

# Statehood Hopes Jolted Again By House for Alaska and Hawaii

WASHINGTON (AP) — The House Tuesday night again jolted the statehood hopes of Hawaii and Alaska.

A 218-170 vote sent back to committee a bill to admit both territories as states.

There was still a possibility that the Insular Affairs committee would act on separate measures for each territory, but Chairman Engle (D-Calif) said the magnitude of the negative vote "raises a serious question" whether such moves would be successful.

Engle told newsmen that supporters of the combined measure received no help from the House Democratic leadership and met active hostility from Republican Leader Martin of Massachusetts and Assistant Leader Halleck of Indiana.

### Little Hope Is Seen

That active opposition plus "passive opposition" from Speaker Rayburn (D-Tex) probably "will apply with equal force against separate bills," Engle said.

On the rollcall, 105 Democrats and 113 Republicans voted in effect to kill the combined bill, while voting for it were 107 Democrats and 63 Republicans.

Democrats had sponsored the measure linking the territories together after President Eisenhower urged statehood for Hawaii but said the time hadn't yet arrived to admit Alaska.

As a rule, Alaska votes Democratic and Hawaii goes Republican.

But as it turned out in the House, the union of opponents to admission of one or the other proved too much for the joint effort.

Engle said the margin was greater than he had anticipated. In the face of that, he said he was uncertain what the next step would be.

Neither would he predict what

action will be taken on legislation pending in the Senate. Chairman Jackson (D-Wash) of the Senate territories subcommittee said last month a good deal depended upon House action.

Last year the Senate passed a bill to make Hawaii and Alaska the 49th and 50th states, but the joint measure died in the House Rules committee.

The House had approved Ha-

wai alone, as it had on two prior occasions. In 1950 the House also approved a separate Alaska measure.

The most frequent objection posed in two days of debate on the current bill was that neither Hawaii nor Alaska is contiguous to the U.S. mainland.

### James Ziegler Wins Honorary Presidency

James Ziegler, graduate in education, was elected president of Phi Delta Kappa, men's education honorary. Edwin Read will be vice-president, and Emory Bruns was re-elected as secretary-treasurer.

New officers will be installed at the formal initiation banquet May 27, at the Osburn hotel.

### Jackie Jolley Chosen Sigma Nu 'White Rose'

Jackie Jolley, sophomore in liberal arts, was chosen White Rose of Sigma Nu by the local chapter of the fraternity, it was announced at the group's annual White Rose spring formal house dance last weekend.

Miss Jolley received a gold crest of the fraternity on a chain necklace. She was chosen by members of the senior class in the fraternity.

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The new case was that of a 6-year-old boy in Umatilla county. Dr. E. E. Berg, county health officer, said it was the earliest case of polio there in his three years in office. He described it as

a case of mild paralytic polio. The boy, who lived in Hermiton, had not received any inoculation.

Some children did receive inoculations through private physicians, and of these three Portlanders contracted the disease. Each received vaccine from the Cutter Laboratory, whose output was halted.

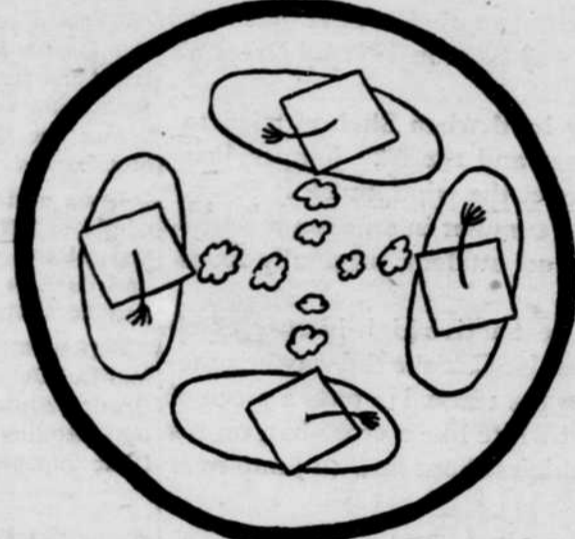
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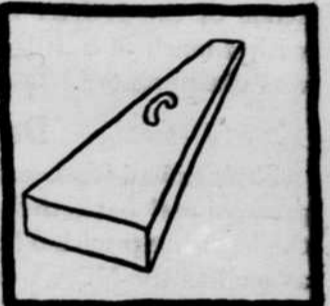
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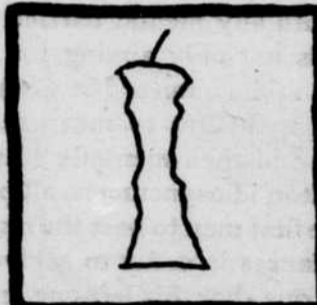
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VA regulations state in part: "Where the educational institution certifies the veteran's enrollment to be for an ordinary school year, the veteran and the institution may certify that the veteran was enrolled in and pursuing his course during the regular school vacation periods and recess periods between terms, quarters, or semesters (excluding summer sessions) and the education and training allowance will be paid for such periods."

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