

### Presbyterian Club Planned

United Presbyterian Men, a group of Presbyterian men who work in conjunction with the Presbyterian Men's Council of clubs for Southern Oregon Presbytery, has organized a club among the men members of Peace Memorial Church.

Another club will get underway at First Presbyterian Church and Malin has petitioned for a chapter. Tulelake is expected to follow suit.

A meeting was held at 2 p.m. at the Malin Community Presbyterian Church for the purpose of establishing a Lower Klamath Basin group of Presbyterian men, comprised of members from Merrill, Malin, Tulelake and Mt. Taki churches.

Keynote address was by the Rev. Fish Groves of the First Presbyterian Church of Klamath Falls. A. C. Olson, president of the Presbyterian Men's Council of Klamath Falls, discussed the purpose of the men's groups as being one to give the ordinary man an opportunity to build his spiritual growth, fellowship, mutual confidence in his church as well as aiding and assisting to further the Christian program.

Ralph Wood, president of the Presbyterian Men's Council of clubs, Ashland, conducted a "talk it over" session along organizational lines.

Plans were made for the next meeting to be held at the Merrill Presbyterian Church, with the Merrill men as hosts, on December 14 at 2 p.m. All Presbyterian men of the Klamath Basin are invited to attend.

### Cleric Addresses Soroptimist Club

Soroptimist Club members, gathered for the annual Thanksgiving program and luncheon, heard the Rev. Robert Groves of the First Presbyterian Church speak on the blessings of 20th century moderns and a glimpse of future blessings.

He spoke of world use of electronic and nuclear advancements as blessings 20 years hence, and sought the sharing of the present surpluses in this country with the less fortunate.

Rev. Groves was introduced by Mrs. William DePew, program chairman. Mrs. Eugene Favell sang two Thanksgiving numbers. Capacity attendance was recorded.

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### Many Cinema Celebrities To Vie In Golf Tourney

By VERNON SCOTT  
HOLLYWOOD (UPI)—A cloud of divots will engulf movie land this week when a pack of stars storm the golf course for the title of "world entertainment golf champion."

Duffers and one-handicappers will belt it out at Los Coyotes Country Club with comedians, leading men, character actors and cowpokes vying for honors.

Golf rates highest with Hollywood celebrities, many of whom devote more time to curing a slice than perfecting their acting techniques.

And some of them are mighty good. But because they're a part of show biz only a few private clubs

allow them membership. The great bulk of movie and TV stars belong to one of three clubs—Bel Air, Lakeside and Hillcrest. Some belong to all three.

Los Angeles Country Club has a strict ban on the grasspelted set. Anyone faintly connected with the movies hasn't a chance.

Bing Crosby once said, "I'd be all right if a distant cousin of mine applied. But I live a short part four from the LA club and I can't join."

Crosby and Bob Hope, tinsel town's most famous golfers, are foregoing the tournament because of work. But most of the other hackers are having a go at it.

Favored is Bob Sterling (of TV's "Topper" series) who shoots to a "1" handicap. Also in contention are crooner Don Cherry (a scratch player), Gordon MacRae (5) and Dean Martin (7).

A pair of dancers, Ray Bolger (10) and Fred Astaire (7) will be flailing away against such cowboy stars as Jim Garner—a 9-handicapper who claims he can't afford to join a private club—Richard (the Californians) Coogan (9), Ty (Cheyenne) Hardin (12), Guy Madison (9), Gene Autry (12).

Two former screen "Tarzans," Johnny Weissmuller (8) and Lex Barker (7) will be bunching their muscles in a private duel for tourney honors.

Jack Benny, a magnificent scrambler with a 16 handicap, withdrew from competition after checking the opposition.

But little George Gobel, sporting a 10 handicap, Phil Harris (2) and Mickey Rooney (9) will be on hand to provide laughs along with some better-than-average golf.

Two of golfdom's zaniest adherents will be missing—Jerry Lewis (who is ill) and Victor Mature (who limits himself to two-nine tournaments). Jerry and Vic play one another frequently in rigged tourneys.

The winner buys the loser a huge loving cup for second place, and the loser presents the winner with an impressive plaque. Both Mature and Lewis have lined their den walls with eye-popping trophies.

All told some 120 golfer-entertainers will compete at Los Coyotes (located in Bellehurst) to raise money for the Motion Picture Relief Fund.

And for the first time in history a champion will be named among hometown golf addicts, an accolade many would prefer to an Academy Award.

### Actress Gets Child Custody

LOS ANGELES (AP)—A bitter court fight has ended with a judge's decision that actress Lynn Bari should have custody of her son.

A Superior Court judge ruled in favor of Miss Bari Friday after an interview earlier in the week with John Luft, 10, the actress' son by her former husband, Sid Luft.

Luft, now married to Judy Garland, now custody of John six weeks ago on grounds the boy had been placed in a boarding school and was not receiving proper home life and parental supervision.

Miss Bari then filed suit to regain custody, charging the Luft household was an improper place to rear the boy.

John will spend his weekends alternately between Luft and Miss Bari.

### Airline Firms Pay Damages

LOS ANGELES (AP)—Two families of victims in the 1956 Grand Canyon air collision got \$320,000 in damages.

The jury verdicts, returned Friday, were against Trans World Airlines, Inc., and United Air Lines, Inc., whose planes collided with a loss of 128 lives.

Three children of Mr. and Mrs. William Wallace Hatcher were awarded \$200,000 for the loss of their father and \$20,000 for the loss of their mother.

Mrs. Nadine Nasalroad and her two sons, who had asked \$300,000 in the death of her husband, Andrew, were given \$100,000.

THAT SETTLES IT—SALINA, Kan. (AP)—Sitting in their bedroom, George McDowell and his wife were trying to decide whether to buy new dining room or bedroom furniture for their family Christmas gift.

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### Prisoner Flees Jail

LA GRANDE, Ore. (AP)—A Union County jail prisoner, Paul Brown, knocked down a jail janitor Friday night and fled, Sheriff H. A. Klinghammer said.

Brown jumped the janitor, Jay Conley, when he was putting a trusty in the cell, thrust the trusty aside and floored Conley when he hit him on the head, Klinghammer said.

A posse of local law enforcement officers was formed to search for Brown. Residents of the area were warned to lock cars.

Brown, 22, was jailed about three weeks ago on charges of robbing a Union, Ore., tavern. He formerly served a sentence in the Oregon State Penitentiary.

### "DENNIS THE MENACE"



"MOM, HOW'D YOU LIKE TO FINISH MAKING SOME WAFFLES?"

### Pregnant Widow Sees Ty For Last Time At Rites

By JAMES BACON  
AP Motion Picture Writer

HOLLYWOOD (AP)—A young widow, only six months ago the happy bride of one of the movies' handsomest heroes, sat by herself in front of the open coffin, her hand atop that of Tyrone Power.

There were 125 other mourners in the tiny Chapel of the Psalms Friday. Among them Gregory Peck, James Stewart, Loretta Young, Yul Brynner and Henry Fonda.

But Deborah Ann Power had her back toward them. It was her last hour with the husband she loved. Semireligious rites, conducted by a Presbyterian Navy Chaplain, ended in 34 minutes.

But for nearly 20 minutes, the 26-year-old widow was alone with her husband. A Hollywood cemetery attendant came in to close the coffin.

As he did so, Mrs. Power gave Ty a farewell kiss. Then she walked out sadly but composed to a waiting limousine.

She still was composed as she walked from the limousine to her husband's grave. There, the chaplain delivered the brief committal service for the actor whose heart attack death a week ago in Madrid stunned movie fans everywhere.

A crowd of 2,000, fans and curious, swarmed over other graves from the chapel to the burial site.

The crowd, in its hurry, gave a circus- or Hollywood Premier- touch that marred the dignity of the funeral.

Earlier, the widow herself inadvertently helped create the circus atmosphere when she barred microphones that would have carried the rites to those gathered outside the chapel.

A friend explained that Mrs. Power feared the microphones would have given an undignified tone to the services.

The widow, however, is new to Hollywood funerals—and the deci-

sion worked just the opposite.

As Cesar Romero, an old-time friend, eulogized Power, the babble of the crowd disturbed the mourners inside. Once Romero raised his voice in order that his words could be heard above the shouts, laughter and other noises outside.

The crowd quieted, however, when cemetery guards told the on-lookers that their noise was heard inside.

Then Romero's eulogy ended thus: "He was a beautiful man. He was beautiful outside and beautiful inside."

Linda Christian, Power's second wife, and their two children did not attend the rites by express request of the widow.

Instead, Miss Christian and the two young girls attended a regularly scheduled mass at a nearby Catholic church.

Then some three hours after Power's funeral had ended, Linda and Romina, 8, and Taryn, 6, visited the actor's grave and placed thereon a huge cross of carnations and gardenias. Linda knelt silently in prayer.

Miss Christian told a reporter that she had arranged for special masses to be said in churches throughout the world during the rites.

"Every city—Rome, Madrid, Paris—where Ty and I were once so happy, I wanted him to be remembered," she said.

Power, son of the famous Irish actor of the same name, was born Catholic but since left that church. He married the former Mrs. Deborah Montgomery Minardos in Presbyterian rites last May 7 in Tunica, Miss.

It was a marriage that stunned Hollywood, most of which did not even know of a romance. At the time, she stated: "I have no acting ambitions. I just want to be a wife to Ty."

She was with him in Madrid when the 44-year-old actor died after a strenuous dueling scene for the movie "Solomon and Sheba."

### Actress Has Own Formula For Rearing Her Children

By BOB THOMAS  
AP Motion Picture Writer  
HOLLYWOOD (AP)—Joanne Woodward has her own formula for rearing the child she expects in April: apertures.

She loves children, and she plans to give the tyke plenty of loving care. But she doesn't put in with the folksy hucksters of togetherness. She doesn't want her child to be overparented.

"I remember," she said, "how my father would sometimes say, 'Well, today we're going to spend some time together.' So we'd take a walk or something and we'd

both be glad when it was over.

"It's silly for parents and children to spend all their time together. Can you imagine anything duller than listening to the conversation of a 7-year-old all day? Or how dull he must find it to listen to his parents talk all day. Let each side have their own lives. They'll both be happier that way."

Joanne and husband Paul Newman plan to make their permanent home in New York City and come here only to make films.

"People are always telling me how great it is out here for children," she said. "Well, I was brought up in the South where we had a warm climate and large yards to play in, and I found I had little to do. There's plenty to do in New York."

"I especially don't want to bring up my children in an atmosphere where they're judged by the size of the car their parents drive.

"As for California being a healthier place for children, I'm not convinced."

The Newmans will be heading East as soon as he finishes "The Philadelphia Story." She has wound up her role in "The Sound and The Fury" and will sit out her pregnancy in New York while he's in the new Tennessee Williams play.

### Birth Rate Dip Noted

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS  
Oregon had fewer births in the first nine months of this year than in any such period since 1949.

The State Board of Health's vital statistics department said Friday only 26,997 babies were born between January and September, 3 per cent less than the total for the same months of 1958. During the same months the national birth rate declined 1.4 per cent.

Infant mortality dropped 3 per cent. This, along with the decreasing birth rate amounted to a 19.6 per cent jump in the infant death rate from 20.7 per live births in 1957 to 22.9 per thousand this year.

During the first eight months the infant mortality rate was up from 26.3 to 26.7.

Heart diseases caused only 4,120 deaths during the first nine months of 1958, compared with 4,322 last year. There was an increase of 7.7 per cent in early infancy diseases, which took 362 lives. Suicides went up 7.4 per cent to 139.

Deaths from work accidents fell from 107 last year to 99 in 1958. Automobile accidents claimed the same number, 340. Altogether, 815 deaths were attributed to accidents.

Tuberculosis claimed 41 lives, the same as in 1957. But only 437 cases of the disease were reported, compared to 451 in 1957.

### Charges Filed In Beat Case

RATON, N.M. (AP)—Murder charges have been filed in Raton against two men held in Idaho. They are to be brought to New Mexico for trial in the fatal beating of a 50-year-old Pennsylvanian.

The two, David R. Peterson, 26, Spokane, Wash., and Woodrow Hines, 32, Bowling Green, Ky., are held in Payette, Idaho, on their charges.

Dist. Atty. George Reynolds and Asst. Dist. Atty. John Hobbs filed the murder charges late Friday. They also had warrants issued for the men.

Peterson and Hines are to be returned to New Mexico for trial in April in the fatal beating of Peter DeSalle of Blairsville, Pa. His body, badly beaten on the head, was found near Springer, south of Raton on U.S. Highway 85, Thursday.

Hobbs said an autopsy showed DeSalle, a salesman who left his family in Pennsylvania while he came West looking for work, died of a fractured skull caused by repeated blows on the head. A blood-stained rock was found on a country road at the start of a trail made when DeSalle's body was dragged from a car into an open field.

### Former Showgirl Testifies Police Matrons Mauled Her

LOS ANGELES (UPI)—Defense testimony in the drunk and battery trial of former showgirl Gregg Sherwood ended Friday with the attractive blonde defendant telling the jury two jail matrons fondled her breasts while she was being booked last Aug. 26.

The 34-year-old wife of auto heir Horace Dodge II also testified the matrons dragged her to a cell, stood her against a wall and then "raised my skirt and removed my stockings, even though a policeman was standing there and witnessing it."

Miss Sherwood denied she shouted insults at officers Lawrence E. Brown and Kenneth Bernard when she and Chicago columnist Irv Kupcinet drove past their halted police car.

The officers said Miss Sherwood spat at them and called them "Napoleonic idiots" while they were questioning her in the car. The battery charges stemmed from the accusation she attacked the matrons and a policeman following her arrest.

When she was brought to city jail, Miss Sherwood said, "one of the officers told the matrons 'Here you are girls. I brought you a playmate.'"

Then, she testified, one of the matrons "did something behind my back that brought me to my knees on the floor. Then they grabbed hold of me and dragged me over to the booking desk by my hair."

"They searched me right after that," she said.

At this point defense counsel Rexford D. Eagan asked the defendant, "were your breasts fondled?"

"Yes," she answered.

Miss Sherwood told the jury of five men and seven women she refused to sign a receipt for her jewelry because one earring was missing. When she told officers she would not sign the receipt, she testified someone grabbed her by the hair and said, "if you want to get smart we can get smarter," and then dragged her to the detention cell.

"West Railroads Seek Fare Hike"

WASHINGTON (AP)—Several Western railroads, including the Southern Pacific, asked the Interstate Commerce Commission Friday for permission to increase coach fares 5 per cent.

The petition said there would be no increase in round-trip for military personnel on leave.

Present coach fares range from 2.7863 to 3.0318 cents a mile and round-trip fares are 180 per cent of the one-way fares.

### Talk Planned By Army Chief

PORTLAND (AP)—Secretary of the Army Wilbur Brucker will be the main speaker at the 25th annual convention of the Inland Empire Waterways Assn. convention here Dec. 11-12.

William A. Pear, Bonneville Power Administration chief, and Harold T. Nelson, Bureau of Reclamation regional director, also are slated to talk.

The revised report on the comprehensive development of the Columbia River basin will be presented at a joint meeting of the association and the Columbia Basin Inter-Agency Committee on the opening day.

### Trade Tour Nearina End

PORTLAND (AP)—Thirteen Japanese business men will continue a Portland visit Saturday before leaving for Vancouver, B.C., on the last leg of a trade tour of North American cities.

The chairman of the mission, Heitaro Inagaki, addressed the Portland Chamber of Commerce at a luncheon Friday.

He said Japan last year imported 1.2 billion dollars worth of U.S. goods and exported 600 million dollars worth of its own products to the United States.

Inagaki expressed belief that the American people want more and better Japanese goods.

PUBLIC RENT RATES UP—NEW YORK (UPI)—The City Housing Authority announced Friday that it will raise the rents of 86,000 families in public housing developments by \$1 to \$10 a month Jan. 1. Rising operating costs made the \$8,760,000-a-year rent boosts necessary, the authority said.

### Check Given To Treasurer

WASHINGTON (AP)—A multi-million dollar check, receipts for the third quarter of 1958 from the Portland, Ore., regional forest service headquarters, was handed to Secretary of Treasury Anderson Friday.

Secretary of Agriculture Benson presented the \$4,631,345.79 check, which included revenues from timber sales, grazing and other national forest sources.

The special cabinet level ceremony was set up because the check pushed the amount turned over to the treasury by the forest service in the past 53 years to one billion dollars.

Benson predicted the sum would reach two billion dollars in the next ten years "because the forest service is improving and managing these lands for a continuous yield of resources."

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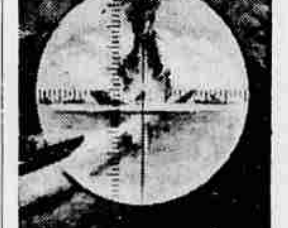
PORTLAND (AP)—A \$100,000 suit filed Friday in the Multnomah County Circuit Court charged Laurence David, Inc., fraudulently appropriated trade secrets for manufacturing wood plastic patch material.

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