

Canoe Club Disbands

BRONTO.—The Toronto Canoe Club for 59 years a byword in aquatic sports, will cease operations immediately, it was decided at the annual meeting here. Assets will be distributed among life members.

The club's board of Trustees recommended cessation of activities, pointing out that it had been operating at a loss for several years and that present conditions continued principal of the trust fund would be depleted. More than 200 members attended the meeting, which was presided over by a vote.

Members of the club, whose athletes were known in sport circles as the "Ringers," removes the city's canoe club. It started as a sailing club in 1880 and branched out into various lines of sport. Hockey, and sailing championships its way.

FRANCIS COVE CLUB

Mrs. Homer West was hostess of the Francis Cove home demonstration club at her home on Monday, the members arriving at 10 o'clock bringing with a covered dish. At noon a luncheon was served from the "covered dishes."

Miss Mary Margaret Smith, county agent, gave a demonstration on stains and their removal. She extended the members a cordial invitation to attend the clothing demonstration, which will be held in her office at 2 o'clock on Wednesday afternoon, the 26th.

Others taking part on the program were: Mrs. Gilbert Inman, Mrs. Wiley Franklin, Mrs. Will Boone, Mrs. Robert McCracken, and Mrs. Martin Deitz.

Seven members were present for the meeting, with Mrs. Horace Peeke, Mrs. Loise Franklin, Mrs. James Sisk, and Mrs. Gracie Peeke as special guests.

Following the meeting a recreational period was enjoyed. Announcement was made of the May meeting, which will be held at the church on May the 15th, at 2 o'clock.

Behind the Scenes in HOLLYWOOD

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HOLLYWOOD.—It's all over. The Academy awards are made but Hollywood is still talking about the party that went on until the early hours at the Biltmore Bowl.

It is talking most about the speech of Spencer Tracy who stole the evening as he has stolen so many pictures.

"I don't feel that I can accept the award for myself," said Tracy as he



Spencer Tracy faced the 1,200 people who filled the bowl to its last tier. "But I would like to accept it in the way which I am sure it was meant—for Father Flanagan, a man whose goodness, kindness and simplicity must have been great enough to shine even through me."

If Hollywood had any doubt that Spencer Tracy had given the finest performance in 1938 in "Boys Town," it certainly had no doubt that his modesty had scored the individual triumph of this year's Academy ball.

a coyote while wearing top hat and tails.

Lloyd C. Douglas was the longest-winded speaker, but he got off one of the sharpest cracks of the evening after announcing that "Pygmalion" had won the award for the best scenario.

"I never thought I'd live to see the day," he said, "when I'd be giving the award to the British consul to take to George Bernard Shaw."

The farewells of the Tarzan location troupe were interrupted at the railroad station for M-G-M to present young Johnny Sheffield with a bicycle. It seemed a funny time to do it, just as he was leaving for Florida, but the studio would have held up the train rather than let Johnny get away without accepting the bike.

The reason is one of those inside stories that make life in Hollywood so amusing.

When Johnny was being signed, his agent thought it would be a good publicity gag to insert a clause in the contract that the boy star must receive a bicycle in addition to his salary. The incident was forgotten by the studio until the legal department suddenly discovered that the whole contract could be broken unless this gag clause was carried out. No boy ever got a bicycle faster.

Hollywood can forget these persistent rumors that Selznick, even at this late date, will change his Scarlett O'Hara. We queried him about it at the Academy ball.

"Not a chance!" he exclaimed. "When you come to the ball next year, you'll probably see Vivien Leigh getting a statue."

Judith Allen is going to make a series of cow-girl pictures. Hollywood can't wait to see her on a trotting horse.



Judith Allen That was Harvey Priestner with Ann Rutherford at Ruby Foo's. . . . Air-minded Robert Cummings has had a reservation in for four months to be a passenger on the first clipper flight across the Atlantic. . . . That ribbing review in a national weekly must have helped Russell Birdwell's book, "I Ring Doorbells." It's gone into a second printing.

LEGEND OF THE DOGWOOD

"At the time of the crucifixion the dogwood was the size of the oak, and other forest trees. So firm and strong was the tree that it was chosen as the timber for the cross.

"To be used thus for such a cruel purpose greatly distressed the trees, and Jesus, nailed upon it, sensed this and in His gentle pity for all sorrow and suffering, said to it:

"Because of your regret and pity for my suffering, never again shall the dogwood trees grow large enough to be used as a cross. Henceforth it shall be slender and bent and twisted and its blossoms shall be in the form of a cross—two long and two short petals. And in the center of the outer edge of each petal there will be nail

Bette Davis, winner for her "Jezebel," chose to share credit with Director William Wyler. Escorted to the party by her cousin, Bette wore a plain evening gown set off by birds of paradise feathers at the neckline. "They tickle terribly," she confessed.

Bette didn't wear a single jewel. "And for a good reason," she said. "I don't own any. They'll have to come later."

Shirley Temple was so excited she forgot part of her lines in awarding a prize to Walt Disney. But downstairs for the newsreels, she did the same speech perfectly. Harry Warner, on the other hand, blew up three times before the cameras as James Roosevelt presented him with the award for applied Americanism. Roosevelt was calm both downstairs and later while awarding the prize for the best picture of the year, but his father still has the best voice in the family.

Funniest aftermath of the ball was the experience of James Cagney. The Cagneys had decided to sleep that night at their partially completed home in Coldwater canyon. As they were driving in, they heard a noise in the back. Cagney went snooping with a gun and surprised a coyote making a kill on one of the star's sheep. Cagney shot it through the head—the first actor in Hollywood history to kill

Buildings Sing, Speak

The French writer Valery has one character ask another, in one of his books, if he has not noticed "in walking about the city that among the buildings with which it is peopled certain are mute, others 'speak' and others—and they are most rare—sing?"

prints brown with rust, and stained with red, and in the center of the flower will be a crown as of thorns. And all who see it will remember."

Ickes Orders Fees Charged In All Parks

Nation's Memorials And Shrines Put On Pay-As-You-Go Basis To Aid U. S.

From now on the Nation's shrines and memorials will go on a pay-as-you-see basis, according to Secretary of Interior Ickes, who set up new visiting fees and boosted old ones to reduce the cost of government.

It will cost one dime to visit the Ford Theater, in Washington, D. C., where Lincoln was shot, and the house across the street, where the President died.

Lee Mansion a Dime

The Lee Mansion in Arlington Cemetery will cost 10 cents per visitor. Washington's Birthplace at Wakefield, Va., cost 25 cents.

Shenandoah National Park will charge \$1 per season per auto or 25 cents per visitor per auto, with similar fees for trailers; Fort McHenry, Baltimore, 10 cents; museums at Fredericksburg, Spotsylvania, and Petersburg, Va., 10 cents.

A 25-cent ticket pays for a tour of the Moore House, Yorktown Museum and Jamestown Island Museum in Colonial National Historical Park, Virginia.

Use of the elevator in the Statue of Liberty will cost a dime.

Children Free

These fees apply only to adults. Children will be free and members of certain types of organizations will receive lower rates.

"The national parks do their share to reduce the cost of government," said Ickes. "Although few of them can be fully self-supporting, and it was not the purpose of Congress that they be so. . . . It is believed that those who actually visit the national parks and monuments should make small contributions for services those visitors receive which are not received by citizens who do not visit the parks, but who contribute to the support of these parks."

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