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Weather

Partly cloudy and continued cold today. Friday cloudy with slowly rising temperatures, followed by snow. High today 10, low tonight 8. Wednesday's high 7, low 1 below.

Thug Killed in Chicago Trap Linked to Iowa City Holdup

Iowa City police said Wednesday that a bandit killed by Chicago police Monday night was identified by Forrester F. Meyers, proprietor of the Reliable Loan company as one of the bandits who robbed him of \$175, Sept. 26.

The man, killed in a police trap in Chicago, was identified as Jerome E. Ziedman, 26, Chicago.

Meyers said he could not tell from the pictures of two men captured with Ziedman whether they were the same two who had assisted in the holdup of his loan company.

Ziedman's two companion identified themselves as Donald Foster, 26, Como Station, Minn., and Richard C. Lehman, 22, St. Paul, Minn.

Chief R. W. Nebergall, of the Iowa Bureau of investigation, said in Des Moines Wednesday that Ziedman "definitely was connected" with the Iowa City hold-up.

The loan company holdup was staged by three men, one of whom Meyers identified as Ziedman. It is not yet known if the two companions in Chicago are the same men that accompanied Ziedman here.

Iowa City police said the two men involved here were tentatively identified as Robert Latrella and a Mr. Morton. Their addresses were uncertain.

After the noon holdup of the loan company Sept. 26 the three bandits made their getaway in a stolen car, later abandoned near Solon. They had apparently transferred there to another vehicle.

The bandits escaped with a small arsenal, totaling about eight guns with ammunition, three watches, a camera and \$175 in cash.

Iowa City police and State Investigator Ray Connor Wednesday were checking with Chicago authorities to learn more details about the trio. Chicago police said Ziedman, Foster and Lehman had been named as confederates in a gang which obtained \$10,000 in a holdup at the Hotel Stevens there last Dec. 2.

Release of Elefson Sought by Counsel

SIDNEY, IA. (AP)—Lyman Elefson, 22, former SUI student, accused of the poison murder of his grandfather, will seek freedom from jail today at a hearing on a writ of habeas corpus.

Warren Schremp, Elefson's attorney, has requested the writ to free Elefson who is now awaiting grand jury action on the murder charge. The hearing will be in district court.

Elefson has been held in Fremont county jail after pleading innocent to the charge of poisoning Alonzo Rhode, 75, Tabor, his grandfather.

County Attorney Harold Martin said Elefson was "getting along fine" in jail. Martin said investigations of the deaths of Elefson's mother and grandmother and illness of another relative have not been completed.

Accused Physician Waits Arraignment

MANCHESTER, N.H. (AP)—Weary and haggard, Dr. Hermann Sander abandoned his medical practice and slipped away from his home Wednesday pending superior court arraignment on a charge of first degree murder in the "mercy death" of a woman cancer patient.

State officials, meanwhile, studied the question of whether the 41-year-old Manchester physician should be allowed to remain free on bail until his trial.

Sander was freed on \$25,000 bail shortly after his arrest last week but his right to freedom will come up for discussion again when his is arraigned today.



(AP Wirephoto)

Truman Blames Republicans for Tax Deficit

POINTING HIS FINGER at Republican members, President Truman addressed a joint session of congress Wednesday as he blamed the "ill-considered tax reduction" of the Republican-controlled 80th congress for the present deficit in the national budget.

Strike Threat Sounded By Telephone Workers

WASHINGTON (AP)—The CIO's communications workers union Wednesday threatened a nationwide telephone strike unless the Bell telephone system meets its new contract demands.

The union said that seven of its divisions representing about 100,000 workers can be called out at any time.

An additional 150,000 workers will be in a position to strike by the end of February, the union said.

The union, communications workers of America, said it is demanding a "substantial wage increase," shorter apprentice periods, and a 35-hour work week.

Wants 25 cents More CWA Vice-President A.T. Jones said the union was not making any specific wage demand. But he commented that "it would take about 25 cents an hour just to restore phone workers to their former (1939) position in relation to other industries."

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Nixon Plans Alibi To State's Charge Of Farm Tool Theft

Charles Ralph Nixon of Clinton told the Johnson county district court Wednesday he plans to use an alibi in his defense against the state's charge of larceny in the nighttime, Judge Harold D. Evans said Wednesday.

When certain legal questions concerning the alibi arose, the court dismissed the jury and continued the trial to next Monday morning.

"One of the defenses will be that he (Nixon) was not present at the time of the commission of the crime, and that he was someplace else," Evans said.

"When that is a defense, the state must have notice beforehand." Since the state was not previously informed, Evans said, the continuance was granted.

Two additional witnesses were called before the state finished its testimony about 10:30 a.m. Wednesday. One was Frank Dolezal, owner of the Joseph Novotny farm from which Nixon was accused of stealing a chain saw and farm tools.

Nixon pleaded not guilty Nov. 23 when he was arraigned on a county attorney's information, charging him with theft from the Novotny farm in Johnson county last May.

Council to Examine Revised City Code

Iowa City's municipal code, now being brought up to date, will be examined by the city council at 7 p.m. Friday in City hall.

Mayor Preston Koser, who announced the meeting Wednesday, said Friday's session will be held to proof-read the new code. Also invited to the meeting are representatives from SUI and the chamber of commerce, Koser said.

Upon recommendation by City Atty. William H. Bartley, the council last April authorized the revision. The city hired Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Borchart, local attorneys, to work on the code, which has not been revised since 1936.

Bartley said all existing ordinances have now been compiled into code form. He pointed out that some parts of the code need changing to conform to state laws. Some local laws also should be brought up to date, he said.

Before the revised code can become official, any changes must be approved by ordinance amendments of the council.

National Party Leads In Egyptian Election

CAIRO (AP)—The Wafdists of peasant - born Mustafa El Nahas Pasha took a three-to-one lead over their combined opposition Wednesday night in returns from Egypt's first election since the Palestine war.

The once-dominant Saadists of Former Premier Ibrahim Abdel Hadi Pasha were overwhelmed in the landslide of the Wafdists, a strongly nationalistic party which boycotted the parliamentary election of 1945.

Truman Asks Tax Hike, Forecasts World Peace

Fowl Odor No Longer

BRADLEY, ILL. (AP)—This tiny village formally ended horse and buggy days Wednesday with an ordinance forbidding the "running at large" or "keeping" of horses.

Village President Clarence Lock said the order also banned the keeping of chickens, geese, ducks, turkeys, goats, pigs or any other kind of fowl or animal.

"Things were just getting too smelly," Lock explained.

Britain to Recognize Red China

LONDON (AP)—Britain plans to recognize Communist China Friday or Saturday and has notified the United States, an informed source said Wednesday.

Outside the Communist sphere, India, Burma and Pakistan have given the diplomatic nod to Mao Tze Tung's Peiping regime. Burma and India acted in December. Pakistan announced recognition Wednesday.

Britain's decision, the informant said, actually was made weeks ago. The timing of recognition was reported to have been settled before British Foreign Secretary Ernest Bevin left London Dec. 27 for the conference of commonwealth foreign ministers opening Jan. 9 at Colombo, Ceylon.

A major aim of Britain's Labor government is to protect investments of about \$1-billion in businesses, schools and churches in China and maintain trade relations with the Chinese.

The decision marks one of the few major breaks in the cooperation of London and Washington since the end of World War II. While Americans considered possible aid for Chiang Kai-shek's Nationalist forces on Formosa, British officials said they believed sustained American support would prove meaningless after Britain recognizes Mao.

The first step in Britain's shift is likely to be breaking of relations with Chiang.

Acheson to Defend U.S. China Policy

WASHINGTON (AP)—Secretary of State Dean Acheson Wednesday night was reported ready to strike back at Republican critics of China policy with a blunt warning that U.S. defense of Formosa could lead to a shooting war.

Chairman Tom Connally, (D-Tex) said Acheson will appear before his senate foreign relations committee at 9:30 a.m. Tuesday, at his own request.

Informed quarters said Acheson will reply in strong terms to GOP leaders, including Former President Herbert Hoover, who have demanded U.S. military action to save Formosa from the Chinese Communists.

His plans were made known as the Chinese Nationalist government made a new and more detailed plea for American aid for Formosa, island bastion off the China mainland where the Nationalists have gathered for a last stand.

Oleomargarine Tax Senate's First Fight

WASHINGTON (AP)—The senate joined battle Wednesday on the issue of repealing oleomargarine taxes, scarcely more than 24 hours after reconvening.

The house last year passed a bill to wipe out the 10-cents-a-pound tax on yellow colored oleo. Now it is the senate's turn to pass on the matter.

As lead-off man for repeal, Sen. J. William Fulbright (D - Ark) urged his colleagues to throw out the controversial levy "without clouding the issue" with other subjects.

But Sen. Alexander Wiley (R-Wis), leading a group of anti-repeal senators, quickly countered with an amendment to prohibit interstate shipments of yellow oleo, while repealing the tax.

Sen. Guy Gillette (D - Iowa) will lead off the fight for the Wiley amendment today.

BECKWITH TO APPEAL WATERLOO (AP)—William Beecher, attorney for convicted slayer Edward Beckwith, said Wednesday he still planned to appeal Beckwith's conviction and death sentence to the Iowa supreme court, but no date has been set for the appeal.

Urges Passage Of 'Fair Deal' By Congress

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Truman asked a cheering-jeering congress for a "moderate" tax boost Wednesday in a message sparking with confidence in the future of a prosperous America and a peaceful world.

Once again Mr. Truman thrust his "fair deal" program at the lawmakers in what politicians considered a curtain - raiser speech for the 1950 political campaign.

Here is a digest of Mr. Truman's major recommendations to congress in his state-of-the-union message:

Domestic

1. Taxes — "Make some changes in our tax system which will reduce present inequities, stimulate business activity, and yield a moderate amount of additional revenue." He said specific suggestions will be made shortly.

2. Business — "Close the loopholes" in the anti-trust laws so as to bar "monopolistic mergers." He promised to send the lawmakers later a "series of proposals to assist small businesses and to encourage the growth of new enterprise."

3. Farm — Pass the Brannan plan with its system of production payments; provide mandatory price supports for products which are major sources of farm income and are not adequately covered.

4. Labor — Replace the Taft-Hartley act with "a law that is fair to all and in harmony with our ideals." Expand the social security program to provide higher benefits and greater coverage. Improve the unemployment compensation program to supply more jobless aid. Set up a labor extension service to encourage education in labor relations.

5. Health, Education — "Establish a system of medical insurance which will enable all Americans to afford good medical care." Remedy the shortage of doctors, nurses and public health services. Provide federal assistance to states for educational purposes. Complete action on a bill to set up a national science foundation.

6. Housing — Extend rent controls another year. Assist cooperatives and other non-profit groups to build dwellings which middle-income families can afford.

Foreign

1. Military — Continue selective service in this country. Support Atlantic defense plans.

2. Economic — Keep the European recovery program going with out "crippling" cuts in funds. Pass pending measures to put into effect the "point four" program of American technical and financial aid to underdeveloped nations. Approve U.S. membership in International Trade organization.

Dewey Raps Truman Program

ALBANY, (AP)—Gov. Thomas E. Dewey slashed Wednesday at socialized medicine and the Truman administration's spending program.

At the same time, he outlined for New York's Republican-controlled legislature a state health program without "regimentation" and also pledged no state tax boosts this year.

In his annual message to the 173rd session of the legislature, the Republican governor rapped what he termed the "voracious appetite" of the Truman administration's budget.

Hint at 42-Billion Budget Request

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Truman will ask for "a little above \$42-billion" to run the United States next year. House Speaker Sam Rayburn said Wednesday.

Spending in the present fiscal year, which ends June 30, is officially estimated at \$43,500,000,000. The government's income now is running about \$38-billion a year.

Republicans Beef - Democrats Cheer

WASHINGTON (AP)—Republican cries against "socialism" and new taxes greeted President Truman's message to Congress on the state of the union Wednesday.

Democratic supporters praised the president. They said he pointed the way to lasting peace and mounting prosperity.

But Democrats in general reacted cautiously to Mr. Truman's request for a "moderate amount" of new taxes. Democratic tax leaders called for cuts in spending. Southern Democrats balked as expected at the president's civil rights program.

Senator Taft (R-Ohio) commented: "The President's message is mild in tone, but most of the socialist handout program is still to be found in very innocent sounding language. It reminds me of that quotation from Byron, 'the mildest mannered man that ever scuttled ship or cut a throat.'"

Cold Wave Brings Ice, Floods to Midwest

By The Associated Press

Winter's worst cold wave bore down on millions of more mid-continent dwellers Wednesday on the heels of drenching rains that sent rivers out of their banks and raised the threat of serious floods.

California and the southwest also were hard hit in the weather's latest cold rampage, but heat records melted away in the east.

Flood-swollen streams and rivers left their banks in southern and central Illinois, Indiana and western Kentucky. Scores of communities were threatened. Hundreds of residents left their flooded homes and livestock was evacuated from lowlands.

Paul A. Miller, weather bureau chief at Indianapolis, predicted major floods over the full length of the Wabash and White rivers. Forecasters said a cold wave moving in on Indiana would ease the flood peril somewhat but not remove it.

Freezing sleet turned much of the Midwest into a sea of ice. This was the weather picture across the nation:

Far west — Freezing weather struck another blow at California's truck crops and orchardists fought an all night "battle of the smudge pots" to protect the state's multi-million dollar citrus crop. Freezing weather was general throughout the state. In northeast Oregon, 13 inches of snow fell in

two hours, blocking all secondary roads.

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'Oh, It's June in January'



(AP Wirephoto)

READY TO THROW her first snowball of the season is pretty 17-year-old June May March — honest, that's her real name. This Oklahoma City "calendar girl" had a big time in the first real snow of the season in her home town Wednesday as wintry storms and chilling cold covered most of the western half of the nation. This was in contrast to abnormally warm weather conditions in the east where the temperature reached the sixties in some parts.

# editorials

## Sorry State of the Union —

Hardly had the words of President Truman's "State of the Union" message died, before Republicans and renegade Democrats drew the battle lines for the second session of the 81st congress.

The Republicans declared war on any proposed tax increases, while southern Democrats were just as opposed to passage of any civil rights legislation.

Actually, it looks as though Mr. Truman will find congress just as unruly as it was during last year's hectic session.

Loudest voice in the congressional storm will come from Republicans who are balking at an estimated 1950 budget in the neighborhood of \$42-billion — an expensive neighborhood.

In order to collect that amount of money, a tax increase is nearly inevitable. Mr. Truman promised to clear up any doubts about his budget — balancing or deficit spending in a statement Monday.

If, however, the President intends to have the government operate in the red again next year, he will be flirting with possible economic destruction.

Therein lies the dilemma. Congressmen, who will have their contracts up for option again next year, will hardly endorse a tax hike. The President intends to continue on his road of high government expenditure. And both ends won't meet. That's going to be a tough problem to have congress wrestle with during the next several months.

Rep. Robert L. Doughton (D-SC), who is chairman of the tax-writing ways and means committee, rounded the storm signal of a possible Democratic revolt. He promised "careful consideration" of the President's tax proposal, but emphasized that spending cuts, not higher taxes are the answers to the government's money worries.

The Republicans were more cool toward a tax boost. Said house GOP leader Joseph Martin: "The President's program fails utterly to come to grips with the two great

vital needs of the day — cutting down government spending and lowering the tax burden."

To lighten the tax burden in these times of deficit spending is unthinkable, unless it is accompanied by sweeping spending slashes. Apparently, no such widespread cuts are in the offing.

However, the Republicans are assured of enough support to back up Sen. Eugene D. Millikin (R-Colo) who was quoted as saying, "I don't think there's going to be any tax increase."

On the matter of civil rights legislation. Mr. Truman faces another tussle.

Southern Democrats renewed their pledge to fight to the bitter end the President's equal rights program. They objected especially to Mr. Truman's proposal to create a fair employment commission which would prevent job discrimination against Negroes.

The house promised early consideration of the FEPC bill, according to Rep. John Leskinski (D-Mich) of the house labor committee. The bill is also scheduled for senate discussion in the near future.

On this bill, it seems likely that Mr. Truman will be beaten soundly by the Dixiecrats, and their Republican allies.

All signs indicate that Mr. Truman's program, as last year, will either be rejected or ignored.

On the portion of the address that was concerned with the U.S. picture, 2000 A.D. vintage, there was little immediate reaction among congressmen.

The President said we should aim for a trillion-dollar economy within the next 50 years.

He visualized an annual income of about \$12,000 for the average family, if U.S. productive power displays the same growth it has for the past half century.

Nobody argued that point. The congressmen were too busy drawing the battle lines for the fights immediately ahead.

## A Dangerous Conclusion Leap —

A question that was thoroughly kicked around last year was brought out for another airing last week when the national student association registered a protest to loyalty oaths.

Specifically, the executive committee of the student association opposed oaths for college students in the naval reserve officers training program.

The president of the group said the oaths were "too sweeping and not restricted to the needs of national security."

Here again is an illustration of genuine alarm over an infringement of rights. The cry is a familiar one, but one that should be heard. The government, worked up about the threat that communism and screwball philosophies pose, has taken steps to exert a heavier hand in the affairs of its citizens.

But when a government attempts to restrict

the thinking of its people, it trends on dangerous ground. It would seem that the government is seeking conformity of thought and action. When such a state exists, original ideas cease to exist.

When individual thinking is straight-jacketed, more often than not, thinking becomes a function taken over by a government.

Loyalty oaths are far from restriction of free thought, but they do smack of storm troop tactics that Americans have long abhorred.

A loyalty oath that was administered at Harvard to the naval reserve officer candidates asked that students "inform" on any other students they know who attend meetings of subversive groups or take part in their activities.

That is carrying the whole question of security to an absurd and dangerous conclusion.

## An Age-Old Adage Applies in Formosa —

A classic example of "locking the barn door after the horse is stolen" would be provided if the U.S. were to come to the aid of Nationalist China at this late stage of the game.

As the Communists drove across China in an eastern "march to the sea," the U.S. turned a cold shoulder. Fully aware that it was only a matter of time until all China would be under Communist domination.

Now, with Chiang Kai-shek making a last ditch stand on the island of Formosa, several of this country's policy makers would have the U.S. charging to the rescue like the cavalry aiding the pioneers in a horse opera.

Former President Herbert Hoover and usually-cautious Sen. Robert Taft of Ohio are the latest advocates of such a policy. The vocal opposition consists of Sen. Henry Cabot Lodge of Massachusetts, Sen. Arthur Vandenberg of Michigan and several others.

The last two gentlemen appear to take a more plausible stand.

The famous "white paper" of early summer saw the Nationalists cut off from U.S. aid. Why, now, should we rush to Formosa with aid that would certainly be too little and too late?

Active support of the Nationalists would give the Soviets a valid criticism of U.S. intervention. It could, in the words of Rep.

John Kee (D-W Va) "put us all in the gravest danger of starting World War III." The "face" factor is involved in the China and Formosa situations. The U.S. stands to lose prestige by calmly withdrawing from such a strategic area of the world.

But "losing face" is better than losing lives which might be the case if we were to back Chiang in the trenches of Formosa.

However, it is fallacious to believe that we should pull up our stakes and withdraw from Asia. Future security — both economic and military — hinges on friendly relations between the U.S. and India, the Philippines, Indonesia, Pakistan and other Oriental nations.

China has a way of taking care of itself. If the Communist government does not prove to the peoples' liking, slowly but surely it will disappear.

The Japanese in the early 1930's marched through China. But China's 400-million population absorbed them. Other conquerors have met similar fates.

Intervening in Formosa would be a fool-hardy step. It would be sounder long-run policy to use what money and effort that would be expended in holding the eastern island to cement relations with other nations of the east for the day when Russian communism once more goes on the prowl. Time should mellow the situation in China.

over their mutual interests. This, he advocates, when industry holds the Taft-Hartley law as a way to break labor's back.

Business and industry continually pan free enterprise as a mockery under the Democrats' "welfare-state" plan, then boost the Taft-Hartley law as a means to save their own hides.

Willkie is on a dreamer's holiday when he suggests labor-business clubs as a forum for the Republicans to reach the laboring class. As long as labor hates Taft-Hartley and business supports it, as long as business idolizes theoretical free enterprise and labor mocks it, just so long will business and labor remain on opposite sides of the fence.

And just so long will the sun shine in the day and the moon at night.

Willkie has just one point that holds promise for the Republicans: creation of "incentive taxation" — which will reward the man who puts other men to work and penalizes the man who is lazy with his money."

If a scheme can be devised to make the laborers want to earn more money, then we have a chance to overcome the evils of too much socialization. We may even have the solution to recovery from depression and recession periods.

## Willkie's Will-o'-the-Wisp —

Philip Willkie, son of the late Wendell Willkie, writes in a recent issue of Collier's magazine that the Republicans have a "tremendous opportunity to come up with a really new and dynamic program" and that they cannot win with a policy of "untrammeled reaction."

The latter statement is a foregone conclusion. About the former, there is considerable question. Willkie bases his contention that the Republicans can come up with a new program and win their first national election in 20 years on the thesis that the Democrats' policy of income taxing is gradually socializing the nation.

He claims a Republican right-about-face from the Democrat policies will woo labor back to the party of conservatism. It is in this basic assumption that his fallacy is rooted.

True enough, the Democrats' policy of income taxing takes away much incentive to earn more when the bigger sum would slip the individual into a higher bracket.

But what have businessmen whose interests traditionally are opposed to the interests of labor as a class in common with the laboring class?

Willkie wants to pursue a will-o'-the-wisp ideal and organize labor with business to talk

## One Hope for One World



## Interpreting the News — Statements Hint 'Do Something' Policy in Asia

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

The Robert Taft - Herbert Hoover statements demanding that the United States prepare to defend Formosa against Communist invasion indicate a belief on their part that the country is swinging toward a "do something" policy in Asia.

For a long time now the administration has been coming up with decisions about what not to do. Amid the complexities of the problem and the apparent futility of any further aid to Chiang Kai-shek's Nationalists, no feasible course of positive action has presented itself.

Defense of Formosa is something which probably could be accomplished, and therefore offers its enticements.

The administration is reported, however, to lean toward the view that, though strategically important, the island is not worth the risks of military involvement. They have not forgotten the pre-world war situation created by big power support of opposing sides in the Spanish civil war.

The White House and state department have been moving toward some sort of action to set up a defense line against communism in the far east. There is every likelihood that something concrete will come out of Philip Jessup's current oriental trip and his forth-coming conference with America's Asiatic experts in Bangkok next month.

The Republicans, however, apparently have determined to make the situation an immediate issue. Congress has long been in favor of more direct action, as witness its authorization of a so-far unexpended \$75-million for the purpose which President Truman didn't want. The pro-action members are vociferous and show signs of organization regardless of party lines, whereas the passive resisters are more or less just that.

One thing the state department may be waiting for is some indication of Russia's attitude toward a Communist invasion of Formosa. Many observers think Mao Tse-tung could not stage one without Russian aerial and naval support.

Another angle the department would like more time to consider is the uses to which the United States and the actual territorial status of Formosa might be put. Although the big powers promised Formosa's return to China after the war, there are grounds for considering it as still a Japanese possession, subject to disposal by a peace treaty.

The possibility that the countries which fought Japan might hand the island into UN trusteeship, making a Communist invasion an act against the whole world peace organization, has not been precluded. A peace conference excluding Russia, which demands a treaty written only by the big powers, is one suggestion along these lines.

There seems little hope that anything substantial can be done

in any of these fields, however, unless there is some quick compromise between the pro-action and watchful - waiting groups in the government. The administration, which has never shown much interest in extending the so-called bipartisan treatment of foreign policy from the European to the Asiatic field, now needs i



By JOE BROWN

IN MY sentimental or philosophic moments, I might be talked into agreeing with the guy who started the idea of the best things in life being free.

But at this hard and realistic moment, I'd be a hard man to convince. I want a new car, and any attempt to drive one from a show room with nothing more than a word of thanks to the owner would probably get me two more free items: room and board in a nice quiet place.



Rattling along an Arkansas highway Sunday night on my return to school from holidays in Memphis, I had another of the now many demoralizing experiences in which that car of mine has figured.

A family of young student friends was with me and we also had with us another very charming guest whom we would have liked to impress. But we had small chance of doing so in that "luggage from a scrap yard."

I DROVE into a filling station and was greeted by a sleepy attendant. He was a friendly sort of fellow, though, and I was beginning to like him until our conversation drifted away from the weather.

Standing with the nozzle in my gas tank, his eyes moved back and forth from front to rear of the car. I saw them stop when they came to the torn fender and again at the driver's door which is no longer in use and hangs sadly, held off the running board by a piece of wood.

He peeped in the back window and saw the cardboard cartons and paper sacks filled with items too numerous for luggage. He smiled faintly when he saw the rear of the car sagging nearly to the tires, one of which was almost flat from a slow leak.

"HOW WAS your cotton this year?" he asked. The question floated past me. "I said, 'How was your cotton this year?'" he repeated, looking directly at me.

"I don't know, I don't know," I said. "I don't know, I don't know," he said.

"I don't think so. I don't know any."

"Ain't you sharing?" he asked.

## Employment Below 1948 Level

WASHINGTON (UP) — The number of Americans working last year was greater than for any year except 1948 but "employment opportunities have not kept pace" with continued expansion of the labor force, the census bureau said Wednesday.

Secretary of Commerce Charles Sawyer said, however, that pickup in employment last fall was "gratifying." He said the increase in the last final half of 1949 "wiped out most of the losses sustained earlier."

The census bureau reported that total employment on Dec. 10 was 58,555,000, a decline of 962,000 from Nov. 12. This was attributed wholly to the halt in farm work during winter months.

Unemployment was estimated at 3,489,000, virtually unchanged from Nov. 12.

In explaining the sharp drop in employment without a corresponding rise in unemployment, the bureau noted that farm workers must merely be removed from labor force in winter months.

## Nash 'Experiments' With \$1,000 Auto

NEW YORK (UP) — Nash motors Wednesday took the "secret" jab off its much-talked-about small car, showing a sleek, foreign-looking convertible that could sell for less than \$1,000.

The company plans to display the car at several large cities throughout the nation to see if the buying public is interested in the price advantage but the space limitations of a cheap, small car.

The convertible model, only one made, has balloon fenders the full length of the car that are higher than the hood. Doors are indented deeply at the top, incorporating the arm rest like some foreign models.

Nash emphasizes that it has no plans at present to build the car.

## official daily BULLETIN

THURSDAY, JANUARY 5, 1950 VOL. XXVI, NO. 79 UNIVERSITY CALENDAR

Table with columns for dates (Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday) and events (University Newcomers club, Meeting of the AAUP, University club, etc.)

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

## 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 play nights 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.

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

HUMANITIES SOCIETY presents a forum on "Some Critical Concepts in Art and Literature," Tuesday, Jan. 10 at 8 p.m. in auditorium of Art building.

GAMMA ALPHA CHI pledges and activities will meet in conference room 2, Iowa Union, Wednesday, Jan. 4.

IOWA MOUNTAINEERS will hold an ice skating party Saturday, Jan. 7. Members will meet at their clubhouse at 7 p.m. prior to going to Melrose skating rink. Reservations must be made with Mickey Thomas, (5391).

DELTA SIGMA DELTA wives bridge club will meet Thursday, Jan. 5 at 7:30 p.m. in Delta Sigma Delta house. If absent, call Mrs. Robert Irvin or Mrs. John Frevert.

NOMINATION for best and most unique Christmas gift: A young college senior who was married a few months ago, and who will be graduated in June, came home to find a gift from his father that will be remembered many years.

On Christmas Eve, the father asked the young couple to go for a short ride with him, which they did.

A few minutes later they turned into a new subdivision of the city, drove a few more blocks and stopped against the curb.

The old man took his young daughter-in-law's hand for a moment and when he released it she looked down at a key which he had left.

"What's this for?" she asked.

He pointed out the car window and told the young couple: "It's yours and I hope you have many Merry Christmases in it."

When they looked to where he pointed they saw persons gathering around the spot to witness an occasion they had all probably looked forward to.

But they saw something else, too. They saw a huge red ribbon, the ends of which came together behind an enormous plastic bow, bordered with colored lights.

And inside that mammoth red ribbon they saw a newly-completed house.

## WSUI PROGRAM CALENDAR

Table with columns for dates (Thursday, January 5, 1950) and times (8:00 a.m., 8:15 a.m., etc.) and programs (Morning Chapel, Morning Serenade, etc.)

## The Daily Iowan

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# 'Ma' Enjoys Cooking at Fraternity House Town 'n' Campus

## Began as Substitute, Now in Fifth Year

By MAX SOWERS

Believing that the enjoyment of others is worth working for, Mrs. Peter Diltz, cook at the Phi Kappa Psi fraternity house, derives pleasure from watching her "boys" enjoy her meals.

"Anyone gets satisfaction out of cooking and seeing others enjoy the food you prepare," Ma, as she is called at the house, remarked. She and her husband, Pete, live at the fraternity house, 263 N. Riverside drive.

It was just by accident that Ma now cooks for the Phi Pits. After the fraternity lost its cook she took over as a substitute and originally planned to stay three weeks while the house steward located a new cook.

That was five years ago and the short plump woman is still "cooking" the fraternity kitchen.

Altho,gh the working days are quite long, Ma says she prefers working to any other occupation. The reason for the preference, she says, is that the salary is more than on most jobs.

"Being my own boss and having enough time to do as I please has also influenced me toward kitchen work," Ma declared.

Purchasing food and house supplies and planning meals requires quite a bit of advance preparation for a cook, she commented. Large gatherings such as suppers before football games or before formal parties are difficult to handle, the Phi Psi cook said.

Ma compared cooking in a commercial establishment with a fraternity kitchen job and declared the work was more pleasant in the latter.

"Pete Help, Ma"

The main reason for this connection, she says, is due to the fine way the men treat her. "Fellows who have board jobs in the kitchen always keep activities lively and make the work amusing," she contends.

"The working season is much like — when there is a vacation for the men there is also a vacation for me."

Ma usually begins work about 6:30 a.m. and ends at 6 p.m. with a nap in the afternoon to interrupt her working day.

Pete, whose specialty is pan-frying meat, is the only help she has in the cooking department of the kitchen. But Ma contends that cooking for a fraternity is not so different from family cooking. At home she prepared meals for eight children and her husband.

"It was just a little easier to satisfy the kids and Pete than 40 or 50 men, though," she added.



**THERE'S PIE FOR DESSERT** at the Phi Kappa Psi house and Mrs. Peter Diltz — or Ma, as she is affectionately called by the fraternity members — is carrying out one of her daily chores as Phi Psi cook. Typical of the fraternity and sorority cooks on campus, Ma usually works from 6:30 a.m. to 6 p.m. Her responsibility is heavy but Ma says her enjoyment of the kitchen duties makes the job fun.

## Luncheon Meeting Scheduled Friday By Woman's Club

The Iowa City Woman's club, public welfare department, will hold a potluck luncheon, meeting and program Friday noon at the Mary Coldren home, 602 Clark street.

A fruit and vegetable shower will be held by the group for residents of the home.

Committee members in charge of the meeting will be Mrs. J.E. Pechman, Mrs. Fred Fry, Mrs. W.A. Gay, Mrs. Elza Means and Mrs. Charles Patterson.

Serving on the program committee will be Mrs. Glenn Swails, Mrs. A.H. Harmeier, Mrs. H.W. Huskins and Mrs. R.V. Manatt.

Accordion solos will be played by Mrs. Ray Kabela and the woman's chorus of the public welfare department will sing.

Chorus members include Mrs. Sara Bowman, Mrs. Margery Tracy, Mrs. Alta Miller, Mrs. William Mineke, Mrs. Charles Fieseler, Mrs. Myrtle Plum, Mrs. Ole Zimansky, Mrs. David Minish, Mrs. L.E. Hendrick and Mrs. Manatt.

Leader of the chorus group is Mrs. Edna Wilson. Mrs. H.W. Huskins and Mrs. R.G. Popham will furnish the piano duet accompaniment.

## Two SUI Students Visit UN Headquarters Site

Two SUI students, Clinton Semels, A2, New York, N.Y., and Krishna K. Khandelwal, E4, Calcutta, India, recently visited the United Nations headquarters at Lake Success, N.Y.

The number of visitors to the United Nations averages over 300,000 a year.

## Personal Notes

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Burnett, 127 E. Fairchild street, are parents of a girl born Sunday at Mercy hospital. This was the first birth of the year, according to hospital officials.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Wagner, 810 Finkbine park, are parents of a girl born Sunday at Mercy hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Warren, Route 5, are parents of a boy born Tuesday at Mercy hospital.

# Operatic Baritone to Appear at City High Tonight

Lawrence Winters, New York City Opera baritone, is scheduled to appear in the City high school auditorium at 8 p.m. today in the first of the Iowa City Civic Music association's concert series, Pres. Dan Dutcher said Wednesday.

The concert artist, who made his debut as Amonasro in Verdi's "Aida" at the New York City Center Opera in 1948, came to opera and concerts via the Broadway musical hit "Call Me Mister."

Before that, Winters starred in the revival of George Gershwin's "Porgy and Bess" and had appeared as soloist with Leopold Stokowski and the NBC orchestra in Beethoven's Ninth Symphony.



Baritone Lawrence Winters

**Training in Washington**

He received his musical training at Howard university in Washington, D.C., where one of his most enthusiastic instructors and boosters was Todd Duncan who created the original "Porgy," the title role later sung by Winters himself.

Born in South Carolina, the six-foot singer was fourth in a family of six children. His father was a cotton picker and Winters spent his childhood attending Blackburg's one-room schoolhouse.

To pay his tuition and maintenance while at Howard university, the singer worked as a delivery boy, elevator operator, porter, and for three summers toured with the Eva Jessye Choir as soloist.

After graduation, Winters went to New York where he performed in Camern White's opera "Ounga."

The program for tonight's concert includes selections by Handel, Schubert, Brahms and Tchaikovsky, and concludes with a selected group of Negro spirituals.

**To Europe Soon**

Now on his third concert tour under the direction of Impresario S. Hurok, Winters has performed in the West Indies and Central America. He will make his European debut next spring.

The next concert date is Jan. 30, with the appearance of the Viennese ballet ensemble scheduled at that time. Andre Segovia, guitarist, is scheduled for a concert Feb. 14, and the season closes March 5 with a concert by Leonard Pennario, pianist.

# Catalyst Club to See Flower Demonstration

A flower arrangement demonstration will be presented by Frank E. Lee of the Aldous Flower shop at a meeting of the Catalyst club Friday night.

Members will hold their January meeting at the home of Mrs. George Glockler, 621 Holt avenue, at 7:30 p.m.

Hostesses will be Mrs. Robert Johnson, chairman; Mrs. Manville Bro and Mrs. David Brubaker.

# St. Thomas More Plans Special Masses Friday

Special masses will be held at the St. Thomas More chapel, 405 N. Riverside drive, for the first Friday in the new year, the Rev. Leonard J. Brugman, pastor, announced Wednesday.

Masses will be at 5:45, 7, and 7:30 a.m., Father Brugman said. Confessions will be heard today from 3:30 until 5 p.m., and also after the 7:30 p.m. holy hour.

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## Horace Mann PTA To Hold Discussion On School Facilities

The Horace Mann Parent Teacher's association will discuss the topic "Freedom to Grow Through Adequate Educational Facilities" at their January meeting tonight at 7:30 p.m. in the school building.

School board members scheduled to be present for the round-table discussion on school affairs include Atty. William H. Greene, Alva B. Oathout and Irving B. Weber.

Mrs. Russell Rourke and Mrs. Minnie Voxman are room mother in charge of the meeting. Host and hostesses include Mr. and Mrs. R.G. Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. L.E. Arnold, Mrs. Ralph Sterner, Mrs. Charles Ruppert and Mrs. Frank Fisher.

Serving on the social committee will be Mrs. Henry Linder, Mrs. Norman Spindler, Mrs. Vera Kennard and Mrs. Voxman.

Mrs. Larry Smith and Mrs. Rourke will serve as dining room committee chairmen.

Coffee and sandwiches served after the meeting will be furnished by mothers of children in the fourth grade.

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## 'Petition Signing Day' Today For Hoover Plan Supporters

Iowa Citizens who favor federal government reorganization, as proposed by the Hoover commission report, will go to temporary polls today to sign petitions which will be forwarded to congress.

The local junior chamber of commerce is cooperating with other nationally known agencies in bringing "petition signing day" to Iowa City. The junior chamber is winding up a six weeks educational campaign to arouse interest in the bi-partisan proposals.

Atty. J. Newman Toomey, local chairman, said booths will be erected at Bremers, Younkers, Sears Roebuck and company, J.C. Penny and company, the First National bank and the Iowa State Bank and Trust company.

**Arrangements for Students**  
SUI Young Republicans and Young Democrats are also backing the Hoover report and will arrange places for students to sign the petitions early next week, Toomey said.

Quoting from the Hoover report, Toomey said, "The nation is paying heavily for a lack of order, a lack of clear lines of authority and responsibility and a lack of effective organization in the executive branch."

Former President Herbert Hoover was appointed by President Truman to conduct a study of government organization. Toomey explained. Congress is now studying parts of this bi-partisan proposal.

**Flood of Letters**  
A "Citizens' Committee for the Hoover Report" is seeking a flood of petitions and letters directed to congressmen who will consider several parts of the plan in this session.

Signers of the petitions "urge members of Congress to immediately enact legislation embodying the recommendation of the Hoover report" and agree to write senators and congressmen expressing their support.

About 1,800 U. S. cities will participate in the "petition signing day" today, Toomey said.

### University Hospitals Gets Second 1950 Polio Case

Robert Benson, 6, DeWitt, was admitted to the active polio wards at University hospitals Wednesday in "serious" condition, hospital officials said.

He is the second polio patient of the year at the hospitals. Only other active polio patient under treatment is Sharon Underwood, 6, La Porte City, who was admitted Tuesday.

## City's Streelighting Nears Completion; Await Bulb Arrival

Completion of Iowa City's new downtown streetlighting system is now awaiting the arrival of more light bulbs. City Engineer Fred Gartzke said Wednesday.

Although all 74 light poles have been erected, most of the new mercury-vapor lights are not yet operating, Gartzke said.

Meanwhile after-dark pedestrians and window shoppers continue to rely on store lights for illumination on most business district streets.

Since each block is wired as a separate unit, lamps in any one block will not be turned on until every light is ready to burn, workmen said.

The Holze Electric company, Cedar Rapids, has the contract for the \$43,000 project. The company finished installing the 28-foot-high poles the latter part of December.

## Club Plans Surprise For Hospitalized Girl

Members of the graduate home economics club will help make happy the 12th birthday today of Joann Baker, a student at the hospital school for severely handicapped children.

Mrs. H.L. Holcomb, 608 Dearborn street, a member of the club, has baked a birthday cake for Joann. She and other students at the school will share the cake at their noon meal today.

Various members of the home economics club have arranged to bake birthday cakes for each student in the hospital school who has a birthday during the remainder of the school year.

## Iowa Law Review Honors Rutledge

A tribute to the late Wiley Rutledge, former U.S. supreme court justice and dean of the SUI college of law from 1935 to 1938, is one of the highlights in the fall edition of the Iowa Law Review published by the SUI college of law.

The article was written by Prof. Percy Bordwell of the SUI law faculty.

Another article by an SUI faculty member appearing in the Review is "Iowa's 'Little Hoover Commission'" by Prof. Kirk Porter, chairman of the political science department.

## New York Philharmonic Plays Clapp's Overture

Further music fame came to SUI's Prof. Phillip Greeley Clapp when his "Overture to a Comedy" was performed last weekend by the New York Philharmonic orchestra conducted by Dimitri Mitropoulos.

Although Clapp's works have been performed by many of the major orchestras in America, this marked the first performance of any of them by the New York Philharmonic.

This 10 minute orchestral number was written in the summer of 1933 in Ovington, Wash. Revised in 1937, it was performed first by

the Cleveland Philharmonic orchestra under F. Karl Grossman on Dec. 18, 1940.

It was played here by Mitropoulos and the Minneapolis symphony last year. The overture is a light selection, Clapp said, written as a "chatty trifle to entertain and possibly amuse."

The dean of New York City music critics, Olin Downes of the New York Times, caught the mood of the piece calling it "witty, jocose" and an "entertaining piece of music."

Clapp had no particular comedy in mind when he wrote the over-

ture. He took incidents and characters from diverse sources, he said.

The overture was performed by the Tri-Cities symphony under Oscar Anderson on April 8, 1945, and has been played by the St. Louis and Chicago symphonies, Clapp said.

Clapp has been head of SUI's music department since 1919. He received his B.A., M.A., and Ph.D. degrees from Harvard. He studied composition under Max von Schillings at Stuttgart, Germany, and aesthetics of music at the British Museum.

He is the author of 12 symphonies, an orchestral and choral "Chant of Darkness" with words by Helen Keller; a tone poem for orchestra and piano, "Norge"; "In Summer", an orchestral prelude and many smaller orchestral numbers such as the "Overture to a Comedy."

Four of his symphonies have been played by major orchestra and five by SUI's symphony.

One of his symphonies, "Pioneers", was played for the Iowa City centennial celebration in 1939 and later for the Des Moines centennial.

## Graduate Receives Engineering Award For Achievements

SUI Graduate Harry F. Olson recently received the first John H. Potts Memorial award from the Audio Engineering society.

According to the December issue of the Iowa Engineer, the award was made "for outstanding accomplishment in the field of audio engineering."

Olson, director of the acoustical research laboratory of the Radio Corporation of America at Princeton, N.J., pioneered in the research and development of directional microphones.

Directional microphones are now almost universally used in radio, television and motion pictures.

Olson received four degrees from SUI; a B.S. degree in 1924, a M.S. degree in 1925, a Ph.D. degree in 1928 and a professional degree of E.E. in 1932. He joined RCA in 1928.

### COMMUNION BREAKFAST

The monthly Communion breakfast of the SUI Newman club will be served following the 9 a.m. mass Sunday, the Rev. Robert J. Welch, assistant professor in the school of religion, said Wednesday. The breakfast will be served at the Catholic student center, 408 McLean street.

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### Religion Professor Contributes to Book On Jewish History

Prof. Judah Goldin of the SUI school of religion is a contributor to a new, four-volume history of the Jewish people published by Harpers.

Goldin also assisted President Louis Finkelstein of the Jewish Theological Seminary of America, who edited the book called "The Jews, Their History, Culture and Religion."

Other contributors to the works are various professors from colleges and universities in the United States, Europe and Israel.

Goldin authored the longest chapter in the 1,431 page book, on the "Period of the Talmud."

Among contributors to the book are W.F. Albright, Johns Hopkins university; Aurturo Castiglioni, Yale; Davis Daiches, Cornell, and Walter Fischel, Hebrew university and the University of California.

### Accidents Cause \$155 in Damages

Automobiles driven by Clarence Crock, 421 S. Lucas street, and Carl Gochenour, 1808 Morningside street, were involved in an accident Wednesday in the 500 block of east Jefferson street, police said. No one was injured and total damage was estimated at \$80.

A second accident occurred Tuesday on Highway 6 near the Veteran's hospital. Automobiles involved were driven by Leonard Prizler, North Liberty, and Raymond Meeker, Hemphill road, Coralville, police said.

Total damage was estimated at \$75. No one was injured.

**NO NEW DEVELOPMENTS**  
Sheriff Charles Snyder of Washington county reported Wednesday afternoon that there were "no new developments" in the theft of \$15,000 worth of raw furs Dec. 29 from a warehouse owned by Bernard Duwa four miles south of Kalona.

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According to Clerk R. Neilsen Miller, the total amount collected was \$7,071.49, of which \$5,000 was listed under fines and forfeitures.

The figures were shown in the clerk's fourth quarterly report to the board of supervisors including

The report showed \$753.6 came from probate fees; \$610.10 from district court fees; \$233.50 from transcripts and copies of papers and records; \$230.43 from other county fees; \$213.50 from reporter and jury fees due the county and \$30.50 from sheriff's fees.

**SEEKS THIRD TERM**  
COLUMBUS — Gov. Frank J. Lausche Tuesday announced he would seek a third term, eliminating himself from a possible congressional race against Sen. Robert Taft (R-Ohio).

### Cold Clogs Fuel Lines in Hawkeye

Tenants of about a dozen Hawkeye village trailers got a momentary taste of the cold Wednesday when water in their oil fuel tanks froze and clogged the fuel lines leading from the tanks to the trailers.

J. Robert Cotter, manager of married students housing, said this condition was caused by water seeping into the tanks from rains and snows during the past weeks.

The water, which is heavier than the oil, sinks to the bottom

of the tanks and settles in the feed lines just outside the trailer.

Cotter said the situation can be remedied only by removing the lines, thawing them out, pouring out the water, then replacing the fuel lines.

plus tax will go to the Union desk.

The low price is the Central Party committee's answer to the lack of response to big name band dances this year," the secretary said.

"We'd like a clearance of all dormitories for this bargain event," she added.

One of the new developments they will study is the airbrasive technic, a method of using a blast of abrasive powder under high air pressures to drill teeth.

The method is said to be faster and less painful than the conventional dentist's drill, although it is not yet in general use by dental practitioners.

### URGES DRAFT EXTENSION

WASHINGTON — Maj. Gen. Lewis B. Hershey, selective service director, Tuesday night called for re-enactment of the draft law to show both friends and enemies the United States intends to keep its commitments.

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 supported strongly for second and...  
 third.

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 unbeaten with 9-0 records through...  
 Tuesday night's games, took fifth...  
 and sixth positions, respectively...  
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 veteran Crusaders accumulated...  
 315 points and were chosen as...  
 the No. 1 team by eight voters.

**NC State Seventh**  
 North Carolina State, (9-1), a...  
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Cooney, Shmrock forward, is...  
 right behind Fenton with an...  
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 Lenz, with a 10.5 average. Fenton's...  
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Cooney still leads in total points...  
 with 150 gathered in 12 games...  
 Lenz' 116 points in 11 games...  
 are good for second. Alvin Streb...  
 of St. Patrick's who jumped from...  
 eighth to fifth this week, is third...  
 in this column with 102 tallies.

In the field goal column, Cooney...  
 is ahead with 62, followed by Lenz...  
 with 44, Fenton with 34, Brawner...  
 with 33, and Streb with 32.

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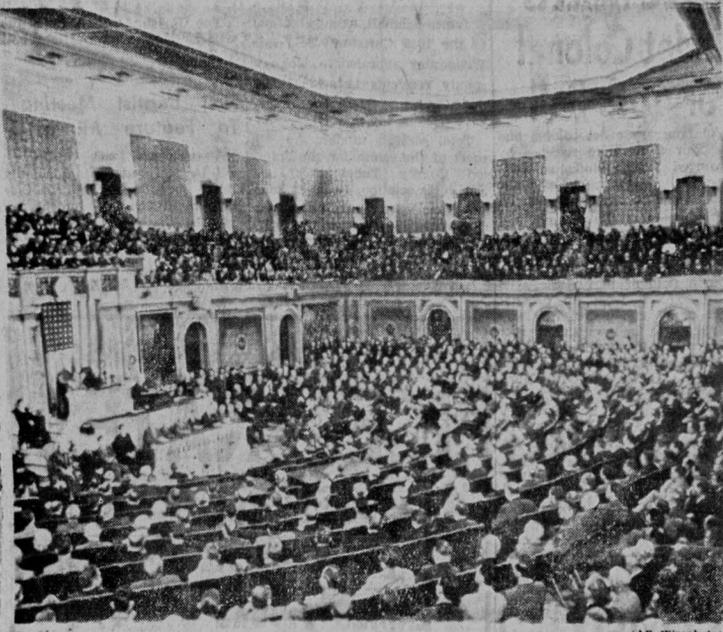
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Newly Furnished House Chamber



(AP Wirephoto)

GONE ARE THE UNSIGHTLY girders that once supported the old shaky framed glass ceiling in the now newly furnished house chamber. Soft lights gleam from the stainless steel roof and the wall panels above the gallery seats are covered with light blue silk brocade. In this picture President Harry Truman is addressing a joint session of Congress. (Story on page 1.)

Already Planning for Fall of 1950 —

Football Formations Occupy SUI Bandman

By MURRAY SEEGER  
Football is far from most persons' minds but SUI band director Prof. C. B. Righter is already making plans for the next season. He has started the preliminary drawings for the figures and formations which the football band will perform for the Saturday afternoon crowds in the stadium next fall.

With next year's schedule in front of him, Righter can look back and find what figures he had used when the same teams were in Iowa City the last time.

For the Illini  
For Illini's appearance, he is planning a routine he cancelled last year when the Illini band came here.

The formation includes two block "Is" on the west and east sidelines with a river of streamers between them. A bandman will "paddle" down the river in a canoe suspended from his shoulders while the band plays "Ole Man River."

Starts on Paper  
For these few minutes of entertainment, Righter has to work months with his dummy sheets measuring every step the musicians will take.

He starts with a sheet filled with circles showing each man's spot on the field from goal to goal. On this sheet, the band director draws the figure he wants.

He moves the extra "men" into the figure to make it solid. For perspective, the horizontal lines must be almost solid while the vertical lines can be thin.

This is because the spectator's position makes the vertical lines look thick and the horizontal lines look more like individual men, he said.

Then Picks Music  
With the figure drawn, he must pick the music to suit the formation. It must be music which is known to the audience without depending on a title or verse.

Righter measures the steps taken by the farthest man to get into

the form and hums the music as he does so as to know how long it will take to finish the figure. Each musician is given a sheet with this formation drawn and the proper position he must take. The music to be used is also included.

The bandmen follow the music listed and seldom walk the drum majors, Righter explained.

"Double-Header" Band  
The formations are easy for SUI's band to form since it is a "double-header" band. It has two equal parts joined by the drum

section and includes two drum majors. This style was invented by Righter and is described in his book, "Gridiron Pageantry."

The formation makes it possible for the band to change direction and shift about without marching in circles or counter — marching through their own lines, Righter said.

Next October when the 110 men of SUI's football band are putting on their brief half-time show, remember that the plans were drawn in December.

Yale Dean to Talk Here in February  
The Rev. Liston Pope, dean Yale Divinity school, will be featured speaker during SUI's annual Religion In Life Week. Gen. Chairman Ray Davenport, A4, Grinnell, said Wednesday.

Rev. Pope will speak at the week's closing convocation on Feb. 26.

Religion In Life Week's central committee also announced that the theme for this year's activity will be "Fiction, Fact and Faith."

Davenport announced a meeting date for all students interested in working on the various committees planning for the week. He asked students interested in serving on public relations, publicity, personnel and program committees to meet at 4:30 p.m. Sunday at the YMCA conference room at Iowa Union.

Firemen Extinguish Trailer Home Blaze  
Firemen were called out at 3:30 p.m. Wednesday to put out a fire in the trailer home of William I. Kraemer, 1172 Hotz avenue.

Oil overflowed from the oil stove and started a partition of the trailer on fire, firemen said. No damage estimates were given.

City Truck Purchases Criticized at Meeting

The city's purchase last week of three trucks for the street department resulted in criticism Tuesday at a meeting of city officials.

Those attending the meeting included Mayor Preston Koser, Aldermen Charles Smith and Wayne Putnam, Street Commissioner Willard Irvin, City Atty. W.H. Bartley, Vern Nall, local auto dealer and his attorney, W.R. Hart.

The three trucks were purchased from three local firms for a total of \$6,282 after bids were submitted to the council Dec. 12.

The purchase was criticized on the basis that bids submitted earlier last year were not considered. Since no conclusions were reached at Tuesday's meeting, the question will be given more consideration before the council's next meeting, Jan. 9, the mayor said.

ROOM AND BOARD

By GENE AHERN



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For Sale: Reasonable; Maroon 1949 Hudson Commodore "8" Convertible; 7000 miles; Radio; Air Conditioning; twin spot lights; overdrive. Call 4905 after 8 p.m.

1935 DeSoto; Good running condition. Phone 80239 between 7:30 and 8:30.

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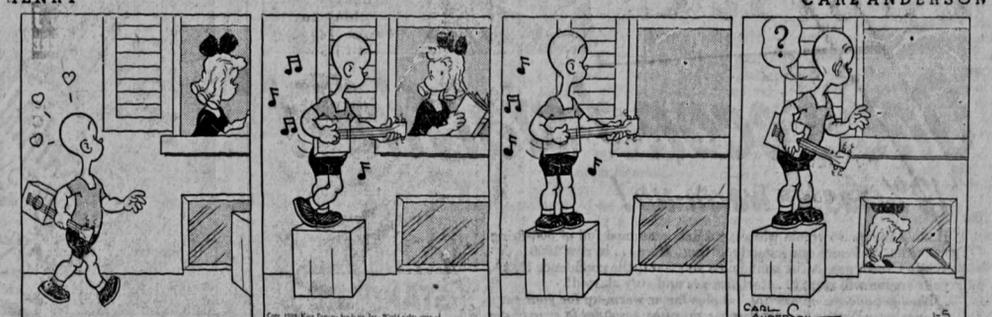


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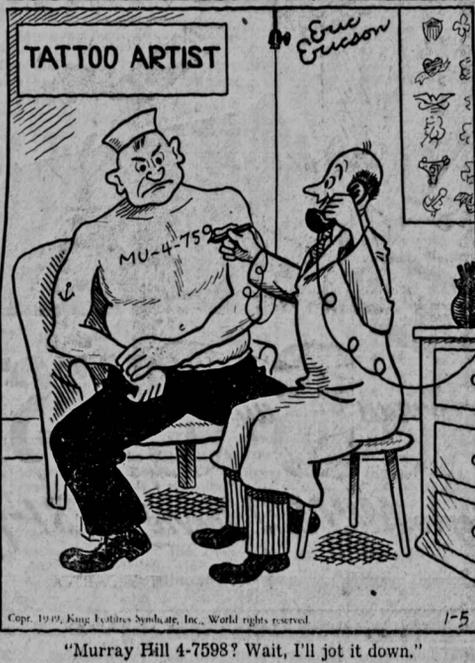


CARL ANDERSON

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LAFF-A-DAY



"Murray Hill 4-7598? Wait, I'll jot it down."

## Semester Final Exam Schedule Announced

Final examination schedules have been released by SUI's examination service and the registrar's office for the colleges of commerce, education, engineering, liberal arts, and the graduate college.

First exams are set for the morning of Jan. 28 and the last sessions, Feb. 4. Exams are listed according to the department and course number or by the first weekly lecture or recitation meeting.

In general, courses with early exam periods last spring are scheduled late in the period now.

In cases of conflicts, the course with the higher department number takes precedence. If two courses in the same department conflict, the higher course number counts.

No student is required to take more than three finals in any one day. Anyone with more than three the same day or two the same hour, should file a request for schedule change in the registrar's office by noon, Jan. 21.

**Saturday, Jan. 28**  
7:30-9:20 — Classes which meet first on Monday 7:30 a.m.; Monday 11:30 a.m.

9:30-11:20 — All sections of Skills 105, 10:6, 10:7, 10:8, 10:10 and Gen. Bns. 6G:117.

**Monday, Jan. 30**  
7:30-9:20 — Classes which meet first on Monday 12:30; Monday 7:30 p.m. All sections Bus S. 6G:125.

9:30-11:20 — All sections EE 55:175, CE 53:71, Mkt'g 6:131, Chem. 4:2, Chem 4:1 and Art 1:101.

12:30 - 2:20 — All sections ME 58:30, EE 55:41, Home Ec 17:3, 17:1 and Core 11:23.

2:30-4:20 — Classes which meet first on Monday 2:30.

5:30-7:20 — Classes which meet first on Tuesday 2:30. All sections Core 11:37-2, Art 1:102.

7:30-9:20 — All sections Physics 29:7, Latin 20:38, Journ. 19:15, Eng 8:15 and Gen Bus. 6G-147.

**Tuesday, Jan. 31**  
7:30-9:20 — Classes which meet first on Tuesday 7:30 a.m., Tuesday 11:30 a.m. All sections Core 11:38-2, Art 1:101.

9:30-12:20 — All classes Mand H 59:42, CE 53:191, Zool 3:71, Home Ec 17:2, Core 11:12, French 9:27, and Labor 6L:151.

12:30-2:20 — All sections ME 58:131, EngrDr. 54:1, Speech 38:131, Span 35:2, 35:1, Social 34:2, 34:1, French 9:2, 9:1, and GenBus. 6G:121.

2:30-4:20 — Classes which meet first on Monday 8:30.

5:30-7:20 — Classes which meet first on Tuesday 8:30.

7:30-9:20 — All sections Span. 35:3, Econ 6E:3 and Gen Bus. 6G:1.

**Wednesday, Feb. 1**  
7:30-9:20 — Classes which meet first on Monday 4:30, Tuesday 4:30. All sections Econ 6E:4.

9:30-11:20 — All sections ME 58:101, EE55:106, PolSci 30:1, Core 11:11, Act 6A:104, and 6A:103.

12:30-2:20 — All sections Skills 10:31; 12:22; 10:21; French 9:3 and Act 6A:8.

2:30-4:20 — Classes which meet first on Monday 3:30. All sections Act 6A:7.

5:30-7:20 — Classes which meet first on Tuesday 3:30.

7:30-9:20 — All sections Hygiene 63:101, Core 11:37-1, Core 11:2, Labor 6L:155 and Art 1:102.

**Thursday, Feb. 2**  
7:30-9:20 — Classes which meet first on Tuesday 12:30, Tuesday 7:30 p.m. All sections GenBus. 6G:115.

9:30-11:20 — All sections Mand H. 59:41, ME 58:53, Zool 37:102, PEW 28:103, and Mkt'g 6M:135.

12:30-2:20 — All sections Psych 31:111, PolSci 30:3, Math 22:24, 22:23; 22:6; 22:5; 22:3 and ChWelf 5:101.

2:30-4:20 — Classes which meet first on Monday 10:30.

5:30-7:20 — Classes which meet first on Tuesday 10:30.

7:30-9:20 — All sections Psych 31:131; 31:1, PEM 27:6; 27:5, Music 25:1, Core 11:3, Engl 8:18, Engl 8:17, Act 6A:102 and Act 6A:101.

**Friday, Feb. 3**  
7:30-9:20 — Classes which meet first on Tuesday 9:30.

9:30-11:20 — All sections ME 58:49, Speech 36:11, PEM 27:31, Journ 19:101, Home Ec 17:23, Core 11:32 and Engl 8:101.

12:30-2:20 — All sections Social 34:131, Journ. 19:119, Core 11:38; 11:35; 11:31 and Mkt'g 6M:133.

2:30-4:20 — Classes which meet first on Monday 1:30.

5:30-7:20 — Classes which meet first on Tuesday 1:30.

7:30-9:20 — All sections PEM 27:21, Core 11:1 and Labor 6L:152.

**Saturday, Feb. 4**  
7:30-9:20 — Classes which meet first on Monday 9:30.

## Vatican Congratulates SUI School of Religion

The SUI school of religion received high Catholic recognition recently when its trustees received a congratulatory letter from the Vatican City.

The letter came from Msgr. C. Crivelli, ranking Jesuit official, and O. D. Foster, who was guest instructor in the school of religion and the department of history at SUI from 1946 to 1948.

**Plan Well Designed**  
After studying the problems of Catholic-Protestant relationships and the purpose of the SUI school of religion, the two Catholic leaders sent "felicitations" on the success of a "plan so well designed to give equal opportunities to responsible leaders of the Jewish-Christian tradition to present religious instruction and example" at SUI.

The Rev. M. Willard Lampe, director of the school, said that although the letter has no official connection with the Catholic's Holy Year of Jubilee, its spirit is "high cause for jubilee as the School of Religion enters the mid-century year."

**Letter Continues**  
The letter from Rome continued: "In this day when all spiritual agencies are ominously confronted by formidable common foes, all men of good will are obligated to harness their spiritual and material resources, so far as they can without compromise of principle, for the maintenance and enrichment of all that is so precious to us in Western civilization."  
The Catholics expressed "gratitude to God and congratulations to you at Iowa City" for showing what "charitably minded men of Godly purpose can do in similar situations."

Foster, who was also a charter member of the SUI school of religion, spent last year touring Spain and Italy where he met Msgr. Crivelli at the Vatican library.

**UNEMPLOYMENT REPORT**  
WASHINGTON (AP)—The census bureau reported Tuesday that 3,489,000 Americans were on the jobless rolls last month.

## ROTC Selects Cadet Colonel For 48th Ball

An honorary cadet colonel and her four aides were selected by advanced ROTC students Wednesday night to reign over the 48th annual Military ball Feb. 17.

The names of the winners will remain secret, however, until the ball.

The coed beauties were chosen from a field of 10 finalists, who were selected from an original field of 22 candidates. Selection was made at an Iowa Union river room mixer Wednesday night.

Finalists were Dona Lee Bendixen, A4, Le Mars; Virginia Burt, A4, Ottumwa; Marjorie Campbell, A4, Jefferson; Ruth Celke, A4, Cleveland; Maxine Erickson, A4, Boone; Donna Belle Jones, A4, Missouri Valley.

Joy Lawrence, N4, Cherokee; Marian Neff, A4, Ames; Betty Jane Rehmkne, A4, Oxford Junction, and Joan Tripp, A4, Mapleton.

The first meeting of the 1950 board will immediately follow the adjournment of the retiring board.

## Sale of Christmas Seals Still Short of Quota

James Schmidt, acting chairman of the 1949 Christmas Seal sale, Wednesday appealed to Johnson county residents to acknowledge their Christmas Seal letters if they have not already done so.

Total receipts to date are still short of the quota for the Johnson County Tuberculosis and Health association, Schmidt said.

Anyone who wishes to make a special contribution toward the X-ray equipment for Mercy hospital may do so by indicating their desire on the payment sent in, he added.

The Christmas Seals funds this year will be used to fight both tuberculosis and heart disease.

## First Baptist Meeting To Feature Movies

"Pattern for Peace," a movie, will be featured at the monthly church meeting of the Iowa City First Baptist church tonight.

The movie and a discussion of church business will follow a 6:30 p.m. pot-luck supper at the church, the Rev. Elmer E. Dierks said Wednesday.

## Try and Stop Me

By BENNETT CERF

AN ex-C. I., undergoing an examination for appointment to the New York police force, was asked, "If your beat was a lonely path in Central Park, and a beautiful young girl rushed up to you and declared that a strange man had suddenly grabbed her, and hugged and kissed her, what would you do?" The G.I. replied without hesitation, "I would endeavor to reconstruct the crime."



The Norfolk and Western Railroad's alert publicity department broadcasts this story with a moral: A motorist was a hundred yards from an open railway crossing tearing along at sixty miles an hour. A train, coming down the track at the same speed, was an equal distance from the intersection. Problem: Did the motorist get across? Solution: Yes, the motorist got a cross all right — a beautiful marble cross purchased by his widow from his insurance money.

## Fines Net \$7,532 In 3-Month Period

A report on money collected in Iowa City police court for the period from Oct. 1 to Dec. 31, 1949 was submitted to the mayor and council Wednesday by Police Judge Emil G. Trott.

The report for the three-month period showed: City fines — \$5,954.49, City costs — \$286.50, City bonds forfeited — \$364.00, total — \$6,604.99. The report also showed state fines — \$799.50, State costs — \$97.50, State bonds forfeited — \$30, Total — \$927.00.

The grand total for the three month period was \$7,531.99.

## Two Persons Fined

Two persons were fined a total of \$5 in Iowa City police court Wednesday.

Frederick Luckey, Riverside, was fined \$22.50 for speeding. William Allee, 319 N. Linn street, was fined \$12.50 for improper passing.



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