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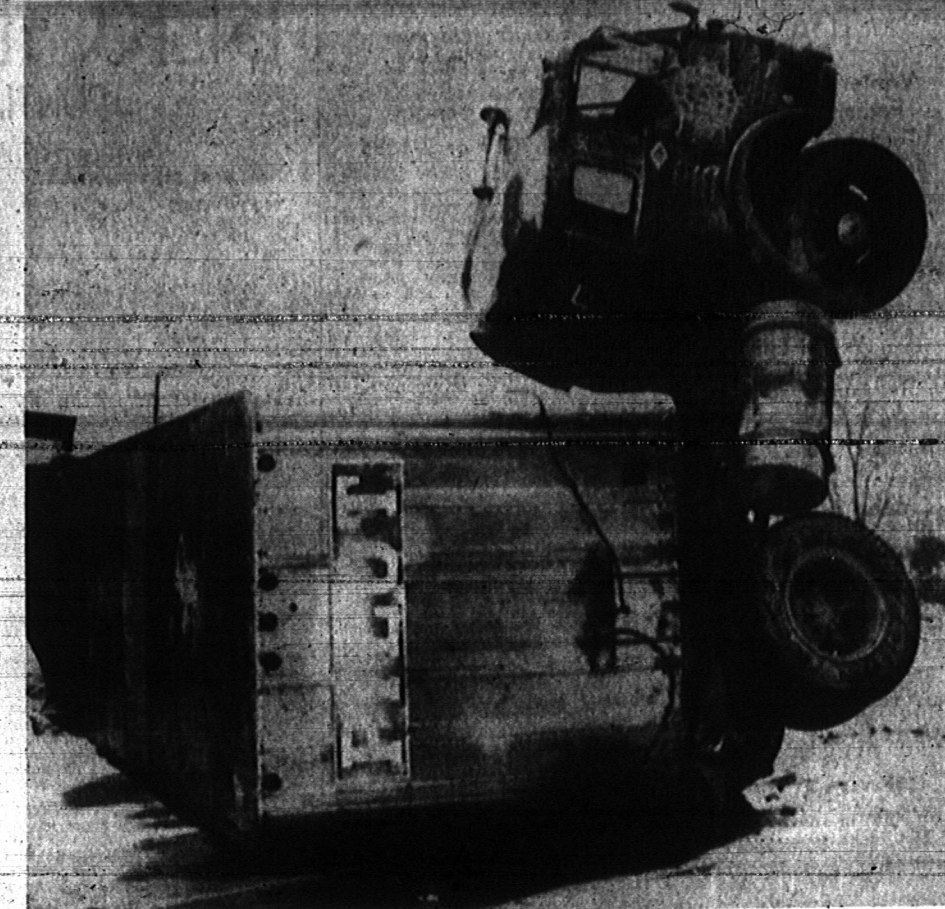
Seed Malibu Fire Area; Trucker Needs Ladder



HELICOPTERS EQUIPPED to carry 200 pound loads of rye grass seed, are racing against the winter rains to seed the blackened hills of the Malibu, Calif., fire disaster. The \$40,000 program is about a 10-day operation, said head deputy forester in charge of the planting. Only sharp slopes and canyon areas of the 25,000 acres of destroyed watershed would be seeded. (Unifax)



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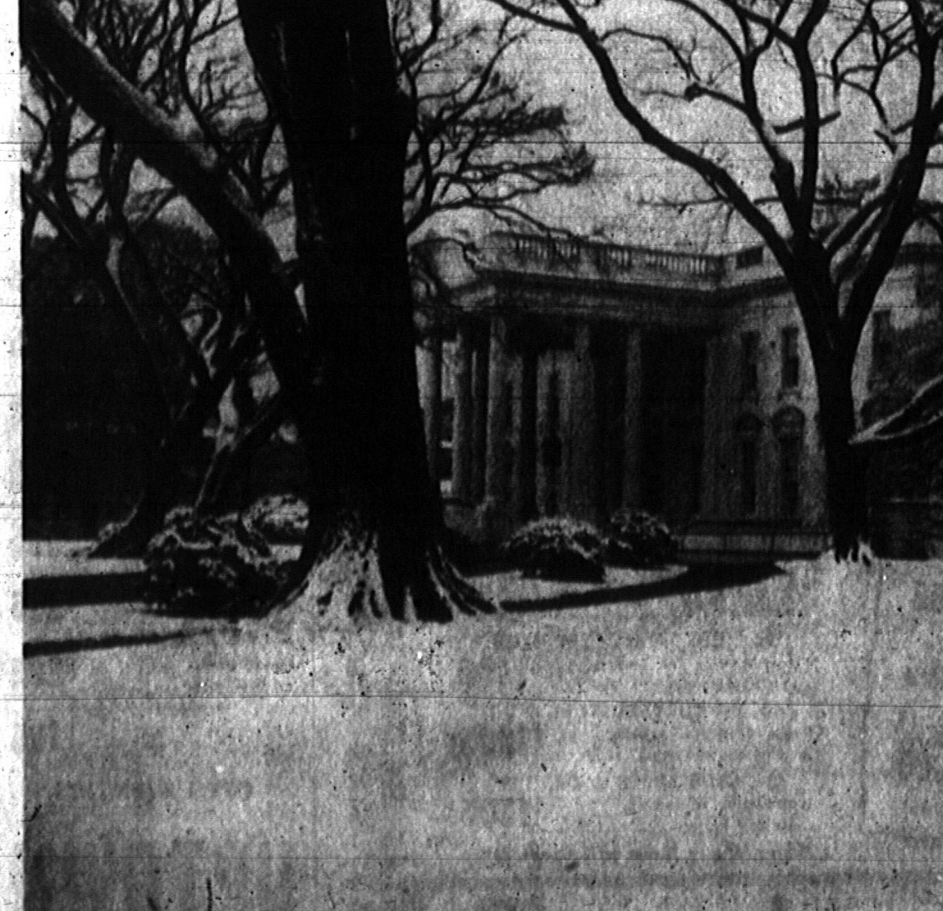
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Joan Crawford Vacations In Switzerland

After a skating session on the rink at the swank Swiss resort at Gstaad, Joan Crawford is vacationing after trip from London, where she recently completed the 73rd movie of her career. (Unifax)



It's Winter-Time In Washington

Washington's first measurable snowfall of the winter drops a blanket of snow over the White House grounds. (Unifax)

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Knowland Won't Run For Senate Again

Republican Leader's Decision Prompts Presidency Hints

WASHINGTON (UP)—Senate Republican Leader William F. Knowland's decision to retire from the Senate prompted speculation today that he will make a bid for the presidency in 1960.

The 41-year-old Californian stunned his Senate colleagues and caught California political leaders by surprise in announcing Monday that he will not seek reelection when his current term expires in 1958.

Some senators quickly concluded that Knowland, a veteran of 11 years in the Senate, will try to win the California governorship in 1958 and use it as a stepping stone to the White House in 1960.

Knowland had planned to seek the Republican presidential nomination last year before Mr. Eisenhower announced his intention to seek a second term. After the President made known his intentions, Knowland withdrew.

The constitutional prohibition against presidential reelection will prevent Mr. Eisenhower from running again.

Vice President Richard M. Nixon considered by many to be a front-runner for the 1960 GOP presidential nomination, issued a statement here praising Knowland for service "in the highest and best traditions of the United States Senate."

"I know I reflect the sentiments of his many friends in California and throughout the nation in expressing the hope that the President's decision to leave the White House will return to public service in the future," Nixon said.

In California, State Controller Robert C. Kirtwood, a Republican, said he would run for Knowland's Senate seat in 1958. He said his political philosophy is "wholly in accord with the great Eisenhower movement."

Knowland, a conservative on most issues, has sometimes been at odds, as Senate GOP leader, with the President's views. But Senate Republicans again picked him as their leader for the new session of Congress which opened last week, and Knowland said he would retain the post until his retirement from the Senate.

California Gov. Goodwin J. Knight, whose term expires at the same time as Knowland's Senate term, exclaimed, "I must say I'm surprised" when informed of Knowland's decision.

Knight said he expected to discuss the development with Knowland when he comes here for President Eisenhower's Jan. 21 inauguration.

Request More Voting Precincts In City

A request which might lead to the establishment of additional voting precincts in Kankakee was heard during the city council meeting Monday night.

Leo Klonowski (D-1) requested that new polling places be established in the First, Second, Third and Fourth wards.

Klonowski said he believed that the size of these wards warranted such action.

In other actions Monday the council also:

Gave the purchasing committee power to purchase some 300 feet of 1 1/2 and 2 1/2 inch hose destroyed or damaged in the Troup Lumber Co. fire last Thursday, at the request of Al Stang (R-4), chairman of the fire committee.

Referred to the planning commission a request for rezoning of the northwest corner of Court St. and Fifth Ave. from class C (2-family dwelling) to class F (commercial).

Held in abeyance a recommendation from the planning commission that a site at Maple St. and Nelson Ave. be rezoned from class C to class E (local business), providing that certain requirements be met.

Filed a report from the State Department of Public Health stating that water furnished by the Kankakee Water Co. had been examined for mineral content and was found to be "effectively softened, sufficient for domestic use."

Yemen Ruler Says British Troops Invade Territory

LONDON (UP)—The official radio of the ruler of the feudal Arab kingdom of Yemen charged today that British troops supported by tanks and armored cars were fighting on Yemen territory.

The British colonial office here said that Royal Air Force planes in the British-administered Aden protectorate had been in action against "intruders from the Yemen."

These charges were the latest in a series in which Britain and the Red Sea state of Yemen recently have accused each other of raids along the ill-defined border between Yemen and Aden, both of which lie at the southern extremity of the Arabian peninsula.

At one point in the discussion, Shapiro pointed out that Meadowsview residents could obtain police protection, garbage removal, sewer street lights, additional fire protection and street improvement eligibility under the motor fuel tax law by annexing to Bradley village.

At this point, conference was held between Meadowsview residents and city officials.

Shapiro said the rates were based on figures supplied by the engineers taking into consideration the requirement of re-tiring the bond issue. He added that he didn't know if the engineers had known of the contracts.

Both sides agreed that they hoped to settle the dispute out of court. This appears to rest with the Bradley Village Board decision. The board agreed to convey its decision by letter to all Meadowsview users.

He pointed out that the penalty would be assessed against either the higher or lower rates no matter which way the courts decided the dispute.

Dyer rejected this proposal. He said, "I don't know if we owe anything until you pass an ordinance requiring us to pay the same rate as village users."

Dyer contended that the village was "utterly irrelevant," and that the assessment requirement was obtained by the fact that the village had obtained right of way for its sewer under terms of the contract.

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Expect House To O.K. Mike's Mic-East Plan

Hungarians Flee Purge By Kadar; Fighting Flares

Reds Harassed In Mountainous Terrain Near Yugoslavia

VIENNA (UP)—Hundreds of Hungarian patriots fleeing arrest and possibly death under the new Red reign of terror are fleeing into the trackless forests, swamps and mountains to join the hard freedom-fighter bands, refugees said today.

Hungarians who risked their lives to cross the Austrian frontier to escape the return to the "proletarian dictatorship" in their homeland also reported renewed fighting between partisan bands and Russian troops.

Clashes between Hungarian patriots and Red army troops have increased in the past 24 hours, according to the newly-arrived refugees. They said the heaviest fighting took place in the rugged country centered around Pecs. Pecs on the Yugoslav frontier was a rebel stronghold in the revolution crushed by Soviet steel.

The PRO-RUSSIAN regime of János Kadar announced Monday a new purge of opponents. The cleanup was expected to hit members of the Hungarian parliament as well as die-hard patriots.

The Hungarian refugees said it was estimated some 10,000 Hungarian patriots are hiding out against Soviet and Communist Hungarian forces in the outlying provinces. Rebel bands were said to be active in the Bakony Forest in western Hungary, the Matra Mountains in northeast Hungary, and in the swamp lands along the Hungarian-Yugoslav border.

The refugees said the patriots were able to hold out indefinitely in their almost-inaccessible strongholds. They said the freedom fighters are provided with food by peasants and farmers, and obtain weapons and ammunition by raids on Red army supply columns.

Hodge was taken to the U. S. marshal's office to await his call before the grand jury.

Hodge entered the grand jury room shortly after 10 a.m. He was the only witness to be heard today. His two accomplices in the 2 1/2-million-dollar raid on the state Treasury, Edward A. Epping and Edward A. Hitt, will be brought before the grand jury Wednesday.

Hodge, on "vacation" from his state prison cell, appeared before the grand jury on Monday and was warned to make partial restitution for 2 1/2-million-dollar he embezzled from the state or spend an extra 18 years in prison.

HODGE WAS TAKEN to the Pontiac State Reformatory for the night after his appearance before Federal Judge John P. Barnes, and was escorted to Springfield today by reformatory guards.

The grand jury is investigating an alleged \$35,000 lobbying fee paid by the Union Gas & Electric Co. of St. Louis. The money wound up in a secret "envelope account" maintained by Hodge at the Southmoor Bank and Trust Co. in Chicago.

Following his testimony here, Hodge will be returned to the state prison at Joliet to serve out his federal term and a 12-1/2-year state sentence.

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(2) Approval of the resolution of improvement.

(3) Passage of an ordinance relating to storm sewer to be installed in connection with the project.

(4) Approval of a resolution concerning actual plans for the improvement.

County Board Committee To Study Building Code

The Kankakee County Board of Supervisors today set machinery in motion to tackle one of the major problems which Chairman George E. Luhrs has outlined for solution this year.

It authorized Luhrs to appoint a committee to study procedure for establishing a county building code.

Luhrs called for a meeting of the county board of supervisors to discuss the zoning committee to discuss action necessary to put county zoning into effect.

The action followed the reading of letters from the Kankakee Building Trades Council and the Chamber of Commerce board of directors endorsing a building code.

COUNTY ZONING and a building code are considered related programs to guide the county's growth along constructive lines. Existing property uses would not be affected, spokesmen say.

Luhrs said a committee would have to be named to carry out county zoning. The board already has authorized appointment of such a group.

The present committee with which Luhrs will meet in the near future to discuss the zoning program consists of Donald Gray, chairman; Larry Power, Russell Hendrickson, Clyde Schierholz and F. J. Suprant.

A letter from Edward Putz, secretary of the Kankakee Building Trades Committee, had this to say about a building code:

"Please be advised that the Kankakee Building Trades Council heartily endorses a proposal for enactment of a building code for Kankakee County."

"With the establishment of such a code it would eliminate the erection of sub-standard housing and alleviate the need of condemning them in the future, together with the necessity of placing a hardship on those who purchase these homes due to lack of knowledge in the construction industry."

"We may also observe that methods of sanitation are becoming very obvious and construction methods are merely bypassed in the erection of such sub-standard buildings."

"We trust you are aware of the urgent need of a building code and urge you to give this matter your utmost consideration."

THE OTHER LETTER said that the Chamber of Commerce board of directors "went on record favoring such a building code with adequate inspection from the county health department for the safety and welfare of our citizens."

This letter was signed by Henry B. C. C. manager, who said that he and Wayne Friesel, chairman of the Chamber's construction and housing committee, had at a meeting at which a building code was discussed.

The city of Kankakee has its own building code, but there is none in unincorporated areas.

In other fact this morning, the county board approved a resolution to motor fuel tax for maintenance of more than 154 miles of county highways under 1957.

The money will be used to maintain 124.28 miles of blacktop county highways and 30,135 miles of crushed stone roads built with motor fuel tax funds.

Howard Schwark, county highway superintendent, said \$22,930 was appropriated last year, and a balance of \$1,000 is available.

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5 File Petitions As Council Candidates

Five petitions have been filed with City Clerk Patrick Cleary for aldermanic candidates in the city primary election Feb. 26.

The petitions are for three Republicans and one Democrat. The last filing date is Jan. 12.

Petitions have been filed by Harry Shekey, 291 S. Chicago Ave., incumbent Second Ward alderman; Herman Cheller, 182 S. Entrance Ave., Third Ward; Vaughn E. McCullen, 315 S. Main St., Fourth Ward; and Wayne Huot, 1001 S. Evergreen Ave., Sixth Ward, all Republicans.

The Democratic candidate for which a petition was filed is Charles Lockwood, present alderman from the Third Ward. Profiles of the four Republican candidates appeared previously in the Journal.

Lockwood has served since 1950 on the city council. He has been employed in the Florence Stone engineering department for 21 years.

Council committees on which Lockwood has served include west side fire station, building, street and alley, budget, public relations and fire.

Lockwood has been a scoutmaster at St. Rose School for 11 years and has been a youth director for the Catholic Order of Foresters for two years. He has donated a total of 22 pints of blood to the Red Cross.

Mr. and Mrs. Lockwood live at 32 S. Fifth Ave. They have four children, three boys and one girl.

England, France Agree To Indirect Talks On Canal

WASHINGTON (U)—Britain and France were reported today to have agreed to a plan for indirect talks with Egypt on a Suez Canal settlement with U. N. Secretary General Dag Hammarskjöld acting as intermediary.

The Egyptian government refuses to meet face to face with British and French diplomats on the Suez problem.

There is hope the discussion can be started within a few days, but no specific time has yet been fixed.

The United States would stay out of the talks, to be held in New York, but would be ready to use its influence with both sides to speed a settlement.

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Committee Hears Dulles' Testimony

WASHINGTON (U)—The chairman of the House Foreign Affairs Committee and a top Republican committee member both predicted today that the House group will speedily approve President Eisenhower's resolution on the Middle East.

Chairman Thomas S. Gordon (D-Ill) and Rep. Vorys (R-Ohio) expressed their opinion as the committee called Secretary of State Dulles back for more questioning. Extensive hearings still lay ahead in the Senate. Sen. Russell (D-Ga) said that "I, for one, am not going to be stampeded into action on this."

Eisenhower's resolution, delivered to Congress Saturday on a top priority basis, would authorize dollar help to Middle East countries and use of U. S. armed forces in case of open Communist military attack.

Dulles' testimony, delivered during a closed session deals on some of the military matters he touched on during previous questioning Monday. He did not stress the progress of the matter.

There is no plan for stepping up American forces in the Middle East.

Despite manpower cuts in the U. S. armed forces, America's military "effectiveness" has increased and he is satisfied the United States has enough strength to commit itself against possible brush fire wars in addition to its other commitments. He said, for instance, that we have the power to protect Syria.

American military actions might not be confined to the country where the Reds attack, but could involve strikes in such other areas as the aggressor's staging areas and communications lines.

He does not envision an all-out attack on the Soviet Union, unless it is determined that a Communist invasion is really the beginning of World War III.

Generally, Dulles portrayed the Eisenhower resolution as a "declaration of peace" which would serve as a warning notice of U. S. willingness to fight a Red aggressor and by bolstering the military and economic strength of independent Middle Eastern countries.

By making a Middle East country more resistant to subversion, he added, the Eisenhower military economic plan would also counter any Red move to take over that country by other than open aggression.

A Senate Republican Leader, Knowland of California said, after conferring with Eisenhower Monday that he believes Congress will pass the resolution, but may make some changes in it.

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Meadowview Asks Rate Equalization

Meadowview representatives Monday night rejected a Bradley proposal for placing a portion of their sewer bill payments in excess until the rate dispute with the village is settled by the courts.

They counter-proposed that the village adopt an ordinance equalizing rates charged Meadowview and Bradley sewer users and agreed to delay court proceedings while the village board reconsiders its position. President Clarence Lock said the village trustees would meet next week to discuss the situation.

The Meadowview Civic Association, represented by a delegation at the Bradley Village Board meeting, stated that the area rate of \$2.30 is in violation of a contract between the village and the Meadowview subdivision. Most Bradley sewer users are charged \$2.30 a month.

Wayne Dyer, counsel for the association, produced copies of the contracts, executed in 1941 and 1946, providing for rates of the "same scale and in like manner" as those charged village residents.

VILLAGE Attorney Sam Shapiro contended that the rate ordinance was not subject to the terms of the contract since it establishes classes of users. Meadowview residents, he said, happen to fall into that class of users who do not receive water from Bradley or whose premises have not been assessed for a sanitary sewer. These users are charged the higher rate.

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Council Action Assures E. Court St. Improvement

Four actions were taken by the Kankakee City Council Monday evening which gave the go-ahead sign for State Highway Department plans for the improvement of E. Court street near the Belt Route.

Aldermen had originally approved such plans, but the approval was formally withheld pending negotiations between the state department and Romy Hammes, developer of Marycrest Subdivision.

An agreement was finally reached whereby the parking lane will be part of the improvement, but its construction will be paid for entirely by the state.

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on the SOCIAL Side

Lutheran Ladies Aid Has New Officers

Newly elected officers were introduced at the Thursday meeting of the Ladies Aid of St. Paul's Lutheran Church at Fellowship Hall. Mrs. Walter Platt will serve as president; Mrs. R. C. Hager, vice president; Mrs. C. E. Genson, secretary; Mrs. Edward Gohardt, recording secretary; Mrs. Emil Sell, coffee social treasurer; and Mrs. Alfred Ziemer, Ladies Aid treasurer.

Emil Siefert Honored At Party On 93rd Birthday

Emil Siefert was honored at a party Saturday evening, the occasion being his 93rd birthday. The event was held at the home of his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. William Ramien of 965 S. Maple Ave.

The guest-of-honor received a gift of money. Refreshments were served by the hosts.

Siefert came to the United States from Germany when he was 30 years old. Before his retirement in 1920 he was employed as a carpenter with the Kankakee State Hospital.

Bradley VFW Auxiliary Initiates Five

Five new members were initiated at the Friday meeting of the Bradley VFW Auxiliary in the club hall.

New initiates are Mrs. Clifford Hedwin, Mrs. Paul Martin, Mrs. Ted Ahassay, Mrs. Earl Farber and Mrs. Virginia Olson.

The business meeting was conducted by the president, Mrs. Carl J. McCarty.

Two members appointed to serve on the Bradley Youth Center board for the coming year were Mrs. Francis Riley and Mrs. Walter Cole.

Mrs. Lionel LeBar, auxiliary hospital chairman at Memorial State Hospital, announced that auxiliary has done work for veterans at the hospital amounting to \$1,979.60.

The annual Bradley VFW Post and Auxiliary Christmas potluck supper was held Saturday at the club hall with 75 persons present.

The evening was spent socially and a Christmas gift exchange was held.

The committee in charge of the potluck was composed of Mrs. McCarty, Mrs. Ray Owen, Mrs. Myron Dray, Mrs. Frank Peterson, Mr. J. R. Theodore Gutschy, Mrs. Arnold Cote and Mrs. Richard Owen.

The next meeting will be Jan. 15 at the YWCA.

Nice salad to serve with lamb: salad greens, grapefruit sections and cubes of mint jelly.

NEW Printed Pattern Easier to cut Sew and fit

9050 12-20 Printed Pattern Fashion news in Printed Pattern is the new star of spring! This pretty dress has its own cape, that you can button on to the waist, or wear it open for a casual look.

Printed Pattern 9050: Misses' Sizes 12, 14, 16, 18, 20. Size 16 dress requires 4 1/2 yards 35-inch fabric; cape takes 1 1/2 yards.

This printed pattern assures perfect fit. Easy directions printed on each piece.

Send Thirty-five cents in coins for this pattern—add 8 cents for each pattern—plus 10-cent shipping charge. Send to: Printed Pattern Dept., 222 West 10th St., New York 11, N. Y. Print plainly name, address with zone, size and style number.

For every understanding wife and mother should realize that she is not supposed to take face value what her irritable husband says or what her overly fatigued or hungry child may utter.

When a husband has been properly fed, both good and bad, and is not more highly irritable than before, even animals this same variation exists.

A RACE HORSE HAS a different personality than a slow-moving draft horse.

And the same variation exists among human beings, too, so it is unfair for wives to react to their husband's angry outbursts when the men are under extreme pressure.

It is not true to remind you that your husband provides for you to the best of his ability and is true to you, and in his calm moments admits he loves you, too, do you part.

Quit acting like juvenile females who take offense at every casual remark, and wear your quiet and dignified in either realm and in your own life.

And learn to eliminate conditions that promote anger in your mates. Satisfy a man's gastric and erotic appetites on schedule and he will be a contented housecat.

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Former Kankakean To Wed

The engagement of Miss Lucille Shumaker is being announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James K. Shumaker Sr. of San Diego, Calif., and formerly of Kankakee. Her fiancé is J. Ross Ferguson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank O. Ferguson of Detroit, Mich. The wedding will take place March 30 at Los Angeles, Calif.



Shirley Berner To Be June Bride

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Berner of 93 Main St., Bourbonnais, announce the engagement of their daughter, Shirley Ann to Marshall E. Miller. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Legro of 540 N. 10th Ave. A June wedding is being planned.

Union Hill Home Bureau Has Lesson On Smart Appearance

Hostesses for the Thursday meeting of the Union Hill Home Bureau were Mrs. E. F. Sutter and Mrs. LaVerne Sutter.

The major lesson, "Achieving a Smart Appearance," was given by Mrs. Ray Beaulieu.

During the business meeting with 14 members and one guest present, plans were made for a potluck supper to be held Jan. 31 for members and their families.

The next meeting will be Feb. 7 at 1:30 p. m. at the Community Hall.

Party Host Spends Evening In PJs

NEW YORK (NEA)—The daring young man in the lounge pajamas spent a whole evening hosting a party, and nobody knew that he was wearing sleepwear. They thought he was in slacks and sport shirt.

And there was good reason for their deception. Nowadays, pajama manufacturers are putting style in pajamas and it's a far cry from the tickle-type stripes of 10 years ago.

You can get Ivy-look pajamas—button-down tops, slacks with a snap fly, pockets and self-belt. You can get Mexican-style pajamas—colorful tops worn out of the bottoms, slacks with a slit near the cuff. You can get pajamas that look like a lot of things, but it's getting tough to find pajamas that look like pajamas.

MATCHING PAJAMAS for father and son, and for father-son-daughter, are or will soon be available.

"Fun" pajamas will be stressed—and those are pajamas decorated with gay and colorful prints, like the famous "prisoner of love" model done up with prisoner's stripes and a lover's big red heart.

Coming Social Events

7:30 p.m.—Bradley East Elementary School Parent Teacher Association, at the school.

7:30 p.m.—Kankakee Art League, Gov. Small Memorial Park, at the school.

7:30 p.m.—Kankakee Royal Neighbors of America, Knights of Columbus Hall.

7:30 p.m.—Women's Fellowship of the First Congregational Church, Mrs. Arnold Robbins, 1400 Cobb Blvd.

7:30 p.m.—Youth Temperance Council, Miss Loreta Karnes, 247 N. LaSalle Ave., Bradley.

7:45 p.m.—Sadie Robbins Missionary Organization at First Baptist Church.

8 p.m.—Past Presidents Parley of the Kankakee American Legion Auxiliary, Legion Home.

8 p.m.—Women of the Moose, lodge rooms, formal meeting.

8 p.m.—Gleaner Club, Mrs. L. E. Sitter, 100 E. Jeffery St.

8 p.m.—Delphi meeting at YWCA.

9 a.m.—Ladies of the GAK, Mrs. Francis Tait, 180 S. Chicago Ave., quilting, potluck dinner, business meeting.

12 noon—Indian Birthday Dinner, Mrs. Elizabeth Freeman, 241 W. Hickory St.

12:30 p.m.—Newcomers, Marty's, luncheon.

1:30 p.m.—Past Presidents of the Eastern Star Social Club, Mrs. Olga Peterson, 1137 S. Fifth Ave.

1:30 p.m.—Ladies Auxiliary of the Railway Carriers and Brakemen, Mrs. R. W. Stentz, 408 S. Wildwood Ave.

1:30 p.m.—Salina Home Bureau Unit, Mrs. Melvin Kirchner, RR 2.

1:30 p.m.—Kankakee Senior Citizens at YWCA. Take cookies.

2:30 p.m.—Council St. Cecilia, Union St. John the Baptist, St. Rose Church, lower hall.

7:30 p.m.—Boy Scout Mothers Club troop 110, Mrs. Delmar Gagnon, 411 S. Grand Ave.

7:45 p.m.—Kankakee Mothers of World War II Unit 84, Knights of Columbus Hall.

8 p.m.—Christian Family Movement of St. Rose Church, Mr. and Mrs. William Flynn, 313 W. Williams St.

Miss Cheryl Marnell Hostess To JCDA Troop St. Joseph

Junior Catholic Daughters of America Troop St. Joseph met Thursday at the home of Miss Cheryl Marnell of 1119 S. Lincoln Ave.

The meeting was opened with a prayer by the hostess.

Miss Janet Beck and Miss Marnell were appointed to attend baptism services and present medals.

The meeting was closed with a prayer. Following the meeting refreshments were served by the hostess.

The Jan. 16 meeting will be at the home of Miss Stephanie Bower of 361 S. Poplar Ave.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hansen of Limestone Township entertained the DCH Club Saturday evening.

Five hundred was the diversion with prizes going to Mrs. Norbert Hansen, Mrs. Alva Hansen, Mrs. Ed DeCrown, Charles Hansen, Mrs. Frank Hansen, and Henry Hansen.

Mrs. Elsie Dyre was a guest with several whole chickens, a whole alpaca and a stick of cinnamon. Pour over hard-cooked eggs and refrigerate overnight. Drain and serve with cold cuts at an evening buffet snack.

Plans were made for the Jan. 19 meeting to be at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Humbert of 451 Country Club Dr.

15 Attend Meeting Of Lydia Circle

Lydia Circle of the First Methodist Church met Friday in the church parlor with Mrs. Esther Holloway and Mrs. Irvin Manley serving as hostesses.

Mrs. Emil Erickson, chairman, opened the meeting with a prayer. Fifteen members were present.

Mrs. Leslie White and Mrs. Carrie Madison presented the lesson from the book, "The Islands Await You," dealing with the topic, "Be a Leader in Your Own Community," which was followed by a question and answer discussion by the group.

Devotions were given by Mrs. Holloway, secretary of spiritual life.

The next meeting will be Tuesday, Feb. 5, with Miss Edith Hargrave, Miss Edna Myers and Miss Ellen Durham serving as hostesses.

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Band Boosters Club Sees Film On Europe, Ceylon

The Bradley-Bourbonnais Band Boosters Club saw a film on Europe and Ceylon at the Thursday meeting at the high school.

The film was shown by Oscar Luginbuhl who was introduced by the Rev. O. J. Hensley Jr.

James Baker, band director, conducted the business meeting in the absence of the president, Gene Stegner.

Baker stated that a group of junior and senior band members attended the band clinic held in Chicago.

Refreshments were served following the meeting. The group's next meeting will be held Feb. 7.

Beauty's Not Enough For A Model's Success

By JEANNE D'ARCY Most girls these days want glamour jobs.

Right at the head of their list of aspirations is modeling, a profession that's been romanticized because it's one of the great success stories. The papers are always filled with the tales of cover girls who make \$20 an hour or of models who've married millionaires or royalty. No wonder there are so many who'd like to be in the same happy situations.

But—and it's a big but—being pretty is far from the only qualification modeling requires.

First of all, she's the matter of being photogenic. You may be pretty, but this doesn't guarantee that you'll photograph that way.

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What about grace of movement? The photographer's darling is the girl who falls into poses quickly, easily, naturally and gracefully. Dancing lessons often help a girl develop this ease.

Charm, personality and a firm purpose to succeed are still other qualities a gal needs to get ahead in the highly competitive world of modeling.

Present Yule Play At Meeting Of Saunemin Society

SAUNEMIN (JNS) — A play, "Christmas at Home," was presented at a meeting of the Women's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist Church when it met Thursday in the home of Mrs. Alva McDowell.

Mrs. Herman McDowell of Pontiac was assisting hostess. Taking part in the dramatization were Mrs. Walter Kreech, Mrs. Claude Logemann and Mrs. George DeGrood.

Devotions and a worship service were led by Mrs. Alva McDowell.

Roll call was answered by 17 members, who gave their favorite Bible verses.

Mrs. Irvin Kohlmeier, program leader, was assisted by Mrs. John R. Logemann, Mrs. Alva McDowell and Mrs. Gladstone Roderfer.

During the business meeting, conducted by Mrs. DeGrood, president, members decided to send \$20 to a memorial fund for a Bloomington district officer killed recently in a plane crash.

Lunch was served by the hostess at the close of the afternoon.

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Spring Suits Tops In Fashion

NEW YORK (NEA)—All the way across the country, suits lead in spring fashions.

There will be many suit silhouettes, not just one or two. There will be cape suits, belted suits, easy suits, bloused and cropped jackets. And just as much variation in skirt treatments: Pegged tops, tunics, pleats and the new slightly longer lengths.

THE 1957 LINE is one of soft elegance. Fur appears, surprisingly, as spring suit trim. Little caplets have a ladylike look. Fabrics are the gentle ones, the chiffon weight tulle, soft-wood jerseys, tulle, pleats and the new slightly longer lengths.

There's been no great change in hem lengths so far. Some designers are showing hemlines a half inch to an inch longer but generally the longer length is considered prettier for late day, dressy, and party wear.

THE CAPE THEME is as important to suits as it is to coats, ensembles and dresses. Capes in shades of color in the lightweight, pastel tweeds and the silks.

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Eldon Essington Hosts To Jolly Saturday Nites Club Members

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Essington of 577 N. Ninth Ave. entertained members of the Jolly Saturday Nites Club.

Euchre was the diversion with prizes going to Mrs. and Mrs. David Hartman, Mr. and Mrs. David Bowers and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Whitell.

Mrs. Frederick Lippold Entertains Friday-ettes

The Friday-ettes met at the home of Mrs. Frederick Lippold of 520 N. Illinois Ave.

Winners of 500 were Mrs. John Piggish, Mrs. Wilbur East and Mrs. Homer Dahn. Special prize was awarded to Mrs. John Wells.

Mrs. Walter Schultz and August Peterson received birthday gifts from their mystery pals.

The Feb. 1 meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Walter Schultz of 2800 W. Hickory St.

Cookin's Fun

Delicious ways to dress up hamburgers. Hamburgers with Mushroom Sauce. Asparagus Vinaigrette with Romaine and Cucumber. Hot Buttered Toast.

Apple Turnovers. HAMBURGERS WITH MUSHROOM SAUCE. Ingredients: 3 tablespoons butter or margarine, 1 medium sized onion (finely diced), 1/2 pound mushrooms (caps and stems finely diced), 1 1/2 tablespoons flour, 1 cup milk, 1 teaspoon soy sauce, pepper, 1/2 pounds ground chuck beef, salt.

Method: Melt butter in a medium-sized skillet with a wide bottom, over moderately low heat. Add finely diced onion; cook slowly until golden-brown, stirring often—5 to 10 minutes. Add mushrooms and cook and stir several minutes; cover saucepan and cook very slowly (very low) 5 to 10 minutes; add milk all at once. Cook and stir constantly over moderate heat until thickened and bubbly. Add soy sauce and pepper to taste. Cover and keep hot over very low heat. Form 4 large fairly thick patties from the meat; sprinkle with salt. Cook patties by preferred method, making sure they are well-browned on outside. Serve hot with mushroom sauce. Makes 4 servings.

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No Will Power Required, Says Successful Reducer

By IDA JEAN KAIN "If fat people would only learn about food, they would not find it hard to lose weight." Those words of a successful reducer gave this dietitian gladdened strength.

Why lose out on 50 years of scientific advances in modern nutrition knowledge? Protective dieting, when applied, is more sensational in positive results than faddy dieting could ever be. By following the scientific pattern of eating, you can slim down two pounds a week without feeling hungry, losing your bounce, or changing wrinkles. For convincing proof, here is a letter from a triumphant New York reducer.

"I have at last reached that long awaited day when everyone is saying to me, 'You are thin enough. I have been on my diet for seven months. I weighed 200 pounds when I started and have lost 50 pounds. Follow your Calorie Chart and I will be like you.'"

"I have never felt nervous about food, they would not find it hard to lose weight." Those words of a successful reducer gave this dietitian gladdened strength.

"I am really thrilled to know that I look so nice, and everyone tells me I look a lot younger. That of it because I can now wear the prettier styles that come in the smaller sizes."

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"If fat people would only learn about food, they would not find it hard to lose weight. Believe me, I am never going to let myself gain again. It's so nice to know that my body is healthy and that I have lost 50 pounds. My husband says my dieting has been a triumph. I have been on my diet for seven months. I weighed 200 pounds when I started and have lost 50 pounds. Follow your Calorie Chart and I will be like you."

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Tight Money Market Gets Severe Test

By SAM DAWSON
NEW YORK (U)—A test of investors' willingness and ability to take on a huge new volume of securities is shaping up this week. It may also give a clue as to how tight the money market is in the new year and whether interest rates are to climb still higher.

Corporations are seeking \$25 million dollars of new money. The World Bank is looking for \$100 million. Tax exempt issues are being offered this week come to \$5 million. And the U. S. Treasury will peddle a special issue of slightly more than \$1/2 billion dollars worth of 130-day bills.

In a money market that has been tight for months this is quite a test. How high an interest rate must be offered to get all that money is the big question today in financial circles.

MONEY NORMALLY gets easier in January because this is the period for individuals to pay up their Christmas bills and for businesses to pay back the loans taken out to finance the production and sale of goods between Labor Day and Christmas. That brings more money in the banks—no more.

THE BIG FLOOD of new securities ready to be offered this week may be one of the chief reasons that buyers held off in the bond market last week and let prices of existing securities drop still lower.

At bond prices fell, their yields rose—that is, although the interest on them is fixed, the return you get for the less money you need invest is higher.

Bond yields pulled closer to those on many common stock issues, and ahead of some of the blue chips. This tends to make common stocks look less attractive and bonds more so.

The U. S. Treasury's \$1/2 billion dollar offering, to come due in June, is aimed chiefly at those who will be making income tax payments then. The offering will refund a similar sum coming due this month, so that only part of it will be "new money," although most of it will complete to some extent with the corporate security offerings.

GILMAN Legion, Auxiliary Hold Joint Session
GILMAN (INS)—The Gilman Legion and Auxiliary of the American Legion met Thursday evening. After a 6 p. m. potluck supper, a short joint session was held with George Conrad, commander, presiding.

Dr. Melvin Rodda told of his trip to Washington, D. C. The committee on selecting material to cover the auditorium floor displayed the tile purchased. Plans were discussed in relation to inviting the local CD which will be near by legion members in the near future.

Mrs. George Conrad, president of the auxiliary, conducted the auxiliary meeting. The auxiliary is sponsoring the Heart drive and made a donation to the heart fund. Members will hold a clothing drive for needy children in America and Hungary.



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County Civil Defense Unit Starts Operation

A Civil Defense Organization will begin active functions in Kankakee County. It was announced today by Weldon Wadleigh, county and city civil defense director. Operating with the cooperation of the Kankakee City Council and the county board of supervisors, Wadleigh said a meeting will be held Friday at 8 p. m. in the council chambers to explain new plans to division staff directors.

A permanent civil defense office has been established in room 203, city hall, with office manager Mrs. Carl McChute on duty from 1 to 4 p. m. Monday through Friday.

WADLEIGH EXPLAINED that the county and city have voted appropriations from tax money, and said that the county is paying the salary of the office manager and that the city has provided the office space and office equipment.

"We hope to provide a well-organized group of persons sufficiently trained to take care of any emergency in the county," Wadleigh said. He emphasized that the organization could function in any type of disaster, such as tornadoes, floods, train wrecks, etc.

Wadleigh has served as civil defense director for three years and has kept the plan on an active basis despite the fact that no funds were available. The only salaried person involved in the organization is the office manager, Mrs. McChute.

During the meeting Friday night, the complete personnel set up will be explained and materials will be distributed to the staff directors of divisions.

THE DIVISIONS will include the following services: Health, transportation, air raid warning, police, fire, wardens, rescue, mortuary, personnel, engineering, welfare and evacuation, mail, tail and mobile support, utilities control, air raid shelter, central centers, plant protection, collection and transfer points, communication and control, supply, civilian auxiliary, public information and education.

Staff directors will be asked to recruit volunteer workers to man their divisions and to submit lists of equipment and supplies needed for immediate actual emergency operation.

Wadleigh said that the organization will attempt to meet these immediate needs, plus planning a 5-year program to complete a well-supplied civil defense group.

The city and county divisions will be headed by the same men. Wadleigh explained, to simplify the organization. In addition, all communities with large populations will be asked to organize their own CD organizations to cooperate with the county and city.

KANKAKEE IS ONE OF 17 counties in Illinois to be eligible for federal government participation in civil defense. The local CD group may receive up to \$50 per year.

Community To Get Portable Hospital

The Kankakee Civil Defense Organization will soon receive a complete 200-bed portable emergency hospital which can be used in cases of disaster in this area, CD Director Weldon Wadleigh said today. The hospital comes from the federal government and will cost the community nothing. It is worth about \$30,000.

Wadleigh said the hospital, which weighs about 13 1/2 tons will be stored in the basement of the Kankakee County Courthouse in space provided by the County Board of Supervisors.

Wadleigh will have direct responsibility for the unit and it will be used under his direction. He said it is expected to arrive here about 40 days. When stored, the unit consists of 400 packages, crates and bundles.

DR. D. K. JUDD has been appointed by the Kankakee County Medical Society to be responsible to staff the hospital when it is used. The unit requires the services of 10 physicians, 20 graduate nurses and 200 auxiliary workers.

Wadleigh said the portable hospital is designed for use in buildings and not under tents. He has designated St. Patrick's Central High School as the site where the unit will be set up.

The unit includes: Its own generator and transformer for an electrical system, a classification room, shock treatment ward, three operating rooms, sterilizing room, central supply room, pharmacy, laboratory, supply ward, 200-cottages with bunks and blankets, an X-ray room with a camera which takes and develops pictures in 40 seconds and a complete supply of drugs for 48 hours of full operations.

Wadleigh said the drugs are checked each three months when the unit is in storage.

He pointed out that St. Patrick's is an ideal location for the hospital, since it could be set up on the gymnasium floor and the classrooms, in a circle around the gymnasium.

Thirty workers can set up the hospital in four hours.

"This unit is not only available in case of armed attack, but it can be used in any emergency," the civil defense director said.

"It will provide adequate emergency medical facilities not now available to this area," Wadleigh said.

Freeport Fire Loss Set At \$1 Million

FREEPORT (UP)—The second disastrous fire in less than a week wrecked a section of the Freeport business district today.

No exact estimate of the damages was available immediately, but officials said it probably would top a million dollars.

The blaze broke out at 7:40 p. m. Tuesday in the Stukenberg department store and was brought under control five hours later.

SMOKE BILLOWED through the department store and it quickly erupted into a sheet of flame. The three-story structure and the adjoining E and W clothing store were destroyed.

The other buildings suffered smoke and water damage.

Charles Hagerman, assistant police chief, said local firemen were aided by firemen from Rockford, Lena, Morrison, Shannon, Rock City and Cedarville. A huge crowd, one time estimated at 10,000, swarmed over the area.

Only the plane's landing gear was damaged.

11 Unhurt As Polar Pilot Lands On 1 Ski

MCMURDO SOUND, Antarctica (U)—A Navy pilot brought his 3-ton plane in for a safe one-ski landing at this antarctic base today after circling for three hours to use up his fuel supply.

LT. Cmdr. John H. Torbert of North Kingdon, E. I., eased his Neptune craft in for the landing while three doctors stood by with helicopters in case of a crash. There were six crew members and five passengers aboard the plane.

Only the plane's landing gear was damaged.

New Newsprint Price Raise Looms Again

MONTREAL (UP)—Several other Canadian newspaper firms were believed planning today to join the Abitibi Co. and Consolidated Paper Corp. in raising prices by \$4 a ton.

Consolidated, which ships most of its 800,000-ton annual production from Quebec mills to the United States, announced plans for its increase Tuesday. The raise will bring the price in New York to \$14 a ton.

ANIBI started the latest series of price hikes with a similar announcement Jan. 2.

IT WAS NOT immediately known whether Abitibi or Consolidated, which reported net earnings of \$14,740,000 in 1956, would pass the boosts on to their Canadian customers. Quebec publishers normally pay \$4 less than the New York price because of lower transportation costs.

Political sources forecast early intervention by Quebec Premier Maurice Duplessis to protect newspapers in his newspaper-rich province.

37 Feared Lost In Atlantic Disaster

LONDON (U)—Shipping circles today posted estimates after the rescue of 1,124 British freighter Nordica, last heard from 15 days ago in the winter-whipped North Atlantic. Fear was expressed that the ship may have been wrecked with her crew of 37, most of them Greeks.

Bonfield Man, 81, Killed When Car Hits Pole

Skids On Ice; Services Friday For Alexander Lee

An 81-year-old Bonfield man was killed Tuesday evening when his auto struck a telephone pole and tree after skidding on a patch of ice.

Alexander (Sam) Lee apparently died of head and chest injuries. An autopsy was being made to determine the exact cause of death.

Lee, a native of Scotland, had operated a store in Bonfield and was a custodian at the City National Bank building.

He was returning home about 7:30 p. m. when his auto hit an icy spot on the Warner Bridge, about 1/2 mile north of Route 17, according to State Policeman Ralph Locke.

The car went off the road and hit a telephone pole and tree, Locke reported.

George Harrington, who lives close by, was on the porch of his residence and witnessed the accident, Locke reported.

Harrington, an engineer at Armour Laboratories, said Lee was not driving very fast.

WHEN THE AUTO BROKE the telephone pole it knocked out Harrington's phone service, so he flagged a passing motorist to summon aid. Howard Buckman notified the sheriff's office of the accident.

Lee, pronounced dead on arrival at St. Mary's Hospital, is Kankakee County's second traffic fatality of 1957.

Deputy Coroner Morris Yates, who also investigated, said the inquest will be held after the autopsy report is received, possibly the latter part of this week.

Funeral services for Mr. Lee will be held at 1:30 p. m. Friday at Hertz Memorial Temple, where friends may call after 4 p. m. Thursday and until the time of services.

The Rev. Norman Christman, pastor of Bonfield Methodist Church, will officiate, and burial will be in Memorial Gardens.

Mr. Lee was born Feb. 28, 1876, in Scotland, and came to this country at the age of 3, settling in Limestone Township.

HE FARMED for several years, and had resided in Bonfield since 1912, operating a store and later a feed store.

He and Anna Rathman were married Feb. 17, 1909.

Mr. Lee is survived by his wife, Mrs. Lee, 77, of 4414 Chicago, who again serve as Senate majority leader and whip respectively.

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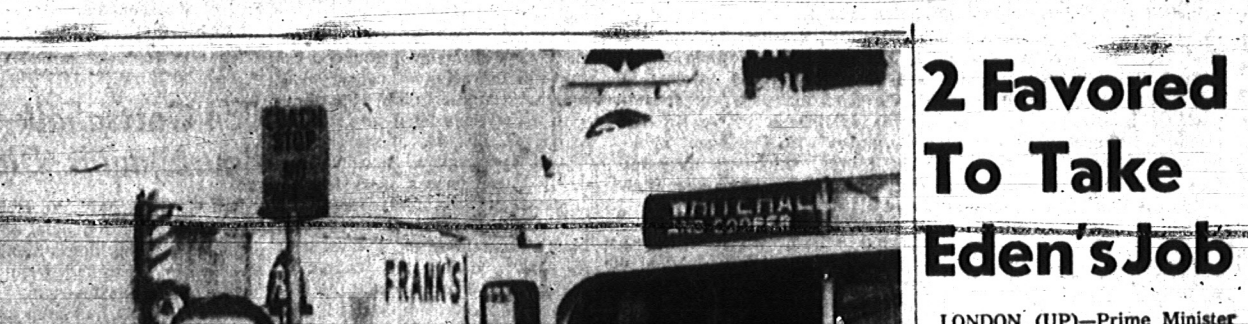
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BRITAIN'S PRIME MINISTER QUILTS



LONDON (UP)—Prime Minister Anthony Eden resigned today. The move was a sudden surrender to opponents of his ill-fated Suez policy.

With a giveaway faint smile on his face, the 59-year-old statesman walked out of a cabinet meeting at No. 10 Downing Street and went to Queen Elizabeth at Buckingham Palace to give her his resignation.

Eden's sudden decision caught both people and politicians by surprise. It meant the virtual end of his career as a statesman.

The Queen did not immediately summon another man to become prime minister.

POLITICAL OBSERVERS expected the call would go out later tonight or early Thursday to R. A. Butler, the lord privy seal and House of Commons majority leader, who is 53, or to Harold Macmillan, chancellor of the exchequer and former foreign minister.

Eden himself succeeded Sir Winston Churchill as prime minister in April, 1955.

Eden presided over a full cabinet meeting at No. 10 Downing Street after meeting Tuesday night with the Queen at her Sandringham estate in Norfolk.

The Queen herself suddenly cut short her Christmas vacation and drove to London, arriving a few minutes before the cabinet meeting began.

The cabinet session lasted 30 minutes.

At its end, Eden drove immediately to Buckingham Palace to see the Queen.

70th Illinois General Assembly Convenes

SPRINGFIELD (UP)—The 70th General Assembly convened today with swearing-in ceremonies, formal election of officers and a 30 million dollar emergency appropriation its first order of business.

LI. Gov. John W. Chapman in the Senate and Secretary of State Charles F. Carpenter in the House formally gave the sixth session into action at noon.

Gov. William G. Stratton planned the first welcoming address to a joint session of both houses.

He was joined by Sen. Robert W. La Follette, both of Chicago, who again serve as Senate majority leader and whip respectively.

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Substitute For Ike's Plan Being Studied

WASHINGTON (UP)—A proposed 34-word Democratic substitute for President Eisenhower's Middle East resolution drew cautious support on Capitol Hill today. But Speaker Sam Rayburn said he has not endorsed it.

Rayburn said the substitute was submitted to him by a "very prominent man" formerly high in the government. He said it was neither former President Truman nor former Secretary of State Dean Acheson.

Speculation centered on former Air Force Secretary Thomas K. Finletter as a likely author.

MR. EISENHOWER has laid before Congress a resolution affirming United States interest in the security of the Middle East and specifically authorizing him to use American military forces, if necessary, to defend any Middle East nation which seeks our help in resisting Communist attack. The administration resolution also would encourage him to grant about 600 million dollars in U. S. military and economic aid to Middle East nations over the next three years.

The proposed substitute only by inference would authorize the President, on his own, to use force in the area. It would make no mention of economic aid. It simply would state America's interest in the security of the Middle East.

Rayburn said the proposal, and the letter he got along with it, struck him as a "pretty sane approach" to the problem. He said he did not necessarily better than the President's.

He said he was having copies made of the House Foreign Affairs Committee, which today continued its hearings on the President's proposal, could study it.

Utility To Expand Area Gas Service If FPC Okays Plan

WASHINGTON (U)—An official of the Allied Gas Co., a St. Louis, Ill., said today the company will begin natural gas service to seven additional Illinois communities if a proposed pipeline expansion program is approved by the Federal Power Commission.

C. B. Coulter, Allied general manager, listed the communities as Piquette, City, Gilman, Onarga, Crescent City, Watseka, Buckley, and the Bayler Lake area.

Coulter testified at an FPC hearing on application by subsidiaries of the Peoples Light Gas & Coke Co., Chicago, for authority to supply an additional 465 million cubic feet of gas daily to distribute to the communities.

Allied, which now serves the pastoch and Redelle areas, would receive 1,500 cubic feet of that.

Coulter said that if Allied gets the additional supply, it will switch from coal to natural gas, with standby facilities for using oil.

Aden Charges Yemeni Border Attacks Repelled; RAF Used

LONDON (UP)—The Aden government announced today that "regular and irregular" troops of the Yemen had attacked villages in the British protectorate and that RAF jet fighters had straddled them. A dispatch from Aden said cannon-firing Yemeni fighters were called in to "assist local security forces and British airborne troops" to repel the attackers who during past weeks have become more persistent in their unprovoked attacks.

A communique denied that RAF planes had crossed the Yemen border, 10 miles from Beihan in the Hadramaut district of the Aden protectorate.

In Bonn, Germany, the Yemeni chargé d'affaires, Abdel Rayman Al-Ahmedy, said Tuesday night British planes had attacked Yemeni towns and that his government "will be forced to call on the volunteers" to fight the British.

CAIRO reports have indicated that Egypt would reject even indirect contact with the present British and French governments over the canal. However, they indicated a readiness to pursue discussions through the U.N.

The United Nations general assembly is in charge of the United Nations salvage job said in Port Said, L. H. Ken. Raymond A. Wheeler said today Egypt was planning to supply an additional 465 million cubic feet of gas daily to distribute to the communities.

Another indication of growing Egyptian toughness came from Cairo where the government announced that British planes had attacked Yemeni towns and that his government "will be forced to call on the volunteers" to fight the British.

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Nixon 44 Today

WASHINGTON (UP)—Vice President Richard M. Nixon celebrated his 44th birthday today.