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The Weather

Clear and mild today, Saturday colder, cloudy and possible rain. High today, 50; low, 30. High Thursday, 54; low, 26.

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Truman Steps Out of Primary In New England

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Truman Thursday ruled out a race against Sen. Estes Kefauver (D-Tenn.) in the New Hampshire primary on March 11, but still left the way open for himself to seek re-election.

Saying presidential primaries are eyewash, Truman emphasized that his withdrawal from the New Hampshire contest, the first in the nation, does not mean he is pulling out of the national election picture.

It doesn't mean that at all, he said. With breezy confidence, Truman told his news conference that if he decides to run, he could get the nomination without going into any of the state primaries.

Kefauver to Stay in Primary
On Capitol Hill, Kefauver promptly announced he will stay in the New Hampshire race—despite the fact that Truman's withdrawal has taken all the bite out of the Democratic phase of the contest and left it virtually meaningless.

The so-called "popularity" test in the little New England state is still important from a Republican standpoint, however, with Sen. Robert A. Taft (R-Ohio), Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, and Harold E. Stassen lined up for a three-way race.

While keeping everybody guessing about his intentions, President Truman reminded newsmen that technically he has served only one term as president. Anyway the new constitutional ban against a third term in the White House does not apply to him but only to future presidents.

Will Have Served 2 Full Terms
Actually, at the end of his present term, Truman will have served two full terms minus about three months. He entered the White House in mid-April 1945 on the death of President Franklin D. Roosevelt who had just begun his fourth term.

Under some circumstances, Truman's withdrawal from the New Hampshire primary might have buoyed the hopes of a whole crop of aspirants for the Democratic presidential nomination. Most of whom have been hanging back while waiting with some restiveness for the President to announce his intentions.

There had been speculation that he might be flushed out into the open by the fact that New Hampshire law sets a 10-day deadline for a candidate to withdraw his name—once it has been entered by supporters as Truman's was Wednesday— or go on the ballot.

Big Question Unanswered
The President withdrew, but he refused to be flushed. He kept the big question still dangling: will he or won't he run again?
As for presidential primaries, Truman brushed them aside, saying they are all eyewash, and don't mean a thing when the nominating convention meets.

Even as Truman scoffed at the importance of the present primary setup, Sen. Paul Douglas (D-Ill.) and Rep. Charles Bennett (D-Fla.) introduced a bill in congress for a new system of nationwide presidential primaries.

Under the plan, the attorney general would be instructed to work out agreements with the various states to conduct presidential preferential primaries for the major political parties—aimed at bringing about "greater direct participation by the people" in nominating candidates for president and vice-president.

McCarthy Gets Verbal Lashing from Truman

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Truman upbraided Sen. Joseph McCarthy (R-Wis.) Thursday as pathological and a character assassin.

He said that if McCarthy ever told the truth he, the President, has not found out about it. He noted that he was speaking without immunity, a protection from lawsuits the senator has enjoyed in some of the charges of communism he has leveled at various government figures.

McCarthy replied that the President was indulging in "name calling" and he added that "the tone of the words are almost the same as when the house committee was exposing Alger Hiss."

The President spoke out vehemently at a news conference when asked about McCarthy's recent senate speech attacking Philo Nash, a special White House assistant.

McCarthy said Nash, a presidential aide handling problems of minority groups, had close associations with Communists in the 1940's. Nash branded the charge untrue.



Daily Iowan Photo by Carl Foster

Some People Like the Outdoor Life

PLENTY OF SUNSHINE AND SPRING-LIKE WEATHER put the skids under many a student who had ideas of studying for finals Thursday, but Alice Ballah, A4, Terrell, Georgia Rose, A4, Carroll, and Joanne Vogt, A3, Springfield, Ill., decided to combine the two and take advantage of the 54 degree weather. Finals will be concluded Saturday and graduation exercises will be held in the field house in the afternoon. Registration for the spring semester will begin Monday.

Syrian Student Is Nephew Of Reportedly Slain Ex-Premier

Nadim Koudsi, a graduate student in political science at SUI, was trying early this morning to determine the accuracy of reports that his uncle, a former premier of Syria, had been assassinated.

Cairo newspapers Thursday carried an unconfirmed report of an outbreak of violence in Syria and the murder of Nazam Bey Koudsi.

Koudsi, leader of the Populist party, was Syrian premier from June, 1950, until last March when he resigned without explanation. He has been asked to form a new government several times since then but refused.

He was jailed last November when Col. Adib Shishkeily set up a virtual military dictatorship following an army coup.

It was reported six days ago

Senate Raps Boyle, Gabrielson for 'Deals'

WASHINGTON (AP) — Republican National Chairman Guy Gabrielson and William M. Boyle Jr., former Democratic party chief, were reprimanded in the senate Thursday for business activities "bound to lead to charges of impropriety."

The senate investigations subcommittee took them to task for their relations with the reconstruction finance corporation (RFC) while in positions of "quasi-public trust" as party leaders.

Neither Boyle nor Gabrielson was accused of any illegality, but the senators said they should have conducted themselves so as to be above suspicion.

Senator McCarthy (R-Wis.) was the only member of the subcommittee who did not sign the report although he consented to its being filed with the senate.

McCarthy said there was no evidence that Boyle benefited financially from any RFC negotiations after he became Democratic chairman, and that there was no evidence of "pressure applied on the RFC" by Gabrielson.

Truman Endorses Plan for United States of Europe

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Truman Thursday endorsed a proposal to set up a United States of Europe as a major step "toward the advancement of freedom and the maintenance of peace."

The President signified his approval in a letter to sponsors of a resolution asking the senate to go on record favoring the establishment of a European federation.

The three sponsors are Sens. J. William Fulbright (D-Ark.), Brian McMahon (D-Conn.) and Sparkman (D-Ala.). Last week, Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, supreme Allied commander in Europe, called for a constitutional convention to cope with the problems of "a greater political and economic unity" of Europe.

Springlike Weather To Linger Today; Saturday Colder

Thursday's balmy 54 degree weather and sunny skies aroused optimism in everyone except the weather man. He chilled Iowa City's hopes for an early spring with reports of a cold air mass building up in northwestern Canada and due to arrive late Saturday or Sunday.

The thermometer should boost itself over the 50 mark again today and drop to a possible low of around 30. Prospects for forenoon Saturday remain equally bright until warm southwesterly breezes are displaced by the Canadian cold.

Temperatures reached 37 Wednesday afternoon and dropped to 26 by 11 that night. By 3 p.m. Thursday they hit the high of 54. Highs in the state Wednesday ranged from 51 at Shenandoah to 28 at Dubuque.

Soviet Bloc Defends Conviction of Oatis

PARIS (AP) — Soviet bloc delegates defended Thursday the Czechoslovak trial that sent AP correspondent William N. Oatis to prison charged with being a spy.

Replying to a declaration of the United States in the United Nations social committee that Oatis was convicted in a staged trial, Russia's Alexey Pavlov said the Soviet Union and other Communist countries would deal death to future spies they catch, "be they journalist spies or parachute spies."

He asserted Oatis had confessed dealing with "political, industrial and military information" and passing it on secretly to U.S. embassy officials.

Oatis was a "discredited spy," Pavlov said, because he was caught.

"Each and every one of these spies will get what he deserves and many of them will envy those who get away with mere jail sentences," the black-bearded Soviet ambassador to Paris told the committee. "If you stick in your paws, we will hack them off."

SUI Student Charged With Petty Larceny

A 20-year-old SUI liberal arts senior from Albia has been charged with petty larceny by Iowa City police.

The charge was filed after John Starcevic, 906½ Webster st., admitted he took some record albums from Spencers Harmony Hall, 15 S. Dubuque st., authorities said.

They said Starcevic told them he walked out Tuesday with an album under his coat and later returned it, telling the store manager he had taken several others besides.

Police said he admitted he had also taken some records from the West Music Co., 14 S. Dubuque st. A warrant has been issued for his arrest and the case will be tried before Police Judge Emil G. Trott.

ROYAL TOUR
LONDON (AP) — A big silver and blue plane bore Princess Elizabeth and the Duke of Edinburgh Thursday night on the first leg of a round-the-world tour in which they will visit Australia, New Zealand and other British empire outposts.

Slash In Draft Indicated; Previous Figures Incorrect

Guerrilla Attacks In Suez Canal Zone Reported Silenced

CAIRO, Egypt (FRIDAY) (AP) — Reliable informants said today Egypt's new regime has called off guerrilla attacks on British Suez forces and got a promise of co-operation from the fiery former government.

The calming influence is being administered by Prime Minister Aly Maher Pasha. He took office at the request of King Farouk last Sunday to put down deadly and destructive violence under martial law.

The informants' reports came on an apparent trend toward conciliation between Egypt and the British-Allied Western powers, who want to set up a Middle East defense command.

The Waft party of ousted Prime Minister Mustapha Nahas Pasha agreed late Thursday night—in principle—to join an all-party national front to bolster Maher Pasha's dealings with the west, authoritative sources disclosed.

The political move came after informants said instructions had gone out to anti-British hot-heads to stop sniping and bombing British installations and personnel in the disputed Suez canal zone.

Western diplomats agreed calm is essential if any new talks are to be held on a settlement of the British-Egyptian dispute.

Way Cleared for Final Truce Item

MUNSAN, Korea (FRIDAY) (AP) — The United Nations truce negotiators suddenly cleared the way Thursday for the Communists to bring their pet demand for withdrawal of foreign troops from Korea.

Vice Adm. C. Turner Joy, chief Allied negotiator, attempting to speed the long talks, invited the Reds to open immediate negotiations on the final agenda item, although agreement has not yet been reached on other major issues.

In a letter to North Korean Lt. Gen. Nam Il, top Communist truce delegate, Joy asked that "your side propose the first draft of articles relating to agenda item five."

Item five calls simply for "recommendations to the governments of the countries concerned on both sides."

2 Women Escape From State Reformatory

ROCKWELL CITY, Ia. (AP) — Two inmates of the women's reformatory here walked away from their cottage Thursday night, Mrs. Helen M. Talbot, superintendent of the institution, said.

Authorities in northwest Iowa have been alerted to pick up Daisy Jorgenson, 38, of Marshalltown, and Joan Anderson, 17, of Sioux City.



He Calls It 'Stovepipe'

ADJUSTING THE FUEL INTAKE, Harold Fairchild, E4, Leon, is shown as he operates the "stovepipe" model jet engine he designed and constructed. Fairchild will be graduated Saturday with a bachelor of science degree in mechanical engineering.

Ram-Jet Engine Built By Engineering Student

An SUI engineering student has designed and constructed a model jet engine which functions exactly as some of the jet engines used in fighter planes.

The engine is a ram-jet, similar to those used on planes released from large bombers in flight. This type of jet cannot take off from a standing start but must be released from a moving object, since a flow of air through its engine is necessary for its operation.

Harold Fairchild, E4, Leon, who will graduate from the university Saturday with a Bachelor of Science degree in mechanical engineering, built the jet engine for a course in individual research.

Called 'Stove Pipe'
Fairchild's model jet engine is approximately a foot long and is constructed of brass. There are no moving parts; the engine simply consists of a hollow tube, narrowed at each end and tapering toward the rear. Engineers often call it a "stove pipe."

A mixture of gasoline and diesel fuel is injected directly into the combustion chamber of the engine, passing through a cylinder perforated by small holes which break up the fuel into tiny drops. Combustion is started by inserting a blazing rag into the engine's nose.

Fairchild's jet operates in a stationary position suspended in front of a high-pressure air source. Entering through the constricted nose of the jet at 70 to 80 miles per hour, the air mixes thoroughly with the fuel.

Heat Energy Formed
When the mixture ignites, a tremendous amount of heat energy is released. This energy is converted to velocity as the gases, passing out through the constricted rear of the engine, "thrust" the engine forward.

It took Fairchild three months to complete the engine successfully and as yet little experimental data has been compiled on its operation. After Fairchild is graduated other students will carry on research on the engine's operation, including experiments as to the best type of fuel, rate of fuel consumption and changes of operation in relation to temperature changes.

Married and the father of a newly-born baby, Fairchild expects to work for the Oliver Corporation at Charles City after graduation.

Censure of British Austerity Plan Fails

LONDON (AP) — Prime Minister Churchill's Conservative party government beat down handily Thursday night a Labor party move for a no confidence vote in the new program of grim lean living to help win peace.

The showdown vote, on a Labor motion, to censure the government, was 309 to 278. After defeating censure, the house of commons formally adopted the government's program, 306 to 275.

Liberals joined Conservatives in this about test of strength of the Churchill government, which took office three months ago after six years of Labor rule.

Quota Affected By Enlistments, Casualty Drop

WASHINGTON (AP) — A sharp drop in the rate of casualties in Korea and an increase in enlistments has made it possible to cut originally planned draft quotas, selective service said Thursday.

Maj. Gen. Lewis B. Hershey, selective service director, had indicated to the house armed services committee that a sharp upturn was in prospect this spring. But an aide said later a figure Hershey used was based on old information and that the picture had changed.

Hershey, testifying in support of universal military training said indications are the armed forces will call upon selective service for 430,000 men during the seven months ending next June 30.

Figure Outdated
A few hours later, however, a selective service spokesman telephoned news services to say that the figure was out-dated, that it had been prepared "on the situation as it existed in November."

Hershey later told a reporter that although there have been changes in the picture since the estimate was prepared, he used the 430,000 figure because it was the most recent one on the armed forces' probable intake of men which he had received from the defense department.

"I don't know of any later figures," he said. "They haven't furnished me any."
He said there undoubtedly have been changes in the situation, but that his office had not attempted to correlate them with the 430,000 figures supplied by the Pentagon.

Report Includes Enlistments
In any event, he said, the 430,000 figure was meant to represent not just the number to be taken into the armed services through the draft, but to include voluntary enlistments as well — "all removals from the (manpower) pool" except for any national guard or reserve troops who might be called up.

Hershey said that a caption on his statement, which indicated that the 430,000 represented only the probable total draft quota for the seven months, "was undoubtedly our mistake."

On the basis of Hershey's original testimony, it had appeared that draft quotas for the April-June period would have to be more than 90,000 men a month. **Would Have Been Sharp Upturn**
That would have represented a sharp upturn and would exceed the 80,000 figure for March, 1951, the peak month since the draft was reactivated in September 1950.

Hershey's aide later said the sharp reduction in Korean casualties, largely attributed to current truce negotiations, had made it likely that the 430,000 figure which Hershey used would be reduced considerably. He said it might be in the neighborhood of 275,000 to 300,000, "barring unforeseen things."

The aide also said a raise in voluntary enlistments had made it possible to reduce draft quotas still further.

While the quotas are fixed by the defense department, the selective service spokesman said that it now appears that they will run between 40,000 and 50,000 men during the April-June period.

Since the draft was reactivated, the monthly average has been just over 46,000. Young men 18½ through 25 are subject to the draft.

Police Raid Offices Of German Reds

BONN, Germany (AP) — Hundreds of West German police Thursday raided the hangouts of German Communists and members of the neo-Nazi coalition Reich party, accused by the Bonn government of subversive activities.

They made cellar to attic searches of homes and offices for documentary evidence of illegal activity to support the government's suits to outlaw both parties.

The police hauled away truckloads of papers, including records of party meetings, propaganda material, leaflets and bank records. No arrests were made.

Water Dampens Spirit of Amusement Park



AP Wirephoto

IF PLEASURE SEEKERS WERE ABLE TO REACH Cincinnati, Ohio's Coney island, one of the Midwest's largest amusement parks, seeking thrill rides such as the meandering "shooting star" at the left, they would come up from some of the dips with pockets full of water. This photo, made from a height of 200 feet Thursday, shows more than 6 feet of water covering a majority of the park's "Mall." The cylindrical top building back of the roller coaster is the merry-go-round.

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- Saturday, Feb. 2**
12:20 p.m. Close of First Semester.
1:45 p.m. — Mid-year Commencement, Field house.
- Monday, Feb. 4**
8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. — Registration for Second Semester, Field house.
2:00 p.m. — University Newcomers Tea, Iowa Union.
8:00 p.m. — Basketball: Butler University here, Field house.
- Tuesday, Feb. 5**
8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. — Registration for Second Semester, Field house.
7:30 p.m. — Hick Hawks Square Dancing, Women's Gym.
8:00 p.m. — University Vespers, Mr. Howard Thurman, "The Quest for Peace," Macbride Aud.
- Wednesday, Feb. 6**
7:30 a.m. — Opening of classes for Second Semester.
7:30 p.m. — Geology Lecture, "General Australiana," Dr. Curt Teichert, University of Melbourne, Geology Lect. Rm.
- Thursday, Feb. 7**
2:00 p.m. — The University Club, Partner Bridge and Canasta, Iowa Union.

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

GENERAL NOTICES

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DR. HOWARD THURMAN, former SUI instructor, pastor of the Church for the Fellowship of All Peoples, San Francisco, will speak on Tuesday, Feb. 5, at 8 p.m. in Macbride auditorium, on the subject "The Quest for Peace." Following the lecture, he will show pictures of the work of Fellowship church. No tickets are required and the University community is invited.

LIBRARY HOURS FOR THE interim period:
Main Library
Saturday, Feb. 2 — 8:30 a.m.-5 p.m.
Sunday, Feb. 3 — Closed
Monday, Feb. 4 — 9 a.m.-5 p.m.
Tuesday, Feb. 5 — 9 a.m.-5 p.m.
Wednesday, Feb. 6 — 8:30 a.m.-12 midnight
Departmental libraries will have their hours posted on the doors.

THE LUTHERAN STUDENT association will meet Sunday, Feb. 3, at 5:30 p.m. at the Lutheran Student house rather than at the First English Lutheran church. A discussion and social hour will follow the 5:30 supper.

INTERNATIONAL CLUB will have an informal meeting Saturday, Feb. 2, at 8 p.m. in the Congregational church. Everyone is invited to attend and have fun.

INDEPENDENT TOWN WOMEN will meet on Monday, Feb. 4, at 5:30 p.m. in the Union lobby or cafeteria for supper. There will be a short business meeting at 6:30 to adjourn in time for the basketball game. The business meeting will be held in the meeting room at the north end of the cafeteria. Blood donor cards will be distributed during this meeting.

MEN'S SECOND SEMESTER rushing plans begin Sunday, Feb. 3. Pledging permissible at 5 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 7. Temporary housing will be furnished for those not already signed up for housing. All men sign up at the Fraternity business office, 205 University hall.

THE UNIVERSITY BANDS need additional players for the second semester. Auditions daily in room 15, Music Building.

STUDENTS WISHING TO KEEP lockers the second semester must check their I.D. card at the equip-

Interlude



Interlandi "There must be some mix-up in schedules!"

Interpreting the News - When Will U.S. Begin Withdrawal of Troops?

By J. M. ROBERTS JR., Associated Press News Analyst

When will the United States withdraw her troops from Europe?

My friend Howard Blakeslee, Associated Press science editor whose intellectual curiosity extends far beyond that single field, almost mousetrapped me with that one this past Wednesday.

Thinking of defense program schedules, I almost said "a couple of years." But something stopped me, and when I did reply, it was, "why, probably never." Meaning within time that we can foresee.

Harold Callender, veteran foreign correspondent, discussed it in Thursday's New York Times in a dispatch from Paris.

As Europe sees it, he says, the question is: would United States opinion be more or less inclined to keep troops in Europe if a European army might tend to split Europe off from the Atlantic community and hasten the withdrawal of U.S. troops. American officials have been trying to convince this school of thought that the more Europe does for herself the more America will be inclined to help.

Well, there seems to be a little doubt that if a dependable European army is formed, this will be the subject of the "great debate" of 1953 or '54.

By that time, Americans will be growing awfully weary of the military program's interference with their hitherto steadily increasing standard of living. And they may be worried about the possibilities of an American army in Europe becoming involved in wars not of our choosing.

There is, of course, the possibility which has been mentioned in this column before, that instead of wanting to bring the troops home, they will be demanding a war "to get it over with."

But if Europe appears to pub-

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

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TO THE EDITOR:
Due to the lack of mail from home we were wondering if you would be so kind as to print our addresses in your paper. We have been in Korea for some time now and sort of lost contact with the U.S.A. Thanking you very much for this big favor.

Pfc. Bob Gentilcore
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1st Marine Div. F.M.F.
C/o F.P.O. San Francisco, Calif.

Silent Holy Man Challenges Nehru For Parliament Seat

ALLAHABAD, India (AP) — A world's rarity in politics — a candidate sworn to silence — is challenging India's loquacious Prime Minister Nehru for a seat in parliament.

He is bearded Prabhoo Dutt Brahmachari, a Hindu Sadhu (holy man) who has taken an oath, as a means of self-purification, never to speak.

Despite this pledge Brahmachari has conducted a strong campaign in Allahabad, Nehru's home town, presiding over mass meetings and silently receiving the homage and applause of his followers while saffron-robed lieutenants speak for him.

Support for the silent holy man has become so strong that Nehru abandoned earlier plans not to visit his own constituency. He addressed half a dozen meetings in Allahabad and his congress party concentrated some of their best campaigners in this area.

Voting in Nehru's own constituency will be finished shortly and results of his tilt with the nonspeaking holy man probably will be announced Feb. 6.

Brahmachari, a recluse whose name literally means a highly celibate person, made his main campaign plank opposition to the Hindu code bill, which confers on Hindu women rights which their Western sisters have long taken for granted.

"Its passage," he tells voters in written messages, "will mean the ruin of Hindu culture and religion."

Brahmachari's election appeals have been unique even in mystic India. His saffron-robed followers in hundreds go about begging at every household — not for food but for votes. They bless the householders, sprinkling Holy Ganges water on them, and plead that the return to power of Nehru's congress party means the end of everything sacred to Hindus.

The elections run through January in the plains but in the now snowbound northern Himalayan districts will begin during the third week of February.

Reunion Brings Tears of Joy



THE INTENSE EMOTION OF REUNION with his mother brings tears of joy to the face of marine Sgt. King Long, who lost both legs in the Korean fighting. Long and his mother, Mrs. Harry Leonard of New York, are pictured at the moment they met in Oakland, Calif., Thursday.

U.S. Operation Eager Beaver Aimed At Preventing Russ Regaining Alaska

By JOHN SEMBOWER
Written Especially for Central Press and The Daily Iowan

What looms as the United States largest winter military maneuvers in history will commence this month in Alaska, with the fifth army headquarters here in command. Operation Eager Beaver has been planned for many months.

The fact that this midwestern metropolis is the solar plexus of the winter war games stresses how central is the Russian threat to the vast territory which Uncle Sam bought in 1867 for a trifling \$7,200,000 from Czar Alexander II during happier days between the two nations.

Apparently it is an open secret that the Siberian far eastern section of the Soviet grand general staff has a full-fledged plan for a massive land invasion of Canada and the United States via Alaska.

German military experts who either were kidnaped or fled to Russia after World War II are said to have plotted the grand strategy involved, because its broad design suggests their kind of blitzkrieg thinking.

Stalin is believed to be attracted by a two-fold purpose: First Alaska as the "Pearl Harbor" of World War III would have great psychological impact, not only upon Americans who would see their territory invaded almost immediately, but by the Russians to whom the recapture of what once was "Russia in America" would have a tonic effect.

Secondly, Russia could use its big strength, its massive ground forces, to strike at the very heart of the United States and Canada, relegating the deployment of United States troops in Europe and Asia to the status of flanking movements which might have to be drawn in.

The sad irony of it all is that Alaska symbolizes the deep friendship which once existed between Russia and the United States. True, after gold was found



MAP SHOWS proximity of Alaska to the Russian mainland.

in the Yukon, Russia seemed to have made a very bad deal in selling it so cheaply, and still the purchase was made at the urgent solicitation of Russia.

Secretary of State William H. Seward, in 1867, scraped together the purchase price with no little difficulty, in view of the Civil war debt of nearly three billions which burdened the nation. But it seemed a small enough reward at the time for Czar Alexander, who had given great moral support to the North.

The Russian fleet had made trips to New York and San Francisco to counterbalance the English and French flirtations with the Southern cause, and Russia seemed like a good friend indeed.

Alexander likened the freeing of the slaves to his own liberation of the Russian serfs, and never overlooked an opportunity to profess his friendly recognition of the United States.

In contrast with the many spurious claims Russia makes these days for "firsts" in all fields, there can be no doubt that Bering and Chirikov in 1741 discovered Alaska. A few Spaniards from California may have preceded them, but the Arctic wastes were Russia's dish.

Administration of the vast territory, one-fifth as big as the United States is today and twice the area of Texas, proved to be a

terrible headache for the Czars, however. Alexander considered it good riddance, and threw in the islands in the Bering sea and the Aleutians for good measure.

This is what the Soviets now seem to covet, and the United States is preparing to defend as a territory knocking the door at full statehood. It is only a four-minute jet-fighter distance from Russia's powerful Anadair air base in Siberia.

Dotted through the vast region are this country's most elaborate top-secret radar defense bases, designed to spot the first assault on Canada or the United States. And they are only the beginning of a \$5 million "defense in depth" system which is under construction.

Next spring the new Hart highway will be spliced onto the end of the Alcan highway, making an unbroken roadway of United States and Canadian highways No. 97, stretching all the way from Weed, Calif., to Fairbanks, linking Alaska more closely to the United States than ever before.

However, the backbone of this entire defense setup is the Arctic-wide fighting man, and during the next three months these "eager beavers" will range far and wide on orders emanating from here, making sure that the Russian Bear will have no chance to become an "Indian giver" insofar as "Seward's ice box" is concerned.

Not to This Queen's Taste



PFC. LOUIS QUEEN IS A TREADED paratrooper as his chute loses the skirmish with the branches of a tree during a drop at Camp Drum, N.Y. Wednesday. Jumping with other members of his unit, the 11th airborne division, Queen, a medic, was caught in a 5-mile-an-hour wind. Jump was part of current joint army-air force maneuver, Exercise Snowfall.

WSUI PROGRAM CALENDAR

- Friday, February 1, 1952
- 8:00 Morning Chapel
 - 8:15 News
 - 8:30 Greek-Roman Literature
 - 9:20 News
 - 9:30 Baker's Dozen
 - 10:00 The Bookshelf
 - 10:15 Repeat Performance
 - 10:30 Listen & Learn — Great Composers
 - 10:45 Novatime
 - 11:00 News
 - 11:15 Music Box
 - 11:30 Music of Manhattan
 - 11:45 Errand of Mercy
 - 12:00 Rhythm Rambles
 - 12:30 News
 - 12:45 Sports Roundtable
 - 1:00 Musical Chats
 - 2:00 News
 - 2:10 18th Century Music
 - 2:30 Listen & Learn — Storyteller
 - 3:20 News
 - 3:30 Masterworks from France
 - 4:00 Grinnell College
 - 4:30 Tea Time Melodies
 - 5:00 Children's Hour
 - 5:30 News
 - 5:45 Sports
 - 6:00 KSUI SIGN ON
 - 6:00 Dinner Hour
 - 6:30 News
 - 7:00 Concert Classics
 - 7:30 Music You Want
 - 8:30 Music for the Connoisseur
 - 9:00 Campus Shop
 - 9:40 News Roundup
 - 10:00 SIGN OFF

Lutheran Group Narrows Choice for New College Site

ST. LOUIS (AP) — A new senior college of the Lutheran Missouri synod will be located either in Chicago or Milwaukee.

The decision was reached Thursday by a majority vote of the special 99-man committee on location of the college. The committee was appointed at the synod's last convention in Milwaukee in 1950.

Final decision on the location of the college, expected to cost between three and four million dollars, will be made by the church's board for higher education late in March.

Dr. John W. Behnen, president of the church body, said funds for the new college would be provided by a proposed \$10 million "conquest for Christ" offering now being planned by Missouri synod churches throughout the country.

Other areas recommended by the church's 14-member board for higher education were Council Bluffs, Fort Dodge, and Burlington, Ia., the Cleveland-Detroit area and Colorado Springs, Colo.

The board reported factors it had used in recommending the location where density of Lutheran population, geographic centrality, cultural opportunity, complementary education opportunity and accessibility.

The location committee also considered the possibility of converting into a senior college one of the preparatory schools at St. Paul, Minn., Milwaukee, Wis., and Fort Wayne, Ind.

Martin J. Nebb, executive secretary for the church's board for higher education, said a major function of the new senior college would be to "foster the spiritual growth of young Lutheran ministers-to-be."

City Record

- BIRTHS**
A daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Gene L. Bigelow, Tiffin, Thursday at Mercy hospital.
A daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Baughman, R.R. 5, Thursday at Mercy hospital.
- DEATHS**
Ortha Wagoner, 53, Le Grande, Wednesday at University hospitals.
- MARRIAGE LICENSES**
John Holway Ulrich, 29, and Reva J. Hatch, 24, both of Iowa City.
Jack Morris, 23, Du Pue, Ill., and Marilyn Cramer, 19, Minneapolis.
Thomas W. Trent, 24, Wellman, and Donna M. Hills, 19, Iowa City.
Oro Leroy Sexton, 21, and Alvera Joann Wilson, 22, both of Iowa City.
Joseph Raymond Petty Jr., 21, and Ann Monica Dougherty, 22, both of Iowa City.
Dean Richard Kenny, 21, and Marilyn Davisson, 19, both of Iowa City.
Bart Bankston, 29, and Lillie E. Hunt, 34, both of Rock Island.
Ward Dean Bonser, 27, Roma, and Mary Frances Brest, 18, Mt. Pleasant.
Douglas L. Benyshek, 21, and Marcella Vorhes, 22, both of Iowa City.
Raymond C. Christensen, 24, and Bessie C. Spurling, 21, both of Iowa City.
Ronald F. Opfehl, 21, Iowa City and Yvonne L. Nevers, 23, Mt. Pleasant.
Leo Schapira, 29, and Mildred Frayer, 29, both of Iowa City.
Harris W. Delk, 29, Chicago, Ill., and Betty L. Sauerberg, 31, Des Moines.

Plastic Clothing in Germany



MODELS DISPLAY CLOTHING made of plastic fabrics that have a silk-like texture. They are styled by Heinz Oestergaard and shown at a Dusseldorf fashion show.

Former Resident Given Position

Charles Nutting, former Iowa City resident and graduate of SUI, has been appointed vice chancellor of Pittsburgh university.

Widow Gets Help



MRS. ELINOR NORDNESS, Seattle, Wash., whose husband was lost in the sinking of the freighter Pennsylvania three weeks ago, shows a case of baby food, one of the many presents she has received from people trying to help her support three children.

Shoquist-Wolford Wedding Held



Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Wolford

Miss Carol Shoquist, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Shoquist, 723 E. Washington st. and Lieut. Robert C. Wolford, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wolford, Shenandoah, were married Sunday at the Congregational church.

University Women's Freshman Council Elects Officers

University Women's association recently chose 19 freshman girls as members of the freshman council for 1951-1952. President of the freshman group is Pat Caldwell.

Recently Married



Mrs. Robert Stava

Miss Joan Mary Venaglia, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Venaglia, Missouri Valley, and Albert W. Stava, son of Mr. A. W. Olsen, San Diego, Calif., were married in an afternoon ceremony at St. Thomas More church Jan. 19.

RETURNS HOME Mrs. Charles C. Wyley, wife of Prof. Wyley, SUI department of mathematics and astronomy, 619 Dearborn st., returned home Tuesday evening from a visit with her daughter Elinor, her son-in-law, H. L. Patterson and her grandson, Brian Patterson of East Moline, Ill.

Newcomers Club To Meet Monday

University Newcomers club will have the regular business meeting on Monday at the home of Mrs. Baldwin Maxwell, 111 E. Church st.

Thornton to Address Christian Youth Group

Prof. H. J. Thornton, of SUI's history department, will speak at the closing session of the "Call to United Christian Youth Action" at the Christian church at 7 p.m. Sunday.

A.K. Miller, SUI geology department. Tea chairman for the day is Mrs. R. Turnbull and her committee is composed of Mrs. W. Peterson, Mrs. R. Murray, Mrs. H. Crosby, Mrs. B. C. Chapla, Mrs. N. Skultetty, Mrs. H. Dill and Mrs. K. Porter will pour.

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PFC. HANSEN GRADUATES Pfc. Darrell Hansen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hansen, West Liberty, and an SUI graduate was recently graduated from a special leadership school conducted at Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo., by the 6th armored division for the purpose of developing selected personnel to become troop leaders and effective basic training instructors.

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Allie's Not Pitching This Inning



AP Wirephoto

CASEY STENDEL, EQUALLY WELL-KNOWN for his talking and his managing the New York Yankees, displays some of his vocal abilities to the Yanks' Allie Reynolds in a salary meeting Thursday. Either Casey didn't talk well enough or Allie covered up both ears because Stengel didn't come to terms with the big pitcher who hurled two no-hit, no-run games last season.

Picks Red Sox for Second Division—

Stengel Says Yankees Better

NEW YORK (AP) — Manager Casey Stengel went out on a limb Thursday. He predicted his New York Yankees will be a better team this season than last when they won the world championship and indicated his belief that the Boston Red Sox would wind up in the second division.

Even then the grizzled, 60-year-old skipper wouldn't say flatly his club would win a fourth straight pennant. "We'll finish one-two-three. That's all I will say right now," he said. "I figure Cleveland, Chicago and Detroit will provide the most competition."

Shares the Spotlight

Casey shared the spotlight with

Allie Reynolds, double no-hit Yankee pitcher, at a press conference. Stengel stopped off here en route to Boston where he was slated to be a guest speaker Thursday night at a dinner tendered by Boston's baseball writers.

Reynolds, here to receive the Player of the Year award, had a preliminary discussion with Yankee General Manager George Weiss but emerged from the huddle still unsigned.

The 33-year-old righthander declined to reveal how much money he had asked for and what the club offered. But he said he had asked for a "substantial" increase over his 1951 figure, estimated at \$22,500.

Reynolds said he had decided not to undergo surgery on his chip-plagued pitching elbow.

Won't Take Risk

"The doctors couldn't guarantee complete recovery," he said and "I wouldn't take the risk. The elbow doesn't hurt now. It feels fine."

Stengel based his belief that the Yankees, despite the loss of Joe DiMaggio, would be better in '52 because of the rapid improvement of last year's freshmen stars, such as Gil McDougald, Mickey Mantle and Tom Morgan, plus the influx of a new crop of freshmen which he termed the "best in the three years I've managed the Yanks."

Stengel sized up the American league race this way: "Cleveland, Chicago and Detroit should be better than last year," he said. "I expect the most trouble from those clubs. Boston? I know nothing about them except that they lost Bobby Doer, Junior Stephens ended up the season crippled, and they may lose Ted Williams."

Evy Says No Job Offer To Mertes

Forest Evashevski Thursday quashed all rumors that Bus Mertes has been offered a post on his staff, and added that he has lined up another assistant.

Reports have been circulating for several days that Mertes, former Iowa backfield star and now head coach at Bradley, would make the change. But Evy replied, "Bus has definitely not been offered a job here."

However, he left the door open for future negotiations by saying that he had talked to Mertes at the coaches' meetings in Cincinnati recently.

Has Contacted One

Evashevski said that he had contacted one man to complement his growing staff (now three), but that no release would be made on the matter until the man had made a settlement with his present employers.

To date, the staff includes Bob Flora, line coach; Chalmers (Bump) Elliot, backfield coach, and Wally Schwank, who will probably act as either freshman or junior varsity coach.

The exact nature of Schwank's duties have not been revealed yet, but it is generally believed that he will handle the freshman team. Those who saw Mertes returning to his alma mater suspected that he had been offered the junior varsity post.

Rumor Edwards Deal

Another name added to the rumor hopper is that of Earle Edwards, present Michigan State end coach and scout. This report has gained strength since the signing of Flora, a line specialist.

So as Evy gets full steam into the banquet circuit, he has three of a probable five-man staff on hand. He said Thursday that he will handle as many speeches as is possible in the next two months, taking the rest after spring practice, which will start in April.

8 Banquets in 5 Days

Starting Monday, he will make eight banquet speeches in five days, and will follow generally the same pattern during the two-month junkets. He doesn't know exactly how many are scheduled, saying he just takes them one at a time.

He made a favorable impression in a speech before the Des Moines Press and Radio club Wednesday night. He told the group that he would concentrate on building Iowa athletics on state loyalty, not with a checkbook.

He added that the only things certain for next season are that

he will field a team wearing black and gold that will operate a single wing from the T, and always behind an unbalanced line. His next speaking appearance will be at the Iowa City Monday Morning Quarterback club next Monday.

'Big Poison' Waner, Harry Heilmann Voted Hall of Fame Honors

NEW YORK (AP) — Two of the great all-time hitters of baseball, the late Harry Heilmann of the Detroit Tigers and Pittsburgh's Paul Waner, were named Thursday to baseball's Hall of Fame.

Chosen by a vote of baseball writers, they became the 61st and 62d to be enshrined at Cooperstown, N.Y. Heilmann, four times batting champion of the American league back in the roaring twenties, died last July 9 in Detroit at the age of 56. He had spent the last 15 years broadcasting Detroit games.

Waner — "Big Poison" of the famous Pirates' brother team that avenged enemy pitchers through two decades—is now 50 years old and a resident of Sarasota, Fla. He led the National league three times.

Bill Terry, former first baseman and manager of the New York Giants, and Dizzy Dean, onetime pitching star of the St. Louis Cardinals, barely missed selection to the Hall of Fame in the latest voting.

Terry received 155 votes, 21 short of the necessary number while Dean received 152.

Late Scores

Miss. State 107, Birmingham-Southern 75
South Carolina 62, Georgia 61
Georgetown 25, Colins 17
Penn State 27, American U. 32
St. Louis 62, Ohio State 54
Arkansas 33, Pittsburg (Kans.) State 37
Vanderbilt 80, David Lipscomb 69
Central College 61, Kansas Wesleyan 33
Villanova 66, Scranton 33

Last Period Rally Fails for Ohio State At St. Louis, 62-58

ST. LOUIS (AP)—The St. Louis university Billikens fought off a last-quarter Ohio State university drive, led by center Paul Ebert, for a 62-58 triumph over the Big Ten opposition Thursday night. Guard Lou McKenna was high for St. Louis with 16 points. Ebert had 20 tallies for Ohio.

The visitors, using two platoons, were fairly fresh at the finish and outscored the Bills 15-7 in the final stanza as they tried to make up their 11-point deficit of the start of the period.

St. Louis had a 14-point margin twice in the third period and still led by 10 points with three minutes to go in the game.

Most of McKenna's shots came in the first period—11 of the 16. He hit five consecutive baskets out of that many tries in that period to keep his team even.

K-State Declares 2 Cagers Ineligible After Husker Protest

MANHATTAN, KAN. (AP)—The Kansas State athletic council has declared ineligible two former Omaha South high school basketball players who were the subject of a University of Nebraska protest.

Sources close to the athletic council said the group held a special meeting Monday after the protest was received, and found "some evidence" of violation of Big Seven rules.

Nebraska, it was understood, complained that the players had been illegally recruited by Kansas State.

They were identified as Stanley Schaezle, who was graduated last week, and Dave Bell, who finished last spring.

The athletic council met on the same day the protest was received,

and plans to submit findings to the case to the Big Seven conference board for review.

Larry (Moon) Mullins, K-State athletic director, said the report on the council action was a "direct appraisal of the situation" and added, "The facts of this case will be reviewed by the conference faculty authorities."

Says Both Schools Guilty
The Omaha World-Herald Thursday quoted the father of one of the boys as saying he regretted Nebraska as guilty in recruiting efforts on his son as K-State.

Specifically, the newspaper said Nebraska charged K-State with violating "personal solicitation of athletes off the campus" members of the athletic staff. The athletic council met on the same day the protest was received,

Hawks at Milwaukee Meet Tonight —

Runners to Face Stiff Competition

By LEE CANNING

Iowa's track team gets its first outside competition of the season tonight when a six-man Hawkeye squad, headed by Gary Scott and Ted Wheeler, travels to Milwaukee for the annual Milwaukee Journal track and field meet.

The Hawks are entered in one team relay and three individual events. Wheeler will run the mile and Rich Ferguson will run the other distance event, the two mile. LeRoy Ebert will compete in the 600-yard race with Scott, Ebert, DuWayne Dietz and Bobby Clark making up Iowa's entry in the mile relay.

All Big Ten teams but Indiana, plus Drake, Marquette, Notre Dame, Oklahoma A & M, and Loyola of Chicago have field entries for the Milwaukee meet.

Strong Mile Field

Mile relay teams from Illinois and Michigan will provide the Hawks with stiff competition.

Iowa finished second to Illinois in that event with Michigan fourth in the conference outdoor meet last year.

GEHRMANN ANSWERS

MILWAUKEE (AP) — Don Gehrmann will run his usual race when he meets Fred Witt tonight for the fourth time this year in the Milwaukee Journal indoor games, he said Thursday in answer to charges that he doesn't run as fast as he could.

"The time depends on what Witt does," Gehrmann said with a sly grin. "I'll run to win as I always do," which has been good enough for 14 wins in 18 meetings.

1951, will be led by returning lettermen Cirillo McSweeney and Roger Swank. McSweeney was the Big Ten's 440-yard champion last season.

In the two mile, Ferguson meets

Michigan's captain Don McEwen, Illinois' Ocie Trimble, Marquette's Bob Allen, Loyola's Dick K... and Drake's Gordon Dickson.

McEwen is Big Ten Champ
McEwen will be making his appearance of the year after an early season foot injury kept him on the sidelines. The wily Canadian is conference indoor and door two mile champion and door mile king.

Ferguson, freshman from Toronto, Canada, has covered the mile distance in 9:17 in the British championships of 1951 and will have to go some to top Ewen, who has marks of 8:46 and 9:04.6 for the event.

The 600-yard field including Jack Carroll of Michigan, Lavery of Drake, Sam Green of Wisconsin and Iowa's Ebert. In the mile, Wheeler's time of 4:18.7 could give him the edge over such performers as Johnson of Drake, George L... of Michigan, and Steve M... of Wisconsin.

City, U-High to Meet Loop Leaders Tonight

By JIM COOKE

University high tangles with the league leading Mt. Vernon Mustangs tonight in an Eastern Iowa conference basketball game at the Bluehawk's gym. The Blues will be seeking revenge for a 63-56 loss suffered Dec. 7 at Mt. Vernon.

The Mustangs, paced by high scorers Bill Kamerling and Dick Moore, are currently undefeated in conference play with seven wins, while the Blues follow in second place with six games won and two lost.

Coach Lou Alley will start his usual lineup of forwards Tom Kent and Gardner Van Dyke, center Craig Perrin, and guards Mel Rittger and Smokey Stover. That group will attempt to slow down Mt. Vernon's fast break which gave them a 16-point first quarter lead the last time the two teams met. Regular Bluehawk guard Bruce Miller is still sidelined with a broken hand.

Mt. Vernon will probably counter with Kamerling, Carney, and the two Moore brothers, Jim and Dick, the nucleus of the squad which this week was crowned Linn county basketball champions in the annual tournament held at Center Point.

There will be a game between the two reserve squads beginning at seven o'clock with action slated to get underway in the varsity contest at approximately 8:15.

City high's Little Hawks take on Davenport, undefeated leader of the Mississippi Valley conference, tonight on the Blue Devils' home floor in the feature game on the loop schedule.

Tonight's encounter will be the second of the season between Davenport and City, with the Blue Devils heavily favored to repeat their early season victory on City's home court.

Davenport has raced past all conference foes and has only two losses, to Moline and Rock Island, on its record. Carl Widseth, 6-4 center, and forward Dave Seeboldt have provided the scoring and rebounding spark for Coach Paul Moon's state champions of the 1950-51 season.

The Little Hawks will be looking for their fifth straight win after dropping a 66-46 decision to Clinton on Jan. 4. Since then City has tipped Roosevelt and McKinley of Cedar Rapids, East Waterloo and Dubuque to boost its season's record to 8-4 and its conference mark to 4-4.

Leading the way for City has been center Jim Freeman, who had his best nights of the season against East Waterloo when he collected 28 points and against McKinley when he scored 29 points.

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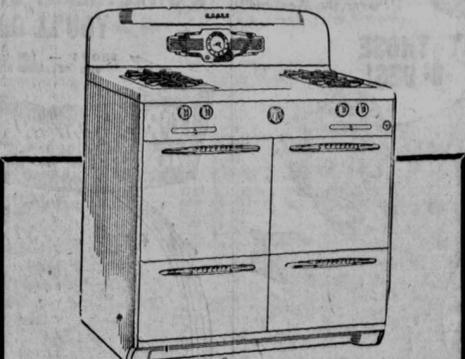
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- 10-3804 Roper. Divided cooking top, light, timer, r'ant store-all. Was \$237.95, now \$214.15
- 50-3804 Roper. Like model above, but with automatic oven, broiler lighting. Was \$248.95, now \$224.05
- 50-3804K Roper. Like model above but also provides completely automatic oven cooking. Was \$279.95, now \$251.95
- 50-7304K Roper. Like model above but has high-level broiler in place of "Store-All." Was \$351.95, now \$316.75
- 50-7304B Roper. Like model above but also has flameless electric lighters for oven and broiler. Was \$375.70, now \$338.15

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Local Scouts To Run Offices in City Feb. 9

Freckles and crew cuts, usual rare sights in Iowa City's governmental offices, will be much in evidence Feb. 9. That's the day new city "officials," elected from the ranks of Iowa City Boy Scouts and Explorer Scouts, will take over temporarily.

The "day in office" for the Scouts is part of Iowa City's observance of National Boy Scout week Feb. 6-12. Scouts also will handle the Feb. 4 meeting of the city council along with adult council members.

Each of the seven Iowa City troops nominated one Scout or Explorer as a candidate for the five council positions. Final votes were cast Thursday between 4 and 5 p.m.

Mayor to Be Chosen
Scout "councilmen" will meet with city officials for a briefing on the responsibilities of the city council. They also will elect a mayor from the group and appoint a civil service commission of city officers.

The scout city council and other major officers will be sworn in at 9:30 a.m., Saturday, Feb. 9. From 10 to 11 a.m. they will hold a meeting to pass laws and conduct other business.

Each adult city officer will assist the scout holding his position. Iowa City coordinators for the "day in office" are Edward W. Lucas, attorney, and Frank Burge, assistant director of the Iowa Memorial Union.

Special Services
Sunday, Feb. 10, scouts and leaders will attend church services in uniform. A family supper for all Cubs, Scouts, Explorers, Scouters, and friends of Scouting and their families will be held on the main floor of the Community building at 5 p.m., Sunday, Feb. 10.

Window displays of handicraft, literature and various types of scouting equipment are being planned by many dens, patrols and crews, said John Von Lackum, chairman of window displays.

Most local packs and troops are planning special "parents' nights" and other programs. Each boy will be expected to wear his uniform to school during the week.

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WHERE'S THE NEAREST RESTAURANT, YOU YOUNG RASCAL?
BAH-HUMBUG!
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Blondie
OH, OH -- THERE GOES MY DIME ROLLING UNDER THE SOFA!
AH, LUCKY ME -- I CAN GET IT IF I CAN JUST REACH A LITTLE FARTHER!
DAGWOOD I'M TAKING SIX DOLLARS FROM YOUR WALLET FOR MY NEW HAT!
THANK YOU, DEAR -- I'VE BEEN MARRIED LONG ENOUGH TO KNOW A HUSBAND SHOULD NEVER GET CAUGHT IN THIS POSITION!

Etta Kett
ETTA'S MY DATE!
SHE'S MINE!
BILL!! CHUCK!! STOP IT!!
WHAT'S HE DOIN' HERE? YOU'VE GOT SO MANY GUY'S YOU CAN'T KEEP YOUR DATES STRAIGHT!
SHE'S GOING TO A MOVIE WITH ME!
THAT'S WHAT YOU THINK!
OH, BOY!! WHAT A FIGHT!!

Paul Robinson
If they're the girls, what are we?

Crowds Pack Treasurer's Office for Auto Plates



(Daily Iowan Photo.) THE JOHNSON COUNTY TREASURER'S OFFICE WAS PACKED TO CAPACITY THURSDAY, AS MOTORISTS FOUND IT WAS THE LAST DAY THEY COULD PURCHASE THEIR 1952 AUTO LICENSE PLATES WITHOUT PENALTIES. BEGINNING TODAY, A 5 PER CENT PENALTY WILL GO INTO EFFECT WITH \$1 AS THE MINIMUM CHARGE. NEARLY 9,800 REGISTRATIONS HAD BEEN SOLD UP TO 5 P.M. THURSDAY, COUNTY TREASURER LUMIR JANSO REPORTED.

40 Iowa Municipalities Discussing Fluoridation

DES MOINES (AP) — About 40 Iowa municipalities are taking some local action on the matter of fluoridation of city water, the state health department said Thursday.

The action ranges all the way from the talking to the planning stage, Paul Houser, director of the department's public health engineering division, said.

Cedar Rapids is making plans for equipment installations, and study committees are at work at Davenport, Clinton, Iowa City and Des Moines. Health department approval is necessary, but it is considered only after the planning has been completed.

Last October, Waukon became the first municipality in Iowa to undertake the fluoridation program. Dubuque started it soon afterward. The Waukon project followed a lengthy promotion program by a local dental association.

The organization said fluoridation had been shown through years of research and experimentation to prevent dental decay. It said also that in years to come the fluoridation would save thousands of dollars a year in dental work costs.

Grant Wood Works To Be Displayed In Exhibit Here

Work of Iowa's own Grant Wood will be represented in the Encyclopaedia Britannica Films collection of contemporary American art which will be displayed at SUI Feb. 3 through 29.

Grant Wood's "Portrait of Nan" will be included in the public showing of the 39 paintings in the collection. It will be the third nationally-exhibited art show to be displayed in the Iowa Memorial Union this year.

Praised as one of the finest exhibits of 20th-century American art ever assembled, the exhibit to be shown here is part of a collection of 121 paintings which have been displayed throughout the United States during the last five years.

The abridged showing is now on a tour which will last several years and take it to most of the leading educational institutions in America. An unique feature of the exhibit is the fact that it is being given away piece by piece. Each year part of the paintings in the exhibit are awarded by the owners to institutions making outstanding contributions to the field of visual education. They are presented with the stipulation that they remain with the exhibit until the end of the tour.

Fire Damages Muscatine Hotel May Change Posts

MUSCATINE (AP) — Fire broke out in the main dining room of the Hotel Muscatine Thursday afternoon causing extensive damage on the first floor and some smoke damage throughout the six-story brick and steel structure.

Several guests were removed by stairway and ladder but no injuries were reported.

Muscatine firemen rushed all available equipment to the scene and speedily brought the blaze under control. The alarm was sounded shortly after 2 p.m.

The fire broke out in the main dining room shortly after the Muscatine club, a service organization, had completed its luncheon meeting. Hotel operator Homer Mueller theorized a lighted cigarette may have caused the blaze. Mueller estimated the damage at \$100,000, and said it was largely covered by insurance.

Two waitresses, Mrs. Norma Jean Wollett and Vivian Meerdink said they were in the hotel kitchen shortly after the service club meeting when they smelled smoke. They looked into the dining room and saw an orange glow. They sounded the alarm.

HE'S FED UP.
MONTREAL (AP) — Emile Blanchard, 63-year-old pawnshop proprietor, said he was going out of business after his store was robbed for the fourth time in less than 12 months. He said the last pair who robbed him were the same men who cleaned out the till last November.

NOTHING HAPPENS HERE
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Former Therapy Head Named to Post at SUI

Elizabeth Huntsberry, formerly director of occupational therapy at Leahi hospital, Honolulu, Hawaii, is studying for his doctor of philosophy degree in creative writing at the university. He is currently on a leave of absence from his position as instructor in English at the University of Hawaii.

Mrs. Huntsberry's husband, William, is studying for his doctor of philosophy degree in creative writing at the university. He is currently on a leave of absence from his position as instructor in English at the University of Hawaii.

Occupational therapy is a non-departmental unit in the college of medicine, attached directly to the office of the dean. Mrs. Huntsberry's duties consist of instructing and administering the occupational therapy unit.

Receiving her occupational therapy training at Michigan Normal college, Mrs. Huntsberry joined the Leahi hospital in 1945. She has also done occupational therapy work at Kalapapa and Halle Mohalu leproseries on the island of Hawaii.

Methodist Student Group To Meet Sunday Night
Students of Wesley foundation, Methodist church group, will hold their weekly supper meeting at 5 p.m. Sunday. At 6, the group will pack clothes gathered in the recent Korea drive.

Tuesday noon, the luncheon group will discuss universal military training.

Benefit Dance Boosts Dimes Drive to \$3,434
The March of Dimes benefit dance held Wednesday night raised the Johnson county total to \$3,434.33. Mrs. J. K. Schaaf, co-chairman of the county polio foundation, said Thursday.

An auction of articles brought by persons attending was held at the dance, sponsored by the Iowa City Federation of Labor. Proceeds from the dance amounted to \$560, all of which went to the drive.

About 125 of the 1,000 contribution cards sent to county rural families have been returned, Mrs. Schaaf said.

Mrs. Schaaf said that the drive would not end as scheduled on Jan. 31, but would continue. Contributions may still be sent to P.O. box 425 in Iowa City.

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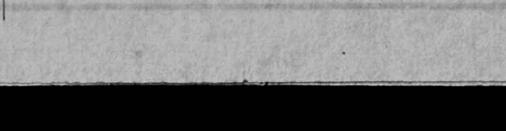
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Illegal Gambling Slashed 90 Per Cent

Operators Compelled To Close Businesses, Revenue Official Says

WASHINGTON (AP) — A revenue official said confidently Thursday the new federal gambling tax has choked off 90 per cent of the nation's illegal gambling business, estimated by investigating senators at \$20 billion a year.

Eugene Coyle, the revenue bureau's expert on the gambling tax, told reporters, "I don't know how long the honeymoon will last, but right now most of the big time gamblers have closed shop."

Mass Exodus Reported

Coyle said gambling operators are staging a mass exodus from the field because the new law required them to reveal their illegal operations to local police, the public and the press.

The publicity angle is particularly hurting gamblers, he said, because any "arrangements" with local police "could not stand up under the light of publicity."

In another development Thursday, the federal communications commission ordered an investigation into any use of gamblers as making of Western Union telegraph wires.

Western Union had proposed to put into effect, starting at midnight Thursday, new regulations governing the transmission of horse and dog racing news.

Hearing March 3

FCC ordered a postponement of the effective date until May 3. It said it will hold a public hearing March 3 to determine, among other things, whether the new rules would attain their purpose of withdrawing service from illegal gambling interests.

With regard to the federal gambling tax, Coyle commented on a revenue bureau report showing that 8,913 gamblers across the nation bought tax stamps in December compared to 1,556 in November, the first month under the new law.

Springlike Sun Melts Iowa River Ice



TEMPERATURES REACHING 55 DEGREES Thursday presented this scene of melting ice on the Iowa river. From the footbridge north, the pattern of broken and cracked ice truly looked like spring. But the weather man predicted cooler temperatures for Iowa City Saturday.

Most of these are relatively petty operators, Coyle said.

The new law requires most bookmakers, punchboard operators and numbers operators to buy a stamp, listing their places of business and other details of their operations. Then the operators must pay 10 per cent of their total business to Uncle Sam every month.

If a gambler doesn't register, buy a stamp and pay his 10 per cent tax, he becomes a target for special federal rackets squads. These squads have a master list of more than 20,000 suspected gamblers to work on.

Johnson County Uses 199,903 Tons of Stone For Resurfacing in '51

Johnson county spread enough stone on new and old county roads in 1951 to fill a hole 30 acres wide and 5 feet deep.

Commenting on the near-record highway improvement program County Engineer Ray Justen said Thursday the county used 199,903 tons of road stone for resurfacing during the year.

He explained that this is the most road stone ever used by any county in a single year. The entire road program, including the use

of farm-to-market road funds, represented a year's outlay of \$683,264.94.

Farm-to-market funds contributed \$123,231.14 to road and bridge building. Road construction out of county funds amounted to \$145,753.70.

Last year the county resurfaced 280 miles of roads, representing an expenditure of \$78,331.78 on the trunk road system and \$335,948.32 for local roads.

Russia Stirs With Unrest, Refugees Say

WASHINGTON (AP) — Reports of several Soviet citizens that a majority of the people in Russia are opposed to the rule of the Kremlin were disclosed by the state department Thursday.

The department made public an intelligence analysis of information gathered from refugees from Red rule.

Officials who interviewed the refugees, found evidence that:

1. They generally disliked Stalin and other Soviet leaders and most of them denounced the Communist chiefs "in terms of unmeasured abuse."

2. They appeared to believe that war between Russia and the United States "is almost inevitable" and can be prevented only if the men in the Kremlin feel it would be suicidal for them.

3. The sorest nationality problem in the Soviet Union is anti-Semitism which, according to reports was greatly intensified by the last war.

4. The ultimate goal of world domination held by the Kremlin is considered to be unchanged. But the means by which the Red command moves toward that goal are highly flexible and involve "secrecy, deception and terror as basic ingredients."

5. The standard of living in the Soviet Union, the informants agreed, is so low as to create discontent, antipathy between social groups—such as workers, farmers and intellectuals—and "is responsible for much crime and other social problems."

6. Although dissatisfaction with the present regime reportedly exists, some informants said that "a serious problem would exist in Russia if the Communist regime were to collapse or be overthrown."

Almost Perfect



FROM A PHYSICAL dimension point of view, Sally Forrest (above), a film actress, is "the almost perfect girl," according to the Artists Institute of America. Fritz Willis, chairman of the institute's board of directors, says Miss Forrest "is as perfect as they come but perfection is never reached because men and women begin dreaming where the exact dimensions leave off."

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93,000 Americans Died In Accidents Last Year

CHICAGO (AP) — Accidents killed 93,000 Americans in 1951, injured more than 9 million others, and cost the nation a whopping \$8 billion, the National Safety council said Thursday.

The death toll was 4,000 greater than in 1950.

No. 1 killer was the automobile. Of the 93,000 accidental deaths 37,500 resulted from traffic accidents—the highest toll in a decade. The 1950 traffic toll was 35,000.

Home Mishaps Constant

Home accidents took 27,000 lives in 1951, a figure unchanged from 1950. Occupational mishaps caused 16,000 deaths, compared with 15,500 the year ago, and public accidents not involving motor vehicles claimed 15,000 victims, compared with 14,000 in 1950.

Some 2,500 of the accidental deaths occurred to persons riding in motor vehicles in the course of their employment. The council said these deaths were listed both as traffic deaths and occupational deaths, a duplication which the

council explained "can't properly be avoided."

This accounts for the council's total of 93,000 killed, although the figures total 95,500.

1 Out of 17 Hurt

One of every 17 persons in the United States suffered a disabling injury in 1951, the council said. It said its estimated \$8 billion loss from accidents covered both fatal and non-fatal mishaps and included wage losses, medical expenses, insurance costs, production delays, damage to equipment in occupational accidents, and property damage from traffic accidents and fires.

The catastrophes in 1951 caused 50 or more deaths each—a mine explosion in Illinois, a suburban train wreck in New Jersey and three plane crashes.

The motor vehicle death toll of 37,500 was only about 2,500 below the all-time high of 39,939 established in 1941. In addition to the fatalities, 1951 traffic accidents caused approximately 1.3 million non-fatal injuries and nearly \$1 billion worth of property damage.

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Oltman to Run For Lt. Governor

DES MOINES (AP) — Dr. R. J. Oltman, 48, Storm Lake dentist and a member of the state senate in the 1951 legislature, announced Thursday his candidacy for the Republican nomination for lieutenant governor.

His announcement, which came as a surprise to statehouse circles, made him the third Republican to seek the post. It now is held by Lt. Gov. William H. Nicholas, Mason City, who seeks the GOP nomination for governor.

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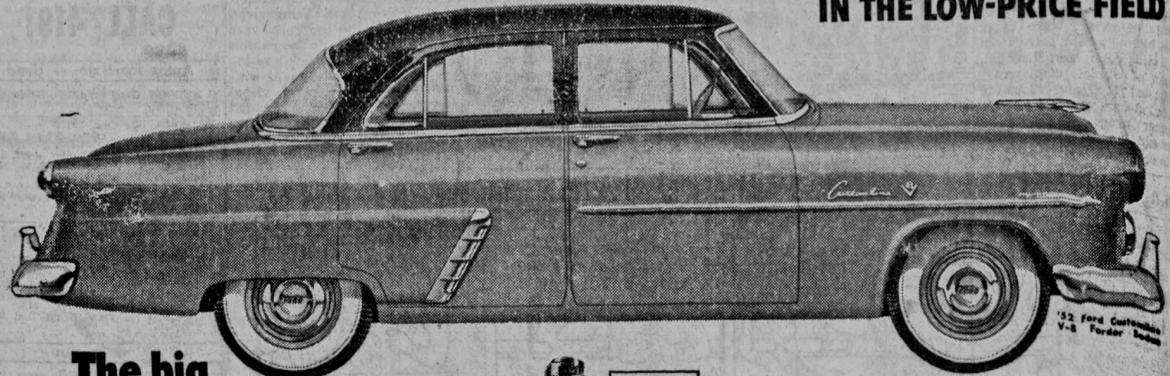
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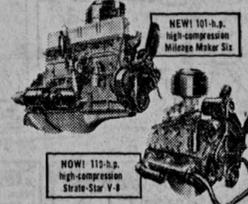
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