

Prisoners Held By Commies Place New Auto Orders

Detroit—(U.P.)—Eight American officers held as war prisoners by the Communists in Korea were assured Tuesday they'll have little trouble buying new cars when they are freed.

The eight, who placed orders by letters with General Motors corporation here, were told their names will be high on the delivery list in the event of a car shortage at the time of their repatriation.

Rumors Circulating
The letter was written January 10 and signed by 1st Lt. Robert C. Lemke, of Wabeno, Wis. It said rumors were circulating in their camp "somewhere in North Korea" that "automobiles are beginning to become hard to get."

"A group of us got together and decided to try to get a letter through to you requesting that you put us on your lists for new automobile purchases," the letter said.

Asked To Advise Families
"As most of us do not have any idea whether our families know we are alive or not we would appreciate it if you would drop a card to our home addresses saying you have heard from us."

The names of all eight men appeared on the lists of war prisoners released by the Communists recently.

On The Side

By E. V. Durling

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A mighty pain to love it is,
And 'tis a pain that pain to miss;
But of all the pains the greatest pain
Is to love, but love in vain.
—Cowley

(It was Roger De Bussy-Rabutin who said: "When we can't get what we love we must love what we have.")

Hardly a day passes you don't hear of a fire caused by someone smoking a cigaret in bed. What this country needs is a popular priced fireproof cigaret holder for bed smokers. It should not be difficult to invent. Might also not be a bad idea to have a special type of cigaret for smoking in bed. That is, a kind of cigaret that will go out when not puffed upon and not keep on burning.

Get It Right
In order that clients of this department may be rightly informed I have requested our checkers-upper to keep a sharp look-out for inaccuracies. As for example, a weekly periodical reports that Susan Hayward, the vivacious, vibrant and versatile cinema luminary has three Cadillacs. That's an error. She has only two Cadillacs. However, the article also states Miss Hayward is from Brooklyn. That is right. She used to live on Church avenue in the beautiful borough across the bridge. It is also reported Susan is a "natural redhead." That is also absolutely correct. Our Horses & Women staff member assigned to checking on red haired women examined a lock of Miss Hayward's hair under the microscope and passed her one hundred per cent as a genuine bricktop.

Among the Married
There are about 160 groups of people in the world who practice polygamy. However, in practically all these groups it is a case of the men having more than one wife, not of wives having extra husbands. Still, there are places where a wife can have more than one husband. In Tibet, for example, many women have more than one spouse. A returned traveler reported meeting a woman in Tibet who had five husbands at the same time. The husbands did all the housework. Some Eskimo women have more than one husband. These husbands also handle all the housework. The Todas of India usually have only one wife. Still their life is not without variety as to feminine companionship. They exchange wives for brief periods, or they borrow a friend's wife for a week-end. Among the Todas, a cad is a man who will not loan his wife to a friend.

Asking
Queries from clients. Q. I say I saw Fred Astaire in the stage play, The Gay Divorcee. My brother says there never was a stage play of that title. Please enlighten the man. A. Hope you didn't make a wager with your brother because he's right. Title of the stage play was The Gay Divorcee. When made into a film the title was changed to the Gay Divorcee. Q. I have offered to eat my hat if I am not right in saying Gaston Chevrolet won the 1920 Indianapolis speedway auto race. What say you? A. You don't have to eat your hat. The man you mention was winner of the race to which you refer.

Passing By
"Buddy" Baer Erstwhile ringman. Now an actor. Has received wonderful notices for his performance in Quo Vadis. In fact, some people think he practically stole the picture. I liked Buddy as a boxer. First time I saw him in a preliminary bout I wrote: "If anybody is going to floor champion Joe Louis it will be Buddy Baer." Will, sir, Buddy did floor Louis but Joe got up before the count of ten. . . . Doris Day. Charming chanteuse from Cincinnati. At the start of her career used her real name which is Doris Kappelhoff. Didn't want to change it. Wanted to make her family name famous but was finally persuaded to switch to Doris Day. This brings to mind that extremely clever comedienne named Elaine Stritch. As a professional name Stritch is no bargain. But Elaine refuses to change it. Ever hear of a big league ballplayer changing his name for professional purposes? Remember Lee Magee, clever infielder for the Cincinnati Reds? His real name was Leopold Hoernschmeyer. **Keeping Young**
Fannie Ward known as "the eternal flapper," at the age of 60 played the part of a girl of 17 on the London stage and made the portrayal believable. When asked her secret for retaining so youthful an appearance for so many years Fannie said: "Find

News of 4-H CLUBS

Sewing Susans

The last meeting of the Applegate Sewing Susans was held at the home of Mitzy Baysinger on March 4. Mitzy Baysinger demonstrated how to model a dress. Five visitors were present. Paula York of Josephine county also attended.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Baysinger. Next meeting will be March 19 at Deidra Stewart's.

Donna Lee Brown, Reporter.

Central Point 4-H Club

Central Point 4-H crop club met February 28 at the home of Harold Gebhard. Plans were completed for window displays for National 4-H Club week. Alexander Hardware store has given space in a window for that week.

Junior leader Vernon Gebhard passed out record books for the coming year.

Refreshments were served by Loren and Kenny Gebhard. Billy Williams, Reporter.

The Grange

Griffin Creek Grange

Griffin Creek Grange will meet Thursday, March 13, at 8 p. m. There will be a color demonstration by Sherwin-Williams Paint company. Mark and Grant Parrott, nephews of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Slyter, will play some musical selections. Serving committee will be Mrs. Harry Wilson, Harold Tolle, Jack Bierma and William Kirtley.

HEC will meet March 20 for a covered dish luncheon with Mrs. Mark Slyter, 2010 Sunset drive, with Mrs. Ralph Dillon as co-hostess.

Members are urged to bring scrap metal to the Grange hall as soon as possible.

Wilsons Plan Appeal

To US Supreme Court

Portland—(U.P.)—Turman and Utah Wilson, condemned to die for the slaying of JoAnn Dewey, will make a new appeal to the U. S. Supreme Court, their attorney said Tuesday.

Irvin Goodman, Portland attorney who heads the Wilson's defense, has mailed a petition for a writ of certiorari or review to the high court. A similar request was denied last October when the court declined to take jurisdiction.

a husband—youth lingers longest in a married woman." She also stated that she owed some of her youthful appearance to a recipe for cold cream given her by Gaby Deslys. This cream she made herself from 12 ingredients.

The dipper or water ouzel uses its wings to aid its progress under water.

In the Day's News

By FRANK JENKINS

From Salem:
"Oregon's presidential primary election May 18 looms as one of the nation's KEY primaries, with five Republican and three Democrats entered."

I THINK it would be more accurate to say that Oregon's presidential primary election will be one of the nation's KEY STRAW BALLOTS. So will all the EARLY ones. The later ones won't amount to a hill of beans. The politicians will make big medicine out of New Hampshire's primary, because it will be the FIRST. They will make a moderate amount of political medicine out of Oregon's primary, because it will be among the first.

But the REAL medicine will be made at the Republican and the Democratic national party conventions. It is there that the candidates will be picked. When the time comes to do the picking, all the presidential primary elections will amount to will be to give the politicians (who will do the job) something to yak about.

PERSONALLY. I think it's high time to throw the political convention system of nominating candidates for president onto the scrap heap, along with election of U.S. senators by state legislatures — which went into the scrap pile long, long ago. If we can nominate and elect senators by direct vote of the people, we can certainly nominate presidents that way.

National political party conventions are and always have been a sort of an amalgam of a Hopi Indian snake dance and a combined camp meeting and revival in the Deep South where emotional excitement becomes so tense that half the women in the tent get what used to be called the "bends" and the men are just as far off their rockers but don't show it quite so much.

Considering all the circumstances, I'd say that over the long years we've got really better candidates out of political party conventions than the system entitles us to get.

LET'S put it this way:

Suppose you said to yourself: "I need a foreman. The United States of America has had a long and honorable career. It is now the greatest nation on earth. It has always picked its party candidates for president by the process of getting everybody on a ROARING EMOTIONAL DRUNK and taking what came out of it. If it has worked in getting presidents for the country, it ought to work in getting a FOREMAN for me. So I'm gonna give the system a try."

About all I can say is that I'd hate to be stuck with the foreman you'd get out of such a process of selection.

STILL, the fact remains that the party convention system has brought us some of the world's greatest leaders.

Why?
It may be because our guardian angel has sheltered us under her wings during all these long decades.

But that suggests another thought:
Maybe our guardian angel CAN STAND ONLY SO MUCH. Maybe the time will come when she will say: "This is the end. No longer will I guard and shelter a people possessed of so little gumption that they insist on nominating their presidents at a hoe-down like this. I'm THROUGH!"

ANYWAY, I think it's about time to discard our system of nominating party presidential candidates at a party convention and to substitute for it a nationwide presidential primary system under which the candidates will actually be nominated by the votes of the people.

Court Records

POLICE COURT
Ruth Carolyn Brownell, violation of basic rule, \$10.
Arnold Carl Niedermeyer, basic rule, \$10.
Anne Katherine Purucker, no stop at stop sign, \$5.
Robert Edgar Rose, excessive noise, \$7.50.
Charles James Todd, inadequate muffler, \$5.
Fred Woodbridge, void license, suspended.

DISTRICT COURT
Robert G. Burns, no operator's license, \$5.
Merrill B. Bliss, failure to display motor vehicle license, \$6.
Arthur E. Lewis, failure to display PUC plates, \$5.
Glenn E. Cave and Everett H. Greenman, failure to stop at stop sign, \$10 each.
Floyd S. Stacy, failure to operate on right side of highway, \$10.
Bert Simmons, passing with insufficient clearance, \$7.50.
Elisha Lee Boyd, overload, \$35.50.
George S. Malone, overload, \$31.
Grady D. Mott, no mud guards, \$10.

CIRCUIT COURT
Estate of Harlan Lyle Hoeft, Crit C. Tolman, Theodore J. Hoeft and Winifred Ryan, all deceased, inventories and appraisements.
In matter of estate of Pernie Johnson Duncan, petition.
Smith, Polyanne E. vs. Lee Harold Smith, divorce complaint.
Lolita Perrine, doing business as Perrine Industrial Electricians, vs. H. A. Taylor and others, complaint.
James R. Lees vs. Southern Oregon Sugar Pine Corporation, motions.
Clara E. Bunting vs. Walter R. Bunting, divorce complaint.

Dead line on Classified Ads: 5:30 p.m. for following day; 10 a.m. Monday noon Saturday for Sunday a.m. for Sunday a.m.

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