

Fair, colder, with lowest tonight about 34; tomorrow clear and moderately cold. Temperatures today—Highest, 52, at midnight; lowest, 45, at 4:20 a. m., 48 at 4 p. m.

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NAZIS LAUNCH GREAT ASSAULT ON MOSCOW

Late News Bulletins

Finns Announce Reply to Britain

HELSINKI (AP)—The Finnish Foreign Office announced tonight that it had notified Britain last night that Finland has no other aims than safeguarding her existence and does not intend to wage war any longer than vital security demands.

(Earlier Story on Page A-1.)

Batista Asks Emergency Powers in Cuba

HAVANA (AP)—President Fulgencio Batista today asked Congress to declare a state of emergency and grant the cabinet extraordinary powers to rule by decree for 45 days. "The time has come to adopt the extraordinary measures required by national defense," President Batista said in his message to Congress.

Artillery Duel Fought on Tobruk Road

NEW YORK (AP)—The British radio reported today that a heavy artillery duel between British and Axis forces is progressing on the road leading from El Adem to Tobruk in Libya.

(Earlier Story on Page A-1.)

Texas Aggies, W. S. C. in Scoreless Tie

TACOMA, Wash. (AP)—The Texas Aggies, Southwest Conference champions, and Washington State College of the Pacific Coast Conference were tied, 0-0, at the end of the first quarter here today. More than 23,000 were in the concrete "Evergreen Bowl."

Rice Beats S. M. U., 6 to 0

DALLAS, Tex. (AP)—Rice defeated Southern Methodist University, 6 to 0, in their football game here today.

Mitchell Field Plane Crashes Into Sea

NEW YORK (AP)—An Army P-40 pursuit plane from Mitchell Field plunged into the ocean off Rockaway Beach this afternoon and, according to police of the Rockaway precinct, the pilot was lost. The ship is under 100 feet of water, police said.

1938 Scrubgirl Rises to Fame As Co-Star With Grace Moore



DOROTHY KIRSTEN (right) with GRACE MOORE. Associated Press Wirephoto.

CHICAGO, Dec. 6.—A young blond soprano, who three years ago was scrubbing floors by night and studying voice by day, climaxed a rocket-like rise to fame today by co-starring in an opera with her discoverer and patroness, Grace Moore.

Coincidence played an important part in the story of spotlights and star billing for Dorothy Kirsten, now at 24 one of the Nation's youngest concert singers.

Miss Kirsten is considered the youngest featured artist on the Chicago opera stage this year. She has not appeared on the New York Metropolitan stage, but Chicago opera officials freely predict she, like her sponsor, will become one of the great sopranos of her generation.

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Captive Coal Decision Near, Steelman Hints

Union Shop Issue May Be Settled Within 48 Hours

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—Dr. John R. Steelman, chairman of the Board of Arbitration in the captive coal mine dispute, indicated today that a decision on the controversial union shop issue might be reached within the next 48 hours.

Dr. Steelman emerged from a four-hour conference with the other arbitrators, John L. Lewis, president of the United Mine Workers of America (C. I. O.), and Benjamin F. Fairless, president of the United States Steel Corp., to announce: "The captive coal arbitration board has recessed until 12 noon tomorrow. It is not certain, but I hope that we can complete our task within the next 48 hours."

The arbitrators had reassembled today after a three-day recess in which they individually studied documents before the board dealing with the union shop position of the union and the eight major steel producing companies operating captive mines.

Both the union and the steel companies had agreed to abide by the board's decision.

Pilot Ferrying Bomber For R. A. F. Killed in Crash

By the Associated Press.

CAKES, Wash., Dec. 6.—Lt. Harry O'Neil was killed yesterday in the crash of a Douglas medium bomber, one of a squadron of 18 bearing R. A. F. markings.

The planes, flying up the Columbia River gorge for an undisclosed destination, were forced back by bad weather. Lt. O'Neil's plane crashed and burned on nearby Prune Hill.

The son of George Blanchard, Prune Hill farmer, said the plane struck the ground within 75 feet of where he was standing in his own yard.

The craft narrowly missed the residences of Mrs. Dick Dorman and Mrs. Marie Delz, on the hill, 3 1/2 miles north.

Lt. O'Neil was graduated from the advanced Army flying school at Barksdale, La., last August 1.

The bombers checked out of McChord Field air base near Tacoma last night. The pilots were members of the ferrying command which helps deliver the ships to England.

500 Talesmen Called In Mine Slaying Trial

By the Associated Press.

NEW TAZEWELL, Tenn., Dec. 6.—Five hundred men have been summoned to report Monday for selection of a jury to try 14 members of the United Mine Workers on murder charges.

They have been called from the coal mines and tobacco fields of East Tennessee to hear lawyers' arguments echo a Tennessee-Kentucky border battle that cost four lives last April.

Mr. Rhodes, who operated an unorganized Claiborne County mine and resisted unionization, and two companions fell fatally wounded during an exchange of gunfire with a group of U. M. W. pickets.

Ex-Sergt. Greenberg Has Tooth Extracted

By the Associated Press.

DETROIT, Dec. 6.—Ex-Sergt. Henry Greenberg gently rubbed his jaw today because he had a wisdom tooth extracted yesterday and said: "If it weren't for that I'd be in 100 per cent shape."

Before turning his thoughts to baseball, the big Detroit Tiger outfielder, who was released from the United States Army at Fort Custer yesterday, gave first attention to the tooth.



KEARNY, N. J.—HUGE TANKER LAUNCHED—The 17,650-ton oil tanker E. W. Sinclair slides down the ways into the Hackensack River today, the eighteenth vessel to be launched this year at the yards of the Federal Shipbuilding & Drydock Co. One of the world's largest petroleum carriers, the Sinclair was christened by Katherine Anne Bishop, granddaughter of Earle W. Sinclair, president of the Sinclair Refining Co. (Story on Page A-2.)

Marriage of King Leopold III To Flemish Woman Reported

Belgian Ruler Wed On September 11, Berlin Says

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—King Leopold III of the Belgians, widowed by the death of Queen Astrid August 29, 1935, has married Mary Lelia Baels, daughter of a former governor of East Flanders, the German radio said today, quoting a pastoral letter of Msgr. Van Roey, Archbishop of Belgium.

The ceremony was said to have taken place September 11. In Stockholm, Princess Elsa Barnadotte of Sweden confirmed a report that King Leopold has married a "well-educated, simple woman whose last name is Baels." Princess Elsa is the wife of Prince Charles, brother of the late Queen Astrid.

In London, however, Belgians there termed the report "incredible" and "strange." The German radio said the pastoral letter would be read in all Belgian churches tomorrow.

The letter states, according to the radio broadcast, that any children of this marriage will have no right to the throne. This would seem to indicate that the bride was a commoner.

Queen Astrid bore Leopold three children, Princess Josephine Charlotte, October 11, 1927; Prince Baudouin, Duke of Brabant, September 17, 1930; and Prince Albert, Prince of Liege June 6, 1934.

She was killed in the crash of an automobile during a ride with her husband on a holiday in Switzerland. Astrid was the daughter of Prince Carl of Sweden.

Since he ordered capitulation of the Belgian army to the German Low Country offensive in May, 1940, Leopold, now 40 years old, has been living at Laeken Castle, at Brussels.

Reports from Belgian sources in London identified Miss Baels as the daughter of H. L. Baels, who was former minister of public works, health and agriculture in the 1920s.

These sources described Miss Baels as "a charming girl" who went to school in England during the last war and was later presented to the Belgian court when her father was a cabinet minister. She is well known in Brussels society.

Russian Armies Slash at Foe in Flank Attacks

New Gains Claimed By Both Sides in Bitter Fighting

BULLETIN.

MOSCOW (AP)—The Soviet Information Bureau announced at midnight tonight simply that "fighting on all fronts continued throughout the day."

(Earlier Story on Page A-1.)

Adolf Hitler was declared by the Italian radio today to have hurled 1,500,000 troops, 8,000 tanks and 1,000 guns into "the most terrific offensive of all times" against Moscow, and it appeared that the Red capital now faces its hour of greatest peril.

Fighting in deep snow, with the mercury sinking as low as 31 degrees below zero, Soviet ski troops were reported to have scored into action along the entire Moscow front as the Red armies slashed at the Germans in flanking attacks.

A British radio broadcast said "a message just received reports a strong Russian attack in the Kalinin sector, 90 miles northwest of Moscow." Red Army units crossed over the ice of the Volga River at several points and captured two important positions on the opposite bank after fierce fighting.

Villages Recaptured.—The radio said other Soviet troops, counterattacking south of Moscow, recaptured a number of villages and drove the Germans back to the west bank of the Nara River, which joins the Oka River at Serpukhov, 50 miles south of the capital.

The sharpest German threat apparently centered in the Klin and Moshak sectors while Soviet counterblows struck at the outer wings of the Nazi offensive.

On the Leningrad front, Soviet dispatches said the Russians had cut off the highway linking German forces in the city of Tikhvin with their rear bases and that Red troops were slowly battering their way into the approaches of Tikhvin itself. The city lies 110 miles southeast of Leningrad.

The Russians said the most active front was the Medvezhya Gora area, at the top of Lake Onega, where, they declared, Finnish forces have been trying vainly for a month to capture the city and open a way to Russia's White Sea-Baltic canal.

They said the Germans and Finns failed to make forward anywhere on the Arctic Kola Peninsula from Murmansk to Kandalaksha for three months.

Nazi Forces Dig In.—Severe blows were said to have been inflicted on German units in the Murmansk region, and dispatches said Nazi forces large enough to be commanded by two generals had dug in for defense.

The Finnish high command, however, announced that Finnish troops had achieved another "great victory" against the Russians, capturing Karhumaki, an important station on the Murmansk Railway north of Lake Onega.

The grave new danger to Moscow was announced in German reports claiming the capture of two key cities on Moscow's close-in perimeter of defenses and five other towns on the south.

American Football League Meets to Plan Expansion

By the Associated Press.

DETROIT, Dec. 6.—The American Professional Football League, which aspires to rival the National Pro League on the big-time gridiron, met in private here today with hopes of expansion.

President William Griffith of Columbus said several cities had expressed interest in franchises. He said he was at liberty to disclose their identities.

Representatives were here from the last season's five playing members of the league—Columbus, New York, Milwaukee, Buffalo and Cincinnati. Detroit and Boston were described as non-playing members, having only teams.

A group here has been considering a plan to put a team on the field as a rival to the Detroit Lions of the National League.

Bolivia Gets Lease-Lend Aid Under Pact

By the Associated Press.

The United States signed a lease-lend agreement with Bolivia here today reported to all from \$10,000,000 to \$15,000,000 in American aid to that republic.

The agreement was signed at the State Department by Secretary Hull and Dr. Luis Fernando Guachalla, Bolivian minister. The exact amount involved was not disclosed.

The agreement is the seventh known lease-lend pact signed with other American republics. Other agreements were with Brazil, Haiti, Dominican Republic, Paraguay, Nicaragua and Cuba.

Honduran President Reveals Nazi Plots in Central America

Carias Lauds Roosevelt As 'Defender of Weak Countries'

By the Associated Press.

TEGUCIGALPA, Honduras, Dec. 6.—President Tiburcio Carias Andino told the Chamber of Deputies today that he has documentary proof that Nazi and Fascist agents had attempted to establish in America governments "manageable by them, to fight against the United States."

Gen. Carias said he would do all possible in support of democracy and President Roosevelt, whom he described as "the defender of weak countries."

Gen. Carias said that in Honduras, enemies of the government had conspired with Nazi agents to provoke disorders. He added that the plotting also extended to the other Central American nations, Guatemala, El Salvador, Nicaragua and Costa Rica and Panama.

Tampico Plot Charged.—MEXICO CITY, Dec. 6.—A charge that the captains and crews of 10 Axis vessels seized by the Mexican government at Tampico last April had plotted to destroy not only their own ships but the port of Tampico as well was made by Vice Admiral Luis Hurtado de Mendoza today.

Admiral Hurtado asserted the ships were loaded with highly combustible material and a plot had been discovered to set them on fire, with the object of spreading the flames to the whole port, where much gasoline was stored.

Racing Results

Charles Town

FIRST RACE—The Chat Towers, purse, \$500, claiming, 3-year-olds and upward, 1 1/4 miles. Hullo Zac (Cat) 7.80 5.00 2.80. Blue Moon (Cherry) 19.50 7.00 3.00. Royal Echo (Churchill) 14.80 2.80 1.50. Time, 1:05 1/2.

SECOND RACE—Purse, \$500, claiming, 3-year-olds and upward, 1 1/4 miles. Aster Lady (Churchill) 4.80 3.40 2.00. Daisy Day (Scott) 14.80 2.80 1.50. Miss Wing (Wright) 14.80 2.80 1.50. Time, 1:15 1/2.

THIRD RACE—Purse, \$500, claiming, 3-year-olds and upward, 1 1/4 miles. Fair Hero (Carrillo) 25.00 10.40 4.80. Clay Hill (Palumbo) 7.80 4.00 2.00. Crestant (Scott) 14.80 2.80 1.50. Time, 1:28 1/2.

FOURTH RACE—The Buck Bowler, purse, \$500, claiming, 3-year-olds and upward, 1 1/4 miles. Fern Court 6.80 4.20 2.40. Berwyn Kelly (Gidswell) 6.80 4.20 2.40. Braxton Kelly (Palumbo) 6.80 4.20 2.40. Time, 1:10 1/2.

FIFTH RACE—The Al Howard, purse, \$500, 3-year-olds and upward, 1 1/4 miles. Jungle Moon (Dartlett) 6.80 4.20 2.40. Fair Judge (Loutch) 6.80 4.20 2.40. Sir Broadside (Kirk) 6.80 4.20 2.40. Time, 1:31 1/2.

Longhorns Leading Oregon, 30 to 7, As Half Ends

Texans Put In Second Touchdown as Result

By the Associated Press.

AUSTIN, Tex., Dec. 6.—The University of Texas was leading Oregon, 30 to 7, as the half ended in the schools' football game here today. Twenty-five thousand watched in sunshine.

First Quarter.—Oregon received the kickoff and, failing to gain, Curt Mecham punted to Crain, who returned 8 to the Texas 40. Eight running plays featured a touchdown drive, Crain running over the front from the 1. He booted the extra point. Score: Oregon, 0; Texas, 7.

Crain took Mecham's punt and returned 17. Layden hurled a pass to Kutner, who ran 20 to Texas' second touchdown. Crain again place-kicked the point. Score: Oregon, 0; Texas, 14.

Crain handed off Mecham's punt to Doss, who returned wide 25 to the Oregon 41. Layden got 3 and Doss raced around end, then reversed through the whole Webfoot team to score Texas' third marker. Crain added the point.

Crain's second-stringers took over, but gave way to the first team when an Oregon ground and aerial attack, aided by a 15-yard penalty, carried to the Longhorn 8. Newquist handed to Mecham on a reverse to score, then booted the point.

Later, Mecham recovered on the Oregon 10. Sanders crashed through for 5 and Matthews added 4. From there, Sanders ran wide to score Texas' fourth marker. He booted the point. Soon afterwards, Freeman of Texas blocked Mecham's punt and recovered it behind the Oregon goal. The play was ruled a safety against the Webfoots. Score: Oregon 7, Texas 30.

Gravel Firm Worker Drowns in Potomac

A man identified by harbor precinct police as Robert H. Powell, 21, of 423 Cameron street, Alexandria, Va., an employee of the Smoot Sand & Gravel Co., was drowned today near the area where Hunting Creek joins the Potomac River, south of Alexandria.

No details of the mishap were learned immediately. The body was brought by one of the Smoot firm's boats to the harbor precinct station. Officials of the firm in Georgetown, which they had received no report of the drowning.

Richard Greene to Wed

LONDON, Dec. 6 (AP)—Movie Actor Richard Greene, now a lieutenant of the 27th Hussars, announced today that he and Miss Patricia Medina, a British film actress, will be married soon.

Fort Terry Wins Title

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Dec. 6 (AP)—Fort Terry (242d Coast Artillery) won the New England Army football championship today, defeating Camp Edwards (208th AA Coast Artillery), 7 to 0.

Youth Admits Burying Hunting Companion Killed Accidentally

By the Associated Press.

LOWVILLE, N. Y., Dec. 6.—A 16-year-old youth admitted today, District Attorney Dwight N. Dudo said, burying a 13-year-old hunting companion he had accidentally killed because he was "afraid of being sent away."

Mr. Dudo said the youth told him his 22-caliber gun discharged as he was climbing a tree. The bullet struck the head of Charles West of Martinsburg. The youth admitted, the prosecutor asserted, dragging the body 600 feet and then burying it under a pile of rocks on an abandoned mine in Northern New York's Adirondack forests.

No charge has been placed against the youth, who is being questioned further.

Penny Milk Program For 25,000 District Children Approved

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—The Surplus Marketing Administration of the Agriculture Department today approved a penny-a-half-pint milk program for some 25,000 undernourished children in District schools and settlement houses.

Notice of approval came to the Board of Education in a letter from S. M. A. Director Roy Hendrickson, who said it was hoped milk deliveries would begin "at an early date."

The milk—cost of which will be paid by the District government—will go to children in more than 40 selected public schools, 14 parochial schools and seven settlement houses.

To qualify for the milk, a school has to have 60 per cent of its enrollment from needy families. If this requirement is met, the entire school will get the milk. Under the plan the milk would be distributed at the 10-30 recess. Some youngsters already receive free half pints with their free lunches under a W. P. A. project. At first it was thought this might block the S. M. A. project because of a clause in the agreement which provided that no one child was to receive more than one half pint of subsidized milk. Officials apparently have ironed this out.

In the letter to the board it was said officials of S. M. A.'s dairy division will confer with school officials over the details in the near future. Similar projects are being carried on in Boston and New York.

Litvinoff, New Envoy From Russia, Lands in San Francisco

By the Associated Press.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 6.—Russia's new Ambassador to the United States, Maxim Litvinoff, arrived today by clipper after an air voyage that brought him nearly three-quarters of the way around the world.

"I am looking forward to meeting again your great President," the Ambassador said. "I am very happy to be in your country."

Mr. Litvinoff carried a large bouquet of red carnations as he came up the clipper landing dock.

Army and Navy officials greeted the Ambassador. He also was welcomed by officials of the Russian Embassy. Several agents representing the State Department were on the dock.

"The armed forces of Russia will continue their fight in fortune or in misfortune," said Mr. Litvinoff, speaking rapidly and in excellent English.

They will continue to fight in the same heroic spirit which already has brought to them the recognition of the whole world.

"I want to express in my people's behalf, appreciation for the substantial contributions the American people are making in the common cause of annihilating the enemy of humanity, Hitler, by affording material and substantial support to the Red Army."

W. G. Preston, Jr., N. B. C. Official, Called Suicide

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—Walter Grey Preston, Jr., 39, manager of the National Broadcasting Co.'s public service division, was found dead on the floor of his apartment today and was declared a suicide by Dr. Philip Goldstein, assistant medical examiner. His report said Mr. Preston had taken an overdose of a sedative.

Patrolman Alfred Lewis quoted Mr. Preston's wife, Margery, as saying that Mr. Preston had been drinking before he returned home last night. Three scribbled notes were found in the living room.

Before joining N. B. C. in 1935 as assistant to the vice president and treasurer, he was assistant to President Robert M. Hutchins of the University of Chicago and administrative vice president and director of the Bankers' Reserve Life Co.

Born in Dawson, Yukon Territory, Canada, of American parents, Mr. Preston was a graduate of Yale University.

Minister's Son Gets Life for Slaying Girl

By the Associated Press.

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Dec. 6.—Judge John W. Gerding today sentenced Cozile Merrill Jones, 23, son of a West Terre Haute minister, to life imprisonment in Michigan City State Prison for the attack-slaying of 12-year-old Edith Idelle Barton, a neighbor girl.

Jones, convicted of second-degree murder, stood mute and motionless as Judge Gerding passed sentence.

Officers planned to take him to prison later today.

R. A. F. Flies in Gale

By the Associated Press.

FOLKESSTONE, England, Dec. 6 (AP)—R. A. F. fighters skimmed across the English Channel today in the heaviest gale and rain of the season on a new offensive sweep against German-held objectives.

Summary of Today's Star

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Britain Orders All Fighting Men To Their War Posts in Far East; Australia Planning Aid in Indies

Non-English Citizens Are Forbidden to Leave Malaya

Great Britain suddenly recalled all fighting men to their posts at Singapore today as the Far East crisis hung in delicate balance and a British broadcast reported that Australia had arranged to send tank troops to help defend the Dutch East Indies in the event of war.

Officers and men of all services—fleet, air and army—were told to report immediately at Singapore, completing a state of readiness at Britain's "Gibraltar of the Orient."

Trucks and other vehicles were dispatched to downtown points in central Singapore to transport the men to their ships, flying fields and army posts.

There was no explanation whether the order meant a sudden new emergency.

Simultaneously, all non-Britons were forbidden to leave British Malaya without special government permission.

Other developments included the evacuation of all "non-essential" civilians from Malaya and other areas was requested today.

The Japanese steamship company, Nippon Yusen Kaisha, called home the chiefs of its Singapore and Bombay offices.

A Dornier (German news agency) dispatch from Bombay said Japanese nationals in India and Ceylon had been asked to board another repatriation ship.

Japan's reply yesterday to President Roosevelt's question as to why Japanese troops were massed in French Indo-China it was stated in informed quarters, contributed nothing toward easing the tense situation.

The Japanese explained the reinforcement "to a certain extent" of their forces in Northern Indo-China as principally "precautionary measures."

Whether the Japanese-American diplomatic talks continue, it was said, depends upon Tokyo's reply to Secretary Hull's note of November 26. In the document it restated this Government's unalterable opposition to Japanese conquest.

Admiral Kichisaburo Nomura and Saburo Kuroki, the Japanese envoys, have given no hint as to when the Japanese answer may be delivered.

Informed diplomatic quarters, which believe Japan's final decision depends in a large measure on the reported movements of Japanese troops in French Indo-China, the note will be delayed pending a definite trend in the European war.

The text of yesterday's note replying to the President's inquiry on Indo-China follows:

"Reference is made to your inquiry about the intention of the Japanese government with regard to the reported movements of Japanese troops in French Indo-China. Under instructions from Tokyo, I wish to inform you as follows:

Another German Raider Is Sunk By British in South Atlantic

The Dorsetshire also was one of three British cruisers which caught the German freighter Wakama last April a few hours after it had sailed from Rio de Janeiro. The Wakama was scuttled.

As in the case of the sinking of another German commerce raider in the South Atlantic November 22 by the cruiser Devonshire, the Admiralty said the suspected presence of submarines nearby prevented the Dorsetshire from picking up survivors.

The communiqué did not identify the German vessel, describing her only as a converted merchantman of about 10,000 tons.

The towns were listed as Malo-Arkhangelsk, between Orel and Kursk, 230 miles south of Moscow. Livny, Novosil, Mtsensk and Chern, near Orel.

Tula Area Attack Pressed. A Reuters (British news agency) dispatch said the Russian created an offensive in the Kalinin sector was continuing and that the Red Army had inflicted a heavy blow to two German infantry divisions—about 30,000 men—and captured an important point.

Dispatches to the Soviet newspaper Pravda said the battle south of Moscow was increasing in ferocity with the Germans attacking constantly north of Tula, 100 miles below the capital, and cutting the Tula-Moscow highway at several points.

"Large German tank forces are taking part in the action," Pravda reported.

In the north, around siege-bound Leningrad, Hitler's high command acknowledged the spread of Soviet counter-attacks declared the Russians' attempts to break out of the old Czarist capital had been repulsed "with high and bloody losses."

New Gains in North. Soviet reports said Leningrad's defense armies had registered new gains in the Dikvin sector, 100 miles east of Leningrad, where the Germans have been attempting to break through to join the Finns, and reported that Soviet troops were "taking one position after another."

The Russian radio said 1,500 German army trucks had been subjected to violent aerial bombardment and destroyed.

German losses in the bloody retreat from Rostov-on-Don were placed by the Russians at 23,000 killed and wounded.

The Rome radio said three Italian divisions, as well as Rumanian and Croatian reinforcements, had arrived to bolster the Germans retreating along the Sea of Azov where the Russians were reported to have advanced more than 6 miles beyond Taganrog, 40 miles west of Rostov.

A report that Red Navy vessels were shelling the route of retreat along the coast came from the British radio. (Such craft presumably either had been based at Rostov or entered Azov waters from the Black Sea before the Germans won Kerch at the bottleneck strait between the Crimea and the Caucasus.)

Litvinoff Due to Arrive
in Washington Tomorrow

NEW FRANCISCO, Dec. 6.—A limousine motor cycle escort and a special plane awaited Maxim Litvinoff today to speed the new Russian Ambassador to his post in Washington.

Nearing the end of a trip bringing him nearly three-quarters of the way around the globe, Mr. Litvinoff was aboard the China Clipper, due to arrive from Honolulu around noon.

Germans Claim New Gains in Moscow Drive

Nazi Lines Reported Broken in Fighting Near Kalinin

Fighting on the Moscow front, raging amid temperatures 31 degrees below zero, resulted in a new peak of violence today as Adolf Hitler's invasion armies claimed the capture of seven towns while the Russians were reported to have broken through German lines in the Kalinin sector, 90 miles northwest of Moscow.

A German military spokesman said Nazi troops had taken Moshak, 57 miles west of the capital, and Klin, 50 miles northwest.

Nazi front-line dispatches also reported new gains in a side-sweeping movement east of Orel and Kursk, midway between the Moscow front and the Soviet drive in the Ukraine, declaring that five towns had been captured in an arc 60 miles east of Orel.

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The Rome radio said three Italian divisions, as well as Rumanian and Croatian reinforcements, had arrived to bolster the Germans retreating along the Sea of Azov where the Russians were reported to have advanced more than 6 miles beyond Taganrog, 40 miles west of Rostov.

A report that Red Navy vessels were shelling the route of retreat along the coast came from the British radio. (Such craft presumably either had been based at Rostov or entered Azov waters from the Black Sea before the Germans won Kerch at the bottleneck strait between the Crimea and the Caucasus.)

Litvinoff Due to Arrive
in Washington Tomorrow

NEW FRANCISCO, Dec. 6.—A limousine motor cycle escort and a special plane awaited Maxim Litvinoff today to speed the new Russian Ambassador to his post in Washington.

Nearing the end of a trip bringing him nearly three-quarters of the way around the globe, Mr. Litvinoff was aboard the China Clipper, due to arrive from Honolulu around noon.



Air Minister Promises Unprecedented Raids By British Bombers

Efficiency Will Surpass
Anything Ever Before
Achieved, Sinclair Says

NEWCASTLE, England, Dec. 6.—Air Minister Sir Archibald Sinclair declared today that "we intend to use the bomber on a scale and with an efficiency that will surpass anything that has been achieved hitherto."

"It is not merely in numbers of our aircraft that we look to an increase in our effort," he said in a speech here, "but we are steadily improving equipment and steadily developing our tactical methods."

"Our bombers are laying siege to the entire German military machine," he said.

The greatest help Britain could give Russia, the Air Minister asserted, is through "our attacks on German shipping, our fighter sweeps across the Channel and our bombing attacks which have compelled the German air force to keep more than half its fighter squadrons in the west."

Sir Archibald also warned that Britain probably will have to endure heavy German bombing attacks this winter.

Drawing a parallel between the battle of Libya and the battle of France, he said an army officer described the air situation in the desert as being "like France—only with us on top of the Germans."

King of Italy Escapes As British Bomb Port

ROME, Dec. 6.—King Victor Emmanuel narrowly escaped a British air raid Thursday at San Giovanni, on the toe of the Italian boot, where he was en route home from a 9-day visit to British-bombed Sicily.

The British delivered their attack on the area in the afternoon while the King was being ferried across from Sicily to San Giovanni.

Anti-aircraft fire and a cruising formation of Italian fighters which formed up over the area were reported to have chased off the attackers, shooting down three at sea.

The King arrived at San Giovanni from Messina, Sicily, shortly after five planes had bombed and machine-gunned the port. Nine persons were injured, but little damage was reported.

Clipper Begins Airmail
Service to West Africa

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—Airmail service between the United States and West Africa was opened officially early today with the departure of Pan American Airways' Capetown Clipper from La Guardia Airport.

Britain's War Against Finns In Effect Tonight

Situation Will Not Be Changed Materially, London Asserts

LONDON, Dec. 6.—Great Britain will be at war against Finland, Hungary and Rumania at one minute after midnight tonight, Greenwich time (7:01 p.m. Saturday, E. S. T.) because the three nations refused to stop fighting Britain's Russian ally.

The actual declaration, however, will not materially change the situation now existing, it was said shortly after Britain announced her intention of declaring war. The British explained the chief difference would be at the peace conference, when the three nations "will be sitting on the other side of the table."

Scotland Yard detectives, assisted by mobile police, swiftly began a roundup today of more than 200 "enemy aliens" as a result of the war declaration announcement.

Those declared of whom about 150 were Finns, were taken to a clearing center for removal later to concentration camps.

Finns Prepare to Leave. The Finnish Minister here, G. A. Gripenberg, and his staff began preparing to leave for Helsinki. The Finnish legation had been functioning despite the breach in relations with Finland last July.

Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden will make a statement on the war declarations at the next session of the House of Commons, it was announced.

The Association of Hungarians in Great Britain issued a statement saying, "We are convinced that most of our countrymen at home realize that a British victory alone can free Hungary of its present shame and servitude. A declaration of war on Hungary will not alter this fact."

An authoritative source said only the Finns replied to the British note demanding that the three countries stop fighting Russia and that their reply was "entirely unsatisfactory."

The British government took decisive action after repeated demands at home and in Parliament for Russia. A brief Foreign Office announcement was issued early today, just after the zero hour of midnight, and said that communications "are being sent to these three governments which will result in existence of a state of war."

The announcement of the time the state of war would begin followed in a few hours.

The authorized source said "the Finnish reply was entirely unsatisfactory and made it quite clear that the Finnish government had no intention of complying with conditions in the British note" which was sent last week.

Accordingly, during the night communications were sent to each of the three governments and these communications will be delivered during the course of today by American ministers in each of the three capitals," he declared.

"These communications will notify the three governments that Great Britain will consider herself free in a state of war with those three governments from one minute past midnight Greenwich mean time tonight."

"Unfortunately, it has become increasingly clear ever since last July that the Finnish government in fact was waging war against Russia for purposes of territorial aggrandizement," he declared.

Field Marshal Mannerheim (commander of the Finnish forces) on July 11, in an order of the day to his troops, proclaimed it part of Finland's intention, as he put it, to liberate Eastern Karelia. This is an enormous tract which at no time formed part of Finland.

"In efforts to justify the continuation of hostilities against Russia, Mannerheim has been seen with a map of the department nine years, had gone off duty at midnight."

President Telegraphs
Good Wishes to Boy
Facing Operation

BEVERLY HILLS, Calif., Dec. 6.—Shim Malone, 10-year-old son of Attorney and Mrs. Dudley Field Malone, ill more than two years with a leg infection and now facing a major operation, received a telegram from Washington yesterday which said: "I just want you to know that I am thinking of you and wishing you the best of luck. Keep your chin up. Fish and courage will do the rest."

The message was signed: Franklin Delano Roosevelt.

British Flight Lieutenant
Is Reported Missing

LONDON, Dec. 6.—Flight Lt. Thomas Pace, who was rated by the R. A. F. as about its best flying man both as a fighter and as a test pilot, was listed as missing today.

He has been married only nine weeks.

In May, 1940, Pace was piloting one of three planes which engaged 20 German planes. He shot down two, but his own Hurricane landed in flames. He was in a hospital for a year and plastic surgeons had to rebuild his face.

Then he rejoined a Spitfire squadron, but surgeons said his burns had impaired his eyes and he was posted as a test pilot.

He learned to fly new, heavy types of ships. One of them, apparently, crashed while he was testing it far out over the Channel.

Two Philadelphia Boys
Held in Widow's Killing

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 6.—Two 16-year-old boys were arrested yesterday in the slaying November 21 of Mrs. Elizabeth Keller, 65, who was strangled and robbed of \$9 of relief money in her boarding house room.

Ralph Patrick, who lived next door, was charged with conspiracy, homicide and robbery, and Samuel Brown, colored, with conspiracy and being an accessory after the fact.

Detectives Frank Lynch and Harry Morris said Patrick admitted in a signed statement that he struck Mrs. Keller once and ransacked her room for 20 minutes while she lay unconscious. He denied strangling or beating the elderly widow, who was partly paralyzed.

Brown, they said, admitted he acted as a lookout during the robbery and received \$3 of the loot.

Large Area of Yugoslavia
Reported Cleared of Nazis

MOSCOW, Dec. 6.—A large area of Axis-conquered Yugoslavia was declared by the Soviet Information Bureau in a communique broadcast today to have been "cleared of German and Italian invaders" by Yugoslav guerrilla warriors.

The patriot movement in Yugoslavia is developing in intensity," the communique said. "Numerous guerrilla detachments are successfully operating against the German invaders."

Dispatches from Cairo and Jerusalem earlier this week told of warfare between the patriot army of Gen. Draja Mihailovic and from three to seven German divisions.

Italy Calls 18-Year-Olds

ROME, Dec. 6.—Italian men born in 1923 were called to the colors today for regular military service.

Wooster Alumni to Meet

Graduates of the College of Wooster, Ohio, will hold their annual dinner at 7 p.m. Wednesday at Covenant First Presbyterian Church, Eighteenth and N streets N.W. John D. McKee, director of alumni relations for the college, will speak.

New Zealand M. P. Killed

AUCKLAND, Dec. 6.—Lt. Col. J. M. Allen, member of the New Zealand Parliament, has been killed in Libya. It was announced today.

Several members of Parliament with the forces, three now have been killed and one taken prisoner.

John M. O'Connell Dies;
Former House Member

WESTERLY, R. I., Dec. 6.—Former Representative John M. O'Connell, 69, of Westerly, who was one of President Roosevelt's staunchest supporters in the House from 1934 to 1938 and prominent in Rhode Island Democratic circles, died today.

Survivors include his widow and one son, John M. O'Connell, jr., of Washington.

Costa Rica and Panama
Hit by Earthquake

SAN JOSE, Costa Rica, Dec. 6.—Public buildings and homes in Central Costa Rica and Northern Panama were destroyed and some residents were injured yesterday by an earthquake felt throughout virtually all of Costa Rica and part of Panama.

Rescue workers early today had reported no deaths.

Japan Transfers
Four on Duty at
Embassy Here

Four members of the staff at the Japanese Embassy here have been ordered from Washington in "routine changes," the Embassy said today, and three members of the Japanese foreign service have been ordered to duty here.

The departing diplomats include the Embassy spokesman, Hidenari Terasaki, First Secretary, who has been ordered to Brazil and to leave December 19 or later. His successor as spokesman has not been designated.

The other departing diplomats are Hiroshi Takagi, Third Secretary, ordered to Chile, and Jiro Inagawa and Narachi Fujiyama, attaches, both of whom are going to Tokyo for service in the Foreign Office.

The three men being sent to Washington are S. Takahashi, First Secretary, coming from the Foreign Office; H. Masaki, Second Secretary, now in Shanghai, and M. Izawa, Third Secretary, now in Panama.

British Busy Making Vast Area of Syria,
Iraq and Iran Into Potential Battlefield

By PRESTON GROVER, Associated Press War Correspondent.

CAIRO, Egypt, Dec. 6.—In anticipation of a day when the Germans may come streaming across the Caucasus or through Turkey, the British are laboring to convert into a bastion for defense of their empire the vast area extending eastward from the Mediterranean across Syria, Iraq and Iran to the frontiers of India.

I have just completed a week's tour of this area, from Turkey on the North to Suez on the south, where some observers believe the turning-point battle of the war may be fought.

Everywhere I found the British making defensive preparations on a large scale—larger perhaps than they have undertaken anywhere with the exception of in Britain itself.

The program complements the fight the British are making to drive the Axis armies out of Northern Africa and thus avert danger from that direction.

Just when the big show in the potential battle area of Syria, Iraq and Iran will come off, if it ever does, is wholly speculative. But it is notable that in every British Middle-Eastern military headquarters there is a sign urging that everything be done looking to March, 1942.

Several score airbases are under construction in Syria alone and some 400 miles of highways are being built or improved.

The size of the military forces concentrated in the British Middle East as a safeguard against a Nazi breakthrough remains a closely guarded military secret, but it can be stated that I saw trainloads of tanks and motor convoys, not all of which were moving to the fighting zone in the western desert, and that every major city in these Bible lands is brown with British uniforms.

directed perhaps by one Australian or Englishman "no knows how to build and how to make the Arabs do it."

Dozens of hairpin turns are being removed from the ancient highway running from the busy Lebanese port of Beirut 100 miles inland to Damascus, which the Apostles once trod.

Not only are there thousands of British and Australians and New Zealanders laboring at the task, but at least 30,000 Arabs in Syria alone have been mobilized in work battalions to build airports and highways.

Throughout the area may be seen bands of 40 to 60 Arabs, in flowing white robes or baggy pants, picking at highways or leveling off a desert stretch for an airfield, each band

8-Billion Defense Measure Ready For Senate Action

Bill, Described as 'Body Blows for Hitler,' Passes House, 309 to 5

By the Associated Press. An \$8,244,041,531 appropriation bill, described by one member of the House as carrying "body blows for Mr. Hitler," was ready today for Senate action.

The supplemental defense measure passed the House yesterday, 309 to 5. It was designed to double armament production, and if enacted into law will bring the defense expenditures and contractual authority up to \$67,990,256,500, which would be twice the amount of money the United States spent in the World War.

The measure set up \$1,536,496,246 for lease-lend purposes, and the War Department was authorized to transfer an additional \$500,000,000 worth of supplies on a lease-lend basis if necessary.

Representative Case, Republican, of South Dakota said that because Congress had approved the lease-lend program, he saw no reason for "pulling our punches" now and that the bill carried the "body blows for Mr. Hitler."

Authorization Opposed. The extra half billion-dollar authorization was opposed by Representative Jones, Republican, of Wisconsin, who told the House the American people should know they would "never get this money back."

Representative Rich, Republican, of Pennsylvania also sought to kill this provision. In addition to \$6,887,568,046 for the War Department and lease-lend purposes, the measure included \$1,129,870,000 for the Navy. This includes the cost of more than 2,000 planes, some of which may be used on merchant ships being converted to aircraft.

Two Republican members who said they voted against the original lease-lend act opposed Mr. Rich's effort to restrict that program. They were Representative Case and Representative Mott, Republican, Oregon.

Representative Woodrum, Democrat, of Virginia sharply criticized those who, while opposed to war, are "unwilling to make an economic contribution" to stop the Axis forces "before they get here."

"Do you want to build war?" he demanded heatedly. "Then sustain the hands of those opposing Hitler."

Furlough Funds Defeated. Earlier in the day, the House also beat down an amendment by Representative Edwin A. Hall, Republican, to add \$15,000,000 to pay transportation home of soldiers furloughed for Christmas.

It was defeated by a tally vote of 127 to 80 after Mr. Woodrum appealed to the House not to "make this a mushy-soft proposition."

"We could work up mushy sentiment on this," the Virginian said. "We might have a little Christmas tree here and perhaps sign a few Christmas cards."

He added, however, that the Nation's armament and defense program was "a grim business" and said the boys don't want "rattles" but training and equipment.

In one of the few changes made in the bill, a provision which would have lifted the legislative ban against employment of David Lasser, former head of the Workers' Alliance, with relief funds was struck out on a point of order.

Mr. Lasser had appeared before the subcommittee handling the bill to defend himself against the charges of Communism which were responsible for his removal from a W. P. A. position.

Comment on A. E. F. Story. Calling for \$25,000,000 appropriation for lease-lend authority, Mr. Johns told the House he thought the United States was getting ready for the expeditionary force that the Chicago Tribune described Thursday. In that connection, Representative Lambertson, Republican, of Kansas wanted to know why President Roosevelt didn't deny the story if it were not true.

To which Chairman Cannon of the Appropriations Committee replied that if the Chief Executive were to deny every untrue report, he would have time for nothing else.

The five members who voted against the bill were Representatives Crawford, Republican, of Michigan; Lambertson, Democrat, of Connecticut; Sumner, Republican, of Illinois; and Mr. Rich. The House on final passage after the vote of 252 to 86 a motion by Mr. Lambertson to send the bill back to the Appropriations Committee.

In passing the bill the House gave its approval to a \$25,000,000 appropriation to initiate a new Tennessee Valley Authority defense power program, but did not include Douglas Dam, for which President Roosevelt had made a second appeal.

The President, apparently satisfied there was little chance of the House reversing the action of the Appropriations Committee in excluding the Douglas project from the deficiency appropriations measures, expressed hope at his press conference that the Senate would take a different attitude.

Hub Furniture Co. To Distribute Bonus. The management of the Hub Furniture Co. announced today that a Christmas bonus will be distributed to its employees during the week of December 15.

Those employees who have served a year or more will receive two weeks' salary; six months to one year, one week's salary. Other employees who have been with the company six months or employed before October 15 receive a bonus equal to one-half week's salary.

Streetcar Motorman Is Found Suicide by Gas. Stephen R. Royal, 57, a street car motorman, was found this morning by his wife, Margaret, lying unconscious on a bed in his home, 647 Park road N.W. Gas was escaping from a wall jet which had been unused for years, police said.

Mr. Royal was pronounced dead by a physician arriving on a Casualty Hospital ambulance. Neighbors said Mr. Royal had been in poor health recently. Coroner A. Magruder MacDonald issued a certificate of suicide.



CHRISTMAS SEALS GO ON SALE—Mrs. Jeanne D. Marsh is shown in the booth at Woodward & Lothrop's store selling Christmas seals for the combating of tuberculosis through health education, case-finding and rehabilitation by the District Tuberculosis Association.

Recreation Facilities In D. C. Inadequate, Defense Aide Charges

Wolter Blames Situation On Lapse by Capital's 'Thinking People'

"The thinking people of Washington have simply lain down on the job" in the matter of attempting to deal with the Capital's constantly increasing recreational problems, Hugo W. Wolter, executive director of recreation services for the District Defense Council, declared yesterday.

Mr. Wolter made the statement in discussing the Capital's leisure-time needs during a lecture program of the Council of State Agencies series for volunteer welfare workers. He deplored the spread of penny arcades in the city, terming them of no real value as recreational units.

Present facilities here are wholly inadequate for the task of providing a "wide variety of choices" in recreation in the face of a monthly population increase estimated at 8,000 persons, he stated.

The guidance department of the public schools is recognizing the school's responsibility for placing its pupils in jobs after they have completed study, Mrs. Mildred Percy of that department told the group.

She emphasized that the unit has been in operation only a short time but is studying means of co-operation with existing placement agencies.

The guidance work is intended to "bridge the gap" between an ideal situation and reality, so that in a democracy we can still say that there is equal opportunity for all, Mrs. Percy explained.

Louis Johnsen, 75, Dies; 50 Years in U. S. Service

Louis Johnsen, 75, veteran of a half century of Government service which began on the old wooden ships of the United States Navy, died yesterday in an ambulance en route to the Naval Hospital at Bethesda, Md.

He was born in Germany, Mr. Johnsen came to the United States in 1878 and joined the Navy shortly thereafter. Retired from the Navy in 1916, he was recalled to serve as a warrant officer in the Washington Navy Yard commissary during the World War. He was active in the Nelson Miles Post of the Spanish War Veterans.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Mary Hamilton Johnsen, who came here from Galway, Ireland; two sons, Timothy H. Johnsen, employed at the Washington Navy Yard, and Louis G. Johnsen of the New York office of the Associated Press, and a daughter, Mrs. Cleland C. McDevitt, Poolesville, Md.

Funeral services for members who died during the last year at 8 p.m. tomorrow in the Elks' Club, 919 H street N.W. The Rev. Dr. John K. Cartwright, pastor of the Church of the Immaculate Conception, will be the guest speaker.

Roy M. Perry is chairman of the Memorial Committee. On a large cross light will burn in memory of the deceased members. The Cross Committee includes William Keefer, Daniel H. Cleary and Joseph Johnson.

Paul C. Brown of Chicago and Joseph C. Thompson of Heidelberg, Calif., were court-martialed by the Navy last May after the wing of their plane killed Mrs. Robert Phillips of Robertdale in a turnup field. Secretary of Navy Knox this week signed an order remitting unexpired portions of their sentences and ordered their release from Portsmouth, N. H., Naval prison December 15.

Congress in Brief TODAY. Both chambers in recess.

State Drops Charges In Naval Plane Killing. MOBILE, Ala., Dec. 6.—State charges against two former Naval ensigns for decapitating an Alabama woman by flying low over a field in which she was working have been dismissed. Solicitor General Bruce, Clive Henderson and George W. Marshall. All are colored.

Girl Born to Betty Warner. HOLLYWOOD, Dec. 6 (AP).—A daughter was born yesterday to Betty Warner, daughter of Film Executive Harry Warner, and her movie-producer husband, Milton Spelling.

15 SHOPPING DAYS to Christmas. Also GIVE U.S. Defense Savings BONDS and STAMPS at STORES & BANKS POST OFFICES

Fairmont Officials Tell of Success With City's Union Contract

Municipal Law Officers Re-Elect Chanler at Institute Session

Two city officials of Fairmont, W. Va., today told the National Institute of Municipal Law Officers at the Mayflower Hotel that their city had favorable experience with a contract negotiated between the city and a C. I. O. union of city workers.

Mayor Fred T. Wilson and City Attorney Albert J. Kern outlined their situation at some length before the institute, which recently had issued a report concluding, on the other hand, that cities have no power to enter into collective bargaining agreements.

The three-day institute, which elected officers late yesterday, was to close today with consideration of many municipal problems, including some other phases of the relationship between the municipality and its employees.

Chanler Re-elected. The institute changed its constitution, which had prohibited more than one term for its president, and re-elected William C. Chanler for a second term. He is corporation counsel of New York City. Other officers elected were City Attorney Horace H. Edwards of Richmond, Va., vice president; City Attorney L. E. Latourette of Portland, Ore., second vice president; City Solicitor Philip H. Hill of Charleston, W. Va., treasurer, and the following as trustees: City Attorney Joe W. Anderson of Chattanooga, Tenn.; City Attorney Ray L. Chesbro of Los Angeles, Corporation Counsel James C. Turner of Syracuse, N. Y.; City Attorney Walter J. Mattison of Milwaukee and City Attorney Walter E. Helmeke of Fort Wayne, Ind.

Mr. Kern, explaining the union contract at Fairmont, said his community was "strongly unionized, and the prevalent influence found expression in the fact that the same fashion, in the union contract with the city government. Since there does not now appear to be a decision by a court of last resort in our country relating in point to contracts of this kind," he said, "another field of opportunity for judicial review and determination, and doubtless decisions will soon be forthcoming."

Sees Service in Contract. Mayor Wilson said the "principal reason for entering into a contract with the union was that we thought that we could effect a better working organization and serve the city best by co-operating with the union since practically all of our employees already were union members. So far we have had excellent co-operation from union officials."

The institute's legal research report on "Power of Municipalities to Enter Into Labor Union Contracts—A Survey of Law and Experience," concluded that there was an inherent difference in public and private employment, and that cities have no power to enter into labor contracts with unions of municipal employees and the city employees have no right to strike against their employer city.

Weather in most cases prevented observation of the results, the ministry declared, but added that an armed trawler attacked off the Dutch coast yesterday was left sinking and a supply ship raided in the Bay of Biscay was seen to be hit.

British Submarine Sunk Off Norway, Nazis Claim. BERLIN, Dec. 6 (AP)—The sinking of a British submarine by U-boat chasers off Norway was announced today by the Germans.

The high command said the German vessels forced the submarine to the surface by depth charges and then sank it by gunfire. German submarines were declared officially to have sunk five ships totaling 25,500 tons during an unconfirmed period.

Combat planes were said to have attacked harbor facilities of Southwestern England during the night and eight British planes were reported brought down during "tempted" attacks on the Dutch coast.

Sentences of four months to a year and a day were imposed yesterday by Justice F. Dickinson Letts in District Court on the reputed leader of the "Seven Laundry Strikers" for assault.

Francis J. Gough Dies; Catholic War Veteran. Francis J. Gough, 49, aide to National Comdr. Thomas A. Walsh of the Catholic War Veterans of the United States, died suddenly last night of a heart attack at his home, 1350 Kearney place N.E. He was a claim adjuster for the United States Compensation Commission.

Requiem mass will be celebrated at 9 a.m. Tuesday at St. Anthony's Church, and the body will be taken to Bridgeport, Conn., for burial.

A native of Bridgeport, Mr. Gough served overseas in the World War after being graduated from Fordham University. On his return to Bridgeport he established the first U. S. War Veterans post in the city. When he came here to work in the Government he was instrumental in organizing eight District posts of the veterans' organization.

He also was active in the Community Chest and Catholic charities. In the recent organization of the civilian defense program he was appointed deputy air-raid warden for Brookland. His other organizations included the Holy Name Society of St. Anthony's Church, Knights of Columbus, American Legion and Manresa Layman's Retreat.

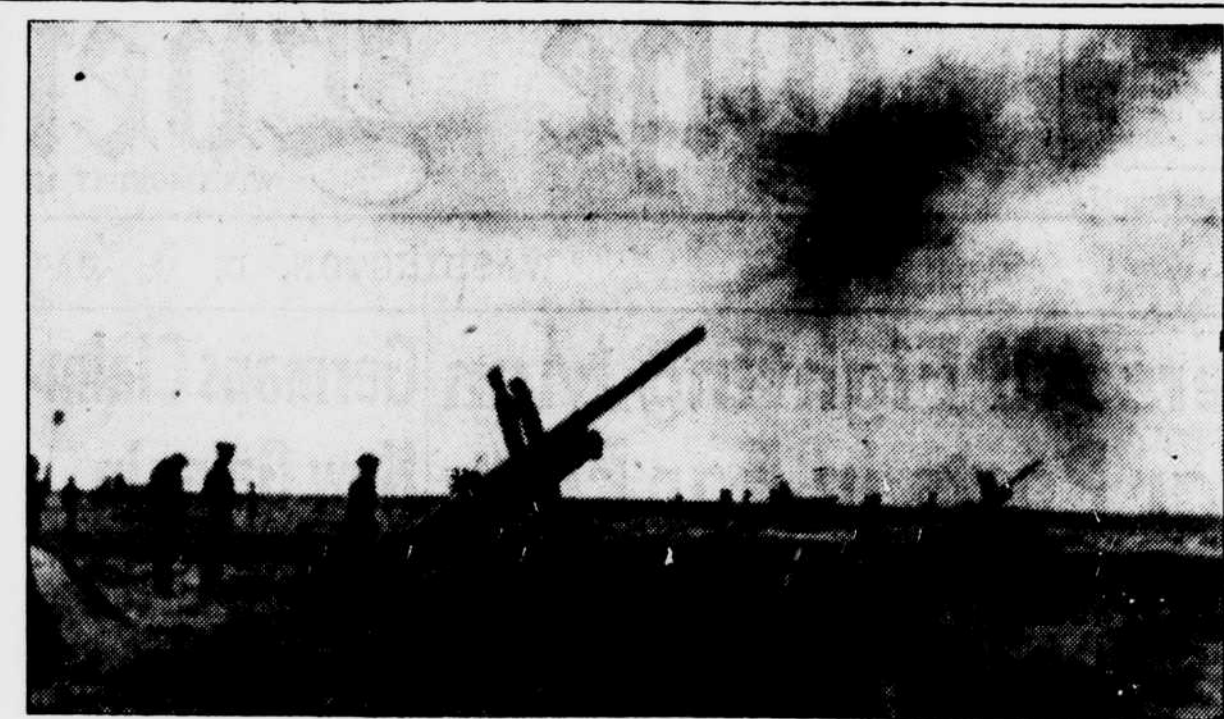
He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Margaret M. Gough, and six children, Katherine, John, Rita, Francis, Dolores and Margaret Mary.

Urges Legal Remedies. "The priceless right of labor to maintain collective bargaining must not be used for illegitimate ends, and the remedy is to impose penalties by law on those shortsighted labor leaders who are foolish enough to use their power for purposes which have nothing to do with the legitimate aims of labor."

Mr. Arnold added that present labor difficulties presented two problems, defining the first as "necessary insurance that our defense program shall not be tied up by the failure of mediation in labor disputes" and the second as "the indispensable protection which independent businessmen and consumers need against extortion in a time of rising prices."

The second problem "is being forgotten today," he concluded. The convention previously had called on Congress to ban strikes against the defense program. Another resolution termed the Wagner Act "a major factor in the growth of irresponsible labor leadership and in the large number of strikes obstructing vital defense production."

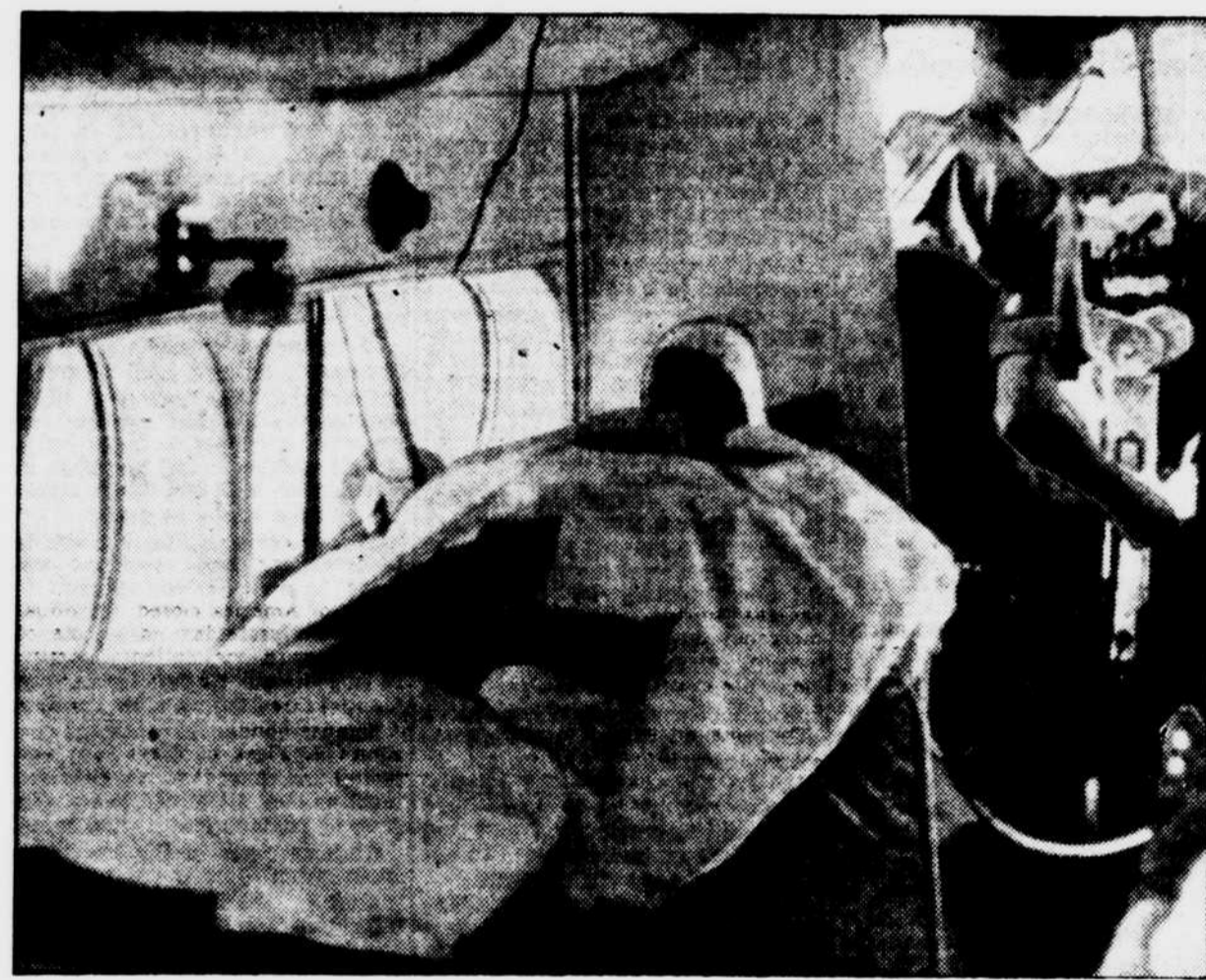
Praises War Production. K. T. Keller, president of Chrysler Corp., which in recent months has become one of the world's major manufacturers of Army tanks, told



AS BRITISH BEGAN DRIVE ON AXIS IN LIBYA—Here are scenes from the front in the early days of the British drive on Axis forces in Libya. Above: Field guns in action shelling enemy positions.



Explosions send up earth geysers nearby. Although the British caption accompanying the picture did not say so, it is assumed that this is the result of Axis gunfire.



A wounded Australian lies in a Royal Australian Air Force hospital plane flying him from the front to a hospital behind the lines.

Illegitimate Demands Of Labor Assailed By Thurman Arnold

Tells Manufacturers Practices Cost Public Billion in Year

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—Assistant Attorney General Thurman W. Arnold said last night that "consumers, because of the illegitimate practices of labor unions, strategically located in transportation or distribution of products, are being forced to pay a tribute estimated by some economists to be over \$1,000,000,000 a year."

Addressing the closing session of the Congress of the Industry sponsored by the National Association of Manufacturers, Mr. Arnold said:

"Labor conspires in many large cities are preventing consumers from having cheaper houses, cheaper transportation and cheaper distribution of the interests of life," he said. "The United States has decided that it wants high wages, short hours and good working conditions * * * but it has not decided that it wants price-fixing, the driving out of independent enterprise, the stoppage of improvement in technology or the private imposition of useless cost in order to create unnecessary or parasitic work."

The Sisco, the 14th vessel launched at Fore River this year, was released from the ways by two of six mechanical triggers used in launching the U. S. S. Massachusetts at the same yard September 23. The vessel was christened by Mrs. Harry F. Sinclair, jr., daughter-in-law of Harry F. Sinclair, president of the Consolidated Oil Co.

The vessel is one of six ordered by the Sinclair Oil Co. in May, 1940. Three smaller tankers already have been delivered and a fourth is under construction. The Sisco was the first of two large tankers to be launched.

The fire-resistant craft has 24 cargo tanks with a capacity of 136,200 barrels.

17,650-Ton Carrier Launched at Kearny. KEARNY, N. J., Dec. 6 (AP).—The Federal Shipbuilding & Dry Dock Co., now under Navy management, completed its 1941 launching program today when the 17,650-ton oil tanker E. W. Sinclair splashed into the Hackensack River.

The E. W. Sinclair, a sister ship of the Patrick J. Hurley, launched here October 21, is one of the largest petroleum carriers in the world. It

the manufacturers "the great sacrifices and dislocations which we now are undergoing can only be justified by the promise of more and greater opportunities for our people in the years of peace to come."

"In the best and vital interests of our country we dare not take for granted that it is necessary for Government in time of war to control our total economic effort. The Army and Navy know better than you and I what is needed to defend our country by force of arms, and we yield to them to direct the effort. But we know how to produce and we owe it to our country to insist on maximum production."

Miss Katherine Anne Bishop, a granddaughter of Earle W. Sinclair, president of the Sinclair Refining Co., christened the new ship in the presence of Rear Admiral Harold G. Bowen, naval commandant of the yard, and Sinclair officials.

Traffic Lane Violator Admits He Painted It. SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 6.—Robert L. Bragg, 42, was fined \$5 for straddling the white traffic line while motoring across the bay bridge.

"What's the matter?" asked Municipal Judge Herbert C. Kaufman. "Didn't you know the white line was there?"

"I ought to, your honor," Mr. Bragg blushed. "I painted it there."

19,000-Ton Tanker, Completed in 120 Days, Is Launched. Another Big Carrier, Built at Kearny Plant, Slides Into River.

By the Associated Press. QUINCY, Mass., Dec. 6.—The 19,000-ton tanker flagship Sisco, completed by the Sinclair Oil Co. in 120 days—described by Bethlehem Steel Co. officials as record time—was launched today at the Fore River Shipyard.

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Brotherhoods Sign Contract Accepting New Wage Scales

Non-Operating Rail Unions Continue Talks; Strike Threat Ended

CHICAGO, Dec. 6.—The threatened nationwide railroad strike, scheduled to start tomorrow, was dissolved last night.

Representatives of 350,000 non-operating employees ratified today a compromise settlement worked out through mediation of President Roosevelt's fact-finding commission and a contract embodying the provision was signed by all parties.

The settlement, announced today, provides for an increase of 10 cents an hour or 76 cents a day for operating employees who have received upward of \$5.66 a day. It had called a strike to enforce demands for a 30 per cent boost.

Representatives of 900,000 non-operating union workers in negotiations affecting them promised to continue for several days. These unions did not call a strike although they refused to accept previous terms.

Asked 30 to 34 Cents. For non-operating labor, the compromise called for raises of 10 cents an hour or 80 cents a day. They have been paid an average of 63 cents an hour and had demanded increases of from 30 to 34 cents.

Reporting to Mr. Roosevelt on its mediation, the fact-finding commission said yesterday in Washington it believed its first decision in the dispute was "entirely reasonable" although as mediators the members, in effect, had reversed original recommendations.

The railroads accepted, but the brotherhoods rejected, original proposals of 7 1/2 per cent temporary wage increases for operating labor and 9 cents an hour for non-operating.

The commission said that in its rehearing of the case the employees' committee presented no new evidence, urged larger increases than those recommended and incorporation of them in basic wage rates.

Rate Conference Ends. Increases recommended in its November 5 report, it continued, would have increased average monthly rail labor earnings about 19 per cent to compensate for pay roll increases over 1937 levels, enjoyed by manufacturing labor.

Traffic executives of the roads ended a private conference yesterday on proposals to seek increased freight rates and passenger fares to compensate for payroll increases estimated at \$300,000,000 a year.

The fact-finding commission calculated rate and fare increases would approximate 5 per cent if the rate increases were passed on to the public. Approval of the Interstate Commerce Commission would be needed before increases could be effected.

Fugitive Seized in Reno After 37,000-Mile Chase

RENO, Nev., Dec. 6.—Arrested after a 37,000-mile chase, Helmut H. 47, today waived extradition to New York City on a charge of conspiracy against the United States.

Chief of Police Andy Welliver, who arrested Helmut in a gambling club last night, said the chase had extended through the United States, Canada and Mexico.

Chief Welliver was informed the chase was based on a secret Federal indictment. Helmut was taken into custody as he was acting as a shill, or come-on for gambling patrons.

Mr. Welliver and Detective Capt. Harry Fletcher visited the man's room and found a letter written in German. Helmut, when booked, said he was an American.

Officers also said they found some high-grade gold ore in Helmut's quarters, with a pistol and \$350 in cash hidden in the lining of his baggage. A police director, Chief Welliver announced, showed Helmut was known by many aliases.

Wanderbirds Slate Hike

A hike of about eight miles along the Middle and South branches of Pohick Creek in Fairfax County, Va., will be taken by the Wanderbird Hiking Club tomorrow, with buses leaving in front of the National Theater at 9 a.m. to get the hikers out of the city.

Weather Report

(Furnished by the United States Weather Bureau.) District of Columbia—Fair and colder with lowest temperature about 34 degrees tonight; tomorrow clear and moderately cold; diminishing northwest winds. Virginia and Maryland—Mostly clear and colder tonight; tomorrow clear and moderately cold.

West Virginia—Fair and colder tonight; tomorrow clear and moderately cold.

Weather Conditions Last 24 Hours. An extensive mass of moderately cold air of polar origin has spread southeastward from the Arctic region into the Middle and North Atlantic States, and a fair weather. The disturbance that was centered over the Middle Atlantic States Friday morning has moved to New England, accompanied by rain over portions of the Middle and North Atlantic States while the disturbance was moving eastward over the upper Lake region yesterday has moved beyond the field of observation.

River Report. Potomac and Shenandoah rivers clear at Harper's Ferry; Potomac clear at Great Falls today.

Record for Last 24 Hours. Temperature, Barometer, Humidity, Wind, Rainfall, etc.

Record Temperatures This Year. Highest, 100 on July 28. Lowest, 15 on March 18.

Bell Aircraft Union And Company Agree To Arbitration

Three-Man Panel Plan Eases Strike Threat at Buffalo Plane Plants

By the Associated Press.
 Hopes of preventing a C. I. O. strike at Bell Aircraft Corp.'s two vast warplane plants at Buffalo appeared brighter today as plans were made by both sides for voluntary arbitration of the union's demands for wage increases, a modified union shop and dues checkoff.

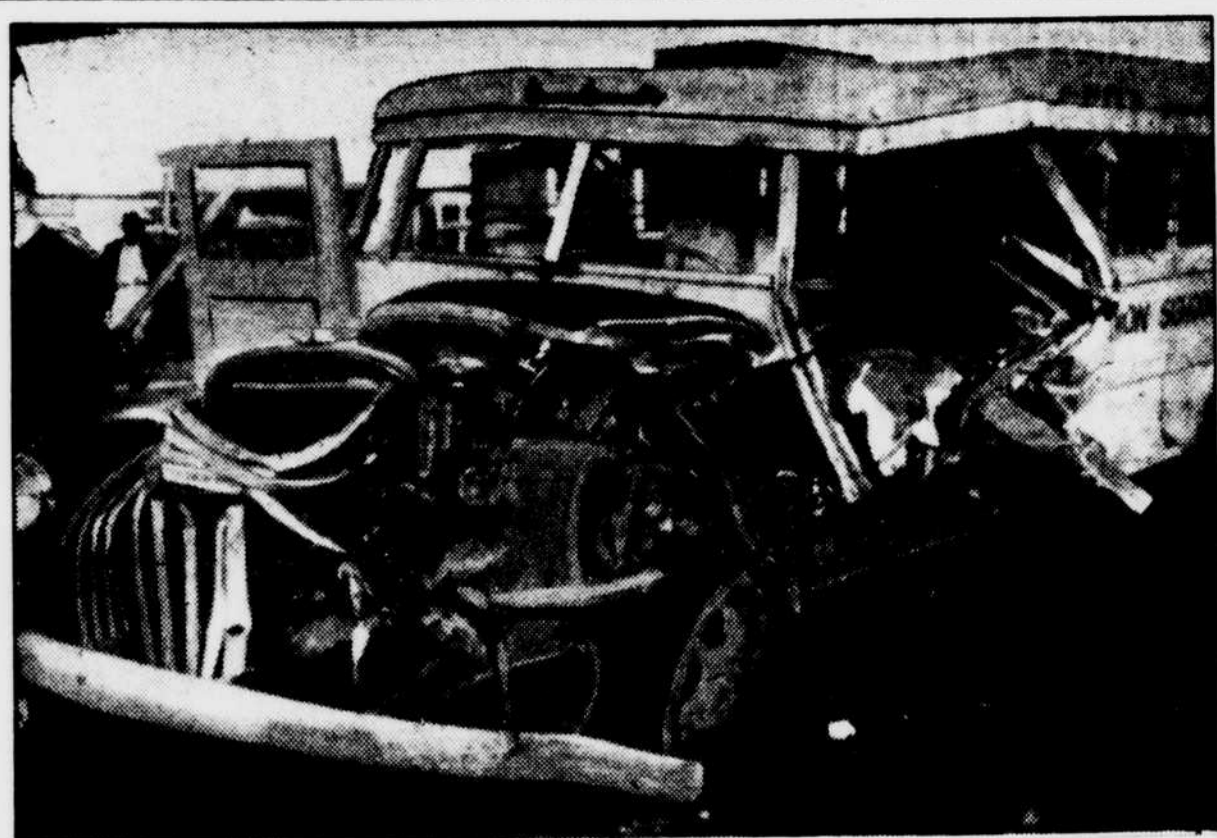
James P. Dewey, Labor Department conciliator, who headed a three-man panel seeking settlement of the Bell dispute, said last night that company and union leaders had agreed to submit to arbitration and to abide by the findings of a three-man board.

In announcing the agreement, Mr. Dewey asserted "there will be no strike."

A strike at the Aluminum Co. of America's Cleveland foundries was settled last night at a meeting of company and C. I. O. representatives and work was resumed immediately. The strike, called by the Die Casting Workers' Union, lasted 24 hours.

At Lackawanna, N. Y., company and union officials disclosed they had accepted invitations to appear before a United States Conciliation Service panel in Washington December 17 in an effort to settle a wage dispute which has resulted in a C. I. O. strike, now in its fifth day, against the defense-producing Spring Perch Co.

A spreading jurisdictional strike of welders at Morgantown, W. Va., seriously affected construction at the \$40,000,000 Morgantown Ordnance Works as an international union official announced he would recommend a Nation-wide walkout of welders on Government projects. The United Brotherhood of Welders, Cutters and Helpers (Independent) seeks autonomy within the A. F. L.



AMERICA, GA.—BUS-AUTO COLLISION KILLS SEVEN—The school bus and automobile in which seven persons were killed presented this scene yesterday after they were dragged off the highway following a head-on collision. The entire top of the car (lower) was ripped off. Five of the dead were soldiers and occupants of the auto, the sixth a civilian, and the seventh a woman passenger on the bus. Twelve persons were injured. The bus was delivering passengers home after a basket ball game when the crash occurred. —A. P. Wirephotos.

Senator Sheppard Portrait Unveiled in Capitol Wing

By the Associated Press.
 A portrait of the late Senator Morris Sheppard of Texas was unveiled yesterday in the foyer of the Senate wing of the Capitol.

In a ceremony attended by members of his family, colleagues and friends, Senator Connally and Representative Patman, Texas Democrats, eulogized Senator Sheppard, who had served in Congress from 1902 until his death last spring.

Mrs. A. H. Keves, Jr., Cambridge, Mass., a daughter of Senator Sheppard, pulled aside an American flag which was draped over the painting while her mother looked on in silence. Among others present were a sister of the former Senator, Mrs. Bryant Heard, Danville, Va.; a niece, Barbara Thomas Dallas, Federal Judge; and Mrs. Jones, former Member of Congress from Texas, and Texas members of Congress and their wives.

The painting was the work of Boris B. Gordon, Washington artist, and was presented to the Capitol by Mrs. Sheppard and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Noah P. Sanderson, Texarkana, Tex.

Senator Connally, formally accepting the portrait on behalf of the Senate, said:

"The major work of an artist's brush could ever transfuse onto canvas the greater character, the congeniality and charm of the late Senator from Texas.

Temporary Buildings' Removal Following Emergency Indicated

Can Be Razed Faster Than They Were Erected, U. S. Agency Declares

The Government's intention to remove temporary defense office buildings from the Mall and other public property in the city where they have been or are being built was seen today in an announcement by the Public Buildings Administration.

"The new temporary office buildings now being built for the defense agencies in Washington can be torn down faster than they were put up after the emergency," the announcement said. "They have been designed that way by the Public Buildings Administration, the Federal agency that's building them."

P. B. A. already has completed seven of the structures and is working on another four. The average construction period was six weeks. Seven of them occupy Mall sites set aside for future development of the District and the others are located on park or scenic land.

Stanford E. Abel, president of the Hechinger Engineering Corp., a local engineering concern, was quoted as saying:

"I have studied the plans of these new temporary buildings. They offer no problem to the wrecker. They will come down in practically the same time they went up. In some of a few weeks grass could be growing on the sites where the buildings stood."

Founded on concrete blocks only 6 inches thick that go down just below the frost line, the buildings have no termite shields nor any protection against dry rot, the announcement said. A good portion of the buildings may be salvaged, it was said.

Stranded by Fog, Stimson Gets A Lift Home

Secretary of War Stimson's adventures in hitch-hiking home from Richmond were related to reporters yesterday by the Secretary, whose 74 years have sharpened his sense of humor.

Mr. Stimson flew to New York and was returning Thursday afternoon in an Army plane when the pilot found Washington obscured by fog and had to land in Richmond.

The Secretary was unable to get in touch with an Army car requested by radio from the airplane. In Richmond, the Secretary said, he cruised around in a futile effort to rent a car and driver to bring him to Washington.

Finally he went to a hotel, but still couldn't find a car. The Secretary was about to spend the night in Richmond when George E. Williams, manager of the Hotel Richmond, offered to drive him home.

Work of Colored Artist In Library of Congress

A colored artist who lived in a basement on 25 cents a week while attending high school will be represented in the collection of American art in the Library of Congress.

Archibald McLeish, librarian of Congress, yesterday was presented with a black and white print at the 26th annual meeting of Karamu House, Negro cultural and art center, at Cleveland.

William E. Smith, 28, was found by the settlement house living in a theater basement and subsisting on potatoes. He was offered art instruction and now is a teacher for the organization. His picture, titled "Nobody Knows," selected in a contest, is a facial study of a Negro looking upward with hopeful expression.

Senate Leaders Seek Milder Anti-Strike Legislation

Norris Favors Congress 'Cool-off' to Prevent 'Hysterical' Action

By the Associated Press.
 Influential forces in the Senate campaigned today to replace the drastic House-approved strike curb bill with a milder measure next week.

There were strong indications that the Senate Labor Committee might retain only the title of the House bill, sponsored by Representative Smith, Democrat, of Virginia, and substitute for its contents a much less sweeping control system proposed by Senator Ball, Republican, of Minnesota. The Ball plan calls for establishment of a voluntary system of mediating defense labor disputes, and in addition would outlaw strikes over the closed shop question.

Senator Norris, Independent, of Nebraska, declared the Smith bill "goes too far against labor." He said he favored hearings on the measure sufficiently long to "give Congress a cooling off period before it does something hysterical."

Smith Bill Provisions.
 The Smith bill, approved by the House Wednesday, would require secret balloting before strikes could be called. It would outlaw sympathy and jurisdictional strikes, require registration of unions, ban picket line violence and establish the Defense Mediation Board as a statutory agency.

Calling a closed session of the Labor Committee for Monday morning, Chairman Thomas told reporters he personally was opposed to holding hearings of the Smith measure. If the committee reported out a bill bearing the House number, parliamentary experts explained, the Senate could approve such legislation as it desired and avoid delays in getting it before a conference committee of both bodies for adjustment of differences.

Connally Presses Own Bill.
 However, Senator Connally, Democrat, of Texas was pressing for curbs on the use of force by labor. He would permit the Government to seize struck defense plants and would freeze open or closed shop conditions while the plants were in the Government's hands.

Minority Leader McNary wanted alteration of his bill, which would legislate deferred until hearings could be held on the Smith bill.

The next move appeared to rest with the Labor Committee, which was urged by Senator Byrd, Democrat, of Virginia, to act speedily in the interests of the country to the House and to the public.

'Forgotten Soldier' Wins Praise, 12-Hour Sleep, Train Ride Home Wheeler Predicts U.S. Will Send Token Army To Britain in Spring

Senator Calls for Probe Of Reported Plans for Expeditionary Force



Pvt. Victor Golas, while directing traffic at a railroad crossing in Baltimore for 30 hours, took time out to build a fire to warm himself and some of his iron rations. —A. P. Photo.

By the Associated Press.
 BALTIMORE, Dec. 6.—Pvt. Victor Golas, who obeyed orders literally and became a "forgotten soldier" through 30 hours of traffic directing, got a pat on the back and a de luxe ride home today.

Maj. A. H. Kratzke, commander of the military police detail with which the Camp Edwards (Mass.) selectee was serving, told Golas, "you are to be congratulated," and "in the Army an order is an order and must be obeyed."

So Golas, who stuck by his post at a railroad crossing through rain and gloom of night long after the last truck of his motor convoy had gone by, was given a train ticket to Massachusetts this morning. He also managed to catch up on his sleep—12 hours worth—at a military police dormitory.

An Army truck dropped Golas at a railroad crossing here at 1:30 p.m. Thursday, with order to direct convoys "until you are picked up."

And Pvt. Golas, Company H, 104th Infantry, Camp Edwards, obeyed—and stayed.

His whole unit rolled by. He stayed. He rained. He stayed.

Golas broke out his "iron rations" of meat and vegetable stew, and ate while wide-eyed children watched. A "pretty brunette, named Charlotte" talked to him in the rain, promised to stop by again.

The night deepened. More rain. Golas built a fire. Yesterday morning children brought tid-bits.

Finally, Golas felt he had been deserted. At nightfall, after 30 hours' duty, he reported to military police—to learn the Army thought he had deserted.

An Army captain declared Golas shouldn't have been so literal—then demanded where was Golas when M. P.'s looked for him at 11 a.m. yesterday? Golas explained he'd stepped inside a railroad control tower to get warm.

"I had a picnic there for a while. I'm telling you," he said, "and anyway, I always wanted to see Baltimore."

By the Associated Press.
 BILLINGS, Mont., Dec. 6.—Senator Wheeler, Democrat, of Montana predicted last night the United States would send a token army to Great Britain and Northern Ireland next spring and "if the war lasts," a complete expeditionary force of 5,000,000 men for an offensive against Germany. Secretary of War Stimson, commenting in Washington on the Tribune story, said those responsible for publication of the story were "wanting in loyalty and patriotism."

At Casper, Wyo., yesterday Senator Wheeler said he would introduce a Senate resolution for an inquiry into the reported A. E. F. plans.

In another interview here Senator Wheeler said the United States was building bases at Freetown, West Africa, and near the Red Sea and that air bases already have been constructed in Northern Ireland and Great Britain.

Then he asked: "What are we building the bases for if we don't intend to send an expeditionary force?"

Man Stabbed in Neck Walks to Hospital

His jugular vein pierced by a stab wound, Earl Reggins, 26, colored, was able to walk into Emergency Hospital at 2:30 a.m. today, police reported.

His wife, Flossie, was quoted by police as saying he had the wound when he came to their house at 1102 Q street N.W. at 10:30 p.m.—and went to bed. Later he decided he needed medical treatment.

Police reported that the injured man said he was stabbed by a stranger on T street between Vermont avenue and Eleventh street N.W.

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Driver Granted New Trial In Traffic Death Case

Judge Walter J. Casey of Police Court yesterday granted a motion for a new trial in the case of Louis Bonnett, 45, of the 1500 block of Whittier place N.W., who was found guilty November 19 on a charge of negligent homicide in connection with the traffic death of Mrs. Marie Schwertner, 70, Mrs. Schwertner, who lived in the 200 block of Rhode Island avenue N.E., was fatally injured on December 23, 1940, near her home.

In granting the motion for a new trial Judge Casey ruled that the verdict of guilty was contrary to the weight of the evidence.

A silver of glass found on the running board of the defendant's automobile and identified as part of the crushed eyeglasses of the victim was presented in evidence during the trial last month. The silver, the jury was told, was identified by an optician as coming from eyeglasses he sold Mrs. Schwertner about seven years before her death.

Mr. Bonnett, according to testimony, had stopped his automobile some distance from the scene of the accident but was not convinced it was his car which had struck Mrs. Schwertner, it was said.

Crash Death Driver Held For Grand Jury Action

Vernie Plumley, 23, of 4614 Fifth street N.W. was held for grand jury action following an inquest yesterday in the traffic death of Emmett Dodson, 32, of 813 Mount Vernon place N.W.

Mr. Dodson was a passenger in an automobile driven by Mr. Plumley which collided with a taxicab Monday at Thirteenth and Kenyon streets N.W.

Police testimony before the coroner's jury was that the crash ended a twisting chase of Mr. Plumley's automobile by a motorcycle policeman.

Silent Prayer Banned At Japanese Shrines

Silent prayers for the dead, which have been said at shrines and temples in Japan ever since the great earthquake of 1924, have been banned.

The Shrine Board in Tokio has ruled that praying silently is a "Christian custom alien to traditions" and requests that, instead, people give two deep bows and two handclaps.

Priorities May Place Ban on Saddle Horn

By the Associated Press.
 DENVER, Dec. 6.—That handy little hand hold on the dude ranch saddle—the saddle horn—may vanish for the duration of the emergency.

Denver O. P. M. officials said nickel, bronze and brass used in manufacture of horns on saddles employed exclusively in the dude ranch business are needed for tanks, guns and ships.

Saddle makers are being pressed to design hornless saddles for dude riders.

Libya

(Continued From First Page.)
 a raid on Matruh, British railhead on the Egyptian desert.

Sharp fighting between advanced British and Italian units in the Bir El Gobi area, about 40 miles south of Tobruk, was reported by the Italian high command.

The Italians said the fighting was continuing as the report was made, but gave no indication of the direction it was taking.

They added there was nothing to report on the main front—from Tobruk to Salum.

Bad weather was said by the Italians to have restricted aerial operations in the Libyan battle zone, but Italian fighter planes were credited with shooting down 13 British aircraft and German pilots were reported to have downed two more.

George G. Prentice Dies

SAN DIEGO, Calif., Dec. 6 (AP)—George Gordon Prentice, 76, retired Bridgeport, Conn., inventor and manufacturer, died yesterday.

Buenos Aires, Argentina, will spend \$30,000,000 for street improvements.

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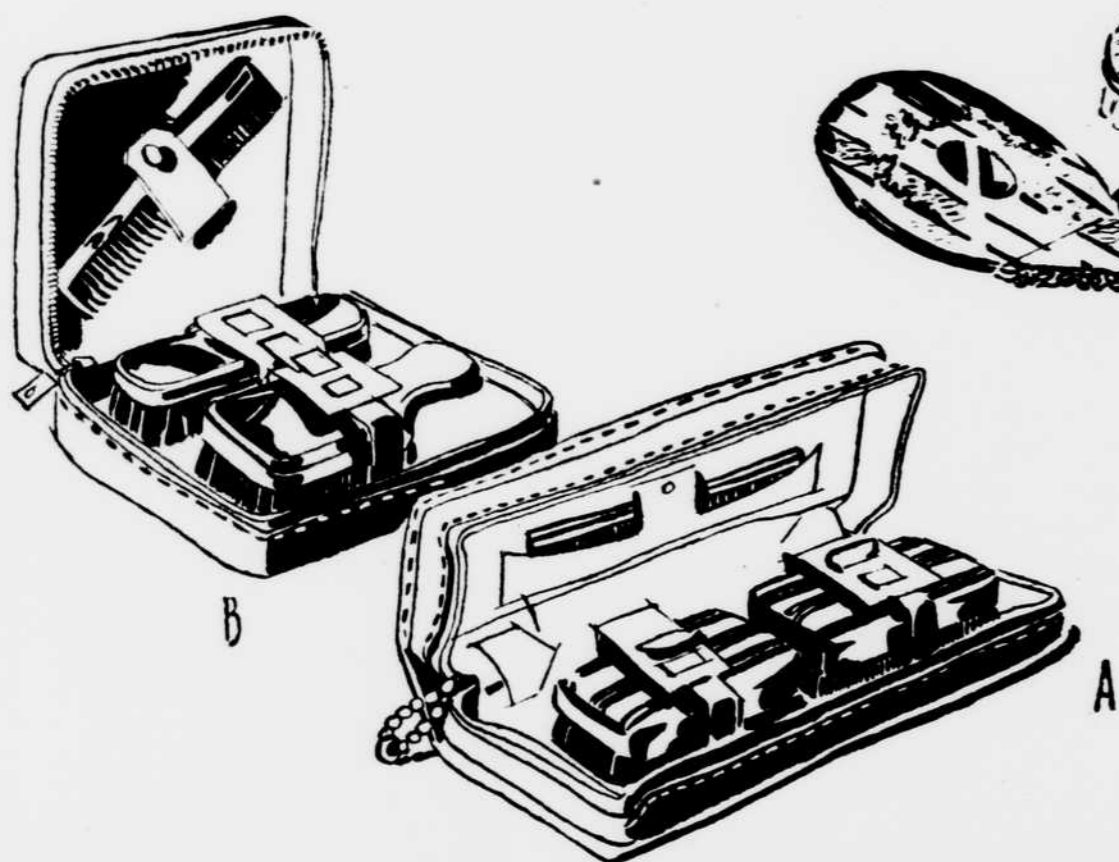
B—Satin Club-style Brush, Comb and Clothes Brush; Talon-fastened case of saddle-color leather..... \$18.50

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Deaths

BATES, FRED HENRY. On Friday, December 5, 1941, at Mount Zion Hospital, Fred Henry Bates, beloved husband of Mary Alice Bates, died at 1:30 p.m. Burial in Arlington National Cemetery at 2:30 p.m.

BATES, FRED HENRY. There will be a funeral for Fred H. Bates, at 1:30 p.m. Monday, December 8, at the funeral home, 1300 R I ave., Mount Zion, Md. Relatives and friends invited. Interment in Arlington National Cemetery at 2:30 p.m.

BEALL, JEFFERSON. On Saturday, December 6, 1941, at Washington Suburban Hospital, Beall, beloved husband of Mary Paula Beall, died at 10:30 a.m. Burial in Arlington National Cemetery at 1:30 p.m.

BRENDL, JAMES H. On Saturday, December 6, 1941, at St. Elizabeth's Hospital, James H. Brendl, beloved husband of May V. Brendl, died at 11:30 a.m. Burial in Arlington National Cemetery at 2:30 p.m.

CARTER, WESLEY L. Moore. On Friday, December 5, 1941, at St. Elizabeth's Hospital, Wesley L. Moore, beloved husband of Mrs. Alice Carter, died at 10:30 a.m. Burial in Arlington National Cemetery at 2:30 p.m.

COLLINS, HELEN AGUSTA. On Thursday, December 4, 1941, at Georgetown Hospital, Helen Agusta Collins, beloved wife of the late Rear Admiral Edmund R. Collins, died at 10:30 a.m. Burial in Arlington National Cemetery at 2:30 p.m.

CROSBY, MATT A. Suddenly, on Saturday, December 6, 1941, at his residence, 1300 R I ave., Mount Zion, Md., Matt A. Crosby, beloved husband of Mrs. Mary M. Crosby, died at 10:30 a.m. Burial in Arlington National Cemetery at 2:30 p.m.

DUGAN, JOHN PATRICK. On Friday, December 5, 1941, at his residence, 1300 R I ave., Mount Zion, Md., John Patrick Dugan, beloved husband of Mrs. Elizabeth Dugan, died at 10:30 a.m. Burial in Arlington National Cemetery at 2:30 p.m.

FULTON, ANNA VIRGINIA. On Friday, December 5, 1941, at her residence, 1300 R I ave., Mount Zion, Md., Anna Virginia Fulton, beloved wife of the late Mr. James Fulton, died at 10:30 a.m. Burial in Arlington National Cemetery at 2:30 p.m.

GARNETT, JAMES C. On Thursday, December 4, 1941, at St. Elizabeth's Hospital, James C. Garnett, beloved husband of Mrs. Mary C. Garnett, died at 10:30 a.m. Burial in Arlington National Cemetery at 2:30 p.m.

GOUGH, FRANCIS J. The members of St. Joseph's Parish, No. 13, American Legion, are notified of the sudden death of Comrade Gough, on Friday, December 5, 1941.

GOUGH, FRANCIS J. Suddenly, on Friday, December 5, 1941, at his residence, 1300 R I ave., Mount Zion, Md., Francis J. Gough, beloved husband of Mrs. Margaret Gough, died at 10:30 a.m. Burial in Arlington National Cemetery at 2:30 p.m.

GRAVES, CARL. On Friday, December 5, 1941, at Freedmen's Hospital, Carl Graves, beloved husband of Mrs. Margaret Graves, died at 10:30 a.m. Burial in Arlington National Cemetery at 2:30 p.m.

HEFFNER, EMMA R. On Friday, December 5, 1941, at her residence, 1300 R I ave., Mount Zion, Md., Emma R. Heffner, beloved wife of the late Mr. James E. Heffner, died at 10:30 a.m. Burial in Arlington National Cemetery at 2:30 p.m.

HINKLE, FREDERICK R. On Friday, December 5, 1941, at Garfield Hospital, Frederick R. Hinkle, beloved husband of Mrs. Mary Louise Hinkle, died at 10:30 a.m. Burial in Arlington National Cemetery at 2:30 p.m.

HENSHAW, JESSE C. On Friday, December 5, 1941, at St. Elizabeth's Hospital, Jesse C. Henshaw, beloved husband of Mrs. Mary Henshaw, died at 10:30 a.m. Burial in Arlington National Cemetery at 2:30 p.m.

HOLMES, ALPHONZO SCOTT. Departed this life Friday, December 5, 1941, at his residence, 1300 R I ave., Mount Zion, Md., Alphonzo Scott Holmes, beloved husband of Mrs. Sarah Holmes, died at 10:30 a.m. Burial in Arlington National Cemetery at 2:30 p.m.

JORDEN, LOUIS. Suddenly, on Friday, December 5, 1941, at the United States Naval Hospital, Louis Jordan, beloved husband of Mrs. Mary C. Jordan, died at 10:30 a.m. Burial in Arlington National Cemetery at 2:30 p.m.

KANE, VIOLET A. On Wednesday, December 3, 1941, at Freedmen's Hospital, Violet A. Kane, beloved wife of the late Mr. Alton Kane, died at 10:30 a.m. Burial in Arlington National Cemetery at 2:30 p.m.

LAMBERT, JANE BOWMAN. On Saturday, December 6, 1941, at Homeopathic Hospital, Jane Bowman Lambert, beloved wife of B. F. Lambert, died at 10:30 a.m. Burial in Arlington National Cemetery at 2:30 p.m.

LINKINS, NETTIE H. On Thursday, December 4, 1941, at her home, 1300 R I ave., Mount Zion, Md., Nettie H. Linkins, beloved wife of William G. Linkins, died at 10:30 a.m. Burial in Arlington National Cemetery at 2:30 p.m.

MOTEN, DAVID. On Friday, December 5, 1941, at his residence, 1300 R I ave., Mount Zion, Md., David Moten, beloved husband of Mrs. Mary Moten, died at 10:30 a.m. Burial in Arlington National Cemetery at 2:30 p.m.

FRANK R. Suddenly, on Friday, December 5, 1941, at his residence, 1300 R I ave., Mount Zion, Md., Frank R. Frank, beloved husband of Mrs. Mary Frank, died at 10:30 a.m. Burial in Arlington National Cemetery at 2:30 p.m.

ROBBINS, CORINE. On Thursday, December 4, 1941, at Homeopathic Hospital, Corine Robbins, beloved wife of the late Mr. James Robbins, died at 10:30 a.m. Burial in Arlington National Cemetery at 2:30 p.m.

ROYAL, STEPHEN R. On Saturday, December 6, 1941, at his residence, 1300 R I ave., Mount Zion, Md., Stephen R. Royal, beloved husband of Mrs. Mary Royal, died at 10:30 a.m. Burial in Arlington National Cemetery at 2:30 p.m.

SMITH, THOMAS. On Wednesday, December 3, 1941, at Garfield Hospital, Thomas Smith, beloved husband of Mrs. Mary Smith, died at 10:30 a.m. Burial in Arlington National Cemetery at 2:30 p.m.

SWANEY, EVELYN MARIE. On Friday, December 5, 1941, at her residence, 1300 R I ave., Mount Zion, Md., Evelyn Marie Swaney, beloved wife of the late Mr. James Swaney, died at 10:30 a.m. Burial in Arlington National Cemetery at 2:30 p.m.

TERWISSE, GERARD T. On Friday, December 5, 1941, at his residence, 1300 R I ave., Mount Zion, Md., Gerard T. Terwisse, beloved husband of Mrs. Mary Terwisse, died at 10:30 a.m. Burial in Arlington National Cemetery at 2:30 p.m.

TURNER, EDWARD. In loving memory of my dear husband, Edward Turner, who passed away December 6, 1941.

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Deaths

SCALIA, SIMONE. On Friday, December 5, 1941, at St. Elizabeth's Hospital, Simone Scalia, beloved wife of the late Mr. Joseph Scalia, died at 10:30 a.m. Burial in Arlington National Cemetery at 2:30 p.m.

SHATZER, MABEL G. On Friday, December 5, 1941, at Walter Reed Hospital, Mabel G. Shatzer, beloved wife of Carl Shatzer, died at 10:30 a.m. Burial in Arlington National Cemetery at 2:30 p.m.

SILVER, ROY COLUMBUS. On Thursday, December 4, 1941, at St. Elizabeth's Hospital, Roy Columbus Silver, beloved husband of Mrs. Mary Silver, died at 10:30 a.m. Burial in Arlington National Cemetery at 2:30 p.m.

SMITH, THOMAS. On Wednesday, December 3, 1941, at Garfield Hospital, Thomas Smith, beloved husband of Mrs. Mary Smith, died at 10:30 a.m. Burial in Arlington National Cemetery at 2:30 p.m.

SMITH, WILLIAM M. On Friday, December 5, 1941, at his residence, 1300 R I ave., Mount Zion, Md., William M. Smith, beloved husband of Mrs. Mary Smith, died at 10:30 a.m. Burial in Arlington National Cemetery at 2:30 p.m.

SWEENEY, EVELYN MARIE. On Friday, December 5, 1941, at her residence, 1300 R I ave., Mount Zion, Md., Evelyn Marie Sweeney, beloved wife of the late Mr. James Sweeney, died at 10:30 a.m. Burial in Arlington National Cemetery at 2:30 p.m.

TERWISSE, GERARD T. On Friday, December 5, 1941, at his residence, 1300 R I ave., Mount Zion, Md., Gerard T. Terwisse, beloved husband of Mrs. Mary Terwisse, died at 10:30 a.m. Burial in Arlington National Cemetery at 2:30 p.m.

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29th Division Starts Home From South At 1 A.M. Tomorrow

Arrives Tuesday Night at Meade; Camp Renovated During Troops' Absence

By the Associated Press. CHERRY, S. C. Dec. 6.—Twenty-ninth Division troops will hit the homebound trail tomorrow after strenuous caroling for weeks.

They will pull out of base camps here at 1 a.m., traveling in two 100-mile-long columns of trucks, back to Fort George G. Meade and Christmas furloughs.

In the west column will be Maryland's two infantry regiments, the 115th and 157th; the 104th Quartermasters, 104th Medical and 121st Engineers, and provisional anti-tank battalion under Col. John W. Oehman, commanding the District of Columbia's 121st Engineers.

The troops will go through Sanford and Durham, N. C., stopping tomorrow night at Clarksville, Va., and Monday night at the A. P. Hill Military Reservation.

The east column includes Virginia's 116th and 176th Infantry with the 110th, 111th and 176th Field Artillery Regiments. It will go through Fayetteville and Raleigh, N. C., spending tomorrow night near South Hill, Va., and Monday night at A. P. Hill.

Division headquarters today described a renovated and improved Fort Meade awaiting the returning soldiers at the end of the 450-mile trip.

While the 29th Division's 16,000 men were being trained in two months of maneuvers, crews at the home station were busy paving 12 miles of road, building sidewalks, erecting 10 regimental chapels, an officers' recreation building, a new theater and shelters at bus stops.

Freshly painted barracks will be heated when the soldiers complete their move to the new quarters. Hot showers will be available after three days and two nights on the road.

Composer Found Dead; Post-Mortem Is Ordered

James Leroy Sauls, 72, a newspaper composer, was found dead today in his apartment at 3504 Thirtieth street N.W. by his sister, Mrs. Minnie Johnson, who lived with him.

Chief of Detectives Robert J. Barrett said death apparently resulted from natural causes, but an autopsy was to be performed at the morgue.

Mrs. Johnson found Mr. Sauls lying on his bed, undressed except for underwear and shoes. His head bore a small rash. A small table which had held medicine bottles and glasses was overturned.

Capt. Barrett said Mr. Sauls apparently suffered a heart attack during the night after coming home from work, fell against the table, knocking it over, and received the cut on a piece of broken glass. He then was able to drag himself up to the bed, Capt. Barrett theorized.

He said Mr. Sauls had been under a physician's care.

Why Must They Die? No. 85

Killed in Traffic Same Date Last Year—64

The place: Thirteenth and Kenyon streets N.W.

The accident: A 32-year-old man was fatally injured when the automobile in which he was riding, going west on Kenyon street, collided with a southbound taxicab on Thirteenth street. Driver of the cab said the car's lights were upon him when he saw it, and it was then too late to avoid collision.

The driver of the car, who had been pursuing the car for a number of blocks, said the driver had ignored all stop signs and red lights and also failed to "even slow down" when approaching Thirteenth street at the stop sign on Kenyon. The injured man died the following day in Gallinger Hospital.

The time: About 1:30 a.m. on Monday, December 1.

The weather: Clear. The street: Dry, straight and level. The vehicles: A 1941 taxicab, in good condition and a 1937 coupe. Both were badly damaged.

The drivers: Cab driver, a 35-year-old man with 15 years' driving experience. The driver of the car, a 23-year-old man with six years' driving experience.

Coroner's jury verdict: Held for action of the grand jury.

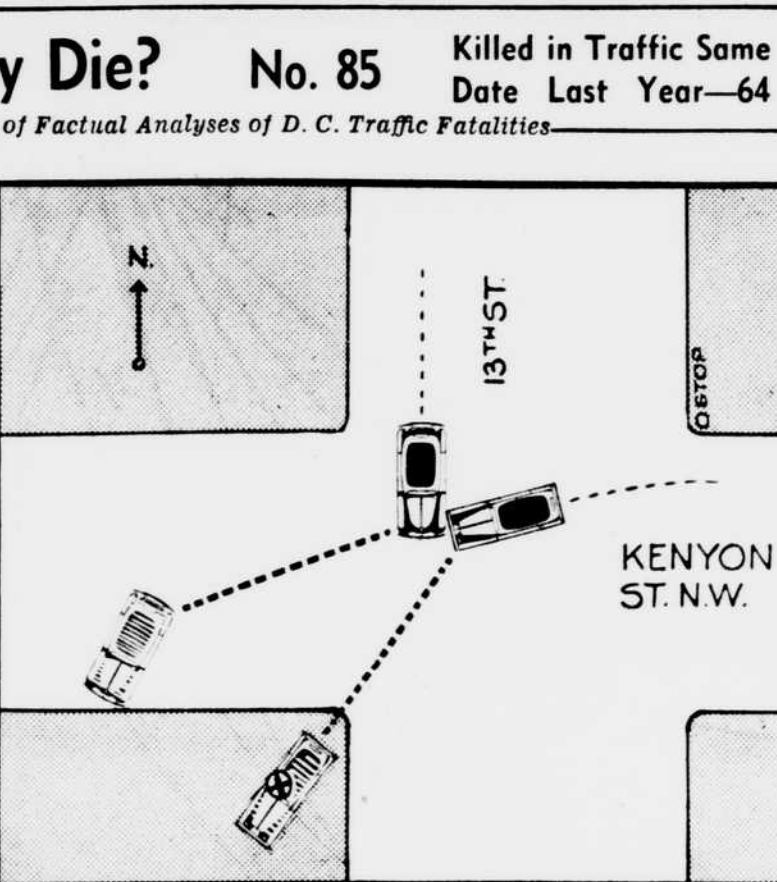


Diagram shows how a 32-year-old man, a passenger in an automobile, was fatally injured when the car collided with a taxicab at an intersection. The encircled "X" shows where the victim was removed from the car, which came to rest 57 feet from the point of impact.

Youth, 23, Found Guilty In Murder of Girl, 12

By the Associated Press. TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Dec. 6.—Cezzie Merrill Jones, 23, good-looking son of a West Terre Haute preacher, was summoned today to Circuit Court today for sentencing for the murder of 12-year-old Edith Idelle Barton at a petting party.

A jury that required four days to seat with no admitted scruples toward the death penalty needed only 31 minutes last night to convict Jones of second-degree murder, for which the penalty is life imprisonment. He had been charged with first-degree murder.

The girl drowned in Sugar Creek April 20 on a Sunday night date at a lonely spot near West Terre Haute where Jones had taken her in the automobile of his father, the Rev. C. M. Jones.

The indictment charged Jones had assaulted the girl and deliberately let her drown after she fell into the creek. Her body was found the next morning and he was arrested the same day near Paris, Ill.

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Hankin Sees Survey As Chance to Stabilize Taxicab Business

10 Firms to Participate In Gathering Data on Costs, Mileage, Etc.

Hope that Washington's taxicab business might be developed into a "regular" transportation industry, with assurance of service at nights, on rainy days and other odd-times, as an outcome of a new survey now being ordered, was voiced today by Gregory Hankin, chairman of the Public Utilities Commission.

He made this statement after announcing the commission had completed plans for ascertaining by a "sampling" method, the receipts of cab drivers, as a guide to what should be zone fares and zone boundaries.

Prevailing cab rates, the plan indicated probably will be continued in force at least until late March.

Following a hearing November 13, the old uniform cab rates of 20-40-60-80 cents were changed, temporarily, to permit an increase from 20 to 30 cents in the minimum charge for a trip confined to any one zone. Final decision was withheld because the commission insisted it needed cost, revenue and other data as evidence.

Sampling Order Issued.

This is to be obtained under an order issued yesterday, requiring that at least 10 per cent of the drivers of the 10 associations and companies which had petitioned for increased rates file sworn statements showing what receipts were taken from each and all trips of the drivers on work during the weeks beginning December 14, January 18, February 15 and March 15. The men to be selected must have the approval of the commission. The same men are to be expected to turn in manifests for each of the trial weeks.

Mr. Hankin said that since the manifest statements are to contain data as to the origin and destination in each trip, time and mileage, as well as revenue collected, he hoped the resulting data would enable the commission to determine what should be zone boundaries as well as minimum fares.

He added he hoped the data would indicate what taxi requirements were during the abnormal or rainy day as well as the normal day, as to public service required, what the normal working day for a driver should be, what shifts of drivers were required, what extra men were required and for what periods, how the extras should be recruited. He had said earlier he hoped the taxi industry might be placed on something of a convenience and necessity system, but had not finally committed himself.

Must Sign Affidavits.

The drivers required to file the sworn manifests are to be selected from among drivers for the American, Blue Light, Independent, Federal, Premier, Washington, Checker, Radio, Bell and Yellow Cab Cos. They will be required to sign an

affidavit at the end of each trial week stating that they "solemnly swear (or affirm)" that the manifests were prepared in the course of work, that no changes in them were made by the driver or others, that they are "true and accurate" accounts of taxi operations.

Mr. Hankin warned that any individual operator, association or company not officially listed as among the petitioning group who desires to be heard at the planned further rate hearings must, as a condition, file notice to this effect before December 10 and submit driver's daily manifests for the four test weeks the same as the selected drivers. No others, he said, would be permitted to "intervene" in the case.

Fight Against Evidence In Assault Charge Continued by Ewing

Constitutional Rights Violated, Defendent Tells Justice Morris

Justice James W. Morris in District Court today continued hearing testimony on a motion by Orman W. Ewing, charged with criminally assaulting a 19-year-old girl, asking for return of certain evidence in possession of the Government.

Two policemen, Lt. Albert Bullock and Sgt. Karl McCormick, testified that Miss Hester Chamberlain, an occupant and part owner of an apartment house in the 100 block of Sixteenth street N.W., where the alleged offense occurred, had given them permission to search an apartment for the articles, which included a bed sheet and the broken latch of a door chain.

Under questioning by defense counsel, they admitted they had no search warrant. It also was brought out that Mr. Ewing had said he was joint owner of the premises with Miss Chamberlain, but his permission to search and seize the property had not been sought.

Others to Testify.

Testimony on the motion is not expected to conclude today as at least three more witnesses are scheduled to be heard before the court rules on the motion.

Ewing is a former Democratic national committeeman from Utah. Taking the witness stand yesterday afternoon, Mr. Ewing told the court that he told the doctor at the District Jail that he had no right to touch him without a court order or the consent of his attorneys. He complains that he was subjected to certain physical tests, including the taking of blood from his arm, in violation of his constitutional rights. Mr. Ewing wants this evidence and records based on it ordered destroyed by the court, and photographs, a diagram sketch of the Sixteenth street apartment, where the assault allegedly took place on October 26, be ordered returned.

On cross-examination by Assistant United States Attorney Joseph W. Fihelly, Mr. Ewing said that after the first blood test was taken he objected, but said that the jail officials did not use force. He declared: "I was afraid to resist."

Joint Owner of Property.

Attorney H. L. McCormick, who is handling the defense with Attorneys John H. Burnett and Roy Parsons, contended that the search and seizure of the apartment and property were not incidental to the arrest of Mr. Ewing, who was taken into custody at 3225 Cleveland avenue N.W. early in the morning.

Mr. Ewing told Justice Morris that he shares ownership of everything at the Sixteenth street office with Miss Chamberlain, adding that he gave no permission for a police search of the premises.

On cross-examination by Mr. Fihelly, Mr. Ewing conceded that the deed to the property is in Miss Chamberlain's name and that a building permit for remodeling the premises was also obtained in her name and that bills are sent to her. He said, however, that Miss Chamberlain had recently given him a deed to half the property and business, which consists of conducting a rooming house, but this is not officially recorded.

Miss Chamberlain confirmed this when she took the witness stand and she said that she had given no permission to the police to search the premises.

Youth Seized on Charge Of \$500 Extortion Attempt

By the Associated Press.

MILFORD, Del., Dec. 6.—A 20-year-old Milford youth was arrested last night after agents of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, Delaware State Police and Milford Police set a trap for an extortionist.

The youth was booked as John Roland Wilkins, jr. He was charged with writing a threatening letter signed "The Powerful Five" to Dr. Lester O. Adkins, Milford dentist, his wife's employer. The letter demanded Dr. Adkins leave \$500 in an envelope in his car after parking it in an alley behind a Milford church.

A decoy envelope was left in the parked car. Police said they saw Wilkins take the envelope and caught him after a short foot race. They said Wilkins absconded his wife, Elizabeth, of any connection with the case.

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- C—Vivid little cross-over scuffs in Morocco striped rayon as well as solid colors\$1.95
- D—"San Toy"—Oriental beauty in shimmering rainbow striped rayon satin, ciel blue and pink\$5.50
- E—Rusebud balanced on your toe—pretty—in rayon satin—blue with pink, black with red, white, French blue with pink\$7.95
- F—"Galaxy" for gaiety—Joyce's nail-head bright wedge in black, blue, white or red suede\$7.95
- G—Daniel Green's beautiful "Bambi"—rayon satin in wine, ciel blue, black, cerise, pink, royal\$3.50
- H—"Tea for Two," the pretty little kidskin slipper by Daniel Green. Wine, royal, black\$4.50
- I—"Militaire"—trim yet so feminine in rayon satin—red with black, wine with royal, royal with wine, tearose with ciel, black with gold or cerise, green with gold, white\$5
- J—All frilled femininity—the mule with satin looped largely on the toe. Green with gold, blue with pink, white,\$8.95

WOMEN'S SHOES, SECOND FLOOR.

Where To Go What To Do

- MUSIC**
Organ musicale, Washington Chapel, Church of the Latter Day Saints, Sixteenth street and Columbia road N.W., 8 p.m. today.
Soldiers Home Band concert, Stanley Hall, Soldiers Home Park, 5:30 p.m. today.
- OUTINGS**
Lecture tour of bird collection in National Zoological Park, by George A. Petrides, sponsored by National Park Service, meet at Harvard street entrance to Zoo, 2 p.m. tomorrow.
Hike along Patuxent river, sponsored by Capital Hiking Club, buses leave 1416 F street N.W., 1 p.m. tomorrow.
- DANCES**
New Jersey State Society, Annapolis Hotel, 9:30 p.m. today.
Georgia State Society, Shoreham Hotel, 9:30 p.m. today.
Good Neighbor Forum, International House, 9 p.m. today.
Florida State Society, Wardman Park Hotel, 9 p.m. today.
Sigma Phi Sigma Sorority, Wardman Park Hotel, 9 p.m. today.
Philippine Council, Willard Hotel, 10 p.m. today.
All States Club, Washington Hotel, 9:30 p.m. today.
Interstate Club, Almas Temple, 1315 K street N.W., 9:30 p.m. today.
- DINNER**
District of Columbia Bar Association, Mayflower Hotel, 7 p.m. today.
- FOR MEN IN THE SERVICE**
Dance sponsored by Women's Battalion, Departmental Auditorium Constitution avenue between Twelfth and Fourteenth streets N.W., 8 p.m. today.
Dance, Soldiers, Sailors and Marines Club, 8 p.m. today.
Dance, Y. M. C. A., 1736 G street N.W., 9 p.m. today.
Dance, National Catholic Community Service Club, 9 p.m. today.
Dance, Jewish Community Center, 8 p.m. today.
Dinner and dance, sponsored by League for Men in the Service of Covenant-First Presbyterian Church, Fellowship House, 2563 Massachusetts avenue N.W., 6 p.m. today.
Dinner, dancing and games, sponsored by Foundry Methodist Church, Letis Building, Sixteenth and P streets N.W., 6:30 p.m. today.
Variety show, National Capital Service Men's Club, 8 p.m. today.
Open house, Y. W. C. A., Seventeenth and K streets N.W., 7:30 p.m. today.
- Dancing, games and refreshments, Arlington Recreation Center, Tenth and Va. streets, North Clarendon, Va., 1 to 12 p.m. today.**
Movies, Mount Vernon Place Methodist Church, Eighth and Massachusetts avenue N.W., 8 p.m. today.
Organ musicale, Washington Chapel, Church of Jesus Christ of the Latter Day Saints, Sixteenth street and Columbia road N.W., 8 p.m. today.
- FOR COLORED SERVICE MEN**
Dance, Y. M. C. A., 1816 Twelfth street N.W., 8 p.m. today; all facilities of Y. M. C. A. open to service men.
Dance, Phyllis Wheatley Y. W. C. A., 2 to 6 p.m. today.
Forum discussion, followed by social Y. W. C. A., 6:30 p.m. today.
Swimming, Y. M. C. A., 2 to 6 p.m. today.

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- D—Wool Felt Comfy Hyle—another comfortable Daniel Green. Plaid collar, soft padded elk sole. Blue, brown, oxford\$3
- E—Indoors and Outdoors—Bows moccasin—hand-stained brown leather, rugged and good-looking\$6
- F—For easy padding about—the kidskin mule with padded soles. Blue, black patent leather and brown\$3

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- B—"Pet"—cotton chenille with puff of rabbit's hair trim. Bluebird blue, rose and cherrybloom. Sizes 3 1/2 to 8\$3.95
- C—All-leather opera slippers for the young man of the house. Blue, wine and brown. Sizes 2 1/2 to 6\$3
- Sizes 6 1/2 to 9\$3.50
- D—"Raffle," a cotton chenille D'orsay in dusty rose, blue and cherrybloom with white bunny fur trim. Sizes 4 to 8\$3

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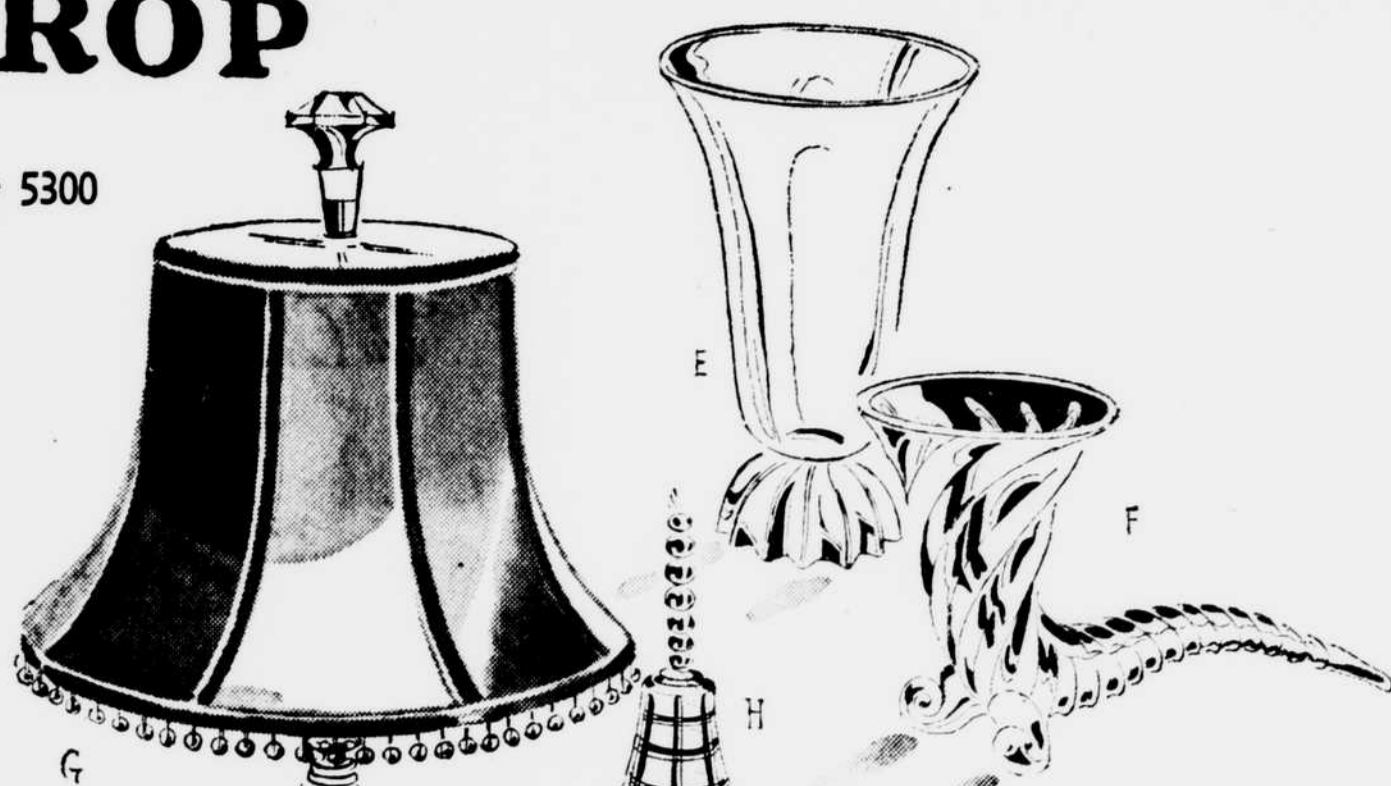
- A—Scintillant as a huge crystal, Heisey's shallow glass flower bowl—basically beautiful as a raindrop. \$6
- B—Imported crystal glass decanter, hand-faceted to create rainbow splendor. \$10
- C—"Touraine"—Hunt's new stemware pattern, hand-cut to capture candlelight's sparkle. Each piece \$1
- D—Libbey's "Prestige", stemware pattern essentially modern, but with the ageless simplicity that makes it equally at home in a Colonial setting. Each piece \$2
- E—Libbey vase—clear, gleaming chalice on diagonally fluted foot. \$12
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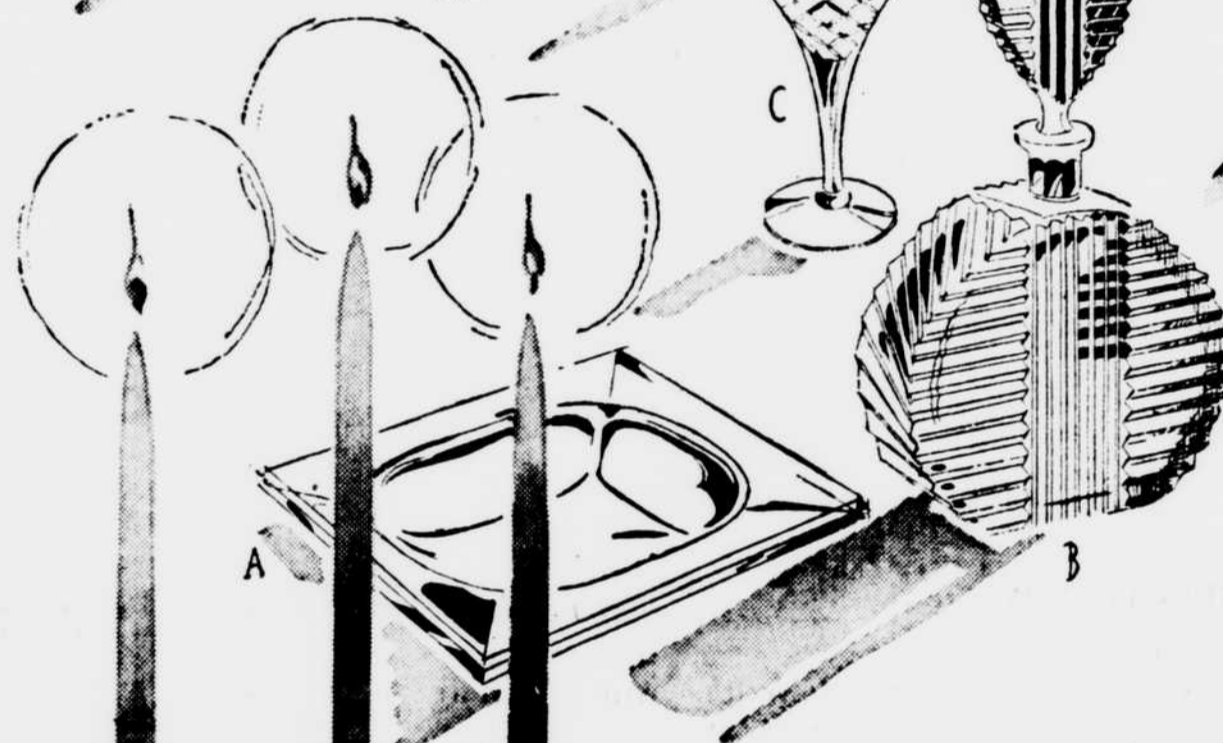
- H—Merrily, the Christmas bell you give—glass, even to its clapper, plays its role on your favorite hostess' table. \$1
- I—Flexiglass is the modern wonder that rims a crystal-clear glass plateau. We see its radiant recipient pondering whether to commandeer it for her dressing table, or share it with the family, heaping it with burnished fruit for a centerpiece. \$7.75

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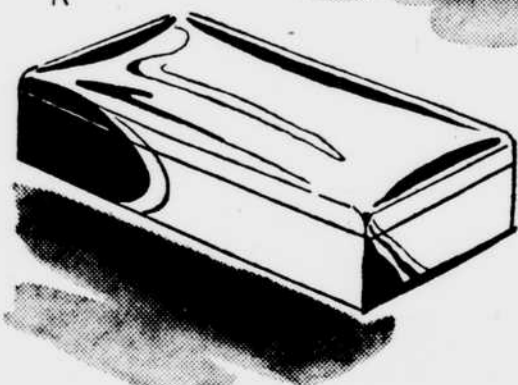
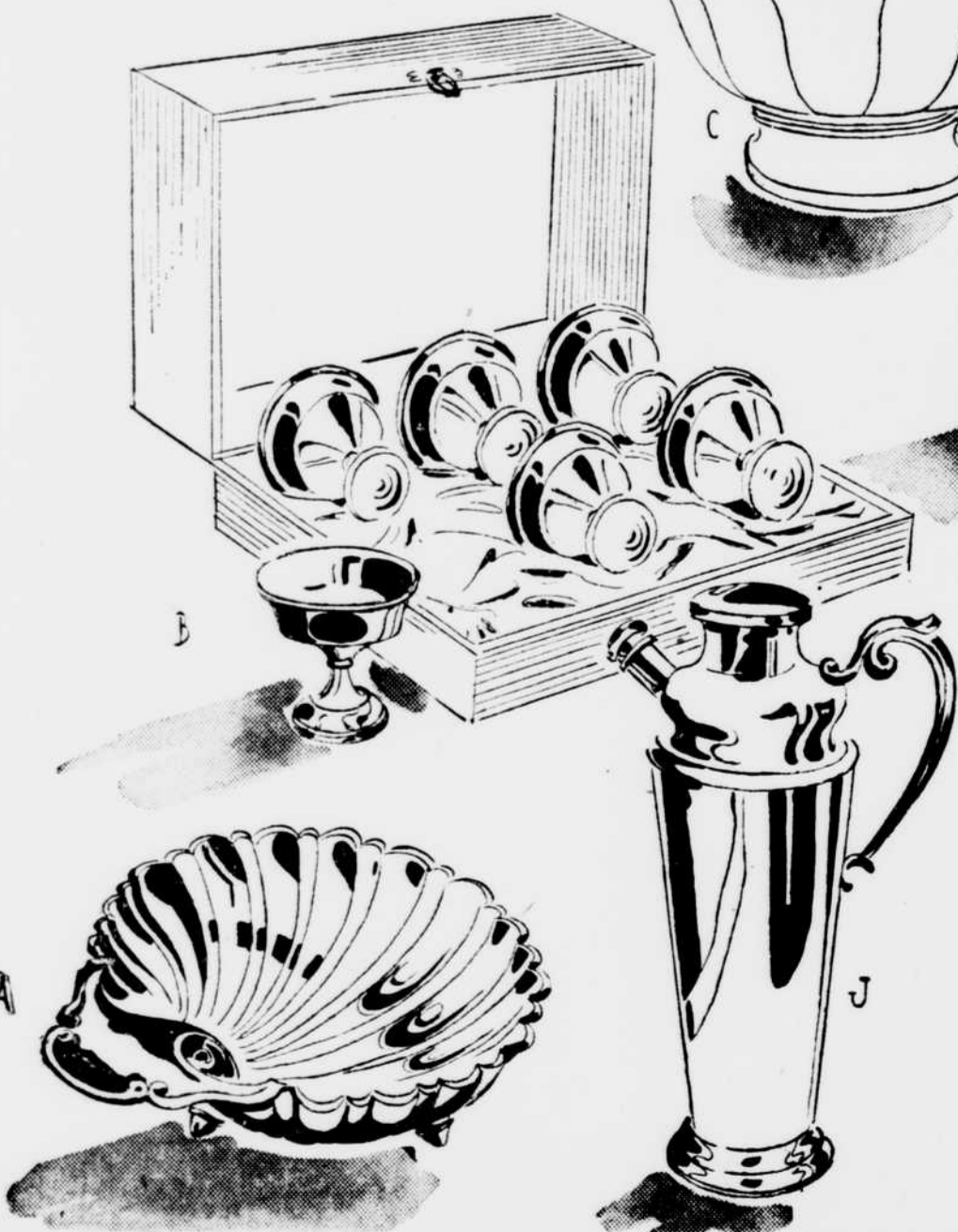
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 - C—Superlative fluted, footed bowl. Over 13 inches in diameter. \$75
 - D—Popular, graceful serpentine candelabra with gadroon trim. Three removable branches. Pair. \$60
 - E—Supper plate, designed with Scandinavian modernity. \$42.50
 - F—Patrician goblet, radiating hospitality. Each. \$5
 - G—Beverage cup, weighted base. Each. \$1.50
 - H—Three-piece coffee service, notably simple in design. Coffee pot, sugar bowl, cream pitcher. \$90
 - I—The ample tray—Colonial design. \$37.50
 - J—Glowing beverage shaker, party-minded. \$50
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Members of society found much to attract their interest yesterday, for the calendar boasted a flurry of parties both in diplomatic and official circles.

A highlight of the day's activities was the delightful tea given by Senora de Espil, wife of the Argentine Ambassador, at the Embassy. Mrs. Frank Letts, mother of the hostess, and ladies of the Embassy assisted her.

Senora de Espil wore a faulle gown of black, made with dirndl skirt and fitted bodice ornamented with rhinestone buttons. Mrs. Letts also chose black, with a matching hat. Mrs. Randall Hagner, jr., daughter of the hostess, was on hand to assist her mother, wearing an afternoon gown in a lovely shade of gold.

Many From Official Circles Among Guests at Party

There were several hundred guests. Mrs. Henry A. Wallace, wife of the Vice President, was accompanied by her sister-in-law, Mme. Bruggmann, whose husband is the Swiss Minister. Mrs. Cordell Hull, wife of the Secretary of State, also was in the party, and others seen were Countess van der Straten-Ponthoz, wife of the Belgian Ambassador; Mme. Fottich, wife of the Yugoslav Minister; Mme. Loudon, wife of the Netherlands Minister; Mrs. Stanley F. Reed, wife of Mr. Justice Reed; Mrs. William O. Douglas, Mrs. Claude R. Wickard, Mrs. Clarence Norton Goodwin and Mrs. George Maurice Morris.

Miss Isabella Hagner Honored at Luncheon

Earlier in the day Senora de Espil was hostess at luncheon, when her honor guest was Miss Isabella Hagner, debutante daughter of Mrs. Randall Hagner. Others in the party were Mrs. Randall Hagner, jr.; Miss Ruth Hurley, Miss Elaine Dillington, Mrs. Lloyd Symington, Miss Catherine Hill, Miss Elizabeth Stewart-Richardson, Miss Joan Dodd, Miss Mildred Dunn, Miss Elizabeth Van der Straten-Ponthoz and Miss Sita Finkenstaedt.

The Spanish Ambassador and Senora de Cardenas were others in the diplomatic circle to entertain yesterday. Their party was a dinner at the Embassy to honor their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Gonzales Gordon of Havana.

Gen. Miles Entertains For Gen. Cavalcanti

The new Brazilian chief of mechanized divisions, Gen. Newton Cavalcanti, was honor guest at the reception given by Gen. and Mrs. Sherman Miles at the Officers' Club of the Army War College. Colorful uniforms of the United States Army officers and of officers of South American countries brightened the scene and flags of this country and Brazil ornamented the room where the reception was held.

Senhora de Martins Assists at Tea Table

Assisting at the tea table during the afternoon were Senhora de Martins, wife of the Brazilian Ambassador, and other wives of members of the embassy staff. They included Senhora de Stenio Lima, wife of the Assistant Military Attaché; Senhora de Ararigola, wife of the Air Attaché, and Senhora de Kondor, wife of the Counselor.

At the coffee urn were Mrs. Hays Kroner, Mrs. R. S. Bratton, Mrs. H. E. Maguire and Mrs. F. J. DeRohan. Others assisting were Mrs. Ralph G. Smith, Mrs. J. T. B. Bissell, Mrs. C. Y. Banfill and Mrs. W. P. Vordeman.

Edisons to Arrive in Capital Today For Brief Visit

The Governor of New Jersey and Mrs. Charles Edison will arrive late this afternoon for a brief visit. They will be guests of former Assistant Secretary of the Treasury and Mrs. Lawrence Wood Robert, jr., who will entertain at a buffet supper tomorrow in their honor. They will be honor guests at dinner of the Commandant of the Navy Yard and Mrs. George T. Pettengill tonight.

Mr. Robert returned by plane last night from Atlanta, where he has been on a short time and arrived shortly after the dinner party which Mrs. Robert planned for her house guest, Mrs. Esther Gries of Chicago.

Others at the dinner were Lt. Comdr. Lawrence Snel, U. S. N., of New York received orders for duty at the Navy Department, and Mrs. Snel; Mr. Edmund Madden of New York; Mr. William Boyer and Mrs. Boyer, also of New York; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Waldrop, Mr. George Grant Mason, jr., Mr. Thomas Johnson, Mrs. A. Mitchell Palmer, Mrs. E. A. Carusi and Dr. Kemper Simpson.

Georgians to Dance

The Christmas dance of the Georgia State Society will be held this evening from 9:30 to 1 o'clock in the ballroom of the Shoreham Hotel. All Georgians and their friends are invited to attend. Representative Hugh Peterson, president of the society, will welcome the guests with Maj. J. K. Stacy, chairman of the Floor Committee, and other members of Congress from Georgia.

Dinner Hostess

Mrs. J. Butler Wright entertained at dinner for eight guests Thursday evening preceding the Washington Civic Theater's gala opening performance of Shakespeare's "Troilus and Cressida" at the Wardman Park Theatre. The plan was for the benefit of Bundles for Britain, of which Mrs. Wright is chairman of the Washington Chapter.

Mr. Leander McCormick-Goodhart, Attache of the British Embassy, and Mrs. McCormick-Goodhart were hosts to 18 guests at the performance, and Commissioner Joaquin Miguel Elizalde of the Philippine Islands and Mrs. Elizalde were hosts to six friends. Among others entertaining at dinner before the benefit was Mrs. Cary D. Langhorne, who was hostess to eight guests.

A. A. U. W. Branch

A Christmas program including an interpretation of world-famous Madonna paintings will be presented by the College Park Branch of the American Association of University Women Monday evening in Anne Arundel Hall, University of Maryland.

Mrs. Ernest Walker, chairman of the international relations study group, and Mrs. G. O. S. Darby, chairman of the arts group, are in charge of the program.

Hostesses will include Mrs. Allan Fisher, Mrs. Walter Hall, Mrs. Walter Hard, Mrs. John Jenkins and Mrs. John McMillan.

Ohio Fete Tonight

Service men from Ohio stationed at Fort Belvoir will be guests of the Ohio Girls' Club at a dance tonight at the Women's City Club, 736 Jackson place N.W. Mrs. Charles E. Lewis, chairman of the Dance Committee, will be assisted by Miss Mary Spear and Mrs. Julia Cornett. All Ohio girls in Washington are invited to attend.

American U. Guild

Mrs. Cloyd Heck Marvin, wife of the president of George Washington University, will review "Big Family," by Bellamy Partridge, for the American University Guild of Women at 1:30 p.m. Monday at the Women's Residence Hall.

The review will follow a luncheon at 12:30 p.m. Both are open to the public.

THE CHEERFUL CHERUB

I lost the thing I loved the best, But why should I be plunged in sadness? Fate may be clearing out my life To make room for a larger gladness.

Monday: Carl hears a prophecy.

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MISS MARY CURRIE BATTLE. Her engagement to Mr. William Schofield Hoge, 3d, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Hoge, jr., of Arlington, Va., is being announced today by her father, Mr. Archibald John Battle, jr., of Richmond, Va. —Dementi Photo.

Travel Group Guests Of Mrs. Roosevelt

Mrs. Roosevelt was hostess at dinner last evening at the White House for members of the Open Road Organization, which was organized some years ago to stimulate travel. The association arranges to send college students to foreign lands.

Women to Meet in Hyattsville

A board meeting of the Prince Georges County Federation of Women's Clubs will be held at 10 a.m. Monday at Pinkney Memorial Hall, Hyattsville, Md.

Mrs. Linden S. Dodson, American home chairman, will speak on "Spiritual Values in the Home"; Mrs. A. R. Lee, consumer division chairman, on "Consumer Problems," and Mrs. Octave Bigoness, garden chairman, on "Christmas Table Decorations."

Mrs. Bigoness is in charge of luncheon reservations.

Hillcrest Village Plans Fair Today

Friends of the Hillcrest Children's Village, 4119 Nebraska avenue N.W., have received invitations to a "country kitchen fair" to be held this afternoon in the Little Museum in Gould Cottage.

A children's book fair and educational toy sale has been arranged in connection with the fair. Kitchen articles for sale will include jellies and preserves, cakes and candies, bags, baskets, aprons and pot holders.

Mrs. Ketterer Picked For Federation Post

Mrs. John L. Whitehurst, president of the General Federation of Women's Clubs, has appointed Mrs. Gustav Ketterer of Philadelphia chairman of the Federation's department of national defense. She succeeds Mrs. Harold V. Milligen of New York, who resigned because of the pressure of other duties.

Mrs. Ketterer, a past chairman of legislation in the Federation, won the \$1,000 Gimble award as the most outstanding woman in Philadelphia in 1933.

Nature's Children

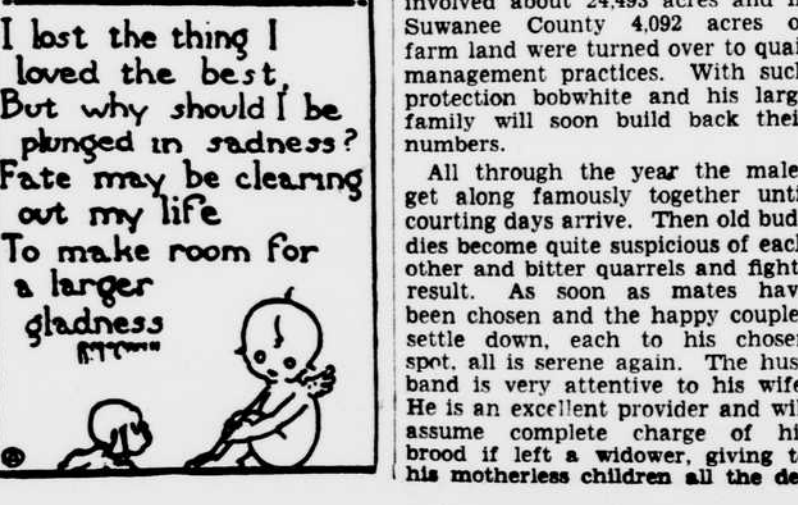
Bob White (Colinus virginianus)

By Lillian Cox Athey. What's in a name? Northerners call the bobwhite quail; Southerners, partridge; but he announces himself as "Bob White." His call is a pleasant and cherry one and always attracts your attention. Farmers claim he is a weather prophet and that his call is "more wet, more wet." He is a most welcome announcer in dry weather.

These birds are not only very attractive in appearance, but they are of great value to the farmer because they spend much of their waking hours destroying weeds and pestiferous insects. Bobwhite is a much sought after by sportsmen. His meat is tender and deliciously flavored. From many standpoints bobwhite is indeed a fine bird.

Word comes to us that Florida farmers are answering the call to save their number of quail. Overhunted, this favorite bird has become quite scarce. Almost 100 per cent co-operation was obtained with the farmers whose joint property involved about 24,493 acres and in Suwanee County 4,092 acres of farmland were turned over to quail management practices. With such protection bobwhite and his large family will soon build back their numbers.

All through the year the males get along famously together until courtship days arrive. Then old buddies become quite suspicious of each other and bitter quarrels and fights result. As soon as mates have been chosen and the happy couples settle down, each to his chosen spot, all is serene again. The husband is very attentive to his wife. He is an excellent provider and will assume complete charge of his brood if left a widower, giving to his motherless children all the de-



Dance Club Series Opens

A gay beginning for the season's Friday Evening Dancing Club meetings in the Willard ballroom marked the opening affair last evening. Numerous dinner parties preceded the event.

Among those who had guests before the dance were Maj. and Mrs. Parker West, who entertained 40 people in honor of the new members of the Dancing Club Committee. Mrs. Irene Caldwell gave a buffet supper for her guests, who included Representative and Mrs. Estes Kefauver, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Holland Duell, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sherrod, Mr. and Mrs. Franklyn Waltman, Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Kirkland, jr., Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Hatch, Mr. and Mrs. Lacy Reynolds, Mr. Pierpont Davis, Mr. John O'Leary, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Cafritz and Miss Blanche Day.

Miss Cornelia Bowie's party for 65 guests honored her week-end visitors, Comdr. and Mrs. Leslie Jacobs, and was held in her home on Twentieth street. Others who entertained last night were Mr. Sidney Taliferro and Dr. and Mrs. George Calver. Dr. and Mrs. Calver's guests included Rear Admiral and Mrs. Charles Riggs, Rear Admiral and Mrs. Lee Colbert, Dr. and Mrs. Roy Lyman Sexton, Comdr. and Mrs. James Glennon, Judge and Mrs. Ernest Van Fossan, Mr. and Mrs. James Armstrong and Dr. and Mrs. Howard F. Strine.

Suburban Social Notes

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison R. Hathaway returned to Edgemoor, Md., yesterday after an absence of several weeks while they were at their winter home in the Bahamas. Their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pinkney Donnelly, who went to Trinidad about a year ago, will remain there until the late spring or early fall. Mr. and Mrs. Donnelly are the parents of a son, Charles Pinkney Donnelly, 3d, born November 23 in Trinidad.

Mr. and Mrs. George Clapham have returned to their home in Silver Spring from a month's visit in Canada. While there Mr. Clapham went on a week's hunting trip on the Gaspe Peninsula.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Matre are entertaining at dinner and cards tonight at their Montgomery Hills (Md.) home for Mr. and Mrs. Everett L. Heffer, Mr. and Mrs. George Bond and Mrs. Fred Booth.

Mrs. Fred Spanagel entertained at luncheon and bridge yesterday at her home in Wynnwood Park, Md.

Beta Sigma Phi Chapters to Dance

Representatives of the six chapters of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority in Baltimore are expected to attend the dance to be given by the District of Columbia Council of the sorority at 10 o'clock tonight at the Washington Hotel. Upsilon Chapter at Alexandria will join the hostesses.

Guests will include Senator and Mrs. Harold H. Burton of Ohio.

Garden Club to Hear Yule Music Monday

A program of Christmas songs with an accordion accompaniment will be presented by Aisi Tomaseo before the Chevy Chase (D. C.) Garden Club at 1 p.m. Monday at the home of Mrs. Paul J. Christian, 3711 Huntington street N.W.

Several school journalists reported on publicity plans for the rally, at which Clarence K. Street, author of "Union Now With Britain," will speak. The rally will be held at the Friends Meeting House.

Alabama Alumnae

Members of the Alabama College Alumnae Club will be entertained at tea by Mrs. Mary McCall Henderson this afternoon at her apartment in Tilden Gardens. The hostesses will show pictures and tell of her experiences last summer on a visit to Mexico.

Reception Held at Home Of Bride's Mother

Mr. Joseph Roberts was best man, and the ushers were Mr. Sam Marvin of Oklahoma City, Mr. Marvin Taylor of Missouri and Mr. Robert Cordell and Mr. Bert Bowman of Washington.

A reception after the ceremony was held at the home of the bride's mother, where Mrs. Ramby was assisted by the mother of the bridegroom and Mrs. Ann Seymour and Miss Grace Bessley of Richmond, Va., aunt of the bride. Mrs. Ramby wore blue crepe trimmed with blue sequins. Her accessories were blue and silver, and she wore a corsage of tallismen roses.

The bride attended the Lankenau School for Girls in Philadelphia. Mr. Brown, who is a graduate of Eastern High School, is at present employed as a draftsman in the Washington Navy Yard.

Out-of-town guests attending the wedding included Capt. and Mrs. W. W. Jefferson and Mr. Robert Jefferson of Petersburg, Va.

Following the reception Mr. and Mrs. Brown left for a motor trip through the Shenandoah Valley, the

Wedding Notices

The Star sometimes receives requests to print notices of weddings that have taken place as long as a week or more previously. Under ordinary circumstances, The Star cannot grant such requests. Notices of weddings must be received by The Star in advance of or on the date of the ceremony, and must bear a signed authorization.



MRS. BOYD G. FREY. Before her recent marriage Mrs. Frey was Miss Eleanor Marie Horning. She is the daughter of Comdr. and Mrs. George D. Horning, jr. When Mr. and Mrs. Frey return from their wedding trip to Florida and Havana they will reside in Baltimore. —Hessler Photo.

Weddings of Interest

Catherine Ramby Becomes Bride of George W. Brown

One of the unusually colorful weddings of the early winter season took place last evening in the Church of the Nativity, when Miss Catherine Mildred Ramby, daughter of Mrs. Elsie Pote Ramby of Washington and Mr. Charles W. Ramby of Silver Hill, Md., became the bride of Mr. George William Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy S. Brown, formerly of Waynesboro, Va., and now living in Washington.

White chrysanthemums against a background of palms and ferns banking the chancel, white satin ribbon festooning the pews and tall cathedral candelabra on the altar made a lovely setting for the bridal procession and the 8 o'clock double-ring ceremony, at which the Rev. Enoch M. Thompson officiated. A program of music arranged by Miss Bertie Mae Pote included selections by Lang and Schumann in addition to the traditional wedding marches.

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The other attendants were Mrs. Catherine Pote and Miss Margaret Dennison, wearing blue taffeta, and Miss Josephine Prather and Miss Eleanor Pletzer, wearing pink taffeta. Their costumes were also old-fashioned lines and trimmed with white tulle and fuchsia velvet. Her accessories were gold, and she carried a bouquet of tinted roses tied with fuchsia ribbons.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, was gowned in white satin fashioned on princess lines, with long sleeves ending in points over the hands, seed pearls outlining the neck, and the skirt draping into a long train. A head-dress of seed pearls held her full-length veil and she wore a single strand of pearls and carried an arm bouquet of gardenias with a shower of ferns.

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Cathedral to Start Busy Schedule of Special Services

Brotherhood of St. Andrew Plans Rededication Program Tomorrow

Services in addition to the regular ones at Washington Cathedral are announced for next week, including the beginning of the cathedral's many special Christmas activities.

The annual rededication service of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew will be held at 8 p.m. tomorrow in the Bethlehem Chapel. The Rev. Nathaniel C. Acton, rector of St. Andrew's Church, College Park, Md., and Canon W. Curtis Draper, Jr., of the cathedral will officiate.

The service will be a Christmas celebration, with the boys and girls singing Christmas carols. Parents of the students have been invited.

The student body, faculty and staff of Beavort Elementary School on the cathedral grounds will have their first service together at 9:10 a.m. Wednesday in Bethlehem Chapel to meet the Very Rev. Ze Barney T. Phillips, new dean.

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Two Friendship Scholarships Are Awarded by Club

Senorita Carmen Lara of the Dominican Republic has been awarded the Pan-American "friendship scholarship" sponsored by the National M. Eleanor Brackenridge Club and she will come to Washington the latter part of January for a two-month stay. It was announced last night at a meeting of the club.

At the same time, the club announced that one of its own members, Mrs. Ruth Cain Shawk, will be the recipient of a similar scholarship from a group of women in the Dominican Republic. Mrs. Shawk, recording secretary and scholarship chairman of the club, will spend two months in the Dominican Republic next summer.

Senorita Lara, who is employed in the national archives of her country, is also a writer. During her stay here she will be entertained in the homes of members of the Brackenridge Club and will take a course of study in the Central High School night classes.

Mrs. Shawk will be similarly entertained in the Dominican Republic. Mrs. E. W. Schwartz, president of the club, was hostess to members at her home last night.

Interstate Club Dances Tonight

The weekly dance of the Interstate Club this evening will be held in the ballroom of Almas Temple at 1315 K street N.W. and a nine-piece orchestra will play. Square and round dances will be featured during the evening.

Miss Donna Boucher is managing director of the club. Dancing will begin at 9:30 o'clock and continue until 1, and there will be door prizes.

Mrs. C. A. Hatch Luncheon Hostess

Mrs. Carl A. Hatch, wife of Senator Hatch, entertained at luncheon today at the Shoreham in honor of her daughter, Mrs. Glen Leef, Mrs. Lett is here from her home in Providence, R. I., with her infant daughter Carla to visit her parents. She is the former Miss Marcia Hatch.

Guests at the luncheon included the Misses Agnes Doherty, Nelda Wilkinson, Peliz Bailey, Elizabeth Daniels, Chivo Thomas and Mrs. James Caviness, Mrs. W. H. Mains, Mrs. Maxwell DeVoe, Mrs. William Pickens, Mrs. Louise Lind, Mrs. Prew Savoy and Mrs. Henry Lowden.

THEOSOPHICAL SOCIETY

At Washington Lodge, T. S. 1216 H street N.W., tomorrow at 2:30 p.m. High F. Murray, sr., of Philadelphia will lecture on "The Nature and Value of Faith"; 6:30 p.m., James W. McGuire, "Christian Mystics and the World Crisis"; 8 p.m., Virginia T. Dawson will deliver the first of three lectures on the mighty theme of "The Descent of the Logos"; subject tomorrow, "The Preparation of the Planet," to be followed by "The Preparation of Man and the Vahan."

On Tuesday at 8 p.m. Harriet B. Mercer will continue class studies in "Self-Development by the Methods of Meditation." Wednesday, 8 p.m., members' meeting. Thursday, 8 p.m., Mrs. Lillian F. Boatman will discuss "Living the Life." Friday, 8 p.m., Mrs. Hazel B. Burns and Harry D. Appleby will read papers on "The Temple Wisdom," or "The Seven Hermetic Principles." Next Saturday, 8 p.m., meeting of the New Age Group. Every Saturday at 3 p.m. The Goodwill Fellowship keeps open house and tonight will arrange a literary and musical program.

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Traffic Legislation

Although many traffic experts and engineers in the past have looked with disfavor on proposals for rail and motor vehicle subways in Washington, chiefly because of the great cost involved, the numerous advocates of the program seem to remain unshaken in their belief that subways are the answer, at least in part, to Washington's traffic problems. In view of the continuance of the controversy as to the merits of the subway plan, the House District Committee was justified in approving a bill to provide for a "preliminary" survey to determine the feasibility of such a project.

Since no appropriation is to be made to defray costs of a comprehensive engineering survey and since a report is to be required from the Commissioners and the Public Utilities Commission by March 15 next, it seems unlikely that anything more than a cursory study of technical difficulties and cost factors of subway construction will be forthcoming. The Public Utilities Commission has only one staff engineer and his time is fully occupied as it is. Available for re-examination, however, are a technical report on the subject submitted to the commission informally some years ago and more recent cost estimates obtained from other cities. These estimates, it is said, indicated an average cost of \$5,000,000 per mile for subway construction.

The committee's approval, also, of bills to require the Federal Government to provide off-street parking space for at least 20 per cent of employees in new office buildings and to authorize the Zoning Commission to require that all new private buildings provide parking facilities "either on the same lot with any such building or elsewhere" is a recognition of the critical need for additional off-street parking space in the congested downtown section. Had such precautions been taken years ago, the parking and traffic situation would not be so acute today. Belated application of an arbitrary rule now would be rendered difficult because of the fact that land available for parking facilities in downtown Washington is at a premium. The Whitehurst traffic report took this important fact into consideration in recommending establishment of municipally operated parking lots on the fringe of the congested district, with cheap shuttle bus service to link the lots with governmental offices. This plan, widely endorsed by traffic experts and civic interests, is incorporated in a bill which the House committee is to consider next week. This undoubtedly is the most important local traffic relief measure to come before the committee in many months and Washington has a right to expect that congressional approval of the bill will not be long delayed.

Recreation Bill

A new controversy appears to be blocking the path of the long-sought bill to create a recreation board for the District, under which a unified and expanded recreation program would be possible. The bill, which passed the House last summer, calls for a seven-member board. It bore the endorsement of the Board of Education, the Commissioners and the Office of National Capital Parks—the three agencies whose personnel and facilities would be employed under the measure. In addition it had the support of officials of the National Capital Park and Planning Commission, one of whom drew the original bill considered by the House.

Hearings were held by a Senate subcommittee last August and the issue was turned over to R. F. Camaller for handling in his capacity as municipal adviser for the Senate District Committee. Two amendments are proposed by Mr. Camaller. One would make the Commissioner member the chairman of the proposed board. The other would require signature of the Commissioners on all appointments made by the board.

These two suggested changes form the basis of present negotiations between Mr. Camaller and the other interested parties. He insists that the changes in no way alter the character of the bill or reduce the independence of the proposed board. School representatives and parks people are understood to oppose the change vigorously, although the Commissioners are said to have approved. It is to be hoped that some method of ironing out the latest difficulties will be found and that the effort of

recreation agencies to solve the perplexing problems and jurisdictional fights that for years have throttled any attempt to obtain the centralization that all admitted is desirable will not be further delayed.

Seesaw in Libya

The military situation in Eastern Libya is extremely confused. The British have been unable to restore contact between their main forces operating from Egypt and the reinforced garrison at Tobruk. The combined German and Italian panzer divisions, after having smashed the British barrier by a heading attack some days ago, sit firmly astride the former British corridor at Rezegh. General Rommel, the Axis commander in chief, has thus re-established his line of communications with the rest of Libya. At the same time, he holds firmly onto the fortified strongholds of Halfaya Pass and Solom, on the Egyptian border. He thus potentially menaces the main British line of communications from Egypt, which runs about twenty miles south of Halfaya and the coastal road, entering Libya by an inland route via Sidi Omar. Indeed, he seems to have a British force isolated on the coastline between Bardia and Gambut, both of which towns have again fallen into Axis hands.

This confused situation is explainable by the conditions under which the campaign is being fought. The entire battleground, a region about 150 miles square, is plateau land rising in consecutive terraces from the seacoast. It is mostly hard-surfaced desert, with only blowing sand. This means that tanks can operate cross country without much regard for roads, though motor trucks are constrained to follow regular travel routes and are subject to continuous aerial attack from which there is no concealment. This combination of mobility in maneuver and difficulty of supply was what the captured German General Ravenstein had in mind when he described the Libyan battleground as "a tactician's paradise but a quartermaster's hell."

Winston Churchill has aptly compared the Libyan combats of tank divisions with fleet actions at sea. That reinforces the importance of getting at the enemy tank formations and physically destroying them, rather than merely outmaneuvering them and gaining ground. Mere occupancy of a stretch of desert is hardly more valuable than steaming to and fro over a stretch of water. Except for blocking a few key roads over which supplies must pass, the tactical fluidity in both cases is about the same.

The fact that General Rommel shows no disposition to evacuate his positions on the Egyptian border indicates that he intends to fight it out in the present battle area, rather than retreat while the way is open and make a new stand in the Cyrenaican hills which begin some fifty miles west of Tobruk and where he is supposed to have prepared positions. This, in turn, presumably means he feels himself measurably the equal of the British invaders. For the moment, driving winter rains have bogged the usually dry desert terrain and have slowed up operations on both sides, though aerial activity goes on. The British are reportedly sending in heavy reserves for a new drive.

Whatever the eventual outcome, the Libyan campaign has proved to be a disagreeable surprise for Britain. The initial dash with which it started, widely publicized by the British high command, raised hopes of an early and decisive victory. Those hopes are now seen to have been premature. Whether due to stronger Axis forces than were suspected or to the gifted generalship of Rommel, the British are temporarily halted after nearly three weeks of fighting, and fresh efforts on a big scale will obviously be needed to drive the Axis forces from this border zone.

Tax Peak

The warning of Senator George that Federal taxes are approaching a maximum level and that borrowing to finance the armament program may push the national debt to \$150,000,000, again attracts attention to the need for substantial reductions in non-defense expenditures. Though exceptions may validly be taken to the statement that taxes are near their peak, since a widening of the base would tax new sources of revenue, it is clear that the cost of armament expenditures can be met only in part out of current national income. Further borrowing is thus inevitable.

To safeguard the country against the dangers of inflation and ease the burden on future generations of Americans, it is of vital importance that the volume of this borrowing be kept as small as possible. For the current fiscal year non-defense expenditures will amount to more than \$6,500,000,000. Unless present trends are reversed, the outlays for non-military purposes during the fiscal year beginning July 1 may be expected to equal, if not to exceed, this figure. New spending projects already have powerful support. The House Committee on Rivers and Harbors, for example, has reported a billion-dollar authorization bill for rivers and harbors—the largest measure of its kind in our history. The bill authorizes an expenditure of \$285,000,000 on the St. Lawrence Seaway and nearly \$200,000,000 for the proposed Florida ship canal. Neither project, standing alone, has secured the approval of the two houses in the past. Now both will

come before the House in an omnibus rivers and harbors bill.

Secretary Morgenthau already has outlined to Congress fields for possible economies in non-defense expenditures. Among these are agricultural payments which will aggregate approximately \$1,000,000,000 for the current fiscal year—public works, reclamation projects, highway aid and Federal youth agencies. Without drastic cuts in these and similar activities, there can be no sizable savings in the non-military budget. To wield the shears on these items, and reject the demands of the veterans and other organized groups for additional subsidies, will, of course, require courage. In view of the staggering burden of armament, the country, however, has a right to expect that Congress, before levying additional taxes, will insist on making every practicable economy in non-defense expenditures.

Yielding to Pressure

The supplementary report of the Fact-Finding Board convened by the President to pass on the railroad wage dispute is an extraordinary document, for it states quite frankly that the final concessions to the railroad unions were not justified by the facts of the case, but were, in effect, a price paid to "buy a peaceful settlement" of the controversy. In its original report the board recommended pay increases aggregating \$270,000,000, the higher rates to terminate on December 31, 1942. This was designed to meet a temporary rise in living costs attributable to the national emergency, but the unions rejected the proposal and set a strike date. President Roosevelt then asked the board to rehear the case, with the result that additional increases in wages, bringing the total to from \$300,000,000 to \$325,000,000, were approved, and it was stipulated that they were to become increases in the basic wage rates instead of being temporary in character.

The board, in its supplementary report, specifically reaffirmed its belief that it was "unwise to freeze the recommended increases into basic wages." It pointed out in the first place that the railroads might well be unable to meet the increases once the defense boom is over, and, in the second, that the policy of granting wage increases in anticipation of a continued rise in prices is unsound and can "only aggravate the very difficulty that it aims to overcome."

While thus reaffirming the correctness of its original recommendations, and denouncing the inequitable character of the additional increases, the board sought to draw a distinction between its original role as a quasi-judicial body and its subsequent appearance in the dispute as a mediation agency. As a quasi-judicial body, the report said, "we did not and do not believe that we should modify our (original) recommendations. In any material respect, under pressure by either party that a modification must be made in order to buy a peaceful settlement." But, it added, when acting as a mediator it is permissible to permit considerations of expediency to dictate a recommendation which would not be warranted purely on the merits of the case.

This, in other words, is the equivalent of saying that the railroad unions, by threatening to call a strike which would have crippled the defense program, were able to bring enough pressure to bear on the President's Fact-Finding Board so that it, in the role of mediator, sponsored concessions which, as a quasi-judicial body, it would have refused to recommend in the belief that they were unjustified and inequitable.

Against this background, the board's subsequent admonition that the defense program cannot succeed unless workers and employers alike are prepared to make sacrifices, and that the country faces disaster "unless this hard fact is clearly recognized," has a curious ring. The advice itself is sound, but it would seem that in this case it should have been directed specifically to those who, according to the board's own statement, used threats of force to exact unreasonable concessions, regardless of the adverse effect on the national welfare.

Calling Judge Blackstone

In some criminal cases lawyers for the defense are ingenious in thinking up excuses for delay, but with all their skill have yet to beat the case of a Zuni Indian who raised a Government check from \$150 up to \$85.40. The whole tribe rallied round and put in a bid for delay on the grounds of divine immunity. The defendant, fire god of the community, was scheduled within a month to preside at a ceremonial and greet messengers from the rain gods.

New Mexico, said the Indians, is in no position to incur the wrath of rain gods. Already intolerably dry, there would be sheer disaster if in a spirit of peevishness the divinities of moisture were to turn off the spigot all the way. It would probably become necessary to pin stamps on letters. Please, said the Indians, let our fire god greet his pals from a throne, not from such an unseemly place as the housegown. Once rain was guaranteed, let him go to the white man's jug, if necessary, but not before. The prosecutors went into a secret session and consented, although they warned the fire god that even if he clicked it would not matter much to him for quite a while whether it was a shower or a cloudburst. Ninety-two race horses have just been imported from Australia to Hong Kong. It is thought that the Japanese will find it very difficult to beat them.

Of Stars, Men And Atoms

Notebook of Science Progress In Laboratory, Field And Study

By Thomas R. Henry.

War is a way to gratify subconscious desires to destroy and kill. Most persons have them. Civilization forbids acting in accordance with them. A few become gangsters and murderers and end up in jail or the electric chair. The rest must wait for a "holy cause" before letting loose these wild, buried impulses.

Such is the psychoanalysis of war presented by one of America's foremost psychiatrists, Dr. Karl A. Menninger, president of the American Psychoanalytical Association. For many years Dr. Menninger has specialized in the "aggression" complexes of the human mind which drive men to murder and suicide. Dr. Menninger does not speak as a pacifist. He warns against allowing such motives to find an outlet in America's present defense preparations so as to destroy their efficacy.

"War," he says, "appeals to people for the same reasons that Fascist philosophy appeals to people. It stimulates the wish to exert power over other people, to be aggressive, dominant, commanding, possessive. "Civilization restricts such impulses in all of us only with great difficulty and when the program can be promoted, whether it is the Fascist philosophy of Europe or the military organization of our own country which gives some individuals power over the lives and behavior of other people, it often attracts the wrong type of person to do this and creates envious ambitions of an unwholesome type in many persons. All of us have secret yearnings, of which we are little ashamed, to act in ways that would be permissible only if war existed."

"This, I think, is more important than the excitement, the novelty, the sporting element of contest, and all the other elements of glamour and romance in war, which only those can feel who are not personally wounded by it." But all the time in the subconscious of millions, Dr. Menninger said, is an even more dangerous yearning than that to injure and kill—the yearning to submit and thus throw off all personal responsibility. "It is a great satisfaction to certain deep, subconscious urges," he said, "to be able to delegate authority to someone else, to submit meekly to what one is told to do, and to expect in payment for this obedience, protection, patronage, praise and pay. It is comforting to many individuals to be able to lay aside the responsibilities of maturity, not voluntarily, but by official decree, and to resume a childlike relationship to an authority comparable to that of the parents."

"But this authority must not only command and use us. It must reward and support us. Thus war and preparation for war arouse two repressed tendencies within us—aggressiveness and passivity. They are tendencies which all civilization, all psychological growth, all social maturity opposes." While these subconscious motives are common to all wars, Dr. Menninger points out, they add nothing to the actual fighting efficiency of a country. With a deeper understanding which has come in the past few years, he stressed, the United States has an opportunity for the first time in its defense training program to place its cause on a rational side and eliminate the elements of childishness and savagery. "Otherwise," he stresses, there will be thousands of individuals in the Army who will be costly and dangerous liabilities, especially in the future, when Uncle Sam will be called on to support them.

A strange pest of leguminous crops—beans, peas and even clover—has extended its depredations over most of the Eastern United States in the past 20 years.

The advance of this insect, the Mexican bean beetle, is described by Dr. William H. White of the United States Department of Agriculture, in a paper just published by the Smithsonian Institution. First found in Alabama shortly after the war, its range has spread rapidly until now it seems to have reached a status quo. One reason for the advance of the insect is that a single female has been known to lay as many as 1,500 eggs in a season. The average is nearly 500. The eggs hatch in from 5 to 14 days, the larva requiring from 15 days to three weeks to complete their development. Thus, several generations may be found in the same field at the same time.

Each August the beetles become particularly restless and at this time the greatest dispersion takes place. Flight experiments conducted with large numbers of marked beetles show that an insect will travel as far as five miles in two days. The bug is a native of Mexico, where it is kept in check by various predators. None of these have followed it into the United States and attempts to introduce them have met with only indifferent success.

Actually, Mr. White points out, the beetle probably has been present in the Southern United States for 75 years, having been introduced during the Mexican War. Little attention was paid to it, however, until it appeared in Alabama in 1920, probably introduced in shipments of alfalfa. In the East it spread rapidly by flying in a general northeasterly direction, probably because of prevailing winds. By 1932 it was present in all the States east of the Mississippi with the exception of Florida and Wisconsin. Since then, however, its spread has been retarded. Its depredations can be checked by proper chemical controls.

Agrees With Criticism

Of Washington's Critics. My sincere compliments to H. L. H. for his letter of December 2. I wish to add my reflections on the fact that it is the native Washingtonian who actually is suffering from the crowded conditions brought about by the influx of workers to the Capital. We natives love our city, we pay our taxes towards its upkeep and we contribute to its charities. The average outsider does none of these things, yet feels free to criticize all that we have or do. We are the ones who are being crowded, and if we must bear it for the sake of getting the job done, surely the outsider might at least refrain from criticism. VERA G. WOLGAMOT.

THIS AND THAT

By Charles E. Tracewell.

Ten male cardinals within a circle of 6 feet make a sight worth seeing. As a matter of fact, the observer would not have to be particularly interested in bird life to watch with interest. If, however, he feeds the songsters in his own yard, this sight comes as a reward for all that he has attempted to do. Now, 10 bright cardinals make a splash, no doubt of it at all. If their 10 mates were putting on the show the display would be nothing remarkable, although there are few birds prettier than the female redbirds. Their feathers are subdued, touched with aspects of old shawls; they are not showy birds, like the males.

The 10 cardinals had flown in, one after the other, just as dusk was descending. This is the cardinal's hour, as it has been called, from about 4:30 p.m. to 5:30 o'clock. Whatever sparrows may have been present have left for the day, gone back to their sleeping quarters. The remaining minutes of daylight are left to the cardinals, the chickadees, the nuthatches and the titmice. Down fly the male cardinals, one after another.

These are not guzzlers, as sparrows are. They prefer to find most of their "living" in nature, even when sunflower seeds are available in abundance. This shows more brains than the sparrows seem to possess. They will eat too much dry food. Cardinals fly in every now and then, during the day, but reserve their main visit until the evening, or late afternoon, however one calls it (depending upon which section of the country one comes from).

The redbirds gathered beneath the feeding station on the 5-foot stake. These birds much prefer to feed off the ground, although they show no particular hesitancy about flying into the feeding station itself. Of the two, male and female, the female is by far the bravest, when it comes to visiting feeding stations in home gardens. She flies onto the edge of the tray at once, but the average male requires many minutes before he can get up enough courage. Often a male will fly down time after time, but refuse to go in, sending himself duffly over the station just as the observer feels that he is going to fly in.

The 10 males, of varying degrees of red, finally gathered within the 6-foot circle. That is, not a one of them was farther than that from any other. Not all male cardinals are the same degree of red, by any means. Males at least 2 years old can be told by their flaming coats. Younger males have not yet attained the precise degree of flaming scarlet which captivates the human eye. Yet many of these immature males are very fine looking birds. They still retain some of the softer coloring which distinguishes their mothers.

There were two birds which answered to the human descriptive of "bully." It is an interesting fact that in every group of life, whether man, fish, or bird, or four-legged animal, there will be at least one bully. This seems to be part of nature's intention. Just when a human mind thinks that it has solved some problem, such as that of the main direction of life, and has decided that it must be love, along comes a bully. Well, what can be done about it? One thing which may be done, at least in little, is to hang onto one's decision with the more determination than ever. Let no bully bull you out of the belief that love rules the world, or at least ought to, if that is the way you feel about it.

Old Epictetus is a help here. He was a slave too, it may be helpful to recall, in this age when slavery seems to be coming into fashion again. Epictetus would say, to his masters, "Did I say you could not cut off my leg? No. What I said was that you cannot take away from me what belongs to me. My leg does not belong to me. It was loaned to me. But my power of resistance belongs to me. It was given me by the Eternal, and it is all I claim. It, you cannot harm. Take my life. What is that to me? I can remain faithful to my trust!"

The 10 male cardinals flew in all directions, as one of the bully birds flew among them. Despite the fact that the observer might not have liked his actions, the red bully put on a fine show, one had to admit. The flash of his scarlet wings, and the answering flashes of nine other pairs of red wings, gave a real demonstration of flying beauty. It is comparatively easy to have this collection of cardinals in the suburban sections, if one will make a point of putting out sunflower seed at some given point at about the same time every day. The best time is the hour just at dusk. Sunflower seeds alone will do the work, since these seeds are not only the favorites of all seed-eating birds, but the particular favorites of the cardinals, male and female.

Letters to the Editor

Quotes Letter From Scot Serving In R. A. F. Training Corps. To the Editor of The Star: A recent letter from a good Scot friend, a commissioned officer and instructor in the new air training corps of the R. A. F., may be of interest to your readers.

"Believe me," writes Alex Erskine from Pifeshire, "the youths of this country have become really air-minded. I am adjutant of our squadron and, when I ask any of the lads what they wish to train for, it is either pilot, observer or (surprisingly to related air gunner). The German raids certainly have had no harmful effect on youth. They all are anxious to hit back. "The subjects I teach are navigation and principle of flight. Other officers instruct in signalling, drill, armory, mathematics, wireless and aero engines. The task, as you will see, is no means small, but if it produces airmen quicker and better than it will speed up the climax of this struggle." Adjt. Erskine's wife is a member of the Women's Voluntary Service. She says: "We do war work of various kinds, but I am on the First Aid Center. Our work will be needed during or after a raid. Then, too, I am working at our local rest center. We have taken over the local school and it has been equipped with all the articles required for the care of homeless people after a raid. "We are allowed one ounce of butter each per week. Sugar is what we miss more than anything else—we get six ounces of sugar each week—but it has settled down to our ration, and it is surprising how your taste can be controlled when the necessity arises. "Certain items, such as butcher's meat, butter, sugar, bacon, eggs and fats, are rationed and we certainly miss not being able to get anything like our normal requirements. For example, butcher's meat; we are only allowed one pound each per week, so you can well imagine it must be supplemented with fish, which, fortunately, is obtainable without 'coupons.' Adjt. Erskine inclosed a booklet, "The Battle of Britain." It is published by the Stationery Office in London and is an Air Ministry account of the "great days" from August 8 to October 31, 1940. The pamphlet concludes in part: "It was not without cost. The Royal Air Force lost 375 pilots killed and 358 wounded. This was the price, and of those who died let it be said that: 'All the soul of man is resolution which expires never from valiant men till their last breath.'" ERNEST CHARLES RICK.

Discusses Causes of Alleged "Disunity." To the Editor of The Star: I am prejudiced against Miss Dorothy Thompson. She is as much an aversion to me as Charles A. Lindbergh is to her. However, I believe one with no bias can see the absurdity of attributing to the America First Committee the cause for disunity in our country. May I suggest a few causes: (1) The pro-labor attitude of the White House in letting strikes run wild; (2) an un-planned defense program with no definite chairman; (3) the useless spending orgy of the New Deal; (4) Harry Hopkins' saccharine eloquence of Stalin in a recent magazine article; (5) the President's eagerness of himself in a recent magazine; (6) Mrs. Roosevelt's numerous lucrative "waddles" in numerous magazines; (7) the general practice of high officials in the administration giving out information for money, instead of the regular and ethical procedure of giving it to our newspapers for what it

Haskin's Answers To Questions

By Frederic J. Haskin.

A reader can get the answer to any question of fact by writing The Evening Star Information Bureau, Frederic J. Haskin, director, Washington, D. C. Please inclose stamp for reply. Q. How many German planes have been lost in attacks on Great Britain? —T. P. J. A. Approximately 3,672 German planes have been lost over Britain since the war began.

Q. What is the total mileage of the coast line of the United States? —J. B. H. A. The total coast line is 11,836 miles long; 5,565 miles on the Atlantic, 2,750 miles on the Pacific and 3,641 miles of the Gulf of Mexico. Q. How many fatal accidents occur in coal mines? —A. G. A. Deaths in coal mines totaled 1,337 in 1940—3.66 per 1,000 tons of coal mined. This was 10 per cent above the 1939 rate of 2.41, which was the lowest on record, according to the United States Bureau of Mines figures.

Q. What is the real name of Maxim Litvinoff, Russian Ambassador to the United States? —A. G. A. Mr. Litvinoff's real name was Maxim Enoch Wallach. He has had various pseudonyms and party names, including Lunine, Felix, Nitz, Graf, Buchmann and Finkelsht.

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Q. What was the poem called "To the R. A. F."? —A. J. A. It is by Alfred Noyes. Q. What is the term used by the Eskimos to stop their dog teams? —I. C. A. The Eskimos of Northern Canada stop their dogs by calling out "Ohoha," or a long-drawn-out "H-a-u." Q. Is meat considered hard to digest? —H. F. A. Meat is very digestible. About 97 per cent of its proteins and about 95 per cent of the fat are digested. Few foods can equal this record.

Q. What were the outstanding plays of last season? —C. J. B. A. Burns Mantle's selection of the 10 best plays of 1940-41 is as follows: "Claudia," "Native Son," "My Sister Eileen," "Lady in the Dark," "The Corn Is Green," "Flight to the West," "Mr. and Mrs. North," "Watch on the Rhine," "Arsenic and Old Lace" and "George Washington Slept Here."

Q. Why is the new Navy submarine called the Crowler? —E. M. H. A. The 300-foot craft is named after the fish, another name for the large-mouthed black bass. Q. When was the first agitation against outdoor advertising? —D. K. A. A painted sign on the rocks at Niagara Falls in 1860 advertising St. Jacob's Oil occasioned the New York Legislature to enact the first law restricting outdoor advertising.

Q. How tall is Representative Hamilton Fish, Jr.? —J. C. E. A. He is 6 feet 2 inches tall. Q. Was the State of Virginia at one time owned by Gov. Culpeper? —S. F. A. Thomas Culpeper was Royal Governor of Virginia from 1682 to 1683. He was granted the entire territory of Virginia for 31 years from 1673, but he retained after his governorship only a portion called Northern Neck.

Q. How many soldiers are stationed at Fort Knox, Ky., and Camp Shelby, Miss.? —R. R. A. The approximate troop strength of Fort Knox is 29,000 and of Camp Shelby 50,000. Q. How much moisture is evaporated from a tree in one day? —D. V. A. The moisture evaporated from an average white oak on a single summer day has been estimated to be 150 gallons of water.

Q. Are the boys in the Civilian Conservation Corps engaged in defense work? —J. L. M. A. Approximately 10,000 young men from 53 C. C. C. companies are assisting the Army, Navy and Marine Corps in the construction of training fields and in other necessary military work at 46 reservations. Q. Who founded the French Academy? —C. G. R. A. This famous honorary society of letters was founded by Cardinal Richelieu in 1635.

Q. Are apples good for the teeth? —M. J. R. A. The chewing of firm apples is an excellent method of cleaning the teeth and preventing decay. Q. Where are the finest Panama hats made? —M. D. P. A. They are woven in the village of Montecristi, Ecuador.

Little Towns Are Dear

Because the town seemed oversmall, When I was young, I yearned to stray In ancient cities magical And prove adventures rugged way. One dawn, as cobalt as the sea, I left my home, the sleepy town, Fled cityward, but kept the key, Against that day I would return. Now back and seeking amity, There is no answer to my knock. And useless, too, the treasured key Since subtle time has changed the lock. JOHN RICHARD MORELAND.

A. E. F. Story May Cheer Conquered

Publication May, However, Raise Censorship Cry

By DAVID LAWRENCE.

While the Nazis say it is fantastic for the American strategists to be flaunting an American Army, Navy and air force of 10,000,000 for offensive operations in 1943, the isolationists think it is not. Any way, the publication by the Chicago Tribune of what purports to be an official memorandum will give nobody here any comfort.



David Lawrence.

It is the business of a general staff to think up plans of all kinds. Doubtless for generations staffs have mapped out plans in the Army War College for offensive operations against every conceivable kind of an opponent. Up to now this sort of occupation has been considered a proper activity for a War Department. But the isolationists seem to think that the War Department should not be making plans. It must remain idle apparently, while the whole world is on fire.

The purpose of the publication of the secret report, of course, was to prove that the President, who directed the study, is planning to drag America into war and a war of an offensive nature. But the President is commander in chief of the Army and Navy, and if he didn't direct any studies to meet all possible contingencies, he would be derelict in his duty under the Constitution.

For many months around Washington the cry has been: What are the plans? How much material is needed? How big an Army should be equipped? What are the contingencies that might be faced from the standpoint of industrial production? The War Department has been besieged by the O. P. M. for information.

Sought to Visualize Job. It develops now that the general staffs of the Army and Navy started to visualize the maximum job that might confront America. The decision as to whether such a program should ever be undertaken would be up to the President and Congress. But to plan for every eventuality is the task of a capable and efficient general staff.

It is to be sure embarrassing for the documents containing the thinking of our general staff to be handled about in such a fashion that some one could pick them up and transmit them to a newspaper. Perhaps the administration has counted too heavily on the idea that the press, if it got hold of documents of this kind, would voluntarily withhold them from publication. Ninety-nine out of a hundred editors would have done so. But in the absence of a censorship law, there are some who would feel the publication of the data serves a useful purpose in deterring the Nation from accepting the theoretical commitments outlined.

But it is questionable whether the publication of the document will have any such result. For one thing, if the Nazis say publicly it is a fantastic plan, perhaps that's not exactly how they feel about it privately. Perhaps the peoples in the oppressed and occupied countries may see in the alleged plan a ray of hope. Certainly now that the document has been published, its further distribution to the peoples of Europe and Asia may turn out to be valuable to the cause of the democracies.

Not Borne Out. The Secretary of War has said the plan was not a complete piece of work and he implies that it is not an official decision. Certainly the comments in the plan itself have not been borne out with respect to Russia—at least not yet. But it is not novel for military experts here or elsewhere to assume that maybe Russia will not hold out. It is a safer assumption from a strategic standpoint than to lean back and assume that nothing was to be done to win the war except wait on Russia and Britain.

The idea that man power must eventually win the war after sea power and air power have blazed the trail is characteristic of the philosophy of most military men. But there are some who feel that once air power has softened up an enemy, the task of land power is immeasurably easier.

May Bring Censorship. The incident of the published document will have fateful repercussions. It will serve to revive clamor for a censorship law. The press during the last war was able by voluntary action to refrain from printing anything that the War or Navy Departments considered confidential. It begins to look as if the deep-seated feeling of some of the press on whether or not there should be a war in the first instance may carry over into the attitudes assumed toward military matters. Publication by the Chicago Tribune of what purports to be an official document obtained without authority or sanction from the Government itself may prove to be the basis for the enactment by Congress of a censorship statute. It is the first time that any such direct conflict between a major newspaper and the War Department has occurred.

There will be other results. Too many documents are loosely distributed around Washington. Secrecy will be imposed in much more rigid fashion than ever before. It will be harder to get military news or to find out what is going on. There does a flagrant violation of the unwritten code of co-operation between the Government and the

The Political Mill

Senate Expected to Draft Its Own Bill In Face of Labor Fight Against Curbs

By GOULD LINCOLN.

Senator Thomas of Utah, chairman of the Senate Labor Committee, has no sympathy with efforts being made in certain quarters to delay action by the Senate on legislation to curb strikes in national defense plants. If the Senate undertakes a "slow-down" strike of its own, it will not have his support. This is good news. The House having acted, the country is looking to the Senate to do something about this important matter.

The Labor Committee chairman frankly does not like the Smith bill, which the House passed by an overwhelming vote. He considers it far too drastic. His choice is the Ball bill, reported recently by the Senate Labor Committee and now on the Senate calendar. He intends, however, to get a measure through the Senate as soon as possible. Presumably he has the acquiescence in this stand of the administration and its leaders in the Senate. No further hearings are necessary, in the opinion of Senator Thomas. The committee itself will decide this question, however, at a meeting he has called for Monday morning to consider the Smith bill.



The prospects are that the Senate will substitute a bill of its own for the Smith bill, based on the lines of the Ball bill, providing for a cooling-off period and strengthening the conciliation and mediation processes, with some parts of the House bill tacked on. If that course is followed, the final draft of the bill will be written in the Conference Committee representing both houses.

Republicans Aghast. Senator McNary of Oregon, Republican leader of the Senate, has speedily acted as opposed to speedy action on this labor legislation. It is no secret that some of the Republicans in the Senate—including Mr. McNary—are somewhat aghast over the large Republican vote cast in the House for the Smith bill. Looking at the matter from a political point of view, they are wondering how the G. O. P. is to win back the votes of organized labor by such a course. Labor has been the great stumbling block in the path of Republican success at the polls since the New Deal came in. The House Republicans, on the other hand, may be considerably smarter than these party members in the Senate. They have sensed the feeling out in the country itself, which is strong against strikes in plants which are making arms and munitions for the United States Army. That goes for many people in the cities as well as in the rural districts.

Organized labor leaders are lining up for a last-ditch fight against the Smith bill, or any legislation whatever. Their attitude of being opposed to any legislation whatever is doing them no good. It is too much like King Canute who sought, at the instance of his courtiers, to halt the tides of the sea.

Situation Complicated. Senator McNary, Senator Maloney of Connecticut and others have suggested that the Labor Committee should hold hearings—perhaps a week of them—before reporting a bill to the Senate. Of course, the committee, which has had before it the bills introduced by Senator Bridges of New Hampshire and Senator Herring of Iowa, as well as the Ball bill,

has held hearings on this kind of labor legislation already. The Herring bill, a pretty drastic measure, compares with the House bill. The Bridges bill, as a matter of fact, has been practically incorporated in the House bill. The House committee held extensive hearings on the whole subject.

The situation is complicated by the fact that the Senate Judiciary Committee has reported favorably the Connally bill, which gives the President specific authority to seize plants having defense contracts where strikes or lockouts occur, and to freeze the shop conditions, open or closed, in those plants while held by the Government. This measure is on the calendar. It could be called up by Senator Connally. If that course is followed, Senator Byrd of Virginia or any other Senator who favored the House bill could call that up and offer it as a substitute for the Connally bill. Probably the Democratic leadership of the Senate will come to some agreement on what course shall be followed, over the week end. Certainly they will try.

The Smith bill not only provides for a cooling off period but it would prohibit sympathetic strikes and jurisdictional strikes; it would prevent mass picketing, and the use of outsiders as pickets, and prohibit any kind of intimidation of the workers by any one, including union members. It provides for secret ballots before strikes can be called, and it orders unions to register and make public financial statements, showing what money is collected and how it is expended. It provides as penalties the withdrawal of the benefits of labor unions under the Labor Relations Act and the Social Security Act, in the event of violations of the proposed law. Also it would authorize the use of the injunction process, through the courts, to enforce the law. Violation of such an injunction would be contempt of court and punishable as such.

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The administration and Congress have ducked and dodged for several years any legislation that is not desired by the labor unions. That is one reason why the present intolerable situation has so easily developed. It is one reason why labor has been able to use organized force to compel agreement to its demands. The strikes which have occurred in defense plants are traceable to this situation. No sadder commentary can be found than that contained in the report of the President's emergency board handling the threatened railroad strike. That board said it had yielded to the brotherhoods against its better judgment, because of a threat of strike which would have caused chaotic conditions in the country. It was guided by expediency—not by reason.

Hamline Methodist To Observe Sacrament

The sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be observed at Hamline Methodist Church at 11 a. m. tomorrow. There will be a reception of new members. Representative John J. Sparkman will address the Brotherhood Bible Class on "Nature and Work of the Church" at 9:45 a. m. The Young Adult Fellowship will be addressed by Dr. E. H. Orr. Mrs. Edward Stevens and Mrs. Thomas F. Law will teach the two women's adult classes. The young people will meet at 6:45 p. m. The Official Board will meet at 8 p. m. Monday.

The Red Cross unit will meet Tuesday at 10:30 a. m.

At 10:30 a. m. Wednesday the Woman's Society of Christian Service will meet for election of officers. Mrs. John R. Edwards, wife of the District superintendent, will be the devotional leader, and there will be a Christmas pageant, "The Power of Christmas Women Around the World."

The Junior Circle of the W. S. C. S. will meet at the home of Mrs. Virginia Fioramonti on Thursday night.

Immaculate Conception. Dr. John K. Cartwright will preach the sermon at the 12:15 mass tomorrow. The Rev. Joseph E. Gedra will be the celebrant.

Holy obligation will be Monday with masses at 6:45, 7:30, 9 and 12:15 o'clock.

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The Men's Club will meet Tuesday at the home of Elmer R. Weaver. The devotional service on Thursday evening will be in charge of the Board of Deacons with L. J. Outlaw leading on the subject, "Our Baptist Heritage."

A cast of young people, directed by Gilbert V. White, is preparing a Christmas pageant for the White Gift Service to be held in the near future.

Joy Month to Begin At Metropolitan Baptist. "The Joys of the Christian" will be the topic of Dr. John Compton Ball at 11 a. m. This will mark the beginning of joy month at Metropolitan Baptist Church.

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Allied Fleets on 24-Hour Watch to Meet Surprise Japanese Attack in Far East

By CONSTANTINE BROWN.

Reports that the Japanese will have increased their air and submarine force in the mandated islands which lie on the approaches to the Philippines and Singapore have not helped to ease the situation in the Pacific. American and British naval scouts continue to report that the Japanese Navy is conveying an important number of transports from Japan and Formosa to strategic positions in Indo-China while Japanese land forces already there are approaching the frontier of Thailand. Nipponese planes in Indo-China are believed now to total 1,200.

Rumors, so far unconfirmed, say the Japanese Navy is expecting assistance from abroad soon. Whether this "assistance" will take the form of a number of

Siberia Card Policed. While the cardinal policies of the Tokyo government—expansion over the whole of the Pacific area—are taken into consideration, the means of attaining that object depend on the success of the Axis on all fronts. Hence, in some military quarters in Washington it is believed that if the German general staff desired to prevent movement of Soviet forces from Siberia to the European front, Berlin would urge the Japanese to attack the Siberian maritime provinces.

The ability of the Soviet forces to break the Nazi onslaught against Moscow and the successes of Marshal Semyon Timoshenko in the south are due partly to the fact that a large force from Siberia with excellent mechanized material was sent to the European front. Although Siberia has not been completely stripped of defense troops, the army which has been on guard there against Japanese attack has been substantially reduced.

Attack Feared Now. Under the circumstances military experts in Washington do not rule out the possibility of a Japanese attack against Siberia at this time. Weather conditions are reported to be ideal for such an operation. The Kwantung army is reported to have sent a number of divisions to Indo-China, but there is no saying how many fresh troops from Japan have replaced the units shifted from Manchukuo.

Hence, the possibility must always be considered that the Japanese, while massing the bulk of their forces apparently for an attack against Thailand and Singapore, will make a surprise assault against the maritime provinces.

Meanwhile, the northern approaches of the Pacific are being patrolled by the Soviet Navy, which has had a force of 60 submarines, destroyers and gunboats based on Vladivostok for several years.

Since Japanese military and naval plans are not subject to leaks, as is the case in democratic countries, no one knows what action Japan will undertake when it becomes absolutely clear that peace between Japan and the ABCD powers cannot be maintained any longer.

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Christening of Ships Develops Bottleneck

By HENRY McLEMORE.

To any student of the newsreels it is apparent that one of the major problems of our defense program is the lack of capable ship christeners. With ships being launched at the rate of two or three a day in this country there is a crying need for a corps of efficient hard-bitten, non-giggling girls and gentlemen to smack the boom over the bow and send them on their way down the ways.

Ship christening in this country is strictly in the hands of amateur bottle smashers. Without having the statistics at hand we would estimate that upward of 10,000 man hours are wasted each year by the indelicacy and lack of skill on the part of the christeners. As you know, every one in a shipyard stops work for a christening. Riveters quit riveting, steel layers quit boweling, and bow-spritters quit bowspriting, all to gather around the ceremony.

It should be the work of a second to smack a bottle of champagne over a ship's nose. But if the newsreels aren't lying it isn't. There is always lots of time wasted while the christener gets her orchids straight, bows politely to every one on the platform and then breaks out into a fit of giggling that almost causes her to fall off the scaffolding. Just when the betting is about 3 to 1 that she will end up in hysterics, some one nudges her and hands her the bottle of champagne.

Every christener I have ever seen in the newsreels acts, when handed the bottle, as if she had no earthly idea of how to hold a champagne bottle. I have seen this act put on by women who, to judge from their appearances, had been slugging away at the stuff for 20 years.

But it is not until the time comes for the actual smashing of the bottle against the bow that our christeners look their worst. Sometimes they miss the ship entirely on the first two or three swings. But more often they have to keep whacking the ship with the bottle as if they were killing a snake, to get the bottle to smack.

The quickest and simplest way to improve our ship christening would be to alter the present method of selecting christeners. As it is now it isn't how well you christen but who you are that gets you the job. Daughters and granddaughters of retired admirals seem to get the highest pay. Wives of board officials and of owners of shipping lines are in heavy demand too. The fact that a christener always receives a nice present (diamond clips are a standard memento) probably has something to do with the selection.

The true democratic way would be to choose christeners on merit, not because of background. If a buxom wheatfield girl, with a flair for cracking bottles, came along her talent should be recognized and she should be given as many christenings as she could handle. She could turn professional and make the business her life work. The fact that she didn't have a relative who had ever put to sea in anything bigger than a rowboat should not be held against her.

This will never come to pass, however. Unfit women will continue to be chosen for the task and continue to create a bottleneck by their inability to swing a bottle by its neck. What to do then? Our suggestion is the creation of a school for the teaching of proper christening technique. It could be given a name something like "The Helen of Troy Ship Launching School" and be staffed with instructors who know christening technique just as golf pros know the golf swing.

The act of christening should be standardized. If it is better to keep your head down and the eye on the bottle, let that be taught. If a short backswing would be more effective than a complete windup, let the gals know it.

Let something more efficient be the whole thing more efficient. Because the way things are going now it is wasting the time of the shipyard workers, and boring the bystanders out of all of us who have to look at christenings at the movies. Anchors aweigh! (Distributed by McNaught Syndicate, Inc.)

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McKendree Methodist Church will observe membership day tomorrow. Many new members will be added to the church roll. The Rev. Charles F. Phillips will preach at 11 a. m. on "And It Was at Night" and at 8 p. m. on "Christian Growth." Holy communion will be observed at both services.

The Young Adults and the Youth Fellowship group meet at 7 p. m. The Board of Christian Education meets at 8 p. m. Tuesday. The Philathea Class will meet at 8 p. m. Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Thomas P. Branch.

Dr. Chestee Smith To Be Guest Pastor

Dr. Chestee Smith will be the guest minister at 8 p. m. tomorrow at Emory Methodist Church. The minister, Dr. Edgar C. Beery, will preach on "Hills to Climb" at 11 a. m. The Youth Fellowship will meet at 7 p. m. The Wesleyan Class will have a dinner at the Fairfax Hotel at 6:30 p. m. Monday. The Board of Education will meet at 8 p. m. Tuesday with Dr. Sumner O. Burhoe, chairman, presiding. Circle No. 3 of the W. S. C. S. will meet at the church at 8 p. m. Thursday.

The Pacific Crisis—Will It Mean War?

TOMORROW IN THE Editorial Feature Section of The Sunday Star two phases of the Far Eastern situation will be thoroughly discussed. Felix Morley will delve into the serious consequences to the economy of both Japan and the United States if a break should come and hostilities follow. Constantine Brown comments on the firm and unswerving course to which Secretary Hull has clung. Both articles will help you understand the situation.

Another election year will soon be here. A tremendous amount of campaign material is developing. Raymond P. Brandt will pull back the curtain for a little preview of what is to come. Clarke Beach will present an interesting character sketch of Judge Samuel Rosenman, confidant of the President, who slips in and out of the White House on various missions for the Chief Executive. These articles will all appear

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A Lesson for the Week

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It was the church that shaped the character of these two North American nations. From the church with its Bible, democracy got its ideals. The church has inspired and stabilized and purified home life.

The church reaches higher and deeper than the service clubs of the parent-teacher associations, the women's clubs, the granges, the trades unions or the political parties. It possesses a power surpassing any of these; not the power of numbers and solidarity, but also a power that is natural.

A dinner honoring former pastors will be held at 6 p. m. Thursday. The address will be given by the Rev. Dr. Horace E. Cromer, superintendent, Washington east district.

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The Rev. Seth R. Brooks, minister of the Universalist National Memorial Church, will address the adult class on "Followers of John Murray" at 10 a. m. and will preach at 11 a. m.

There will be a program on "The Life of John Murray." There will be Red Cross and welfare sewing from 10 a. m. to 3 p. m. Monday and Friday the Board of Management meets at 7:30 p. m.

North Washington Baptist Classes to Hear Davis

Representative Davis of Tennessee will be the guest speaker at a joint meeting of the Men's Fellowship Bible Class and the Women's Bible Class of the North Washington Baptist Church at 9:45 a. m. tomorrow.

Ninth Street Christian

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Christian

"The Planted Word" is the topic at 11 a. m. of the Rev. C. N. Williams. The Lord's Supper will be observed.

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Georgia Minister To Open Evangelistic Services Tomorrow

State Society to Be Guests of Honor at Petworth Church

Dr. Ellis A. Fuller, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Atlanta, Ga., will conduct evangelistic services at the Petworth Baptist Church beginning at 8 p. m. tomorrow and continuing through Friday night.

Dr. Fuller is president of the Georgia Baptist State Convention and chairman of home missions of Southern Baptists. He will preach each evening and will be heard over Station WWDC every morning at 11 o'clock.

The pastor, the Rev. James P. Rodgers, will observe the first anniversary tomorrow morning when he preaches on "A Pastor's Confession of Faith." The 142 new members who have joined the church during the past year will be recognized.

A mid-speaker system has been installed in adjoining rooms.

St. Paul's Lutheran To Mark Loyalty Day

Loyalty day will be observed in St. Paul's Lutheran Church at 11 a. m. tomorrow. Dr. Henry W. Snyder will preach on "Christ and the Human Body." Church support pledges for 1942 will be received.

The children will join the service to hear the junior sermon, "Roads," by Dr. Snyder.

"Prophets of the Highest" is the topic for the sermon by William B. Schaeffer, assistant to the pastor, at 8 p. m.

The Lutheran League will meet at the home of G. Harvey Heckman at 8 p. m.

The Sunday School Association will elect officers Monday at 8 p. m. The group which has been sewing for the Red Cross will suspend its activities until after the Christmas and New Year holidays.

The Sunday school class, under the direction of Mrs. M. J. Snyder, will meet Wednesday at 4 p. m.

The school of religion will meet Thursday at 8 p. m. instead of the regular Wednesday night session.

Dr. Briggs to Preach Twice Tomorrow

Dr. John E. Briggs will preach at Fifth Baptist Church Sunday morning on "Red Letter Days." New members will be welcomed and the Lord's Supper observed. At night the Rev. Dr. Briggs will preach on "Typical New Testament Conversion." The monthly fellowship offering will go to the Christmas fund for the needy in South Washington.

Representative Johnson will teach the "Dedication" Bible Class. Mrs. Elizabeth Money the Philathea, Rev. J. Herick Hall the Baracas and Chaplain A. N. Corpening the recently organized class of "defense workers."

The Women's Missionary Society will meet when Mrs. John R. Thomas will speak.

The Executive Council of the Bible School will meet at 7 p. m. on Thursday followed by the prayer meeting.

Zion Lutheran

Loyalty Sunday will be observed at 11 a. m. The Rev. Edward G. Goetz will preach on "In This Grace Also." The Lutheran League meets at 6 p. m.

The teachers and officers of the Sunday school will meet Wednesday at 8 p. m.

The Missionary Society will meet Friday at 8 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Randolph Balthis.

News of the Bible Classes

Activities of Interest to Local Organizations

By PAGE MCK. ETCHISON, President Organized Bible Class Association.

The Organized Bible Class Association will meet at Epworth Methodist Church, Monday, at 8 p. m. The meeting will be preparatory to the observance of Universal Bible Sunday.

The Bell Class of Calvary Baptist Church has packed 46 Christmas boxes which will be sent as gifts to the girls and personnel of the Grace Nettleton Home, Cumberland Gap, Tenn.

The Hummer Memorial Class of Epworth Methodist Church will have Mrs. W. S. Watts of Montclair, N. J., as guest teacher tomorrow morning.

Mrs. William S. Abernethy will give the concluding talk in the series from the Gospel of Mark at the Burrall Class of Calvary Baptist Church tomorrow morning.

The L. F. O. Class of Brookland Methodist Church will be taught tomorrow morning by Mrs. Claudia Hildebrand. The class will have charge of the church service at 8 p. m. Dr. George S. Duncan, dean of the school of religion of the Y. M. C. A., will speak.

The Fidelis Class of National Baptist Memorial Church will meet Tuesday at 8 p. m. Mrs. Grace Trapp will preside.

Dr. Frank Steelman, pastor of Petworth Methodist Church, will teach the Evermann's Bible Class of the church tomorrow morning.

The Vaughn Class of Calvary Baptist Church will meet tomorrow morning under the leadership of Linn C. Drake, class teacher.

The Berean Bible Class of Columbia Heights Christian Church will have as guest teacher tomorrow morning Prof. William Bradford of the Woodward School for Boys of the Y. M. C. A.

The Florence M. Brown Class of Calvary Baptist Church will meet Tuesday at 6:30 p. m. Kathryn Dills is chairman.

The Box Bible Class of Emory Methodist Church will entertain members of the Men's Class of St. John's Methodist Church of Baltimore this evening.

The Comparative Religion Class of All Souls Church will have the following speakers: Tomorrow, Swami Premanda of the Self-Realization Fellowship will speak on "The Dawn of India Religion"; December 14, Stanwood Cobb; December 21, no class program; December 28, Thomas G. Shearman.

Elmer Buschman has been appointed delegate to the Organized Bible Class Association from the Kinneer Class of young men of Calvary Baptist Church.

Senator Paul Doney of Mississippi will address the A. B. Pugh Bible Class of Mount Vernon Place Methodist Church tomorrow morning.

Mrs. Louise Pressgrove will preside over the Egbert Class of National Baptist Church tomorrow.

The Harrison Bible Class of Congress Street Methodist Church will have the following speakers: Tomorrow, Representative John M.

Robison of Kentucky; December 14, Representative Joe Starnes of Alabama; December 21, Dr. Elmer Louis Kayser, dean George Washington University; December 28, Representative Knute Hill of Washington.

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National City Church To Honor Work of Women Tomorrow

Dr. Pinkerton Preaches At Morning Service; Notes of Activities

The National City Christian Church will recognize tomorrow Women's Day, the one day in the year when women's work in the church is given special recognition.

Dr. William Howard Pinkerton, interim minister, will preach a missionary sermon on "The Cross in Our Life Today." The scripture reading will be by Mrs. C. G. Randall, president of the Women's Council.

The Young People's groups, including the newly formed College Age group, will meet at 6 p. m. They will hold a dinner and social Tuesday evening in the social hall.

Circles of the Women's Council will meet next week as follows: Tuesday, No. 1, with Mrs. Alice Palmer, Mrs. Jeannette P. Smith, assistant hostess; No. 6 with Mrs. Buford; No. 7, covered dish luncheon at the social hall; No. 8, at the home of Mrs. Selwyn Collins, Mrs. Elizabeth Spicer as assistant hostess; No. 9 with Mrs. C. E. Felton, Mrs. E. R. Baldwin, assistant hostess. On Wednesday No. 3 will meet at the social hall.

At the Thursday church dinner Dr. J. Warren Hastings, pastor of the University Christian Church, Seattle, Wash., will speak on "Starting Over for the Future." Dr. Hastings will greet guests and meet informally with the members of the Official Board of the church and the Executive Board of the Women's Council.

Philippine Missionary Will Be Guest Pastor

The Rev. Lee Lester Rose from St. Mary's Mission at Sagada, Philippine Islands, will be the guest preacher at 11 a. m. tomorrow at St. Thomas Episcopal Church.

The visitor, with two other clergymen, have 11 outstations under their care, having about 7,000 baptized persons, including nearly 5,000 communicants.

Dr. Rose was born at Schuyler Lake, N. Y. He attended St. Stephen's (now Bard) College and the General Theological Seminary. After his ordination in 1919 he worked for two years at Calvary Parish, Tarboro, N. C., then for six years in the diocese of Central New York. This is his 15th year at Sagada.

'How God Comes to Us' Eastern Church Topic

At Eastern Presbyterian Church the Rev. Dr. Vincent Vincent will speak at 11 a. m. on "How God Comes to Us." "Appreciation night" will be at 7:30 p. m., when Dr. Alfred E. Barrows will tell about some of the lay leaders he has known and their influence upon our church.

At 6 p. m. on Monday the George H. Winslow Men's Bible Class will give a dinner in honor of Boy Scout Troop 13. William Armstrong, retiring scoutmaster, and George Schmitt, the new scoutmaster, will be honored guests.

The Chain will have a dinner meeting at 6:30 p. m. Tuesday.

The Ladies' Aid Society and the Missionary Society will hold a joint Christmas party at noon Wednesday. A luncheon party will be preceded by a business meeting at the Ladies' Aid at 11 a. m. and the Missionary Society will hold their meeting at 1:30. The Martha Barrows League will meet at 7:45 p. m.

Concordia Lutheran Topics Announced

At Concordia Lutheran Evangelical Church the Rev. Charles Enders will preach on "The Day of the Son of Man" at 11 a. m. tomorrow.

The Dr. Paul A. Menzel Bible Class will be in the leadership of H. Otto Vermaas, secretary of local church activities. Mr. Vermaas will conduct the services at the Ruppert Home at 3:30 p. m. Mr. Enders will deliver the message.

The Sunday evening fellowship will be held at 6 p. m. with a buffet supper. In the devotional service at 7 p. m. the Rev. Alfred Harkins of St. Andrews Church, Capitol Heights, Md., will speak on "Love." Strangers and service men will be welcome.

At 8 p. m. Wednesday, Mr. Enders will speak on "Israel's Greatest King."

Methodist Women Elect

The Women's Society of Christian Service of the Anacostia Methodist Church, held officers Tuesday. They are:

President, Mrs. Walter L. Fowler; vice president, Mrs. Charles Rankin; recording secretary, Mrs. Lester Todd; treasurer, Mrs. Sara Garrett; corresponding secretary, Mrs. William H. Bonbright, secretary of local church activities, Mrs. Lena Stevens; secretary of missionary education, Mrs. Ralph Chilcote; secretary of literature, Mrs. Mildred Montgomery; secretary of supplies, Mrs. Nellie Deane; secretary of young women's work, Miss Pearl Zirkle; secretary of children's work, Miss Mildred Zirkle.

A banquet will be held December 12 in the church hall.

Church of Our Saviour

At 7:30 a. m. will be a celebration of the holy communion. At 11 a. m. there will be a second celebration of the holy communion and sermon by the Rev. Alvin Lamar Wills.

At 6:30 p. m. the Young People's Fellowship will meet. At 8 p. m. the pastor will give his final report to the combined groups of the confirmation class, which will be confirmed by Bishop James E. Freeman at 11 a. m. December 14.

The Daughters of the King will meet at 8 p. m. Monday and the Men's Club on Wednesday at 8 p. m.

R. I. Avenue Methodist

Holy communion service will be observed tomorrow at 11 a. m. Dr. E. A. Sexsmith will give the communion meditation on "In Remembrance." New members will be received.

The Christian Endeavor Societies and youth fellowship will be held at 7 p. m.

Dr. Sexsmith will continue his messages on the great hymns of the church tomorrow evening, using Ira D. Sankey's favorite hymn, "The Ninety and Nine."

Schedule of Activities in Washington Churches

Baptist
Takoma Park. The pastor, Rev. William E. La Rue, will speak at the morning service on "The Inconsistency of Evil." Communion will be observed. In the evening the monthly songfest will be held, followed with refreshments and fellowship.
West Washington. The Rev. Charles B. Austin will preach at 11 a. m. on "The Way and Work of Life." At 8 p. m. on "God's Unspeaking Gift." He will speak Thursday at 7:30 p. m. on "If Every Day Were Christmas."
Baptist Home Board. The Board of Lady Managers of the Baptist Home will meet Monday at Calvary Baptist Church at 10:30 a. m. Mrs. W. B. Hoofnagle, president, will preside.
Temple. The Rev. Rufus W. Weaver, executive secretary of the District of Columbia Baptist Convention, will be the guest speaker tomorrow at 11 a. m. He will speak on "The Strategy of Satan." The services at 8 p. m. will be conducted by the Student Council.
East Washington Heights. "Taking Great Risks With Open Eyes" will be the theme of the Rev. Glenn B. Faucett at 11 a. m. and in the evening, integrated at 6:45 p. m. with the B. T. U., the pastor will speak on "Building Materials."
Pilgrim (Colored). "Magnify the Best in Others" will be continued by the Rev. John S. Miller at 11 a. m., preaching at 7:30 p. m. B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 p. m. A pre-Christmas program will be rendered Wednesday at 8 p. m.
Second (Colored). Dr. J. L. S. Holloman will preach at 11 a. m. on "Divine Preparation for World Redemption," and in the evening on "The Expensiveness of Ignorance." The B. Y. P. U. will meet at 6:30 p. m.
Mount Horeb (Colored). At 11 a. m. sermon by Dr. Charles H. Fox; 8 p. m., preaching; 8 p. m. Tuesday, services.
Mount Bethel (Colored). Dr. K. W. Roy will preach at 11 a. m. on "A Little Farther." At 3

p. m., the 16th anniversary of the pastor will be preached by Dr. R. D. Grymes, pastor of the Salem Baptist Church. Holy Communion will be served. Sermon by the pastor at 8 p. m.
Mount Moriah (Colored). Dr. J. Harvey Randolph will have for his topic at 11 a. m. "God's Defense of Social Justice and the Tragedy of Calvary." At 3 p. m. a covenant meeting will be held. Reception of new members and holy communion. At 6 p. m. B. Y. P. U. and services at 7:30 p. m.
Vermont Avenue (Colored). "Wings Over Jordan" is remote control at 10:30 a. m. At 11 a. m. the Rev. C. T. Murray will preach. At 11:30 a. m. the Rev. S. W. Williams will address the Junior Church. At 3:30 p. m. the Rev. Mr. Murray will deliver the sermon to the Inter-denominational Union. At 6 p. m. B. T. U. At 8 p. m. the pastor will speak.
Friendship (Colored). "Almost Persuaded" will be the subject of the Rev. B. H. Whiting at 11 a. m. A mother and daughter program will be observed at 4 p. m. Musical program at 8 p. m.
Florida Avenue (Colored). The Rev. Robert L. Rollins will have for his subject at 11 a. m., "Finding One's Self." At 8 p. m., preaching by the pastor.
Berean (Colored). The pulpit is still vacant due to the death of the Rev. David P. Rivers. The guest speaker Sunday morning will be the Rev. A. Anderson Campbell, B. S., Cornell University, S. T. B., College of Agriculture, and M. S., Columbia University. At present he is supply pastor at the Central Baptist Church, Norfolk, Va.
Metropolitan (Colored). The pastor will speak at 11 a. m. on "A Remedy for Worry"; 3:30 p. m., charity rally; 8 p. m., message by the pastor.
New Bethel (Colored). At 11 a. m., guest speaker, Dr. Wendell C. Sommerville, executive secretary of the Lott Carey Foreign Mission Convention; 8 p. m., the Lord's Supper observed, sermon by the pastor on "Three Steps to Salvation."
Third (Colored).</

Dr. Edward H. Pruden Of First Baptist to Mark Anniversary



DR. EDWARD HUGHES PRUDEN.

Two Sermons Planned By Pastor at Morning Services Tomorrow

The fifth anniversary of the pastorate of Dr. Edward Hughes Pruden will be observed at the First Baptist Church tomorrow.

Dr. J. Hillman Hollister, minister of the Chevy Chase Presbyterian Church, will be the guest preacher at 8 p.m.

Although the First Church is 140 years old, the attendance, membership and offerings of the church have more than doubled in the last five years.

The Epazian Class and the young people's department will attend the first worship service and hold their classes at 11 a.m.

The Epazian and Luther Rice classes will meet Tuesday evening.

The Thursday evening service will be in charge of the Women's Missionary Society.

Dr. Robinson to Preach Series on 'Messiah'

During December the Rev. Dr. Orris Grayson Robinson, minister of the Calvary Methodist Church, will preach a series of sermons on "The Messiah."

At 8 p.m. the fellowship service will be held. The sermon will be on "Adventures in Spiritual Living."

Mrs. Merle Gilroy are hosts for the month. Visitors and strangers are welcome.

The young people's service is at 6:45 p.m.

Dr. Robinson will speak Thursday on "Studies in the Acts."

The young adults will meet at 8 p.m. Wednesday at the home of Mrs. D. W. Lum.

The young people will hold a "pop-in hour" at 7:30 p.m. Saturday.

J. L. Wirthlin to Speak at Local Stake Meeting

Joseph L. Wirthlin of Salt Lake City, member of the presiding bishopric of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints, will speak at the Washington Stake (Diocese) quarterly conference to be held in the Washington Chapel today and tomorrow.

The conference will open at 7:30 o'clock tonight with a general priesthood meeting. A welfare meeting at 8:45 a.m. Sunday will be of interest to welfare workers, relief society workers and others connected with this activity.

The Washington Stake was organized in 1940 with six parishes and 1,000 members. Since then it has grown to eight parishes and about 2,500 registered members.

Theological Lecture

The Lightbringer Lodge of the Theosophical Society will continue its series of open forums through December on Sundays at 4:45 p.m. on December 7, "Alcohol—Its Occult Effects," by C. F. Stillman; December 14, "Blessed Be Druggery," showing our simple daily tasks in a new and important light; December 21, Mrs. L. Rauli will lead with "Healing Through Higher Consciousness"; December 28, Carl Hubel, "Evolution in Architecture."

Dr. Pieter Roest will conduct a class in elementary theosophy beginning the first week in January.

Wough Methodist Church

Holy communion will be observed at 11 a.m. Communion meditation by the Rev. Samuel E. Rose on "The Needed Uplift." New members will be received. At 8 p.m. sermon by the Rev. Mr. Rose on "The Grasshopper Spirit."

Young people's leagues will meet at 6:45 p.m.

Election of officers will be held by the Women's Society on Tuesday at 8 p.m. Devotions conducted by Mrs. Failer and Mrs. Shirley representing the Abbott Class.

The Omega Men's Class will meet at the home of Gerald Van Pelt on Friday at 8 p.m.

Cleveland Park Community

The Rev. Paul W. Yinger will preach the second of three Advent sermons from the Psalms at 11 a.m. on "The Psalms of Penitence and Pardon."

The young people will meet at the home of Mrs. E. A. Back to continue their study of the background of the New Testament and New Testament times.

The Week in Religion

Clergymen Avoiding War Topics in Their Pulpits

The Gallup Poll indicated this week that the majority of Americans, both church members and non-church members, want the pulpit to shun war topics.

This isn't the first time that the clergy have been admonished to avoid the war in sermons. Early this year, William Lyon Phelps of Yale University pleaded to ministers, priests and rabbis to "stop talking about the war."

"I wish ministers knew," he said, "how sick and weary college students are of hearing the war-dominated sermons."

Another professor issued a similar appeal about the same time. Dr. Erwin Edman of Columbia University told an institute for religious studies in New York that the duty of a clergyman during the present crisis is to present to his congregation the "eternal spiritual values," leaving discussion of temporal matters to public forums.

This advice has long since been heeded by the clergy, according to the best available evidence. At the end of 1939, shortly after war was declared, Religious News Service reported a growing inclination among ministers to keep their pulpits free from war discussions, pointing out that an increasing number of clergymen had served notice on their congregations that the war-brotherhood of the church would avoid reference to the war.

This tendency has been more marked of late. An official of the Federal Council of Churches, who has recently visited some 50 cities throughout the country in the interests of an evangelistic program, said that a decided majority of United States clergymen believe that the pulpit is no place for discussion of war.

He said ministers are convinced that the church is "never again to be used as a platform for the war from their pulpits, the better."

An editor of a well-known church paper confirmed this opinion. Much of his editorial correspondence with clergymen, he stated, reflects the opinion that the pulpit is being reserved for spiritual discussions rather than for the pros and cons of war.

Nazi Book Zippers Experts

American religious leaders are frankly puzzled over the outline of a religious "new order" for Nazidom reported this week in dispatches from Berlin.

The "new order" is described in a booklet to be widely circulated throughout Germany. Entitled "God and People," the volume advocates replacing Roman Catholic and Protestant churches with a national "German Faith."

Such a proposal is not new in Nazi history. It has been made time and again by Alfred Rosenberg, official party philosopher, who now is Reich minister for the "occupied eastern territories" of Russia and the Baltic states, and by various other highly placed individuals, and groups such as the German Nordic movement and the German Faith movement.

In the past, however, the Nazi authorities have always been in a position to disavow such proposals, and on several occasions they have done so, as in the case of the 30-point program to abolish Christianity which has recently been given widespread publicity in this country.

When this program was first circulated in Germany several years ago, the authorities varied in opinion as to that its author, alleged to be a Stettin insurance agent, has been imprisoned or confined in a lunatic asylum.

In the present case there is no room for doubt that the new book is being distributed with the consent of the government. Two hundred thousand copies have already been distributed, according to the dispatch, and new printings are being planned. In view of the serious paper shortage in Germany, official permission would have been necessary.

What puzzles the experts is why the government approved the circulation of the book when a few weeks ago Nazi officials were ridiculing President Roosevelt's statement that in its possession blueprint of a Nazi plan to abolish Christianity.

Sponsored by Nazi Party

The only way the authorities on German affairs can figure it is that the German government and the Nazi party do not always pull together. The circulation of the book among elite guards, storm troopers, soldiers and labor service camps, they say, indicates that the book may be sponsored by the Nazi party.

The policy of not letting the left hand know what the right is doing is a favorite Nazi device, observers point out, and in this connection they refer to the publication last summer of a pacifist book called, "Before the Marble Steps," written by Ernest Junger, of the German Army command.

According to a detailed article in the Commonwealth, Catholic review of the week, published in New York, the book "is an ode to freedom and peace," written in fairly tale form. It contains, among other

Albright Memorial To End Appreciation Program Series

Evening Friendly Hour Especially Arranged for Evangelism Committee

The last of the church appreciation programs will be held at Albright Memorial Church tomorrow, beginning with the Sunday school.

At 11 a.m. the Rev. George E. Schabel will preach on "The Church's One Foundation, or What Every Church Member Ought to Know."

At 7 p.m. the Young People's Fellowship will meet. At 8:15 p.m. the Friendly Hour will begin with a program especially arranged for the Committee on Membership and Evangelism.

The Friendly Hour, broadcast over Station WINX, will begin at 9:05 p.m. instead of 8:05 p.m. The sermon subject will be "That Inexhaustible Source of Strength."

The High School Club will meet for breakfast at 8 a.m.

On Monday night the Junior Council will meet at 7 p.m. for a dinner. Mrs. George E. Schabel will give a talk on "Bells" and will have an exhibit.

On Tuesday night the Brotherhood will meet for dinner, followed by an entertainment.

The annual meeting and dinner of the Women's Council will be held Thursday. Election of officers will take place.

Epworth Methodist Programs Announced

Dr. Harry Eval, pastor of Epworth Methodist Church, will conduct the communion service at 11 a.m. tomorrow and will preach on "Marks of True Service." He will preach on "A Soul for Sale" at 8 p.m. Dr. Eval will take into membership a class of persons during the morning service.

The young people's department will meet at 7 p.m.

The adult department of the Sunday school will be held to the Organized Bible Class Association at 8 p.m. Monday.

The young people's department has organized the Harmony Club, under direction of Mrs. S. E. Moore, to bring together young people interested in music.

The Epworth church will meet Wednesday evening. Dr. Eval will conduct the services at 8 p.m. Thursday.

Congress Heights Methodist

The sacraments of holy communion and holy baptism will be observed tomorrow morning. The Youth Fellowship will hold a tea at 6 p.m., followed by a service. At 8 p.m. members of Bethel No. 1 of Job's Daughters will be guests.

The subject of the Rev. G. L. Conner will be "The Influence of an Ideal."

The Men's Bible Class will meet in a social and business meeting on Wednesday at 8 p.m. at the home of Wilson Havener, with R. T. Trift, chairman.

The annual "Thank Nests" assisting will be held Thursday in the social hall, under the auspices of the Men's Bible Class.

Church of the Pilgrims

Dr. Andrew Reid Bird will preach at 11 a.m. on "The Radiance of the Everlasting Remembrance" and at 7:45 p.m. on "Preparing for Christmas. Then and Now." At 6:30 a.m. the young people, Fellowship group and Pioneers meet.

On Thursday at 7:45 p.m. there will be a meeting followed by a demonstration of "Christianity at Work."

Church of the Brethren

CHURCH OF THE BROTHERS 4th and North Carolina Ave. S.E. DR. WARREN D. BOWMAN, Minister 9:30 a.m.—Morning Worship "A Message From a Broken Heart." 10:00 a.m.—St. B. Y. P. Fellowship 7:00 p.m.—B. Y. P. D. Meetings. 8:00 p.m.—Evening Worship, Reasonableness of Service." Dr. C. E. Resner.

Non-Sectarian Non-Sectarian

NON-SECTARIAN TABERNACLE 6440 Piney Branch Road N.W. at Georgia Avenue WEDDING CEREMONY OPEN TO THE PUBLIC Tonight, 8 P.M.—Mr. John Anthony Dray and Miss Maybell May Healy Will Be United in Marriage. Officiating Clergymen, Dr. John McNeill.

TWO RADIO BROADCASTS Conducted by Dr. John McNeill, Your Radio Pastor Tonight, 11 p.m.—Back Home Hour: Radio Station WWDC, 1450 KC. Sunday, 9 a.m.—Church of the Air: Radio Station WOL, 1260 KC. Sunday, 10 a.m.—Bible School: Classes for All Ages. Sunday, 6:45 p.m.—Young People's Meeting. Soldiers and Sailors Invited.

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11 a.m.—"CHRIST OR CHAOS" 3 p.m.—"THE IMPREGNABLE ROCK OF HOLY SCRIPTURE" 8 p.m.—"MY EXPERIENCES IN FATHER DIVINE'S HEAVEN!"

Services Nightly at 8 P.M. During Next Week Striking Subjects: Splendid Singing: Sweet Solists EVERYBODY INVITED

Baptist Church to Hear Sermons by Evangelist

The Rev. John Linton, evangelist of Philadelphia, will speak at 11 a.m. tomorrow on "Tears in Heaven," at Fountain Memorial Baptist Church.

At 3 p.m. there will be a meeting, open to every one, with several nearby churches co-operating. Evangelist Linton will speak on "Two Legs and a Piece of an Ear" and at 7:45 p.m. on "The Unpardonable Sin."

At 8 p.m. Wednesday the Women's Missionary Society will give a Christmas pageant. The public is invited.

Series of Sermons By Dr. Blackwelder To End Tomorrow

"The Father of the Prodigal" is the subject of Dr. Oscar F. Blackwelder, pastor of the Lutheran Church of the Reformation, tomorrow night. The sermon will conclude a series under the general theme "The Story of the Prodigal Son."

His topic at 11 a.m. is "The Terrible Week."

The Rev. Ralph W. Loew, associate pastor, will preach at 8:30 a.m. on "Eyes Front." Holy Communion will be observed.

The Intermediate, Senior, Young People's and Round Table Leagues will meet at 6:45 p.m.

The Rennis Club will hold a Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Miriam Stosack at 8 p.m. Monday.

The Women's Missionary Society will meet at the home of Miss Emily Dylsland at 8 p.m. Tuesday.

Mrs. Wade Williams will be the hostess to the Bykota Class at 8 p.m. Wednesday.

The Round Table will hold a buffet supper and party for its members and friends at 6:30 p.m. Wednesday.

The second in a series of city-wide group meetings will be held next week.

Lincoln Road Methodist

At the evening service tomorrow the Haerston A Cappella Choir will render a sacred concert. The sacrament of the holy communion will be celebrated at 11 a.m.

Theosophy

Three Lectures Sunday, Dec. 7, 2:30 p.m.—"Faith, Nature and Value of Life." HUGH F. MURPHY, Jr., of Philadelphia 8:00 p.m.—"The Mystery and the World Crisis." J. W. MCGUIRE 8:00 p.m.—"The Descent of the Lotus." V. H. H. DAWSON 8:00 p.m.—"The Evolution of the Human Mind." TEMPLE WIDGON 8:00 p.m.—"GOODWILL FELLOWSHIP."

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Sunday, Dec. 7, 8:15 P.M. "WHY DO WE NOT REMEMBER 'DUST LIVES'?" STUDY CLASS, WED., 8:15. Library, Sun.-Wed., 7:30. Sat., 1:30-4.

United Lodge of Theosophists Hill Bldg., 17th and Eye Sts. N.W. No Dues, Fees or Collections.

Christian and Missionary Alliance WASHINGTON GOSPEL TABERNACLE 5714 Georgia Ave. N.W. Same Sound, Scriptural Washington's Spiritual Home of Blessing 9:45 a.m.—Sunday School, Classes for all. 10:45 a.m.—"The Bridal Shower." New members will be received. Communion will be served. 6:45 p.m.—Junior and Senior Young People's Society. 7:45 p.m.—Bible and Praise. Tuesday, 7:45 p.m.—"The Family Hour." Prayers and Praise. Rev. R. L. McGowan, Pastor.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH 1216 G Street N.W. Holy Communion 7:30, 9:30 and 11 a.m. 11 a.m.—Holy Communion and Sermon. Preacher, Canon Williams. 4 p.m.—Evensong and Sermon, Preacher, Canon Draper. Recital by Paul Callaway, Organist and Choirmaster.

Epiphany 1317 G Street N.W. Rev. Z. B. Phillips, D. D., LL. D. Rev. Hunter M. Lewis, B. D. 8:00 a.m.—Holy Communion. 9:30 a.m.—Church School. 11:00 a.m.—Holy Communion and Sermon by Dr. Phillips. 8:00 p.m.—Evening Prayer and Sermon by the Rev. Mr. Lewis.

ST. JOHN'S 8:00 a.m.—Holy Communion. 9:30 a.m.—Morning Service. Dr. Glenn. 11:00 a.m.—Holy Communion. Dr. Glenn. 8:00 p.m.—Evening Prayer. Dr. Glenn.

ST. THOMAS' CHURCH 18th Street, Between P and Q. Rev. H. S. Wilkinson, D. D., Rector Sunday, 8 and 10—Holy Communion. 9:30 and 11—Church School. 11:00 a.m.—Holy Communion and Sermon by Dr. Phillips. 8:00 p.m.—Evening Prayer and Sermon by the Rev. Mr. Lewis.

ST. MARGARET'S Conn. Ave. & Bancroft Pl. REV. ARMAND T. EYLER 7:30 a.m.—Holy Communion. 9:30 a.m.—Church School. 11:00 a.m.—Holy Communion and Sermon by the Rector. 7:00 p.m.—Young People's Fellowship.

THE CHURCH OF ST. STEPHEN AND THE INCARNATION Sixteenth and Newton Streets N.W. The Rev. Paul D. Wilbur, S. T. B., Rector. Holy Communion 8:00 a.m. Church School 9:30 a.m. Holy Communion and Sermon 11:00 a.m. Young People's Fellowship 7:00 p.m. WEEKDAY SERVICE. Thursday, Holy Communion 10:00 a.m.

ROCK CREEK PARISH REV. F. J. BOHANNAN, D. D. The Country Church in the City. ST. PAUL'S CHURCH Webster St. and Rock Creek Church Rd. 8:30 a.m.—Holy Communion. 9:30 a.m.—Church School. 11:00 a.m.—Holy Communion and Sermon.

ST. JAMES' CHURCH 222 8th St. N.E.—Tel. Alt. 1740. THE REV. A. C. PLANK Sunday Masses 7:30 and 11 a.m. School at 9:30 a.m. Holy Hour, Thurs. Daily Mass 7 a.m. Holy Hour, Thurs. 10 a.m. Confessions, Sat. 7-9 p.m.

Saint Mark's "ON CAPITOL HILL" Third and A Streets Southeast REV. ROBERT J. PLUMB, Rector. 8:00 a.m.—Holy Communion. 9:30 a.m.—Church School. 11:00 a.m.—Holy Communion and Sermon. HOME COMING SUNDAY 6:30 p.m.—Young People's Fellowship. 8:00 p.m.—Evening Prayer and Sermon by Mr. Harry Heermans. Thursday, Holy Communion, 11 a.m.

All Soul's Memorial Church Cathedral and Conn. Ave. N.W. Rev. H. H. STEPHENS, Rector. 8:00 a.m.—Sunday School. 9:30 a.m.—Holy Communion and Sermon. 6:30 p.m.—Young People's Church Supper.

Christ Church, Georgetown Corner of O and 31st Streets. REV. FEYTON R. WILLIAMS, Rector. 8:00 a.m.—Holy Communion. 9:30 a.m.—Church School. 11:00 a.m.—Holy Communion and Sermon by the Minister.

ST. JOHN'S, Georgetown 3240 O St. N.W. Rev. HENRY S. HART, Jr., Rector. 7:30 and 11:00 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. 9:30 a.m.—Sunday School.

ST. AGNES CHURCH 46 Que St. N.W. REV. A. J. DIBON, S. T. B., Rector. Sunday Masses 7:30, 9:30 and 11 a.m. Vespers 7:30 p.m. Holy Mass 7:30 p.m. Holy Hour Fri. 8 p.m. Conf. Sat. 7:30 p.m.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH 23rd Street Near Washington Circle 7:30 a.m.—Holy Communion. 9:30 a.m.—Children's Mass and Church School. 8:00 p.m.—Eucharist and Sermon. 8:00 p.m.—Eucharist and Sermon. Daily at 7:30 a.m. except Thursday at 11 a.m.

TRINITY CHURCH Piney Branch Rd. or Dahilo St. N.W. REV. REV. O. S. HART, Jr., Rector. 8:00 a.m.—Holy Communion. 9:30 a.m.—Church School and Sermon. 11:00 a.m.—Holy Communion and Sermon.

NATIVITY AND RESURRECTION REV. REV. O. S. HART, Jr., Rector. Nativity, Mass. Ave. S.E. 7:30, 9:15, 11. Resurrection Chapel, 15th N.E. 9:15.

ASCENSION Mass. Ave. at 12th St. N.W. REV. RAYMOND L. WOLVEN. 8:00 a.m.—Holy Communion. 11:00 a.m.—Holy Communion and Sermon by Canon Wolven.

Dr. Versteeg to Lecture At Asbury Methodist

The Board of Education of the Methodist Church will conduct a Bible and workers' conference at Asbury Methodist Church December 10-13. Dr. M. Leo Rippy, department of Christian education of adults, Board of Education, is the director.

Dr. John M. Versteeg, pastor of Walnut Hills-Asbury Methodist Church, Cincinnati, will be the guest lecturer. He will speak Wednesday at 8:45 p.m. following the three division meetings on "Primitive Prayer"; Thursday at 4 p.m. on "Neglected Books of the New Testament" and at 8:45 p.m. on "Unanswered Prayer." At 8 p.m. he will speak on "Hitch the Fifth of the Second to the Thirteenth of the First" and at 8:45 p.m. on "The Poetry of Prayer." He will deliver his last lecture Saturday at 11 a.m. on "The Miracle of Prayer."

Division meetings will be conducted each evening, beginning Wednesday at 8 o'clock, for workers with children, youths and adults. Mrs. C. A. Lindsay and Dr. Edwin Ross of the Board of Education, Baltimore Conference, and Dr. M. Leo Rippy will be the leaders of these divisions.

The choirs of several local churches and pastors will furnish the music. The meetings are open to the public. The Rev. Robert Moten Williams is pastor.

New Thought

DR. EMMET FOX NEW YORK CITY AUTHOR of Power Through Constructive Thinking, Sermon on the Mount, Sparks of Truth. Public Lectures 5 P.M. and 8 P.M. Dec. 8, 1941 Metropolitan Presbyterian Church Fourth and B Streets S.E.

DR. HARRY GAZE THEOSOPHIC HALL 1216 G Street N.W. Opposite New Masonic Temple TUESDAY, THURSDAY, FRIDAY Dec. 9, 11, 12 at 8 P.M.

Bible Lectures Bible Lectures

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Christian The National City Christian Church Thomas Circle WILLIAM HOWARD PINKERTON IAN H. DUGAN, Associate Minister. 9:45—Church School. 10:50—Morning Service. 11:00—Evangelical Life Today. Dr. Pinkerton. 6:00—Young People's Meetings.

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All-Souls' Church To Hear Lectures On Indian Religion

Course to Be Offered By Swami Premenand; Dr. Swami Preaches

"Religion: Inside and Outside" is the subject of Dr. Ulysses G. B. Pierce, minister of All-Souls' Unitarian Church tomorrow at 11 a.m.

Before the class in comparative religion, meeting at 10 a.m., Swami Premenanda, of the Self-Realization Fellowship, will begin a course on "India's Religious Evolution" speaking on "The Dawn of India Religion." At the same time, Dr. George W. Smith of American University will address the current problems class on "World Organization, Before and After."

A program of Russian music will be presented at 5 p.m. Films on "Picturesque Guatemala" will be shown at 5:30 p.m. The fellowship tea is from 6 to 7 p.m. The Young People's Fireside Circle is at 6:45 p.m. The feature at the motion picture hour in Pierce Hall at 7:30 p.m. will be "Mags in Music."

Dr. E. A. Goldenweiser, director of research and statistics, Federal Reserve Board, will address the dinner meeting of the Unitarian Laymen's League Thursday at 6:30 p.m. on "Money and Inflation." Before the Women's Alliance on Friday at 11 a.m. Brice Toole will speak on "Union Now."

Following dinner at the church on Tuesday, the 25-35 Club will go to the home of Miss Louise Bebb for a social.

"Carmen la de Triana," a Spanish language film, will be shown December 13. This evening the feature is the Swedish film, "Familjen Andersson."

'Choice of Christ' Topic At Trinity Methodist

"The Conscious Choice of Christ" will be the theme of the Rev. Daniel W. Justice at the Trinity Methodist Church at 11 a.m. tomorrow. Methodist Youth Fellowship Groups are held at 6:30 p.m. and 6:45 p.m. At 8 p.m. the series interpreting the living messages of the Bible will be continued by the pastor, with the subject, "Dedicated to the Highest," and is from the first book of Samuel.

The Women's Society of Christian Service will meet Wednesday evening. A meeting of the official board will be held at 7 p.m. Thursday the pastor will interpret Psalm 116—"A Song of Thanksgiving."

Brookland Baptist To Mark Lord's Supper

"These Symbols" will be the topic of the Rev. M. C. Stith, pastor of the Brookland Baptist Church at 11 a.m. The Lord's Supper will be observed. Departments of the Training Union meet at 6:45.

At 7:45 Dr. W. O. Lewis, secretary of the Baptist World Alliance, will be the guest speaker. This is a regular quarterly missionary service of the church, and all members participate in the missionary hymns.

The church will observe annual Jovial week, starting with a dinner at the church on December 11, at 6:45 p.m. followed by a program.

Church of the Brethren

Dr. Warren D. Bowman will continue with the second of his series of Sunday morning sermons on the prophetic messages for our age, his subject being "A Message From a Broken Heart." On Sunday evening Dr. C. E. Resser will speak on "The Reasonableness of Service." A consecration service for babies will be held at the 11 a.m. service.

St. Paul Methodist

The Rev. William Pierpont will conduct the communion service at 11 a.m. A lecture and motion picture on Palestine will be given at 8 p.m.

Unity School

New Colonial Road, 15th and M Sts. N.W. Margaret Ann Foltz, Speaker. 10:00 a.m.—Sunday School. 11 a.m.—"PONDER THESE THINGS." CLASS SCHEDULE UPON REQUEST. Trial literature available. DL 3436.



DR. CARL F. KRIETE.

Dr. Carl F. Kriete To Preach Two Sermons

Dr. Carl F. Kriete, former president of Miyagi College in Sendai, Japan, will be guest preacher at the First Evangelical and Reformed Church at 11 a.m. tomorrow, and at the annual thank offering service of the Woman's Missionary Society at 8 p.m. His themes will be "The Christian Church in Japan" and "The Church of Japan Faces a Crisis."

Dr. Kriete lived in Japan nearly 30 years, and recently came to this country on furlough after serving for years as president of Miyagi Girls' College at Sendai, one of the leading women's colleges in Japan.

Takoma Park Pastor Will Continue Series On Heroes of Church

The sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be observed at 11 a.m. tomorrow in the Takoma Park Presbyterian Church. The Rev. R. Paul Schreier will give a meditation entitled "From Cross to Crib" and new members will be welcomed.

In the evening he will preach the third in his series of sermons on "Heroes of the Church," taking as his subject "John Wyclif, a Reformer Before the Reformation." It will be young people's night.

A tea will be held from 4 to 6 p.m. for members of the Aokya Class and the church school staff at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Burns. The C. E. societies will meet at 7 p.m. A social will follow.

The session will meet at 7:30 p.m. Monday at the home of Elder W. C. Magathan.

Ninth Anniversary

The Rev. M. P. German will observe the ninth anniversary tomorrow as pastor of Bethany Baptist Church. His morning subject will be "Among You to Serve." The Lord's Supper will be administered. In the evening he will speak on "When I Enlist" and the prayer meeting will be held at 7:30 p.m.

Church of God

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Calvary Baptist Will Baptize and Mark Lord's Supper

Rev. W. S. Abernethy To Preach at Two Services Tomorrow

The Rev. W. S. Abernethy, minister of Calvary Baptist Church, will preach tomorrow morning on "Significant Silences," and in the evening on "Matthew's Dinner Party." Baptism will be administered at the beginning of both services and the Lord's Supper at the close of the morning service.

Earl Bogart and Miss Amber Zimmerman will assist the pastor at the evening meeting. The Glee Club of the Washington-Lee High School will be special guests Sunday evening.

The Woman's Missionary Society will meet at 11 a.m. Wednesday. Continuing the "Love" theme, for the year, the subject of this meeting is "Love's Vision of the World." The main feature will be an address by Mrs. W. S. Abernethy.

The Vaughn Class will be in charge of the meeting Thursday. The pastor will preside for the opening part of the service.

The Councilor Circle will meet with Miss Marian Pinkard Monday evening.

The Florence M. Brown Class will hold a dinner meeting Tuesday evening.

The Sunbeam Society of the Deaf Department will meet Tuesday evening.

The young people will sponsor an all-church social Friday. The entire church membership is invited.

The Executive Committee of the Sunday school will meet Monday evening.

Dr. Bernard Braskamp To Talk on 'Building'

Dr. Bernard Braskamp, pastor of the Gunton-Temple Memorial Presbyterian Church, will continue his series of sermons on "The Christian's Task" by taking as his special subject, "Building the Bridge," at 11 a.m. tomorrow.

A special Advent season praise service, sponsored by the Women's Guild, at 5 p.m., entitled "The Feast of Lights," will dramatize by the lighting of candles the spread of Christianity, beginning with the birth of Christ.

The Women's Guild will meet at 11 a.m. Wednesday. A musical program of Christmas carols will be presented by Miss Mary Burnett, head of the music department of the Y. W. C. A. Mrs. H. Lyle Campbell will review "In the Mill," by Mosefield.

The meeting Thursday evening will be led by Dr. Braskamp.

Sherwood Presbyterian

Wilbur La Roe, Jr., a member of the Parole Board, will speak tomorrow at 8 p.m. on "Citizens' Battle-Line." This service is under the direction of the Lookout Sunday School Class and will be followed by a social and refreshments, to which all friends of the church are welcome.

At both morning services the Rev. Richard M. Mussen will preach on "What Possesses You?"

The quarterly meeting of the Church School Association will be held Monday at 8 p.m.

WWDC Bible Quiz

The young people's department of Calvary Baptist Church will vie with the Baptist Training Union of Bethany Baptist Church in a Bible knowledge contest tonight at 7:30 o'clock on the WWDC Bible Quiz program. Evangelist Dale Crowley will be the quizmaster.

Divine Science

First Divine Science Church NEW LOCATION, 2600 16th St. N.W., at Euclid. Rev. Louis Faus, Minister. 11:00 a.m.—"The Land of Peace." Public invited.

Christian Science

CHURCHES OF CHRIST SCIENTIST Branches of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ Scientist, Boston, Mass. First Church of Christ Scientist Columbia Rd. and Euclid St. Second Church of Christ Scientist 1111 G St. N.E. Third Church of Christ Scientist 15th and L Sts. N.W. Fourth Church of Christ Scientist 16th and Oak Sts. N.W. SUBST.

"GOD THE ONLY CAUSE AND CREATOR"

SERVICES—Sunday 11 a.m. and 8 p.m. BIBLE STUDY—SUNDAYS 9:15 a.m. STATION WJWS SECOND AND PINE FRAYS. 12:30 p.m. STATION WRC The Sunday Evening Service Will Be Broadcast from The Church Over Station WJWS, 1340 Kilocycles. READING ROOMS FIRST CHURCH—1612 K St. N.W. Hours, 9 to 9 (except WEDNESDAYS 9 to 7 and Sundays and holidays, 2:30 to 5:30.) SECOND CHURCH—1111 C St. N.E. Hours, 12 to 5:30 p.m. weekdays; 2:30 to 5:30 p.m. Sundays and holidays. THIRD CHURCH—Colorado Bldg., 14th and G Sts. Hours, 9 to 9 (Wednesdays, 9 to 7:30; and Sundays and holidays, 2 to 6.) FOURTH CHURCH—Riggs Bank Bldg., 3300 14th St., 9 to 9 weekdays; Wednesdays, 9:30 to 7; Sundays, 2:30 to 5:30 p.m. Holidays, 2:30 to 5:30 p.m. All are welcome to attend our church services and use our reading rooms. First Church of Christ Scientist BYATTSVILLE, MD. Maxine Hall—Speaker. Sunday Services and Sunday School, 11 a.m. Wednesday Services, 8 p.m. Reading Room—1213 Balto. Blvd. Hours: Weekdays, 11:30 to 4; Mon. and Fri., 2 to 9; Wed. 2 to 7:30.

Sixty Churches to Aid Christmas Seal Drive

Mr. C. Leslie Glenn, chairman of Tuberculosis Christmas Seal Committee on church co-operation, announced more than 60 churches will give special attention to the Christmas Seal program at services tomorrow.

Most of the churches will make use of a special folder bearing an enlarged picture of the Christmas Seal on its cover and the church program for the day on its inside pages. This is the first time such a folder has been prepared for church use during the seal sale.

St. Paul's Episcopal Issues Invitations To Entertainment

Invitations have been sent to members and friends of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Rock Creek parish, to attend a reception and entertainment under the auspices of the rector, wardens and vestrymen at 8 p.m. tomorrow in the parish house.

At the church school 15 large stockings will be exhibited by the rector and which are in turn to be filled with food, clothing and miscellaneous articles by the children for the Episcopal City Mission to be given to the needy and poor children on December 14.

There will be a men's meeting Tuesday evening as a follow-up of the men and boys' Nation-wide corporate communion service. Pictures will be shown of the invasion of China, taken by the Rev. Mr. McGee.

At a recent meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary, the following officers were elected: Mrs. Joseph Harry Phillips, president; Mrs. Frank M. Stuart, vice president; Mrs. Dallas H. Watson, recording secretary; Mrs. Machine Sanders, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Milton Brugler, treasurer.

Services will be: 8:30 a.m., holy communion; 11 a.m., holy communion and sermon; Young People's Fellowship, 7 p.m.

St. Andrew's Lutheran

The Advent celebration of the holy communion will be administered at 11 a.m. The eight recently elected vestrymen will be inducted into office—Harry Gass, Howard Jensen, Fred Miller, Fred Schweitzer, Raymond Shemman, Carl Pippert, Sidney Walker and William Weimar. The Rev. Albert J. Kins will deliver the charge and preach on "Facing the Son of Man." This will be the first of two installments of a sermon on the theme "Judgment."

There will be no evening service on Monday, 8 p.m., the Ladies' Guild will meet; Wednesday, 8 p.m., the Church School Board will meet at the home of Mr. Jensen; Saturday, p.m., the Confirmation Class will meet. Services are temporarily held at 407 Sixty-first street N.E.

Lutheran FAITH

Lee Blvd. at Jackson, Arlington, Va. Church Service, 8:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. Morning Prayer, 8:00 a.m. GEORGE J. GREWENOW, Pastor. St. Matthews Lutheran Church Kentucky Ave. at 15th St. S.E. Rev. Theodore Paul Fricke, Pastor. 9:30 a.m.—Sunday School. 11:00 a.m.—Lentening Toward a Better Day. A Cordial Welcome to All.

RESURRECTION

3008 Wilson Blvd., Virginia Synod, United Lutheran Church. 9:30 a.m.—The Sunday School. 11:00 a.m.—The Service. 7:30 p.m.—Luther League.

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH

Connecticut Ave. at Everett St. N.W. Rev. W. Snider, D. D., Minister. William B. Schaefer, Pastor. 9:30 a.m.—Sunday School. 11:00 a.m.—"Christ and the Human Body." 8:00 p.m.—"The Shepherd's 'Roads.'" 8:00 p.m.—"Frothing of the Hichest."

Luther Place Memorial

(United Lutheran Church) Thomas Circle—14th & N.W. DR. CHARLES FOELSCH, Pastor. 11:00 a.m.—"Jesus is Coming." Holy Communion. 8:00 p.m.—"The Light That Never Fades." 9:45 a.m.—Sunday School. 7:00 p.m.—Young People's Luther League.

CHURCH OF THE REFORMATION

Opposite Folger Shakespeare Library, 212 East Capitol Street. DR. OSCAR BLACKBURN, Pastor. REV. RALPH W. LOEW, Asso. Pastor. 8:30 a.m.—Main Service, Sermon, "Eyes Front." Rev. Loew. 9:30 a.m.—Morning Service, Sermon, "The Terrible Meek." Dr. Blackburn. 8:45 p.m.—The Luther League. 8:00 p.m.—"The Story of the Prodigal Son." "The Father of the Prodigal." Dr. Blackburn. The Public is Cordially Invited.

Keller Memorial Lutheran Church

Maryland Avenue and 9th St. N.E. J. Harold Mummer, D. D., Pastor. Cedric W. Tilber, A. B., Assistant. SUNDAY CHURCH SCHOOL at 9:30 a.m. Classes and Departments for All Ages. MORNING WORSHIP at 11:00 a.m. Sermon: "The Mystery of the Manger." YOUNG PEOPLE'S SOCIETIES at 6:30 p.m. EVENING WORSHIP at 7:45 p.m. Sermon: "The Star Anisaks." Dr. Mummer Preaches at Both Services. The Home-Like Church

Luther Place Church Plans to Observe Universal Bible Day

Dr. Charles B. Foelsch To Deliver Sermon at Evening Meeting

Luther Place Memorial Church will mark Universal Bible Sunday at 8 p.m. tomorrow with Dr. Charles B. Foelsch preaching on "The Light That Never Fades." An exhibit of ancient Bibles will be a feature.

At 11 a.m. Dr. Foelsch will preach on "Jesus is Coming." Holy communion will be celebrated. The Junior League, meeting at the same time, will hear the Rev. Carl W. Folkemer, assistant pastor. Quiet hour communion will be celebrated at 7:30 p.m.

Intermediate and Senior Luther Leagues meet at 5:30 p.m., and the Young People's League at 7 p.m. The Mothers' Bible Class will be entertained at the home of Mrs. Carl Smuck Monday evening. Cars leave the church at 7:15 p.m.

The Rainbow Missionary Society will meet at 8 p.m. Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Edna R. America. The women will sew for the Red Cross at 10:15 a.m. Wednesday. The Young Women's Missionary Society will meet at the home of Mrs. Paul W. Kiefaber. Cars leave the church at 7:15 p.m.

The Brotherhood will meet at 8 p.m. Thursday. On Saturday at 2 p.m. the Woman's Missionary Society will meet.

St. Agnes' Episcopal To Hear Missionary

The Rev. Lee L. Rose, missionary from St. Mary's Episcopal Mission in Sagada, Philippine Islands, will preach at the 7:30 p.m. service tomorrow at St. Agnes' Episcopal Church.

There will be masses at 7:30, 9:30 and 11 a.m. with the rector, the Rev. Albert J. Dubois, preaching at the late mass.

Catholic ST. DOMINICS

Dominican Fathers 6th and E Sts. S.W. SUNDAY MASSES 6:00—7:00 a.m. 8:00—9:00 a.m. 10:00—11:00 a.m. ALL LOW MASSES. PARRING SPACE AVAILABLE.

Lutheran TAKOMA

Seventh and Dakota Sts. N.W. (Three Blocks east of Walter Reed.) REV. J. ADRIAN PFEIFFER, Pastor. Sunday School, 9:30 a.m. Morning Prayer, 8:00 a.m. 7:00 p.m.—"The Star of Hope." 6:30 p.m.—C. E. Societies. FIRST REFORMED 15th & Monroe Sts. N.W. Rev. F. Nelson Schlegel, Pastor. 9:30 a.m.—Church School. 11:00 a.m.—Dr. Carl D. Kriete of San Diego, Japan. The Church of Christ in Japan. 7:00 p.m.—"The Church of Japan Faces a Crisis."

CHURCH OF ST. MARKS AND THE INCARNATION

14th and Gallatin Sts. N.W. (Maryland Synod United Lutheran Church) REV. HENRY W. WHITE, Jr., Pastor. 9:30 a.m.—Bible School. 11:00 a.m.—Holy Communion. 7:30 p.m.—Y. P. Luther League.

AUGUSTANA LUTHERAN

Y Street N.W., East of 16th Street. Morning 10:00 a.m. Dr. E. B. Lawson, President of Upsala College, Treasurer, Church School, 9:30 a.m. 11:00 a.m.—Holy Communion. 7:00 p.m.—Prayer Hour. Arthur O. Helm, D. D., Pastor. Residence—3620 Vevey St. N.W. Phone 131. 0011.

Missouri Synod CALVARY LUTHERAN

9601 Georgia Avenue (10-10, Forest Glen Bus at Georgia and Alaska Aves., Silver Spring, Md.) CARL A. KOEHLER, Pastor. 9:45 a.m.—Sunday School. 11:00 a.m.—"For Sinners Only." Cordially, we invite you to worship.

Our Saviour ARLINGTON VILLAGE

Mr. Paul Kavach, Minister. S. S., 10:00 a.m. Service, 11:30 a.m. Arlington Theater. Columbia Ave. and Fillmore St. A Biblical Message is a Charming Church.

CHRIST LUTHERAN

16th and Gallatin Sts. N.W. REV. FREDERIC W. SCHLEGEL, Pastor. MR. PAUL KAVACH, Assistant. 9:45 a.m.—Sunday School. 11:00 a.m.—Holy Communion. "The Bible a Most Heartening Book in Times Like These." 6:00 p.m.—Waltzer League.

TRINITY LUTHERAN

30th St. and Bunker Hill Road (Just Across the District Line.) REV. EDWIN E. PIEPLow. 3 SERVICES EVERY SUNDAY 8:15 and 11:00 a.m. The Second Advent Appeal: "BE YE READY" (Matt. 24:42-51). 9:45 a.m.—Sunday School. 11:00 a.m.—Holy Communion—"Before the World's End." ANACOSTIA BRANCH 14th and You Sts. S.E. MR. GILMORE LUECK, Sunday School, 10:45 a.m. Service, 11:15 a.m. MOUNT OLIVET (Colored) 1325 Vermont Ave. N.W. Rev. W. SCHIEBEL, Pastor. Services, 11 a.m. and 8:00 p.m. Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.

Takoma Lutheran Receives New Members

At the Takoma Lutheran Church at 11 a.m. tomorrow there will be a reception of new members. The Rev. J. Adrian Pfeiffer will preach. A musical program will be held at 4 p.m.

Election of officers for the Guild will be held Wednesday at 8 p.m. The Potomac Federation Christmas party will be held on Saturday evening, December 13. The admission charge is some article of food, clothing or toys for a needy family at Christmas.

The Junior League elected as officers Norma Bank, president; James Mann, vice president; Mildred Bank, secretary, and Janice Christensen, treasurer.

The Senior League will meet at 7:15 p.m. Sunday and the Junior League at 6 p.m.

Metropolitan Presbyterian

Dr. J. L. Fendrich tomorrow morning will begin a new sermon series on "Keeping Life Livable" as follows: First, "Character Without Strain"; second, "Unenforceable Obligations"; third, Christmas message, "Spiritual Inhospitality"; and fourth, New Year message, "Venturing Life on the Unknown."

Church of Christ 14th St. Church of Christ

3460 14th St. N.W. 10:00 a.m.—Bible Study. 11:00 a.m.—"Call Before Agrippa." 8:00 p.m.—Guest Speaker. Hugo McCord, Minister.

Anacostia Church of Christ Meeting in Masonic Temple

14th and You Sts. S.E. 5:00 p.m.—Lord's Supper. Speaker, Hugo McCord.

Arlington (Va.) Church of Christ 413 North Irving St.

10:00 a.m.—"The Bible is Divine." 11:00 a.m.—"Call Before Agrippa." 8:00 p.m.—"The Way Into Life." John T. Smith, Jr., Pastor. Wednesday, 8 p.m.—Prayer Service.

Avalon Heights Church of Christ

28th and Douglas Streets N.E. At Blodensburg Road. John T. Smith, Jr., Minister. 10:00 a.m.—"The Bible is Divine." 11:00 a.m.—"Living as a Christian." 8:00 p.m.—"Romantic Stockings." The Church.

Evangelical and Reformed GRACE REFORMED

15th and O Sts. N.W. Rev. Calvin H. Winger, Pastor. 9:30 a.m.—Church School. 11:00 a.m.—"The Star of Hope." 6:30 p.m.—C. E. Societies.

FIRST REFORMED 15th & Monroe

Rev. F. Nelson Schlegel, Pastor. 9:30 a.m.—Church School. 11:00 a.m.—Dr. Carl D. Kriete of San Diego, Japan. The Church of Christ in Japan. 7:00 p.m.—"The Church of Japan Faces a Crisis."

CONCORDIA EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN

20th and G Sts. N.W. REV. CHARLES ENDERS, Pastor. 9:30 a.m.—Bible School. 11:00 a.m.—Holy Communion—"The Day of the Son of Man." 6:00 p.m.—Fellowship Gathering.

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Communion Meditation At Mt. Pleasant Church

The Rev. Dr. Fred Sherman Buschmeyer will give communion meditation on "The Gangle of the Lord" at 11 a.m. tomorrow at the Mount Pleasant Congregational Church.

At 5:30 p.m. the High School Forum will meet. At 6:30 the 20-40 Club will meet for supper and worship.

The annual father and son banquet will be held at 6:15 p.m. Tuesday. David Cushman Coyle will be the speaker.

The League of Service is sponsoring a card party Friday evening to which all members and friends of Mount Pleasant are invited.

United Presbyterian WALLACE MEMORIAL

N. H. Ave. and Randolph St. N.W. C. E. HAWTHORNE, D. D., Minister. 11 a.m.—"CHRISTIAN FRUITAGE." 8 p.m.—"I Will."

Presbyterian EASTERN Presbyterian

Md. Ave. at 6th N.E. 9:30 a.m.—Church Bible School. 11:00 a.m.—"HOW GOD CAN TO US." 7:30 p.m.—"Appreciation Night." Dr. Alfred E. Barrows, Guest Speaker. William Nesbit Vincent, Pastor. All Visitors Are Welcome.

THE GEORGETOWN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

3115 F Street N.W. Rev. John Bailey Keller, D. D., Pastor. Morning Prayer at 11 o'clock. Sacrament of the Lord's Supper.

CHEVY CHASE Chevy Chase Circle

Dr. J. Hillman Hollister, Minister. 9:30 a.m.—Church School. 1:00 p.m.—Morning Worship. "Spirit to Spirit."

The Covenant-First Presbyterian Church

18th and N Sts. N.W. Albert Joseph McCartney, D. D., Minister. 9:45 a.m.—Church School. 11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship. Communion. Sacramental Address: Dr. McCartney. Thursday, 8 p.m.—Vesper Service.

SIXTH SIXTEENTH and Kennedy Sts. N.W.

J. HERBERT GARNER, Minister. 11:00 a.m.—Holy Communion. 9:45 a.m.—S. S. 7:00 p.m.—Y. P.

Takoma Park Maple and Tulip Aves.

R. PAUL SCHEERER, Minister. 11:00 a.m.—"From Cross to Crib." 8:00 p.m.—John Wyclif—A Reformer Before the Reformation.

METROPOLITAN PRESBYTERIAN

4th & B Sts. S.E. REV. J. L. FENDRICH, Jr., D. D., LL. D. 11:00 a.m.—"CHARACTER WITHOUT STRAIN." 7:45

Bishop Hughes Marks Birthday by Preaching At Foundry Methodist

East-West Young Adult Mobilization to Be Held In Afternoon

Bishop Edwin Holt Hughes, retired, will celebrate his 75th birthday anniversary by preaching at 11 a. m. tomorrow at Foundry Methodist Church.

The lectern in the Foundry chapel, a symbol of unification, is known as the Hughes Lectern and was made possible by the bishops' friends in all parts of the Nation.

At 3 p. m. the East-West Washington District Young Adult Mobilization will be held. The Rev. Francis W. McPeak, director of the social welfare department of the Washington Federation of Churches, will speak on "Is Our Humanity Dead?" From 6 to 7:45 p. m. there will be a tea and a recreation program led by Mrs. Pearl Long of Baltimore.

At the 8 p. m. service, sponsored by the young people of the Foundry, the Rev. Robert H. Hamill, minister of the First Methodist Church, Center Point, Iowa, will speak on "Here Stands the Christian Church."

The Women's Society of Christian Service will meet at 11 a. m. Tuesday. After election of officers Mrs. Hester Beall Provenson will give a reading, "The Family Portrait."

Dr. Anderson to Preach On 'Doubt' Tomorrow

"I Will Not Doubt" is the topic of the Rev. Howard Stone Anderson at 11 a. m. tomorrow at the First Congregational Church at 8 p. m. he will read Lloyd Douglas' Christmas story, "Precious Jeopardy."

The canvass tomorrow afternoon for pledges for the coming year will terminate with a dinner at 6 p. m. The Scrooby Club will not meet. However, the Tuxis Club will meet at 8:30 p. m.

The standing committee will meet at 8 p. m. Monday. The Women's Society will meet at 10 a. m. Tuesday, followed by a Christmas party.

The Young Women's Club will hold a dinner meeting at 6 p. m. Tuesday. A dinner and service will be held at 6 p. m. Thursday. The Rev. John E. Wallace will repeat his ordination statement.

'The Upper Room' Topic Of the Rev. A. B. Kelley

"The Upper Room" will be the subject of the Rev. Aaron B. Kelley, pastor of the Potomac Community Church, at 11 a. m. The Lord's supper will be observed.

A Sunday evening evangelistic service will be an additional feature. The pastor will preach on "The Crucified Christ." These services are by community request.

Christian Science

"God the Only Cause and Creator" is the subject of the lesson-sermon in all the Churches of Christ, Scientist, tomorrow at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday school is at 11 a. m. All are cordially invited to attend the church services, including the Wednesday evening meetings at 8 o'clock.

Among the citations which comprise the lesson-sermon is the following from the Bible: "O come let us worship and bow down; let us kneel before the Lord our Maker. For He is our God, and we are the people of His pasture, and the sheep of His hand." (Psalms, xcvi, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 218, 219, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, 229, 230, 231, 232, 233, 234, 235, 236, 237, 238, 239, 240, 241, 242, 243, 244, 245, 246, 247, 248, 249, 250, 251, 252, 253, 254, 255, 256, 257, 258, 259, 260, 261, 262, 263, 264, 265, 266, 267, 268, 269, 270, 271, 272, 273, 274, 275, 276, 277, 278, 279, 280, 281, 282, 283, 284, 285, 286, 287, 288, 289, 290, 291, 292, 293, 294, 295, 296, 297, 298, 299, 300, 301, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 307, 308, 309, 310, 311, 312, 313, 314, 315, 316, 317, 318, 319, 320, 321, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, 332, 333, 334, 335, 336, 337, 338, 339, 340, 341, 342, 343, 344, 345, 346, 347, 348, 349, 350, 351, 352, 353, 354, 355, 356, 357, 358, 359, 360, 361, 362, 363, 364, 365, 366, 367, 368, 369, 370, 371, 372, 373, 374, 375, 376, 377, 378, 379, 380, 381, 382, 383, 384, 385, 386, 387, 388, 389, 390, 391, 392, 393, 394, 395, 396, 397, 398, 399, 400, 401, 402, 403, 404, 405, 406, 407, 408, 409, 410, 411, 412, 413, 414, 415, 416, 417, 418, 419, 420, 421, 422, 423, 424, 425, 426, 427, 428, 429, 430, 431, 432, 433, 434, 435, 436, 437, 438, 439, 440, 441, 442, 443, 444, 445, 446, 447, 448, 449, 450, 451, 452, 453, 454, 455, 456, 457, 458, 459, 460, 461, 462, 463, 464, 465, 466, 467, 468, 469, 470, 471, 472, 473, 474, 475, 476, 477, 478, 479, 480, 481, 482, 483, 484, 485, 486, 487, 488, 489, 490, 491, 492, 493, 494, 495, 496, 497, 498, 499, 500, 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509, 510, 511, 512, 513, 514, 515, 516, 517, 518, 519, 520, 521, 522, 523, 524, 525, 526, 527, 528, 529, 530, 531, 532, 533, 534, 535, 536, 537, 538, 539, 540, 541, 542, 543, 544, 545, 546, 547, 548, 549, 550, 551, 552, 553, 554, 555, 556, 557, 558, 559, 560, 561, 562, 563, 564, 565, 566, 567, 568, 569, 570, 571, 572, 573, 574, 575, 576, 577, 578, 579, 580, 581, 582, 583, 584, 585, 586, 587, 588, 589, 590, 591, 592, 593, 594, 595, 596, 597, 598, 599, 600, 601, 602, 603, 604, 605, 606, 607, 608, 609, 610, 611, 612, 613, 614, 615, 616, 617, 618, 619, 620, 621, 622, 623, 624, 625, 626, 627, 628, 629, 630, 631, 632, 633, 634, 635, 636, 637, 638, 639, 640, 641, 642, 643, 644, 645, 646, 647, 648, 649, 650, 651, 652, 653, 654, 655, 656, 657, 658, 659, 660, 661, 662, 663, 664, 665, 666, 667, 668, 669, 670, 671, 672, 673, 674, 675, 676, 677, 678, 679, 680, 681, 682, 683, 684, 685, 686, 687, 688, 689, 690, 691, 692, 693, 694, 695, 696, 697, 698, 699, 700, 701, 702, 703, 704, 705, 706, 707, 708, 709, 710, 711, 712, 713, 714, 715, 716, 717, 718, 719, 720, 721, 722, 723, 724, 725, 726, 727, 728, 729, 730, 731, 732, 733, 734, 735, 736, 737, 738, 739, 740, 741, 742, 743, 744, 745, 746, 747, 748, 749, 750, 751, 752, 753, 754, 755, 756, 757, 758, 759, 760, 761, 762, 763, 764, 765, 766, 767, 768, 769, 770, 771, 772, 773, 774, 775, 776, 777, 778, 779, 780, 781, 782, 783, 784, 785, 786, 787, 788, 789, 790, 791, 792, 793, 794, 795, 796, 797, 798, 799, 800, 801, 802, 803, 804, 805, 806, 807, 808, 809, 810, 811, 812, 813, 814, 815, 816, 817, 818, 819, 820, 821, 822, 823, 824, 825, 826, 827, 828, 829, 830, 831, 832, 833, 834, 835, 836, 837, 838, 839, 840, 841, 842, 843, 844, 845, 846, 847, 848, 849, 850, 851, 852, 853, 854, 855, 856, 857, 858, 859, 860, 861, 862, 863, 864, 865, 866, 867, 868, 869, 870, 871, 872, 873, 874, 875, 876, 877, 878, 879, 880, 881, 882, 883, 884, 885, 886, 887, 888, 889, 890, 891, 892, 893, 894, 895, 896, 897, 898, 899, 900, 901, 902, 903, 904, 905, 906, 907, 908, 909, 910, 911, 912, 913, 914, 915, 916, 917, 918, 919, 920, 921, 922, 923, 924, 925, 926, 927, 928, 929, 930, 931, 932, 933, 934, 935, 936, 937, 938, 939, 940, 941, 942, 943, 944, 945, 946, 947, 948, 949, 950, 951, 952, 953, 954, 955, 956, 957, 958, 959, 960, 961, 962, 963, 964, 965, 966, 967, 968, 969, 970, 971, 972, 973, 974, 975, 976, 977, 978, 979, 980, 981, 982, 983, 984, 985, 986, 987, 988, 989, 990, 991, 992, 993, 994, 995, 996, 997, 998, 999, 1000.

White Cross

THE WHITE CROSS CHURCH OF CHRIST 1810 Ontario St. N.W. Wednesday 8 P.M. "Christmas in America" Lecture, Messages and Healing. Pastor, REV. JANE B. COATES. Consultation by Appointment, Col. 6027.

Christian Spiritualists

1126 12th St. N.W. REV. OTTO FOSTER, Pastor. Sunday, 8:00 P.M. "UNITY" Message Service, Wed. 8:00 P.M. 1451 H St. N.W. Mrs. M. McDonald, Private Advice-Healing. Rev. Peter, DL. 2626.

Longley Memorial

3423 Holmead Place N.W. Between 13th and 14th at Newton St. Sunday, December 7, at 8 P.M. Lecture by the Rev. DANIEL CAVE. Messages by the Church Members. Wednesday Service, 8 P.M. Mrs. Elizabeth McDonald, Reading by Appointment, 3519 13th St. N.W. Phone 2511.

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Little Stories of GREAT MYNS

This song is taken from a poem of the life of Christ and His love, written by Miss Hankey during a long convalescence. Another hymn favorite taken from the latter part of the same poem is "I Love to Tell the Story."

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BISHOP EDWIN HOLT HUGHES.

Petworth Methodist Pastor Will Tell Success Formula

At the 11 o'clock service in Petworth Methodist Church tomorrow Dr. Frank Steelman will preach on "A Formula for Success." New members will be received. The intermediate service at 11 o'clock will be led by Mrs. Raymond's Class on "How Others Celebrate Christmas." The Youth Fellowship service will be held.

Young people's night will be observed at 8 p. m. with Frank Adams presiding. Scripture will be read by Lenore Rhodes, and Esther Beatty will offer the evening prayer. The guest speaker will be the Rev. Clifton Homer Richmond, pastor of Chevy Chase Methodist Church.

The groups of the Women's Society at 11 a. m. will be the L. E. Berean Bible class which will meet at the home of Mrs. T. E. Mutchler at 8 p. m. Monday. The Yvokta Class will meet at 8 p. m. Wednesday with Anne Haralson Allen.

The Everyman's Bible Class will hold a business meeting and social at 7:30 p. m. Friday.

Dr. Rustin Preaches Twice Tomorrow Morning

Dr. John W. Rustin, minister of Mount Vernon Place Methodist Church, will preach at 9 and 11 a. m. tomorrow on "Never Alone." There will be special music.

The Rev. Nelson Pierce will preach at 8 p. m. on "The Social Implications of the Christian Religion." Representatives of the senior, young people's and young adult departments will assist in the service.

The buffet supper will be served the young people at 6 p. m., followed by a meeting.

Women will sew for the Red Cross from 10 to 4 o'clock Tuesday. Circles of the Women's Society of Christian Service will meet Tuesday and Wednesday. Dr. Rustin will speak at 8 p. m. Thursday.

The variety program Saturday for neighborhood residents will feature a moving picture, "In Old Louisiana."

Salvation Army

Meetings tomorrow are: Temple Corps, 606 E street N.W. "A Precious Gift" will be the topic at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Colored Branch, 1501 Seventh street N.W. Major Lambert Bailey will speak at 11 a. m. on "Love Is All" and at 8 p. m. on "Ye Must Be Born Again."

Southeast Corps, 133 Eighth street S.E.—Capt. Lonie Knight will have charge of the services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

Georgetown Corps, 1075 Thomas Jefferson street N.W.—Capt. Ben Jones will speak at 11 a. m. on "The Death Rattle" and at 8 p. m. on "A Wolf in Sheep's Clothing."

Northeast Corps, 715 I street N.E.—At 11 a. m. Maj. John Campbell will speak on "The Clean Heart." There will be a dedication of a baby. Diane Bernice Hayes, in the morning service. At 8 a. m. William L. Devoto, D. Y. P. S., will speak on "The Quality of Goodness." There will be a reception of new members.

Spiritual Science Association

J. K. Simmons, 1820 Park Rd. N.W. At 11:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m. Messages by appointment, Col. 4347.

The Church of Two Worlds

Hotel Continental, Facing Capitol. Rev. R. Gordon Burroughs, Minister. Sunday, 8:00 P.M. "GIVE YOURSELF AWAY." "GIVE YOURSELF AWAY." "GIVE YOURSELF AWAY."

Rev. Margaret R. Mandis

1328 Fairmount St. N.W. Lecture Tuesdays and Fridays 8 P.M. followed by a consultation. Consultation by appointment, TA 9377.

The First Spiritualist Church

121 C Street N.E. Near Capitol. Spiritual Service, Tuesday 8 P.M. Rev. Alfred H. Terry. "CABINET MANIFESTATIONS" Followed by Message Service.

Unity Spiritualist Church

1326 Moss Ave. N.W. Services Sunday 8:00 P.M. Lecture by Rev. Harry E. Strick. Spirit Offerings by the Mediums of the Church. Midweek Message Service, 600 Pa. Ave. S.E. Thursday at 8 P.M.

Penitential Assemblies of God

11:00 a.m.—Sunday School classes for all ages. 11:00 a.m.—Rev. W. W. Simpson, pioneer missionary to China will speak. Communion service follows. 7:45 p.m.—Evangelistic Service. Dr. Miller speaking on "Do the signs of the Times Mean Anything to Us Today?" 9:30 p.m.—NEW TIME—Radio Gospel Hour, from the church over WWDC, 1450 k.c. 7:45 p.m.—Wednesday—Praise and Thanksgiving. 7:45 p.m.—Friday—Service in Charge of Young People. Everybody Welcome.

Special Invitation to Newcomers and Visitors.

Activities in Washington Churches

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son theme is "The Nature and Work of the Church." All men are welcome. The Rev. Mr. Sturgis will preach on "Memory of Me" at 11 a. m. Holy communion will be observed. Union services with Aldersgate Church at Dunbarton Avenue Church at 8 p. m. The Young Peoples' Society will meet at 7 p. m. The annual turkey dinner and bazaar is December 11 from 5 to 7 p. m.

Gorsuch. The Rev. L. S. Rudasill will preach at both services tomorrow. Junior church, 11 a. m. The Fellowship Forum will meet at 7 p. m. On Monday, 8 p. m. youth social; Tuesday, 8 p. m. Board of Christian Education; Thursday, 8 p. m. Young People's Society.

Lewis Memorial. The 11 a. m. service will be the observance of holy communion. At 8 p. m. will be a service of church hymns. The Rev. H. R. Deal will preach on "Jesus Had a Purpose." The Youth Fellowship groups will meet at 7 p. m. The Wesley Brotherhood will meet Monday at 8 p. m. The Women's Society of Christian Service will hold its annual Christmas banquet Wednesday at 7 p. m.

Union. The sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered at both the morning and evening services. Dr. Selwyn K. Cockrell, pastor, will preach at 11 a. m. on "Renewing Our Life," and at 8 p. m. on "Burden Bearers' Relief." The Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet at 6:30 p. m.

Brightwood Park. Mrs. Corretta J. Mason, evangelist, will preach at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. She will also speak to the junior department in the church school at 10 a. m. Youth Fellowship at 6:45 p. m.; Young Adult Fellowship following the evening service. On Thursday, 7:45 p. m., the pastor will lead a discussion on "Conserving Our Gains"; the Church Board of Education will meet after the service.

Brookland. Universal Bible Sunday will be observed in both services. At 11 a. m. Dr. S. Paul Schilling will preach on "Light in Darkness." At 8 p. m. a service in charge of the L. E. Berean Bible Class, Dr. George Duncan, dean of the graduate school of religion in American University, will speak. The Junior League will meet at 6 p. m. and the Junior High Youth and Young Adult Fellowships will meet at 7 p. m. The studies in the Psalms will be continued by the pastor Thursday at 7:30 p. m.

Free Methodist. The Rev. Walker B. Field will speak in the morning on "Enlightening Proverbs" and in the evening on "Tekel—Light Weight Souls."

Mount Taber. The Lord's supper will be observed at the morning service. Fellowship service at 8 p. m., topic, "Religion is Queer."

John Wesley A. M. E. Z. Dr. Stephen Gill Spotswood will preach second sermon in the series of Advent sermons on "Types of Messianic Prophecy," from the subject, "Zechariah—the Temple Building," at 11 a. m. He will begin a series of sermons at 8 p. m. on "The Holy Family." The subject of the first sermon will be "The Creative Spirit."

Brown Memorial A. M. E. Service at 11 a. m. and candlelight communion service at 8 p. m.

Jones Memorial (Colored). At 11 a. m. holy communion. Communion meditation by Dr. Julius S. Carroll. At 6 p. m. thank offering service by the Women's Society of Christian Service. On Wednesday night meeting of the Women's Society of Christian Service.

Israel Metropolitan C. M. E. At 11 a. m. sermon by the presiding elder, the Rev. R. E. Brooks; holy communion will be served; 3:30 p. m., union quarterly service, sermon by the Rev. J. T. McClennon; 6:30 p. m., Epworth League; 8 p. m., sermon by the Rev. R. E. Brooks; 8:30 p. m., Wednesday, sermon by the Rev. Mr. Smith.

Greater Lane Memorial C. M. E. At 11 a. m., Dr. E. L. Johnson will speak on "He Died." Holy communion will be administered; 6:30 p. m., Epworth League; 8 p. m., program rendered by the Corinth Progressive Course; 8 p. m., Thursday, Usher Board and class meeting.

Miles Memorial C. M. E. At 11 a. m. sermon by the Rev. J. Thomas McClennon on "The Christian Approach." Holy communion. At 3:30 p. m. the Epworth League will have its annual rally day. At 8 p. m. sermon by a visiting minister.

Union Wesley A. M. E. Z. Dr. William E. Carrington, professor in the school of religion, Howard University, will preach at both services. His subject at 11 a. m. is "Christ Our Santa Claus. Which?"

Campbell A. M. E. Sermon at 11 a. m. by the Rev. J. A. Browne. Holy communion.

Metropolitan Wesley A. M. E. Z. The Rev. David Cecil Lynch will preach on "Thine is the Kingdom" at 11 a. m. Holy communion will be administered. The Rev. James Lucius White, minister of the Galbraith A. M. E. Zion Church, will preach in the interest of the stewards at 3:30 p. m. The minister will have charge at 8 p. m.

St. Paul A. M. E. A special sermon by the Rev. J. M. Harrison, Jr., in the morning, followed by the administration of the holy communion. The Allen C. E. League convenes at 6:30 p. m. At 8 p. m., testimonial service.

Pilgrim A. M. E. The Rev. Charles E. Walden will preach and administer holy communion in the morning and evening. The Allen Christian Endeavor League will meet at 6:30 p. m. Official Board meeting Monday night. The pastor and congregation will worship with the congregation of the Bethesda Baptist Church Thursday night.

Open Door Church. Glenn W. Wagner, president of the Washington Bible Institute, will speak at 11 a. m. The evening service is omitted in view of the service at Fountain Memorial Baptist Church.

Gospel Tabernacle. At the Washington Gospel Tabernacle, 5714 Georgia Avenue N.W., the Rev. R. L. McGougan will

Sargent Memorial. Men's day will be observed at 11 a. m. Guest speaker, George W. Goodman, secretary Washington Urban League.

Knox Orthodox. The pre-Christmas messages unfold the meaning of the Annunciation, the first being "The Angel's Greeting—The Virgin's Response." The evening service, "God's Sovereignty and Prayer" carries on the great series of doctrinal studies now being pursued. Meetings at 1316 Vermont Avenue N.W.

Western. Holy Communion will be celebrated at 11 a. m. New members will be received. The communion meditation will be delivered by the Rev. Irving W. Ketchum.

Ekington. The annual sermon on "The Potter and the Clay" will be given by the Rev. Henry B. Wooding at 11 a. m. This marks the 34th anniversary of its delivery, given each

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Fashion reports of what smartly dressed women are wearing bear out the theory that American ladies are becoming increasingly quality-minded. Excellent examples of this new feeling are those pictured. At left, a well-cut, simple suit of fine quality woolen, adapting itself to many accessory changes and worn as well under a fur coat as with furs. In the center photograph, beautifully cut dinner gowns with touches of white for mid-

winter wear. Such styles are enhanced by the use of frothy jabots, peplum jackets and glittering rhinestone clips. The 1941 version of the chemise dress is another important style influence, designed for late afternoon and evening wear. Sequins are used to cover the frock, at right, but they also may be applied as trimming. A matching hat and bag set, repeating the motif, completes an ensemble.

Pageantry as Career

Take a Look Back Stage With Producer

By Frankie Kuhn.

One of the most interesting people we've talked to in a long time has one of the most unusual jobs we've heard of in an equal space of time. She is Miss Edith Russell, who, with her husband, H. R. Harrington, and a staff of assistants, travels from State to State building pageants! And, make no mistake, the way they do it, it's a real construction job to put one together.

Every bit of the work is done by Miss Russell and Mr. Harrington and their aides, beginning with the determination of the theme and on to the actual construction of the sets, designing of costumes, casting, rehearsals and ending with the brilliant and spectacular show.

But, first a few words about Miss Russell herself. She has always had an interest in dramatics and worked in this field at college. Later, while teaching history in high school, she was given extra time for dramatic work and presented a pageant there. She went to New York, where she studied production work and organized a professional stock company which she took to Asheville, N. C. Miss Russell's first civic pageant was introduced in 1928 and since that time she has devoted all of her efforts to this particular field of dramatics.

In its beginnings, Miss Russell's staff consisted only of herself and her husband, but it has grown to such proportions that they now use the services of dance directors, music directors, casting directors and so forth.

Most of us give up when we are confronted with the prospect of "bossing" some teen odd people in any field. But not Miss Russell. She begins her work when she has to organize, supervise, and direct the work of rounding out a festival that may include as many as 5,000 people! All of her pageants don't use quite that many, but don't think she can't manage it with her ability to deal with large groups of people!

In her work, Miss Russell has put on pageants in all of the Southeastern States as far West as Oklahoma and as far North as Maryland. Most of these pageants are of a historical or civic

nature, while others are planned to carry out the themes of conventions and other meetings. For example, some of the themes have been cotton, paper, different flowers and tobacco. In selecting the theme for each pageant, the work has only begun. After that come days of planning, every bit of which is original; historical research, the drawing up of plans and script for each particular phase or scene of the festival, outlining the music and dance routines, designing and making the costumes, preparing the sets, and the final task of enlisting local participants and arranging and pushing forward their rehearsals. The rehearsals are proportionate to the number of participants since a show using several thousand people does not need as many rehearsals as one using only a few hundred.

When a particularly large pageant is planned for a casting committee precedes the arrival of Miss Russell. With the assistance of local civic groups and the interest of the people in taking part in a festival planned solely for their own State or town, a cast is rapidly assembled and the project can go into rehearsal as soon as the directors arrive.

(This is the first in a series of two articles on Miss Russell's activities. The second will appear next week on this page.)

Convoing Expensive

Guest Finds Hostess Inconsiderate

By Emily Post.

I have a special reason for wanting to describe the following situation: A senior at a large university was invited "into town" to dine at the house of a leading hostess whom he didn't know at all well. He and a young woman present were the only unmarried guests at a dinner of 14. When time came to leave, the hostess asked him so that many others heard her, to take Miss Unmarried home.

When telling of this later, he said he felt that this suggestion should have been up to him. The girl knew most of the others very well and several lived in her immediate neighborhood, and it seemed to him probable that they would gladly have taken her home. As it was, he had to telephone for a taxi and drive two miles out of his way, besides which he thought the hostess placed both him and the girl in an embarrassing position by setting herself up as sort of match-maker.

Of this last idea, I can say "not likely," and of the custom, "I have heard of it many times as being usual in many localities. In fact, I know of two or three cities where each unmar-

ried man is telephoned and told to fetch the girl who is to be his dinner partner. He then calls for her, is seated next to her at table, and is also expected to see her home.

In other words, a man and girl who may perhaps not like each other at all, or who (as in this instance) are total strangers, are forced to spend a great part of the evening tete-a-tete. Not only this but it can easily make John Senior afraid to accept an invitation for fear he will be obliged to fetch Miss Unmarried from perhaps three miles beyond the city limits and to see her home again.

My reason for answering this is that I receive letters throughout every winter season from young men of very limited means, telling me that they can't afford to accept many invitations because of the uncertainty as to whether the girl they are told to call for lives at a too expensive distance. I hope, therefore, that some of the hostesses who have seen no fault in this custom, perhaps may get a view of a young man's side and decide upon a more practical way to bring young girls to their parties and send them home again.

Quality Counts

'The Fewer the Better' Is Slogan

By Helen Vogt

Incongruous as it may seem to one not possessed of a feminine turn of mind, the fact remains that when women start watching their budgets, they also start buying more expensive clothes. Actually, it's easily explained, to even the most skeptical masculine observer. It seems that when women get the idea that there may be difficulties about clothes, that pennies are to be watched and one dress made to do the work of three, they realize that quality must become the watchword. A fine dress of good material, with simple, wearable lines, will "come through" for them for several seasons, whereas a cheap frock, no matter how attractive, when purchased, just can't stand the pace for very long.

This gradually increasing idea, experts tell us, has been responsible for the impetus given better clothes this year. Ever since the first collections shown in September, the accent has been on quality, called from time to time "elegance" or even "luxury," although the latter term is not quite true. However, Mrs. America is shying off, more and more, from the "fads," the too highly styled clothes that become worthless after only a few months. She is taking, instead, to better clothes that give her a well-groomed feeling, the sort of feeling that will continue for more than a season.

American designers have helped immeasurably. When they first took up the fashion leadership title abandoned by Paris, they were uncertain, afraid to be too original, not knowing exactly where and how to start. At first, there was a great deal of "hang-over" from the last Paris collections, but now, most fashionists agree, the American designer has proved himself a person of vision, has succeeded in creating wearable, attractive clothes just right for the active lives of American women.

Take the new softer shoulder and sleeve—a typically American style both comfortable and smart. Or, take the brand-new interest in what is called "formalized play clothes"—a new feeling for home fashions that seems to arise from women's demand for

something comfortable and not too formal for "at home" wear. These newly created modes are more highly styled than the ordinary play clothes, yet less than the dinner gown or hostess robe. At any rate, the embryonic idea also is truly American and most original.

When our good friend Alice Burrows, associate editor of Vogue, was in town last week, these questions and many of the answers arrived with the luncheon entree. Because fashion runs in a cycle, many experts believe that we now are embarking on the upward swing, having just completed one dizzy fashion loop. In this "new order" they foresee more wearable, flattering clothes, among them the longer skirt. The new dipping hemline, for example, is what Miss Burrows calls an "eye trainer," one of the first steps in bringing down hemlines all the way around. The calf-length and ballet-length skirts, so widely discussed, are other forerunners of the trend, she believes.

A peek into the spring picture indicates that those "lived in" suits will be more popular than ever. Huge prints, many of them carried over from the resort season, also will flourish, and the new colors, at which local fashion girls got a look, seem really wonderful, with watermelon pinks and bright blues (to replace the hard-to-get navy) among the offerings. Most of the fashion world has complete faith in the ingenuity and resourcefulness of manufacturers and designers. Dye problems will be solved, perhaps by having a little less wide range of colors, perhaps by making them lighter to conserve the necessary ingredients. Synthetic stone jewelry has been processed so beautifully that the stones now have great fire and sparkle, and other substituted items will be just as effective.

But the main thing to remember as you hear more and more about all the problems of fashion is that fine quality is most important. You needn't buy dresses priced at hundreds of dollars, but it's a sound idea to buy the most wearable, flattering clothes you can find.

Watch Your Phone Manners!

By Patricia Lindsay

As telephoning is fast growing to be a major occupation in America, it becomes imperative that girls and women improve their telephone manners and speech. For it is a definite fact that a woman's charm and character can be judged by listening to her voice over the telephone.

How you answer the telephone, the voice you use, and what you say, quickly catalogue you—your rating of importance and the attention your telephoned message receives depends entirely upon you.

The best policy in answering the telephone is to be courteous even though the call may have caught you at a very busy time, or if it is from a person to whom you do not care to speak. One should be cordial but definite instead of rude and abrupt.

The friendly voice but efficient manner rates highly with important employers. I have known businessmen to choose their sec-

retaries for their telephone technique instead of for their beauty, as is popularly supposed! For an employer the telephone is a very important instrument. It serves to sell him or what he is selling. He does not wish customers or clients to be "received" over it ungraciously or to be rudely questioned as to "what do you want?" He wishes them to be received as graciously as if he were greeting them personally in his office—he desires a "good impression" to be radiated of his office and methods of doing business.

Too many women talk over the telephone as if they feared the instrument was going to bite them. They clip their speech, shrill their voices in an effort to talk loudly, and usually hang up

sweet as if the call were for you from one of your best friends. "One moment, please," you can say, "I will see if she is here." Do not make the person who is calling feel it is a great annoyance for you to do so!

One other warning I want to make may seem contrary to all I have said above. But it is not. Under no circumstances should you drag out the telephone conversation if the other person indicates she or he would like to terminate it, nor should you be too friendly or too chatty over a business phone. There is a pleasant degree of friendliness which all clerks or secretaries should learn.

Come On, Tell Us All

If, as newcomers to Washington, you have some problems that puzzle you along various lines, the staff of the Woman's Page is ready and eager to help you. Just address your question to the Woman's Page of The Evening Star and it will be answered in this column as quickly as space permits. If you wish a personal reply, inclose a stamped, self-addressed envelope with your request. No names will appear in the column.

Edited by Betsy Caswell

Q. I have spilled a bottle of ink on the hardwood floor in my room. Where the shellac on the floor was unscarred, the ink did not penetrate, due to my quick use of a blotter, but there is one spot as large as the palm of my hand which has penetrated into the wood and in spite of all my scouring refuses to come off. Is there anything that will get the ink out of the floor? I would like to do this myself, as it was my fault, and my landlady is so considerate I hate to add this detail to her burdens.

A. Oxalic acid solution will take care of this for you. Get 1 ounce of powdered oxalic acid at the drug store. Mix this with one pint of hot water. Apply this solution to the ink spot with a brush or cloth and let it stand 10 minutes. This may be repeated several times until the spot disappears. Then wash it up with weak ammonia water. After this has dried for several days, a good coat of wax will bring back some color into the wood and finish the surface.

Q. One of the girls in our department is leaving to be married and a group of us would like to present her with a gift. We have collected about \$25 for this purpose, but are at a loss as to the type of present, best suited to her situation. She is marrying a man who travels and for some time to come will not have a place of her own. Can you offer any helpful suggestions?

A. A large fitted suitcase of durable leather would be excellent in this case. However, if you find she has all the equipment necessary in this line we would suggest such articles as a handsome leather portfolio, a folding electric iron, or a clock fitted into a leather case with two front flaps for holding pictures.

Q. What kind of suit can I buy for "all-purpose" wear? I want something that may be worn to office in the morning, but which will also look well for cocktail or informal dinner engagements.

A. Choose a two-piece type in a monotone, preferably one which buttons up close under the chin. You can wear this with casual accessories and blouse for office; dress it up with a small, perky hat and an appropriate bit of jewelry for other occasions. Don't select too heavy or

"tweedy" a fabric if you wish to wear it for all occasions. A well-fitted jacket, perhaps one with a modified dolman sleeve, is a new and excellent choice.

Q. How important are "party calls" in Washington? Out where I come from nobody ever thinks about them—in fact, anybody who went around leaving cards after a party at her best friend's house would be thought definitely "queer." But some one told me that such calls were absolutely necessary here in the East.

A. Even here in Washington you would not have to leave cards after a party at your best friend's house—if she were your contemporary and had no official position. However, if you are invited to dine at the home of a much older woman, or one who is entertaining in an official capacity, you must leave cards within the next three days—the very next day is best. Dinners at embassies or legations require cards left the next day.

Make Your Own Choice

By Dorothy Dix.

Dear Miss Dix: I am a university graduate who has been out in the world making her own living for a number of years. Until a few months ago I was engaged to a young man whom I loved very dearly, but whom I gave up because my parents objected to him for reasons that seemed trivial to me. I have never known a happy day since I broke my engagement. Surely at my age and with my experience of life my marriage should have been a matter for me to determine alone, inasmuch as the man is also a college graduate, respectable and comes from a home of good people in average circumstances. I still love him greatly. What would you suggest?

DOROTHY.

Answer—I would suggest that you call the young man back and marry him. I think that the only time in my life that I have not interfered in their children's marriages is when a boy and girl are too young and too immature to know what they want in a husband or wife, or when there is some serious defect in the characters of the man or woman their daughters or sons are in love with, or some

'One Room, Share Bath'

Old-Fashioned Chill Box Regaining Popularity

Presto-change! And the suave sitting room becomes an efficient and charming little kitchen, ready to turn out tempting refreshments for the gang when they drop in. An old-fashioned cooling box takes care of the chilled foods problem.

By Margaret Nowell.

If you like to cook, there is no reason why you should not "keep your hand in" at the same time you pursue a career in the "big city." Many rooming houses in town will grant the privilege of electric cooking apparatus to be plugged in, but be sure that the landlady knows what you are planning to do, and that you have the proper type of outlet to handle the extra load of electricity.

It will be necessary, of course, to keep some foods cold, and ice-boxes being out of the question, the next step is a return to "pioneer days" with a cold box you may rig up yourself. A wooden box 12 by 12 by 16 inches will be large enough. Knock the bottom out of the box and cover it with wire netting. Place it on your window sill with the netting side toward the glass. Make a flap for the box out of a turkish towel which may be gathered at the top with a draw string and extended to the base of the box. Place a flat pan filled with water on the top of the box. Tabs from the cloth cover should rest in this pan so that the towel is kept moist at all times by water seeping by capillary action into the covering. Keep the window raised at least an inch, so that air blowing through the damp towel will keep contents cool and fresh.

A card table set for four, or a buffet service will work out very well. To save laundry, use glazed paper or plastic place mats which are most inexpensive and may be used many times. Paper napkins are also in order.

White cutlery with bright or pastel colored handles, and salt and pepper shakers to match are most attractive. Dishes and glassware may be as gay as April for a nickel or a dime, and with all of this you still may save money on the food budget, "live better and like it."

If you want to "show off" a bit, ask the boy friends in for a buffet supper (with the landlady's permission of course). They won't mind sitting on the floor if you can turn out a baked meat loaf, stuffed potatoes, a green salad and hot rolls and coffee. The salad out of the "chill" box, the loaf, potatoes and rolls out of the electric roaster—and the guests might bring in ice cream for dessert.



Chill Box

This is not recommended for storage of meats, as it is not as efficient as refrigeration, but it will keep butter and eggs cool, salad greens crisp, and vegetables moist for several days. Be sure to remember to fill the pan with water. The towel covering should be wrung out in cold water to start, and a good plan is to make 2 covers so that they may be laundered.

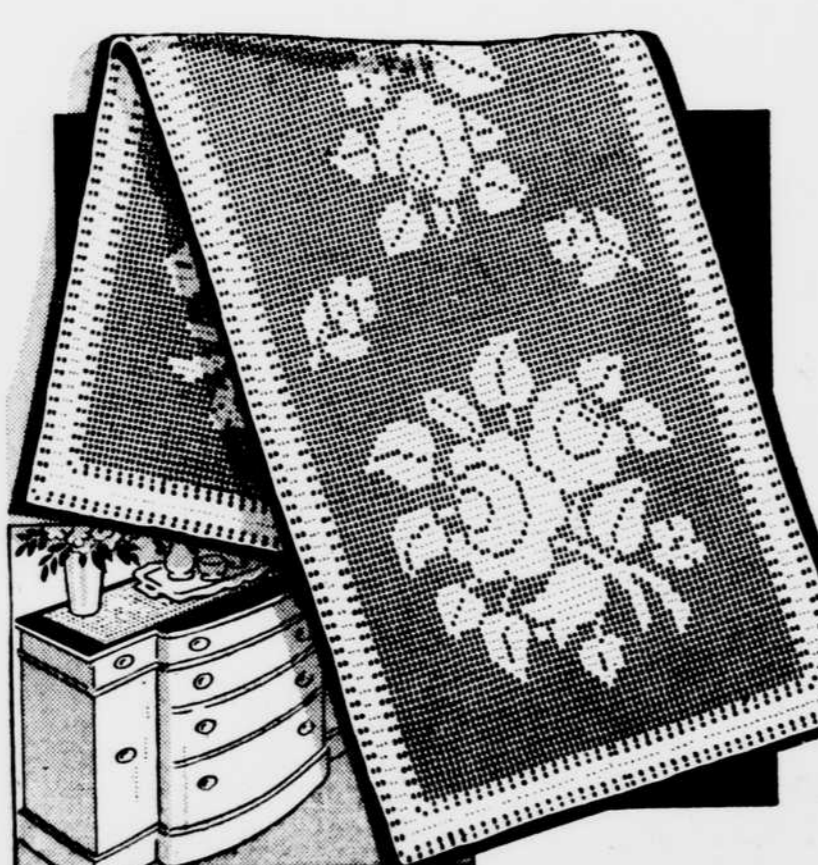
A folding screen in one corner of your room may conceal your "kitchen." A counter top with shelves below or a table with

Lacy Filet Scarf Easy to Make

By Baroness Piantoni

Very often we have requests for runners of specific dimensions. Women need scarfs to fit certain pieces of furniture. This classic pattern of rose clusters on filet crochet will fill all requirements. It can be lengthened or shortened. Besides, it is the type of design which lends itself to both bedroom and living room. For delicate mesh, a fine mercerized cotton should be used. For large pieces of furniture and coarse mesh, use a heavier cotton with or without mercerized finish.

Every one more than appreciates something that has been made by loving hands, and for this reason gifts you work yourself are more than welcome. And even if you don't plan on giving the scarf away—wouldn't it add a lot of charm to that furnished room that has become your temporary home?



Send 15 cents for No. 1495 to The Needlework Editor of The Evening Star.

Building and Loan Leaders Return From Conclave

By EDWARD C. STONE. Most of the members of the District Building and Loan League...

Stock Prices Remain In Narrow Groove At Week's Close

By VICTOR EUBANK. Associated Press Financial Wire. NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—Assorted stocks took brisk bites at recovery...

NEW YORK STOCKS, BONDS AND CURRENCY MARKETS

By private wire direct to The Star.

Table with columns for Stock and Bond prices, including High, Low, and Close values for various securities.

CURB—Stocks

By private wire direct to The Star.

Table listing Curb stock prices for various companies and sectors.

Bache & Co. Increases Pay

L. B. Brubaker, manager of the Washington office of J. S. Bache & Co. New York Stock Exchange firm...

New York Cotton

By the Associated Press. NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—Cotton futures tended lower today under hedge selling and weekend liquidation...

Washington Exchange

Table showing Washington Exchange transactions for various securities.

TREASURY

Table listing Treasury bond and note transactions.

BONDS

Table listing various bond issues and their prices.

Curb Bonds

Table listing Curb bond prices for different categories.

STOCKS

Table listing major stock prices and market activity.

DOMESTIC BONDS

Table listing domestic bond prices and yields.

Foreign Exchange

Table showing foreign exchange rates for various currencies.

Baltimore Stocks

Table listing Baltimore stock market prices.

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Table listing Chicago grain market prices.

MORTGAGE LOANS

Table listing mortgage loan rates and terms.

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Tackle That Costs Tackler's Team Loop Laurels Caps Grid Season Oddities

Win, Lose or Draw

By FRANCIS E. STAN.

Looking Back to That Night in May

A note from Izzy Kline, the well-known trainer, discloses that Buddy Baer is back in the East again and preparing for his January 9 engagement for the heavyweight championship with Joe Louis.

Brother Max Had No Left Hand, Either

The Big Baer established that night that he was one of the most courageous men who ever fought Louis. It was known all the time that he possessed a magnificent physique and that he could hit with his right hand.

Even Handers Showed a New Admiration

We talked with Baer after the fight. The big boy's face was a mass of bruises, his lips cut and puffed. But a happier fighter never lived. He had made a great fight and he knew it.

Obviously Louis Is Getting No Better

Now he's back and Kline says, further, that he's been working on the inept appendage for months, or almost as soon as he reached California. If this is so, and if Baer can make it work against Louis, there may be a new world champion crowned indoors next month.

Rams Give Missouri One Fear; Can't Pronounce Foes' Names

Tigers' Coach Confident He Can Cross Notre Dame System With His T

COLUMBIA, Mo., Dec. 6.—Even Missouri's sorrel-topped Maurice Wade, sophomore running star, is getting gray hairs among the red. Mention Fordham and you get a shudder in return.

Card Game Is 'Homecoming' for Old Chibears

Stars of Pro Football's Lean Days to Rally Tomorrow

Intersectional Tilts Top Slim Football Bill

Texas Ag Game With Washington State Day's Standout

By HAROLD CLAASSEN, Associated Press Sports Writer. NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—A game that might have been a preview of the January 1 Rose Bowl contest—Texas A. & M. vs. Washington State—will be played today in a Tacoma, Wash., high school stadium with approximately 27,000 fans in attendance.

Two Tilts in California

Mississippi State makes its first start since winning the Southeastern Conference flag by going again to San Francisco University in another intersectional tilt billed for the West Coast.

Hawaiian Invasions Due

Their invasion of the pineapple isles is the first of three by mainland eleven this month. San Jose State has a date for a week from today and the University of Nevada makes the long journey for a December 20 game.

Western Grid Playoff Is Up to Bear-Card Clash Tomorrow

Champs, If Winners, Must Face Green Bay Week Later for Crown

By The Associated Press. NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—Chicago's Cardinals are out of the running, but their performance tomorrow when the National Professional Football League reaches the end of the 1941 campaign will determine whether there will be one-post season playoff or two.

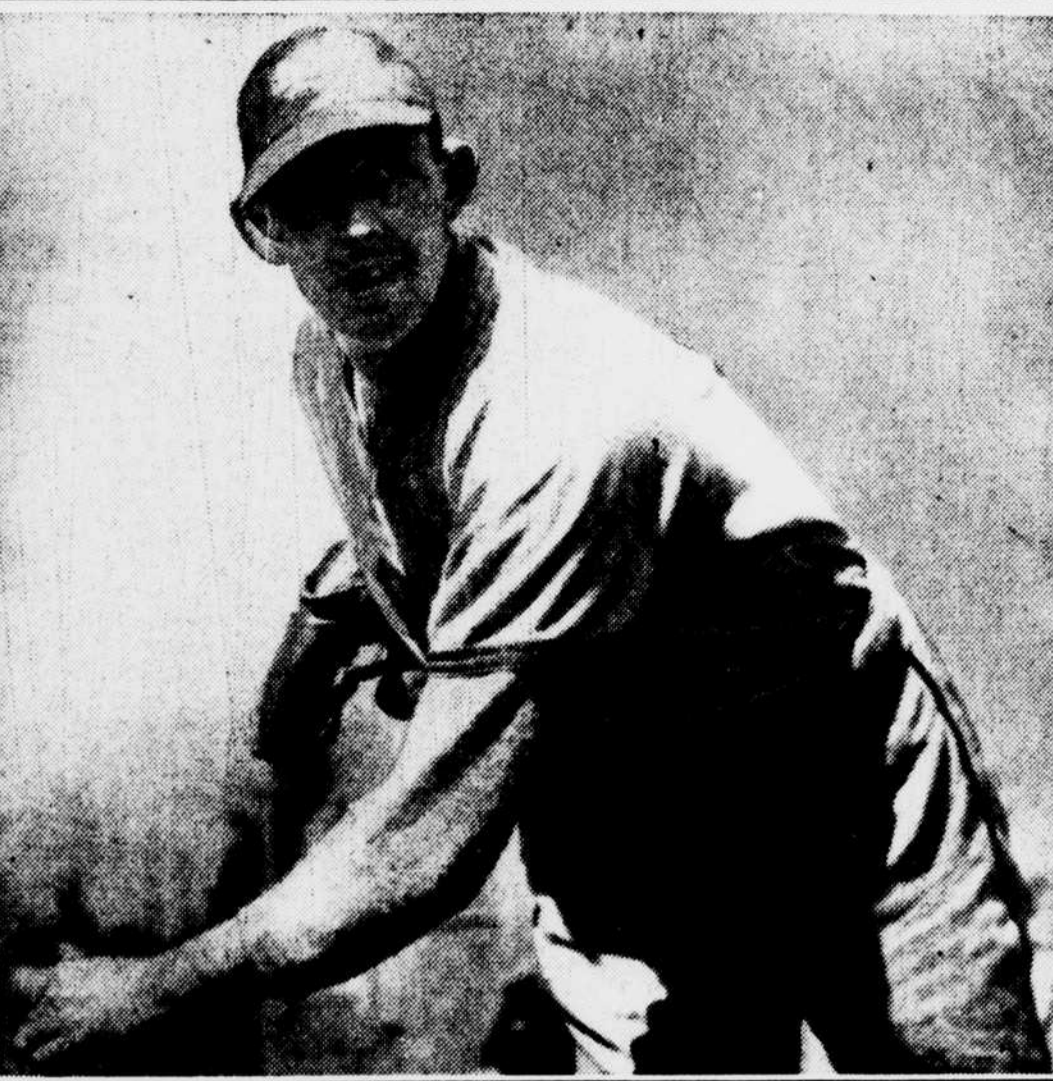
The Cardinals collide with the defending champion Chicago Bears, who need a victory to tie the Green Bay Packers at the top of the Western division.

Card Game Is 'Homecoming' for Old Chibears

Stars of Pro Football's Lean Days to Rally Tomorrow



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Miami Grid Season A Success as V. M. I. Falls in Thriller

21-Yard Field Goal Kicked In Last 62 Seconds Wins Finale for Hurricanes

By The Associated Press. MIAMI, Fla., Dec. 6.—Miami counted the football season a success today while the town still was agog over the story-book ending to the last game, with Virginia Military Institute.

Banta Stars Against Bears

There are those who think that Banta never received a fair trial with the Redskins, despite his established reputation for kicking, running and passing.

Helen Jacobs Ranked No. 1 in Middle States Women's Tennis Now

By The Associated Press. PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 6.—Helen Jacobs, former national and Wimbledon champion, today held top ranking on the Middle States women's tennis list.

G. P. O. Riflemen Score Third Win in League

Three victories in four matches fired this season is the record boasted by Government Printing Office rifle team.

Don Meade Will Leave For Florida Next Week

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Sports Mirror

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Sensational Race in Safeway Pin Loop Provides Sales Talk for U. S. Bond Tourney

Shows How Handicap System Gives All Square Chance

Five Teams Tied at Top With 20 Only Five Games Behind

By ROD THOMAS.
In one of the hottest duckpin races on record, the Safeway Stores League, C. E. Bittender, with an average of a five well Monday night when members of the grocers' giant circuit used their league scores as qualification sets in The Star's Defense Bond tournament.

Of 34 teams, five are tied for first place, with the lead shared by St. Ann's, Bakers, and Davis. Safeway, Safco, Superb Soap and Royal Satin.

In a league as large as the Safeway, a five-way deadlock for first place may not be remarkable, but here is a fact that is: No less than 20 teams are within five games of the leaders.

Accounting in great measure for the tight pennant struggle is a handicap system which provides a bowler with two-thirds of the difference between his average and scratch.

It ought to be close.
If a two-thirds handicap will produce competition as close as that in the Safeway League, what may be expected in The Star tournament in which a vast majority of the participants, men and women, will receive full handicaps? There will be given league bowlers with scratch for men set at 129 and for women at 120. Men without league averages this or last season will be rated at 115 and women at 100.

The top bowler of the Safeway League, C. E. Bittender, with an average of 135, will receive 13 in a game in the tournament, but will concede many more than that to most of the members of his own circuit in the city-wide scramble for a long list of prizes. The Safeway League president, Fred W. Smith, is of the opinion that the tournament offers equal opportunity for all. The firing will start Monday at all alleys in the Metropolitan District with the qualification round to terminate a week from tomorrow.

Prelim Prizes Attractive.
One-half of the participants at each main pin will survive for the roll-off in which most of the prize fund will be split, but the awards in the preliminary will be far more attractive than those given in the vast majority of major duckpin tournaments.

"It's tough to make some low-average bowlers believe they have a chance in this tournament," said one alley manager after talking himself hoarse before selling a league of new bowlers, "but most of the prizes, you can bet your hat, will go to the men and women with big handicaps. A lot will surprise themselves with scores a star would consider useless, but it will be worth the effort to a dollar a week of luck."

"To show how wrong may be the attitude of some low-average bowlers, consider the case of the fellow who won the American Legion Sweepstakes, which was held with high handicaps. He entered with an average of 78."

Pin shooters desiring further information on the tournament should consult their alley managers.

Brewers' Quint to Get First Test Tonight

In Tilt With Sphas

How much, if any, better than last season are the still-undefeated Washington basketball players to be answered for the first time tonight when they go to Philadelphia to tackle the American League champions Sphas.

The Sphas, like the Brewers, have a clean record and the leadership of the league will be at stake. Coach Mack Posnak can thank his new 6-foot-7 center, Herman Knuppel, for keeping his team's schedule clean last night when the Brewers took a 28-22 decision from the New York Crescents in an exhibition game at Turner Arena.

After playing a great defensive game Knuppel dropped in two shots in the last minute and a half of play to break a tie with 4 points the visitors couldn't match. A former Penn State star, Knuppel led both teams with 13 points.

Coach Murray to Speak At Virginia Smoker

Coach Frank Murray of Virginia's football team and several of his players who went through their season with only one defeat will be guests tonight at an alumni smoker at the Willard Hotel at 8 o'clock.

In addition to a speech by Murray, the dinner will feature the American player Bill Dudley, the program will feature movies of the Virginia-North Carolina game.

Missouri's 'T' Formation Rated Superior to Stanford's

Boxer Burman Has 'Muscles of Iron, Ears of Tin and Heart of Gold, but Lead in His Feet'

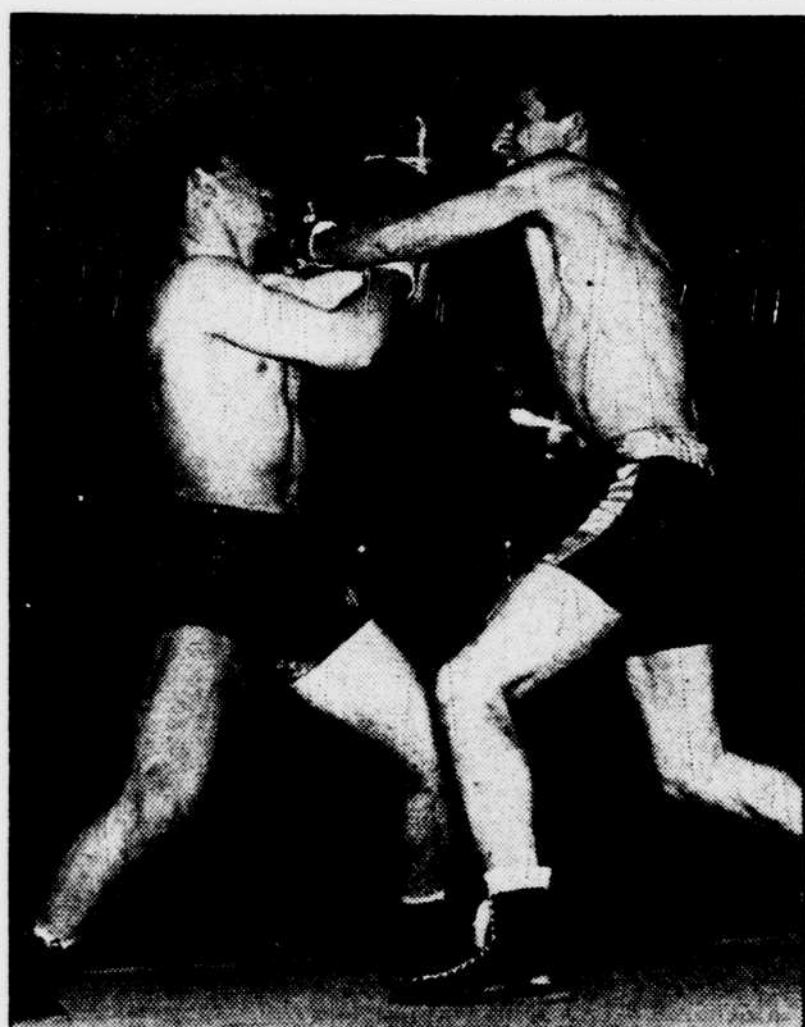
By HUGH FULLERTON, Jr., Associated Press Sports Writer.
NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—The reason most of the major leaguers pulled out early from the Jacksonville baseball meetings was to give their aching dogs a rest before resuming the lobby patrol next week in Chicago. Which reminds us that when the old Waldorf Hotel where the confab used to be held here was torn down, the late Bill McGeehan wanted a slab of its marble floor as a monument to his worn-out pedal extremities.

Looks as if the Montgomery (Ala.) Blue-Gray sports classic is out to steal some thunder from the Suzar Bowl program. Latest addition is a two-day bowling tournament involving teams from northern and southern cities. In 14 seasons that Hank Iba has coached basket ball at Oklahoma City, Cassien (Mo.) and Louisville (Mo.) Teams, Colorado U. and Oklahoma Aggies, there's been only one year when his team wasn't first or second in its league. Rudy Schwencik, who died recently in Louisville, was credited with introducing the spittal to organized baseball.

Vivid verbiage—Describing what happened to Heavyweight Red Burman in Cleveland the other night, James E. Doyle of the Plain Dealer wrote: "Mr. Burman has muscles of iron, ears of tin and a heart of gold—but there's lead in his feet." Jack Troy of the Atlanta Constitution describes Larry MacPhail as "the moose-voiced president of the Brooklyn Dodgers whose pop eyes are reminding of two breakfast eggs straight up."

Odds—and some ends—Ample Abe Simon postcards from Milford (Pa.) that he's getting back into shape to fight. Mrs. Dixie Walker says she doesn't mind being a baseball widow all summer, but it's too much when she has to be an oratory widow during the knife-and-fork season, too. For your future bob: Robert St. Brown, Metropolitan University quarterback from Hempstead (L. I.) High, is headed for West Point. He's a coaching product of Joe Fay, who has used the "T" formation for the last 22 years. The Montreal Canadiens have turned Brown, Montreal University star in the past year. If you're still asking who is Yehoodi, Dick Case of the United States Trotting Association reports it is a brown filly by Peter Song-Dolly Hanover, owned by W. J. Scism and son of Red Hook, N. Y. The subject of a debate recently in Minneapolis was: "Resolved, That there is more wood in the head of the golfer than there is in the head of the golf club."

Today's guest star—Dennis Brown, Metropolitan (Mich.) Monitor. "I have no appointment of John Lambert to the Phillies. It was a sentence. The Phillies have finished in last



FAST AND FURIOUS—One of the most sizzling matches staged in the Golden Gloves boxing last night at Uline Arena was that between Frank Swart of Merrick Boys' Club (left) and George Corcoran, St. Mary's club. These 160-pounders slugged toe-to-toe almost from start to finish of the three rounds and both practically were out on their feet at the final bell. Corcoran was the winner.

John L. Sullivan Among Boxers Who Score in Golden Gloves

Battles Like Old 'Boston Strong Boy' For Decision Over J. C. C.'s Golomb

The famous name of John L. Sullivan is back on active duty in the boxing world. It belongs to a good-looking step-grandnephew of the tough old heavyweight champion, a youngster just turned 16 and who made his debut in outside ring competition last night in the 118-pound division of the Golden Gloves Tournament opening at Uline Arena.

Representing Merrick Boys' Club, Johnny outboxed Jack Golomb of the Jewish Community Center to earn a three-round decision. He has been fighting within his club for about two years, but last night was the first time he has stepped against an outside opponent.

This was only one of 21 good bouts on last night's lively novice card. Most exciting was the middleweight argument between George Corcoran of St. Mary's Club and Frank Swart of Merrick. The boys slugged their way through three torrid rounds that had the customers on their feet all the way, with Corcoran pulling away with the nod.

Another crowd-lifter was the 126-pound battle between Pete Takes Horse of National Training School and Dominick Marvao of Prince Georges Police Boys' Club. They lacked a little in science, but a willingness to take and give punches had both exhausted at the finish, with Marvao winning a close decision.

On the classy boxing side was Jimmy Hubbard, 135-pounder from Apollo, who fought his way to a smart decision over Ira Kaplan of Police Boys' Club. All of last night's bouts didn't go the limit, however. Four ended in knockouts and five were technical knockouts.

160-pounder (George Corcoran (Apollo Club) won forfeit over Tony Anastasia (Prince Georges Police Boys' Club).

Morris Brown Eleven Meets North Carolina Foe Today for Title

By the Associated Press.
COLUMBUS, Ga., Dec. 6.—A claim to the Nation's Negro football championship was at stake today in clash of Morris Brown of Atlanta and North Carolina College for Negroes of Durham, both unbeaten this season.

The Atlanta, Southern Intercollegiate Conference champions, have not been tied this season and the North Carolinians, Colored Intercollegiate Athletic Association titlists, have been tied once.

The C. I. A. A. champs worked out during a stopover in Atlanta yesterday and Coach W. F. Burghardt said they were in good shape for battle. John "Big Train" Moody also led Morris Brown through light training routine.

Grant Ward Dead

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Dec. 6.—Grant P. Ward, 53, long a member of Ohio's General Assembly and known widely as an authority on football and other sports, died unexpectedly of a heart attack last night. He was an assistant football coach at Ohio State University during the regime of Coach Jack Wilce, and for the past decade broadcast Ohio State games.

Knockout Is Expected When Slugging Furr, Belloise Battle

Sieve Belloise, who is slated to exchange wallops with Phil Furr at Uline Arena on Wednesday night, was to arrive here today, work out at Catholic University and probably issue the stereotyped announcement that he expects a tough scrap but he's ready, etc.

Steve also was to be cautioned by Matchmaker Johnny Atteil net to take Furr too lightly. That would be disastrous, it seems, for Atteil is saying, "Phil looks terrific and it'll be a real war—one that's a good bet to wind up in a knockout."

Furr's communique are ominous. "I'm going to stick my chin out early and show this guy how to take a punch," says Phil. bravely. "After I take the heat out of him I'll go to work."

La Bonte Grid Leader

STANTON, Va., Dec. 6.—Victor LaBonte has been elected captain of the Robert E. Lee High School football team for 1942. He succeeds Adolph Null, who has led the team during the past two seasons. Albert Greenstone has been chosen manager to succeed Arthur P. Anderson, Jr.

place so many times that they'll be yelling, 'Break up the Braves' soon.'
Cleaning the cuff—Pee Wee Reese figures it was just a dodge when the Dodgers asked for waivers on Dolph Camilli. He thinks they really want to slip some other infielder—maybe Pete Coscarate—down to the farm. The Golden Gate horse track has been reorganized, with Walter Wells, the breeder and pipe company man, helping out, and the California Racing Commission is supposed to be ready to okay it. For their first co-op boxing show the other night, Milwaukee pugs decided to give passes only to officials, employes and working press—which probably earned them plenty of thanks from the sports ed. Don Pierce, this corner's Big Six spy, claims Milwaukee's version of the "T" is safer than Stanford's and just as deceptive.

High School Elevens Scramble for Bid To Miami Bowl

Coach Is Bombarded With Calls and 70 Feelers Are Out Over Nation

By JOHN WILDS, Associated Press Sports Writer.
MIAMI, Fla., Dec. 6.—There's nothing like it in college football, this annual scramble among the Nation's unbeaten high school elevens for a chance to play in Miami's Christmas night intercollegiate tournament. Miami High School, perennial city champion, and as such the host team, has had feelers boosting nearly 70 schools from coast to coast.

"I've mighty near had to leave home," says Coach Jesse Yarborough, bombarded with telephone calls, telegrams and letters from Senators, Governors, Mayors and just plain citizens, each advancing his favorite team.

"It's the big bowl game for the high schools, and they all want to come," he added. "We can make it any sort of inter-sectional line-up that we want—South against East, South against Midwest, South against Far West."

A major collegiate team with a jam-up record and a hankering for holiday travel can sit back and wait for an invitation that's sure to come from one of the five or more New Year Day bowl shows.

With the high schoolers, it's different. More teams get through unbeaten, and the number of post-season games is fewer.

Six schools still are in the running for a bid here—Fremont High of Oakland, Calif.; City College High of Baltimore, Tilden Tech of Chicago, Fordson of Dearborn, Mich.; Salem, Mass. and Memphis Tech.

There's a strong hunch here that Fremont may be the choice, because of the training power of a California-Florida duel. City College, winner of 61 consecutive high school games, also is strongly favored.

Miami has managed to break even in games since the classic first was played in 1928.

Lions Will Have Shot At Lead if They Beat Pittsburgh Tonight

Washington Club Faces Springfield Tomorrow; Indianapolis Holds Key

Special Dispatch to The Star.
PITTSBURGH, Dec. 6.—If the Washington Lions can get past the Pittsburgh Hornets here tonight they may be in a position to take over the Eastern Division lead of the American Hockey League tomorrow night when they face the Springfield Indians at Washington.

It depends on the Indianapolis Capitols, running the Western Division to suit themselves, whether the Eastern Division will be muddled further by tomorrow night. New Haven, Springfield and Washington head the Eastern group in that order with only a game between first and third places.

As Indianapolis opens a five-game road tour tonight against Springfield and continues tomorrow against New Haven and Washington, the Capitals whether the Eastern situation will become more confused.

New Haven battles the Philadelphia Rockets tonight and Springfield visits Washington's Uline Arena tomorrow night.

In the Western race the Cleveland Barons, league playoff champions, may be dropped into third place without being able to do anything about it. At home tonight to the Providence Reds, the Barons will have an open date tomorrow while Hershey plays host to the Buffalo Bisons tonight and journeys to Providence tomorrow.

With the exception of Indianapolis, which has won eight of its last nine games, Buffalo is the hottest team in the league. The Bisons, after dropping their first seven starts, has matched the losing streak with a winning one.

Fights Last Night

HOLLYWOOD.—Juan Zurita, 135, Monks, knocked out Gus Berard, 135, Idaho (1).
Chicago, Mass., knocked out Julio Geritano, 204, Spain (2).
New York, N. Y., Young, 146, Marine Corps, outpointed Billy Tordella, 146, Philadelphia (10).
PHILADELPHIA.—Ellis Phillips, 137, Philadelphia, outpointed Johnny Macrelline, 133, Philadelphia (10).
HIGHLAND PARK, N. J.—Gene Percy Cooper, 157, Trenton (8); Jack Kenny, 157, Trenton (8).
BOSTON.—Harvey T. Weller, 143, New York (7); Harvey T. Weller, 143, New York (7).
Worcester, Mass.—Howell King, 152, Detroit, won by technical knockout over Pat Mansini, 159, Philadelphia (4).

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Loose Again—Sergt. Henry Greenberg, Detroit Tigers' slugging star, tightens his tie while dressing for civilian life in his barracks at Fort Custer, Mich., after being mustered out of the Army yesterday, following a stretch of less than seven months.



—A. P. Wirephoto.

Montgomery Champs Off to Fast Start With Rout of Trainer Five

Bethesda-Chevy Chase Presents Fast Quint In 39-to-6 Victory

Bethesda-Chevy Chase High's basketball team, for two years champion of Montgomery County and representative of that section in The Star tournament and the Duke-Durham tournament both seasons, again is presenting a fast, accurate quint.

Only two letter men are returning, Bob Clemens and Dick Poerstel, but a number of good newcomers worked in well yesterday as the Barons opened the high school cage season by sinking National Training School, 39-6.

The Trainers were able to make only one goal from the floor through Bethesda's tight man-for-man defense. This was a variation from the Barons usual zone defense, but they shifted styles so as not to give away any secrets to Roosevelt, one of their future opponents and whose team was present in a scouting capacity yesterday.

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Barry's Grid Coaching Is Satisfactory to Losing Trojans

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LOS ANGELES, Dec. 6.—Sam Barry, who became Southern California's football coach on very short notice last August, "will be with us a long, long time," says President Rufus B. Von Klein Smid.

Barry did a "whole of a job" despite a shortage of material," Dr. Von Klein Smid told the school's home-coming banquet last night.

Barry, already basket ball coach and football scout for the Trojans, succeeded Howard Jones, who died last June. There had been considerable speculation whether he would keep the football post.

The Trojans, who have lost six of eight games this fall, play their finale this afternoon against their cross-town rivals, University of California at Los Angeles.

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New Team Match Code Planned Capital Duckpinners To Defend Titles in Week-End Meets

Major Changes in Play Are Proposed By Woodmont's Mrs. Theodore Peysler

By WALTER RECALLUM.
In addition to handicap revision one of the main jobs before the Women's District Golf Association during the coming months will be revision of the method of team play. This year the women, who happen to regard their team championship as an item outmeasuring mere tournaments in importance, played under a system devised by a committee headed by Mrs. G. E. Stratemeier. This method involved many changes, and on the whole, was satisfactory to most of the team members involved. But some changes have been deemed desirable.

There was little flexibility of membership on the teams for example, and there were other reasons why some change, in the opinion of many competitors, should have been made. All these changes have been embodied in the new team match method of play suggested by Mrs. Theodore Peysler of Woodmont.

Has Background of Experience.
Mrs. Peysler happens to be one of the older workers within the Women's District Golf Association, a woman whose thoughts always have been for the good of the association, and one who has contributed some worth-while improvements to that organization. The women en masse, may not know it, but the budget book is one of the Peysler recommendations. So when a woman with the experience and background of Mrs. Peysler draws up a team plan, it is worth more than casual consideration.

Major change in the Peysler team match plan, which will be first order of business at the initial meeting of the women next month, is that no team will play at its own club. This, of course, has been a bone of contention among some golfers who have claimed that a team has an undue advantage over its home course. Mrs. Peysler would eliminate that right off the bat.

Here are some of the other proposed changes: A committee of five, consisting of a chairman appointed by the president, the handicap chairman and each of the three field captains will direct the team play. Each club shall have not more than three teams, each team to consist of six players to be classified according to the total handicap.

One Substitute Allowed.
Each team shall be allowed one substitute for a particular match. The duties of the present regulations which caused some fuss this year.

In the fall there shall be a scheduled match between the two teams. The Kenwood pro is quite a family man, and will take the time off to visit the parents of Mrs. Diffebaugh around Christmas.

Meanwhile, George has gotten tired of watching his members pull their tee shots off to the left on the eighth hole. The greens force is building a new tee for the eighth hole well to the left of the present tee.

"I think it will give every one a straight shot at that green," said George. The hole is a par-3 affair, playing around 185 yards from the present tee.

High-Scoring Eagles Continue Streak by Beating Orioles, 6-4

Courteau Is Sparkplug As D. C. Hockeymen Win In Overtime Contest

Those who relish scoring with their ice hockey are finding no complaint with the Washington Eagles, for in a dozen Eastern Amateur League matches only once have the Eagles been restricted to one goal, and the goalie who registers a shut-out over Coach Redvers Mackenzie's outfit will be stamped a rarity.

Only once in the last two seasons, which covers some 77 games, have the Eagles been held scoreless. This season the Eagles have been averaging nearly five goals a game, and there are indications the customers love their ability to score.

Paid Gate Totals \$2,877.
Before 3,287 paying patrons, the largest hockey crowd of the year here, the Eagles thumped the Baltimore Orioles, 6-4, in an exciting overtime engagement last night at Riverside Stadium. It was the 35th straight game in which the Eagles avoided a shutout.

Not since the New York Rovers dealt Washington a 2-0 trimming early last February have the Eagles done so. Despite a protracted early this season Mackenzie's team continued to score and now has captured four of its last five games impressively.

Again it was little Paul Courteau, the Eagles' leading goal-getter and point-producer, who sparked the Eagles to victory last night. Courteau, who has scored nine goals and as many assists, broke a 4-4 tie at 6:50 of the overtime period and slim Len Burrage whipped home Washington's sixth goal in the final minute.

Courteau Sparks Rally.
It was Courteau who rallied the Eagles after they had blown a 4-1 lead in the third period. Les Mickey, Tom McCormack, Art Thompson and Courteau had constructed that margin, but the Orioles bounced back to lock the score as Goale Leith Dickey of the Eagles was given little protection.

Early in the third period Gerald Archambault and Bobby Cook nicked the Washington net to reduce the Eagles' lead to 4-3 and Bud Polley forced the game into overtime when he scored with little more than a minute of regulation time remaining.

Friends Gives Football Awards To Players on Five Elevens

A host of Friends School football players again are displaying sports letters after the annual awards night banquet last night at which five teams were feted and presented to a distinguished lot of guests.

Among those present were Supreme Court Justice William Douglas and Howard Odell, headfield coach at the University of Pennsylvania. Odell made a short speech and showed movies of Pennsylvania football games this season.

Those with awards are:
Atom letters—Presented by Allen J. White, coach. James H. Johnson, Ed. G. Miller, Jr., Bert G. Miller, Jr., D. J. Charles, J. Brown, G. George W. Russell, W. William G. Lodge, Thomas W. Marshall, Ed. Rodman Rockefeller, Richard Brown, Frazier, Moore, J. R. Burtchugli, J. Madden, R. Hard, W. Carver, T. Smith, D. Sullivan, M. Collins, T. Messinger, H. Omsness, P. Miller, T. Poole, W. Davis, O. Chrasoff, P. McCleary.

Lucy Rose Heads Field At Richmond, Wolfe in Baltimore Tourney

Metropolitan Washington bowlers will be defending titlesholders of two of the three out-of-town major duckpin attractions over the week-end as Lucy Rose fields today and tonight to retain her laurels in the Old Dominion Tournament at Richmond, while Perce Wolfe, the District bowler, will bid for his second victory in the Maryland State Open in Baltimore tomorrow.

While a bevy of Capital women rollers will swell the big field in the Old Dominion, Wolfe by way of warming up for his title defense is expected to be among the District sharpshooters firing in the Maple Lane singles in Norfolk tonight.

Landing second place in the Jefferson Open at Roanoke as his latest achievement, Lou Jenkins, the city's No. 1 bowler, with a brilliant record of finishing in the money 11 times in 14 major events this season, will be in the Capital contingent at Norfolk. So will Astor Clarke, Fred Murphy, Al Wright, Cletus Fannell and Ed Nash.

Viola Bechtold Stars.
Viola Bechtold gained the spotlight at Alexandria with top string of 156 in the Independent Ladies League. Her wallop also gave Ames Stores high team game honors of 575. Sierich of Washington Gas also sparkled with 366.

Banging out 124 and 343, Beulah Fletcher of Herfin's Lunch flashed in the Arlington Ladies League. Katherine Wallace's 322 paced highs of 534-1,502 as Bauserman Service sank Sher & Cohen.

Two special matches are carded at Arlington Bowling Center tonight with the five Goode brothers of Roanoke facing against Southern Iron Works quint of Alexandria and a selected Arlington women's team engaging Jefferson Recreation of Roanoke. Both matches are scheduled on adjoining alleys at 7:30. Martha Heffin, Kitty Rice, Floyda Wright, Kitty Hendricks and Lillian Copeland will compose the Arlington quint.

Brockdorff Sets Record.
Cal Brockdorff cracked a season record with 176 in the Silver Spring Business Men's League which paced Southern Maryland Seaford rollers' highs of 609-1,628 in a sweep over Wash Motors.

Tops with 155-394. Fisher led Claim to an odd-game win over Veterans in G. A. O. League at Convention Hall.

Paced by Corinne Hauser's 144-352, Lucie Jennings of Fischmann Yeast swamped Baltimore rollers in King Pin Ladies League. Emily McKnight's 135-325 gave Brentwood Drug Store a 2-1 win over King Pin.

Hoyas' Hockey Team Makes Debut Tonight Against La Salle

Georgetown University's ice hockey team will launch its season tonight at Riverside Stadium, stacking up against La Salle College of Philadelphia at 8 o'clock in the opener of a nine-game schedule.

The Hoyas won't be lacking in defensive effort, with 205-pound Mickey Ford and 218-pound George Perlich listed among their candidates. Other sturdy specimens are Hugh O'Neill, John Cassidy, John McQueeney, Bill Deegan, John Conway, Carl Routh, Al Yukna, Ben Werder, Phil Bernst, Bob Bender, Dick William and John Bernst.

Following La Salle the Hoyas will meet Pennsylvania, Catholic U., Temple, Penn State, Drexel, St. Joseph, Lehigh and Franklin and Marshall, with all games slated to be played at Riverside.

College Sports

Baseball Ball.
Washington, 54; Carnegie Tech, 27.
Syracuse, 30; Millersville Teachers, 44.
Detroit, 45; Handout, 218; Lumber, 44.
Edgewood Arsenal, 45; Blue Ridge, 33.
Troy, 41; Washington, 67; Fairmont, 26.
St. Johns, 45; Lenoir, 44.
Laurens, 45; Lenoir, 44.
Spartanburg, 30; Hawkesville, 25.
Laurens, 45; Lenoir, 44.
Parramatta Teachers, 30; Parramatta Normal, 28; Salem State, 28; Salem State, 28.
St. Lawrence University, 51; American International Teachers, 37; Lawrence Tech, 44; Transylvania (Ky.), 26.
Ottawa, 39; Colorado, 26.
Montreal, 44; Rio Grande, 45.
Georgetown (Ky.), 49; Elon, 44.
Tulane, 30; Loyola (Md.), 30.
Rider, 36; Kings, 33.
Oklahoma Baptist, 33; Penn State (Pa.), 25.
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Would Relocate By-Pass. The nearby Virginia authorities have been trying to have the by-pass relocated so that the hotel could be built, and County Manager Frank C. Hanrahan said yesterday that, in his opinion, the plans were not yet final and that Arlington planning officials still believe the alternate route they suggested could be substituted for the route provided in the plan.

"We don't want to be placed in the position of fighting the Government," he said. He added that he believes the proposed hotel "means as much to the District and to the Army and Navy" as it does to the county or any one else because of the housing accommodations it would provide.

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Youths Get 5 to 21 Years For Armed Robberies

Two youthful bandits received one of the stiffest sentences in recent months at District Court when Justice James W. Morris yesterday decreed that George C. Reidy, 21, and Edward R. Buckler, 18, each serve five years and three months to 21 years on seven charges of armed robbery.

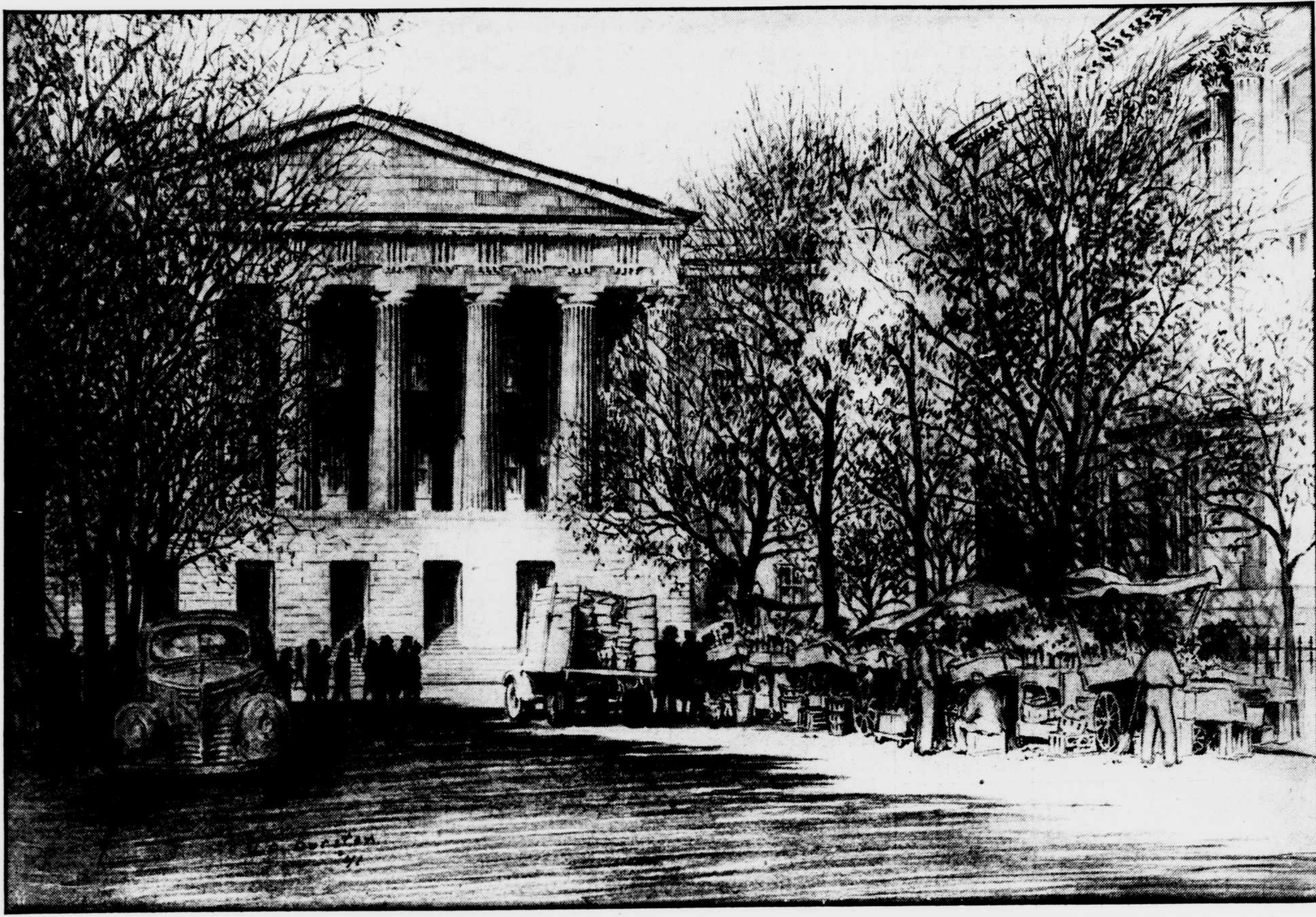
Assistant United States Attorney Stevan C. Miller advised the court that in some instances the pair hit their victims over the head with the butt end of their revolvers after they had taken their money away, and for no apparent reason but meanness.

Justice Morris observed that this was one of the most flagrant law violations that had come to his attention and characterized it as "a very serious offense." The jurist declared that the criminal careers of the youths "represented an orgy which can be considered as one continuing series of crimes." He imposed a sentence of nine months to three years in each of the seven robbery cases upon each defendant.

Sister Madeleva Speaker In Catholic Forum

Sister M. Madeleva, C. S. C., president of St. Mary's College, Notre Dame, Ind., and of the Catholic Society of America, will lecture at 3:30 p.m. tomorrow at the Willard Hotel under the auspices of the Charles Carroll Forum of Washington, Inc.

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Each Man Being Studied, He Tells Criminal Justice Unit Board

Maj. Edward J. Kelly, superintendent of police, yesterday told the Board of Directors of Washington Criminal Justice Association that a further shake-up of the Detective Bureau is coming.

Speaking at the board's quarterly luncheon meeting at the Willard Hotel, the police head said a careful study of the qualifications of each member of the bureau and its operation is still under way. The bureau's personnel already has undergone considerable change as part of the Police Department reorganization that grew out of a congressional inquiry last summer.

Thorough Survey Asked. "In the Detective Bureau—that unit where we should be strongest—we have been very weak," Maj. Kelly said. "But we are not through working to make it better. At present a careful study of each man and the bureau's workings is going on.

"We feel that every member should be able to conduct any kind of an investigation that might be needed. Unfortunately, we have some who do not measure up to that standard, but before we were through we hope to have a very creditable unit."

G. Howland Shaw, member of the board, suggested that a "thorough-going survey" of the crime situation here be undertaken by the association as the only means of presenting a "complete picture of the present problem. Separate studies of parole, probation, sentences and other phases present the situation in only 'piecemeal' fashion, he said.

After a brief discussion, it was decided that he and Dr. James A. Nolan, director of the association, should confer on the matter.

Special Assistant to Knox Returns to Newspaper Field

John P. O'Keefe, special assistant to the Secretary of the Navy, today resigned his position to return to his former post as an official of the Chicago Daily News. He said he wished to return because additional administrative functions brought on by publication of the new Chicago Sun in the News plant requires his return.

Lt. Comdr. Edward A. Hayes, Naval Reserve, now on duty in the Office of the Chief of Naval Operations, will succeed Mr. O'Keefe in the Secretary's office. Comdr. Hayes was national commander of the American Legion in 1933, and before coming to Washington lived in Decatur, Ill.

Bolles Cites Need of Filling Ranks in Civilian Defense

The official staff of the District Civilian Defense Council is about completed, but hundreds of additional volunteers are needed to fill the ranks, Col. Lemuel Bolles, civilian defense director, said today after announcing the appointment of four additional "key" officials.

At the same time, he called upon Fire Chief Stephen T. Porter, chief of the fire protection division, to speed recruiting to complete the first 800-odd contingent in the Fire Department Auxiliary. About five times this number eventually are to be enlisted and trained for emergency service.

Named by Commissioner John Russell Young, civilian defense coordinator for this Metropolitan Area, as assistants to the chief air

raid warden were John Saul, Washington realtor and mortgage banker; Lt. Col. Henry O. Atwood, professor of military science and tactics for the High School Cadet Corps, and Arch McDonald, radio announcer and sports commentator. Commissioner Young also named James A. Councillor, member of the Board of Welfare, as auditor for the District civilian defense setup.

Two mass meetings are planned for volunteers to the rescue squads being organized by Capt. Anthony Lucas, chief of this service. All white rescue squads volunteers are to meet at 8 p.m. Wednesday at Macfarland Junior High School. All colored volunteers are to meet at 8 p.m. Thursday at the Banneker Recreation Center.

Missing Persons

- Francis Daniel, 15, colored, 5 feet, 105 pounds, wearing blue checked blouse, dark shirt, dark coat, missing from 2357 Sherman avenue N.W., since Thursday.
- Sidney Sarkin, 15, 5 feet 6 inches, 110 pounds, brown eyes and hair, red shirt, brown leather jacket, missing from Pittsburgh since Thursday.
- Bernice Robinson, 15, colored, 4 feet 2 inches, 114 pounds, wearing green cap, gray sweater, black skirt; she and her 8-month-old child missing from 29 Fifty-eighth street S.E., since yesterday.
- Lelia Williams, 12, colored, 4 feet 6 inches, 86 pounds, wearing green coat, missing from 223 K street N.E., since yesterday.
- Richard Hunt, 11, Auburn hair, wearing blue stocking cap, gray mackinaw, striped stockings, tennis shoes, missing from 1210 N street N.W., since yesterday.
- Norton Dameron, 32, 5 feet 8

Marine Plane Crash In Virginia Kills Two

NORFOLK, Va., Dec. 6.—A crash of a Marine airplane near the reservoir target in Princess Anne County yesterday resulted in the death of two men who were engaged in a routine practice flight in the James River Bridge vicinity.

The dead were Second Lt. Stanley P. Lienke, U. S. M. C. (Reserve), 22, the pilot, and Louis C. Latorre, 21, a passenger.

Lt. Lienke's home was in Windom, Minn. Latorre, seaman second class, was from Memphis, Tenn.

Business Firms Urged To Reach Quotas for Chest Victory

Group Solicitation Unit Falls Short by 10 Pct., Last Figures Show

Banks, bakeries, brokers, department stores and public utilities are among the 1,100 business establishments here being urged to make a final effort for the Community Chest, to erase the \$73,700 shortage which the Group Solicitation Unit must make up to achieve a victory for the Chest in time for the final noon report meeting Monday.

The \$675,000 Chest quota which business and industrial Washington has been asked to subscribe represents approximately one-third of the entire \$2,000,000 goal necessary for the maintenance of human welfare services by 59 Chest agencies during 1942. The amount of the quota is second only in size to that sought by the Government Unit—\$838,000.

Responses from firms reporting through the group unit up to last Tuesday had totaled \$604,226, or 89.11 per cent of quota.

"We know that Washington business firms are swamped with the biggest business season they have ever experienced, but that is all the more reason for meeting our well-earned responsibilities with 100 per cent generosity," A. G. Neal, chairman of the group unit, said yesterday.

Few Reach 100 Pct. Only a few of the total number of business firms have completed their Chest job with a 100 per cent record of employ participation and 100 per cent goal subscribed, it was stated. While most of them have reached the 90 per cent achievement mark, it is the remaining 10 per cent which is of such vital importance now, Mr. Neal emphasized.

Seriously lagging among the business concerns are 100 firms who have made no report of any Chest givers to date and another 150 where response is far below the 90 per cent average. These two groups, totaling about 250 business establishments, have about 7,500 employees who have not so far made a Chest pledge, it was pointed out.

Because some of these firms have a comparatively small number of employees, they tend to underestimate the importance of their giver response, Mr. Neal believes. "Every contribution, no matter what its size, is important now to the success of the Community Chest campaign," Mr. Neal reminded Group Unit "keymen" entrusted with the job of soliciting Chest gifts.

Honor List Announced. "The measure of support which we extend to our Chest agencies will determine their ability to meet calls for aid and distressed people all during the coming year."

Business places which have so far achieved places on the Group Unit honor list in recognition of 100 per cent Chest quota subscribed, follow: Acacia Mutual Life Insurance Co., Associated Retail Credit Men, Community Chest Headquarters, Emily Shops, Henry Kaufman Advertising, Groener's, Brooks, Inc.; Edgar Morris, Sidwell Friends School, Security Storage Co., Federal Storage Co., B. Rich & Sons, James A. Councillor & Co., Southern Dairies, Inc.; U. S. Fidelity & Guaranty Co. and Boss & Phelps.

Subway Survey Authorization Sought Monday

5 Other D. C. Bills Go to House With Committee O. K.

House action will be sought Monday on the D'Alessandro resolution directing the Public Utilities Commission and the Commissioners jointly to make a preliminary survey to determine the "feasibility" of a subway system for both rail and vehicular traffic.

The House also will have before it five bills the District Committee approved yesterday, three of which relate to traffic. They would:

1. Empower the Zoning Commission to promulgate regulations requiring all new construction to provide off-street automobile parking facilities for occupants or customers either at the building or elsewhere.
2. Require all new Federal buildings to provide parking space for at least 10 per cent and not more than 20 per cent of employees.
3. Prohibit parking on vacant lots at gasoline filling stations when closed, and on other privately owned property without consent of the owner.
4. Authorize the Commissioners to license and regulate individuals or organizations engaged in soliciting for charitable purposes.
5. Give employees of the Board of Public Welfare a civil service status.

Swift action was taken by the committee on the traffic bills with the hope of contributing some eventual relief to the chaotic traffic situation. It failed, however, to consider a measure authorizing establishment of municipally-owned off-street parking facilities. Chairman Randolph said this bill, which would permit the Commissioners to proceed with plans to establish parking lots on the fringe of the central business section, will be given special consideration at a meeting next week when the committee takes up a report of its traffic subcommittee.

Sets Later Deadline. The committee gave its unanimous indorsement to the subway survey resolution sponsored by Representative D'Alessandro, Democrat of Maryland. In original form it directed the Utilities Commission to make the study with the aid of District or Federal agencies, and called for a report not later than February 15. Amendments adopted by the committee direct the utilities commission and the Commissioners to work jointly, and defer the deadline for the report to March 15.

The bill requiring new Federal buildings to provide parking space for employees also was amended before being reported to the House. Space for accommodation of cars of 20 per cent of the employees was called for in the original measure. As changed the requirement is not less than 10 per cent or more than 20 per cent.

The subway survey will have to be made without a special appropriation, since no funds are authorized in the resolution. Chairman Gregory Hankin of the Utilities Commission has estimated it would cost \$75,000.

New Philately Vogue Gains Wide Popularity

Originator of a wartime vogue, a battle-scarred veteran sits in a London office, preoccupied, not with bombs, but battered envelopes. The vogue is said to be growing in popularity from one side of the Atlantic to the other.

Envelopes from out-of-the-way places are being sought and valued because of their postmarks. The vast international club of postmark collectors is run from London, and this offspring of philately has won the most favor in the United States and Canada, says the vogue's originator.

Letters transmitted from enemy territory by the Red Cross, via Geneva, Switzerland, or through a Lisbon travel agency, have been opened by both German and British censors, and are expected to become a rarity unless transferred at sea are also particularly prized.

Sentenced for Larceny

A sentence of four to 12 years was imposed yesterday in District Court by Justice F. Dickson Letts upon Oliver Henson, jr., colored, indicted on charges of housebreaking and larceny. Assistant United States Attorney John C. Conliff, jr., who represented the Government, advised the court that Henson broke show windows in clothing and jewelry stores and removed merchandise.

Halt the Toll

Every blot is a District traffic death. Stop the December toll.

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November	9 6
December (thus far)	1 1
Totals to date	68 86
In December, Beware of:	
1. The hours between 5 and 10 p.m. Ten of the 13 traffic victims in December last year were killed within this five-hour period.	
2. Crossing a street at some point other than a crosswalk. Three pedestrians lost their lives in December, 1940, while doing this.	



DISCUSS NEW HIGHWAY SYSTEM—Pictured yesterday at a meeting of the Board of Trade's Highway Committee, called to discuss the recently-announced plans for highways to serve the new War Department Building, are (left to right) Maj. Clarence Renshaw, constructing quartermaster, War Department; Everett C. Crites, committee chairman; Capt. H. C. Whitehurst, District highway director; Joseph Barnett, principal highway design engineer of the Public Roads Administration; and R. E. Toms, chief of the designing section of P. R. A.

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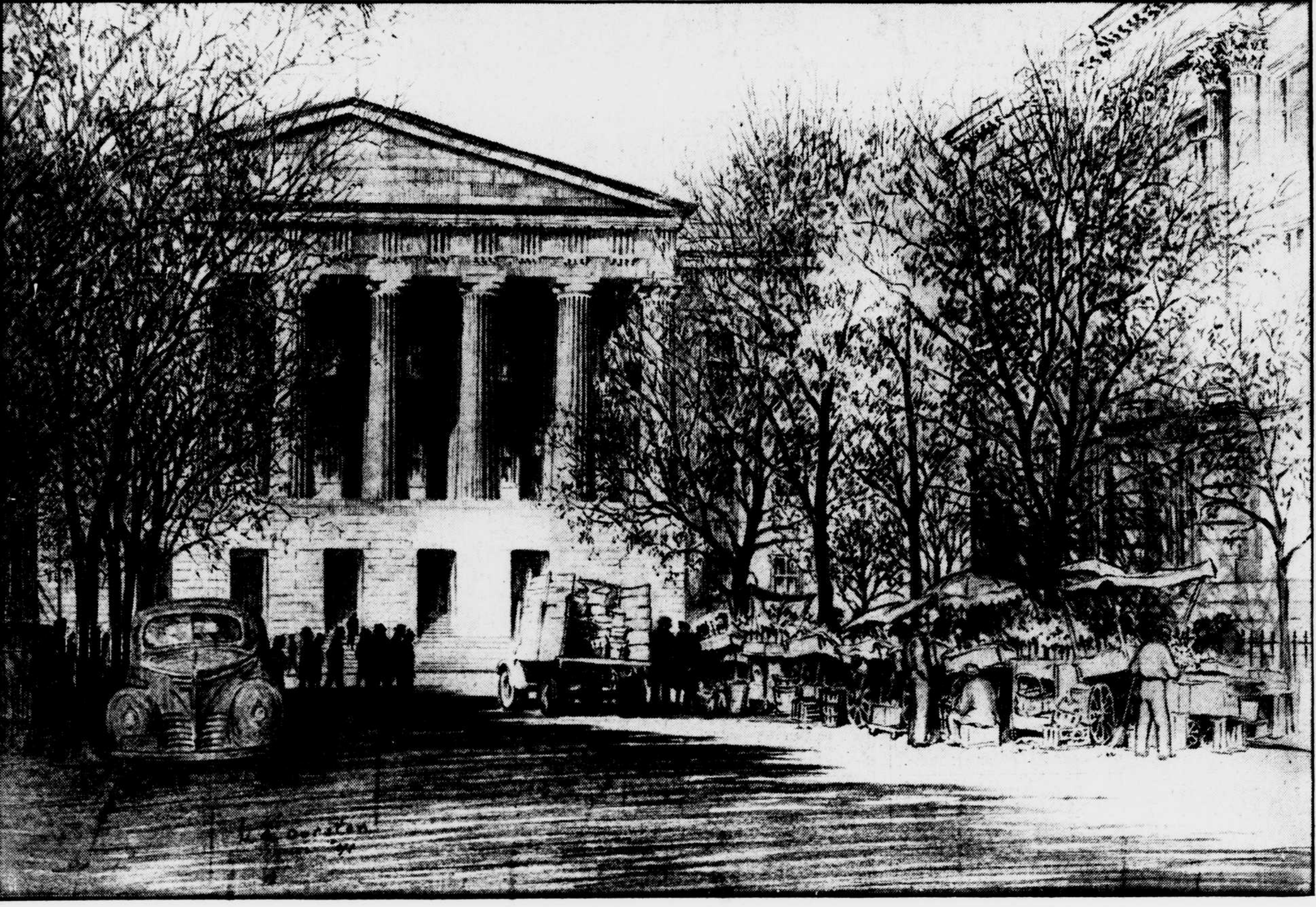
Surviving are her husband, William G. Linkins, three sons, Bernard R., Robert A. and Clyde L., all of Silver Spring; two sisters, Mrs. John Barnes of Silver Spring and Mrs. Alice Ulrich of Bell, Calif., and three brothers, Charles Turner, Arlington, Va.; John Edward Turner, Conoco Park, Calif.; and Benjamin Turner, Bath, N. Y. Two grandchildren, Donna and Linkins, and Frederick Dahn Linkins, also survive.

Funeral services will be held at 2:30 p. m. tomorrow at the Warner E. Pumphrey funeral home, 8434 Georgia avenue, Silver Spring. Burial will be in Colesville Cemetery.

Maine Pastor Accepts Call to Hyattsville
The Rev. Henry Osgood of Pittsfield, Me., has accepted the call recently tendered him to become pastor of the First Baptist Church of Hyattsville, Md., it was announced today.

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Capitol Heights Christian. The Rev. O. F. Sherwood will preach on "The Beginning of Wisdom" at 7:45 p. m., and the Lord's supper will be observed.

Bethesda Methodist. The Rev. Harwell F. Chandler will celebrate Holy Communion at 11 a. m. and speak on "Peter's Lesson at the Transfiguration" at 8 p. m.

Bethesda Presbyterian. "The Romance of the Bible" will be the sermon theme of the Rev. James S. Albertson at 11 a. m. and "Christ and Human Need—When Sickness Comes" at the 5 p. m. vesper service.

Bethesda Baptist. "Christian Ties" will be the 10:55 a. m. theme and "Worthy Speech" the 8 p. m. topic of the Rev. J. Raymond Nelson.

Silver Spring Lutheran. "The Dynamic Moment" will be the 11 a. m. sermon topic.

Potomac Methodist. Dr. John R. Edwards, district superintendent of the Washington West District, the Methodist Church, will be the guest speaker at 11 a. m. Holy communion will be celebrated.

Brentwood Methodist. The Rev. G. M. Butt will speak on "Where Are the Nine?" at 11 a. m. and "Is God on the Way Back?" at 8 p. m.

Bethesda Christian. Communion will be celebrated at 11 a. m. after the Rev. W. G. Oram has discussed "The Eternal Laws of Liberty and Life."

Bethesda Lutheran. New members will be received at the 11 a. m. service, when the Rev. Raymond A. Voegeley will speak on "I Love My Church."

Silver Spring Episcopal. Holy communion will be celebrated at 7:30, 9:30 and 11 a. m. The Rev. Walter W. Gale, rector, will speak at 11 a. m. and the Rev. C. Randolph Mengers, rector of St. John's Church, Mount Rainier, Md., at 7:30 p. m.

Cabin John Methodist. The Rev. U. S. A. Heavener will speak on "Paul and Power" at 10 a. m.

Mount Rainier Methodist. Holy communion will be celebrated at both morning and evening services. The Rev. Clarkson R. Banes will speak on "God's Christmas Gift and the Discovery of Faith" at 11 a. m. and on "What Shall I Do?" at 8 p. m.

Riverdale Presbyterian. The sacrament of the Lord's supper will be administered at 11 a. m. and the Rev. W. Keith Custis will preach on "The Christmas Mystery." At 7 p. m. Mrs. K. F. Warner will speak to the college-age group on the basis of Christian marriage.

Christ Scientist, Hyattsville. Service at 11 a. m. with the subject of "God the Only Cause and Creator." Sunday school at same hour.

Trinity Evangelical Lutheran. Morning services at 8:30 and 11 o'clock with the topic "Prepare to Meet Thy God." The 8 p. m. service will have as its subject "The Use

\$596,000 Request For Prince Georges Schools Is Studied

F. W. A. Has Appeal Under Lanham Act Under Consideration
The application of the Prince Georges County School Board for a grant of \$596,000 under the Lanham Act is under "active consideration" by the Federal Works Agency, it was learned today.

The board's application, submitted several months ago, was reported to have been turned down on the ground that the county was not considered a defense area under the provisions of the act, although thousands of workers employed in various phases of the national defense program have moved into Prince Georges.

The recent increase in population has necessitated a boost in many items of the county budget for the current year, especially in the budget for the school program. The application was to have covered additional classrooms and equipment for areas surrounding the District in the Metropolitan area.

F. W. A. officials would make no commitment on the status of the county's request for funds except that it was following routine channels and had met no objection so far. Although no official statement was made, it was understood that it had been turned down several weeks ago.

It was indicated at F. W. A. headquarters that some items in the request might be granted if the whole request was not approved, and that some changes might be made in specifications for the buildings to be erected with the funds.

Appropriations are available and priorities can be arranged for needed materials, it was understood.

Gov. Price Reveals Plan For Teacher Retirement

By the Associated Press.
ROANOKE, Va., Dec. 6.—Gov. James H. Price told the League of Virginia Counties Convention that the biennial budget to be presented to the 1942 General Assembly would include funds for a sound retirement plan for teachers and other State employees, a basic \$720-a-year salary for teachers and free textbooks for some grades.

These appropriations can be made, the Governor said in an address to the convention last night, without invading the State's financial surplus. He declared it was unwise to use surpluses for recurring expenses.

Money also can be laid aside during the next two years, Gov. Price added, for the lean years which may follow the defense boom.

and Abuse of God's Name." The Rev. Edwin E. Pieplow is pastor.

Rockville Christian. Observance of Universal Bible Sunday will be at 9:45 a. m., followed by an 11 a. m. service on "The Freedom of the Truth" by the Rev. J. Virgil Lilly, pastor.

Colesville Methodist. The Rev. Sara Palmer, evangelist and field secretary of the National W. C. T. U., will speak at 8 o'clock Monday.

Mount Zion-Cedar Grove Baptist. The Rev. C. A. Brubaker will give a communion meditation at 10 a. m. at Mount Zion. Baptism will be administered at Cedar Grove at 11:30 a. m. The pastor will speak at Germantown Baptist Church at 2:30 p. m.

Priorities Assistance Revoked For Vast Hotel in Arlington

'Esthetic Objections' and Traffic Problems Doom \$6,000,000 Project
Priorities assistance for acquisition of materials to be used in construction of a \$6,000,000 apartment-hotel at Lee boulevard and Arlington Ridge road, in nearby Arlington County, Va., was revoked today by the Priorities Division of the Office of Production Management, making construction of the project virtually impossible.

At the same time, the area in which the building was to be erected was removed from the defense housing critical areas list by the division. Officials said the drastic decision was prompted in part by the increased traffic congestion on Lee boulevard and Memorial and Key Bridges which would develop from such a project. Weight also was given, it was understood, to the historical and esthetic objections to use of this land for building purposes.

The structure would be adjacent to Arlington National Cemetery.

Nelson Notifies Builders. Revocation of the preference rating given the project by the Priorities Division on November 1 was included in a letter addressed to the builders by Priorities Director Donald M. Nelson.

Mr. Nelson directed that the suppliers of the builders to whose deliveries the rating had been applied should be informed of the revocation, and that the suppliers, in turn, should so advise their sources of materials.

No construction had been started on the site, a 25-acre plot known as the Nevius tract, bounded by the United States reservation, North Arlington Ridge road, Lee boulevard and North Meade street.

The project was to include three 11-story buildings, two of eight stories and two of three stories.

Fight Over Project. The Arlington County Board and the National Capital Park and Planning Commission had been at odds over the proposed project since it was advanced several months ago. The board held that the development would be "an asset" and "most welcome" in the county, while the commission contended the structures would constitute an "eyesore" in the area.

Today's move of the priorities division still leaves unanswered the question of whether preference ratings will be granted a similar project at Arlington Ridge road and Columbia pike. A 14-story apartment-hotel has been proposed for this site. The Park and Planning Commission also has objected to this project.

William S. Brown Funeral Rites Today

William Sylvanus Brown, who died Thursday at his home at 103 East Columbia street, Falls Church, Va., was to be buried in Oakwood Cemetery, Falls Church, this afternoon after services at 2 p. m. at the home.

A lifelong resident of Falls Church, Mr. Brown had been prominent in the Kemper Masonic Lodge, the Arlington Rotary Club and the Crossman Methodist Church. He spent many years in the contracting business but for the past 10 years had been in the hardware business.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Sara Thome Brown.

Ward Loveless Estate Is Valued at \$153,546
Special Dispatch to The Star.
LEESBURG, Va., Dec. 6.—The estate of Attorney Ward Loveless, who was slain November 24 at his home near Waterford, is valued at \$153,546, according to a statement filed in the Circuit Court clerk's office here yesterday. Personal property is valued at \$18,546.

Mrs. Irene Loveless, the widow, is named as administratrix. Mr. Loveless left no will.

The appraisers of the estate were C. L. Robey, J. H. Carter, E. C. Norman, R. J. McCray and James Carr.

The heirs of Mr. Loveless are named as his widow and three daughters, Mrs. Catherine Allen, Seattle, Wash.; Mrs. Mildred Groff, Douglas, N. Y.; and Mrs. Evelyn Carr, Edgewood Arsenal, Md.

Business Firms Urged To Reach Quotas for Chest Victory

Group Solicitation Unit Falls Short by 10 Pct., Last Figures Show
Banks, brokers, brokers, department stores and public utilities are among the 1,100 business establishments here being urged to make a final effort for the Community Chest, to erase the \$73,700 shortage which the Group Solicitation Unit must make up to achieve a victory for the Chest in time for the final noon report meeting Monday.

The \$678,000 Chest quota which business and industrial Washington has been asked to subscribe represents approximately one-third of the entire \$2,000,000 goal necessary for the maintenance of human welfare services by 29 Chest agencies during 1942. The amount of the quota is second only in size to that sought by the Government Unit—\$638,000.

Responses from firms reporting through the group unit up to last Tuesday had totaled \$604,226, or 89.1 per cent of quota.

"We know that Washington business firms are swamped with the biggest business season they have ever experienced, but that is all the more reason for meeting our welfare responsibilities with 100 per cent generosity," A. G. Neal, chairman of the group unit, said yesterday.

Few Reach 100 Pct. Only a few of the total number of firms that have completed their Chest job with a 100 per cent record of employ participation and 100 per cent goal subscribed, it was stated. While most of them have reached the 90 per cent achievement mark, it is the remaining 10 per cent which is of such vital importance now, Mr. Neal emphasized.

Seriously lagging among the business concerns are 100 firms who have made no report of any Chest givers to date and another 150 where response is far below the 90 per cent average. These two groups, totaling about 250 business establishments, have about 7,500 employees who have not so far made a Chest pledge, it was pointed out.

Because some of these firms have a comparatively small number of employees, they tend to underestimate the importance of their giver response, Mr. Neal believes.

"Every contribution, no matter what its size, is important now to the success of the Community Chest campaign," Mr. Neal reminded Group Unit "keymen" entrusted with the job of soliciting Chest gifts.

Honor List Announced. "The measure of support which we extend to our Chest agencies will determine their ability to meet calls for aid and distressed people all during the coming year."

Business places which have so far achieved places on the Group Unit honor list, in recognition of 100 per cent Chest quota subscribed, follow: Acacia Mutual Life Insurance Co., Associated Retail Credit Men, Community Chest Headquarters, Emily Shoppers, Henry Kaufman Advertising, Grosner, Brooks, Inc., Edgar Morris Sales, Mars Grill, J. E. Hanger Co., Y. W. C. A., George A. Simonds Co., Southern Oxygen Co., Forman, Inc.; Republic Pictures Corp., Palais Royal, Jelliff's, Inc., Bank of Commerce & Savings, Capitol Park Hotel, Sidwell Friends School, Security Storage Co., Federal Storage Co., B. Rich & Sons, James A. Councilor & Co., Southern Dairies, Inc., U. S. Fidelity & Guaranty Co. and Boss & Phelps.

Delaware Man Is Killed By Auto in Heavy Fog

By the Associated Press.
FREDERICK, Md., Dec. 6.—(AP)—James Spurry, 86, was killed here last night when struck by an automobile driven by William G. Kerbin, jr., of Snow Hill, Md. State's attorney for Worcester County, Md.

Magistrate Sharp Wilson released Mr. Kerbin in \$1,000 bail on a technical charge of manslaughter by automobile. Mr. Kerbin told the magistrate he did not see Mr. Spurry because of a heavy fog.

Maryland Guard Units Hold Benefit Tonight

Sponsored by Companies C and D, 7th Battalion, Maryland State Guard, a stag night will be held at the Silver Spring Armory tonight to raise funds.

The program will be featured by 27 rounds of exhibition boxing, George V. Menke, chairman, has announced. Richard Mansfield, Star cartoonist, will take part in the program and there will be a competitive drill between picked men of the two companies.

Divorce Granted
ROCKVILLE, Md., Dec. 6.—(Special).—A decree signed by Circuit Judge Charles W. Woodward grants to Mrs. Martha W. Mayo of Westhaven, Md., an absolute divorce from Frederick Herrick Mayo. It was shown that the couple had voluntarily lived apart since February 29, 1924.

Subway Survey Authorization Sought Monday

5 Other D. C. Bills Go to House With Committee O. K.

House action will be sought Monday or the D'Alessandro resolution, directing the Public Utilities Commission and the Commissioners jointly to make a preliminary survey to determine the "feasibility" of a subway system for both rail and vehicular traffic.

The House also will have before it five bills the District Committee approved yesterday, three of which relate to traffic. They would:

1. Empower the Zoning Commission to promulgate regulations requiring all new construction to provide off-street automobile parking facilities for occupants or customers either at the building or elsewhere.

2. Require all new Federal buildings to provide parking space for at least 10 per cent and not more than 20 per cent of employees.

Protects Lot Owners. 3. Prohibit parking on vacant lots, at gasoline filling stations when closed, and on other privately owned property without consent of the owner.

4. Authorize the Commissioners to license and regulate individuals or organizations engaged in soliciting for charitable purposes.

5. Give employees of the Board of Public Welfare a civil service status.

Swit action was taken by the committee on the traffic bills with the hope of contributing some eventual relief to the chaotic traffic situation. It failed, however, to consider a measure authorizing establishment of municipally-owned off-street parking facilities. Chairman Randolph said this bill, which would permit the Commissioners to proceed with plans to establish parking lots on the fringe of the central business section, will be given special consideration at a meeting next week when the committee takes up a report of its traffic subcommittee.

Sets Later Deadline. The committee gave its unanimous endorsement to the subway survey resolution sponsored by Representative D'Alessandro, Democrat of Maryland. In original form it directed the Utilities Commission to make the study with the aid of District or Federal agencies, and called for a report not later than February 15. Amendments adopted by the committee direct the utilities group and the Commissioners to work jointly, and defer the deadline for the report to March 15.

The bill requiring new Federal buildings to provide parking space for employees also was amended before being reported to the House. Space for accommodation of cars of 20 per cent of the employees was called for in the original measure. As changed the requirement is not less than 10 per cent or more than 20 per cent.

The subway survey will have to be done without a special appropriation, since no funds are authorized in the resolution. Chairman Gregory Hankin of the Utilities Commission has estimated it would cost \$75,000.

Virginia Bill Proposes Control of Explosives

By the Associated Press.
RICHMOND, Va., Dec. 6.—A bill providing for control of the manufacture, sale, use and possession of explosives was among five recommended yesterday by a committee of the Virginia Advisory Legislative Council preparing recommendations for the General Assembly on questions related to defense.

Although details of the proposed legislation were not made public, the general objectives of the other measures were described as prevention of sabotage, providing for a system of airport zoning for publicly owned flying fields, establishing the State and regional defense councils on a statutory basis and authorizing military forces of the State to cross State lines in close pursuit of saboteurs and insurgents.

The latter bill also would permit military authorities of other States to cross into Virginia under certain circumstances.

The defense organization now is functioning by authority of the Governor without specific provision in law for its operation and the legislation is designed to give it legal recognition.

It also is providing for airport zoning is aimed at protecting fields against the erection of high buildings or other hazards that would interfere with flying operations.

Halt the Toll

Every blot is a District traffic death. Stop the December toll.
December, 1941

Dec. 2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31
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Toll in Previous Months.	
Month	1940. 1941.
January	5 13
February	6 8
March	6 8
April	1 7
May	8 6
June	11 6
July	4 7
August	8 5
September	3 13
October	14 14
November	9 6
December (thus far)	1 1
Totals to date	68 86

In December, Beware of 10 p. m. Ten of the 13 traffic victims in December last year were killed within this five-hour period.

2. Crossing a street at some point, or at a crosswalk. Three pedestrians lost their lives in December, 1940, while doing this.

Private Building In D. C. Recalls Days of Slump

Valuation Is Only 30% of That for November, 1940

Private building in Washington in November dropped to figures reminiscent of depression days, the valuation of new construction approved by Building Inspector Robert H. Davis being only about 30 per cent of the valuation for November of last year. Builders claim that priorities on construction materials are responsible for the shrinkage.

Permits were issued last month, according to Mr. Davis' report, for all types of buildings having an aggregate value of \$1,691,670, as compared to a total of \$5,964,875 recorded in November, 1940. October building of this year totaled \$2,892,000, which was a huge drop from other months this year. But the November figure showed that the full effect of priority bans is just beginning to be felt fully here.

D. C. Affected Most

Construction statistics show that the District, with its higher-priced building lots, is being affected much more by priorities than surrounding portions of Maryland and Virginia, where large quantities of ground is available for low-cost construction.

A major portion of what building there was in November was residential in type. Permits were issued in the District for 149 one-family homes valued at \$731,300, and for small apartments to house 208 families, valued at \$404,000. In November last year, permits were issued for 260 one-family dwellings, valued at \$1,292,000, and for 583 apartment units, valued at \$1,736,000. In October this year a total of 160 houses, valued at \$974,000 were approved, while apartment units numbered 358, valued at \$793,000.

Building By Sections

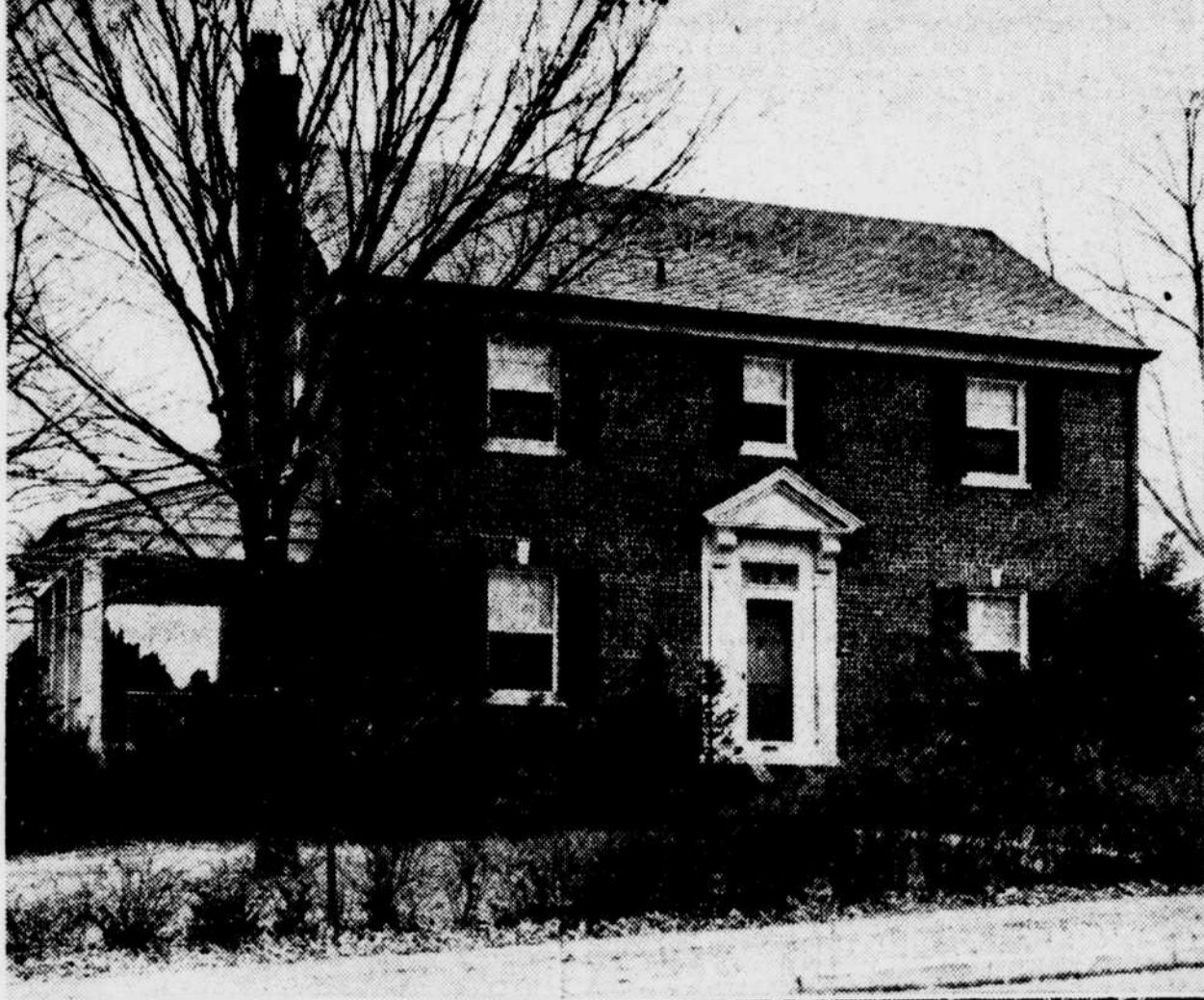
The valuation of all permits issued in 11 months of this year is \$43,400,200, as compared to a valuation of \$38,580,420 for the corresponding portion of 1940. At one time this year the building valuation was \$12,000,000 ahead of 1940.

New building in November by sections of the city was: Northeast, \$258,000; Southeast, \$370,500; Northwest, \$588,900; and Southwest, \$26,000. Permits for additions, alterations and repairs by sections follow: Northeast, \$38,810; Southeast, \$16,045; Northwest, \$391,000; and Southwest, \$2,415.

Home Building Costs Rise 1.7% in Month

Building costs of a standard six-room house rose sharply during October, with a 1.7 per cent increase over September, economists of the Federal Home Loan Board announced today.

With the exception of but few 30-day periods during recent years, labor costs have gained more rapidly than those of building supplies—in October 2.2 per cent against a materials cost increase of 1.4 per cent. Since October, 1940, labor costs have increased 15.3 per cent as against 12.2 per cent for materials. The combined increase in construction costs for labor and materials on the standard dwelling over the last 12-month period totals 13.3 per cent, and now stands nearly 19 per cent above the average month of 1935-1939, which is used by the bank board's Division of Research and Statistics as a cost index of 100. Since August, the cost of the standard house has risen more than \$500 in 7 of the 24 cities reporting building cost figures to the bank board—San Antonio, \$293; Dallas, \$708; Houston, \$694; Albuquerque, \$668; Philadelphia, \$598; Harrisburg, \$578, and San Diego, \$570. All except four of the cities reporting show increases of more than \$100 from August to November.



BUY NEW HOME—Mr. and Mrs. William P. Elliott bought this home at 3800 Garrison street N.W. from Mr. and Mrs. Edward M. Swing. The sale was made by the office of Edward J. Flynn.

Silver Star Homes To Be on View Until Tomorrow Night

Low-Cost Dwellings In Landover Hills Priced Under \$5,000

Visitors will get a final chance today and tomorrow to inspect the two low-cost Silver Star Homes in Landover Hills, Md. The little houses will be open tonight until 9 and tomorrow from 10 in the morning until 9, when the exhibition period will be brought to a close.

Sponsorship of the houses marks the first time this year that the coveted Silver Star has been awarded a truly low-cost project. It is also the first time the Star ever has exhibited two houses simultaneously. This course was decided upon due to the unusual attention focused on low-cost housing by the defense program.

The houses are different in type. One is a bungalow which follows Cape Cod Colonial lines rather closely. The other is a two-story structure. The smaller house has two bedrooms, bath, living room, dinette and kitchen. It has an unfinished attic which could be converted into two additional bedrooms should the owners need room for expansion. The other house has living room, dining room and kitchen on the first floor and three bedrooms and bath on the second.

Each house is priced under \$5,000, with the two-story house being the slightly more expensive. They are constructed with clapboard siding, composition roofs, and nicely finished interiors. Hardwood floors are in both.

Landover Hills is a carefully planned community which now has several hundred homes. Streets are winding, following the contour of the rolling countryside. The subdivision (See SILVER STAR, Page B-5.)

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Early American center-hall Colonial new brick home, large living dining room with beam ceiling, den or library, 1/2 bath, large kitchen, 2 bedrooms, 2 large bedrooms, air-conditioned bath, built-in garage, lot 65x130, covered with beautiful trees.

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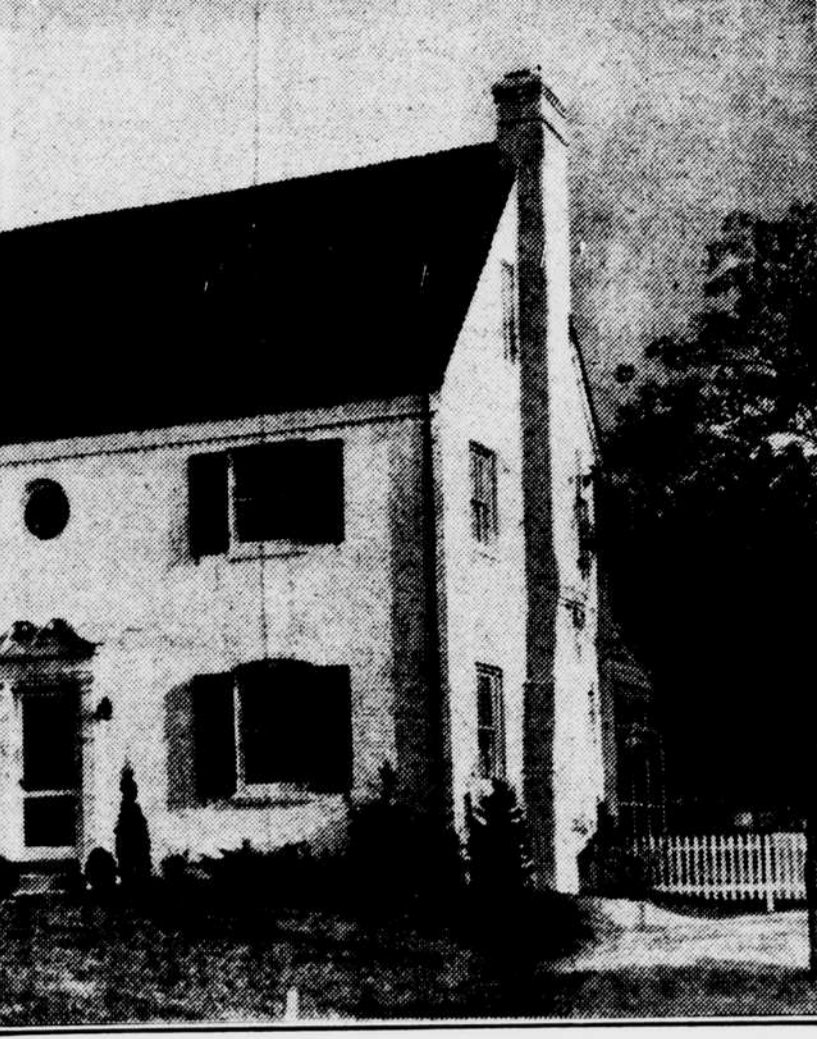
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Crystal Lighting Fixtures Available at Reasonable Cost

Cut and Molded Patterns Offered; Colonial Reproductions Featured

By DOROTHY DUCAS and ELIZABETH GORDON.

Crystal lighting fixtures, for years considered the ultimate in elegance, have been adapted to the modest budget. Cut crystal and molded crystal chandeliers, wall brackets and semi-indirect crystal bowls now are available. They are the result of new techniques developed in American factories to produce substitutes for the fine crystal which used to be imported from Europe. If you would like to modernize the lighting in your living room, dining room, hall or bedrooms, don't be scared by the thought of expense. Despite higher wages paid in the United States, mass production keeps down the price of this new crystal line. There is a crystal bowl for semi-indirect lighting that sells for \$17.50. It not only dresses up your room but provides the best kind of lighting, a combination of

reflected light from the ceiling and diffused light through the bowl.

There also are reproductions of crystal chandeliers in the House of Burgesses and the Governor's Mansion at Williamsburg, Va., scaled down for use in the average home, which sell for \$75 and \$100 each. Early fixtures were made for enormous rooms and high ceilings. The reproductions retain the design without the mass.

The sparkle and richness of crystal are appropriate in early American, English, French and (Continued on Page B-5, Column 1.)

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6 Vacancies Left To Each 10,000 Dwelling Units

Figures for D. C. Show Acute Lack Of Living Space

The shortage of living space in Washington is becoming even more acute, as figures released today by the Home Builders Association show that on December 1 there were only six vacancies for each 10,000 dwelling units in the city. The November 1 survey showed one vacancy for every 1,000 units.

Rufus S. Lusk, secretary of the Building Owners and Managers Association, who supplied the statistics for the home builders, placed the percentage of vacant units in the Capital at .06. This shows that the influx of new residents is taxing Washington's housing supply to a point not reached since the first World War.

The figures are based on a survey of all apartments included in the membership of the Building Owners and Managers Association. It is considered an accurate cross-section of all dwelling units in this area.

Blame Defense Officials.
Members of the Home Builders Association place blame for this serious housing shortage directly on defense officials who by invoking priorities on building materials have greatly curtailed the volume of home building here. The O. P. M. will grant priorities for materials only for construction of units to rent for \$50 per month or less, and for houses selling at \$6,000 and under. This, builders say, is preventing them from keeping pace with the unprecedented demand for housing.

Until the effect of priorities was felt, private industry here was turning out twice as many houses as last year. During October, the first month the restrictions were in full effect, local builders produced 55 per cent less homes than they did in the corresponding month of 1940.

The situation, according to J. Garrett Bettzell, chairman of the Defense Housing Administration, is (See HOUSING, Page B-4.)

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Shop Talk

News About Builders And Real Estate Personalities

Members of the Home Builders' Emergency Committee, industry group headed by Hugh Potter, Houston, Texas, will meet with representatives of manufacturers of home building materials in a conference at the Mayflower Hotel next Wednesday. The meeting will explore the possibilities of saving critical materials as well as the development of alternate materials for home building, so that civilian building may be saved from extinction during the defense emergency.

The committee, appointed at the recent National Association of Real Estate Boards Convention in Detroit, is composed of Mr. Potter, William J. Levitt of New York City, vice chairman; Waverly Taylor, Washington; Herbert U. Nelson, Chicago; John McC. Mowbray, Baltimore; George Miller, Detroit; J. C. Nichols, Kansas City, Mo.; and Ellis Stoneman, San Francisco.

Milton W. Morris of San Francisco is executive officer of the committee, which has established headquarters in the Ambassador Hotel.

It has been decided definitely to hold the Washington Real Estate Board's Christmas party in the main ballroom of the Mayflower on Tuesday, December 23, at 12:30. Tickets already are reported as selling at a fast clip, more than 100 reservations have been received since Thursday.

This will be the board's eighth annual yule party, which has always been one of the high lights of the realtors' social season. Charles H. Hillegeist, chairman of the Program Committee, will be in charge of the affair.

Heading the Ticket Committee will be Nathan Poole and Richard D. Simson. Entertainment will be under direction of Samuel S. Spruce. In the true spirit of Christmas, the realtors and their guests will bring dolls and toys to the party to be turned over to some member institution of the Washington Community Chest for distribution to underprivileged children.

Assisting Mr. Hillegeist in arranging the affair are: John R. Neale, N. C. Hines, Howard D. Sullivan, P. J. Ganzert, Joseph F. Swain, Frank M. Doyle, J. Lee Donnelly, Harry L. Jones, J. Hawley Smith and William E. Shannon, 2d.

Rufus S. Lusk, Washington statistician, will give his illustrated lecture, "Uncle Sam—Real Estate Operator," twice next week. On Tuesday night he will appear at the banquet in Syracuse, N. Y., of the New York State Association of Builders. The next day, Mr. Lusk will address the Boston Real Estate Exchange at a luncheon meeting.

A silk American flag has been presented to the Washington Real Estate Board by H. Clifford Bangs, a former president of the realtor group. The flag will be displayed in the board's offices.

The Maryland Real Estate Co. has moved into its own building at 8634 Colesville road, Silver Spring, J. Ingram Medley is president of the firm, while Walter L. Punderburk is secretary-treasurer.

William N. Grimes, well-known Washington realtor, has been awarded the professional designation, certified property manager, by the governing council of the Institute of Real Estate Management at a recent meeting in Detroit. The title, indicated by the initials, C. P. M., designates persons who have met the requirements for individual membership in the institute.

Mr. Grimes is manager of the rental department, American Security & Trust Co. A member of the Washington Real Estate Board, he has had 15 years' experience in the real estate field and 12 years' experience in real estate management.

Current standings in the D. C. Building and Loan Associations' Bowling League follow:

Association	W	L
Columbia Federal	23	13
Washington Permanent	22	14
Everett No. 1	21	15
Eastern Permanent	20	16
Columbia Permanent	19	17
Enterprise	18	18
American No. 1	17	19
Everett No. 2	16	20
National Permanent	15	21
Washington Federal	14	22
Oriental	13	23
Southern Liberty	12	24
Metropolitan	11	25
Federal No. 2	10	26
American No. 2	9	27
Federal	8	28

During the past week the District Real Estate Commission issued licenses as real estate salesmen to J. Earl Wagner, 5220 Georgia avenue N.W., and Jerome C. Jenkins, 1613 First street N.W.

A business chance salesman's license was issued to Joseph Hollander, 916 Tover building.

Applications for real estate brokers' licenses were received from Basil C. Linticum, 202 Woodward Building; J. E. Johnson, 4837 Massachusetts avenue, N.W.; and Edward T. Offutt, jr., 1505 H street N.W.

Applications for real estate salesmen's licenses were received from Ernest E. Anderson, 4604 Georgia avenue N.W.; Thomas A. Medford, 1524 U street N.W.; and Tracy Dunn, 1718 Ninth street N.W.

An application for a business chance salesman's license was received from Leo V. Hysan, sr., 1120 Vermont N.W.

Furnishing the Home



New developments in American ceramics have made it possible to turn out glass and china with designs in brilliant colors in a manner never before done here and at a price that is astounding.

Baron Steigall made himself famous with his enameled glass a hundred years ago, bringing the secret of his formula with him from Europe. It must have died with him, for up to now we have not been able to enamel glass and have

the design remain, with daily use and soap and water.

This charming beverage set is ideal for the spiced cider or mulled wine that is popular during holiday time. Each glass is different with gay flowers in natural colors growing up from their bases. Sets may be made up with the designs all alike or with a complete garden. Keep these in mind for the wedding present or the Christmas gift to be young bride. These may be purchased in numerous shops in Washington at 10 cents and up.

pector, total cost of construction for the month being listed as \$235,310. The number of permits issued was 130 against 203 for October, total construction cost in October being \$564,605.

Of the 130 permits, 72 were for one-family dwellings costing \$279,000. The largest home was for John P. Speicher, to be built in the Village, new section of University Park.

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This Colonial brick home contains 3 bedrooms and 2 baths. An all-electric kitchen with breakfast nook. Attached garage, side porch, oil heat. Situated on an elevated, wide, deep lot (88x200) which overlooks the fairways of the golf course. Through transportation is within a few short blocks.

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Gadgets

New Type of Plaster Has Advantage Of Lightness

By HILSON MUNSEY.

Lath and plaster has been accepted for a long time as the usual way of finishing the interior walls of the house. In recent years, however, many different treatments have been devised. Wallboard is one of them. Another is plywood, particularly that variety which covers an entire wall and eliminates the need to find a satisfactory way to treat the joints which are inherent in the regular wallboard sizes.

Another material sold for the same purpose is a plaster that combines many desirable features. In the first place it has considerable insulating value and sound-dampening effect. Another and even more important virtue is its lightness. It weighs only half as much as the regular sanded gypsum plaster. This means a considerable reduction in the load on the structure of the house is called upon to carry.

The plaster should be applied over a gypsum lath base. It has excellent fire-retarding properties. The manufacturers claim that in this respect it is four times as effective as ordinary plaster.

If a flat wall paint is wanted for interior work—one that is easy to

apply and which can be washed—there is one on the market that will repay investigation. The paint comes in paste form. This paste is mixed with water, half a gallon being added to every gallon of the paste.

It can be used on any surface, no matter how porous, without the necessity of sizing. Two coats are needed to make a satisfactory job, although in many cases a single coat will be found to be all that is required. The paint can be applied to plaster, wall and insulating board, concrete blocks, hollow tile, brick or any other masonry surface. It makes an excellent paint for the basement although it can be used as well in any room in the house where a flat paint surface is desired.

It will cover from 175 to 700 square feet, depending on the porosity of the surface. It is prepared in eight different colors. They are ivory, peach, sea green, buff, yellow, blue, cream and gray. White also is obtainable. This paint can be used for outside work, but only in cases where long life is not an important consideration.

With the winter months coming along rapidly, the fireplace becomes once more the center of attraction. A good fireguard that is not in the way but still effective is most desirable. The ordinary fireguard must have a space found for its storage, and that is not always possible without considerable inconvenience. A guard that is flexible and is permanently attached to the fireplace is better. These guards are made of woven metal. This material is heat tempered so that the

screen is capable of resisting the intense heat that an open fire frequently will generate. It is capable also of resisting considerable rough treatment.

The screens are made in the form of two curtains, which fit snugly on the sides of the fireplace. They are supported on brass bearing slides that travel along the supporting rail. An endless chain arrangement enables the two curtains to be opened simultaneously with the movement of one hand. This is convenient when the other hand and arm are occupied in carrying a load of wood with which to replenish the fire.

These screens are made in various styles. There is the Cape Cod, which on account of its simplicity is suitable for any fireplace. Then there is the Colonial, which is useful and appropriate for period mantels. That is followed by the Norman, for large stone or brick fireplaces.

The slide bar on these types of screens can be placed in front of the face of the fireplace or attached to the inside walls. Any size of fireplace can be fitted.

Note: For further information about any of the products described above write Mr. Munsey, in care of The Star, and inclose a stamped, self-addressed envelope.

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Vast U. S. Housing Proposal Assailed By Head of Realtors

Straus' Suggestion Called Unnecessary, Costly and Wasteful

Direct building by the Federal Government of 4,500,000 housing units, making the Government landlord to the approximately 17,500,000 persons they would house, the scope of activity which Nathan Straus, administrator of the United States Housing Authority, in a recent address, stated he envisions for Government housing construction over the next 15 years, is assailed by Philip W. Kniskern, president of the National Association of Real Estate Boards, as unnecessary, wasteful and fundamentally wasteful of real opportunities for housing betterment.

"Under such a program the National Government as landlord would control the rents and the house repairs and other such items of nearly 15 per cent of the national population. The political implications of such a situation are frightful to contemplate," Mr. Kniskern said.

"Based upon the average cost of housing units built in the past," he estimates, "the proposed 4,500,000 Government-built homes would add to our already topheavy national debt, and add to it unnecessarily a cost of between \$20,000,000,000 and \$25,000,000,000, this at a time when the defense program is bound to force the national debt still higher—how high no one today can safely predict.

Favors Some U. S. Construction

"Defense workers must be adequately housed. In the case of individual communities mushrooming under the pressure of war industries not expected to be permanent, some direct Government construction may be the only solution," said the national realtor president, head of the First Mortgage Corp., Philadelphia. "But Mr. Straus, by the very scope of his proposal, which we may assume is only his personal version of our future, puts us on warning that in the emergency decisions we are now making, far-reaching in their effects, we need sharply to differentiate between this unavoidable Government building in what may become ghost towns and proposed Government housing ventures on a grand scale in the name of slum clearance and of housing for low-income families.

"It is good here to note that President Roosevelt in his press conference of November 14 took occasion to point out that the problems of better living conditions for defense workers is different from the problem of slum elimination. He indicated his own feeling that defense needs are more closely connected with temporary than with permanent housing.

"Mr. Straus' prediction that direct Government building yet to come will house one person out of every seven should warn us that unless we make a conscious national effort to utilize private enterprise and private capital so far as they can fill our needs, both in defense housing and in plans for better defense housing betterment, unless we give them whatever aids they should have so they can do this work, we shall be disintegrating democracy in America by disintegrating what it rests upon in our national life.

"Slums as a Nation no longer can tolerate. When blight we must find a way to overcome or it will eat farther and faster into all the values our cities represent. Deteriorated districts already comprise approximately one-fourth of our urban areas. No Government-built subsidy housing, no competition between Government and private enterprise, but only good thoughtful teamwork between them, each taking its own normal role, can open the way to large-scale replanning and rebuilding of our decayed city areas. And that alone can put these old areas on new feet.

Elimination of Slums

"The Government's ventures into low-cost housing under present direction of U. S. H. A. activities has dimly failed in the prime objective—the elimination of slums. In far too many instances it has failed to tear down existing slums. In virtually every case it has built housing beyond the means of the lowest one-third, forcing the slum dwellers to seek living accommodations elsewhere and thereby creating new slums and new slum conditions.

"Various local housing authorities have publicly declared that private enterprise can build better housing and at a lower cost than the Government can. Government operations mean loss in tax income to the municipality and they accompany this by loading more heavily the cost of municipal services.

"Because large-scale operations alone can hope to cure slums and blight, land assembly becomes the central problem. Municipalities, property owners, financing institutions and the building industry are willing horses that must pull together if we are really to achieve our purpose. The Federal Government can make a powerfully effective contribution by pulling with them, instead of setting up isolated sporadic projects of its own that in any great volume tend to put a question mark on private building plans.

"Needed for this teamwork is some legislative action, municipal



NEW APARTMENT BUILDING—Architect's drawing of the Chesapeake, new apartment house under construction at Connecticut avenue and Chesapeake street N.W. The building, being erected by Gorin & Horning, Inc., will contain 185 dwelling units and garage space. McKeever & Whitford will be managing agents for the structure, which will be ready for occupancy about February 1.

and Federal, that will enable us to yoke our effort co-operatively. A program for such co-ordination of effort proposed by the National Association of Real Estate Boards after years of conferences has received wide approval from officials who have it under study, from city planning authorities and from civic and business groups.

"Drawn from practical experience, calls for the elimination of slum conditions, for the utilization and modernization of existing structures wherever possible, so that better housing can be made available to the low-income groups in a way both socially desirable and economical.

"One main thought has been to provide the best and most housing available to a group that can afford only from \$15 to \$18 a month at the very highest, a group that present subsidized housing appears to have overlooked. If for even lower incomes or no incomes there is to be subsidy, then it should take the form of rental subsidy to the family."

New Insulation Retains Heat in Water Tank

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It can be installed easily. No special tools are necessary. A small trowel, spatula or broad-bladed knife is used to apply the cement, which may be mixed in a large bowl or pail. It isn't even necessary to disconnect water pipes while you work.

Application of the jacket is said to save about 85 per cent of the heat normally lost from the surface of an uninsulated boiler. That means a plentiful supply of hot water all the time, using less fuel than before. It also means more comfortable conditions in your kitchen in summer, if the heater is located there, for heat from a storage tank can make a kitchen unbearable in July or August.

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Realtors Will Discuss Plant Use With Officials

To confer with important agencies of the Federal Government upon use which can and should be made of existing industrial plants in expediting the defense program a special committee of the Society of Industrial Realtors has been called to meet in Washington Monday and Tuesday.

Ignoring the available facilities already existing and unnecessarily constructing new plants would not only delay the defense program but would create a future unfavorable industrial real estate situation in cities over the country, Walter S. Schmidt, Cincinnati, president of the society, points out.

Preparatory to these conferences the society, Mr. Schmidt announces, is making a rapid survey of existing manufacturing and warehouse facilities now available in principal defense centers. Reporting in the survey will be members of the society, experts in industrial location, from each of these centers. The Washington meeting is expected to be concerned not only with present problems of industrial plant use but the whole long-range problem of industrial planning and location.

More Rental Housing Asked of Private Capital

Federal Housing Administrator Amner H. Ferguson in a telegram this week to all field offices of the F. H. A. urged every effort to induce private capital to supply more rental housing for defense workers. The administrator said that private enterprise is performing a creditable job in providing defense housing for sale, but that it is be-

coming increasingly apparent that many defense workers desire to rent rather than to purchase. "Every effort must be made," he said, "to induce private capital to supply defense housing rental accommodations for the large number of defense workers requiring such facilities and able to pay an economic rent."

Cleaning Window Screens

Before storing window screens for the winter, it is well to clean them with benzine or some similar cleaning solution. This cleaning process should be done in the outdoor air where there is no danger of fire. After they have been thoroughly cleaned, the screens should be coated with varnish or screen enamel to protect the wire mesh. It is advisable to place the screen flat over a shallow pan in which the chosen coating material is contained. Push the brush bristles through the net-

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First Aid For the Ailing House

By ROGER B. WHITMAN.

Brass and metal beds are no longer as popular as they used to be and are liable to "date" a room that would otherwise be modern in effect. One way to modernize them is to cover the head and foot with slip covers, preferably matching the curtains and upholstery. Another idea is to make use of sheets of thin plywood cut to size and shape and covered with quilted fabric. Some of the large department stores have something of this sort in stock. It is usually possible to cut a high head, although to many people a high head is an advantage for reading in bed. The metal bed is usually so thin that it can easily be cut with a hacksaw or even a triangular file. Strength and stiffness is given by the rods within. These also can be sawed off. A strip of wood going from side to side can be fitted through much difficulty and will supply the stiffness that may have been lost through removing the metal. In many designs the brass pieces are held only by screwed ornaments at the top. With these removed the rods within can be cut off to any desired height. Paint or enamel is an appropriate finish and no sign will be left of the original effect. The first step in this should be to rub the metal with sandpaper for the cleaning of the surface and also to provide a "tooth" to which the first coat can make a good bond. All possible traces of grease can be taken off by wiping with turpentine.

Attic Insulation.
Q I am planning to build a room in my attic. There is a full floor of blown-in rock wool. Should the inside of the roof first be insulated?
A Yes. One way to do it would be to build the walls and ceiling of the room with one or two thicknesses of insulating boards.

Soiled Floor.
Q My floors are finished with varnish and wax. They are subject to much wear and tear. I wash them with warm water and soap before waxing. The varnish is wearing away. How else can I keep them clean? What will remove marks made by rubbing heels?
A After cleaning and thorough drying put on a coat of varnish and follow with two thin coats of paste floor wax, each well rubbed after 20 minutes for drying. You can then keep the floor clean with liquid wax, not water wax or the self-polishing kind, for these have another purpose. Soiling and marking will be in the waxing which the liquid wax will remove. Put on more paste floor wax when wear begins to show.

Damp Basement.
Q In a building that I have just bought, the front room in the basement was evidently intended for a playroom. There has been a musty or moldy odor in it that I would like to eliminate. How can I get rid of it?
A The odor is from rotting wood somewhere in the structure you will find wood that is damp from continual contact with the earth. Very possibly it is from a wood floor that has not been waterproofed. The rotting wood should be replaced by something more permanent or should be made waterproof. Consult a building contractor.

Worn Copper Finish.
Q The outside finish of a copper kettle is wearing off. Where can I have it redone?
A Any garage can give you the name and address of plating shop.

Removing Veneer.
Q How can veneer be removed from an oak desk? This has chipped, but in most places sticks terribly tight.
A Scrape off the finish to the bare wood, or use a varnish remover, so that moisture can penetrate, and lay cloths damp with water over the veneer that you want to take off. For quicker action, press the damp cloth with a hot iron; steam that forms will soften the glue rapidly.

Color of Floor.
Q In selecting inlaid linoleum for my kitchen, the pattern that I chose is much too light. With two small children and a small kitchen, I sometimes have to wash the floor twice a day. I am told that varnish wears off and turns linoleum yellow. I can't wax the surface because the children might fall. What can you suggest?
A One possibility would be to use runners on the traffic lanes, something light enough to be easily shaken, and that would be non-skid. Another possibility would be to finish the floor with a good grade of floor enamel. This should be stippled in two tones, light and dark tan, for example. In preparing for it, all traces of wax and grease should first be removed, for paint would not hold over them.

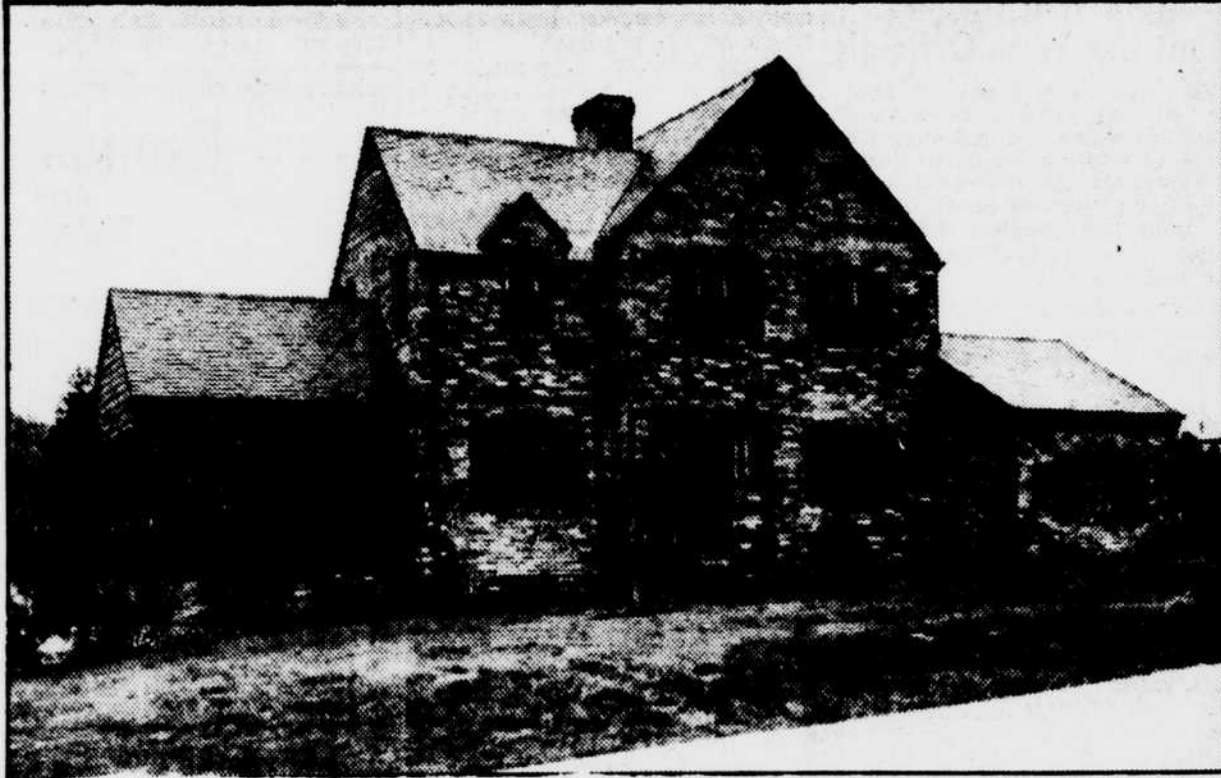
Note: Mr. Whitman is sorry he can no longer answer personal letters. He does, however, offer readers leaflets on a variety of subjects. Today's leaflet is entitled "Painting and Covering Concrete Floors." Be sure to send a 3-cent stamped, self-addressed envelope with your leaflet request to Mr. Whitman, P. O. Box 150, Times Square Station, New York, N. Y. Leaflets cannot be mailed unless self-addressed envelope bears the correct amount of postage.

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LOCUST HILL ESTATES—Dr. and Mrs. Clifford N. Rodion have purchased this new home at 8583 Locust Hill road, in the Montgomery County (Md.) development from Edson W. Briggs, Inc., builders. —Star Staff Photo.

The Home Clinic

Rising Costs Indicate Advisability Of Planning Inexpensive Fun at Home

By MARGARET NOWELL.

With Christmas almost here, have you stopped to think how Santa Claus is going to get into your house—without a chimney and a fireplace? If you have wished each year at Christmas that you had a fireplace, why not plan to have one "on the house" this year. I doubt if you can have it delivered in time for Christmas—but here is what you can do. Get an estimate of the cost and put a check in an envelope to be pinned to the top of the Christmas tree. Its message may read, "To the family from the house, with greetings for next Christmas." This will be a sort of rain check for fun in the future.

A fireplace with a chimney on an outside wall can be done with very little annoyance. Most of the brick work is complete before the opening is made into the house, and if a fireplace steel unit complete with flues and draughts is used, the brick-in-takes only a couple of days.

An extra shower or lavatory is another item that many of us have longed for years, but put off. Though we do not suggest you wrap it up in cellophane and bring it home, as "The Wooker" did his w. c., it would be great fun on Christmas day to know just when it would be in operation.

Utility Gifts Accepted.
There is a great accent on the comfortable utility gifts this year which add to the comfort and ease of everyday living and are an investment in happiness to be enjoyed by the whole family.

There will be many a quiet evening that the holidays when you could really accomplish something with that hobby room or play room you had planned in the basement. With the materials to start the job on hand it would be fun to plan the work during the holidays. Or if that is pretty well lined up it would be smart to select gifts of equipment. A small electric lathe would be a Christmas starter for the workshop. Birthdays and anniversaries throughout the year might bring an addition to the tool rack. Metal working tools are also in demand and the whole family could pursue a variety of hobbies as soon as the workshop was equipped.

Homes are going to be very valuable retreats in the next few years and anything that can be done to make them more comfortable or more interesting will help to fulfill our need of them. Elaborate and dressy clothes, expensive and use-

less luxuries will give way to the more prosaic and useful gifts which may be shared by the whole family, and make of each home a pleasant gathering place for friends.

Family Conference in Order.
It might be a good idea to have a family confab and see what each member plans to do for recreation during the next few years when living costs will be higher and taxes add to the burden of luxuries and entertainment outside. Home parties, for dancing and singing, will be in order. Round table suppers which might circulate through the neighbors' houses will again come into their own. Staying at home is going to be fun and it might be smart to be the first in your neighborhood to set up your house to provide this sort of entertainment.

Here's to a merry Christmas with an addition to your house for pleasure in the years to come. A snackbar in the kitchen or the recreation room—a place to dance—right in your own home. A place to work, to play with tools and wood or metal, or old furniture or any of the other things you have wanted to do for years. Your home will end up by being the restful place of refuge it was intended to be.

Housing

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The defense Housing Committee of the Association, bears out the group's contention that the \$6,000 sale ceiling and the \$50 a month rental limit should not apply to Washington.

The association feels that metropolitan Washington, called upon to house that segment of the defense personnel engaged in actual administrative work rather than mechanical production, should be permitted to provide adequate shelter for those coming to the Capital.

"It is our desire," Mr. Beltz declared, "to house newcomers to Washington in the manner to which they have been reasonably accustomed and to which their economic status entitles them under the 'American way of life.' It is impos-

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sible to do this with the present priorities restrictions."

The association points out that its membership includes those builders who produced the majority of homes for the low-income families in Washington, and feels that this demand can be adequately met from within the ranks of private enterprise, with the aid of reasonable Government assistance.

But the present acute housing shortage can only be properly remedied when the situation with respect to restrictions on other than low-cost housing is properly alleviated by the S. P. A. B. and O. P. M., the Home Builders Association contends.

Neutral Wall Colors

A living room with walls and ceilings tailor made of insulating interior finish very often requires less artificial lighting, as the board itself can be obtained with high light reflective values. A room of this type is kind to the eyes and easy to live in, for the neutral colors of the board are not tiring.

A swank restaurant in London is growing tomatoes instead of flowers outside the front door.

Architects Urged to Aid Civilian Defense

Architects are urged to participate in a Nation-wide system of civilian protection which is being developed by the American Institute of Architects. A communication sent to 71 chapters of the institute throughout the country by Horace W. Peaslee of Washington, chairman of the institute's National Committee on Civilian Protection, contains "an urgent request for action" by the architectural profession. Chapter committees on civilian protection are expected to co-ordinate local activities with the work of the national organization.

"The first job of the chapter committees," Mr. Peaslee explains, "is to prime the chapter membership on the fundamentals of protective construction. The second is to make each chapter a force in local defense measures."

The national committee of the institute will include nine regional members, corresponding to the general subdivision of the United States, by the Office of Civilian Defense, of which Mayor F. H. La Guardia of New York is director. Chapter presidents and regional directors of the institute are asked to nominate

an architect residing in their area to serve as a regional member. The national committee seeks from each chapter information as to local developments relating to protective construction, planning for evacuation, camps, camouflage and the activities of architectural, engineering or landscape professions in these fields. A roster of individual technicians in the Washington area who have had air raid protection experience abroad will be compiled for national reference.

Removing Old Paint

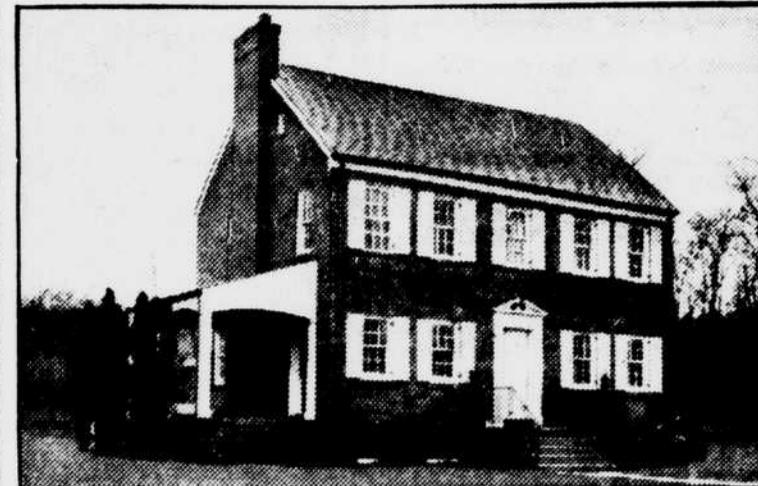
Loose or scaly paint should be removed before new paint is applied. Burning has been found the best

method of removing such impaired surfaces from building exteriors. The torch, however, should be handled by a painter skilled in its use

because of the fire hazard. An effective paint remover is recommended for places which cannot be reached with the torch.

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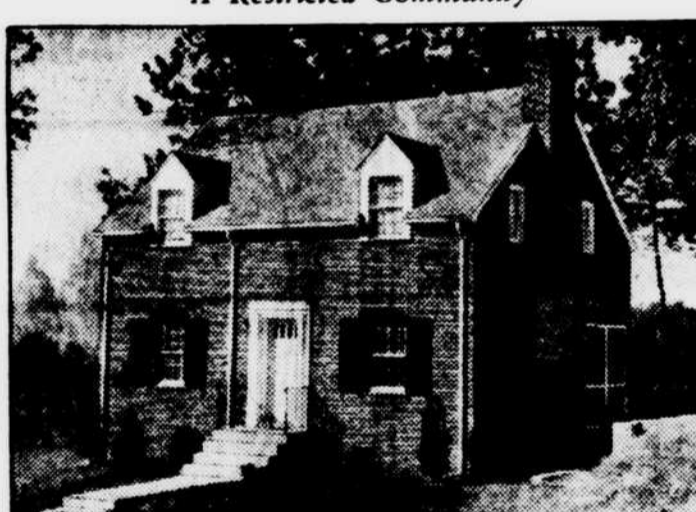
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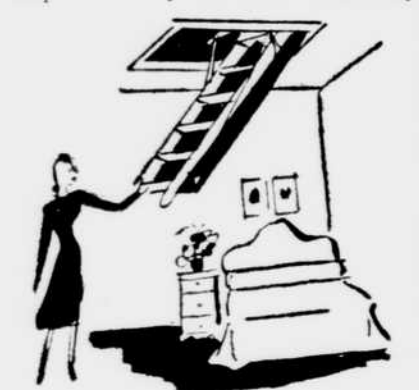
Ventilating the Attic. If your attic was stuffy and hot last summer, you thought of getting louvers installed to bring ventilation to the top of the house, don't wait until spring to order the ventilators. Get them now and have the advantage of winter ventilation, besides being all ready for the next siege of hot weather in 1942.

Ventilation is important in winter, because if warm air collects in the attic and is not carried away through controlled openings, condensation of moisture can take place when the weather becomes very cold outside. This means a musty odor and sometimes deterioration of the materials of walls and roof.

There are attic ventilators in a wide range of sizes, from 8x8 inches to 18x36 inches, in square, rectangular, half-circle and quarter-circle shapes with built-in screens and costing from about \$1.50 to \$5 or \$6 each. The less expensive attic ventilators have stationary louvers, tilted so that rain will not enter the attic while air will. The more expensive ones have adjustable louvers, which can be opened or closed to admit more or less air, depending on the weather.

The louvers may be installed in frame or masonry houses. Some are made to fit exactly in the place of a brick in a gable end of a dead air space. Some of the louvers come painted, others merely primed, to be painted to match the outside trim or walls of the house.

Disappearing Stairway. You can make your stairless attic do full duty without sacrificing any of the space below. Indeed, by moving trunks, suitcases, sewing machine and children's toys to the attic, you may gain another room, however small, on the first or second floor, important if yours is a community



where living quarters are scarce or if your family has grown since you bought the house.

All this can be done by means of a disappearing stairway. Through a hole cut in the attic floor, you can install a sturdy stairway which, when not in use, slides up into the attic, out of the way. The stairway is installed on roller brackets, with steel cables winding on springs to balance the weight of the stair and to aid in raising and lifting the stair easily. The ceiling door is strongly constructed and good-looking and allows plenty of head room for the moving of heavy objects into the attic.

The disappearing stairway lies on the attic floor when it is at rest, and its position there is what holds the ceiling door tightly closed. Naturally, you must allow an unimpeded floor space in the attic about 6 feet long and 2 1/2 feet wide for the stairs and should be 6 feet high, directly above the stair, to allow for pivoting when opening and closing.

Two models of sliding stairs have come to our attention. One has an extra large ceiling opening, 2 feet 6 inches by 6 feet 3 inches and stair treads 7 inches wide. It costs about \$60. The other is a serviceable, moderate-priced stairway adapted for limited spaces. The ceiling door is smaller, 2 feet and 4 inches by 4 feet 6 inches, and the stairs do not project as far into the room or hall as the larger stairway. This costs about \$40. Both are equipped with hand rails for safety.

Note: For further information about any of the products described above, write Miss Buns and Gordon, in care of The Star, and enclose a stamped, self-addressed envelope.

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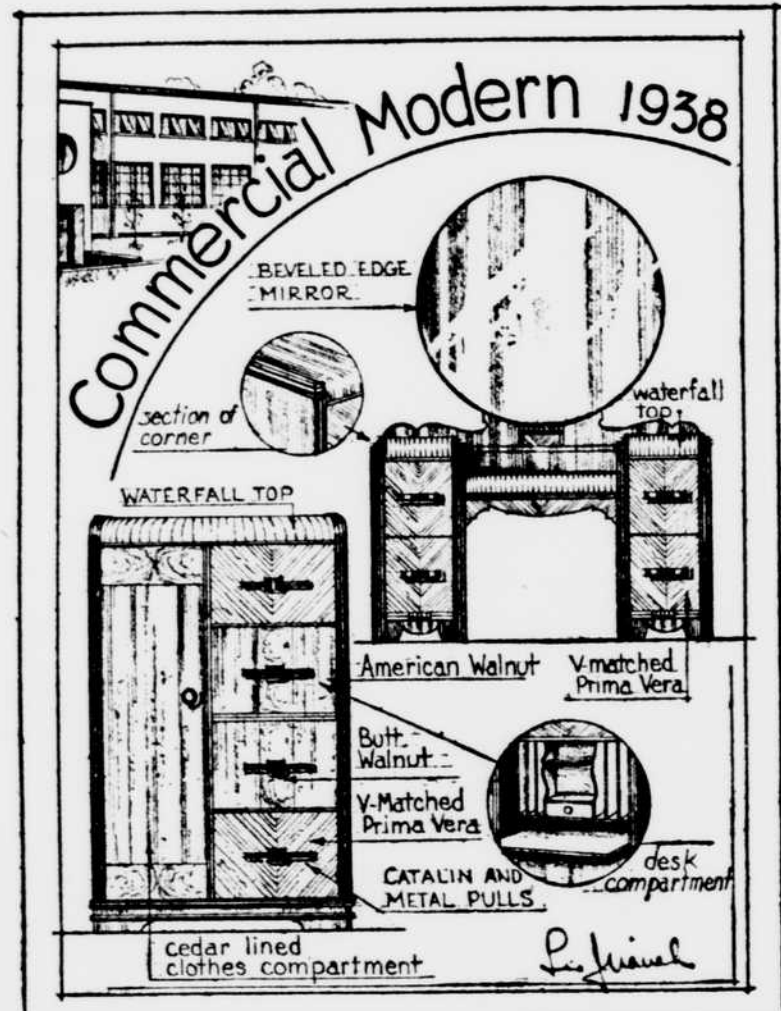
REALTORS



NEW BETHESDA HOME—Miss Emily R. Mann has purchased the above new home at 5406 Harwood road, Bethesda, from Henry J. Connor, Inc., builders. —Star Staff Photo.

KNOW FURNITURE

By Leo Jiranek



Commercial modern is the most widely bought modern furniture in this country today. The reasons are that it fits into so many homes and it provides the desired background of many people.

In appearance it can be best described as being sumptuous and showy. In lines and proportion it is rather heavy and massive, and yet it is not without a certain element of grace.

Practically every means of decoration known to designers are used to make the pieces elaborate. Unusual veneers, vividly contrasted, are typical. So is the use of shiny finishes, frets, moldings, rout lines and marquetry. Special attention is paid to the hardware, which features the use of metals, plastics and glass in a variety of colors, finishes and tricky designs. Waterfall effects are characteristic.

Combination pieces, such as chest-robbers, dresser-secretares and vanity-desks, play an important part in suite ensembles. Convenience

features, such as built-in bed lights, over-sized mirrors, cedar-lined drawers, utility trays, shoe racks, desk compartments and ash trays, are integral parts of individual pieces.

Commercial modern is functional furniture with special emphasis placed on elaborate decorative appeal.

Note: If there are questions readers would like to have answered, write to Leo Jiranek, care The Star, inclosing 3-cent, stamped and self-addressed envelope.

Kitchen Needs Good Light

The kitchen must definitely be considered a workroom. As the most frequently used room in the house, it should be provided with ample light and ventilation. F. H. A. ratings are adversely affected when the kitchen is so poorly lighted and ventilated as to impair its usefulness, convenience and comfort.

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Realtors

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As of September 30, 1941, lending institutions financing mortgages accepted by the F. H. A. for insurance numbered 8,027, a gain of 242 over the 7,785 originating institutions as of December 31, 1940. On the same date institutions holding F. H. A. insured mortgages in their portfolios (obtained through either origination or purchase) numbered 8,669, a gain of 340 over the 8,329 holding institutions as of December 31, 1940.

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Make a huge bell for your front door or the space over the mantel by cutting out a bell-shaped pattern from chicken wire and sticking it solidly full of soft green hemlock. Hang a large golden Christmas tree ball at the base for a clapper and tie it at the top to the wall or door with a massive red bow.

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RADIO PROGRAM SATURDAY December 6, 1941 Last-minute changes in radio programs sometimes reach The Star too late for correction that day

Table with columns for time slots (12:00-12:15, 12:15-12:30, etc.) and radio stations (WMAZ, WRC, WOL, WBYV) with their respective programs.

THE EVENING'S HIGH LIGHTS

WMAZ, 7:00—Metropolitan Opera Wagner's "Die Walkure" starring Helen Traubel as Brunhilde, Lotte Lehmann as Sieglinde, Lauritz Melchior as Siegmund, Kerstin Thorberg as Fricka, Frederick Schorr as Wotan and Alexander Kipnis as Hunding. Eric Leinsdorf conducts.

Bedtime Stories

By THORNTON W. BURGESS. For a long time Billy Mink and Bobby Coon sat gossipping on the edge of the Laughing Brook. Then Bobby, having finished what he had to eat, decided that he would go down the Laughing Brook to see what he could find.

SCORCHY SMITH



(All kinds of comics—for everybody—in The Sunday Star's colored comic section.)

—By Frank Robbins

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(More of Orphan Annie's thrilling adventures in the colored comic section of The Sunday Star.)

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(Keep up with Tarzan's thrilling adventures in the colored comic section of The Sunday Star.)

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(There's plenty of adventure in The Sunday Star's 16-page colored comic book.)

—By Frank H. Rentfrow, U.S.M.C.

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(Dan Dunn continues his fight against crime in the colored comic section of The Sunday Star.)

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(You'll enjoy the Nebbs just as much in the colored comic section of The Sunday Star.)

—By Sol Hess

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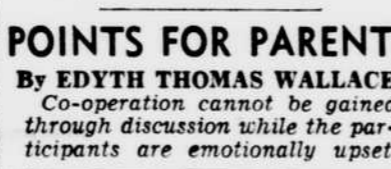


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—By Gene Byrnes

POINTS FOR PARENTS

By EDYTH THOMAS WALLACE. Co-operation cannot be gained through discussion while the participants are emotionally upset.



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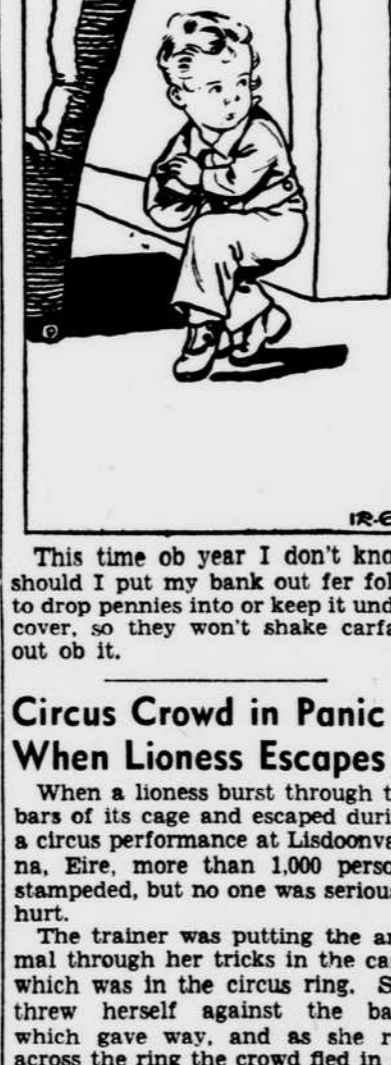


Mother: "I've been so worried about you that I'm afraid I couldn't be fair if I talked to you tonight. Let's sleep on it and do our talking tomorrow, shall we?"

SONNYSAYINGS



CROSSTOWN



India Is Selling More Karaya Gum in U. S.

Karaya gum, one of India's export products, is gaining an expanding market in the United States, it is reported at New Delhi. Exports of the gum to the United States in 1939 were valued at \$361,649; shipments in the first quarter of 1941 reached a total of \$203,576.

Bombing Delays Writing Of \$100,000 Check

As Wang, a rich merchant, was writing a check for \$100,000 to build the first unit of a university in Chungking after the war, Japanese bombed the high school where he was cased with a missionary and the school principal. All fled to shelters. Later Wang finished the check and turned it over to the Methodist Church.

When Lioness Escapes

When a lioness burst through the bars of its cage and escaped during a circus performance at Lisdoonvarna, Eire, more than 1,000 persons stampeded, but no one was seriously hurt. The trainer was putting the animal through her tricks in the cage, which was in the circus ring. She threw herself against the bars, which gave way, and as she ran across the ring the crowd fled in all directions. The lioness rushed to a nearby road, but was surrounded and captured by the circus employees.

Winning Contract

By THE FOUR ACES. David Bruce Burnstone, Marvin D. Miller, Oswald Jacoby and Howard Schenken... A Poor Bargain... Yesterday you were Howard Schenken's partner and vulnerable against non-vulnerable opponents, you held:

The bidding: East-West vulnerable. 10 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31 32 33 34 35 36 37 38 39 40 41 42 43 44 45 46 47 48 49 50 51 52 53 54 55

Answer—Bid six diamonds. Your partner's bid is the cheapest he can make and was probably made just to mark time. Another discouraging prospect is that he may have some strength in spades and correspondingly less in the other suits.

Question No. 936. Today you hold the same hand, but the bidding is different: Schenken, Jacoby. You. Maier. 10 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31 32 33 34 35 36 37 38 39 40 41 42 43 44 45 46 47 48 49 50 51 52 53 54 55

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SHOPPING TRIP



—By Gluyas Williams

CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

A crossword puzzle grid with numbered squares. The grid is 11 columns wide and 15 rows high. Some squares are shaded black, indicating they are not part of the puzzle.

LETTER-OUT

A word puzzle titled 'LETTER-OUT' with five rows of words and clues. The words are: 1. FRIGATES, 2. GLARING, 3. ADVERSE, 4. LASTING, 5. CANDLES. Clues include 'Letter-Out for overashes.', 'Letter-Out and he was angry.', 'Letter-Out and the water did it.', 'Letter-Out and he's in the news.', 'Letter-Out and he punctured.'

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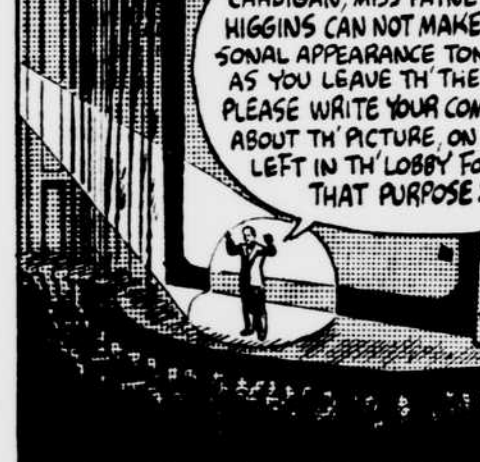
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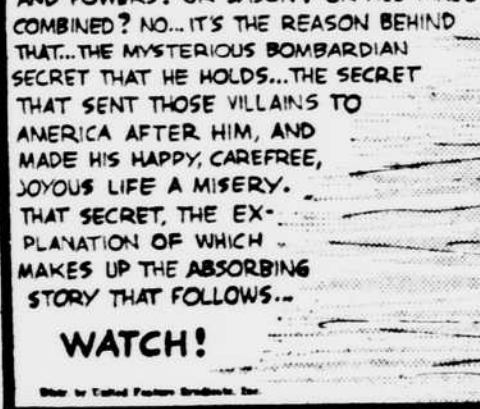
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New Boyer-Sullivan Love In a Gay, Frothy Mood

Earle's Picture Based on Off-Told Tale But Principals' Skill Masks Age; Dave Apollon Tops Stage Bill

By JAY CARMODY.

Last time Charles Boyer and Margaret Sullivan fell in love it was a poignant affair growing out of Fannie Hurst's "Back Street." This time Ladislaus Bus-Fekete provided the basic story and any one familiar with the ephemeral B-F knows that he was ever a Hungarian to treat emotion between the sexes in a gay and trivial fashion. "Appointment for Love," at the Earle, thus finds the highly skilled romantic team fencing ever so merrily, trading laughter for the tears that were shed for them so short a time ago.

"Appointment for Love," like all of Bus-Fekete's pictures, is a light, brightly spun romance, a love more to its interpreters than to its author. It is the story of a girl who puts a girl in a predicament and a girl who persists in the tale that one forgets Adam and Lilith probably played the original version. Part of the credit also belongs to Producer Bruce Manning and Director William Seitner, who clearly said to themselves that the retelling needed careful pointing and refreshing touches here and there.

One of the refreshing touches of this anecdote of the interrupted honeymoon is M. Boyer's connection with it. Usually it is his Gallic charm that is the most deadly thing about his screen romances, but this time he is the frustrated one and Miss Sullivan's Celtic-American charm is responsible. To his credit, let it be said that M. Boyer takes the other side very effectively, especially during a quick set-to in which he plays the weak angle of a trian-gular situation. There is something quite funny seeing him grow walloping angry when he is pushed around by an explorer-adventurer, who laughs derisively at his attachments. It looks like a mix-up in casting for a few minutes.

"Appointment for Love" intro-
TURKEY DINNER
Sunday Special 45¢
Includes soup of tomato juice, two vegetables, salad, dessert, coffee.
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The support provided by such players as Rita Johnson, Ruth Terry, Eugene Pallette and Reginald Denny is quite adequate at all times, most especially in the case of Denny in that brief sequence in which he puts Boyer in the disgruntled husband class.

Dave Apollon, the mad maestro of the mandolin, tops the longer than usual stage show which Harry Anger has assembled very effectively, especially alone a musical novelty that Apollon supplies, however, for him also falls the comedy portion of the show, which he handles very neatly.

Otherwise the bill is a varied thing which includes the six Antaks and their tricky acrobatics, the New Yorkers, a Ben Yost epee which does a neat job with several items including "Begin the Beguine"; comedy dancer, Danny Drayson, and the Roxettes in a couple of pleasant, handsome routines.

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CAGNEYS BECOME COHANS—Jimmy Cagney, as George M. Cohan, and his sister Jeanne as Josie Cohan, rehearse a dance routine for the forthcoming musical biography, "Yankee Doodle Dandy."

Two Dancing Cagneys Toil As the Dancing Cohans

Rehearsing Those Routines for 'Yankee Doodle Dandy' Proves Hot and Arduous

By HAROLD HEFFERNAN.

HOLLYWOOD. Her hair was pinned up in a tight knot atop her head. One leg straggled down over the left eye. Breasts of perspiration stood out on her forehead. She was a pretty girl, nevertheless. She wore a heavy blue sweat shirt, baggy at the elbows, gray flannel slacks, baggy at the knees and the toes of her shoes were badly scuffed. Still, she was a pretty girl.

The little red-headed fellow with her, dressed almost identically, looked as though he had just pulled up from a 10-mile run through traffic on a hot, busy day. Although the back of his shirt was damp from his efforts, he kept doggedly at it.

"What's the matter, kid?" asked the redhead, keeping on with his taps. "I just had a beautiful vision," she laughed. "I saw a great big chocolate soda, with a double scoop of ice cream."

She swung into step with him, catching the rhythm of George M. Cohan's famous old tune, "Mary Is a Grand Old Name," being thumped out by the pipe-smoking piano player at the edge of the rehearsal floor.

The red-headed fellow finished off a drum beat of fast toe and heel clicks, twirled, grabbed the exhausted girl and planted a big kiss on her cheek. They sank to the floor in a laughing heap. The piano player stopped in midnote, picked up the racing form and started to read.

Jimmy Cagney helped his sister Jeanne to get up off the floor. A man in a brown gabardine uniform shirt with the letters "W. B." (for Warner Bros.) stitched on both collar tabs pushed up two chairs, then handed Jimmy and Jeanne each a glass of water.

"How do we do, Johnny?" Jimmy demanded. "All right, all right," said the man in his early 40s who had been sitting quietly, watching the dance rehearsal.

"Yes, were my kicks any higher?" Jeanne wanted to know.

"About two up weeks of this and we'll have to send a boy up to pull your feet down, honey," grinned Johnny Boyle, a man rated for years by dancers themselves as one of the greatest dancers of these times.

"Two more weeks of this and I

The 'Babe' Gives In
Babe Ruth, after many weeks of negotiating, finally signed a contract to play himself for Samuel Goldwyn in the forthcoming Goldwyn production, "The Life of Lou Gehrig." These negotiations have been carried on with the Babe in New York and Mr. Goldwyn in California, and it was not until Mr. Goldwyn arrived in New York recently and was able to sit down and talk about the picture with Ruth that the final signatures were actually affixed. No date for Ruth's departure for Hollywood has been set. Immediately after signing Ruth left for a hunting trip. This concludes a period during which many companies had been vying for the services of Babe Ruth to appear in a picture based on his life. The paralling Ruth and Gehrig careers make one of the most colorful stories in the history of baseball, and the story of their big league years together will make part of the back structure of this picture.

Shooting of the picture is due to start in January. Paul Gallico is finishing the screen play in Hollywood now.

After signing the contract Ruth said: "It's a wonderful thing for me to be asked to play in this picture which will do honor to beloved Lou Gehrig. After all, there is no greater hero in the history of baseball, and the story of their big league years together will make part of the back structure of this picture."

Autry Back at Work
Gene Autry and Roy Rogers have returned to Republic Studios after successful personal appearance tours to go before the cameras in new pictures.

Autry will star in "Cowboy Serenade" with Smiley Burnette and Fay McKenzie his chief assistants. William Morgan directs.

Roy Rogers came back from a tour through Kentucky, West Virginia and Virginia. Roy immediately went to work in "Man From Cheyenne."

Civic Theater Turns to The Bard

Presents 'Troilus And Cressida' At Wardman

By HARRY MACARTHUR.

"Troilus and Cressida" is that play of William Shakespeare's which added to Bartlett's "Quotations" the line to the effect that one touch of nature makes the whole world kin. Beyond this there is little notable about it, for it certainly is an amusing, inconclusive, talkative affair, which proves, principally, that Chaucer told the same story more effectively. And the Washington Civic Theater's production of "Troilus and Cressida," which opened last night at the Wardman Park Theater, is no improvement on Mr. Shakespeare's original. It probably doesn't harm it any, but it doesn't help it either, for "Troilus" makes no more sense on translation to the stage than it does on the printed page.

The players, under Leon Askin's direction, whoop things up in lively fashion now and then in the handsome reproduction of an Elizabethan theater Henry C. Pearson has created for them. And Dorothy Croissant has designed such colorful and attractive Elizabethan costumes, apparently authentic, that none of the players seems at all nervous about cavorting in pink or green tights.

Rudolph Watson (who seems, according to the program, to have become Rudolph Justice) and William Zuckert, for instance, roll great and sonorous Shakespearean soliloquies about with the happy gusto of men who enjoy the sounds words make. Murray Sheehan seems wrapped in sly glee while he, as Pandarus, works at bringing Troilus and Cressida together. And Miss Edith Simmons displays a spirit proper to the play, too, though sometimes apparently performing an impersonation of Mae West playing Cressida.

There are a few others, also, who lend some life to their romping about. And then there are some who make you wonder how Troy ever was taken at all, if this is a true picture of what Shakespeare intended to imply—went on before those walls. This, you may or may not remember, the story about the boys who wanted Helen back and the boy who wanted to retain her. One plot involves Troilus in the discovery that women are fickle people.

Where and When
Current Theater Attractions and Time of Showing Stage.
National—"The Student Prince," back again: 2:30 and 8:30 p.m.
Wardman Park—"Troilus and Cressida" produced by the Washington Civic Theater: 8:45 p.m. Screen.
Capitol—"Confirm or Deny," reporter meets girl: 11 a.m., 1:45, 4:30, 7:15 and 9:55 p.m. Stage shows: 12:55, 3:40, 6:25 and 9:10 p.m.
Columbia—"The Chocolate Soldier," Rise Stevens and Oscar Serranus music: 11:20 a.m., 1:25, 3:30, 5:30, 7:35 and 9:40 p.m.
Earle—"Appointment for Love," Boyer meets girl, M. Sullivan by name: 10 a.m., 12:25, 3, 5:30, 8 and 10:35 p.m. Stage shows: 11:35 a.m., 2:05, 4:40, 7:10 and 9:40 p.m.
Keith's—"Keep 'Em Flying," Abbott and Costello in the Air Corps: 11:45 a.m., 1:45, 3:45, 5:45, 7:45 and 9:45 p.m. March of Time: 11:25 a.m., 1:25, 3:25, 5:25, 7:25 and 9:25 p.m.
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