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DEAN WILL TALK HERE THURSDAY

Wayman L. Dean, trustee of the National Association of Life Underwriters, will visit here this week for an important conference with local underwriters Thursday, it was announced yesterday.

Mr. Dean will meet with the directors of the Life Underwriters Association at 11 a. m. at the Cape Fear club. At 1 p. m., Association members will attend a luncheon at St. John's Tavern at which he will speak.

Keen interest has been aroused due to Mr. Dean's prominence in national life insurance affairs, it was said.

He entered the life insurance business 22 years ago with the Life and Casualty Insurance company and has been manager of the Jacksonville, Fla., district since 1936. He has an equally commendable record as a member of the Life Underwriters association for 19 years, it was reported.

The district which Mr. Dean supervises has shown increases each week since August 11, 1940, giving him the honor of having the longest continuous record of increase of any manager of his company.

Mr. Dean served the Jacksonville, Fla., association as President in 1941-42, during which time the association increased its membership 57 per cent. He has also served as vice-president and chairman of the Membership committee in the Florida association. In the National association he has served for two years on the Membership committee and also on the Committee on Integration of Agents into the N. A. L. U. and was chairman of the Credentials committee last year. He has recently been appointed chairman of the Publications committee.

Secretary and Treasurer of the

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agency directors conference of Jacksonville, Mr. Dean is also a member of the Jacksonville Chamber of Commerce, vice-president and director of Duval County Legal Aid association, division leader of the Community Chest and a member of the Selective Service system.

Byrnes May Reconsider Decision To Quit Post

WASHINGTON, March 10.—(AP)—War Mobilizer James F. Byrnes may reconsider his decision to quit when the European war ends, stay on the job until the Senate acts on the projected world security organization, friends said today.

Byrnes tried to resign several months ago. When President Roosevelt persuaded him to stay on, he announced he would remain in office until after the German military collapse. He said he wants to enter private law practice, his profession before he became a member of the House, the Senate and the Supreme Court.

SENTENCED

LOS ANGELES, March 10.—(AP)—Accused of marrying four men in as many states for the purpose of receiving their military allotments, Irish Henderson, 21, was sentenced in Federal court today to six months in jail and placed on two years probation.

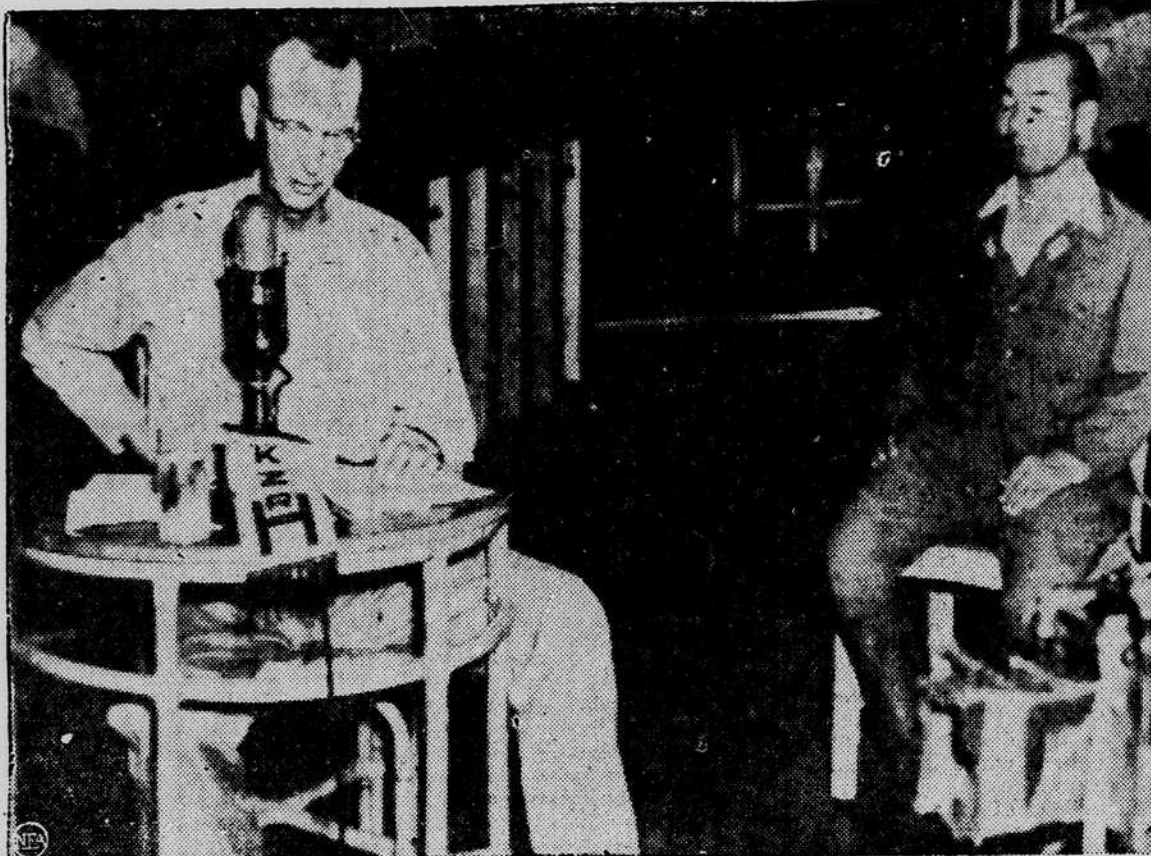
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Sorrowful Moment For General Wainwright



Lt. Gen. Jonathan Wainwright is shown as he broadcasted the surrender order to United States troops in the Philippines from radio station KZRH in Manila in 1942. The Jap guard at the right is not identified. This photo was captured from the Japs by American forces and released by the U. S. Army.



THE HITCHHIKING DOG

C. B. Morgan of Pas, Canada, has one of the most talented of the many hitchhiking dogs which have broken into print during the past few years. The dog's name is "Mike," a Spaniel.

When Mike was a puppy he started teaching himself to travel from place to place with the least amount of effort. When he wanted to go to some specified destination, he would trot to the nearest corner where there was a traffic light. There, on the stop signal, he would hop on the running board of some car and ride as far as he chose. Then he would continue his trip from the next traffic corner.

Soon Mike's hitchhiking took an aquatic turn and he learned to board river steamers as they cast off from their docks and to disembark at some distant stop, then return home by the same means.

The next step in his career was a study of railroad trains. He would board one of these at the local station, make friends with the train crew and ride as far as he cared to. Jumping off at some way station, he took the next train back home.

There are hundreds of hitchhiking dogs. Why they decide on such a career and, often, how they pursue it is one of the thousands of canine mysteries.

THE PRICE OF PUPPIES

When you make up your mind to buy a puppy, the price asked by a reliable breeder may stagger you. However, there is something to remember before stamping the breeder as a "crook." It is this: There is more risk in raising dogs than in trading in margins on Wall Street. Sometimes a big

litter will be born and all its members will live and thrive. Again, just as large a litter may be born and every puppy in it will die during infancy. In the latter case, the breeder must pay for the dam's food and for her care for a whole year and often must pay a large stud fee, and get back not one penny of his investment.

Add to this the feeding cost and the occasional veterinarian fee for such pups as live, and you will understand that the breeder is not a crook at all. The pups he sells must pay the "overhead" on those which die and on the upkeep of his whole kennel. Unless the breeder is raising dogs just for the fun of it, he must ask and receive a good price for his pups if he is running his kennel as either you or I would run a business.

ELBOWS AND AGE

If you are at a loss to figure out a dog's age, there are one or two signs to guide you. One of them is the condition of his mouth. There is an old saying, "A dog is as old as his teeth," yet I have known youngish dogs with worn or decayed or missing teeth and old dogs whose teeth are white and strong and perfect. So the condition of a dog's teeth is not really a reliable index to his age. However, here is one for making a shrewd guess at it:

Study the elbows. Many years of lying down and getting up will leave their traces on the patch of gristle which marks canine elbows. The older the dog, the larger and lumpier and more pronounced is this patch of elbow skin.

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Everglades. At an extravagant cost a considerable number of these dogs were imported from Cuba for the task.

For some reason the dogs could not be induced to pursue the Indians and this method of carrying on the war was abandoned. All sorts of theories were advanced for the dogs' failure. Some said it was the swampy ground, others that the Indians had an odor different from the people the dogs had been trained to track. Regardless of the reason the experiment failed, bringing ridicule and censure on President Van Buren and General Taylor, the army officer who had so strongly advocated the use of the dogs. These dogs were the first war dogs ever employed by a United States Army.

USE POINTS FOR STEW BEEF

In spite of rationing and the high point value of meat some dog owners are buying meat for their dogs. Stew beef is the best type of meat for a dog. Finely ground hamburger tends to pass too quickly through the intestines and often has a tendency to ferment there. While no particular harm will be caused by feeding a dog hamburger, stew beef not only contains less fat but is actually better for the animal.

THE QUESTION BOX

Question: What can I do to rid a seven-month-old puppy of lice? He has a lot of them.

Answer: Brush the dog daily with a brush that has been dipped in napha or aniseed oil. Regular canine lice powders also recommended.

Question: My son is bathing our new puppy, a three-month-old Collie, once a week. Not only does this mess up our bathroom but I am wondering if it is good to bathe the dog so often?

Answer: Not only is there great danger of your dog catching cold, but it is harmful to his coat to be bathed so often. Have your son brush the pup once each day with a good stiff brush. That will keep him clean and be helpful to his coat.

Grew Hints Liberation Of Austria May Be Near

Washington, March 10.—(AP)—Acting Secretary of State Grew hinted today that the beginning of the liberation of Austria may be very near. He issued an appeal for the people of that Nazi-conquered country to join in the campaign for their own freedom.

The appeal was in a statement which Grew issued on the anniversary of the beginning of Hitler's "conquest of Europe" with the invasion of Austria on March 11, 1938.

Grew cited the big three declaration at Moscow in November 1943 in which Austria was told that she had a responsibility to join in the fight against Hitler's Germany and "that in the final settlement account will inevitably be taken of her own contribution to her liberation."

EASTER SERVICES PLANNED AT BEACH

The appointment of committees to arrange the third annual Easter Sunrise service to be held on the Northern extension boardwalk at Carolina Beach, under the sponsorship of resort churches, was announced yesterday.

Committee are: Program, the Rev. James McQuere, Miss Ruth Wright, Mrs. Lingle, Mrs. Cole, Mrs. Hem, and the Rev. Paul Carruth; publicity, Mr. Longworth, Junior, Craig, Mrs. J. P. Yarborough, and Mrs. Blackburn; arrangement, Mr. Russell, Mr. Longworth, Mrs. Flaugher, Mrs. Johnson, and Mr. Laramore; finance, J. P. Yarborough, the Rev. Mr. Ludlum, and Mrs. Wilford.

The service will be sponsored by the Carolina Beach Baptist church, All Saints Episcopal, Carolina Beach Methodist, Carolina Beach Presbyterian, Carolina Beach Community, Kure Beach Community, and Kure Beach Sunday school. A second meeting of the General committee will be held at 7:30 p. m. Friday, March 16, at the Carolina Beach Baptist church.

Lane Sees Financially Self-Sufficient South

COLUMBIA, S. C., March 10.—(AP)—A financially self-sufficient south capable of molding its industrial future in the postwar period was foreseen today by Mills B. Lane of Savannah, Ga., 84-year-old dean of southern bankers.

Lane, chairman of the Citizens Southern National Bank said in an

interview that banking institutions in the south could finance postwar industrialization without calling upon northern capital. "Fifty years ago," Lane said, "it was natural for men who sought bank credit in large amounts to finance the limited industrial plants of the south to look to New York banks for such accommodation. Today the picture is entirely changed. The south stands on the threshold of the greatest expansion in its history."

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