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The Weather

Mostly fair with slowly rising temperatures this afternoon. Mostly fair and warmer Friday. High today, 20; low, 0. High Wednesday, 10; low, 3 below.

Beria To Stand Trial As Traitor

British Ship Displays Speed Turn

(AP Wirephoto)

THE BRITISH DESTROYER leader, H.M.S., Daring, turns during maneuvers off Malta recently. The Daring, one of the biggest ships of her type to join the British fleet since World War II, is close to the light cruiser category. Completed in 1952, the Daring displaces 2,610 tons, mounts six 4.5-inch guns in twin turrets and has ten 21-inch torpedo tubes.

16 Killed as B-29 Crashes at Guam

GUAM (Thursday) (AP)—A B-29 Superfortress ripped through a group of houses at Anderson air force base in a fiery swath today that left 16 dead, including five children, and 17 injured.

The plane, coming in for a landing at 6:48 a.m. when many air force personnel and their families were asleep, slashed through 800 feet of the air force dependents' housing area.

Flames shot skyward in the wake of the doomed Superfort.

Among the dead were one woman, two enlisted men and four officers in addition to the five children.

Demolished 8 Houses

The plane demolished eight houses, partly destroyed three and scorched three.

It broke in pieces as it plowed through the housing area, strewing dead in its wake.

Four of the crew were pulled from the burning wreckage and rushed to a hospital.

The plane carried a 13-man crew and three airmen in training.

The first house the plane hit was sheared in two but no one in it was injured.

The plane had left the field only a few minutes before the disaster.

It radioed from 50 miles out that the left inboard engine had developed trouble. The plane made one approach to the field but did not land.

On the second approach it was short and ripped through the housing center.

The Superfort's left wing tip sheared first into the home of Maj. Clyde Owen of Salina, Kan. Owen and his wife, Audrey, were sleeping only a few feet from the point of impact but were not injured.

Wreckage Strewn 800 Feet

The plane then hit the ground in a fiery crash which completely demolished eight quonset homes. Wreckage was strewn along an 800 foot swath 150 feet wide.

Some families escaped almost miraculously without a scratch.

The home of Capt. Grady Stuart, a flight surgeon of Olive Hil, Ky., was moved six feet by the impact and then was leveled by flames. Stuart, his wife, Charlene; daughter, Pamela nine, and son, Grady Jr., five, all were awakened by a dynamite-like boom and raced from their burning quonset.

Aided Rescue

Stuart then aided in rescuing crewman from the tail of the burning Superfort.

Maj. Ralph Shadwell, Bell, Calif., said "I was eating breakfast when I saw the crippled plane a half mile out. Then it crashed, sending a ball of fire toward the house."

Shadwell raced outside and pulled two screaming airmen from the flaming wreckage of the tail section.

Capt. Milton Silverstein, medical officer, aided him.

The quonset home of Lt. Col. William Gnatt, Columbia, S. C., was demolished. Portions of an engine landed on a table.

The family escaped injury. The fire department had the blazing area under control within 27 minutes of the crash.

Gun Donor Calls Ike Democrat

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Eisenhower was given a .38 caliber revolver Wednesday and the donor jokingly invited the chief executive to use the weapon on him for referring to Eisenhower as a Democrat.

The chromium-plated, snub-nosed weapon was presented by Charles J. Hahn, executive secretary of the National Sheriffs' association, on behalf of that organization.

Presenting the gun, Hahn remarked it was the "first time I've ever presented a gun to a Democratic president." Realizing his error, the embarassed Hahn told Eisenhower:

"Go ahead, Mr. President, you can use the gun now."

The President laughed and thanked Hahn for the gift.

Returned ROK Says Yanks Held Forcibly

SEOUL (Thursday) (AP) — A newly repatriated South Korean charged today that Communist leaders among prisoners in neutral custody were stalling explanations to prevent three Americans and 20 South Koreans from returning to their homelands.

The repatriate, Pfc. Kim Mun Du, 22, said he had talked with the 22 Americans and three "showed indications" they would return home.

A fourth American might come home also, he said, if given the chance.

Forced To Stay

Kim said he knew of 20 South Koreans who are prevented by their comrades from asking for repatriation.

Kim said he saw Pfc. Richard Tenneson of Alden, Minn., typing a reply to a letter from his mother, Mrs. Portia Howe, who is in Tokyo trying for a chance to see her son. There had been speculation Tenneson did not actually write the reply, in which he said he would not come home under any circumstances.

Kim said pro-Communist prisoners in the camp made knives and spears out of scraps of iron. He said hard-core prisoners use them to prevent prisoners from escaping. Kim brought one of the knives out of the camp Wednesday morning when he climbed over the fence and turned himself in to Indian guards.

Sneaked Out

Kim said he sneaked out of his room Wednesday while his roommates were sleeping. He crawled out of the barbed wire compound.

Kim said only one man among the Americans did not sign the petition which resulted in a breakdown of explanations. Kim said he thought this man might have been threatened later.

The Indian command at Panmunjom today said one American among 22 who have chosen communism once wanted to hear "come home" explanations but later changed his mind.

An Indian spokesman said the two leaders in the Anglo-American camp reported they had signed a petition against explanations for all but one of the Americans.

Ike Supports Dulles' Talk On EDC Unity

WASHINGTON (AP)— President Eisenhower Wednesday reinforced Secretary of State John Foster Dulles' warning to Western Europe to unite for defense and indicated America might arm its Allies with atomic weapons if war comes.

The President told a news conference Dulles' advice to get together or risk reductions in U.S. troops in Europe was neither new nor blunt but based on the law of our land.

He put his foot down on sharing with the Western Allies the know-how of producing atomic weapons but not necessarily on the sharing of the weapons themselves if war should break out.

Ike Still Intent

Eisenhower also said he still was intent upon peaceful, international development of atomic energy for the good of all humanity and Soviet rejection of his plan for pooling atomic materials for that purpose would not stop him. On that proposal, he said, there has been no official Russian reaction.

Dulles had told a news conference in Paris that there will be an "agonizing reappraisal" of American obligations to the North Atlantic Treaty Organization, including troop dispositions, unless the European Defense Community with its international army is ratified promptly.

Congress To Discuss Proposal

And Secretary of Defense Charles Wilson informed the NATO council Tuesday that congress will be asked to allow the sharing of "pertinent information" on how to use atomic weapons.

Eisenhower covered both these developments in response to questions.

The facts are plain for all to see, he said, that the law of our land says halt the funds for military aid to Europe shall be channeled through EDC. He drummed a desk top with fingertips for emphasis.

If EDC does not produce, Eisenhower inquired, what do we do?

Changes Are Necessary

As for sharing atomic information, the President said changes in the Atomic Energy act will be necessary, but neither he nor the Atomic Energy commission contemplates any that would disclose how atomic weapons are built or the scientific processes involved.

But he said it is foolish to think we cannot or must not share some of our information with our Allies, who also must rely on the support of nuclear weapons. Furthermore, the President said he sees no reason why the weapons themselves should not be shared in event of war if that would best advance the interests of this country. He said it would depend on military circumstances.

Party Leaders To Meet

Eisenhower also said a conference with Republican legislative leaders will start today. He said the purpose is to exchange views on important problems, present results of staff work on prospective legislation for the next congress, and get a general meeting of minds.

In answer to questions, the President also said:

1. This is one administration that believes in carrying out promises it made the people, and the program he recommends to congress will be based on the 1952 platform of the GOP.

2. Generally speaking, although he might change his mind, he is against breaking down the reasons why 1,456 persons have been let out of government service as security risks. He said not all of them were fired for spying, subversion or disloyalty and there is a difference between being disloyal and being a security risk.

3. If any government personnel files have been supplied to congressional investigating committees, it hasn't been done with his approval.

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News Conference Recording Released

WASHINGTON (AP)—Setting a precedent, the White House released a recording of President Eisenhower's 33-minute news conference Wednesday for use by the nation's radio and television networks.

White House press secretary James C. Haggerty called it "a first step" in expansion of coverage of presidential news conferences.

Confesses To Treason With 6 Associates

L. P. Beria
Confesses All!

MOSCOW (Thursday) (AP) — Lavrenty P. Beria has confessed to a traitorous plot against the Soviet Union and is ready for trial along with a group of his former associates in the secret police, the government announced today.

The statement said the Soviet state prosecutor has completed his case against the squat former police boss who was one of the principal men in the Soviet Union until his arrest June 26.

It declared his "traitorous" activities went back as far as the revolution—35 years ago.

Named 6 Others

The announcement, published in the official newspaper Izvestia, disclosed the names of six men accused with Beria. They include V. N. Merkulov, former minister of state security who for a long time was Beria's deputy.

The announcement said:

"The investigation has established that Beria, using the position, had collected a treacherous group of plotters hostile to the Soviet state . . . striving . . . to grab power and to liquidate the Soviet worker-peasant regime with a view of restoring capitalism."

Was Internal Affairs Boss

Beria was first deputy prime minister, under Premier Georgi Malenkov, and minister of internal affairs. The latter office controls the police, intelligence work and related activities.

The Supreme Soviet said Merkulov had been ousted Sept. 17 and Vassily G. Zhavoronkov named his successor.

The Moscow radio, heard in London, said Beria and his associates will be tried at a special sitting of the Supreme Court of the Soviet Union, but no date was given.

The official announcement did not make it clear how Beria had "confessed," but this is normal procedure in Communist courts—defendants are not brought to trial until the prosecution has obtained confessions. It can only be speculated, of course, whether Beria was subjected to some inquisitorial methods his police used for years.

Others Accused

Also accused with him, are two former ministers of internal affairs in Georgia — Beria's native republic. These are V. G. Dekanozov and S. A. Goglidze. A former minister of internal affairs in the Ukraine—P. Y. Meshik—was similarly accused.

Others accused were L. E. Vlodzimirsky, described as the former head of the investigation department "for particularly important affairs of the U.S.S.R. MVD (secret police)", and a former deputy minister of internal affairs in Georgia who recently held a similar job for the U.S.S.R. as a whole —B. Z. Koblov.

No News Since August

Today's announcement was the first heard here on the Beria case since August, when the Supreme Soviet parliament confirmed the decree that had ousted Beria in June. Meantime many rumors as to Beria's alleged whereabouts have been heard outside the Soviet Union.

NOTICE

Students living in off campus housing or married housing may notify The Daily Iowan circulation office, phone 8-2151, if they wish the Iowan delivered to them during Christmas vacation.

SUI's Christmas Party Scheduled for Tonight

The Iowa Memorial Union will be the scene of *SUI's annual Christmas party tonight* at 8 p.m. Women's hours have been extended to 11 p.m. to enable students to attend the event.

Featured on the program will be an English Mummers play presented by dramatic arts students and community carol singing led by Prof. Herald Stark of the SUI music department. The carols will be accompanied by Malcolm Westley, G, Manly, on the Hammond organ and Prof. Earl Harper, director of fine artes and the *Union*. The River room will be open for dancing following the *program*.

Dramatic arts students participating in the Mummers play are: *Stan Moody*, G, Iowa City, as Father Christmas; Gary Kloppenburg, A3, Atlantic, as Bold Slasher; Leo Feany, A2, Dakota City, as St. *George*; Louise Knox, A3, Sioux City, as Dolly; Carmen Bonacci, A4, Pittsburgh, Pa., as Doctor; Jerry Mason, A3, Milwaukee, Wis., as Jack; Jerry Silberman, A3, Milwaukee, Wis., as Beelzebub, and *Eugene* Rydahl, G, Greenville, Mich., as Eugene Allen Poe-Dell.

Bob Doerr, A3, Sioux City, chairman of the Union board special events committee, is in charge of the party. Dick Thomsen, A4, Charles City, is in charge of the Mumer's script.

Free donuts and hot chocolate will be served.

Hancher's Flying Wins Award

SUI President Virgil M. Hancher will be presented with a membership to the "100,000 Mile club" of United Airlines this noon at the weekly meeting of the Rotary club.

The award will be made in connection with the 50th anniversary *of power flight. The first flight was made* by the Wright brothers Dec. 17, 1903. B. D. McWilliams, station manager of United airlines at the Iowa City airport, will make the presentation. Hancher, will be given a pin encircled by four lines representing four times around the world which is approximately 100,000 miles.

Requirement for membership in the club is 100,000 miles of air travel on scheduled airlines. Approximately 25,000 persons, including presidents, movie stars, salesmen, and statesmen hold a membership in the club.

Tribute will be paid to the *airport commission* and to the manager of the Iowa City airport. The airport was the first in the state of Iowa, founded in 1918, 15 years after the initial power flight.

Bucky O'Connor, SUI's basketball coach, will speak following the presentation to Hancher.

World News Briefs

A Condensation of Late Developments

WASHINGTON (AP)—The air force disclosed Wednesday that an American plane has ripped through the air at about 27 miles a minute—2½ times the speed of sound—the fastest man has ever traveled. The man who first drove an aircraft through the sound barrier, air force Maj. Charles "Chuck" Yeager, piloted the rocket-driven Bell X1A in the history-making flight last Saturday, the air force said.

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NEW YORK (AP) — The Disabled American Veterans, using big names including those of Eisenhower and Truman without authorization, raised $21 million in three years and none of it went to individual veterans, a probe committee was told Wednesday. An official testified that the organization's purpose is to give counsel and advice to veterans. The joint state legislative committee investigating charity rackets, with a view to proposing legislation to control charity drives, also heard a defense of the DAV's fund-raising activities.

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WASHINGTON (AP) — The Uranium Industry association announced Wednesday that some people in its business are raking in money so fast the stodgy old word, millionaire, doesn't quite fit any more. The uranium boom, it said, is producing uraniumaires. The association cited the case of Charlie Steen, a Utah prospector so poor he couldn't afford a $95 Geiger counter. Yet he kept hacking away until he hit a $60 million jackpot — and then promptly hit another worth twice that.

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PARIS (AP)—The 14 nations of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization council voted support of the Big Three Wednesday in their coming effort in Berlin to talk Russia into a better frame of mind. But, as if they didn't believe it could be done, they voted continued long range rearmament, with special emphasis on nuclear and other new weapons the Americans have promised to try to share with them. The council indorsed the initiative taken by President Eisenhower in placing before the United Nations Dec. 8 his atomic pool plan.

Illinois Official Acts To Purge Libraries Of Salacious Books

SPRINGFIELD, Ill.(AP)—The office of Republican secretary of state Charles Carpentier said Wednesday "books of a salacious, vulgar or obscene" nature are being removed from the Illinois State library and its lending facilities.

Carpentier, by virtue of his office as state librarian, issued an order Nov. 10 recalling all such books after receiving a complaint from a southern Illinois Democratic sheriff.

The number of books and their titles which have been ordered withdrawn from circulation were not immediately available.

Books Use Vulgar Language

Sheriff Jesse Shipley of Richland county charged that one book, "The Boy Who Came Back," by Charles H. Knickerbocker, was "communistic in purpose to lower the morality of American boys and girls" and that it used "vulgar, obscene and profane language to lower the respect and sanctity for our institutions of marriage, etc."

The book, dealing with a disillusioned returned soldier, was brought to the sheriff's attention by an Olney, Ill., mother who found her teen-age daughter reading it. Th book had been sent to the Olney library by the field branch of the state library.

Orders Book Withdrawn

Carpentier's Nov. 10 directive to Miss Helene Rogers, assistant librarian in charge of the state library, ordered Knickerbocker's book withdrawn and added:

"You shall likewise take out of circulation now in the library books which are in the same category as the book named; that is, books of a salacious, vulgar or obscene character.

"You are hereby notified you shall not order books in this classification in the future."

Is Not a Censor

Carpentier is in Florida but a spokesman, issuing a statement Wednesday in his behalf, said, "Carpentier is not setting himself up as a moral arbiter or censor, but he does not intend to allow pornographic or smutty material to be circulated by the Illinois state library."

"He believes," the spokesman said, "that the ultimate responsibility for the reading habits of minors rests with parental authority. Obviously, there are passages in the classics of world literature which should not be read by children."

Michaelsen Plans Visit to Iowa City

The Rev. Robert S. Michaelsen becomes the new director of the SUI school of religion Jan. 1, when he succeeds Prof. M. Willard Lampe, who will retire after serving as director and founder of the school since 1927.

The new director plans a visit to Iowa City Monday from New Haven, Conn., where he is an instructor at the Yale Divinity school.

The former Clinton resident was Protestant professor at the SUI school of religion from 1947-1951.

Lampe headed the SUI school of religion since its founding and was instrumental in making the school a pioneer in religious emphasis in higher education.

SUI Student Dies After Highway Auto Mishap

Willis R. Harrah, N2, Linton, Ind., was fatally injured early Wednesday when his car overturned and he was thrown from it on Highway 6 near Wilton Junction.

Harrah was taken to a Muscatine hospital where he died about 5:45 a.m., approximately three and one-half hours after the mishap. Death was attributed to a basal skull fracture.

Harrah apparently lost control of the car when he came into a curve one mile west of Wilton Junction, the highway patrol said. The car struck some snow on the side of the highway and then rolled over along the highway. The driver was thrown out, the highway patrol reported.

Harrah was traveling west at the time of the accident. The car was described as a total loss.

Harrah was born Feb. 25, 1910, in Greene county, Ind. He was graduated from Linton-Stockton high school, Linton, Ind., in 1930. He attended Bellevue-Mills School of Nursing for Men in New York city from 1932 to 1936, when he was graduated.

During World War II he worked for the United States Public Health service in Panama. He attended Loyola university in Chicago during the summer session of 1952. He enrolled in the psychiatric nursing program at SUI in the fall of 1952 and expected to receive his degree in 1954.

Harrah lived in B101 Quadrangle. Survivors include his mother, Mrs. Cora E. Harrah, Linton, Ind., and a wife and son, who live in Panama. The body was taken to a Muscatine funeral home. It will be taken to Linton today for services and burial.

Librarian, Student Examine Oriental Works

(Daily Iowan Photo)

ANN DIDYK, ART LIBRARIAN, (LEFT) AND Harry Brown, G, Rock Island, Ill., examine the Japanese "king of hell" and dramatic masks on exhibit in the art gallery. Those pieces are part of an Oriental exhibit of art works from various Oriental countries now being shown in the Art building. (See story on page 6.)

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UNIVERSITY CALENDAR

UNIVERSITY CALENDAR items are scheduled in the President's office, Old Capitol

Thursday, Dec. 17

9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.; 7:00-10:00 p.m.—Exhibition of Oriental art, gallery, Art building.

6:45 p.m.-12:00—Triangle club Christmas Formal Dinner-Dance, Iowa Union.

8:00 p.m.—Graduate college and Humanities society symposium on "The Modern Writer" with Professors Ray B. West, Robert Lowell, Hansford Martin, Miss Marguerite Young, senate chamber, O.C.

8:00 p.m. — American Association of University Women Christmas party, Iowa Union.

8:00-11 p.m. — All University Christmas party, sponsored by Union board, in the Iowa Memorial Union.

Friday, Dec. 18

9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.; 7:00-10:00 p.m.—Exhibition of Oriental art, gallery, Art building.

8:00 p.m.—Basketball, Southern California, here.

5:00 p.m.—Christmas recess.

8 p.m. — Meeting of American Association of University Professors, senate chamber, Old Capitol.

Monday, Dec. 21

8:00 p.m.—Basketball, Colorado university, here.

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

editorial

Students 'Passive'?—

(Ohio State Lantern Editorial)

Arthur Miller, who wrote "Death of a Salesman," has written an article for Holiday magazine about the University of Michigan. It is a factual, perceptive article, which discusses not only the physical layout of the University, but also the trends which he sees in student attitudes and ideas.

Though Miller is describing a particular group of students—those at Michigan—his conclusions can be applied to all students.

Miller bewails two particular changes in attitudes between the present students and those of twenty years ago. These two are the change in the values of humanity and the prevailing apathetic attitude.

In discussing the change in values, he points out that students expect things to be defined for them—such things as the purpose of education. They are willing to describe "a piece of existence, whether it is a book or an isotope," and go no further in an understanding of it.

They expect their college education to be handed to them, while exerting little effort themselves.

In describing the general apathetic attitude, he points to the unwillingness of present-day students to express new or untested ideas. "The tone is more subdued." There is a smaller amount of open discussion, argument and protest.

The explanation of this attitude lies in the fear of being branded as a "Red" or a Communist. It is an explanation, not an excuse.

Miller does not call this generation "silent" or "thoughtless" as some others have. In fact, he refutes these claims. His term of description is "passive."

Though he does not say it point-blank, Miller states that if these trends continue, "a tragedy is in the making."

Thus, Miller has presented a perceptive insight into today's college students—their attitudes and motives. His ideas are worth serious consideration. If we do not like the term "passive" it is time we changed it to "active."

Between the Lines

"Cool" Carl Cain, "Deacon" Davis' roomie and buddy from Freeport, Ill., leads the Hawks to a 72-55 win over Colorado A.&M. When the "Deacon" can't deliver his sermon, we just raise Cain with them.

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The Moscow press announces that Lavrenty P. Beria, former secret police chief of the U.S.S.R. has been placed on trial for treason—wonder how that trial will come out?

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Observant readers of The Daily Iowan will be interested to know that the next concert by SUI's all-left-handed symphony orchestra is to be given at 8 p.m., Wednesday, Jan. 27, in Iowa Memorial Union.

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An official of Disabled American Veterans testifies that his organization raised $21 million in three years for the purpose of giving counsel and advice to veterans. Those fellows must have charged off $1,000 every time they said "hello" to a GI. DGP

Graduate's Essay To Be Published

A SUI graduate's prize-winning essay, "Copyright Protection in the Area of Scientific and Technical Works," will be published by the Columbia University Press, it has been announced by Herman Finkelstein, New York, general attorney for the American Society of Composers, Authors and Publishers.

The author of this essay is Gilbert Bovard. He received his law degree from SUI in June, 1952.

The essay is included in a collection of 10 which received the Nathan Burken Memorial Prize in 1951 and 1952. The collection will be titled "The Fifth Copyright Law Symposium."

Bovard's paper won the first prize of $150 in the Nathan Burken Memorial competition while he was a student here in 1952. He is now a member of the law firm of Westfall, Laird and Burlington in Mason City.

The competition is sponsored annually by the American Society of Composers, Authors and Publishers in memory of its first general counsel. It is designed to stimulate interest in the field of copyright law.

WSUI PROGRAM CALENDAR

Thursday, Dec. 17, 1953

8:00 Morning Chapel
8:15 News
8:30 Religious Groups of America
9:20 Kitchen Concert
9:45 Women's Feature
10:00 News
10:15 The Bookshelf
10:45 Family Album
11:00 Let's Sing
11:15 Music in March Time
11:30 Music in Black and White
11:45 Bonjour Mesdames
11:59 Prayer for Peace
12:00 Rhythm Rambles
12:30 News
12:45 Singing Americans
1:00 Musical Chats
1:55 World of Ideas
2:10 Penny for Your Thoughts
2:30 Masterworks From France
3:00 U.S. Marines Bob Crosby Show
3:15 H. S. Christmas Seal Program
3:30 News
3:45 Broadway in Review
4:00 Iowa Union Radio Hour
4:30 Tea Time
5:00 Children's Hour
5:30 News
5:45 Sports
6:00 Dinner Hour
6:55 News
7:00 A Touch of Christmas No. 2
7:30 B.B.C. World Theatre—"Emanuel"
9:00 Army of Stars
9:30 Behind the Headlines
9:40 News
9:55 Sports Highlights
10:00 SIGN OFF

Interpreting the News

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

The American decision, congress willing, to share its knowledge of atomic tactics with North Atlantic treaty Allies in Europe represents a direct reply to Russian efforts to undermine the organization.

In fact, the whole outcome of the NATO meeting marks a considerable change in the atmosphere from that of previous meetings, when economic difficulties have been permitted to color the relations of the members. Agreement on this year's program was fast and without exhibition of acrimony.

This will permit Western representatives to go to the Four Power conference in Berlin, if there is one, with a strength behind them that will be clearly seen by the Russians to be growing rather than tottering.

Asked Action on EDC

The United States opened the NATO meeting with a demand that her Allies get down to business on the European Defense Community. Dulles spoke in terms which raised charges of dictation and coercion, particularly in France. The British thought it was bad tactics.

But the atmosphere was considerably cleared with the climatic announcement of Defense Secretary Charles Wilson that the Washington administration was prepared to go to congress for permission to share its knowledge of the uses of atomic weapons with the NATO partners.

NATO Expressed Thanks

The NATO council, before it adjourned, expressed appreciation.

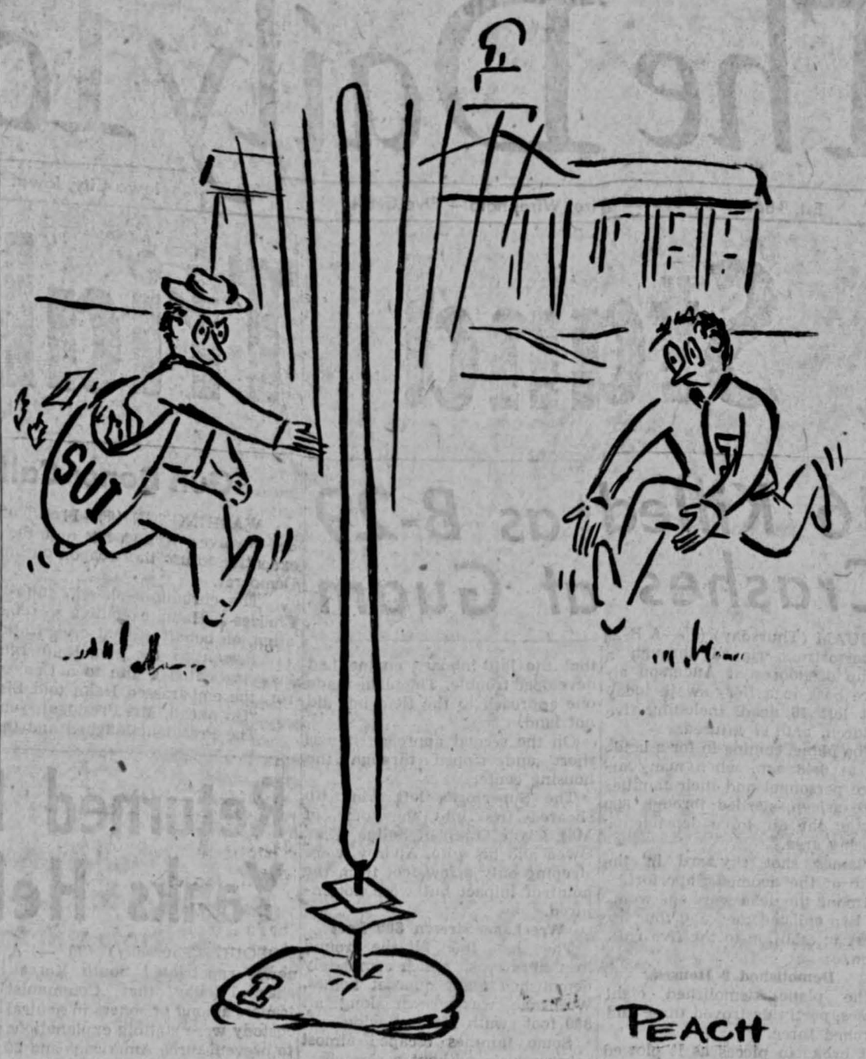
Wednesday, President Eisenhower indicated that if war should come the U.S. might place atomic weapons in the hands of Allies.

When the NATO meeting opened the foreign, defense and finance ministers of the European members were faced with a situation in which they were being asked to increase their aid to NATO, and therefore their defense expenditures, while the U.S. was talking about reducing its expenditures and its own armed forces. It created a difficult political situation for the Europeans.

May Revise Defense Plans

Extension to Europe of the idea that the partnership as well as the U.S. alone may be able to work out a formula for smaller and less expensive and yet actually stronger defense forces is calculated to create better feeling throughout.

When you look back at the Allied military position of four years ago, when NATO was formed, the progress that has been made in balancing Russian power in Europe is impressive. These further indications that the West is moving ahead with unswerving determination to face power with power as a background for deterring aggression may not knock any sense into Kremlin heads, but it certainly should put some creases in their brows.



U.S. Attorney's Brief Terms Segregation Unconstitutional

(Editor's note: This is the last of three articles concerning the segregation case now under consideration by the United States supreme court.)

Assistant Attorney General Lee Rankin speaking for the department of justice, told the court the department adopts the views expressed in a brief filed by former attorney General James P. McGranery last year. That brief called racial segregation unconstitutional.

Rankin told the justices one of the things it must decide is whether the constitutional rights of Negroes have been abridged.

"We think it clear that they have," he said.

Rankin was asked numerous questions by the justices. He said the intent of congress at the time the 14th amendment was passed was difficult to determine. He said he was unable to find any evidence that congress thought that the 14th amendment provided or permitted segregation in the District of Columbia or anywhere else.

Went Beyond Brief

Rankin went beyond the government's brief and further said that the prevailing purpose of the 14th amendment was to establish the equality of all men. "No distinction can ever be made on the basis of race or color. If there was anything the amendment tried to do, it was to make this plain," he asserted.

The Topeka case was opened by Robert L. Carter who, when asked by Justice Felix Frankfurter whether the question involved in the Topeka school case was moot, answered that in his judment the case was not.

Only one of the petitioners has been admitted to the once all-white school, he said.

Carter pointed out that while the school board has decided to end segregation and had done so in two schools, there was no assurance that they might not change their minds as long as the statute remains on the book.

Yielded To State's Lawyer

Carter said that if it were the feeling of the court that the case was moot, he saw no reason to burden the jurists with a discussion of abstract issues. He yielded his time to the state's attorney.

The attorney general from Kansas, Paul Wilson, argued along the same line as South Carolina and Virginia. He said, however, that although Kansas was not opposed to integration of Negro pupils into white schools, they did not feel that the Kansas statute permitting segregation was unconstitutional.

At the close of the attorney general's argument, Carter stated he was confident Kansas would abide by the decision of this court in the event segregation in the South Carolina and Virginia cases was ruled unconstitutional.

U.S. Decision Awaited

George E. C. Hayes, arguing the District of Columbia case, told the court that not only the 17 states where segregation is compulsory, but the world at large is waiting to see if the United States intends to continue depriving one section of the populace of its rights.

"The laws passed by congress appropriating money for Negro schools did not establish segregation," he said. "Segregation here is voluntary, not mandatory. Negroes, however, find themselves faced with compulsory segregation without sanction of law."

James M. Nabrit Jr., who followed Hayes, declared that segregation is making millions of Americans live as second class citizens solely because of race and color.

President Lacked Jurisdiction

"President Eisenhower," he added, "who had pledged himself to end segregation in the district, has no authority over the school board, which is appointed by the U.S. district court. This is a very unusual situation, he added.

"Every responsible authority connected with the District of Columbia has taken steps to end racial segregation but the district school board," he added. "With minor exceptions public schools are the only area in which segregation is now maintained in the district."

Assistant corporation counsel Milton Korman's argument supported the legality of the segregation laws, and said the supreme court had no authority to outlaw the statute and congress clearly intended segregation to be maintained.

Asked Reversal of Decision

The Delaware state attorney asked that the decision of the Delaware courts be reversed in that segregation was proper and consistent with the intent of the framers of the 14th amendment. The court had no power to construe the Constitution so as to outlaw segregated schools which the lower court had done in Delaware, he argued.

Jack Greenberg, NAACP attorney, answered that he felt segregation is unconstitutional. Persistent questions came from the bench as to whether or not the court had any authority to do anything other than to affirm the Delaware decree.

Marshall closed the argument by asking that the decision of the Delaware courts, which ordered the admittance of Negro children into the two white schools, be affirmed. The order was based upon the separate but equal doctrine, which is the minimum protection the Constitution affords.

Explained Reason For Appeal

He further explained that the reason for asking the court to declare segregation unconstitutional was because the state was threatening to take the Negro children out of the white schools as soon as they show that the schools for Negros were equal.

Marshall went on to say that if the court ruled that segregation was unconstitutional in S. C. and Va., he was confident that any future efforts by the state to take the Negro children out would be defeated since the Delaware courts would follow the supreme court's interpretation of the Constitution.

NAACP attorneys directly involved in the cases, but did not argue are Louis L. Redding, Oliver W. Hill, Harold R. Boulware, and Charles Scott.

Professor To Open Symposium Tonight

Prof. Ray West of SUI's English department will open a Humanities society symposium on modern writers tonight at 8 in the senate chamber of Old Capitol.

Ray believes that the modern writer is not concerned with imitating what has been done before but with discovering new experiences and giving them shape and form.

Other members of the symposium, Prof. Hansford Martin and Robert Lowell, lecturer, both of the English department, and Miss Marguerite Young, an author who is working in Iowa City now under a Rockefeller grant, will comment on Ray's thesis.

Prof. Rhodes Dunlap, of English and president of the Humanities society, will preside over the meeting.

Mitchell Group To Pick Drill Teams Tonight

The Billy Mitchell Squadron will meet tonight at 7:30 in the quonset building, south of the Quadrangle.

Pictures will be taken for the 1954 Hawkeye and drill teams will be formed. All squadron positions will be filled at the meeting and the drill team will practice for the first time.

Dean Roudabush, A4, Brooklyn, is in charge of the meeting.

GENERAL NOTICES

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

LIBRARY CHRISTMAS HOURS

Friday, Dec. 18 — 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Dec. 19 — 9 a.m. to noon
Dec. 20—CLOSED
Dec. 21 through 23—9 a.m. to 4 p.m.
Dec. 24 — 9 a.m. to noon
Dec. 25 through 27 — CLOSED
Dec. 28 through 30 — 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.
Dec. 31 — 9 a.m. to noon
Jan. 1 through 3—CLOSED
Jan. 4 — regular hours

HOURS FOR MAIN LIBRARY

Monday-Friday — 8:30 a.m. -12 midnight.
Saturday — 8:30 a.m.-5 p.m.
Sunday — 2 p.m.-12 midnight.

"FAMILY NITES"— Members of the student body and of the staff and faculty are invited to bring their spouses and families to the field house for recreational swimming and family-type sport activities on the second and fourth Wednesday evenings of each month from 7:15 to 9:15.

SIGMA DELTA PI MEMBERS: The Christmas Party will be held on Thursday, December 18, at 7:30 p.m. in the parlors of the Congregational church, 30 N. Clinton. Please bring a small gift for the Pinata, or to 211 Schaeffer hall sooner if possible. Special program, songs, dances, refreshments!

CENTRAL PARTY COMMITTEE presents "Modern America's Man of Music," Stan Kenton, in a concert featuring 20 of the "World's Most Outstanding Instumentalists" Thursday, Jan. 7, in the main lounge of the Union. Tickets go on sale Monday, Jan. 4 at 8 a.m. at the Union desk for $1.50 per person. You are urged to buy your tickets early due to a limited seating capacity.

HOURS FOR UNDERGRADUate women on Thursday, Dec. 17, are extended until 11 p.m. Late leaves or senior privileges may be used, but will not be extended beyond their regular weekday limits.

KOREAN VETERANS ATtending SUI under P.L. 550 may report to the Veterans Service office Dec. 17 or 18 and sign their 1996a attendance forms for the period between Dec. 1 and Dec. 31 rather than wait until Jan. 1 through Jan. 5, 1954, since the Christmas vacation period extends beyond the last day in December. Those veterans who fail to report in December may sign 1996a's between Jan. 1 and Jan. 5 for December attendance.

THE UNIVERSITY COOPERAtive Babysitting League book will be in charge of Mrs. Carl Couch, telephone 81431, from Dec. 7 to Dec. 21. Members may call Mrs. Couch for sitters; anyone interested in joining the league may call Mrs. Couch for information.

THE GRADUATE COLLEGE and the Humanities society will present a symposium on "The Modern Writer" Thursday, Dec. 17, at 8 p.m. in the senate chamber of Old Capitol.

ATTENTION GRADUATING seniors: Orders are now being taken for graduation announcements for the Feburary commencement at Campus Stores. No orders will be taken after 12 o'clock noon on Dec. 18, 1953.

BEGINNING AT 11 A. M. FRIday, Dec. 18, Overnight and Closed Reserve books may be charged out from main library for use during Christmas vacation. They will be due at 11 a.m., Jan. 4.

STUDENTS WHO WILL BE A candidate for a degree in February, 1956, who are desirous of applying for admission into the advanced course, army ROTC at midsemester, should apply for application forms at the Armory, room 5, by Dec. 31, 1953.

PH.D. FRENCH READING EXamination will be given Thursday Jan. 21, from 3 to 5 p.m., in room 221A, Schaeffer hall. Only those who sign the sheet posted outside room 307, Schaeffer hall by Tuesday, Jan. 19, will be admitted to the examination. Next examination at the end of the second semester.

Vets May Sign Attendance Forms

Korean veterans attending SUI under public law 550 may report to the veterans service office today or Friday and sign their 1996a attendance forms for the period between Dec. 1 and Dec. 31 rather than wait until Jan. 1 through Jan. 5.

For those who fail to report today or Friday, it will be possible to sign the monthly certification forms between Jan. 1 and Jan. 5,, 1954.

A recent revision of Veterans Administration regulations permits former servicemen attending school under public law 550 to sign monthly certification forms on the last day of class in any month where a vacation period designated by the institution extends beyond the end of that month.

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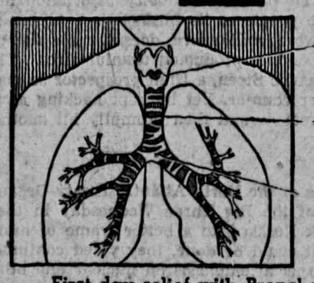
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2d Semester Orientation Plans Discussed

(Daily Iowan Photo)

UNIVERSITY WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION'S orientation council has met to discuss plans for second semester orientation. Sitting on the couch, left to right, are chairman Dot Schwengel, A1, Davenport, play night and spring tea; Bonnie Erickson, N2, Sioux City, general chairman; Nancy Abramson, A1, Aurora, Ill., information booth and campus tours, and Sue Reider, A2, Eagle Grove, training school. Sitting on the floor, left to right, are Lou Savage, A3, Des Moines, publicity; Barbara Oliver, A2, Des Moines, summer letters; Margie Rickett, A2, Mt. Pleasant, Currier hall representative; Arlene Kroening, A2, Marion, president's open house, and Kitty Korns, A1, Iowa City, First Nighter party. Ruth Rowland, N2, Waterloo, chairman of the new student meeting, was not present at the meeting.

Sager-Norman Vows Exchanged in Chapel

Mrs. Dean Norman

Miss Bette Sager, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Sager of Bloomfield, became the bride of Dean Norman, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Norman, 556 Forest drive, in a single ring ceremony Sunday at 7 p.m. in the Danforth chapel. The Rev. L. L. Dunnington officiated at the candlelight service before an altar decorated with white pom-poms and red snapdragons.

Perry Jones, A1, Bloomfield, sang "How Do I Love Thee," "I Love Thee," and "Wedding Prayer," accompanied by Mary Anne Cassens, A4, Rock Rapids. "Entree Nuptuale" by Smith was played for the processional and the "Wedding March" for the recessional.

The bride wore a gown of white velvet, fashioned with long pointed sleeves, waltz length skirt and a boat neckline trimmed with brown fur. She wore a white chantilly lace mantilla and carried a bouquet of white pom-poms with green ivy.

Mrs. Robert Zimmerman was matron of honor. She wore a red faille waltz length gown with cap sleeves and a boat neckline trimmed with white fur.

Don Pauk, Cedar Rapids, was best man. George Kern, A4, Iowa City, and Paul Tresnak, Cedar Rapids, were ushers.

A reception for 100 guests was held in the Methodist Fellowship hall following the ceremony. Phyllis Apland, Cedar Rapids; Anita Schmidtka, A3, Humboldt; Misses Shirley and Nancy Norman, sisters of the bridegroom; Dorothy Sager, sister of the bride; Mary Robert, Perry, and Mrs. Kenneth Hunter, Iowa City, were hostesses.

The bride chose a peacock blue wool traveling costume with a white angora hat, black velvet coat and black accessories.

The bride is a senior majoring in journalism at SUI and is affiliated with Theta Sigma Phi professional sorority for women in journalism.

Mr. Norman attended SUI and is stationed with the army at Ft. Riley, Kan.

Following a short wedding trip, the bride will return to continue her studies at SUI and the bridegroom will return to Ft. Riley.

SUI Items

KAPPA PHI NAMES OFFICERS

Mary Brammerlo, N1, Preston, has been chosen president of the Kappa Phi fall pledge class. Other officers are Connie Bishop, N1, Fairfield, vice-president, and Diane Bonacker, N1, Reinbeck, secretary. Kappa Phi is the national Methodist college women's organization.

FRATERNITY GIVES DINNER

Members of Alpha Epsilon Pi social fraternity were guests Tuesday night at a dinner at the Sigma Delta Tau social sorority house. June Rotman, A4, Dubuque, was in charge of the dinner. Grace Kaminkowitz, A3, New York, N.Y., was chairman of the entertainment committee. Chaperones included Mrs. Rose Deutsch and Mrs. Robert Adelson.

CURRIER HALL WINS FINALS

Team IV of Currier hall won first place over Delta Delta Delta social sorority in the women's intramural volleyball tournament last week. The tournament was sponsored by the Women's Recreation association, with Lucille McKitterick, A4, Burlington, in charge.

Shirley Lipkowitz Crowned Queen At Formal Dance

Shirley Lipkowitz, A1, Rock Island, Ill., was crowned queen of the Alpha Epsilon Pi social fraternity pledge class at the fraternity's formal dance Saturday night.

"Moulin Rouge" was the theme for the dance, and Parisian berets were presented to the guests.

During the dance, Ira Kapenstein, A1, New York, N.Y., was awarded the outstanding pledge trophy for last semester.

Shirley Lipkowitz

Pinned, Chained and Engaged

PINNED

Sonya Johnson, A4, Cedar Falls, Kappa Kappa Gamma, to George Holmes, M2, Cedar Falls, Nu Sigma Nu.

Peg Peterson, A4, Albia, Kappa Alpha Theta, to Frank Haluska, A2, Albia, Beta Theta Pi.

Jean Albach, A2, Spirit Lake, Kappa Kappa Gamma, to Dave Roush, P3, Corydon, Phi Delta Theta.

Marcia Gordon, A4, Council Bluffs, Sigma Delta Tau, to Herbert Spector, L4, Rock Island, Phi Epsilon Pi.

Diane Scott, A2, Algona, Gamma Phi Beta, to Jerry Sterns, C4, Des Moines, Delta Upsilon.

Kay Paardekooper, A3, Knoxville, Gamma Phi Beta, to John Beam, Drake university, Alpha Tau Omega.

Marydale Merrill, A2, Ida Grove, Gamma Phi Beta, to Norman Dessel, Ida Grove, Delta Tau Delta, former SUI student.

CHAINED

Marjorie O'Harrow, N2, Charles City, Gamma Phi Beta, to Bill Anderson, A3, Clinton, Beta Theta Pi.

ENGAGED

Lee Lindquist, A4, Cedar Rapids, Gamma Phi Beta, to Arlyn Moeller, M2, Belle Plaine, Phi Beta Pi.

Marilyn Brown, A4, Des Moines, Kappa Kappa Gamma, to George Cox, A4, Des Moines.

Fran Miller, C4, Washington, Delta Gamma, to Charles Brummit, M4, Centerville, Nu Sigma Nu.

Jane Anundsen, A3, Decorah, Delta Gamma, to Jim Bullard, M2, Jefferson, Alpha Kappa Kappa.

Curriculum Group To Meet at SUI

The Iowa Association for Curriculum Development will meet at SUI Jan. 14 through 16.

The annual meeting, held last year in Ottumwa, is expected this year to bring together more than 100 school supervisors to work in five study groups: in-service training for teachers; education for economic competence; improved communication between home and school; curriculum adjustment for the exceptional child and improvement of spelling and writing.

President of the association is Genevieve Anderson Hoyt of the Drake university education department. Program chairman is Ralph Austermiller, Waterloo public schools curriculum director.

PROF. VASEY GIVES TALK

Prof. Wayne Vasey, director of SUI's school of social work, spoke to the Iowa Children's Home society during their annual meeting in Des Moines Wednesday. Vasey discussed "The Role of the Private Children's Agency."

Hindu Philosophy Talk Scheduled At Macbride Hall

Swami Nikhilananda, founder and leader of the Ramakrishna-Vivekananda center, New York city, will speak on "The Basic Ideas of Hindu Religion and Philosophy" Jan. 12 at 8 p.m. in Macbride auditorium as part of the annual Sudhindra Bose memorial lecture series.

Before being ordained as a monk of the Panakrishna order, the Swami worked as a journalist. He has toured India and Europe and has written a number of books, some of them translations from the Sanskrit.

The congregation of the Ramakrishna-Vivekananda center, like those of the other branches of the order in this country, consist entirely of Americans. Swami Nikhilananda spent several years in the Himalayan monostery of the order, during which time he made a study of Hinduism and other systems of philosophy and religion.

Students, faculty and staff, and the general public are invited to attend. Tickets will not be necessary.

RED GETS 4 YEARS

NEW YORK (AP) — Communist leader Robert G. Thompson Wednesday got four more years added to his prison sentence for failing to surrender to begin his original term of three years.

Harris Elected Head Of Chemistry Group

Leland Harris, G, Gerard, Ohio, has been elected president of Phi Lambda Upsilon honorary chemical fraternity.

Other new officers are Roger Belt, G, Springfield, Ohio, vice-president; Paul Hudson, G, Iowa City, secretary, and John Saam, G, Denver, Colo., treasurer.

Prof. Richard Hinman of the chemistry department is faculty adviser for the group.

Yuletide Greetings for a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year
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December 16 and 23
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December 19
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Yanks Get Robinson, Byrd In 11-Man Swap

NEW YORK (AP)—In an 11-player deal Wednesday, the world champion New York Yankees acquired first baseman Eddie Robinson and pitcher Harry Byrd from the Philadelphia Athletics in exchange for first basman Vic Power, outfielder Bill Renna and first baseman Don Bollweg.

The trade, greatest numerically in Yankee history, also involved the Yankees' Kansas City farm of the American association and the return of $25,000 to the A's in the sale of third baseman Loren Babe last year.

Besides the main five, here are the other players involved in the massive transaction:

Sent To Kansas City

The A's sent Babe, first baseman Tom Hamilton and outfielder Carmen Mauro to Kansas City.

In return the A's got catcher Al Robertson, who played with Kansas City and Syracuse, pitcher John Gray of Kansas City and third baseman Jim Finnegan of Binghamton of the Eastern league.

In addition the Yankees said they would option two Kansas City players to Ottawa, the Athletics' International league farm. The Yanks said they would retain possession of the players.

Yanks Return Money

The Yankees sold Babe last April to the A's for $25,000, and as part of Wednesday's deal the Yankees will return the money.

Although Earle Mack, Philadelphia vice president, called it "a wonderful deal for us," there wasn't the slightest doubt that the Yankees thought it was super-wonderful for them.

"This will open the floodgates," said George Weiss, Yankee general manager, happily. "The other clubs will have to scramble."

'Strengthen Ourselves'

"We strengthened ourselves in the departments we needed help in most," said Weiss, who admitted the Yankees gave up no one important to their drive for a sixth straight pennant in 1954.

In Robinson, the Yankees received a lefthanded hitter who had a lifetime batting average of .281 through 1952 and who hit .247 last year. Although his average dipped yast year, he still managed to hit 22 homers and drive in 102 runs.

Byrd, a 29-year-old righthander, was named rookie of the year in 1952 when he won 15 and lost 15 and had an earned run average of 3.32. He, too, tailed off in '53, finishing with an 11-20 record and a 5.51 earned run average.

Bowl Games Call 4 Hawks

Special games in late December and early January will occupy four Iowa football players who will take off for California and Florida this weekend.

Jerry Hilgenberg, center; and Don Chelf, tackle or guard, will leave for San Francisco where they will play with the East team in the Shrine game in Kezar stadium Jan. 2.

Immediately after the game, the Hawks will fly to Mobile, Ala. to prepare for play on the North team in the Senior Bowl game there Jan. 9. Ten other Big Ten players also will perform on the North squad, coached by Paul Brown.

Bill Fenton and Dusty Rice will play on the North team in the Mahi Shrine temple's all-star game in Miami's Orange Bowl Christmas night, under the direction of Stu Holcomb of Purdue. Like the San Francisco East-West game, this contest is for the benefit of hospitals for crippled children.

Hilgenberg, because he had agreed earlier to play at Mobile in the Senior Bowl game, turned down an invitation to be a member of the all-star squad for the Hula Bowl game in Honolulu, Hawaii, Jan. 10.

Only twice before have two Iowa players been invited to the San Francisco Shrine game. No Iowa player has been a member of the East squad since 1949. The only previous Iowa to play at Miami was Bill Kay in 1948 and Bill Reichardt, 1951, is the only previous Iowa representative in the Senior Bowl.

Maryland Receives Trophy from Irish

WASHINGTON (AP) — Notre Dame, the nation's No. 2 football power, Wednesday presented Maryland with a trophy honoring it as the No. 1 club—but with a string attached.

"Maryland has a truly typical championship team," said Bill Earley, Notre Dame backfield coach as he presented the Rev. J. Hugh O'Donnell Memorial trophy to H. C. Byrd, president of the University of Maryland.

"Next year, we're going to come right back here and try to take the championship away from you," he added. "But now, from No. 2 to No. 1, our heartiest congratulations."

Writers Favor Controlled TV In Grid Tilts

NEW YORK(AP)—A big majority of the men who have to watch "live" football every Saturday—the sports writers and broadcasters—favor controlled television of college football games and think the NCAA control program is here to stay.

But they are by no means convinced that the NCAA program in its present form is perfect.

By a vote of more than 4 to 1, nearly 300 writers and broadcasters participating in the Associated Press season end poll indicated their approval of some sort of controls. The vote howed a sharp swing in favor of restrictions since last year, when the margin was approximately 8 to 3.

Experts Asked

The wording of the question didn't lend itself to an exact yes or no count. The experts were asked: "What is your reaction to the NCAA's restricted TV program? If you don't like it what is your suggestion?"

This brought a variety of answers.

In the final count, 105 voters expresed unqualified approval of the 1953 NCAA plan or conceded that it is a necessary evil or the most practical solution to a difficult problem. There were 103 ballots which indicated some sort of controls under the NCAA should be retained but suggested important changes in the setup.

48 Oppose Plan

Only 48 ballots indicated complete opposition to the plan. Of these 26 proposed unrestricted television of college football.

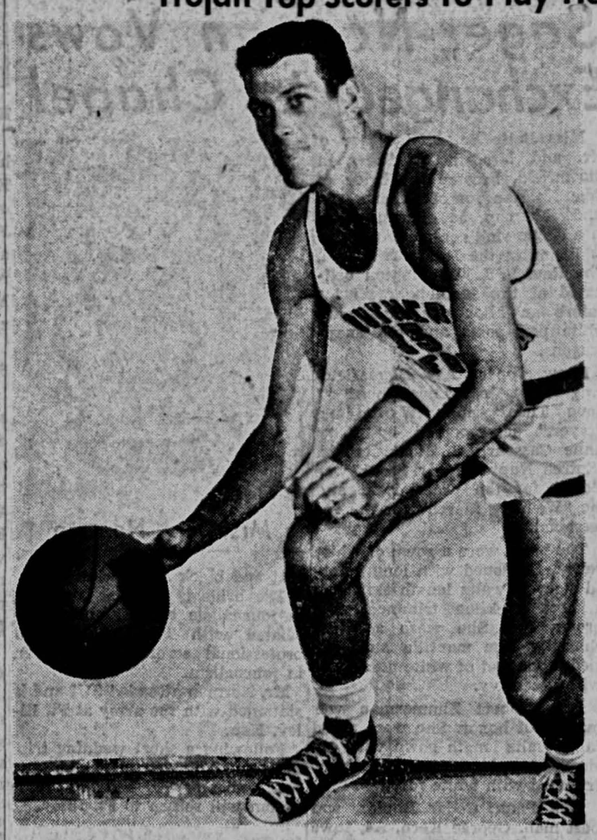
Three voters said there wasn't enough restriction of television and about 30 offered no opinion, said they were undecided or figured the problem was insoluble.

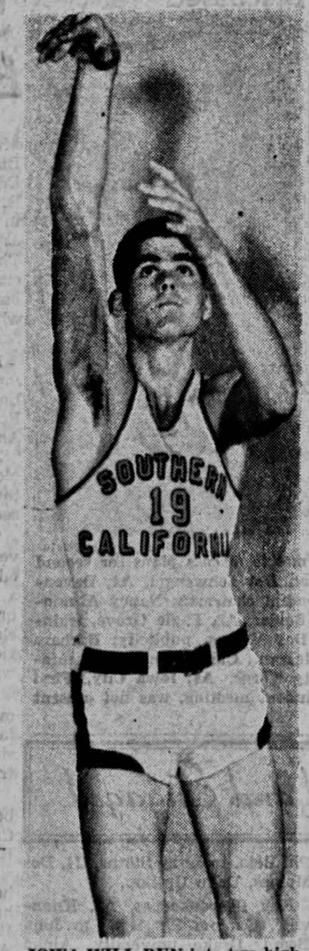
Waiting Line at Rose Bowl

(AP Wirephoto)

HUNDREDS OF FANS form a line at the Rose Bowl Wednesday for the public sale of 3,500 tickets to the New Year's day classic between Michigan State and UCLA. All the seats, in the end zone, cost $5.50. The rest of the seats in the 100,000 capacity stadium were not put on public sale.

Trojan Top Scorers To Play Here Friday





(USC Photos)

IOWA WILL RUN into two high scorers here Friday night as unbeaten Southern California tests the Hawks' 59-game home nonconference winning streak. Guard Dick Hammer (left) tops the team in scoring with an 11.4 average while center Roy Irvin has averaged 10.2.

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CHARLES WINS

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Former heavyweight champion Ezzard Charles, fighting for another crack at the title, stopped Coley Wallace of New York in the final round of their scheduled 10-round televised fight at Civic Auditorium Wednesday night.

Hawks Ranked 3d Most Surprising Grid Team

NEW YORK — Iowa was voted the third most surprising football team of the 1953 season Wednesday in the Associated Press post-season poll.

Receiving 154 votes, the Hawks were ranked behind Illinois and Stanford. Iowa, winner of five of nine games, with one tie, finished ahead of Auburn and Army in the balloting.

Illinois was chosen for the top spot as they rose from mediocrity before the season to become Big Ten co-champion with Michigan State.

CLARK QUITS

LINCOLN, Neb. (AP) — George "Potsy" Clark Wednesday night quit as athletic director at the University of Nebraska.

2 National Champs Will Wrestle Here

Two national champions will be spotlighted in a field of over 200 wrestlers here Saturday in the second annual Iowa Invitational A. A. U. wrestling tournament.

The two NCAA kings expected for the all-day meet are Jim Harmon, 157-pounder from Iowa State Teachers college; and Dick Mueller, 123-pound Big Ten and national champ from Minnesota.

Harmon will receive strong challenges from no less than three entrants. Heading the challengers is Jerry Seeber, Wisconsin captain and former Osage prep star who went undefeated in dual meets last season. Iowa's Harlan Jenkinson and Bob Malcomb of Minnesota will also rank as stiff opposition.

Mueller's biggest test will probably come from two Hawkeyes, freshman Terry McCann and sophomore Dick Govig, who both hold one A. A. U. tournament title this year.

The meet will be broken down into two classes—an open amateur and junior division for high school students. Both will draw more than 100 men when entries are tabulated.

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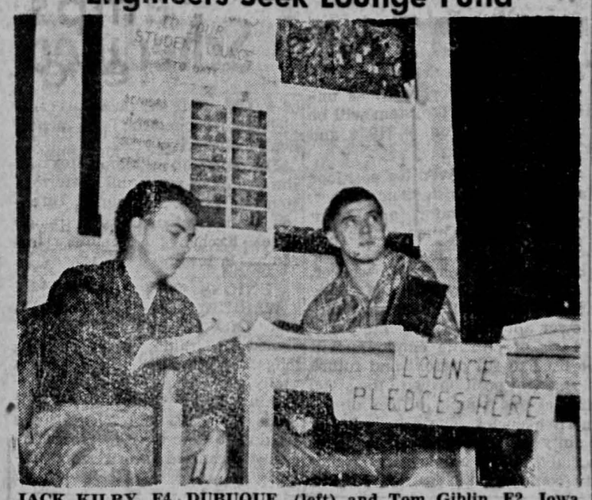

JACK KILBY, E4, DUBUQUE, (left) and Tom Giblin, E2, Iowa City, are shown checking donations for the day in the engineering students' fund drive for a new lounge. The table will be open for donations until Saturday, from 8 a.m. until 5 p.m. The drive, which began Monday, will attempt to reach $500 before Saturday. More than half of the total has been collected to date.

Engineering Students Hope To Collect Money for Lounge

A fund drive is now underway among engineering students to raise money for a lounge. The Associated Students of Engineering, sponsors of the drive, hope to collect $500 in donations this week.

Fund raising activities began Monday and will end Saturday. A collection table has been set up on the first floor of the engineering building with two students in charge. Two students will be available at this table through the remainder of this week from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. to accept donations.

The proposed lounge, which will be a converted classroom on the first floor of the engineering building, across from the engineering library, will be put into operation as soon as possible.

Purposes of the lounge will be for relaxation, meetings of various engineering groups, and a new congregation spot. It is hoped the lounge will decrease present congestion in the engineering library.

Parliament To Elect New French President

PARIS(AP)—Parliament meets in Versailles palace Thursday to elect a new president of France from a hodgepodge of candidates. President Vincent Auriol, 69, is rounding out a seven-year term and says he doesn't want another.

Premier Joseph Laniel and six other prominent members of Parliament are officially in the field.

CITY RECORD

BIRTHS

To Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Cashman, 1220 Keokuk st., a boy Tuesday at Mercy hospital.

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To Mr. and Mrs. Dale Frantz, 532 E. College st., a girl, Wednesday at Mercy hospital.

To Mr. and Mrs. Vance Sojka, R.R. 4, Riverside, a boy Wednesday at Mercy hospital.

DEATHS

Katherine Kaefring, 89, 623 E. Burlington, Tuesday at Mercy hospital.

Fred Murbarger, 74, Garden Grove, Tuesday at University hospitals.

Evelyn Faye Randall, 54, Creston. Tuesday at University hospitals.

JET PILOT KILLED

CRETE, Neb.(AP)—A Lincoln Neb., pilot, veteran of 3,400 hours flying time, was killed Wednesday when his F-80 Nebraska Air National Guard jet plane crashed into a hillside four miles southeast of Crete.

Dentistry College Christmas Party Slated for Today

The annual Christmas party for faculty, staff and students of the SUI college of dentistry will be held today in the foyer of the Dental building.

Senior dental student James Dow will preside as master of ceremonies at the program which begins at 3:15 p.m. Dr. Gerald P. Ivancie, instructor in periodontology, will conduct the college of dentistry band whose members include Doctors Kenneth E. Wessels, William G. Goodale, Albert J. Soucek, of the dental college faculty, and dental students Phillip J. Crumley, Arthur K. Parizek, Arnold K. Webster, Charles R. Kremenak, Harold K. Packard, Vincent D. Williams, Merryl D. Schulke, Wayne F. Lage, Wallace W. Johnson, Robert M. Thompson, and Miss Helen Newell.

Ivancie will lead the group singing of Christmas carols and also direct the dental hygiene choir. Members of the choir include Margaret A. Bathke, Joanne L. Bradley, Patricia A. Button, Kay M. Camp, Phyllis J. Clark, Glenora M. Eckard, Anna J. Erickson, Marian D. Fahrner, Beverly Gegenheimer, Norma J. Hansen, Barbara J. Hays, Maurine E. Hite, Gerri L. Murdock, Iris F. Ostrander, Vera M. O'Toole, Wanda M. Percy, LaVonne J. Ranaldi, Sanita M. Reyes, Phyllis M. Schmitz, Dixie L. Van Meter, Janis L. Wilson, Phyllis M. Wright, and Marlene Zvacek.

Specialty acts, including acrobatics, will be presented by Ted Cole, Art Van Cleve, Bob Spaan, John Bartou, Dean Glattly and John Bergquist, all dental students at SUI.

Senior dental student James Bawden is in charge of floor arrangements and decorations, and Frank Ruliffson, Harry Monroe, and Jim Johnson are serving on the refreshments committee.

The party has been arranged by SUI members of the Student American Dental association. Officers of the SUI group, who are in charge of general arrangements for the party, include Harold R. Gannon, president; Monroe, vice-president; Dow, secretary and treasurer. Bowden and Ruliffson are co-chairmen of the program. Faculty adviser is Dr. Percy W. Herrick, professor in the SUI dental college.

Union Receives Decorations for Party Tonight

(Daily Iowan Photo)

THE UNION BOARD SPECIAL EVENTS COMMITTEE places a wreath over one of the Union fireplaces in preparation for the Christmas party to be held in the Iowa Memorial Union tonight from 8 to 11. Christmas caroling, dancing and a Mummers play will be highlights of the program. The committee members include from left to right, Bob Doerr, A3, Sioux City; Rennet Domack, A3, Oshkosh; Chuck Frandson, A2, Story City, and Bonnie Erickson, N2, Sioux City.

WSUI To Broadcast Christmas Programs

An original nativity play, "Emmanuel," by James Forsyth, will be presented this evening at 7:30 over radio station WSUI on the BBC World Theater. This program is another of the many shows aired during the Christmas season by the university station.

Starring in the hour and a half drama are leading actors and actresses of the British Broadcasting company. The role of the Shepherd is played by Mervyn Johns; Mary by Peggy Bryan; Joseph by John Laurie, and Herod by Andrew Cruickshank.

This play was originally broadcast to home listeners of the BBC.

Preceding the BBC World Theater at 7 p.m. is part two of "A Touch of Christmas." The half hour program features Christmas music, new and old, designed to appeal to listeners of all ages. "A Touch of Christmas" is directed by Stephen Hobson of the SUI music department.

Another phase of WSUI's programming will be presented on the regular Thursday Evening Dinner Hour at 6 p.m. The feature work on tonight's dinner hour is "The Nutcracker Suite" by the Russian composer, Peter Tchaikovsky.

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SUI Art Exhibit Shows Ancient Oriental Relics

By PAT HEEFNER

The statue of a lion, which may look more like a monstrous combination of a dog and lion than a lion alone, confronts you as you walk into the oriental art exhibit now being shown in the gallery of the art building.

But to Buddhists, this lion is a temple guardian denoting royalty. This lion, which is probably about 200 years old, is characteristic of statues which have a great religious importance to persons of Buddhist faith.

The exhibit, which ends Friday, is made up of items contributed by the Davenport Public Museum and private individuals, shows the characteristic religious and secular art work of Japan, China, Korea, India, and Thialand. It includes a large amount of art work of the religions of Hinduism, Buddhism, Confucianism, and Taoism.

Japanese Masks Shown

As you look around the exhibit, you will see a case containing some Japanese dramatic masks of both religious and humerous plays. In the center is the king of hell with his assistants sitting on either side of him. Above him is a lion guardian mask. Also in the case is the often heard of weak-eyed warrior and an old man mask with human hair.

On the north wall of the gallery are some Japanese popular theatrical prints. These prints, which are typical pictures of theatrical characters, were considered very cheap pictures, almost an equivalent of our comic strips, in the 18th and 19th centuries in Japan.

They were used as paper to wrap articles sent to Europe which amazed Europeans who thought them very good examples of oriental paintings. The prints are now considered typical popular Japanese prints although the Japanese do not consider them great works of art.

Korean Works Included

Included in the exhibit are Korean art works, many of which were brought back from Korea by John Rosenfield, who put together the exhibit. He traded American goods, many times clothes, for the pieces on the streets in Korea.

Prof. Yi-Pao Mei of SUI has contributed several popular Chinese lithographs of religious and folk mentality. There is one very interesting lithograph made up of scenes of Confucian principles.

In another case are some examples of Chinese tomb pottery. Some actually came from tombs while others apparently did not. These carvings were put in tombs with the belief that the dead needed the same things in death that they had needed in life. For instance, carvings of servants or sheep were put in a tomb of a man who had had servants or flocks of sheep. Many times pottery containing food was also put in the tombs.

Horse Mask Interesting

Another interesting piece is a horse mask in the form of a dragon from Japan. This was probably used as a mask to fit over the head of a horse in a parade to give the horse the aspect of a dragon.

Also in the collection are pieces of hammered brass from India which were probably made in the 19th century. Silk Saris, which are women's wrappings from South India, are also on display.

An interesting item from Tibet is a charm box with small turquoise stones covering the top of it. In addition there are numerous scroll paintings of provincial masters, many amateurs, from Korea, Japan, and China. There prints usually have a poem written on them to help express the feeling in the paintings. Because the prints are so similar, it is hard to distinguish which country they came from.

Rhodes Scholarship Winners Announced

Two students from Minnesota, one from Kansas, and one from Missouri have been chosen the four midwestern recipients of the Rhodes Scholarship and will attend Oxford university in England for the academic year 1954-1955.

The two from Minnesota are James J. Barnes, 22, St. Paul, Minn., a senior at Amherst college, Northampton, Mass., and Thomas Clayton, 21, Winona, Minn., a senior at the University of Minnesota, in Minneapolis.

Milton C. Cummings, 20, Effingham, Kan., a senior at Swathmore college, Swathmore, Penn., was also chosen. Milton Rebholz, 21, St. Louis, who was graduated from St. Louis university and is now attending Leland Stanford university, Palo Alto, Calif., will receive the other scholarship.

SUI President Virgil M. Hancher is vice-president of the American Rhodes Scholars association and secretary of the district committee.

5 Streets Closed; Open for Sliding

The city council has authorized five areas for coasting on snow-covered streets this winter.

These streets will be barricaded to all traffic except for persons living inside the barricades.

Coasting hours will be from 4 to 9 p.m. Monday through Saturday and 1 to 9 p.m. on Sundays.

The streets to be barricaded are: Washington st. between Muscatine ave. and Pearl st.; Brown st. from Governor to Dodge streets.; Center st. between Seventh ave. and Dearborn st.; Harrison st. between Dubuque st. and Maiden lane, and Page st. from Webster to Van Buren streets.

Economists Watch Christmas Buying, SUI Bureau Says

Christmas shopping and other retail sales at the end of the year are being watched with special interest by business analysts and forecasters this year, SUI bureau of business and economic research observes.

Economists regard November-December sales not only as a barometer of current business health but also as an indicator of business activity for the first half of 1954, according to Lewis Wagner, research assistant in the bureau.

With a plentiful supply of goods—business inventories before Christmas shopping totaled nearly $80 billion, $5 billion more than last year—and more money than ever before in most consumers' pockets, business in the current holiday season is out to break the 1952 November-December record of $30.9 billions.

Hard to Beat Record

But that record will be hard to beat, economists in the SUI bureau point out. For one thing, less overtime pay recently and some layoffs have resulted in a slight but steady decline of wages and salaries in the nation, starting last June.

The rate of increase in consumer credit has also been slowing down. In the four months ending Oct. 31, total consumer credit rose only 2.8 per cent, whereas in the preceding four months the gain was 7.5 per cent.

The decline of credit buying, the bureau economists explain, is largely responsible for the recent sluggishness in major appliance items and other durable goods.

Another Factor Suggested

Another factor which suggests that 1953 retail sales for November and December may fall a billion or more short of 1952's record is that October department store sales this year were about 4 per cent under those of last year, and chain stores and mail order houses were off two per cent this November over the same 1952 month.

The fact that nearly one-fifth of all annual retail sales occur in the last two months of the year spotlights the importance of the holiday season.

If sales in the all-important holiday season become brisk, investments will have been jusitfied. Sluggish sales, on the other hand, will probably mean inventory reductions in 1954 and a further decline in employment and other economic activity, bureau spokesmen point out.

Post Office Opens at North Pole

(AP Wirephoto)

THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT TODAY OPENED its newest post office, here in North Pole, N.Y., near the snow-covered Whiteface mountain in the Adirondacks. Fred Dennin, postmaster at nearby Lake Placid, is seen handing Santa Claus a bag of Christmas mail in a pre-opening ceremony. The post office operated by Julian Reiss, whose company here, "Santa's Workshop," makes toys.

Greenlease Killers Enter Final Day

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — Carl Austin Hall and Bonnie Brown Heady begin their last day of life today, just 81 days after they kidnaped and killed 6-year-old Bobby Greenlease.

The couple, still apparently impassive, will be executed side by side in the gas chamber of the Missouri state prison a few minutes after midnight today.

As last minute plans were worked out for their execution neither Hall nor Mrs. Heady reportedly showed concern over their fate.

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Oratorio

Nativity Story Lends Holiday Air

The spirit of Christmas pervaded the Iowa Memorial Union Wednesday night as an attentive audience listened to a presentation of Bach's Christmas Oratorio.

Prof. Herald Stark directed the combined Symphony orchestra and chorus in the annual SUI Christmas concert.

From the beginning chorus exhortation, "Christian, be Joyful," until the final "Now Vengeance Hath Been Taken," the Scriptural story of the Nativity, set to music by Bach in 1734, took on a more vivid meaning to the hearers.

Singing stellar solos were Stephen Hobson, G, Iowa City, tenor, as the Evangelist; Jean Gressley, G, Bonaparte, contralto, who sang the only aria, "Slumber Beloved;" Williard Snustad, G, Hendrum, Minn., bass; Henrietta Folkens, A3, Rock Rapids, soprano; Barry Mandel, A3, Clayton, Mo., baritone, and William Cofer, L1 Bettendorf tenor.

The principal trumpets, Wayne Ludvigson, A2, Rock Rapids, and Joseph Zingale, G, Welch, W. Va., are deserving of special credit for handling masterfully a vigorous cornet part pitched in the higher register.

Malcolm Westly, G, Manly, accompanied throughout on the Union's new electric organ.

Merit Tests Scheduled

Examinations for positions under the Iowa Merit system will be given between Jan. 4, 1954 and March 5, 1954.

Tests will be given for positions such as clerk, typist, stenographer, key punch operator, accountant and statistician. Other exams will be for the positions of psychologist, public assistance worker, child welfare worker, graduate nurse, public health nurse, interviewer and field representative.

Lists of possible employes will be used to fill present and future permanent positions with the state, district and county offices of the merit agencies. These include the county and state department of social welfare, employment security commission, state department of health, state services for crippled children, and the Iowa mental health authority.

For application blanks to take the exams or for further information address J. H. Thureu, Director Merit System Council, Insurance Exchange building, Des Moines 9, Iowa.

UNIONS SIGN COMPACT

WASHINGTON (AP)— The AFL and CIO Wednesday formally signed a no-raiding compact as "a long forward step" toward eventually merging the two big labor organizations. The agreement binds the AFL and CIO against seeking to take over members already organized into a labor union.

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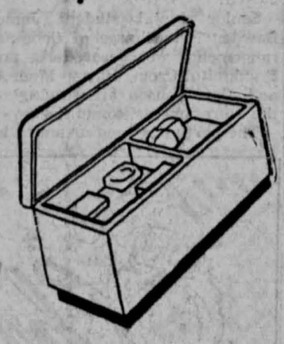

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—Rooster Motif Deviled Egg Dish. $3.95

—Modern Casserole. 2-qt. $6.95 1-qt., $4.95

—Aluminum Juice Tumblers. Set of 8. $3.95

—Man's Manicure Set. Imported. $5.50

—Horse Head Bottle Opener. Imported. $2.00

—Man's Pocket Manicure set. Imported. $2.95

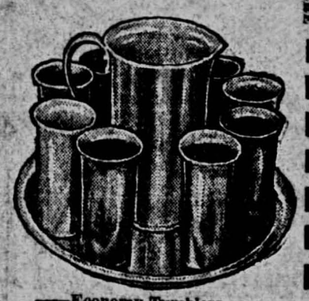
—Better Homes Cook Book. New edition. $3.95 each

—Pepper Mill Set. Imported. $3.25 set

—Steak Knives. Set of 6, $3.25

—Sauce Pan and Fry Pan set with hanger. $7.95 set

—Better Homes Handyman's Guide. $3.95



—Economy Tumblers — Set of 8 — $5.95 Trays — $2.50 Pitchers — $3.00 - $3.25

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