



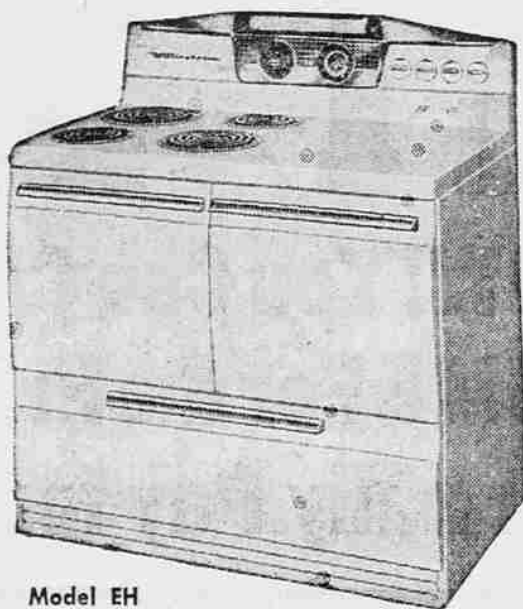
WINNING PRELIMINARY auditions in Hollywood, 15 girls are selected as 1956 Wampas Baby Stars, topping 60 other entrants. From left: Fay Spain, 21, Phoenix; Barbara Huffman, 21, Tucson; Violet Rensing, 24, Berlin, Germany; Dawn Richard, 18, Los Angeles; Donna Cook, 18, Los Angeles; Norma Nilsson, 18, Los Angeles; Ina Poindexter, 23, Covington, Tenn.; Phyllis Applegate, Los Angeles; Del-Fin Thursday, 20, Honolulu; Jolene Brand, 21, Baldwin Park, Cal.; Roxanne Arlen, 21, Detroit; Lita Milan, 21, Detroit; Jewell Lain, 24, Indianapolis; Doreen Stevens, 21, Atlantic City; Barbara Marks, 22, San Diego. (International)

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Ballot Title Change Request on File

Salem — (U.P.) — A petition asking rewriting of the ballot title prepared by Attorney General Robert Y. Thornton for a proposed constitutional amendment reapportioning the state Legislature was filed with the State Supreme Court late yesterday.

Objection was made to the part of the ballot title referring to the proposed amendment as the federal plan. Edward F. Bailey of Eugene is petitioner with Douglas R. Spender acting as his attorney.

The proposed constitutional amendment originally was filed by Giles French, of Moro. It provides for one senator from each county.

No date was set for hearing on the petition.

Girl Scout Leaders Get Down To Business

San Francisco — (U.P.) — The 6000 delegates attending the 33rd annual convention of the Girl Scouts of America turned today to official business, submitted under the theme, "Putting our Values to Work."

Mrs. George S. Dunham said the American woman, far from being spoiled or over-civilized, has proved she will travel far at her own expense to live like her pioneer ancestors.

Mrs. W. Bruce MacIntosh, of Miami, Fla., reported on the restoration of the Juliette Gordon Low birthplace in Savannah, Ga. Mrs. Low was the founder of the Girl Scout movement in the United States.

Fibber McGee's Closet No Joke To Closet Glamorizer

New York — (U.P.) — The Fibber McGee closet, a national joke, actually is no laughing matter.

At least not to Cecil Rhodes, who with his wife has built a successful and unusual business glamorizing closets.

Rhodes' customers have included the Alfred Lunt, Arthur Godfrey, Perry Como, Mrs. Harvey Firestone, Jr., Frederic March, Mrs. Walter Chrysler, Jr. and other names of the social and theatrical world.

One of the most fabulous jobs his concern ever took on was for a Pittsburgh financier's daughter.

"She spent \$4,000 just on closet decoration," said Rhodes.

"But then, the house cost \$1,000,000, so I guess she could afford it."

Accessories Started It Rhodes, a former banker, has been peering into the nation's closets since 1935, when he and his wife started their service. Mrs. Rhodes, an interior decorator still running her own shop, used to present her clients with gaily decorated coat hangers and other closet accessories when she had finished re-doing a house.

Customers asked to buy more of such accessories, and so the business of custom closet decoration began. Rhodes left banking to help run it.

Asked how many thousands of closets he and his wife have decorated in those 20 years, he explained ruefully, "We moved recently. I can't find our early records. Guess I cleaned out one closet too many."

BIG STEAL New Haven, Conn. — (U.P.) — Someone stealthily stole some steel—two and one half tons of it—from the Connecticut Alloy Steel Co.

Rhodes bemoans the state of the average home storage area. Some women—meticulous housekeepers otherwise—treat closets as an unwanted "stepchild" when it comes to housekeeping duties.

"You'd be amazed at the junk some people close their doors on," he said.

Man's Closet Neglected

Rhodes said homemakers usually give the most attention to the guest closet of the house—it's the one most frequently seen by outsiders. Next comes the linen closet—"women like to show off their fine damasks."

Third is the homemaker's own bedroom closet.

"The most neglected closet in the house usually belongs to the

man," said Rhodes. "That's partly his fault. Most men don't want their things disturbed. But we find that once a woman has redecorated hers, the husband is inspired to do something."

One major problem besetting a custom decorator lies with modern architecture. Rhodes said closets are getting fewer and smaller.

Because of this, he and his wife constantly aim to make the most of space. Two rods to a closet, for instance, if there's enough height. The top rod holds blouses and jackets, and the lower one dresses. Rhodes has

developed a pole equipped for reaching and removing items from the top rod.

Although Rhodes and his wife have helped make the nation closet-decorating conscious, there's still much to be done.

"I'd like to see closets so beautifully decorated, their doors always would be open," said Rhodes. "And I'll tell you, if I were a woman and spent \$500 on a dress and \$50 on a hat, I would take the doors off."

No Foul Play Seen In Youngster's Death

Powers Lake, N.D. — (U.P.) — An examination of the body of four-year-old Lavern Enget has dispelled suspicions that he was murdered after he disappeared from his ranch home a year ago.

The examination, conducted by Drs. Paul Breslich and Willard Wall, showed no evidence of violence. Authorities said they now believe the boy was drowned.

Southwest Portland Will Get New Bank

Portland — (U.P.) — Multnomah Bank will establish a third branch in the Hillsdale shopping area in southwest Portland, bank president Dwight E. Gard announced today. The new branch has been approved by the State Superintendent of Banks and the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation.

Portland — (U.P.) — Gen. Alfred M. Gruenther, NATO supreme commander, believes the Communist arms shipments to Egypt may affect plans of the North Atlantic defense alliance. "But this depends on future circumstances," Gruenther told a press conference at Wheelus field near here Tuesday. "Egypt and Israel are on our flanks."

He denied that NATO arms are being used in North Africa where France is battling nationalist terrorists.

Gruenther said that NATO's main object is to have forces to prevent aggression and as a defensive alliance its strength had multiplied five times since 1951. He said entrance of West Germany strengthened the treaty group.

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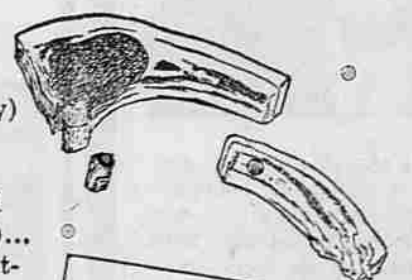
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