

Getting Bald? Blame Way You Sleep; Philosophic Barber Has Explanation

NEW YORK—(P)—Are you sleeping your hair away? Well, if you're getting bald, the chances are—says Angelo Mantello—that the way you sleep has a lot to do with it. Mantello is a middle-aged barber from Wilson, Conn., who spent four decades listening to customers grouch about their hair falling out. And after 40 years of pondering, he's come up with what he thinks is the cause of baldness.

"Such factors as heredity, nervousness and diet have no direct bearing on it," he said. "Baldness results from improper sleeping position. "Sleeping on the side and burying the forehead into the pillow causes baldness at the temples. Sleeping on the back causes the crown of the head to become bald."

What's a thinning-haired man to do then—sleep standing up like a horse? "Not necessary," said Mantello.

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Milton Hard New Member Of Staff Of Dance Studio



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Ulah Rhoden Studio of Dance Arts announces the addition of a new staff member, Milton "Mickey" Hard, who will conduct the school of ballroom. Hard formerly had his own school of ballroom in Minnesota prior to his induction into the army. Fall and winter season of 1948 he was ballroom instructor to both adults and teen-age groups under auspices of the Roseburg Elks club. He has been in Roseburg for three years, and is employed as executive assistant physical medicine rehabilitation at the Veterans hospital. Recently returning from Portland, where he studied the latest steps and techniques at the Arthur Murray studios, he is now offering both private and class lessons to students of all ages and featuring both basic dances, such as fox-trot, waltz, rumba and samba and steps in tango, Mexican shuffle, Charleston, jilt-bugging and schottische. Hard is ably assisted by Miss Irene Trapalis, and Miss Betty Crocker, who conduct classes nightly at the Studio of Dance Arts, 230 N. Main street.

Aged Hunter Killed By Accidental Gunshot

COLVILLE, Wash., Oct. 15.—(P)—An inquest has been scheduled to investigate the death of M. C. Pruitt, 71, of Sunnyside, Wash. Pruitt died in a Chewelah hospital Thursday from the effects of an accidental gunshot wound received on a hunting trip on Wednesday. Officers said Pruitt was struck in the abdomen by a bullet that had glanced off a building.

Couple Remarry Via Radio 6,000 Miles Apart

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo., Oct. 15.—(P)—With an array of short-wave radio equipment serving as an altar, Mrs. Dorothy Bowden, 27, said "I do" Thursday in a remarriage ceremony with her former husband, Staff Sgt. John Bowden Jr., 27 in Tokyo, 6,000 miles away. From a loudspeaker came an emphatic "I do" from Bowden when Chaplain T. V. Sigler of Camp Carson asked: "Do you, John, take this woman to be your lawfully wedded wife?" Mrs. Bowden's voice was tear-choked as she repeated her vow.

The Bowdens were divorced last April, and arranged to be remarried during a short wave conversation last week after Bowden was released from a hospital at Honshu, Japan, where he was ill from meningitis. They were married the first time November 12, 1943. Officiating in Japan was army Chaplain Maurice R. Holt, Spokane, Wash. Chaplain Sigler's "I now pronounce you man and wife" came at 6:30 a.m.

Following the ceremony, the reunited couple talked to each other. "Hello, honey," said Bowden. "I don't know what to do or what to say. I love you very much. I love you as deeply as the day we met." Weeping, Mrs. Bowden said: "Johnny, I'm so happy." "There have been so many miracles happen to me I wouldn't be surprised now if you sprouted wings and flew home." Bonnie, the couple's 3-year-old daughter, had words too for her daddy: "Daddy, I love you, and I'm going to have ice cream afterward."

Purge Of Czechs Stresses Intent To Establish World Communism

By DEWITT MACKENZIE (AP Foreign Affairs Analyst) The Red purge which is sweeping Czechoslovakia is further proof—if more were needed—of Moscow's determination to establish world Communism, and the machine which backs that determination.

The communist government in Prague, which grew out of the Russian military occupation at the end of the war, from the outset has encountered widespread resistance. Ineffective efforts by the authorities to bring recalcitrant citizens into line finally have resulted in a wholesale purge. This is described in news dispatches as creating a fear bordering on hysteria among the population.

By day and by night people are being arrested, and many of them reportedly are being sent to prisons or labor camps. The drive is said to be mainly against the propertied class, and businesses are being confiscated. The chief causes of this upheaval are three fold:

1. The intense fervor of the people as a whole for their democracy, and their refusal to surrender their nationalism to Moscow. 2. The opposition of landowners and big business to nationalization efforts by the communists. 3. The bitter clash between atheistic communism and a highly religious population, some 75 percent of which is Catholic. People Appear Helpless

In order to get the full significance of what is happening you must have experienced the tremendous pride of the Czechoslovaks in their new republic, which was born at Versailles out of the first global war to make the world "safe for democracy." Then, less than a generation later, came the Second World War which resulted in the Russian occupation of Czechoslovakia and the inevitable inauguration of a communist regime. This creation of a Red government saw President Eduard Benes, one of the founders of Czechoslovakia, die of a broken heart. It saw foreign minister Jan Masaryk, son of the father of his country, die in an unexplained fall from a high window in his Prague apartment. All these circumstances created fear and distrust among the citizens. As time went on this dissatisfaction intensified and grew into outright resistance in many quarters.

The fight between the communists and the Catholic church became bitter. Naturally the question arises whether the fiercely independent general public will stand for this communist crackdown. However, before you can answer that query you have to answer another one: whether it likes it or not, what can the public do about it, with communist police and military in the saddle? Obviously we must wait to see.

Myrtle Creek Rebekahs Plan Hall Redecorating

Social club of the Rebekah lodge at Myrtle Creek will hold a chicken dinner in the L.O.O.F. hall there from 6 to 8 p.m., Friday, Oct. 21, to raise money for redecorating the hall. The state president of the Rebekahs will be visiting in Myrtle Creek during the first week in November. The hall must be redecorated for her visit. Rebekahs are also organizing a new drill team. Members who wish to participate are reminded that meeting will be held every Tuesday evening at the L.O.O.F. hall.

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Mikkelsen, with headquarters in Eugene, succeeds Joseph Nesbitt, Springfield. As dairy specialist, Nesbitt has been assigned to ice cream and fluid milk fields to help relieve the load of statewide supervision of standards and regulations in these two fields.

Both men are now in their new jobs. Mikkelsen, with the Eugene Farmers creamery the past 14 years, has won wide recognition as a consistent winner in the butter-maker contest sponsored annually by the Oregon Dairy Manufacturers' association.

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Lady Lions Start Medical Program At Myrtle Creek

In order to aid the underprivileged children of their area in matters of medical care the Lady Lions of Myrtle Creek have scheduled a rummage sale Saturday, Oct. 29. Clothes and other items for the sale are to be left at Ada's Photo studio starting at once. A meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Paul Frenstess Oct. 20 at 8 p.m. at which time the donations for the sale will be mentioned and put into condition. Last year the club paid for two necessary tonsillectomies. A committee will meet with the school nurse and the superintendent of the school.

scalp moist. "And how do you cure baldness?" "If you don't get bald," said Mantello, tossing his black hair, "you don't need a cure. It's always harder to raise grass on a lawn after you put concrete over it."

Fire Losses Of Nation Cited By Assn. Of Agents

Fires occur in approximately 250,000 dwellings and 11,000 hotels and lodging houses each year, according to the Roseburg Association of Insurance Agents. As Fire Prevention week draws to a close, latest available figures also reveal that 40 fires occur every day because people fail to disconnect electric irons; each year sparks from chimney and other fires set 27,000 wooden shingle roofs afire and \$50,000,000 worth of rural and farm property is destroyed by fire yearly. These appalling figures are doubly tragic, the insurance agents point out, in view of the fact that research has shown that 90 percent of all fires can be prevented if fundamental fire prevention rules are observed. Local insurance agents urge year-round application of the principles emphasized during Fire Prevention week. There has been increasing public awareness of the significance of safeguarding against fire, particularly during the past week. This is what is needed, the insurance men assert, as community and individual cooperation can successfully combat fire. In some instances, communities carrying on a year-round drive have reduced fire losses as much as 50 percent.

to determine those most needy to benefit from the funds received. The Lady Lions met Oct. 6, for a potluck dinner. Guests were several members of the Roseburg Lady Lions. Mrs. Philip Harth spoke concerning the No. 1 state project of the organization for pre-school children with impaired vision. Schools are being conducted for parents to teach them how best to help their children overcome this handicap.