

Portable Theater-The Alu-Palast (above) in Hamburg Germany, is an aluminum portable theater with a stage 40 by 66 feet and seats for 1,200 and can be assembled in 12 c

### Are Old People 'Cranky'? No More So Than Others

Prof. Albert R. Chandler of Ohio State University's department of philosophy said he came to that conclusion after studying 503 reports by college students and young professional people on of age whom they knew wall.

domineering, talkative or irrita-ble than people in their 50's," the professor reported. "But "But

finite trends appeared.

The study indicated, he said, that there does not seem to be any confirmation of generally accepted ideas that old people are usually cranky and irritable.

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"People in changed conditions. They were less likely to be overwere likely to be rigid in their habits and opinions, domineering, talkative or irritable.

In the study indicated, he said, "People in excellent health were definitely more likely to be any conditions. They were less likely to be overwere likely to be overwing the succeeding speaker his topic. Chairman for that part of the program was Jack Goetze.

During the formal part of the program William C. Hill served duly upon the past.

program William C. Hill served as toastmaster. Speakers were "People in poor health were more likely to be domineering, J. A. H. Dodd, James L. Payne, the people were divided to be very irritable, or to be ve-

# Strike at Oak Ridge Spreads

A mushrooming wildcat strike-the first in Oak Ridge historythreatened today to spread to all construction crafts working on nstallations in this atomic city

A top atomic energy commis son official, who declined use of his name, said he has received unconfirmed reports that about

300 carpenters and laborers will walk out sometime today.

AEC officials and representatives of the national labor relations board—who were called in hurriedly—have been wrestling with the problem since vester. with the problem since yester-day They conferred until early this morning, seeking a solution to the walkout which is delayng work on high-priority atom-

ing work on high-priority atomic installations.

Workers started drifting off their jobs late Monday at the \$86,000,000 gaseous diffusion plant (K-29). Yesterday others joined them until the number idled reached around 2,000 em-ployes in all construction crafts except carpenters and laborers. Final plans for Salem Toast-

masters' ladies' night and Gordon Molesworth, assistant Christmas party to be held as a to the AEC manager, said as yet

The party, to be held at the Lions Den in Hollywood, is to be a dinner at 6:30 p.m. followed ed, Molesworth said but it was topic. ing a gas pipeline to Oak Ridge

#### Linn County Court News

# by a program. At the Tuesday night meeting against the use of non-union at table topic session was held labor by the Oman Construction with each speaker giving the Co., of Nashville, which is build-

## Badgers Voted as Top 'Surprisers' of 1949

this year, has been voted the "surprise" college football team of 1949 in a nationwide Asso-ciated Press poll of sports writ-

Toastmasters Plan

Christmas Party

crated Fress poil of sports with the cause it won 10 straight while playing what some critics thought was "outmoded" powers not eliminated from Rose Bowl contention until their final contest in which they howed to the unexpacted were Baylor.

having most greatly upset pre-season calculations. Louisiana State, which won a Sugar Bowl assignment by walloping such home - conference luminaries as Rice, Tulane and North Carolina, proved a strong sec-ond, choice, among the halond choice among the bal-

tied for third, each having been singled out by five voters as the surprise package of the cam-paign. Virginia, though thin in reserves, won seven straight games before losing to Tulane. Pittsburgh, just returned to the

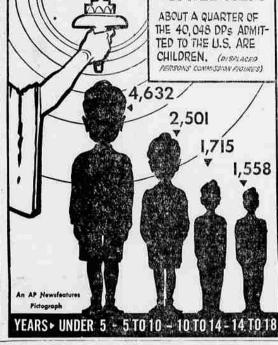
New York, Dec. 7 (A)—Wis-over Northwestern, Penn and consin, which rallied from a dis-astrous '48 season to make a valiant fight for the Big Ten title who will meet in the Rose over Northwestern, Penn and Penn State.
California and Ohio State, who will meet in the Rose Bowl, each received four votes. Ohio State was singled out largely on the strength of its surprising tie with Michigan on closing day; California because it won 10 straight while playing what some critics thought was "outmoded" power football.

test, in which they bowed to Minnesota by 14-6. Maryland, UCLA, Princeton, In all, 23 teams were nominated for the distinction of Notre Dame, College of the Pa-Notre Dame, College of the Pa

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Diaper Dilemma—Visions of diapers fill the mind of Mrs. John T. Gibbs of Atlanta, Ga., as she faces a world of "five bables and no washing machine." Here, Mrs. Gibbs and twin children, Jane (left) and Wayne, 10 months old, look over the newest members of the family, triplets Linda, Brenda and Glenda. The twins were surprised at their first glimpse of their three new sisters. But Mrs. Gibbs said all she could think of was "all those diapers." (Acme Telephoto)

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