CROSBY INCLUDED IN TEN BEST MEN

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 9 (UP)—Bing Crosby Monday night found himself ranked with Congressman Martin Dies and George Gallup among the ten outstanding young men of America.

The list of the ten outstanding young men of America was selected by Durward Howes, Los Angeles jeweler and editor of the biographical dictionary, America's young men.

Crosby, 36 years old, won a place on the list this year, Howes said, "for his brilliant and continued success as entertainer, impresario, sportsman and business man."

Congressman Dies, 39, was selected because of the work done by the committee investigating un-American activities, which he heads. Gallup's sampling of public opinion won him a place on the list of ten. He is 39 years old.

Jack Frye, 36, head of Transcontinental and Western Airlines, made the list for his rise in the aviation world. Others on the list are Fulton Lewis Jr., 37, news commentator; Col. Charles Lindbergh, 38, noted flier; Mark Stanley Matthews, 34, president of the US junior chamber of commerce; Arch Oboler, 32, radio dramatist; Oren Root, 28, attorney and outstanding campaigner for Wendell Willkie for the presidency; Dr. Guy C. Suits, 35, research physicist and outstanding inventor in many fields.

MONTH'S CONTRACT TOTAL SHOWN HIGH

SEATTLE, Wash., Jan. 8—Greater by 270 per cent than December, 1939, last month's total engineering contracts amounted to $11,826,305 for 77 projects in the Pacific northwest, it is revealed in a tabulation appearing in the January issue of Pacific Builder and Engineer, construction news journal published in Seattle. In December, 1939, 59 contracts were awarded for a total of $3,196,238.

Major portion of the Pacific northwest's engineering construction work in December was more than $5,500,000 devoted to army post work in the national defense program.

December's total of nearly 2½ million dollars for 34 grading and surfacing contracts set a record high for this kind of work in the Pacific northwest.

It has been proved that of $1 paid for gasoline by a motorist, an average of 32 cents represents taxes and only 68 cents represents that part actually going for gasoline.

Brief Note on Beach Fashions

On the beach at Honolulu? Nope, it's at Miami. Model Mary Joyce Walsh is displaying the latest in tropical bathing togs at Miami's recent "Sunshine Fashion Parade." She's one of 10 Powers models flown from New York to Florida for the event.

AUTOPSY HELD IN MYSTERY DEATHS

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 9 (UP) A post mortem examination was conducted late Monday in an effort to determine the cause of the deaths of Fred Thompson, 53, Ontario, Ore., and Laura Gordon, 43, a Portland telephone operator.

Thompson and Miss Gordon died of asphyxiation when their tongues swelled mysteriously choking them. Doctors had no clue to the mysterious swelling since the two were in such a serious condition when they arrived at St. Vincent's hospital they were unable to speak.

Thompson managed only to gasp, "I'm going to die."

AUTHORITY GIVEN TO LABOR BOARD

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9 (AP)—The supreme court held Monday that the labor board has authority to require a company to sign a written contract with a labor organization in the event an agreement is reached concerning employment conditions.

Justice Stone delivered the decision in a case brought by the H. J. Heinz company of Pittsburgh to test the board's authority under the Wagner act. No dissent was announced. Justice McReynolds did not participate.

Refusal to sign an agreement reached, Justice Stone said, "was a refusal to bargain collectively" and "an unfair labor practice."

"It is true," he added, "that the national labor act, while requiring the employer to bargain collectively, does not compel him to enter into an agreement.

"But it does not follow that, having reached an agreement, he can refuse to sign it, because he has never agreed to sign one."

BOY SCOUT HEADS TALK 1941 PLANS

Objectives for 1941 were discussed Wednesday noon at the first meeting of district committeemen for the Modoc Boy Scout area.

Among matters introduced by Chairman C. S. Elliot, presiding for his first time, were a finance drive in the spring, methods of expanding the scout training program, ways to prolong interest in the organization among scouts, and securing more citizens to serve on the district committee.

Members present were W. A. Constans, Joe Hicks, Ken Klahn, P. A. Everett, Ed Dunham, Tony Manno, Dr. E. D. Lamb, Boyd Sprague, E. V. Haynes and Dwight Gilchrist, scout executive.

Everett also led a discussion on the emergency service unit organized among the older scouts, and plans for mobilization in cooperation with the Red Cross in the event of disaster.

OLD TAGS—NEW STORY

DANVILLE, Ill.—On the lookout for motorists still driving around with 1940 license plates, police were taken aback not a little when they discovered an auto bearing tags of 1930 vintage.

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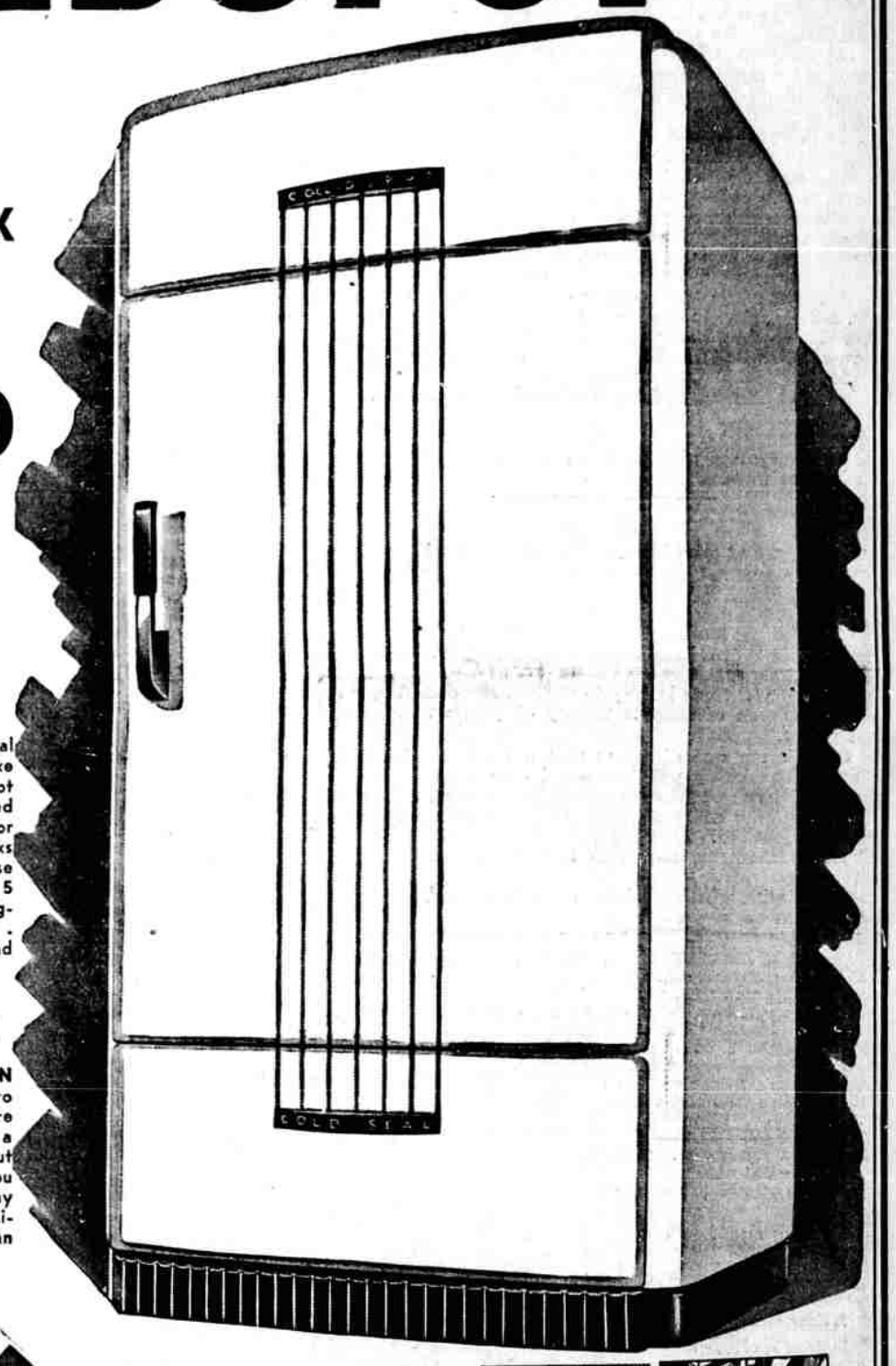

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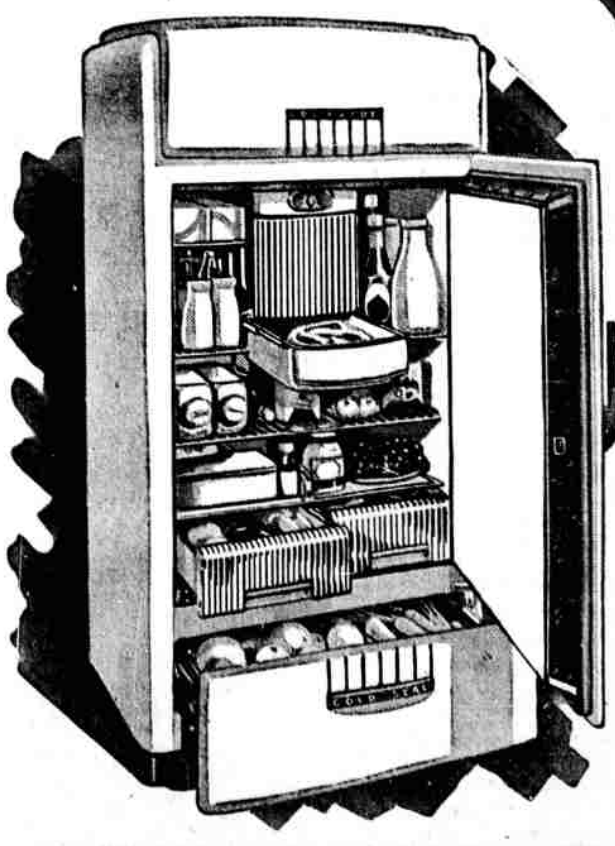

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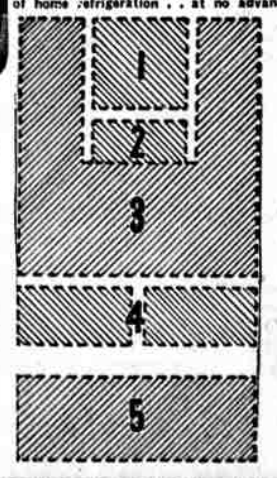

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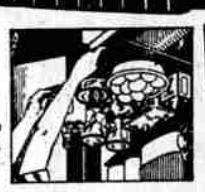

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