

Salem Youth Impressed by Germany's Rapid Comeback

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(Editor's note: Bob Wilder of Salem is touring Europe with a delegation of YMCA youths en route to Paris for a world-wide YMCA meeting.)



Krupa Steals Scenes by Chewing Gum

By JAMES BACON
HOLLYWOOD — Many a Hollywood actor has stolen scenes chewing the scenery—Gene Krupa does it chewing gum.

The drummer many consider the jazz era's greatest is playing himself in "The Benny Goodman Story." As all jazz addicts know, the chicle is as much a part of Krupa's terrific beat as are his sticks.

Krupa has a big part in the movie—as he did in the original Goodman band—and he chews the gum both with and without the music.

He participates in 27 dramatic scenes—and chews gum in every one of them.

"I key my gum chewing to the scene," says the ageless musician. "Fast-chewing for the exciting scenes, slow for the more relaxed stuff."

Steve Allen, television's sardonic wit who is playing the title role, says this of Krupa's scene-stealing prop:

"After this picture, Krupa will be known as the Noel Coward of the cud."

Krupa does with his jaw-action what Jackie Cooper, as a child star, used to do with a snuffle or Jerry Lewis does now with a screwed-up face.

Used as Trademark
Director Valentine Davies admits the gum is a Krupa trademark and should be part of his screen character.

"However," Davies adds, "if it draws attention from what another actor is saying on the screen, I'll just turn Gene's back to the camera."

None of the other musicians from the original band, all playing themselves, have such scene-stealing gimmicks as Krupa's.

"But," comments Harry James, "I may have my wife turn the music for me in some of the scenes if this keeps up."

Harry, of course, is married to Betty Grable and no one watches a man chew gum while she's around.

"Ulysses" Hired
HOLLYWOOD — With movie stars traipsing all over the world making pictures, the studio men exploiting releases are over a barrel.

The movie "Ulysses" stars Kirk Douglas, Silvana Mangano, Anthony Quinn and Rosanna Podesta—none of whom is available to plug the picture around the country.

So what does Paramount do? They hire a fellow who runs a laundromat in Los Angeles to tour with the movie as it opens in theaters across the country.

He's Constantine Ulysses Couvaras, a Greek who was born on the Ionian island of Ithaca, where the legendary voyager Ulysses ruled as king 3,000 years ago.

Says Mrs. Couvaras: "The men of Ithaca today—just as with the original Ulysses—are good wanderers."

people but to our surprise just the opposite was true. We have found the German people very warm and kind although there are still many who feel bitter. Of course, there are men, Americans who feel the same way.

Our stay in Hanover was very enjoyable. We spent most of our time shopping. The two most popular items were wrist watches and lederhosen, the native dress for boys and men. They are short leather pants. Almost every boy in the delegation now has lederhosen.

To Hanover
From Hanover we went by bus to Kassel, one of the hardest hit cities during the last war in Germany. About 90 per cent of it was destroyed. It has a population of about 300,000. In one night over 40,000 were killed. One of the hardest things to believe about Germany is how fast they have recovered. In eleven short years Kassel has restored 50 per cent of the 90 per cent destroyed.

While in Kassel we were guests at the famous Bundesgastenshan flower show. We were led down into the park by a chair lift. It dropped us down about 150 feet and took us clear across the park so we could see in both directions. Not being an authority on flowers I missed a lot but it is one of the highlights of the trip. Before leaving Kassel we visited Hercules castle which was built in 1701-1714. During the last war it was used as a German fort and it was heavily bombed.

Visit Cologne
Our next stop now was Cologne where I celebrated my 18 birthday by going to the famous Cologne Cathedral and sight seeing which took us to Bonn the capital of West Germany. The Cathedral is the most beautiful church I have ever seen. Not being Catholic I

could not appreciate the full value of it but the peace of the Cathedral and the music made my sermon for that week. It was one day I will never forget.

World Affairs
Our luncheon was spent at a local YMCA where we had the chance to talk to some German boys about our age. We spent a good two hours talking about world affairs, and they showed us a wonderful time I think I have made a friend for life with this young German boy, Ywigen Gierlicks, who like me, has another year of high school and also plans to go into medicine. He is hoping to spend part of his schooling in the United States. His father was a professor in Germany and he taught for a year at Yale University, during the last war. Hitler wanted him to go to Moscow to teach, but instead of leaving his family he committed suicide. This is one birthday I will never forget.

Down Rhine
We traveled down the Rhine river where we stopped at Heidelberg, Germany, at Konstanz where we were entertained again by the German YMCA at Castle Mainau and took a short trip down into Switzerland.

The delegation all hated to leave Germany. We will remember them for their great out-look on life and the hard working people they are.

REAL HORSEPOWER
BELLFLOWER, Ill. — (AP) — Clifford Bradbury has for the past 40 years, handled 50 acres of corn, 25 of beans and 20 of oats with a team of horses instead of a tractor. Townspeople have joined him in his preference. They often call on him and his horse power for plowing vegetable gardens.

Chiang's Chief Of Staff Quits High Position

TAIPEI, Formosa (AP) — U. S. trained Gen. Sun Li-Jen, once commander in chief of the Nationalist army, was disclosed Saturday to have quit as Chiang Kai-Shek's personal chief of staff after exposure of a subordinate as head of a suspected Red China spy ring.

The disclosure ended rumors which have been sizzling for weeks in Taipei about the four-star general, a hero of World War II in Burma.

Gen. Sun, who got his training at Virginia Military Institute and is highly rated by American officers, is not under arrest but faces the possibility of a court martial.

Even if a commission of inquiry confirms his assertion he had "no idea" his long-time subordinate was using the connection for spy purposes, there is no doubt that Sun's military career has ended.

The government announcement said he resigned Aug. 3 as "an admission of negligence."

Wu Nan-Ju, head of the Nationalist Information Bureau, said that Sun's subordinate, Kuo Ting-Liang, has confessed using his long connection with the general for spying activities dating back to 1948.

Gen. Sun, in an interview Saturday with The Associated Press at his home, said he and Kuo "fought in Burma and Manchuria," that Kuo became a major under him.

Asked if he ever suspected Kuo was a Communist agent, Gen. Sun said: "I had no idea. It came as a surprise to me and I was very disturbed about it."

Kuo and others are under arrest.

America's Taft Clan Meets

UXBRIDGE, Mass., (UP) — America's Taft clan—one hundred strong—met here Saturday to honor the founders of that illustrious family.

From all parts of the nation descendants came to pay tribute to Robert and Sarah Taft, who emigrated from the British Isles 277 years ago and settled in nearby Mendon.

The Taft family includes men of distinction in almost every walk of life—civic leaders, educators, judges, lawyers and statesmen, including U. S. President William Howard Taft and his noted sons, the late Sen. Robert A. Taft and Charles Taft, onetime president of the Federal Council of Churches of Christ in America.

Artist-Turkey Man Unsure Of Occupation

ALBA, Mich. — (AP) — Wilbert Taylor isn't sure whether he's an artist whose hobby is egg collecting or an egg collector whose hobby is art.

Taylor says if art doesn't make a living for him he always can put the turkeys back to work making eggs.

Lately, 44-year-old Taylor has been painting the turkeys, selling the paintings and once and a while wandering out to pick up the eggs.

Taylor says he started farming for a living and picked up his painting technique from reading a few paper-backed books on the Old Masters.

Nebraska has 4,782 miles of railroad.

GOP Clubs Pick Leader

PORTLAND (AP) — Lowell C. Paget, Portland mortgage operator, Saturday was named president of the Oregon Republican Clubs. He succeeds A. A. Lausman, Medford, resigned.

In other action, the executive committee of the organization commended Gov. Patterson for his handling of his dispute with Atty. Gen. Robert Y. Thornton over an investigation of the State Liquor Control Commission.

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