

The Washington-Merry-Go-Round —

Acheson Hints He's Going to Name Woman Ambassador for Top European Country

By DREW PEARSON

Along Pennsylvania Avenue

President Truman is happy as a schoolboy over the worldwide reputation given to his plan to build up backward areas. After White House aides showed him stacks of newspaper clippings, the president remarked: "This idea is so good I should have thought of it a couple of years ago." Secretary of State Dean Acheson has agreed to name a woman as ambassador to one of the top European countries. . . . The story on what happened to the Gallup polls, the predictors and the newspaper during the late election has just been published by Morris Ernst—"The people know best." Healthy reading for newspapermen. . . . After the real estate lobby demanded an investigation of New York City's rent advisory board, Chairman Joseph McGoldrick wired the senate banking and currency committee welcoming such a probe. But he added—that the investigation should also include the real estate lobby.

Chinese Communists and U. E.

The state department has just received an awkward cable from American Consul General Angus Ward in Mukden, China.

Consul Ward cabled that American citizens, American property and American diplomats in communist-held northern China are receiving remarkably good treatment at the hands of Chinese communists. In fact, Ward cabled that one of the leading communist generals of the north had visited the consulate that day to pay his respects.

The Chinese general was most polite, spent an hour assuring Ward of the communist desire for friendship with the USA and their hope of peaceful cooperation in a trade. Following this, Ward took the communist general on a tour of the American consulate.

His visitor seemed much impressed, particularly by an exhibit of the U. S. information service which featured news dispatches and propaganda, translated into Chinese, telling America's story to the Chinese people.

"Now, Mr. Consul," the Chinese communist general said, "I am delighted that you Americans believe in the freedom of the press. I think that is a very fine exhibit. We believe in freedom of the press, too."

Consul Ward smiled happily. Then he stopped smiling.

"Since we all believe in the freedom of the press," continued the Chinese communist general, "I have a few documents and articles that I'd like to put up with your exhibits so that the people can see both sides of the story. That would only be freedom of the press. I know you will be glad to do it."

Consul Ward had no answer. He engaged in some polite doubletalk, then hastily wired the state department for instructions.

Capital Chaff —

The Republicans who wangled the Lincoln day dinner invitation for Governor Dewey were Michigan's Congressman George Dondero, chairman of the Lincoln day committee, and his close friend, GOP National Chairman Hugh Scott. Other Republicans are irked because

Dewey was invited.

Not a word has been said about it, but 200 American fighter planes have been sent to Italy from Germany; also nearly 1,000 tons of U. S. ammunition have gone to the Italian army. General Glay decided on the shipments after one of his aides conferred with one Italian chief of staff in Rome.

The USA has started secret negotiations with Panama to secure new American bases. Panama cancelled its bases agreement last year, at which time U. S. troops promptly pulled out. Now Panamians are offering new bases in return for a loan. Army navy, in turn, want to set up radar equipment in Panama—outside the canal zone—to warn against enemy aircraft.

PAGE LOCALS

Mrs. Alton Braddock and Mrs. Isabel Treadway went to O'Neill Monday, January 31, where they entertained Miss Alice French and Miss Viola Haynes at lunch at the Tom-Tom cafe.

Because of the freezing of a pipe water has had to be pumped directly into the mains since Thursday, January 27.

Rev. and Mrs. T. O. Brownfield went to Lincoln Monday, January 31, to visit relatives. Miss Mildred Haynes, who had spent several days with her parents here, returned to her college work at Lincoln with them.

Page was without mail for three days, Friday, Saturday and Sunday, January 28, 29 and 30. There was no school Friday forenoon but classes were held in the afternoon.

GIRL SCOUT NEWS

IRISH LASSIES TROOP I
The Irish Lassie Girl Scout troop I held its usual meeting Tuesday, February 1 at 3:30 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Hickey. We opened our meeting with the Girl Scout laws and promise.

Our leader showed us some tooth brush holders and some statues that we can make. She also showed us some hotpad holders—a flower pot for the wall shaped like a bird. — By Sara Lou Moss, troop scribe.

Real Estate Transfers

Editor's note: A glossary of the abbreviations follows: WD—warranty deeds; QCD—quit claim deed. The instruments filed at the Holt county courthouse are listed from whom to whom, date, consideration, etc.

WD—John F. Glaze to L. D. Putnam 9-22-48 \$40,960. All 23-24 & 25-32-11 SO 1/2 18-32-10.

WD—Ona Calvert to Anna V. Brown 1-29-49 \$5000. Lots 14-15 & 16 Blk 32-O'Neill.

WD—John Davidson to John James, Jr., and Owen E. Davidson 2-1-49 \$1. So 65 ft lot 3 Blk 23-O'Neill.

Mr. and Mrs. William J. Froelich arrived home from Chicago, Ill., Saturday. Miss Nancy Froelich and Miss Barbara Birmingham, students at Barrett collage, Lake Forest, Ill. spent the weekend in Omaha. Mr. Froelich left for Chicago Monday.

The Frontier's When You and I Were Young —

Jack and Jill
CORNER



STAUFFER BROTHERS . . . Folks, this week the Jack and Jill editor wants to introduce the Stauffer boys (left to right): Randall, Kent, and Val. These "fellows" are sons of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin D. Stauffer, of Page. Four-year-old Randall is a head stories and rhymes with Randall. They both have brown eyes in this cold weather. Kent is 2 1/2-years-old. He is the "chatterbox" of the family. Kent loves to look at books and head stories and rhymes with Randall. They both have brown hair and brown eyes. Val is 7 1/2-months-old. He likes to have Randall and Kent play with him and he spends lots of time jumping and swinging in his jumper. Val has brown hair and blue eyes.



KENT STAUFFER



RANDALL STAUFFER

Legal Notices

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William W. Griffin, Attorney
NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND HEIRS

County Court of Holt County, Nebraska.
Estate of Gustave Uecker, Deceased.

The State of Nebraska, to all concerned:
Notice is hereby given that Ona I. Calvert has filed a petition alleging that said deceased died September 9th, 1934, a resident of the County of Holt and State of Nebraska, seized and possessed of the North 70 feet of Lots 14, 15 and 16 in Block 32, Original Town of O'Neill, Holt County, Nebraska, in which petitioner has derived an interest by purchase and mesne conveyance in the chain of title from the heirs of decedent herein, praying for a determination of the time of the death, the heirs, degree of kinship and right of descent of real property of the deceased, and that he died intestate, which petition will be for hearing in the County Court of Holt County, Nebraska, on the 17th day of February, A. D., 1949, at ten o'clock A. M.

LOUIS W. REIMER,
County Judge.
(COUNTY COURT SEAL) 38-40

(First pub. Feb. 10, 1949)
NOTICE OF SUIT

To: Mary Isabella Woodworth; and All persons having or claiming any interest in the East Half of the Southeast Quarter of Section Eight, Township Thirty-two North, Range Twelve, West of the 6th P. M. in Holt County, Nebraska, real names unknown, defendants.
You and each of you are hereby notified that on the 7th day of February, 1949, Francis M. Johnson as plaintiff filed his petition in the District Court of Holt County, Nebraska, against you as defendants, the object and prayer of which is to quiet and confirm title in him, the said Francis M. Johnson, to the following described real estate, to-wit: East Half of the Southeast Quarter of Section Eight, Township Thirty-two North, Range Twelve, West of the 6th P. M. in Holt County, Nebraska, as against you and each of you, and to have a certain real estate mortgage covering the above described real estate, executed by Frank A. Stewart and Ida M. Stewart, husband and wife, to Maynard & Company, for \$800.00 dated May 2nd, 1929, recorded June 13, 1929, in Book 145 of the mortgage records of Holt County, Nebraska, at page 484 and assigned to the defendant, Mary Isabella Woodworth, decreed to be cancelled, released and discharged; and for general equitable relief.

You are required to answer said petition on or before the 21st day of March, 1949.
Dated February 7th, 1949.

Francis M. Johnson,
Plaintiff,
By Julius D. Cronin,
His Attorney. 40-43c

(First pub. Feb. 3, 1949)
NOTICE

Of Annual Township Meeting
The annual township meeting of the legal voters of Verdigris township, Holt County, State of Nebraska, will be held on Tuesday, February 15, 1949 at the IOOF hall for the transaction of such business as may lawfully come before said meeting.

H. G. STEVENS,
Township Clerk. 39-40c

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Man Perishes in Cold While Seeking Shelter in a Hay Stack

66 YEARS AGO
February 13, 1883

As Ira Price, who lives South of O'Neill, was going home last Wednesday afternoon, he discovered the dead body of one Mr. Praha, a Bohemian, who lived six miles South of O'Neill. Procuring assistance the body of the unfortunate man was placed in the wagon and was brought to O'Neill, where it was taken in charge by the sheriff and laid out in Odd Fellows' hall. Friday afternoon he started home in the blinding storm and nothing more was seen of him until found as above described. He was by a hay stack and had a well beaten path, about a rod long, which he no doubt made in trying to keep warm. It is curious he did not set the stack on fire, as he had matches, but he was probably too numb to think of anything. His friends were notified and came Thursday, and Friday afternoon he was buried in the cemetery near town.

While in Fremont a fortnight ago, Mr. Fahy talked with some men engaged in the creamery business, and they talked very favorably of putting in a creamery at O'Neill, provided the citizens will subscribe stock to the amount of \$2,500, they agreeing to furnish the same amount. It would be a grand thing for O'Neill and the settlement, and we urge the people to take hold of the enterprise and push it forward to completion.

Wm. Dugal, son-in-law of Mrs. Judd, died last Friday of consumption, and was buried Sunday. Mr. Dugal had been in the Black Hills for some time, and while there contracted typhoid, which merged into consumption. He came home about a month ago, since which time he has gradually failed, until death finally relieved him of his suffering. The sympathy of friends is extended to the bereaved relatives.

54 YEARS AGO
February 14, 1895

The proposition to submit the question of bonding the county for \$50,000 with which to buy seed grain, is under consideration today by the supervisors. Petitions containing 670 names have been filed. The number necessary to submit is 506. It is thought the question will be submitted.

The work on the O'Neill irrigation and power canal will be commenced as soon as the weather permits. The engineer will be on the route and the survey completed by the time work can be commenced. Water rights have not all been secured yet, but enough to insure the ditched. All who expect to get

POSTPONED — SALE —

★ My public sale of 160 acres of Holt county farm land and the lease for 160 acres of additional Holt farm land, originally scheduled for Thursday, February 3, will be held on

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— O'NEILL —

EMMET NEWS

Lois and Jimmie Puckett spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Puckett. They have been boarding with Mrs. Agnes Gaffney for some time due to the bad weather. They returned on Monday to resume their school duties.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fox spent Saturday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Paul Newton and family.

Ruby and Donald Kloppenborg have been boarding with Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Kramer and family at O'Neill where they are attending high school.

Mardell Hagelstein spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hagelstein. She has been boarding with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Newton. She returned on Monday to school.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Weichman, of Stuart, visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Winkler on Sunday.

Mrs. Guy Beckwith spent Saturday night with her mother, Mrs. Veba Hickman, at Atkinson.

Eby's Entertain

Guests from Page — Monday dinner guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Eby were Mrs. Eby's brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Anton Nissen, of Page.

SISTER DIES

EMMET—Henry Luth received word that his sister had died at Wakefield. He left Sunday to attend the funeral.

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