

Held for Investigation



ENTERS JAIL CELL — Harold G. Bloom, 30, of Detroit is shown as he entered the Oakland County Jail. Standing behind him is Det. Harry Maur. Bloom, whose wife gave birth to their first child Tuesday, was held for terrorizing a Dearborn Township couple yesterday. He previously served a term in Jackson Prison for attempted armed robbery in 1951.

Ex-Convict Nabbed Here for Abduction, Torture

Arrested yesterday in Commerce Township, a 30-year-old ex-convict from Detroit today was being held for investigation of assault with intent to commit murder after allegedly holding a man and his wife hostage for almost eight hours.

Oakland County sheriff's deputies have turned Harold G. Bloom of 12039 Hubbell, Detroit, over to Wayne County sheriff's detectives.

Bloom was arrested when he stopped at a gas station at Hagerty road and Pontiac Trail at about 2 p.m. and the attendant called Oakland deputies.

Taken to Pontiac General Hospital were George F. Barnes, 45, and his wife, Eva, 45, of 7017 Maybarn St.

Barnes suffered a stab wound of the chest and his wife had facial burns. Both were in satisfactory condition.

The strange story began unfolding as Det. Sgt. Leo Hazen and Det. Harry Maur talked to the couple and their alleged attacker late Friday.

Mrs. Barnes, who is a fellow employee of Bloom at Gar Wood Industries, Detroit, said Bloom came to their home at about 6:45 a.m.

"He was carrying a green paper bag in one hand," she told Hazen. "My husband answered the door. Bloom came in and suddenly he threw ammonia in my face," Hazen quoted the woman as saying.

The distraught housewife, near collapse, continued, "When I could open my eyes the first thing I saw was George on the floor with a spear in his chest."

The spear was from a spear gun of the type used by underwater divers. Bloom had carried it in the green bag.

"He threw the ammonia in my face, shot this spear at my husband and then tied us both up," she sobbed.

Bloom denied any intent to harm them.

"I came to pick her up and take her to work," he said. "I brought the gun to show it to her husband. We walked into the kitchen talking."

Then Bloom said he looked at Barnes and said, "I have something to show you."

Hazen explained, "He said he raised the gun and it went off accidentally. He said the woman got hysterical and started screaming."

Bloom said he too was scared and mixed up and grabbed the bottle of ammonia standing on a table and "threw it in her face to quiet her down."

However, Bloom admitted tying (Continued on Page 2, Col. 8)

Resume Hunt at Dawn

Hope Fading for Missing Trooper

Herter Back for Consultation on Laos Crisis

Moves Already Afoot to Convene Security Council Members

From Our News Wires
UNITED NATIONS, N. Y. — Secretary of State Christian A. Herter returned from Europe today ready for "immediate" consultations on the Laos emergency. Moves were already afoot to convene the U. N. Security Council.

President Eisenhower was watching the developing crisis from his golfing retreat in Scotland. U. N. Secretary-General Dag Hammarskjold cut off a South American tour and was due back in New York this afternoon.

Herter, who landed at Boston this morning after accompanying Eisenhower across Europe, told newsmen he expected to confer "immediately" with his aides.

The secretary of state said he hoped to see Henry Cabot Lodge, American chief delegate to the U. N., within a few hours. Herter and Lodge are neighbors on the Massachusetts north shore.

At Turnberry Scotland, White House press secretary James C. Hagerty announced Eisenhower "is keeping in close touch with" (Continued on Page 2, Col. 2)

School Series, Nikita Articles Start Tuesday

Parents: School days are here again.

Should you always assume your child's teacher is right... or wrong?

How much should you help with homework?

Are intelligence tests really important?

What if your son fails at college?

Practical answers to scores of just such realistic questions are supplied by a famous educator-writer and his wife, Dr. Benjamin Fine and Lillian Fine, in a series starting Tuesday in The Pontiac Press.

He considers himself a diplomat.

He is a man of many moods. He is a Communist, but conservatism and capitalism color his thinking.

He is a man many Americans will be seeing in a few days—Nikita Khrushchev, chief of the Soviet Union.

To mark his visit an Associated Press specialist in Soviet affairs, William L. Ryan, has written a revealing series of articles for this newspaper. The stories begin Tuesday.



FOUND TROOPER'S BILLFOLD HERE — An unidentified man points to a small pool of water along a country road where the billfold of missing Michigan State Trooper Albert W. Souden was found yesterday. The pool is about a quarter mile from the spot in a beanfield near Argentine where his police car was found.

Youth Hangs Self in Jail Cell

Birmingham Boy Says He Attempted Theft to Help Sick Father

A 17-year-old youth, who told police he resorted to theft "because my father has cancer" last night hung himself from his cell in the Birmingham city jail.

Richard John Bielby, 5969 Westmore, Birmingham, was arrested shortly after attempting to steal a cash box from Killard's Gas Station at Maple road and Adams street, according to Police Chief Ralph W. Moxley.

Moxley said the boy fled when the station attendant caught him trying to force open the box in the rest room. Detective Douglas Marble apprehended Bielby a block from the scene and took him to the police department and jail in the Municipal Building at Pierce and Martin streets.

Marble told Moxley, "I asked him why he had to steal. The boy told me, 'I need money very badly.' When I asked him why a young fellow like him needed money so badly, he told me, 'My father is in the hospital with cancer.'"

Marble locked the boy in the cellblock, a large room with one cell in the middle, at 6:30 p.m.

When he returned to the cell to check on Bielby at 8:10 p.m., Marble said, he found the boy hanging from the bars running across the top of the cell. Marble said the youth had tied his shirt around his neck and the top bar.

Lt. Robert Schanley, head of the Birmingham police juvenile division, said he had known Bielby from a few minor scrapes, but that "he was a pretty good kid."

The boy was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bielby.

'Never Killed Anyone,' Knight Keeps Saying

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"Have you ever killed anybody?" I asked him.

"I never killed anyone," he replied, staring hard with his steely blue eyes glinting.

"When did you meet the trooper?" I continued.

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"We drove to a place about a mile and a quarter from my house in Argentine and looked at some tire tracks."

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Count 8 Troopers Slain Enforcing Law in State

LANSING (UPI)—Eight state troopers have been slain while enforcing the law in Michigan.

The last trooper to die at the hands of a gunman was Dugald A. Pellot, 23, Tecumseh, who was shot and killed Sept. 30, 1957, at the onset of a two-state running gunfight with a pair of ex-convicts.

An Indiana trooper, Ray Kelms, 35, Indianapolis, and one of the gunmen, Ralph Walker Taylor, 36, Kenova, W. Va., also died during the two-day battle.

The other gunman, Victor Wayne Whitley, 35, Granger, Tex., was captured near North Vernon, Ind.

The Chase started near Clinton when Trooper Douglas A. Vogel stopped a car for speeding. Taylor, driving a station wagon, pulled up behind Vogel's squad car and wounded Vogel as he was opening the trunk of the car he stopped.

Pellot, on fated duty at the Clinton Post, joined in the chase and was killed when he approached the station wagon on a rural road near Adrian.

KIDNAPED FARMER — Taylor and Whitley kidnaped a farmer at nearby Springfield and a housewife at Jackson before fleeing to Indiana.

Two other State Troopers were gunshot victims on Nov. 19, 1956, when they went to the home of a retired mailman near Ohio to answer a domestic trouble call.

They were killed by blasts from a deer rifle as they approached the house.

Other troopers slain in the past were George Brannan who was shot by a drunk man near East Lansing on April 12, 1950; Richard Hammond who was kidnaped and killed near Monroe on Jan. 19, 1937; John S. Burke, slain by bank bandits near Battle Creek on Oct. 13, 1930; Samuel Mapes, shot by a run-runner near Sturgis on May 1, 1927, and Harold E. Anderson, also killed by a run-runner at Novi on March 12, 1921.

Weary Officers Keep Up Search in Livingston

Ex-Convict Has Failed to Tell Fate of Souden After Capture

By HARVEY ZUCKERBERG

Dozens upon dozens of fatigue-clad state troopers at dawn began the second day of slogging and clawing their way through a bramble-entangled, marshy countryside in search of a fellow officer feared slain by a crazed gunman.

Chances of finding Trooper Albert W. Souden alive "are diminishing by the hour" as one of the most intensive police hunts in recent history pressed on in the sparsely settled Deerfield Township — Argentine area in Livingston County.

That is where, on White Road near Lovejoy Road, the trooper's squad car was found abandoned in the beanfield of a deserted farm.

Souden's papers and a wallet also were discovered in a swamp a quarter of a mile away.

The 29-year-old trooper was reported missing Wednesday after he set out to question a former mental patient and ex-convict in connection with a burglary in Millford.

Alvin W. Knight, 48, of 8547 Silver Lake Rd., Linden, was seen leaving his home with the officer Wednesday. A flying squad of troopers on a tip burst into a Cedar Lake cabin yesterday morning and arrested Knight 175 miles from his home.

In Knight's possession was found Souden's service revolver, a blood stained shovel and \$10 bill.

Knight was taken to State Police Headquarters in Lansing where more than 18 hours of intensive questioning failed to extract a confession from the suspected kidnapper.

"MILE-LONG" RECORD The man, "with a record of viciousness a mile long and considered extremely dangerous," maintains that Souden released him Thursday after questioning him.

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2 Drown Trying to Save Boy

A Flint father and his companion drowned on Holdridge Lake in Holly Township last night when they attempted to save the father's 12-year-old son from the same fate.

The boy was the only survivor, said Oakland County sheriff's deputies.

Dead are Harold Funnell, 49, of 1202 Markham St., and Philip E. Young, 40, of 217 Edwards Pl., both of Flint.

They were fishing from a boat about 7:30 when Funnell's son, Kenneth, fell overboard, said Sgt. Paul Carpenter.

In the attempt to save the boy and pull him aboard, the boat took on too much water, capsized and sunk. Both men went down with it.

The terrified boy swam to shore, broke a window in his father's car, and spent the night huddled in the back seat.

Crying and trembling he told deputies, "I didn't know what to do or where I was. Nobody was around. I was all alone."

Another Flint fisherman, Everett Gilliam, found the boy shortly before 6 a.m. today and called Holly police.

The bodies of the victims were recovered at 7:30 a.m. by Deputy Medward Tessier, department skin diver in about 15 feet of water.

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COMB FIELD FOR BODY — State police line up in a field near Argentine seeking the body of State Trooper Albert W. Souden. The helicopter from which Souden's cruiser was spotted is shown at right.

Weather Won't Spoil Those Holiday Plans

Planning a holiday outing? If you are you'll have the weather for it.

Both Sunday and Monday will be fair and warm, the weatherman says.

High Sunday will be 89, with a low of 64 at night.

Tonight's forecast calls for fair and slightly warmer temperatures for the thermometer will read a moderate 65 degrees.

Light winds southeast five miles per hour at 10:30 this morning will increase to 12-15 miles later today, diminishing tonight. Moderate southerly winds at 12-16 miles are expected tomorrow.

Sixty degrees at 6 a.m. was the lowest recorded temperature preceding 8 a.m. By 1 p.m. the mercury had climbed to 87.

News Flash

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Time for Inventory

Personal Checklist for Fall

BY JOSEPHINE LOWMAN

Here's a checklist for fall we might all think over.

1. I have recently mentioned giving your hands and hair some special attention to remedy summer damage. This also goes for the complexion. Treat it to some special lubrication and care. Try one of the hormone creams to help smooth out any little lines which may have appeared because of the drying effects of outdoor life and any squinting you may have done in the bright sunlight.

2. If you are anxious for your suntan to pale, try one of the bleaching creams or use diluted butter-milk. These are mildly bleaching or at least may speed the process.

3. Take time to decide whether or not you should change the shades of your make-up for fall. There is some range in what is becoming to any individual woman and often the colors which look best with summer garb fall to do the job with the deeper costume colors of winter.

4. Begin thinking over your fall and winter wardrobes. Make a list of what you have and one of what you will need in the way of new accessories and new outfits. Sometimes new accessories can make a suit or a dress seem new to you and to your friends.

DON'T WAIT

5. Don't wait too long before getting your clothes out of moth balls. That first zippy day will slip up on you before you know it.

6. If you have gained weight this summer get busy and lose it before you must wear your winter clothes.

If you would like to have my 9-Day Reducing Diet for a loss of 5 to 10 pounds in nine days, send 10 cents and a stamped, self-addressed envelope with your request for my 9-Day diet booklet to me in care of this newspaper.

Church Unit Has Retreat

The Women's Association of First Presbyterian Church met Friday afternoon in the church sanctuary. A retreat was conducted by Mrs. W. H. March and Mrs. J. C. Covert.

Mrs. William Hilderley and Mrs. Lyndon Salathiel assisted. Mrs. Robert Anderson played the piano and Mrs. Robert Irwin sang.

Mrs. Leslie Ellis, president of the group, conducted a business meeting preceding the retreat. Luncheon was served by the July-August Group under the leadership of Vera Bassett.



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Men More Casual About Doing Favors

By RUTH MILLETT

On the whole, women are more inclined than men to keep a strict account of what they do for others and to expect payment in due time.

A woman says, "I've taken her children to the swimming pool any number of times and the only time she ever took my Joey, she had the nerve to ask me if I could pick the kids up after their swim. Can you imagine!"

A woman says, "I've had them over to dinner twice since they've had us — and I'm not going to have them again until we're invited to their house."

A woman says, "I haven't had news of Dorothy for a long time. But then she owes me a letter."

That's the way it goes in the feminine mind—judging from the comments women make about what they do for others and what others don't do in return.

But men are more openhearted about the things they do for friends. If they are in the mood to be helpful, or if they have a generous impulse, or if they keep on doing favors for someone simply because "he's a nice guy," they take their satisfaction from the pleasure they get out of doing a good turn — and then promptly forget it.

If they ever do remember bygone favors that were never repaid, it's usually because their wives remind them.

"It burns me up," says the little woman, "after all the times you went to see Tom when he was in the hospital that he never dropped around once when you were sick."

"I guess I did go by to see Tom pretty often," says the man who had forgotten all about it until reminded by his loving spouse. "But what's that got to do with his finding time to get by to see me? Maybe he has

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Future Bride Is Honored

Dee Brim, bride-elect of Roger Rummel was honored at a kitchen shower Thursday evening at the Waterford Township home of Mrs. B. E. Brim. Assisting her were Mrs. Harry Wood and Mrs. Thomas Kampe.

Miss Brim, daughter of the Melvin L. Brims of Lakeside drive and Mr. Rummel, son of the Martin F. Rummels of Birmingham will be married Oct. 24 at First Presbyterian Church.

Guests at the shower were Mrs. Rummel, Mrs. Melvin Brim, Mrs. Howard Stewart, Mrs. Ford Leet, Mrs. William Long, Mrs. Robert Mills, Joanne Wood, Mrs. James Greenwood, Mrs. Frank Greenwood, Mrs. James Ware and Mrs. Leonard Costello and Mrs. Wesley Costello, both of Detroit.

Diplomacy Can Be for the Girls

WASHINGTON — Diplomacy still is a man's world, but the females are moving in.

The State Department said at present there are 2,494 women employed in its foreign service—mostly secretaries and other personnel who back up the actual diplomats. The number of petticoated envoys, however, is relatively few: 298, which is about 10 per cent of the total number envoys.

To get in the foreign service at any level, a girl must pass a stiff examination which requires a well-rounded education. But there is no discrimination other than in matters of assignment.

There are some "hardship posts" in faraway places where it is considered unlikely that a woman would be sent, said a department spokesman. But even here, the lines are being relaxed; there is now, for instance, a woman on the staff of the embassy in Addis Ababa, Ethiopia. Salaries range from \$5,225 to \$20,000.

And although there is no differentiation because of sex in hiring, there is one regulation: if a female career officer marries within the service, she must submit to resignation "which may or may not be accepted."

been busy," the man says without rancor.

This is one way of saying that in their friendships and social life, women were as unconcerned as men with keeping score on who does what for whom, they would be a whole lot happier.

Shoe Shine Habit

If you're lazy about polishing shoes at home, make a regular habit of dropping them off at the shoe repair shop to be shined. This should be part of your wardrobe upkeep routine.

To remove folds and creases from a plastic fabric, hang it evenly over an open door, advise clothing specialists. The weight of the plastic will help remove the wrinkles. Then smooth the fabric with the palm of your hand.

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Figure Club Chairmen Are Named

Mrs. Dorothea Campbell, newly-elected president of the Fashion Your Figure Club has announced committee chairmen to assist her during the coming year.

Mrs. Clarence Mahaffy, Mrs. Elmer Davis and Mrs. Robert Sawyer will be in charge of programs for the club. Mrs. Carl H. Rehm will handle publicity. Mrs. William Parrish will head the hospitality committee and Mrs. Leo Tripp was named historian.

Others are: Mrs. Charles Ruggles, telephone; Mrs. Ralph Selling, flowers and gifts; Mrs. Ruth Jensen, trophy and Mrs. Raymond Gartley, ways and means.

Members and friends are invited to the meeting Sept. 10 at which Dr. A. J. Zujko will be guest speaker.

The trophy was given to Mrs. George McMichael and the monthly prize to Mrs. Campbell for losing the most weight.

No Excuse for Stains

Few persons have pearly white, straight teeth. However, there is little excuse for stained teeth which detract from your smile when talking to people.

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Bird Studies Relate to Humans

NEW YORK — Dr. William A. Diller, of Cornell University, studies birds in the hope of shedding light on human behavior.

As young birds become larger and less dependent on their parents, he reports, they become increasingly aggressive toward them. It seems to be part of the growing up process, Dr. Diller said.

Husband's Parents Give

A postnuptial shower, honoring Mr. and Mrs. Wayne McGuire was given by Mr. McGuire's parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. M. McGuire, Tuesday evening at their home on Eileen drive.

Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Gene Younger, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Manning, Mr. and Mrs. Windle Beard, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. Richard North, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hart of Ferndale and Mr. and Mrs. Byron Hendley of Detroit.

Others were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Dufoe of Flint and the Rev. and Mrs. Gene C. Phillips of Webster City, Iowa.

The former Gwen Carter of Santa Ana, Calif., and Mr. McGuire were married at First Church of the Manning, Mr. and Mrs. Windle Nazarene, Santa Ana, Aug. 9.

The newlyweds will, return to college in Pasadena, Calif., Saturday.

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MAKE OVER PAGES

Outlines Responsibilities of New Year to Women

Mrs. John Garrison and Mrs. P. G. Latimer outlined "new responsibilities of a new year" at the Thursday afternoon meeting of Woman's Society of Christian Service of Central Methodist Church.

Mrs. Max Shane, devotional chairman, introduced the theme "There's a light upon the mountain," which will be the study topic of the circles for the year. Mrs. Clyde Marshbanks sang.

Appointed for a three-year term on the nominating committee were Mrs. Harry Baker and Mrs. Byron Rogers. Mrs. William Wright and Mrs. Harry Martin were appointed for a two year term.

New membership chairman is Mrs. George Dietrich, and Mrs. John Hall will be music chairman.

Mrs. R. W. Vessells, president, urged participation in the school of churchmanship to be held at the Church from Sept. 21 to Oct. 26 and the missionary institute of United Church Women at Covert Church on Sept. 16.

Ada Duhigg circle served a salad luncheon. Mrs. Edward Glatfelter was chairman.

1st Midget Night Game Tuesday at Northside

Parents and fans of Midget baseball will get their chance to see a night game involving the young boys for the 1st time in Pontiac history Tuesday.

The Northside (St. Michael) All-Stars will play Westside Kiwanis in the contest slated for an 8 p.m. start.

No admission will be charged for the contest. The teams were rivals during the summer in the Class F division of the Pontiac Parks & Recreation Department baseball program.



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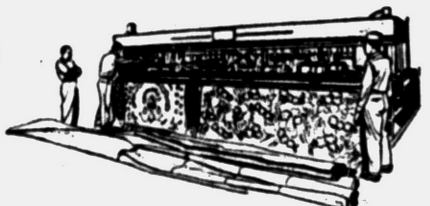
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4H LEADERS HONORED — Recognition for 40 years of service as local 4H Club leaders came to Mrs. Stanley E. Kipp of 1123 Doris St. and Keith Middleton (right), of 2610 Stoney Creek Rd., Oakland Township, at the State 4H Club Show. Each had served 20 years. Laurence A. McCabe, representing the Railroad Committee of Greater Detroit, made the presentation at a special program Wednesday on the campus of Michigan State University.

Special Session Looms in Fall

House Rejects Interest Control Bill Demanded by President

WASHINGTON (AP) — Congress, already buffeted by presidential vetoes, faced the added threat today of recall to a special fall session to meet President Eisenhower's demand for authority to control interest rates on government bonds.

The special session possibility assumed solid proportions as result of Friday's House action denying Eisenhower's urgent request for repeal of the 4 1/2 per cent legal limit on long-term bond interest rates.

By a 378-7 vote, the House sent to the Senate a bill allowing the Treasury to boost interest payments on the government's popular denomination "E" and "H" bonds from 3 1/2 to 3 3/4 per cent.

The Senate Finance Committee is scheduled to take up the bill today.

While accepting the boost in savings bonds rates, the House defiantly turned down the main feature of the President's interest rate program, which would give him authority to disregard the present 4 1/2 per cent ceiling on all long-term government bonds maturing in five years or longer.

Hit Macmillan On Ike Visit British Election Looms

LONDON (AP) — Britain stood by today for word of a snap election within the next few weeks. With President Eisenhower's visit already the center of political debate, Prime Minister Harold Macmillan was expected to fix a national poll for one of the five Thursdays in October. Most favored dates are the 8th or 15th.

Safety Course Results in 50 Pct. More Accidents

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — San Francisco public works employees reported 88 lost time accidents in 1957.

Then they were given a 20-hour course in accident prevention. So in fiscal 1958-59 they reported 127 accidents—a 40 per cent increase.

Explained Director Reuben H. Owens: The safety course made the employees so accident conscious that they reported mishaps they not really would have shrugged off.

Vet Still Gets His \$300 Per Month Civil War Claim 'Legal'

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) — Critically ill Walter Williams will continue to draw his \$300 a month state pension until it is legally proven he is not the last surviving Confederate veteran.

Gov. Price Daniel headed the list of state officials Friday who rejected a story earlier this week from Washington that the Houston centennarian is not a veteran of the Civil War.

All of the evidence available in state offices and Confederate records indicates that Walter Williams is the last surviving Confederate veteran.

"We shall respect and follow the records of the state and the confederacy rather than the archives of the federal government which have always been recognized as incomplete with respect to members of the Confederate armies," Daniel said.

The Washington story quoted an

Two Writers Going Around World by Jet

TOKYO (AP) — You can go around the world now by commercial jet planes, and two Japanese writers are going to do it and try to set a record.

As representatives of Asahi Shimbun, Japan's largest newspaper, they plan to leave Monday and be home Wednesday, with a flying time of 79 1/2 hours.

The listed record for commercial flight around the world is 73 hours, set in 1938 by a Japanese.

Sub-Yacht Collision Now Called Hoax

SANTA BARBARA, Calif. (AP) — The Coast Guard has written off a radio report of a submarine-yacht collision as a hoax.

It called off a search after hunting Friday for evidence of a wrecked vessel.

Amateur radio operators Robert Wanfield of Los Angeles and Clarence Mel Nikel of Inglewood, Calif., reported hearing a distress call which said a yacht had been rammed by a submarine off Southern California's Point Conception.

Prime Minister's Talk Heckled in South Africa

PIETERMARITZBURG, South Africa (UPI) — Demonstrators used tear gas, stink bombs, firecrackers and a water hose to break up a political rally last night where Prime Minister Hendrik F. Verwoerd was speaking on law and order.

At least one woman suffered tear gas burns and others got lesser knocks and bruises as fist fights broke out in the city hall auditorium and 300 non-participants fled the scene.

The outburst broke out immediately after Verwoerd, South Africa's foremost spokesman for white supremacy, began a speech in which he warned that his government would not permit "the disregard of law and flouting of authority" by local officials.

Dead of Crash Injuries

CASS CITY, Mo. — David L. Gray, 16, of Decker died Friday of injuries he suffered Thursday when his motorbike and an auto collided nine miles south of here.

Rural Youth to Convene

DOWLING, Mo. — The 11th annual conference of the Rural Youth of the United States of America will be held at Clear Lake Camp Sept. 16-20. Gov. Williams is scheduled to address the conference.

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U.S. Envoy Confers With Fidel Castro

HAVANA (AP) — U.S. Ambassador Philip Bonsal conferred with Prime Minister Fidel Castro Friday.

The semi-official paper Revolution called the conference "long and cordial."

The meeting came in the wake of an announcement from Washington that Bonsal is being recalled for consultations. There have been official complaints that Bonsal had been able to see the Cuban leader only once, June 9, since the rebel regime took over in January.

Dies in Truck Collision

ASHLEY, Mo. — Robert Morse, 16, of Ashley, was killed Friday when the car he was driving and a truck collided about half a mile west of here.

Crash Into Tree Fatal

HARBOR BEACH, Mo. — John W. Boike, 23, of Detroit, was killed when the car he was riding in left a road in Harbor Beach today and struck two trees.

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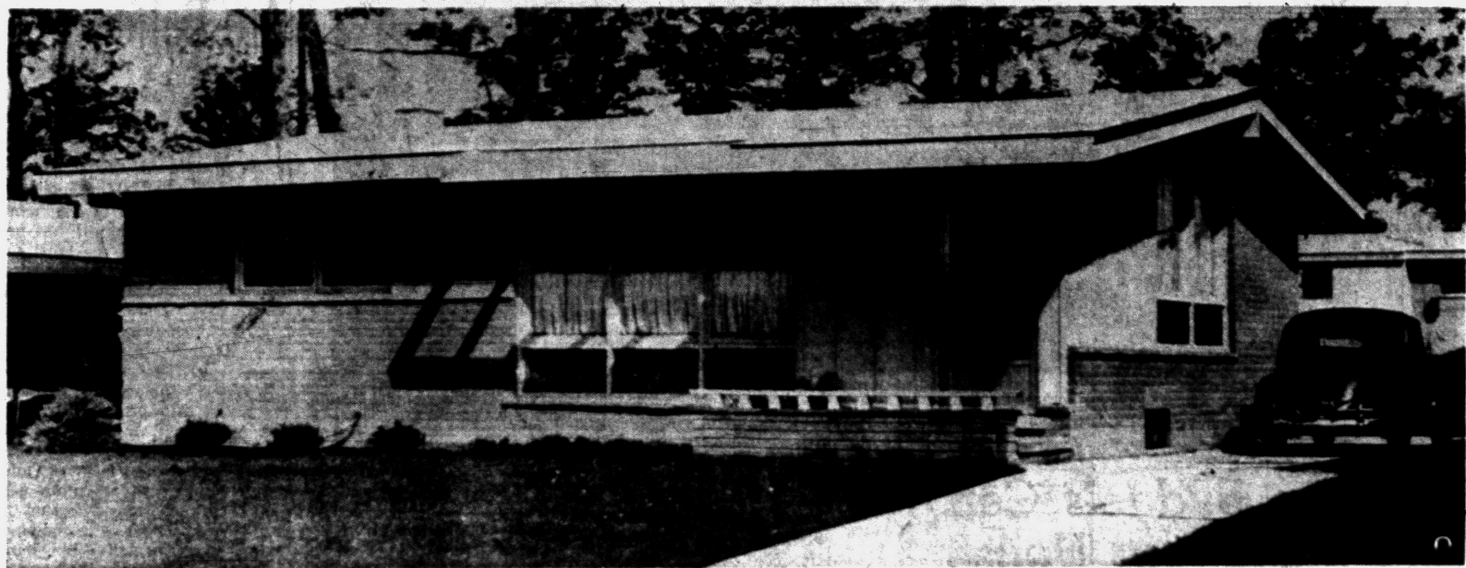
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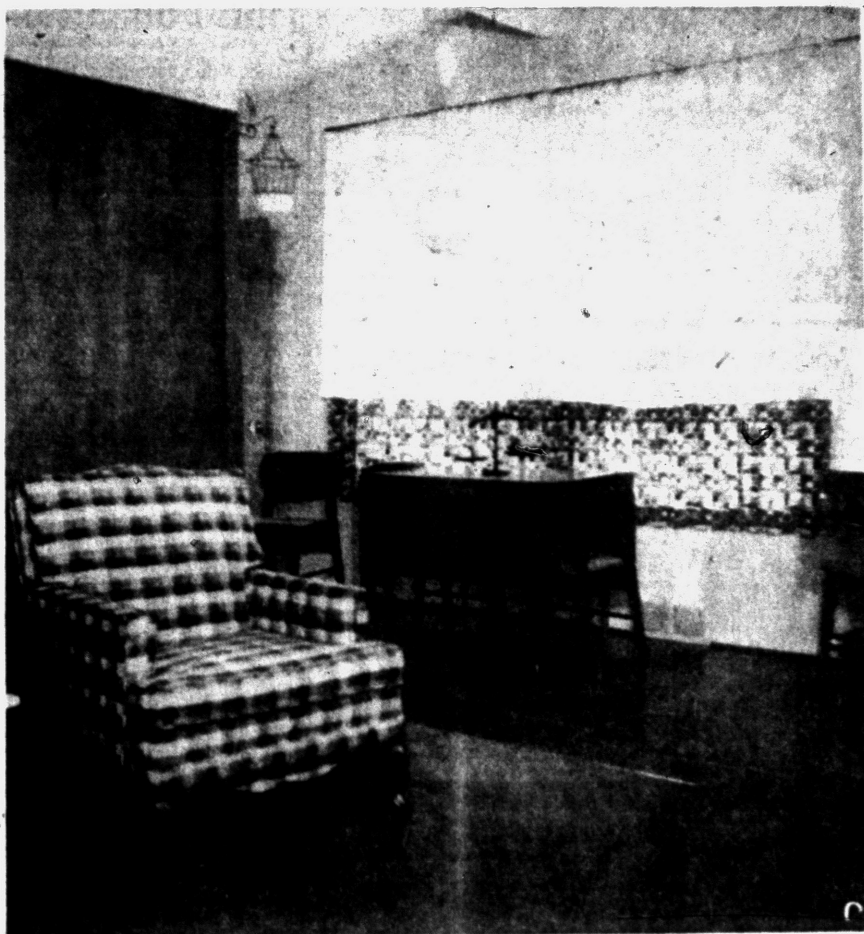
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IN HERRINGTON HILLS — The William Mayos bought a home in Herrington Hills about a year ago. All the homes in this subdivision are brick with board and

batten trim. Four-year-old Tracy and a black and white cat called Caesar are the other members of the family. The house was built by Coleman and Moss.



Pontiac Press Photos by Tom Gerls

Your Neighbor's House

Subdivision Homes Can Have Individuality

By JANET ODELL
Pontiac Press Home Editor
Once again a Pontiac Press ad played a part in finding a house for the Home Section. Having a batch of kittens that needed homes, we advertised them. Mrs. William Mayo of Herrington Hills called us; we delivered one of the kittens to her small daughter, Tracy, and found both an interesting family and an attractive home.

The Mayos who come from New England have lived in the middle-west for nearly five years, one of which has been in Pontiac. The kitten is now a half-grown cat named Caesar. Homes in Herrington Hills are not large, but their planning shows some imagination. For instance, a Philippine mahogany wall extending about three-quarters of the way from floor to ceiling, provides wall space for the living room and a wall for the kitchen behind it.

Other walls in the living room and dining room are white. The living room rug is blue. Three tiers of cafe curtains are used on the front windows. The top tier is white, the middle one blue and the bottom one a print combining aqua, brown and gold on white.

In the dining room only two tiers, the white and printed ones, are used. The dining room windows give light to the kitchen which has no window. On the end wall in the living room there is a small blue sofa with a planter at one end. Near the windows is a gold upholstered chair. On the opposite wall is a provincial chair covered in an aqua, pink, green and brown plaid. The coffee table is marble, mounted on brass legs.

The sink and working counter are mounted on the back of the living room divider wall. Above and below are mahogany cupboards. The counter top is white Formica with gold splatters. There's a built-in chopping (Continued on Page 17, Col. 5)



UNCLUTTERED — In a small room too many pieces of furniture or too many accessories give it a cluttered look. The Mayos wisely limited both. Rug and sofa are blue. The chair at the left

is gold. Walls are white except for the Philippine mahogany divider wall at the right. That long coffee table is white marble with brass legs.



SLANTING WALLS — This is not trick photography. The kitchen wall is built on a slant. The wall at the left is the living room wall. On it are mounted mahogany cupboards and a sink.

There is shelving built in just beyond the counter. Stove and refrigerator are on the right side, in the foreground out of picture range. In the background is the bedroom area.

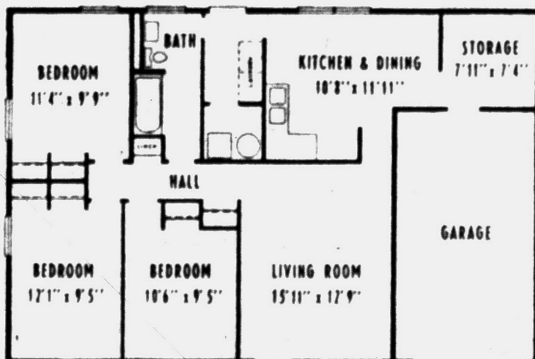
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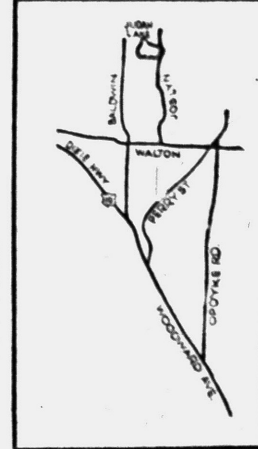
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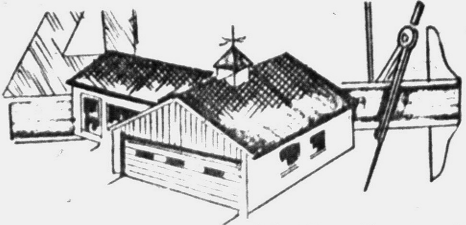
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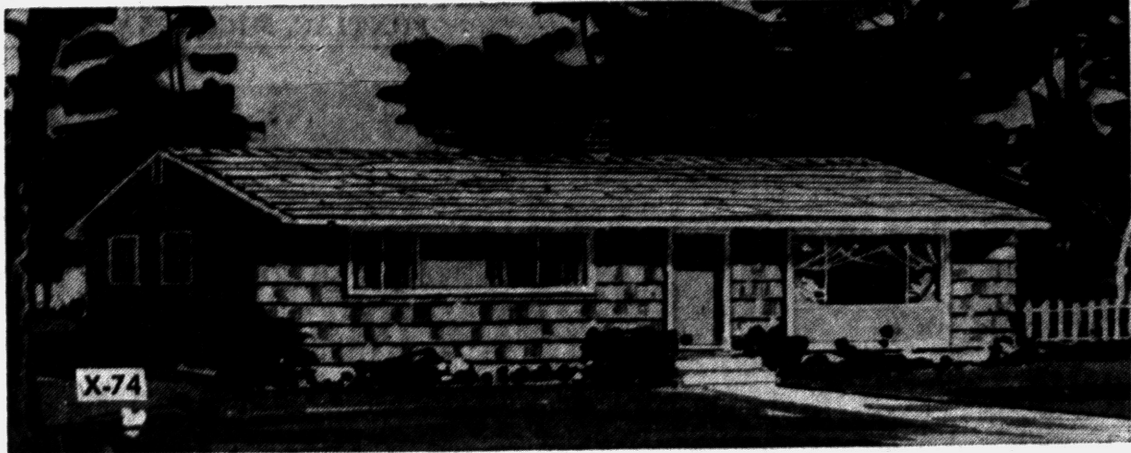
Cold, damp basements, the bane of many a homeowner's existence, can now be a thing of the past with the development of a new water-repellent masonry insulation which cuts heat loss and greatly minimizes danger of condensation on walls.

A development of the Zonolite Company of Chicago, the free-flowing granular material can be poured directly from the bag into the crevices of the concrete block in the foundation walls.

Capable of reducing heat loss by as much as 50 per cent, the new material sheds water which might seep into the core of the block, completely retaining its insulating efficiency. The new material is known as Zonolite Water-Repellent Masonry Insulation.

With the water-repellent insulation, the tendency for condensation to form on cold walls will be minimized because the surface temperature of the wall is raised several degrees, doing away with the chilly, clammy feeling experienced in most uninsulated basements.

Because of its high insulating value and water-repellent qualities, the new insulation removes the necessity for furring and finishing material on the inside basement wall, permitting the concrete block to be left exposed with the warm and dry characteristics required for comfort.



THRIFTY DESIGN — This three bedroom home was designed for a New Jersey housing development. Custom-building in your

own area would yield the 'no-frill' economy of development design without development disadvantages.

Minimum Budgets Can Build Maximum House

By DAVID L. BOWEN

If you've spent much time house-hunting — armed with high hopes and a low budget — chances are good that by now you've said at least once, "If only we could find that house off by itself and out of a mass development, I'd buy it in a second."

The reason is that, as a rule, low cost development homes have to be left exposed with the warm maximum thrift and minimum and dry characteristics required for comfort. Unfortunately, the eye-appeal of a hundred or so thrifty

homes frequently leaves something to be desired.

But if you removed the development house from the development, you'd have a bargain home without development disadvantages. X-74 in the House of the Week series offers that opportunity.

This three-bedroom design by Architect Lester Cohen is now under construction in the Toms River, N. J. area by builder Robert Schmezer. With a full basement but without garage or rear terrace, the house and lot sell for \$10,800.

A downpayment of \$1,800 is required. A 30-year FHA mortgage on the balance of \$9,000 comes to \$65 a month, with taxes and insurance figured in.

Construction costs vary widely across the country and what X-74 would cost you can only be determined by having plans cost-estimated by local contractors. A "baby blueprint" Study Plan designed for this purpose is available for 50 cents.

Prime reason for X-74's economy is its size. It has 960 square feet of habitable space and is laid out in a pure and simple rectangle. Plans include an optional garage or carport and an optional terrace.

Here's a quick tour:

LIVING AREAS

Principal living area is to the right of the front door. A good-sized living room flows into the rear dining area, with each room "borrowing" space from the other. There is a large picture window at the front and unbroken wall space on the garage or carport side.

The dining area has sliding glass doors leading out to the optional terrace or back yard.

An L-shaped kitchen counter arrangement provides maximum convenience within minimum space. The kitchen is large enough for a dinette table under the window. A vestibule separates the kitchen from the back door and leads downstairs to the basement.

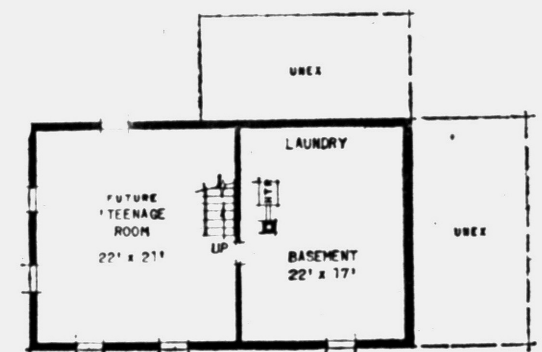
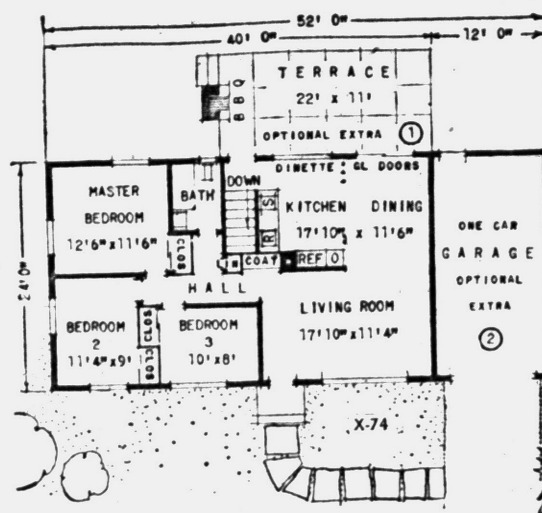
The three bedrooms are placed in a wing to themselves, with the master bedroom at the back for privacy. Each has a sliding door closet, and the bathroom is handy to all.

CASUAL AREAS

One of the most popular features in a home with youngsters is an area that they can call their own. X-74 provides for a future recreation room in the basement which can be finished as a "teenage" room, easily reached by the back stairs.

Another casual area is the optional terrace in the rear, accessible from the back door or the dining room sliding glass doors. This would make a particularly good play spot for young children, since mother can oversee activities from the kitchen.

There are five big closets in the house proper, plus basement. While the house could be built without a basement, Architect Cohen points out that its additional play, stor-



FLOOR PLAN — Efficient room arrangement makes maximum use of available space. Garage and rear terrace are optional. Although home could be built on slab foundation, note provision for "teenage" room in basement.

age and work areas give the greatest possible value for relatively small extra cost.

The garage is a similar bargain as an optional extra. If you want shelter for the car at lower cost, you can choose a carport instead.

EXTERIOR

The house has a longer look than its size would indicate, achieved with horizontal sliding and wide windows. Addition of garage or carport would make the home seem even larger.

Over-all dimensions, excluding garage and terrace are 24' by 40'. Garage adds 12' to the width.

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2. Put the new roof over the old one. Discuss this possibility with your roofer. It might reduce your costs and provide extra fire, weather and insulation protection.

3. If summer heat's a problem, use white or pastel colored shingles. They do a better job of reflecting sunlight than darker colors.

4. If windstorms cause trouble in your area, look into the new seal-down shingles. These are standard shingles that contain bands of a special adhesive to cement the tabs to the roof deck. Exposure to sunlight activates the adhesive. Jig-saw shaped lock shingles also do an effective job of resisting high winds.

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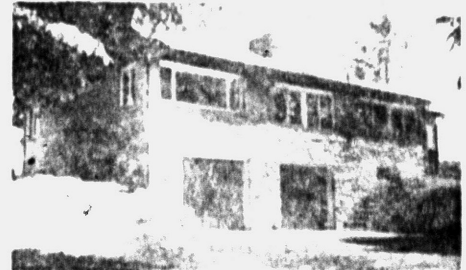
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Proud Firemen Won't Ask Aid, Let Trees Burn

EGGERTSVILLE, N. Y. (UPI)—About 1,000 small evergreen trees valued at \$1,500 were destroyed recently when Eggertsville firemen refused to call for help from a volunteer company right across the street.

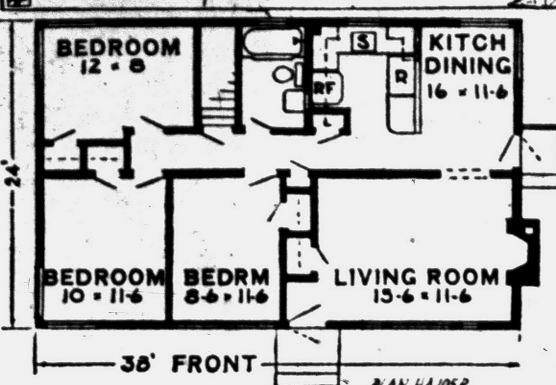
Mrs. Henry P. Brummer said the trees were burned during a grass fire that spread across some 20 acres of her land, and it wasn't

until the police stepped in that outside help was sought to fight the blaze. By then it was too late.

Volunteer members of the North Bailey Fire Company sat across the street watching the Eggertsville Fire Company trying to put out the fire, but the Eggertsville men refused to ask for assistance. A spokesman later explained: "We do not recognize North Bailey as a fire company."

As for the North Bailey firemen they're barred by law from fighting a fire in the Eggertsville district until their aid is specifically requested.

HOMES FOR AMERICANS



ECONOMY MODEL — This is perfect for an older couple that wants a home requiring little upkeep, or a young couple wanting a home that can be expanded as space needs grow. The 912-square foot basic home has six rooms. Costs are kept down with use of back-to-back plumbing and economical framing. It is Plan HA105R, by Architect Jan Reiner, P. O. Box 96, New Port Richey, Fla.

Here's the Answer

AP Newsfeatures
Question: I often see the term "quarter-sawn" in relation to lumber. Can you tell me what this means?

ANSWER: When lumber is cut the ordinary and least expensive way, known as flat cutting, it is done by slicing logs lengthwise into boards. In quarter-sawing, the log is first sliced lengthwise into four wedges.

The boards then are cut from the flat sides of each wedge. Quarter-sawn lumber usually has more interesting grain patterns and is said to be more resistant to shrinking and warping.

Question: I am getting ready to paint a ceiling and plan on suspending a plank between two ladders. Is this all right? How high should the plank be on the ladders?

Answer: Place the plank (be sure it is a strong one) between two ladders at a point where your head will be a few inches

from the ceiling. This will help to reduce fatigue. Whether you use a brush or a roller, start in a corner and work across the narrow dimensions of the room, applying a strip two to three feet wide.

Carry Your Putty

When applying that last coat of paint, there may be small areas that require caulking or filling. A small lump of putty can be carried on the paint can by clamping an S-shaped holder over the lip of the can. Solder a nail to the other end so that the putty can be forced over it to hold it in place.

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The National Paint, Varnish & Lacquer Association, 1300 Rhode Island Avenue, N. W., Washington 5, D. C., has a booklet, *Beautify Your Room*, which gives suggestions on how you can get the most out of your storage and work areas. Send your name, address, and request to the Association for your free copy.

Although the evolution of the bathtub can be traced back for 5,000 years to the Egyptians and Babylonians, new designs in this important fixture are still being introduced.

Give Children Privacy

Your youngsters can have private bedrooms, instead of sharing a single large one, if you build a simple, low-cost divider wall

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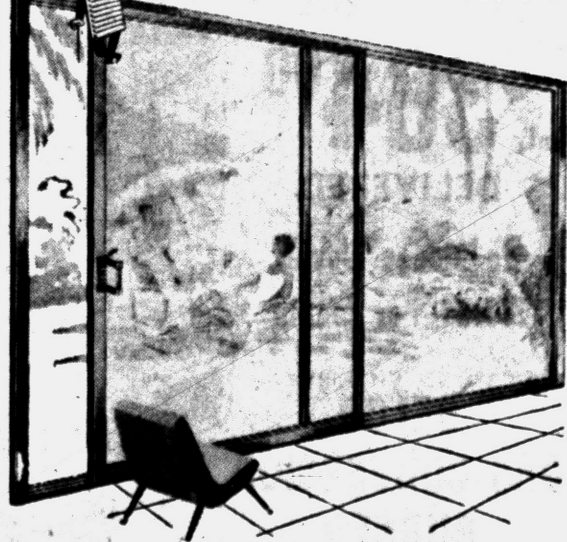
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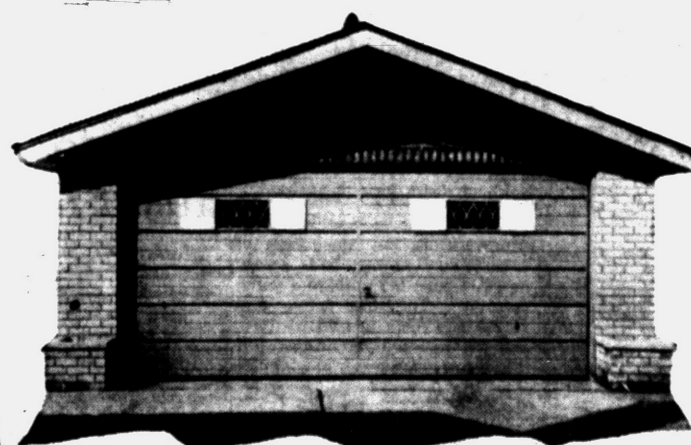
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Mass-Produce Atomic Reactors

West Coast Firm Has Sold More Than 30 Nuclear Furnaces

SAN FRANCISCO (UPI) — A shed-like plant located next to a walnut grove is one of the few places in the world today where a profit is being made out of atomic energy.

The plant is that of Aerojet-General Nucleonics at San Ramon, 30 miles east of here.

It "mass-produces" nuclear reactors and sells them for about \$100,000 each to universities and medical centers in Europe and the United States.

The company was founded in April, 1956, by Robert Mainhardt, 36, and Dr. Arthur T. Biehl, 34. Although they were born and raised in Brooklyn, N.Y., within 10 blocks of each other and traveled the same subway to Brooklyn Tech, they did not meet until they went to work for the Atomic Energy Radiation Laboratory at nearby Livermore.

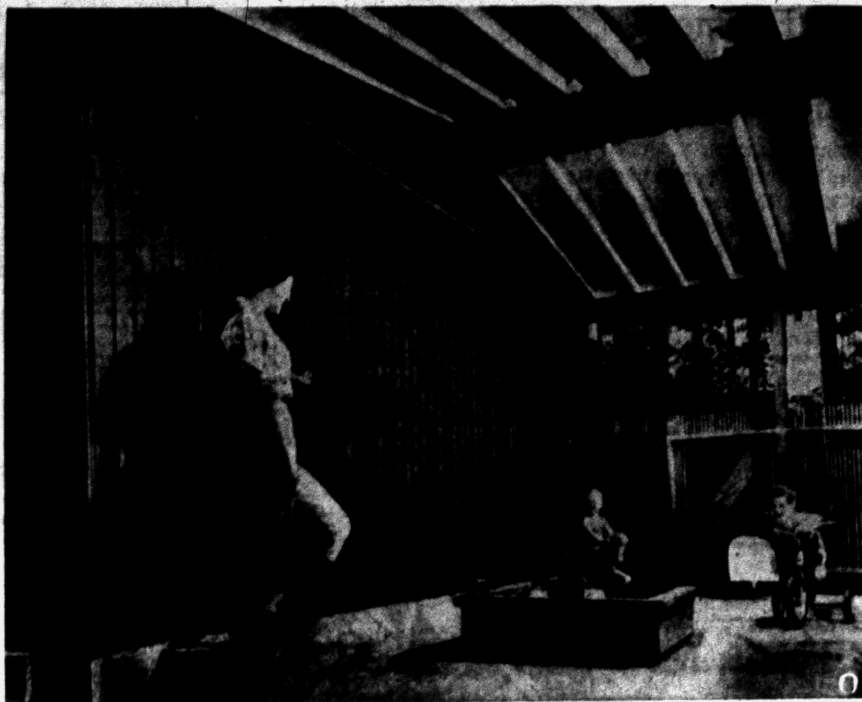
"We hit it off and we had something in common—the belief there would be a demand for reactors of a size and simplicity to allow their use in the classroom and for medical diagnosis," Mainhardt said.

So they quit their jobs and went looking for a backer. They found one in Aerojet-General, a subsidiary of the General Tire and Rubber Co.

Aerojet-General Nucleonics has grown from six to 300 workers. It has sold more than 30 of the atomic furnaces, which stand nine feet high, are 6½ feet in diameter and weigh 22,000 pounds. It expects to do six million dollars in business this year.

That Slippery Bathtub!

Home accidents take an annual toll of about 27,000.



INDOOR-OUTDOOR RUMPUS ROOM—What could be nicer for wee lads and lassies than an indoor-outdoor playroom? Roof of house, supported by laminated Douglas fir beams, was extended out to protect this playroom from sud-

den autumn showers, and peek-a-boo fence of 1x1 inch Douglas fir strips keep youngsters from wandering. Outfitted with sandbox and hobby horse, it's the perfect place for little Johnnie to burn off energy all year 'round.

Indoor-Outdoor Room Boon to Busy Mothers

Every mother with children of pre-school age breathes a sigh of relief when summer sun comes along and she can turn the youngsters outdoors. Autumn, on the other hand, with its promise of showers and overcast skies, brings with it the hard realization that, for another few months, the wee ones will be burning off their energy inside the house.

The dream of these women is finding some way to extend the summer season and its easy child care.

The trick, as some have dis-

covered, is to treat the offspring to a sheltered outdoor play yard which can be used despite imminent cloudburst. Constructing one is not difficult to do. All that's needed are a roof to provide protection from the elements and walls of some kind to put a damper on the kiddies' wanderlust.

Styling for the play yard simulates carport design. With open post-and-beam construction, it is both easy to build and handsome to look at. The roof, which, in the case of a one-story abode, can be extended out from the house roof line, is supported by structural beams of 2x12 inch Douglas fir and cross beams of 2x8 inch fir. Beams and roof decking, which can be either tongue-and-groove fir or West Coast hemlock, should be left exposed to view. Supporting posts are 4x4 inch fir.

Peek-a-boo walls for the outdoor rumpus room can be built using screening fences. A favorite style calls for 1x1 inch fir strips which are spaced a half-inch apart. The airiness of this design keeps the screens from appearing wall-like, yet this type of fencing does a fine job of baby sitting.

Usually, natural wood finishes are preferred for the play yard's roof and the screening fences, but a gay, vivid color might be in order to accent the beams and posts.

Location of the play yard is all-important. If possible, it should be adjacent to the utility areas of the house so that Mom can keep a watchful eye on the toddlers while attending to her daily chores. Flooring, too, needs special consideration. Because of its easy upkeep, durability and relatively low cost, wood decking is a favorite for children's play areas.

Jungle gyms and sandboxes can be added as the family handyman has time to build them.

It's a good idea to clean up paint splatters as you go along. If you are using a water-base paint, a damp cloth is all you need. A cloth soaked with turpentine or mineral spirits will clean up oil-base paint drippings.

Describe 'Average' Gal

NEW YORK — An average woman in the United States in the 25-29 age group weighs about 136 pounds and stands about 5 feet 6 inches in height.

Aliens Increase in U.S.

WASHINGTON — Net increase of resident aliens in the United States during 1955 was 207,000.

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Ingenuity Finds New Uses for Wood Doors

The classic design of panel doors, the textured interest of wood louvers, and the rich beauty of wood have intrigued imagina-



Panel doors cover walls.

Five decorators and home owners into discovering new and unusual uses for these stock products of ponderosa pine.

One fascinating idea is to use panel doors as wainscoting or com-

plete wall paneling. As the drawing shows, both create the luxury of custom wood paneling, yet are available at lower cost.

An equally effective use of panel doors is shown in the drawing of a bedroom. Here, two panel doors are fitted together to form a dramatic headboard.



Panel doors form headboard.

Another unique use of stock woodwork is the application of combination storm and screen doors to form the walls of a porch enclosure. The glass inserts provide a sun room in cold weather, and the screen inserts convert it into a cool, airy porch in summer.



Storm doors enclose porch.

Among the more unusual but extremely practical uses of stock

louver doors and shutters of ponderosa pine is their installation as



Shutters make divider.

a floor-to-ceiling room divider.

Some other unique uses of stock wood products include:

A 5-panel door converted into a useful door-bookcase by replacing the panels with shelves.

In the drawing, living and dining room shutters to hide a television's dull "eye" when the set is not in use.

Chicago — Now, before the onset of winter, is the time to protect your wrought iron from rust or repair the damage, if it has already occurred.

Ornamental wrought iron, whether used for railings, fireplace equipment, furniture, or other trim, adds mellowness and a touch of antique charm that softens the modernity of newer homes. But one short season of outdoor weathering can mar or pit wrought iron surfaces.

Nowadays this can easily be prevented or, where it has already happened, be repaired in a jiffy. Oil from the tiny sardine, which has unusual natural rust-preventive properties, forms the basis for rust preventive coatings which can protect wrought iron for indefinite periods.

The specially processed sardine oil penetrates the rust down to the bare, unharmed metal, drives out air and moisture, and forms a protective coating. These rustoleum coatings are available

both in spray cans or for brush application and come in a full assortment of colors, including flat black popular for wrought iron.

Here's how to go about stopping rust on your wrought iron:

If rust spots have already appeared, first brush away the loose rust scale from the rusted area. It is no longer necessary to scrape all the rust off.

1. If rust has already appeared in spots, first brush away the loose rust particles with a few easy strokes of a wire brush. It is no longer necessary to scrape away all the rust when using the new rust preventive coatings. Then apply — either by spray or brush — a rustoleum Red Primer coat to the rusted areas.

If there are just spots of rust, simply spot-prime these parts only. Then, when the primer has dried (usually in one day) add the finish coat of rustoleum in the color of your choice.

2. Where the wrought iron surface has chipped and become dingy you can restore fresh beauty to it and add rust prevention with one quick spray or brush application. Simply clean the surface (plain water will do the job) and apply the rustoleum color of your choice.

These rustoleum coatings are available in paint, hardware, lumber, and department store sin your locality.

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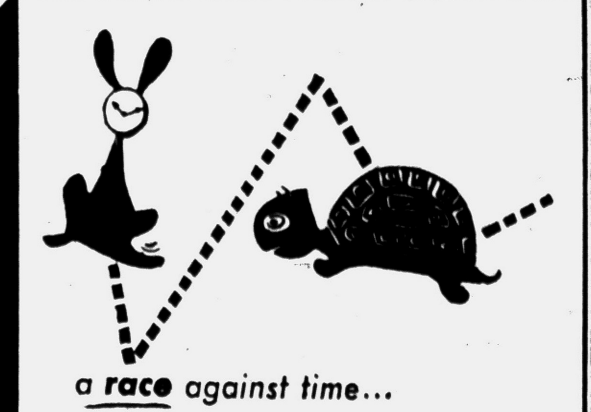
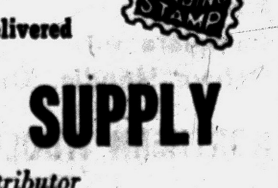
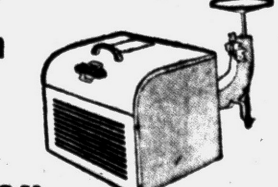
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