



Big Blowout—Violinist Fritz Kreisler blows out the candles on his birthday cake at a dinner celebrating his 75th birthday in New York City. Mrs. Kreisler stands beside him.

Movie About Crooked Politician Gets Top Mention for Award

By BOB THOMAS

Hollywood, Feb. 16 (AP)—Broderick Crawford, Olivia De Havilland and "All the King's Men" took top contention today as the academy award race entered the stretch.

Nominations for the motion picture academy's 1949 awards were announced Tuesday night. They contained few surprises and reflected Hollywood's current tussle with social problems and war themes.

Crawford's portrait of a demagogue in "All the King's Men" has been the most touted in the male division. Also nominated were Kirk Douglas in "Champion," Gregory Peck in "Twelve o'Clock High," Richard Todd in "The Hasty Heart," and John Wayne in "Sands of Iwo Jima."

Miss De Havilland has been named the favorite among the actresses for her performance as the love-starved Victorian in "The Heiress." Her competition: Jeanne Crain in "Pinky," Susan Hayward in "My Foolish Heart," Deborah Kerr in "Edward, My Son," and Loretta Young in "Come to the Stable."

Mentioned for best picture award were: "All the King's Men," "Battleground," "The Heiress," "A Letter to Three Wives," and "Twelve o'Clock High."

Although "The Heiress" was named in eight categories compared to seven for "All the King's Men," the latter drew more important nominations. The political film may well be the sweeping victory when the final awards are announced March 23.

The nominations were made by about 10,850 workers in the motion picture industry. Final awards are voted by the 1,900 members of the academy.

Other major nominations included:

Supporting actors—John Ireland in "All the King's Men," Dean Jagger in "Twelve o'Clock High," Arthur Kennedy in "Champion," Ralph Richardson in "The Heiress," and James Whitmore in "Battleground."

Supporting actress—Ethel Barrymore in "Pinky," Celeste Holm in "Come to the Stable," Elsa Lanchester in "Come to the Stable," Mercedes McCambridge for "All the King's Men," and Ethel Waters for "Pinky."

Direction—Robert Rossen for "All the King's Men," William A. Wellman for "Battleground," Carol Reed for "The Fallen Idol," William Wyler for "The Heiress," and Joseph L. Mankiewicz for "A Letter to Three Wives."

The nominees ran according to form except for Miss Young and Wayne. They were little

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Coal Pickets Attack Mines

Harlan, Ky., Feb. 16 (AP)—Several hundred men swarmed into at least 10 Harlan county coal mining camps today and destroyed property in some of the areas.

State police, sheriff's deputies and company officials reported the roving mine pickets warned idle coal miners to remain away from their jobs.

Company officials, who declined the use of their names, said they counted 108 automobiles and 570 men at the High Splint Coal company mine, the first one on the tour.

No officer or company official would permit the use of his name, however.

Officials said the coal company had done some maintenance work around the tippie yesterday, using regular United Mine Workers employes.

Observers said the men, after visiting the other coal camps, dispersed.

Delphian Book Club Membership Limited

Independence—The Delphian Book club met at the home of Mrs. Dwight Hoag, with Mrs. Grace Swope being the assistant hostess.

The club is composed of ten members from Monmouth, and ten members from Independence. If any member retires from the club, one from the waiting list becomes a member to make up the roll of 20 members. Mrs.

Clara Trotter, who has been a member for some time, is unable to attend the meetings and asked to have her name dropped from the roll. Mrs. Hattie Schweizer of Monmouth was accepted as a member.

Mrs. Etta Welch gave a review of "Gentian Hill" by Elizabeth Goudge.

February being the month of Lincoln's birthday, Mrs. Dwight Hoag was asked to bring a talk on Abraham Lincoln's life. Following the meeting, refreshments were served. The next regular monthly meeting will be held on March 2.

Rainbow and Demolay Groups Enjoy Dance

Woodburn—Following the regular meeting of Evergreen Assembly No. 12, Order of the Rainbow for Girls, a party was put on by the Rainbow advisory board for the girls and the Demolay boys. About 50 were in attendance.

Feature of the program was square dancing in the dining room, directed by Willie Richards of St. Paul, a member of the Salem "Gateswingers." Refreshments were served by the board members.

Initiation will be held at the next Rainbow meeting and the refreshments committee will include Caroline and Carleen Hessel, Shirley Knox and Loris Larson.

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CIO Purges Smelters Union

Washington, Feb. 15 (AP)—The CIO executive board today expelled the Mine, Mill and Smelter Workers union from the CIO on charges of communist leanings.

The board, by a vote of 34 to 6, upheld the findings and recommendations of a three-man committee which declared that the union's policies were dictated by communist party leaders.

CIO President Philip Murray told a news conference that the union, which claims 100,000 members, actually has only about 44,000.

The ouster takes effect immediately, but its leaders may go before the next convention on October and appeal the action of the executive board. In the meantime, however, the expulsion order stands.

Three other unions faced similar action by the board today

or tomorrow. They are United Office and Professional Workers, United Public Workers, and the Food, Tobacco and Agricultural Workers.

The special three-man committee told the CIO's 50-member policy making board that it had found testimony "demonstrating conclusively" that the top policy of the Mine Workers union was

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