's department of evangelism, "the times are too serious for any other mood on the part of Christians than that of repentance and prayer."

With the same old situations that have led to war and strife in the past playing their important part on the world stage, such a method of celebrating New Year's might have a lot to offer.

## Yes, Yes in Your Eyes —

Columbia's President Dwight Eisenhower has made a statement that practically throws his hat in the ring for the GOP presidential nomination in 1952.

Gen. Ike was speaking to the Houston, Texas, chamber of commerce—strange place for a college president to speak when he says he has no political ambitions—when he said that Americans should think and speak out matters that will affect the nation's position in 10 or 15 years.

Reiterating his previous stand that he doesn't want to get into politics, Ike mentioned that he does intend, however, to speak his mind on matters pertaining to the state of affairs of our nation.

It's rather significant to note, too, that practically all the statements Ike has made in the past have tended to link him with Republican party principles.

CBS Newscaster Edward R. Murrow has Ike in a spot with his second volume of "I Can Hear It Now." Murrow has Ike on record when he first said he didn't want to be president.

Ike may find this statement embarrassing in the next few months if he keeps talking as though he's a good Republican and still saying he doesn't want to be president.

He keeps on saying no, no; but there's yes, yes in his eyes.

## It's a Wonder He Didn't Make Off with the Hive



## Doctors Skeptical of New 'Cold Cure'

It's still too early to tell whether those new "cold cures" — the antihistaminic drugs which have been widely advertised recently — are as effective as drug manufacturers claim in wiping out the common cold.

That seems to be the opinion in medical circles. The American Medical Association council on pharmacy and chemistry last week said it is "not convinced" that present evidence is sufficient to warrant the claims that have been made in newspaper advertisements.

Dr. W. B. Bean, head of the SUI department of internal medicine, said he was "personally skeptical" about the value of the antihistamines in curing colds.

He pointed out that we need controlled studies of large numbers of people all over the country and statistical analysis of the results of the studies before we can determine a really successful cold remedy. The new drugs are called antihistamines because they combat a substance called histamine which is harmful to the

body when present in too large amounts. First large-scale tests were made by a navy doctor at Great Lakes Naval hospital in Illinois.

Reporting his findings in the U.S. Naval Medical Bulletin, the doctor, Captain John M. Brewster, said 99 percent of the colds were cured when treatment was started within an hour after the first cold symptoms.

The percentage of cures fell off sharply when treatment was started more than 12 hours after cold symptoms appeared. One of the drawbacks of the

new "cold cures" is the side-effects such as drowsiness or nausea caused by the drugs.

Doctors feel that it might be dangerous for people who might be driving cars or working around machinery to take the antihistamines.

Also it is felt that it is too soon to judge what the long-term effects of continued dosage of the antihistamines may be.

But in the past month consumers have been rushing to buy the new "cold cures" and many of the older cold remedies have been losing out in the annual \$100-million U.S. market.



By GIL PEARLMAN

HAVE YOU noticed over the past few months that all the magazine sections of Sunday newspapers and every weekly periodical contains an article dealing, in one way or another, with Errol Flynn's newly blossomed love with Princess Irene Ghica?

I have. I figure it must be of some great national importance to be afforded so much printed space. I also figure that if it is of such great importance the least we can do is to devote a little discussion and analysis to it.

THE FIRST thing we assume about people in love is that they have something in common. According to the reported facts, Errol and his Princess meet this criterion with ease. They both like snails with garlic sauce.

Well, I have never exactly thought of snails with garlic sauce as a common denominator calling for marriage, but, then again, I have never thought of snails with garlic sauce.

WHEN YOU do stop and think about it, I guess snails are as logical a factor as anything in drawing two people together. It's the garlic that might cause some people concern.

One usually thinks of principles and attitudes as things people have in common, but, I ask, and I suppose Errol would too, what does two people's taste for drama embody, for example, that their taste for snails doesn't?

Oh, a play might be more aesthetic, but have you ever heard of paying \$3.50 a ticket to watch a snail?

IN A RECENT interview, when the Princess was asked what had happened to the Ghica family chateau near Bucharest, she replied, "Gone. Poof!"

Errol then exclaimed, "Isn't she wonderful!"

Here, it is my theory, is the real quality Flynn adores in the Princess. Her innate capacity or talent to answer, "Poof!" to any difficult question that might arise.

THAT IS only one factor, however, and too much importance must not be put on it. The various stories also reveal that Mr. Flynn has stated that the Princess Irene has all the qualities he adores in a woman.

These qualities, as listed by the

hero of the cinema, are: honesty, sincerity, a sense of humor and an outlook which is rare in women — the willingness to do anything to help the man.

I SUPPOSE, according to 20th century standards, we would accept honesty, sincerity and a sense of humor as desirable traits in our chosen female.

If the lady-fair informs you that it is not your charm but your money she is after, she is honest. If she succeeds in spending your last penny, it must be admitted, she was sincere. And, if she then laughs you off at another sucker, we must accredit her with a sense of humor.

NOW THERE might be some argument as to what outlook is actually rare in women. Some unusually pessimistic males might be convinced that any outlook is rare in women.

Is it fair to say the Princess has a rare outlook because she is willing to do anything to help the man? Most women are willing to do anything to help the man. Of course, that anything might help the man to his destruction, but help is help in any form.

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## Calls Nomination 'Symbol of Faith'

NEW YORK (AP) — Mrs. Eugenie Anderson, of Red Wing, Minn., said Thursday President Truman nominated her as the country's first woman ambassador "as a symbol of his faith in the abilities of women in public life."

Mrs. Anderson, who sails today for Denmark to assume her post, spoke at a luncheon given in her honor by the New York state Americans for Democratic action.

She said she knew that President Truman "intended my appointment to signify his recognition of the fact that American women in general have reached mature, responsible citizenship."

She devoted much of her speech to emphasizing the role Americans for Democratic action "has played in my political orientation." She is a member of the organization's national board, and helped found its Minnesota organization.

PLANE CRASHES  
HAMILTON AIRFORCE BASE, CALIF. — A F-84 jet fighter crashed and burned on an open field near here Thursday and the pilot was presumed killed, the air force reported. The name of the pilot was not available.

## WSUI PROGRAM CALENDAR

Table with two columns: Time and Program Name. Includes items like 'Friday, December 9, 1949' and '2:30 p.m. 18th Century Music'.

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## UNIVERSITY CALENDAR

Table with two columns: Date and Event. Lists events for Friday, December 9, Wednesday, December 14, Thursday, December 15, Saturday, December 17, and Friday, December 23.

## GENERAL NOTICES

GENERAL NOTICES should be deposited with the city editor of The Daily Iowan in the newsroom in East Hall. Notices must be submitted by 2 p.m. the day preceding first publication; they will NOT be accepted by telephone, and must be TYPED OR LEGIBLY WRITTEN AND SIGNED BY a responsible person.

FIELDHOUSE facilities will be open for University playnights each Tuesday and Friday from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m.

STUDENTS RECEIVING their bachelor's degree in any convocation in 1950 may apply for a Lydia C. Roberts Fellowship at Columbia University by securing an application blank at the Graduate college office.

SUI PLAYERS present "Holiday," comedy at 8 p.m. in University theater every night from Dec. 1 through 10 with a 2 p.m. matinee on Saturday, Dec. 10.

UWA ORIENTATION Council applications, now available at the UWA desk in the office of student affairs, are due Friday, Dec. 16.

CODE FOR COEDS applications are now available at the UWA desk in the office of student affairs. They are due Tuesday, Dec. 13.

ZOOLOGY SEMINAR will meet Friday, Dec. 9 at 4:30 p.m. in room 201, Zoology building. Dr. Theodore Winnick, biochemist for the Radiation research laboratory, will discuss "Use of Radioactive Amino Acids in the Study of Protein Synthesis in Liver Cells and Subcellular Particles." report on a recent UNESCO conference given.

ODK BUSINESS meeting, Monday, Dec. 12 at 4:30 p.m., room 203, University hall.

IOWA MOUNTAINEERS Christmas party, Friday, Dec. 9 at clubhouse at 7:30 p.m. Bring a 25-cent gift.

ROTIC: All oral examinations for award of the Minute Man medal will be held Friday, Dec. 9 in room 11, Armory during the drill periods.

APPLICATIONS are now available in the office of student affairs for a limited number of Carr, Noyes and Student Aid scholarships for the second semester.

FEBRUARY GRADUATES: Orders for senior announcements may be placed at Campus Stores starting Monday, Dec. 5 through Dec. 12.

YOUNG PROGRESSIVES will sponsor a Peace Party at 8 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 10 in basement of Unitarian church. General membership meeting Monday, Dec. 12 in room 204, Schaeffer hall at 7:30 p.m.

IOWA FENCERS club will meet Sunday, Dec. 11 at 3 p.m. in conference room 1, Iowa Union.

NO REGISTRATION materials for the second semester will be issued to students unless their indebtedness to the university is paid. Hawkeye notes must be paid before Jan. 1.

ART GUILD is showing "The Navigator" and Buster Keaton and Harold Lloyd comedies Friday, Dec. 9 at 4:30 p.m. in the art building and at 8 p.m. in the chemistry auditorium.

YOUNG DEMOCRATS will debate Young Republicans Tuesday, Dec. 13 at 8 p.m., senate chamber, Old Capitol. Subject: "Should the Brannan plan be adopted?" Everyone is invited.

## Vishinsky Leaves UN After Troubled Session

By J.M. ROBERTS JR., AP Foreign Affairs Analyst



ROBERTS

Andrei Vishinsky, shaking the dust of the west from his shoes as he embarked for home, hung the "unsatisfactory" label on the 1949 UN general assembly.

From the standpoint of this fiery old Bolshevik this was a bit of unwelcome understatement.

Vishinsky arrived in September full of beans and statements about the cooperation to be attained during the sessions.

He remained to see Russia suffer its worst defeats since the Iranian case came before the security council in the UN's first year.

He saw the representatives of the Communist heretic Joseph Tito seated on the security council through the defeat of Czechoslovakia, Russia's own candidate.

He was overwhelmingly defeated in his attempt to convict the western powers of seeking war. With regard to his proposed Big Five peace pact he was accused of sheer propaganda and told that the only thing needed for peace was for Russia to live up to the UN charter.

er countries sidestepped the Chinese charge that Russia had intervened to aid the Peiping Communists. The Russian's foreign minister cannot claim a victory there, however, since he boycotted the debate.

As for Mr. Vishinsky's appraisal of the UN's work, nobody would claim the assembly's results have been entirely satisfactory. Its one great achievement and first legislative act, the settlement affecting Italy's former African colonies, was itself a compromise. But arrival at a compromise on such an issue was in itself a very important thing.

More important in the long run may be the launching of a program of cooperation in President Truman's "point four" program for economic improvement of underdeveloped areas.

There are other things on the credit side, such as the Dutch-Indonesian settlement reached under direct UN pressure, and moves to check up on the administration of non-self governing territories.

Incidents connected with Mr. Vishinsky's latest visit have led to some discussion at Lake Success over the possibility that, in the Kremlin's eyes, his usefulness as an envoy may be deteriorating. The Ukrainian Manuilsky clearly outdid the foreign minister in vituperation at this year's sessions.

Then, as Vishinsky was departing, he showed certain western civilities. He sent flowers and parting presents to the assembly president and Mrs. Carlos Romulo. At the boat, first American ship he had used, he described the liner America as "beautiful" — and didn't claim that Russia built the first one like it.

## Letters to the Editor

(Readers are invited to express opinion in Letters to the Editor. All letters must include hand written signature and address — typewritten signatures not acceptable. Letters become the property of The Daily Iowan; we reserve the right to edit or withhold letters. We suggest letters be limited to 300 words or less. Opinions expressed do not necessarily represent those of The Daily Iowan.)

TO THE EDITOR:

Since I was misquoted in Sunday's article on Eisenhower and since this mistake was not properly rectified in Tuesday's article even though I had called it to the attention of the managing editor, I find it necessary to write this letter.

I, too, object strenuously to the tone and implications of the Eifson article on Sunday. Furthermore, having been unknowingly concerned in it myself, I feel that I can furnish relevant information as to the story's treatment.

As a contributor to the pool of information, which somehow engendered the companion piece to The Associated Press release, I should like to make public my "information," and its subsequent treatment.

About 10 p.m., the evening of Dec. 3, I received a telephone call from Bill Seward, managing editor of The Daily Iowan. He said he thought I would be interested in the AP release of the murder charge which had been brought against Lyman Eifson, my roommate last year. He read this release to me. Being shocked and confused by the news, I told him I would like to read the release, which I did.

After I read this report he asked me if I knew anything about a chemistry major who was supposed to have been a good friend of Lyman's. I told him I knew of no such person. Following this was a casual conversation about Lyman.

At no time during this conversation did Mr. Seward ask my permission to quote me or to use my name. (He took no notes in my presence.) I assumed that to

ask such permission is only ethical.

Despite this, Mr. Seward did use some of my comments in the Sunday article. The most serious thing, however, is that he quoted me as saying something which I did not say. I did not at no time during our conversation use the words "strong atheist" or "anti-capitalist." A third person who was present during the entire conversation is able to corroborate this statement. The fact is that Mr. Seward told me that another person had uttered these words.

The statement that I did make from which Mr. Seward somehow gleaned the "quotation" was that Lyman liked to discuss certain topics, particularly anti-religious and political ones. With this one exception, the Sunday article is correct in its report of my comments.

However, it is also a fact that I told Mr. Seward of Lyman's interest in ping-pong, and that he had participated in a student ping-pong tournament last year. Furthermore, I commented on the fact that Lyman had appeared in at least one university play last year.

I leave it to the reader to judge the editor's criterion or relevance in selecting material for the Sunday article.

Jack Myers  
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**AUTO COLLISION FATAL**  
DAVENPORT — Lawrence J. Boecklin, 26, Davenport, died Thursday of injuries received Tuesday when his car collided with another auto at an intersection here.

# Society

## Party Line

**ALPHA CHI SIGMA** — An informal party will be given by members of Alpha Chi Sigma, chemistry fraternity, from 9 p.m. to midnight Saturday at the chapter house.

**DELTA DELTA DELTA** — Members of Delta Delta Delta, social sorority, will present their winter formal dance at 9:30 p.m. today with Dick Tripp and his orchestra providing music. Mrs. L. W. Coquillette, Mrs. Lida Mae Filkins, Mrs. Harriette Evans, Mrs. James Foley and Mr. and Mrs. John Kamerick will be chaperones.

**BETA THETA PI** — Members of the Beta Theta Pi, social fraternity, will be entertained at a dinner-dance Saturday from 6 to 12:30 a.m. at the chapter house. Chaperones will be Mr. and Mrs. George O'Brien, Prof. and Mrs. Eugene Harlan and Mrs. Adele Hammermill. Bobby Cotter and her trio will furnish music for dancing.

**KAPPA ALPHA THETA** — A formal Christmas dance will be presented by members of Kappa Alpha Theta, social sorority, from 9 p.m. to midnight today in the chapter house. Gregg Franz and his orchestra will provide the music. Special guests will be Prof. and Mrs. Fred Pownall, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Huit, Naomi Hoult and Mrs. M. H. Anderson.

**DELTA TAU DELTA** — A Christmas masquerade party will be given by members of Delta Tau Delta, social fraternity, from 9 p.m. to midnight Saturday in the chapter house. Chaperones will be Dr. and Mrs. S. J. Zoekler, Dr. and Mrs. James Morrison, Dr. and Mrs. Cad Westfall and Mrs. James Foley.

**KAPPA KAPPA GAMMA** — Kappa Kappa Gamma, social sorority, will entertain members at a Christmas party Sunday from 6 to 10 p.m. at the chapter house. Mrs. Harriet Bauman will be chaperone.

**ALPHA TAU OMEGA** — An "oggnog party" for members of the Alpha Tau Omega, social fraternity, will be held Sunday from 7:30 to 10:30 p.m. at the chapter house. Mrs. Robert Yetter will act as chaperone.

**ZETA TAU ALPHA** — "Stardust," a formal dance, sponsored by members of Zeta Tau Alpha, social sorority, at 9 p.m. today at the chapter house, will feature Jack Davis and his orchestra. Mrs. Hazel Miller, Mrs. Harriet Bauman, Mr. and Mrs. Crawford B. Thayer and Mr. and Mrs. George T. Harris will be special guests.

**PHI KAPPA SIGMA** — Members of Phi Kappa Sigma, social fraternity, will present a formal dinner-dance from 7 p.m. to midnight Saturday in the chapter house. Leo Cortimiglia and his orchestra will furnish music. Special guests will be Mr. and Mrs. Roy Koza, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith, Mrs. Clarice Waterman and Mrs. Alta Pfeiffer.

**DELTA SIGMA PI** — A formal Christmas dance will be held by members of Delta Sigma Pi, professional commerce fraternity, from 8 p.m. to midnight Saturday in the Rose room of the Hotel Jefferson. Chaperones will be Mr. and Mrs. George Holdren. The "Rose of Delta Sigma Pi," winner of a beauty contest held by the fraternity, will be presented during the intermission.

**ALPHA CHI OMEGA** — A formal dinner-dance will be given by members of Alpha Chi Omega, social sorority, at 8:30 p.m. today in the Rose room of the Hotel Jefferson, followed by a dance at the chapter house. Leo Cortimiglia and his orchestra will furnish music. Chaperones will be Mrs. Marie Frye, Mrs. Rhea Dahl, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Blackwell, and Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Caldwell.

**SIGMA PHI EPSILON** — A winter formal, "Winterlude," will be given Saturday from 9 p.m. to midnight by members of the Sigma Phi Epsilon, social fraternity, at the chapter house. Chaperoning the event will be Mr. and Mrs. William Coder Sr., Prof. and Mrs. Harold McCarty and Mrs. Ruel Dickinson. Dick Tripp will furnish music for dancing.

**CURRIER HALL** — "Fantasy in Frost," a semi-formal Christmas dance, will be held tonight from 9 p.m. to midnight in the Iowa Union for residents of Currier hall and their guests. Bill Meardon and his orchestra will furnish music. Social Chairman Ruth Celke, A4, Cleveland, is in charge.

**DELTA CHI** — Members of Delta Chi, social fraternity, will present their winter formal dance from 9 p.m. to midnight Saturday.

## Lutheran Students Plan Smorgasbord

Members of the Lutheran Student association will serve an annual Christmas smorgasbord and present the traditional yuletide pageant on Sunday, Fern Bohlsen, student director, said Thursday.

Traditional Scandinavian foods will be featured at the 5 p.m. smorgasbord at the First Lutheran church, Margaret Habbings, C4, George, Iowa, is in charge of planning the menu.

The LSA choir and Duane Mortensen, A2, Royal, Iowa, will present the pageant of the Christmas story from St. Luke and St. Matthew. Mortensen will be the reader for the pantomime pageant.

Miss Bohlsen said the public is invited to attend the smorgasbord and the pageant. Tickets may be purchased at the door for \$1.

## DAR Group to Hold Christmas Program

Pilgrim chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution will hold a Christmas program Saturday at the home of Mrs. James Lons, 521 N. Dubuque street.

A board meeting will be held at 2 p.m., followed by the program at 2:30 p.m.

Children from St. Mary's school, under the direction of Sister Mary Anita Esther, will sing Christmas carols. Mrs. M. M. Crayne will give a reading.

DAR members will bring a food collection for the Mary O. Children's home.

Mrs. Phil Connell is in charge of the program.

## Two SUI Employees Honored at Dinner

Two SUI employees were guests of honor at a farewell dinner in Reich's cafe Pine room Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Mary A. Anderson, Iowa City, and Mrs. Corrine Simons, Norway, who plan to leave Iowa City soon, were honored by 24 of their fellow employees in the SUI registrar's office.

Marie Smith, registrar's office supervisor, was toastmistress. Members of the party committee included Mrs. Francis Huckins, Mrs. Betty Sedlack, Mrs. Irma Faas, and Mrs. Betty McBurney. The group sang Christmas carols for the evening's entertainment.

**"TRANSIT TROT" SATURDAY** — The "Transit Trot" will be held at 9 p.m. Saturday at the Czechoslovakian American Society hall, 524 N. Johnson street.

## Child Study Club History Dates Back to 1918

Longfellow's "Children's Hour" has turned into a 24-hour assignment for most mothers. In addition, mothers belonging to the Iowa City Child Study club devote one Saturday afternoon a month to the study of children, emphasizing child development.

Three members of the local club participated in WSUI's weekly Thursday morning women's feature, "Club Camera", a program focusing on one Iowa City woman's club each week. Representatives were Mrs. E.J. Shoben Jr., vice-president; Mrs. M.L. Huit, president; and Mrs. J.W. Howe, president in 1938 and 1944. Flo Robinson, SUI women's director, was moderator.

**Luncheons** — "We hold luncheon meetings on Saturday which enables mothers to leave their children at home with the fathers," the three women smiled. "Any mother or anyone interested in child care is welcome to join," they invited. The club has approximately 60 members at present.

Organized in 1918, the local group centered around a nine-member nucleus and adopted as its aim the furtherance of child care knowledge. "At first various members reviewed child study books," Mrs. Howe said, "but in a few months the club had grown to 52 members, so speakers were invited and this practice has continued."

**Explains Origin** — The representatives explained the beginnings of the club, remarking that the State Board of Mothers' Congress and Parent-Teacher associations realized in 1918 that too much emphasis had been placed on the parent-teacher phase of the congress.

This resulted in the neglect of the mothers' circles and the state board decided to devote more attention to them. Mrs. Ernest Horn, Iowa City, was appointed state chairman and, together with eight other local women, she formed the Iowa City Child Study club.

The nine charter members are the late Mrs. Carl Seashore, Mrs. Rudolph Kuever, Mrs. Frank Stronsten, Mrs. Frank Horack, Mrs. Francis Strain, Mrs. Walter Schafer, Mrs. LeRoy Close, Mrs. Howard Jones and Mrs. Horn.

**Program** — The club's program for the rest of the year will feature the following speakers: Prof. Robert S. Michaelson, "Your Child and Religion" in December; Prof. Arthur L. Benton, "Observations on Behavior Problems in Children" for the January meeting; Prof. Vincent Nowlis, "Successful and Unsuccessful Child Rearing Practices", February; Prof. E.J. Shoben Jr., "Parents' Tensions and Children's Tensions" for the March evening meeting to which both fathers and mothers are invited, and Mrs. Frederick Hesser, "Nutritional Needs of Small

Children", for the April meeting. "The only requirement for the Child Study club program is that each speaker must relate his remarks to children," Mrs. Shoben emphasized. "Subjects such as physical growth and mental or emotional development are covered each year. Other more specialized topics such as speech problems, education for children, books and recreation, probably are covered within a two-year period," she added.

Other club officers are Mrs. Donald Metzler, treasurer, and Mrs. Robert M. Featherstone, secretary.



**DETERMINING HOW FAR THEIR BROADCAST CARRIED** Thursday morning are these women of the local Child Study club who were taken on a guided tour of the WSUI studios by Flo Robinson, WSUI women's director, after their "Club Camera" discussion. The women are (left to right) Mrs. M. L. Huit, president; Mrs. J. W. Howe, president in 1938 and 1944, and Mrs. E. J. Shoben Jr., vice-president. The map shows the territory covered by WSUI broadcasts.

## Senior Nurses Plan Semi-Formal Dance For Saturday Night

Students in the SUI college of nursing will hold their annual winter semi-formal dance, "Caps Caprice," Saturday night in the Iowa Union lounge, college of nursing officials said Thursday.

Bill Meardon's orchestra will play for the dance which begins at 9 p.m.

An intermission reception will honor Dean Myrtle Kitchell, faculty members, chaperones and guests.

Dr. Russell Meyers will play the piano during intermission. Pre-Caprice, a party for all senior nurses and their dates will be held in the Union lounge from 8 to 9 p.m. immediately preceding "Caps Caprice."

Chaperones for "Caps Caprice" will be Dr. and Mrs. C. I. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Leonard and Dr. and Mrs. F. E. Coburn.

General chairman for "Caps Caprice" will be Kathleen Proudfit, N4, Runnells. Committee members include Frances Sioen, N4, Decorah; Clarice Haesemeyer, N4, Ainsworth; Delores Boes, N3, Oden; Shirley Brammann, N3, Davenport; Joanne Mundt, N3, Waterloo, and Joan Bangs, N1, Shenandoah.

Guests of honor at Pre-Caprice will be Jean Baer, college of nursing counselor; Mrs. Frank Nye, Westlawn housemother, and Pauline Campbell, senior nurses' advisor.

## STUDENT APPOINTED

Kathleen McTigue, A2, Des Moines, has been appointed Revision representative at SUI, Robert Engan of the campus merchandising bureau, New York City, has announced.

## YWCA-YMCA Plan Christmas Program

A YWCA-YMCA candle-light Christmas program will be held Tuesday at 4:30 p.m. in the Iowa Union River room, Chairman June Marken, A2, Des Moines, said Thursday.

Music by the YWCA choral group will be presented under the direction of Virginia-Burt, A4, Ottumwa. The program will include Christmas readings, the scriptural Christmas story and carol singing. Committee members are Louise Bekman, A2, Ottumwa; Ernest Miller, E4, Chariton, and Charles Krouse, A4, Toddville. The service will be preceded by a coffee hour for YMCA and YWCA members at 3:30 p.m. in the YWCA conference rooms.



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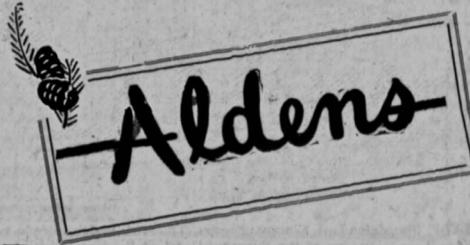
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# Cane-less Law Students Get 'Tried'

By BARBARA BLOXOM

"Hand me down my walking cane" is more than just a song — it's the law.

Thirty-five SUI law college seniors, graduating in February, have drummed up an elaborate court system designed to "encourage" class members to uphold the tradition of cane-carrying among law seniors.

**Twice a Week**

Twice a week, sessions are held in the "Supreme Court" of the senior class of 1950 where seniors accused of appearing "sans" cane are tried, and, if necessary, prosecuted.

Complaints against offenders are dropped into a box marked "complaints filed herein," and names of the accused appear later on the list of persons to be tried.

Court officials are selected from the senior class by the pick-from-the-hat system, new ones being chosen for every court session. The court has three judges, three jur-

ors, a prosecuting attorney and a court reporter.

Facts recorded by the reporter will be used in deciding future cases on precedence set in the earlier ones.

If the accused is found guilty he may be fined up to 25 cents for his first offense, up to 50 for the second, and 50 for the third or any subsequent offenses.

In true legal fashion, any man neglecting to pay his fine is cited for contempt of court, and such an offender is reminded of his status through a unique arrangement with the faculty.

Most of the professors have agreed to call on the offender to recite in class every day until the fine is paid.

The decision to put teeth into the cane-carrying tradition, which has formerly been merely a matter of personal inclination, was reached at a meeting of the 35 seniors last week.

Charles Schorr, L3, Davenport, brought in the idea adopted by

the group, who ruled that anyone seen cane-less after noon on Friday, Dec. 2, would be subject to "indictment" by any one of his classmates.

The first "kangaroo" court was held Tuesday, when eight defendants were tried. One man was acquitted when it was learned that his cane had been pilfered by the complaining witness.

Principle issue involved in each case, after evidence is established, is deciding whether the defendant has a "reasonable" excuse for violation of the law.

**Judge, Too**

Sometimes the judge himself must be tried, in which case he must leave the bench, and let one of his associates take over while his case is heard.

Trials are held every Tuesday and Thursday at 4:30 p.m. in the court room of the law building, and will continue until about two weeks before final exams.

Mrs. Lucille Lorenz, secretary to Dean Mason Ladd, said she be-

lieved the cane idea came right along with the general spread of legal tradition from England, like the famous white wigs of the English barristers.

One senior said he thought the canes characterized "distinction and dignity."

Another commented that some of the fellows laugh at the efforts of the class to give the tradition a lasting significance in the college.

"But," he added, "they carry their canes."

## Professor to Speak On City Management

Prof. Russell Ross, SUI political science department, will speak on the Council - Manager plan at a League of Women Voters meeting Monday.

The meeting will be held at 12 noon at Reich's cafe, 21 S. Dubuque street.

Ross will report on the National Conference on Government held last week at St. Paul, Minn.

Prof. Elizabeth Halsey, SUI women's physical education department, Roy Ewers, 1530 Muscatine avenue, and Clair Hamilton, 1 E. Washington street, will discuss "Council - Manager, Questions and Answers."

## SUI Student to Give Piano Recital Today

Pianist Dorothy Krebill, A3, Donnellson, will present a recital of four selections today at 7:30 p.m. in the north music hall.

Her first selections will be Liszt's "Fantasia Quasi Sonata," "Après une Lecture du Dante" from the second book, "Annees de Pelerinage."

She will then play Bartok's "Improvisations," Opus 20 and Beethoven's "Sonata in A," Opus 2, No. 2.

She will conclude with Schubert's "Fantasia in C Major," Opus 15.

## Local PTA Asks For Traffic Control At 2 Intersections

Recent reports from the local Parent-Teachers association, asking for more traffic control on Muscatine avenue, have been sent to Mayor Preston Koser and the Iowa City council.

Originating with the Long-fellow school PTA, the reports list 30 families which have youngsters who usually cross Muscatine avenue at Seventh or Garden streets, on their way to and from school.

Mrs. Alice Hedges, president of the Iowa City PTA council, stated in a letter to city officials that the lives of many people, frequently children, are endangered at the two intersections on Muscatine avenue.

The reports said a formal petition asking for "some kind of traffic control" was presented to the council for consideration last fall.

In listing reasons why the intersection of Garden and Muscatine streets is one of the most difficult in town to cross, the reports mention difficulty in seeing traffic because of the elevation, and the speed of traffic near the city limits.

All realize that such controls are expensive, the reports continue, but the cost of sufficient controls to promote safety is small if compared to a child's life.

## Biochemist to Speak To Zoology Seminar

Prof. Theodore Winnick, biochemist for the SUI radiation research laboratory, will speak before a zoology seminar today on work he is doing with radioactive chemicals and cell functions.

The seminar is scheduled for 4:30 p.m. in room 201 of the zoology building. Winnick will discuss "Use of Radioactive Amino Acids in the Study of Protein Synthesis in Liver Cells and Subcellular Particles."

He has used the active acids and a Geiger counter to trace protein changes in different types of cells and cell particles.



(Daily Iowan File)

"BUT YOUR HONOR!" "OVERRULED!" The defendant Vincent Powers, L3, Fort Dodge, pleads with "Chief Justice" John Holley, L3, Carroll, in a session of the Supreme Court of the law college senior class of 1950. Powers was found guilty of not carrying his cane; his attempts to show that his cane was stolen were to no avail. Court members are (left to right) Bob Anderson, Centerville, court reporter; Norman Eka, Buffalo, N.Y., prosecuting attorney; Moe's Metzman, Moline, Ill., associate justice; Holley; Le Roy Ekes, Carthage, Ill., associate justice; Les Kluever, Atlantic; Dick Huber, Charles City, and John Boyce, Webster City, jury members.

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## Prof. Ray Upholds Political Party System

Government in this country is based upon the political party system and it is each citizen's civic duty to work for government constantly through the political party of his choice, Prof. Robert F. Ray said Thursday.

Ray, SUI's institute of public affairs director, spoke to the final Information First audience for this semester at 4:30 p.m. Thursday in the senate chamber of Old Capitol.

The Information First program will be resumed Feb. 2. The speaker for that meeting will be announced later.

"Politics have got to stop shunning brains and brains have got to stop shunning politics," Ray said.

He pointed out that the college students of today would be the community leaders of tomorrow and said they should extend this leadership into civic as well as private life.

"If you are to do this successfully, you should become acquainted with the organization and you are at the same time relinquishing your hereditary right to your choice now," Ray said.

All too often Americans forget this civic duty to their own right to vote and work for better government through the party of their choice, Ray said.

This accounted for the amazing number of eligible voters who do not vote during every election period, he said.

He stressed apathy of this brush fire at 1:40 p.m. Thursday sort provides the chance for small minorities of party members to gain control of the various parties and through them the government.

If you do not care what sort of government you receive, Ray declared, you can continue to shun your civic duty but you should become acquainted with the organization and you are at the same time relinquishing your hereditary right to your choice now," Ray said.

Unless people exercise their right to vote and work for better government through the party of their choice they will constantly receive inefficient government, Ray said.

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No damage was caused by a fire at River and Lexington streets, Lexington firemen said.

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<b>Swift's PEANUT BUTTER</b> 12 oz. jar <b>33c</b>	<b>"DIAL" Deodorant Bath &amp; Toilet SOAP</b> 2 bars <b>37c</b>
<b>EGG NOODLES</b> 1 lb. <b>29c</b>	
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<b>HILEX Laundry BLEACH</b> Gallon Jug <b>49c</b>	<b>Barbeque Sauce Bake with SPARE RIBS</b> lb. <b>41c</b>

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**Del Monte Sliced PINEAPPLE** ..... No. 2 can **31c**

**Polished Hardwood CLOTHES PINS** 30 in. pkg. **19c**

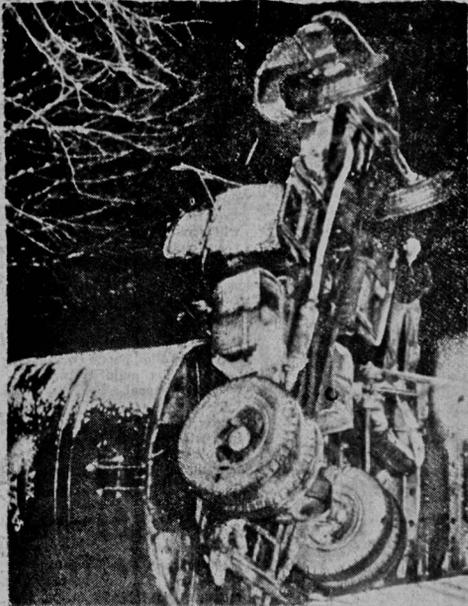
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<b>ROASTING CHICKENS</b> lb. <b>33c</b>	<b>Texas Seedless GRAPEFRUIT</b> 8 for <b>35c</b>		
<b>BEEF ROAST</b> lb. <b>43c</b>	<b>Red Emperor GRAPES</b> 2 lbs. <b>25c</b>		
<b>Cudahy's Sugar Cured BACON</b> Sliced lb. <b>43c</b>	<b>California Navel ORANGES</b> doz. <b>39c</b>		
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<b>Young Beef Liver</b> lb. <b>45c</b>	<b>Crisp RADISHES</b> 3 bchs. <b>14c</b>		
<b>Fresh Veal Hearts</b> lb. <b>25c</b>			
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<b>Veal Chops</b> lb. <b>59c</b>			
<b>GROUND BEEF</b> lb. <b>41c</b>			
<b>Cudahy's Puritan Small LINK Sausage</b> lb. <b>43c</b>			
<b>Wilson's or Rath's SMOKED Whole or Half HAMS</b> ..... lb. <b>49c</b>			
<b>VEAL ROAST</b> lb. <b>49c</b>			
<b>SIRLOIN STEAK</b> ..... lb. <b>69c</b>			
<b>BEEF STEW</b> lb. <b>55c</b>			

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### Driver Escapes Freak Accident



THIS IS WHAT HAPPENED when a Chicago-to-Toledo truck skidded on icy pavement before dawn in Elkhart, Ind., Thursday. Clarence Graf, 23, of Toledo (standing on overturned vehicle), climbed from cab and discovered he had emerged almost uninjured.

### Ex-SUI Professor Appointed Executor Of \$1-Million Fund

Homer L. Dodge, president of Norwich university in Northfield, Vt., and former SUI student and professor, has been named as administrator of a million-dollar gift to the 103-year-old military college.

Dr. Godfrey Lowell Cabot of Boston, noted industrialist and aeronautical scientist, donated the money and specified that it be used for the support of a training program in aviation and the construction of a science building.

Dodge will resign his presidency Feb. 1 to devote full time to affairs related to the gift.

Before becoming president of Norwich university in 1944, Dodge had been dean of the graduate college at the University of Oklahoma.

He taught in the physics department at SUI from 1910 to 1912 before going to Oklahoma. Dodge received an M.S. degree at SUI in 1912 and a Ph.D. here in 1914. He received his B.A. degree in 1910 at Colgate university and in 1932 he received an Sc.D. from the same institution.

### Going Home

#### Students Told to Get Tickets Early

With only one week remaining until Christmas vacation SUI students who plan to leave Iowa City by bus for the holidays are urged to begin buying their tickets early.

Depot Agent Phil Spelman expects many more students to use bus facilities now than did at Thanksgiving. The added rush should create no problem if students arrive for early ticket sales, he said.

"Response to the Thanksgiving plea for buying tickets early was good and we were able to handle the crowds quite easily," Spelman said.

"However, with the increased number of holiday travelers expected for Christmas vacation, we will need more buses. Advance ticket sales will indicate just how many additions will be necessary."

Unlike Thanksgiving, the Christmas vacation will produce two days of heavy travel here on Friday and Saturday of next week. Spelman assured students plenty of good seats will be available if the ticket demand is known ahead of time.

### Begin Wire-Laying For New Lighting

With the installation of conduit almost completed, workmen Thursday began the task of feeding underground electric wiring for Iowa City's new downtown streetlighting system.

Assistant City Engineer Frank Kolar said electric company workers laid about four blocks of the rubber-coated wires that will connect the new mercury-vapor streetlights in the business district.

The tubular asbestos-cement conduit, through which the wiring is being laid, affords protection from all types of weather, workmen said.

### Geologist Claims Iowa Water Supply Plentiful

Most Iowans don't have to worry about a water shortage, State Geologist H. Garland Hershey said here Thursday.

"Every year some wells go dry . . ." he added, "But there has been nothing to prove that the state's available water supply is decreasing through the years."

New York City's much publicized water shortage has caused the rest of the nation to examine its water supply.

New York City's water is drawn from reservoirs fed by streams dependent upon rainfall. The prolonged drought in the East has lowered the water level in these reservoirs to a critical point.

Iowa's water supply, too, is dependent upon rainfall, but in a more roundabout way, Hershey said. Wells, both deep and shallow, are the principal source of water here.

The condition of shallow wells varies throughout the state. Deep wells fluctuate much less than shallow wells, and seldom actually go dry.

Prof. Andrew Boehmer of the college of engineering, said industrial users of water are concentrating on conservation measures. Recently returned from a meeting of the American Society of Refrigeration Engineers in Chicago, Boehmer said a portion of the meeting was devoted to discussing cutting water consumption.

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### Iowa City Property Tax Rate Drops for 1950, Figures Show

Millage rates on Iowa City's property, figured on taxes payable beginning Jan. 1, has dropped nearly seven and one-half mills below this year's assessment figures.

This news came Thursday as the Johnson county auditor's office completed the job of figuring tax rates for more than 70 taxing districts in the county.

The millage rate for Iowa City in 1950 will be 56.262, a drop from this year's figure of 63.657 mills. So for each \$1,000 of assessed valuation next year, property owners will pay \$56.26.

However, because of a recent 15 percent increase by the state tax commission, this does not mean that property owners will feel the full savings of the decreased millage rate.

The tax commission's increases and the addition of new property in Iowa City has brought the total valuation on all property to \$17,041,009. Last year's figure was \$14,827,804.

The county auditor's office is now ready to begin the task of figuring individual taxes, William Kanak, assistant county auditor, said.

This means an application of the millage rates to the individual properties.

"We hope to be mostly done by Jan. 1," Kanak said, "but we cannot certify the final tax rolls until homestead credit rates are furnished by the state tax commission."

### Commerce Group's '49 Chapter Queen Inherits Tradition

When the "Rose of Delta Sigma Pi" is presented Saturday evening, she will have a big tradition to uphold.

Each year when the SUI commerce fraternity chooses its queen her picture is entered with finalists from 72 other chapters to choose an international "Rose." And ever since the contest began in 1947, the SUI queen has been the first choice of Hollywood judges.

Twenty-four SUI girls are now entered in the local contest from which Delta Sigs will pick the "Rose" and two attendants. They will be presented at intermission of the annual Christmas formal dance which will be Saturday in the Rose room of Hotel Jefferson.

Marilyn Carstens, Green Point, Mich., and Donna Lee Iverson, Stanhope, were chosen as the local and international queens of Sigma Delta Pi in 1947 and 1948, respectively, Head Master Dan Hoffa, C4, Grundy Center, said Wednesday.

### Sioux City Men Admit South Dakota Burglary

SIoux CITY (AP) — Three men Thursday signed statements here admitting they burglarized a tavern and drug store in Jefferson, S.D., early Wednesday.

Detective Lt. William A. Denison said the men admitted they smashed the rear door of a tavern and after taking several bottles of whisky, smashed a door glass to get into a drug store where they took eight watches and some change. Total value of the loot taken was estimated at \$300.

### Master Sergeant Joins Military Department Staff

Master Sgt. George Chalfont has joined the military department staff to serve as instructor in engineering, ROTC officials said Thursday.

He was last stationed in Ft. Sheridan, Ill. Chalfont served in the Asiatic-Pacific theater of operations during the war and recently returned from a European tour of duty.

### ENDS TONITE • LATE SHOW

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### My Dear Secretary

### ROOM AND BOARD

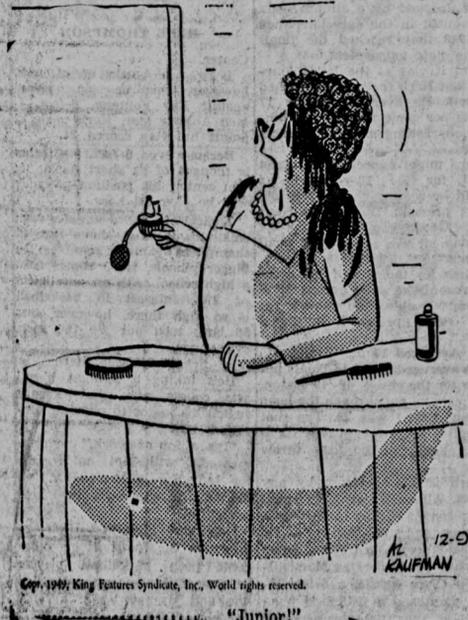
By GENE AHERN

LIKE I SAID, I MET ALFY'S CASHIER WIFE AT DA DRIVE-IN RESTAURANT BEFORE HE MARRIED HER. AN' MAYBE IF I GO TALK WITH HER, I COULD CHANGE HER MIND ABOUT NOT WANTIN' ALFY TUB BE A BOXER. I'D PLAY UP WHAT A FLASHY FIGHTER HE IS, AN' HOW HIS FISTS COULD EARN MORE IN DA RING THAN WRAPPIN' 'EM AROUND DA STEERIN' WHEEL OF A TRUCK!

GREAT!—AND TELL HER HOW ALFY COULD MAKE ENOUGH MONEY TO START HIS OWN CHAIN OF DRIVE-IN RESTAURANTS!

GAREFUL! SHE'S ONLY 5 FT. 2!

### LAFF - A - DAY



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### VARSAITY TODAY!

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### POPEYE

WHAT IS THE STRANGER DOING WITH MY BABY PICTURE? HE HAD TWO OF WHIPPY!!

LOOK!! HERE'S ANOTHER OF ME!!

HE MUSTA KNOWN YA A LONG, LONG, LONG TIME AGO!! OH, NOT THAT LONG!!

I'LL TURN ONE MORE PAGE!!

YAD BETTER NOT HE MIGHT COME BACK ANY MINIT!!

WELL, BLOW ME DOWN!! POPEYE!! IT'S YOU!!

### BLONDIE

DAGWOOD! COME BACK AND PUT YOUR RUBBERS ON

THE RUBBIES WERE PLAYING WITH THEM

I'VE LOOKED EVERY PLACE

I COULD FIND JUST ONE OF THEM... WEAR IT AND HOP

THERE'S NO PLACE LIKE HOME—ABSOLUTELY NO PLACE

### HENRY

HENRIETTA'S HOME-MADE DONUTS 2¢ EACH

FOUR!

### ETTA KETT

IT'S DEFINITELY SWEET OF YOU TO LET ME SHARE YOUR ROOM. I HAVE TO GET PLENTY OF BEAUTY SLEEP BEFORE THE DANCE. SEE MY HAIR LOOKS LITERALLY RATTY.

SET THE PLACE WILL BE SIMPLY CRAWLING WITH CLUTE MEN. "A DRIPPY QUEEN" ILL MAKE. I LOOK LIKE DEATH WARMED OVER.

QUEEN!!

YOU MEAN YOU'RE WILMA WILDING?

THAT'S ME! QUEEN OF THE CAMPUS! VOTED THE PRETTIEST DATE?—BUT DON'T LOOK NOW!

RIGHT NOW I FEEL LIKE I OUGHT TO PACK MY BAGS UNDER MY EYES AND GO HOME!

LET'S SIT IN BED AND GAB!

### CHIC YOUNG

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### ROOM AND BOARD

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# Williams Names 12 Hawkeyes To Make Lawrence Tech Trip

## Iowa Seeking 3rd Non-Loop Victory

Twelve Iowa basketball players, including two who have not seen action in the Hawks' two wins this season, will leave for Detroit, Mich. this morning on the first road trip of the 1949-50 campaign.

The Hawkeyes will be after win No. 3 Saturday night in the Michigan state fair coliseum when they meet Lawrence Tech in the first basketball game ever played between the two schools.

Acting Coach Rollie Williams announced the traveling squad Thursday, which includes four forwards, three centers and five guards. The men who haven't played to date are Center Glenn Dille and Guard Duane Brandt.

Missing from the Iowa contingent that will leave by train will be Head Coach Pops Harrison. Harrison underwent a major operation Nov. 9 and although now able to be with the team during practice sessions will not accompany the squad on early road trips.

Thursday Williams said "the players have been looking good in drills since the victory over Michigan State. I am pleased with the way they are moving the ball and their work on rebounds."

"Our shooting has been above average but of course no one knows how they will react to the strange court," he added.

Iowa has defeated Colorado college and Michigan State in home games, averaging 74.5 points to the opponents' 53.5. The Hawks have hit the basket for a percentage of 32.9.

Lawrence Tech has defeated two service teams and Ashland college but has lost to Niagara and Carnegie Tech. Iowa will meet Carnegie Tech in the fieldhouse, Dec. 23. The Detroit school won 16 while losing 10 last year.

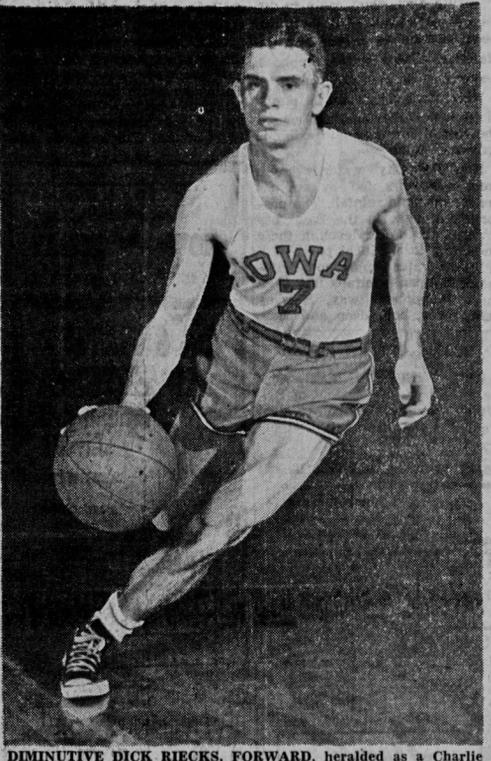
The Iowa players making the trip are Forwards Bob Vollers, Everett Cochrane, Dick Riecks and Jack Dittmer; Centers Frank Calbeck, Chuck Darling and Dille and Guards Bob Schulz, Bob Clifton, Fred Ruck, Herald Greene and Brandt.

Following the Lawrence Tech game the team will return to Iowa City, then travel to Cleveland, Ohio, later in the week for a game against Western Reserve.

Riecks, a little junior forward, apparently is a much improved player. He has hit 46 percent of his shots in two games and his speedy dribbling and passing has been excellent. Riecks has averaged 7.5 points per game although not playing as a regular.

### NATIONAL HOCKEY LEAGUE

Western 2, Montreal 7 (tie)  
Toronto 4, Chicago 1



**DIMINUTIVE DICK RIECKS, FORWARD,** heralded as a Charlie Mason-Murray Wier type of player will endeavor to help keep the Hawkeye winning ways intact Saturday against Lawrence Tech in Detroit. The 5-foot, 10-inch whiz from Danbury has carried his prep cage feats into college circles through his floor play and sharp shooting eye.

# Big Ten Proposes Plan To Expand Track Slate

CHICAGO (UP) — Big Ten athletic directors Thursday approved a plan to call for expanded dual meet track competition on a nine year round robin basis.

The program was recommended by track coaches to provide more competition for larger squads. It called for each school to meet every other conference school except one each year in both indoor and outdoor meets. There would be four indoor and four outdoor dual matches for each team.

The track schedules for 1951 and 1952, under the new program and including the new 10th member of the conference, Michigan State, also were approved. Michigan State was admitted to the league last May and will begin competition in all sports except football next year.

The directors awarded both the 1950 and 1951 outdoor track meets to Northwestern with the 1950 competition set for May 26-27. The Pacific Coast — Big Ten dual meet was awarded to Wisconsin June 20, to follow the National Collegiate Athletic association meet scheduled for Minneapolis June 16-17. It will be the 10th annual inter-conference dual meet.

Action on an invitation from the Finnish Federation of Athletics to send a 16-man team of trackmen to Finland next summer was deferred. The trip would be sponsored by the University of Helsinki student corporation, which would pay all expenses for the Big Ten team from New York for four weeks of competition, roughly between July 1 and Aug. 1.

Directors referred the proposal to the track coaches for a recommendation. The directors took no action toward clarification or expansion of the conference policy on television video Thursday.

Faculty representatives will begin their sessions today also.

**NBA BASKETBALL**  
Indianapolis 72, Anderson 69  
Fl. Wayne 87, Minneapolis 66  
Boston 91, Philadelphia 77 (overtime)  
New York 82, Baltimore 69  
Syracuse 86, Sheboygan 72

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# Victory Thou Shalt Have Not: Schedule

NORWAY, IOWA (AP) — Coach Jack Davis' high school basketball players were plenty weary after playing two games in one evening 22 miles apart.

An error in scheduling was not discovered in time to effect a switch so after playing Marengo on their home court, the boys had to go to Keystone for a Benton County League game.

The first game went into an overtime with Norway finally losing to Marengo, 33-30.

Because of the overtime late, the Norway regulars were late getting to Keystone 22 miles northwest of here. By the time the regulars arrived, the Norway reserves had played the first quarter and were trailing 17-1. The regulars never were able to make up the difference and lost that game, 49-41.

To make Tuesday night's activities a complete flop for Norway, the girls team lost to the Marengo girls, 59-48, after the boys left.

# Bowl Ticket Sales Peeve AAU Prexy

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Mayor James A. Rhodes of Columbus, Ohio, Thursday protested the division of Rose Bowl tickets for the Jan. 2 football classic at Pasadena between the University of California and Ohio State.

Rhodes, here to preside over the annual convention of the AAU, of which he is president, said that Ohio State students and alumni got only 10,700 tickets out of the 99,000 seats in the Rose Bowl.

"We have 25,000 students and 62,000 alumni," said Rhodes, "and there is no joy in Columbus tonight."

"Of the tickets we got, I understand, one-third are in the end zone; and the other two-thirds are behind the goal posts."

"I have no argument with the University of California over the ticket distribution, but I believe there should be a change in the contract between the Pacific Coast conference and the Big Ten before another year rolls around."

# Blake to Officiate Rose Bowl Game

PASADENA, CALIF. (AP) — The referee for the Ohio State-California game in the Rose Bowl will be Big Ten Official William A. Blake of East Chicago, Ind., formerly of Lorain college, at Dubuque, Iowa.

Commissioners Victor O. Schmidt of the Coast Conference and Kenneth L. Wilson of the Big Ten disclosed the slate of officials in a joint announcement Thursday.

# Schedule Indoor Track Trials

Hawkeye track coach Francis Cretzmeyer has scheduled the first time trials for Iowa's 30 indoor track candidates sometime next week.

"Although it's too early to tell us a whole lot, we'll discover what kind of shape we're in," Cretzmeyer said. "At any rate, it won't be a basis for any squad cuts."

Cretzmeyer said the present squad of 30, including 12 lettermen, would be kept intact throughout the season with the possible addition of three men.

Three of the returning lettermen acquired their monograms in years previous to '48 while the remaining nine received the awards just last season.

Letter-winners from last year's squad now practicing are: Keith Brown, Cedar Rapids; Bill Bye, Odebolt; John Collins, Chicago, Ill.; Dick Erdenberger, Mason City; Clair Jennett, Sac City; Elliott McDonald, Davenport; Russ Merkel, Quincy, Ill.; Tom Sangster, Nathrop, Colo.; and Jack Simpson, Sac City.

Other candidates include: Jack Davis, Iowa City; DuWayne Dietz, Sterling, Ill.; John Fetter, Chelsea; Bob Feiden, Cedar Rapids; De Reef Greene, Washington, D. C.; Craig Harper, Iowa City; Jud Herriott, Hampton; Eldwin Hay, Iowa City; Duane McCarthy, LaGrange, Ill.; John Merkel, Quincy, Ill.; Edward Moore, New York, N. Y.; Bob Rogers, Chicago, Ill.; Mel Rosen, New York, N.Y.; Jerry Schiffman, Mason City; Bill Snook, Freport, Ill.; Don Steffens, Dubuque; Bob Turner, Chicago, Ill.; Jim Trissell, Davenport.

Iowa opens its indoor track season against Marquette here Feb. 10.

# Iowa Cross-Country, 40 Football Athletes Receive 'I' Awards

Iowa football and cross-country athletes have been granted a total of 122 awards for work during the 1949 season, including 46 major letters, Director Paul Brechler has announced.

The major "I" went to 40 football players, a record number and to six cross-country runners.

**Football winners are:**  
Earl Banks, Chicago, Ill.; Robert Bostwick, Washington; Harold Bradley, Chicago, Ill.; Duane Brandt, Waverly; Joe Brito, Corydon; Andrew Bunz, Des Moines; Arnold Caplan, Des Moines; Donald Commuck, Waterloo; Charles Denning, Boone; David DeProspero, Wheeling, West Va.; Jack Dittmer, Elkader; Glenn Drahn, Monona; Ronald Fairchild, Marengo; Jerald Faske, Brooklyn, N.Y.; Robert George, Altona; Louis Ginsberg, Cedar Rapids; William Greene, Iowa City; Robert Hoff, Cedar Rapids; Hubert Johnson, Wheeling, West Va.; Quentin Kalsershot, Milwaukee, Wis.; Robert Lage, Long Grove; Richard Laster, Des Moines; Jerry Long, Ottumwa; Robert Longley, Davenport; Robert McKenzie, Tarkenton, Okla.; Mearl Naber, Tipton; Gerald Nordman, St. Louis, Mo.; Joseph Paulsen, Long Grove; Delbert Perin, Cherokee; Ronald Petersen, Clear Lake; William Reichard, Iowa City; Donald Riley, Chicago, Ill.; Fred Ruck, Kansas City, Mo.; John Townes, Des Moines; Austin Turner, Corning; Robert Wilson, Iowa City; Donald Winslow, Iowa City; Ralph Woodard, Fort Dodge; Donald A. Woodhouse, Hazlet; Donald E. Woodhouse, Mason City.

**Manager Swearer—Sebastiano Colanino, Omaha, Nebraska.**  
**FRESHMAN NUMERAL (6):**  
Jerome Anderson, Iowa City; William Baehr, Des Moines; Robert Bain, Davenport; Frank Barile, Newton; Bernard Bennett, Mason City; William Block, Rockwell City; Donald Bjork, Albert City; Charles Bristol, Corydon; Burt Britzman, Hawarden; Rudy Buhler, St. Louis, Mo.; James Broadston, Cedar Rapids; Donald Chelf, West Liberty; James Citek, Iowa City; Jerry Clark, Glidden; Delbert Corbin, Council Bluffs; David Crumley, Iowa City; Richard Donohue, New Hampton; Walter Donohue, Monroe; James Doornik, Orange City; Dan Exline, Center-Village; John Ferguson, Cedar Rapids; Clyde Gardner, Newton; Ernest Gilson, Guthrie Center; Tedd Goetz, Knoxville; Earl Hamers, Carroll; Francis Harty, Iowa City; James Hayes, Britt; John Hess, Des Moines; John Hiavack, Cedar Rapids; Ray Holder, Mason City; John Joth, Thornton James; Howard Burlington; Roy Hutchinson, Ft. Dodge; Dan Jacobs, Marengo; Conrad Jones, Des Moines; Robert Kreefel, Land, Ohio; Paul Kemp, Waterloo; Paul Klink, Gladbrook; Karl Knowles, Spencer; William Knuckles, Centerville; Owen Koprivica, St. Louis, Mo.; Jack Lasley, Red Oak; Jack Leinbaugh, Holstein; Lyle Leinbaugh, Holstein; Roger Luedke, Hartley; Jack McKinney, Davenport; John Malone, Dallas Center; Ronald Miller, Eldon, Ill.; George Myers, Rochelle, Ill.; Dudley Noble, Fort Madison; Harold Reister, Sioux City; Donald Shum, Shenandoah; Harry Harvey, Arlington, Va.; William Skafie, Dubuque; Peter Spanglers, Milbank, S. Dak.; John Stuebel, St. Louis, Mo.; Thornton Strawn; Seymour Donald Swartzendruber, Wellman; L. E. Thayer, Storm Lake; Carl Taylor, Hamlet, N.C.; Harold Taylor, Virgil; Van Ashen, Williamsburg; Peter Van Oosterhout, Orange City; Charles Wheeler, Des Moines; Russell Zimmerman, Afton, Mo.

**CROSS-COUNTRY**  
Major "I": Bill Bye, Odebolt; Kenneth Carman, Des Moines; John Collins, Chicago, Ill.; Jack Davis, Iowa City; Earl Dugan, Davenport; William Snook, Freepport, Ill.

Minor "I": (3)  
Jack Copeland, Des Moines; Herald Fishbaugh, Shenandoah; Jack Griswold, Clarinda.

**FRESHMAN NUMERAL (8)**  
Wayne Emmons, Iowa City; William Gibbons, Eldon, Ill.; Stanley James, Iowa City; Gene March, Fort Dodge; Wayne Moldenhauer, Charles City; Thomas Ryan, Dubuque; Gerald Stone, Sioux City; Willard Zuck, Fort Dodge.

**BLUE HAWKS TRAVEL**  
University high opens its Eastern Iowa Hawkeye conference play tonight when the Blue Hawks travel to Mount Vernon. The varsity tipoff is set for 8:15 p.m., with a preliminary game scheduled for 7.

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The Vote is Against Repeal

CHECKING THE VOTE TOTAL on the much-discussed bonus rule at Baltimore, Thursday, were Frank J. Shaughnessy (right), president of the International League and Phil P. Pilon, an assistant to the president of the National Association of Minor Leagues. George M. Trautman, the vote was against repeal. The association is holding its annual meeting in Baltimore this week.

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# Oma Hears of Valentino KO, Quits Exhibition Date with Louis

By MURRAY ROSE  
NEW YORK (AP) — Joe Louis is fighting "real fights and throwing bombs," said Manager Tex Sullivan Thursday and promptly pulled his heavyweight contender, Lee Oma, out of a scheduled exhibition with the retired champion.

"Exhibitions, nuts!" shrieked Sullivan. They're not exhibitions, they're real wars. Look what happened to Pat Valentino in Chicago Wednesday night. Louis busted him up and knocked him out in eight rounds.

"Valentino said Louis is a much better fighter than Ezzard Charles (the NBA champion). He hits harder. People are wondering whether Louis will make a comeback. Take it from me he's already come back."

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**32-26 to Repeal**  
The owners showed their sentiment against the rule by voting 32 to 26 by leagues to repeal it, but the controversial measure stays on the books because a three-fourths majority was necessary to repeal.

The major leagues, predominantly opposed to the bonus rule, instructed their farm club owners to vote and work for repeal. Defeat meant the majors now are powerless to change the rule at their meetings in New York next week.

Any legislation which jointly affects both major and minor leagues must first be passed by the minors. Failing in that, the measure is tabled for another year.

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# College Basketball

Bradley 56, Iowa State 48  
Kansas State 36, Long Island U. 31  
Illinois 47, Toledo 35  
U. of Houston 64, Loras (Dubuque) 44  
Oregon State 48, Wisconsin 36  
Utah 37, Colorado State 46  
(Skyline Tournament)  
Notre Dame 37, Creighton 50  
Sierra 49, Champlain 23  
CCNY 67, Southern Methodist 53  
Harvard 86, Boston University 69  
Denver 60, Utah State 35  
(Skyline Six tourney)  
Valparaiso 97, Guatemala 33  
Maine 40, Colby 34  
CCNY 67, Southern Methodist 53  
Evansville 76, Tennessee Tech 36  
Baylor 58, Texas Tech 37  
North Carolina State 74  
George Washington 52  
Pittsburgh (Kan.) 105, Tarkio 22  
(Kansas City tournament)  
Alabama 56, Mississippi 28

# Basketball Results

Delta Sigma Pi 29, Alpha Kappa Psi 26  
Phi Epsilon Kappa 43, Theta Xi 22  
Hilcrest B 26, Hilcrest J 11  
Schaeffer 16, Macbride 0 (forfeit)  
Leonard 16, Kelly's Angels 0 (forfeit)  
Hilcrest A 39, Hilcrest I 24  
Hilcrest D 39, Hilcrest H 15  
Dain 27, Spencer 19  
Hilcrest C 35, Hilcrest G 31  
South Quad 19, Law Commons B 14  
Kirkland 35, Thatcher 22  
Lower B 45, Lower D 35  
Maclean 21, Totten 19  
Loyola 27, Black 22

# Basketball Scores

Zeta Tau Alpha 9, Alpha Xi Delta 8  
Currier II 19, Kappa Alpha Theta 7  
Westlaw 16, Currier III 9  
Currier I 15, Chi Omega 1 0  
Alpha Chi Omega 17, Delta Delta Delta 14  
Gamma Phi Beta 36, Kappa Kappa Gamma 6  
Currier IV 36, Phi Beta Psi 13  
Russell House 15, Currier VI 10

# Frosh Cage Hopeful — Thompson Eyes Future After Prep Stardom

By JACK BENDER  
The lanky all-state cager who was regarded as one of the greatest performers ever to take part in a state meet now works out daily with the rest of the freshman basketball hopefuls here. His name is Herb Thompson.

A four year varsity regular at Forest City high school, Herb was selected on the IDPA all-state first team his last two seasons. He earned a spot on the honor roll while a sophomore.

**Had Winning Teams**  
During those four years the Forest City quintet embedded itself firmly on the basketball map of Iowa. In 1947 it advanced as far as the district tourney before being stopped. In 1948 the Indians were dropped by a strong Sioux City outfit in the sub-state, then in 1948 they reached the finals of the state tournament.

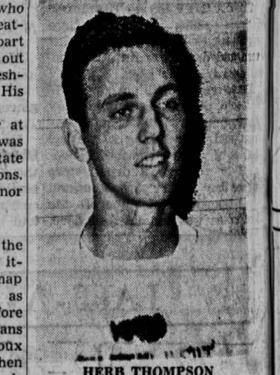
And it was at the latter tourney that Herb really distinguished himself. He averaged nearly 17 points per game against top competition, setting a new scoring record.

Fans might expect the biggest thrill for the 18-year-old star would be scoring so many points under pressure. But instead Herb says, "Getting down to the state tournament was the biggest thrill for me."

When he thought of his scoring record, he then agreed and added, "Breaking the tourney record ranks pretty high, too, I guess."

**Averaged 17 per Game**  
He averaged about 17 points per game for the entire '48-'49 season. The most he put through the hoop in one contest was 28. The shot he relies on most heavily is a jump shot from the free throw area.

Herb isn't all offense by any means. Although relatively small for a center — not quite 6-feet, 2-inches and 165 pounds — he has held down such top-notch offensive performers as Marshall-town's Clare Russie, a 6-foot, 5-inch giant, and a 1948 first team all-stater, Dan DeLuyter of Sioux



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Center.

It was a battle of offenses, however, when he was paired against Ray Fontana, 6-foot, 4-inch Ankeny star. Herb made 22 points but Ray scored 21.

Because even 6-foot, 5-inches is thought of as short for a Big Ten center, his position probably will be changed here.

Typical of several athletes from small towns that have proved themselves against cagers from the bigger schools, Herb comes from a high school with an enrollment of 275. Interest in basketball is so high there, however, that 50 boys turn out for the sport every year.

**School Different Here**  
He's taking a straight liberal arts course now, but he may switch his major to physical education.

"It's a lot of work," he commented, "with not much time for study. Sure a lot different than the way it was back in high school."

Hopes are high that Herb can follow in the footsteps of other great prep basketball players from small Iowa towns — Dick Ives and Murray Iwer — who became college all-Americans.

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## Student Church Groups

**BAPTIST STUDENTS**  
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**UNITED STUDENT FELLOWSHIP**  
 Friday, 3:30-5 p.m. Christmas Coffee hour. Special cookies, war-all and birthday cake in honor of students with December birthdays. Mrs. Pat Pearson will preside.

**EPISCOPAL STUDENTS**  
 Friday, 8 p.m. Christmas party. All students invited.  
 Saturday, 10:30 a.m. United Student fellowship with caroling and refreshments. S. Smith Libbey, Program: Father Robert J. Welch will speak on the "Catholic Interpretation of History." Following program students may go caroling to call on friends in the church.

## District Court Jury Impaneled in Suit For \$999 Damages

A jury of three women and nine men was impaneled in Johnson county district court Thursday morning for trial of a case against the Walline Implement company, Route 6.  
 George W. Parizek, Route 6, filed suit against the company June 29, 20, complaining of trouble with a corn planter purchased from the company's West Liberty store. Parizek asked \$999.90 damages.  
 In a counterclaim the company claimed the planter was in "workable and usable" condition, and asked \$5,000 judgement against Parizek for alleged injury to the company's business.  
 Jurors selected were Mary E. Scott, ward 2; Celeste A. Bopp, 3; Benjamin E. Harnes, 2; Sam York Jr., 3; George Cole Jr., 2; West Lucas township; Richard Rourke, Oxford; M.W. Davis, West Lucas. Wilber Phelps, Union; Maxine Myers, Madison; John Ipsen, Pleasant Valley; Leo Kinney, Oxford, and Ray Marner, Union.  
 The \$5,000 damage suit against the Cedar Rapids and Iowa City Railway company was submitted to the jury Thursday morning and no decision had been reached by late Thursday afternoon.

### Miscellaneous for Sale

Bargains in Unredeemed pledges; ladies and men's watches (National Brands), pen-pencil sets, musical instruments, radio-phonograph combinations, portable washers, luggage, ice skates, rings, glassware, student lamps (1/2 price), guns and rifles, real sleigh bells. Shotgun shells \$1.75 box while they last. Hock-Eye Loan, 126 1/2 S. Dubuque.

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### Names Staff, Cast for Kampus Kapers

Staff and cast members of Kampus Kapers, the all-university variety show, were announced Thursday by Director Jack Pederson, A4, Marshalltown.

The show will be staged Jan. 17 through 20 in the auditorium of Macbride hall.

Staff members are Gil Pearlman, production manager; Edward

Diekmann, business manager; Barbara Petrie, show secretary; Charles Nickell, promotion and publicity; Gordon Pollock, lighting direction; Fran Artley, costumes advisor and consultant; Charles Buzzard, stage manager; Millie Rubinson and Shirley Schrieber, dance directors.

Singers are James Doyle, Mary Lou Elliott, Gwynn Setterberg, Dick Williams, Jack Miller, Shirley Snodgrass, John Craven, Jack

### Pledge Ticket Plan Revealed by Group For Military Ball

Pledge tickets for the 48th SUI ROTC military ball Feb. 17 will go on sale today, James Tolson, E4, chairman of the military ball central committee, said Thursday.

The tickets, which will be priced at \$1, will be sold to military students only and can be redeemed for credit toward the purchase of military ball tickets which will go on sale shortly after the Christmas vacation, he explained.

Tolson said the pledge tickets will serve a dual purpose. First, the ball tickets can be purchased in installments. In this way, the student won't be hard hit financially at any one time.

Another advantage, he said, is that students pledging to buy ball tickets will not have to stand in line once the ball tickets are put on sale. Ball tickets will be reserved for pledge holders for about a week, he stressed.

Tolson said pledge tickets will be distributed to the drill companies today to be sold on a competitive inter-company basis.

The company which pledges and redeems the most tickets will be excused from one drill period sometime in January or February, he explained.

### County CROP Drive Approaches Half Mark

Johnson county's CROP fundraising drive has reached \$4,500, almost half of the \$10,000 goal, Drive Treasurer James Schmidt said Thursday.

Schmidt and General Chairman Omar Yoder asked all township captains who haven't turned in their collections to do so soon. They said the campaign has been going slowly in recent days.

Funds raised in the Christian Rural Overseas Program are distributed to needy persons abroad.

### SUI Student at NAM Conference



DICK DICE, CS, MARION, is shown at extreme left chatting with Wallace F. Bennett (fourth from left), president of the National Association of Manufacturers, and other college representatives prior to the start of the NAM 54th congress in New York Wednesday. The students are guests of the congress. Dice represented the state of Iowa.

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### With Drop to \$14.93 — Food Prices Hit 2-Year Low

The price of eggs and 10 other commodities fell sharply this week and carried The Daily Iowan's Market Basket Index skidding downward 53 cents, to a two-year low of \$14.93.

Eggs fell 18 cents a dozen at one Iowa City grocery store since last week. The average fall was 7 cents.

Another grocer predicted that prices would continue to drop off until a dozen eggs would sell at 35 cents. Only last October they were selling for as high as 63 cents a dozen. A heavy surplus was believed to have caused the sharp drop.

Oranges, potatoes and meat prices also contributed to the melting index which records food costs for an average student family of three. Oranges fell 4 cents a dozen; potatoes 3 cents for 10 pounds; ground beef fell 3 cents a pound and pork chops were down 5 cents.

Canned peaches and 10 pounds of flour were each down 2 cents. Lard, salmon, chocolate and canned pork and beans were down a penny apiece.

Meanwhile, four items were up in price. Coffee continued to climb, hitting an average of 75 cents a pound. Butter, canned peas, and Quaker oats were each up a cent.

Grocery stores reported the sales of Christmas trees was gaining momentum as temperatures dropped to December normals. Three- to four-foot trees were selling from \$1 to \$1.75 apiece and pretty, six-foot blue spruce trees were bringing from \$2.79 to \$3.39 at most stores.

The Iowan's survey this week showed the following median prices being charged for 24 basic commodities. It is compared with the prices for the same products one week ago.

Item	This week	Last week
1 lb. Iowa Brand butter	42.49	42.49
1 doz. grade "A" eggs	35.73	35.73
1 lb. Hills Bros. coffee	29.33	29.33
1 doz. med. sized oranges	39.42	39.42
10 lb. potatoes	20.19	20.19
No. 2 can Tenderloin med.	27.29	27.29
No. 2 can Van Camps pork and beans	32.32	32.32
No. 2 1/2 can Del Monte slic. peaches	69.70	69.70
1 can Campbell tomato soup	27.27	27.27
1 lb. Spry	51.51	51.51
1 lb. red sockeye salmon	95.97	95.97
Large size box, Ivory Flakes	17.16	17.16
5 lb. white cane sugar	39.40	39.40
10 lb. Gold Medal flour	47.50	47.50
Small box Quaker Oats	18.19	18.19
1/2 lb. pkg. Baker's unsw. chocolate	47.50	47.50
2 lb. Kraft Velveeta cheese	79.79	79.79
1 lb. Armour Lard	54.59	54.59
1 lb. Ground beef	59.59	59.59
1 lb. "choice" round steak		
1 lb. center cut pork chops		
1 lb. First grade bacon		

### Chorus to Present Final Performance

The Iowa City high school chorus, orchestra members and lead singers will present their second and final performance of "Pirates of Penzance" at 8 p.m. today in the high school auditorium.

The group presented the Gilbert and Sullivan operetta Thursday night. Invited as special guests were 15 former students who sang lead parts in the same production at City high 10 years ago.

Members of the 1939 cast were Ed Korab, now an SUI graduate; James Reed, G; Phyllis Pohler, WSUI office manager; Mrs. Milton Banks, Alexandria, Va.; Mrs. Russell Windorn, Kalona; and Mrs. Charles Beckman, Kalona.

Don Key, A4, and Mrs. Key; Pat Trachsel, assistant SUI music instructor; Charles Ingersoll, SUI graduate, 1944; Lester Taylor, Phyllis Blackman, Don Pierce, Bob Claywood and Roger Kessler.

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### Former SUI Graduate Transferred to Trieste

Wesley Haraldson, former SUI graduate student and now a member of the U.S. foreign service, has been transferred from the state department to Trieste, the state department announced Thursday.

Haraldson received his M.A. degree from SUI and later studied and taught at the University of Minnesota. He was commissioned into the foreign service in October of 1945.

Before his recent job with the state department he served in Berlin and has worked with the federal reserve board and the war department.

Haraldson is one of more than 11,000 members located at 300 different places throughout the world conducting U.S. diplomatic business abroad.

### YMCA to Conduct Holiday Excursion

A 19-day student excursion to California during Christmas vacation will be sponsored by YMCA, Member Meredith Saunders, A4, Mason City, said.

The trip will include Yosemite Valley, San Francisco, Los Angeles, Pasadena and the California coast highway.

Total expenses, including transportation, meal and hotel costs will be \$50. Transportation fees only will be \$50.

Students may also attend the Rose Bowl game at extra cost, Saunders said.

Foreign students and Y members will be given preference on the excursion, but other students may apply, Saunders added.

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