

THREE FILMS RELEASED

Three new films, telling the story of individuals who overcome their personal problems through a Christian experience, have been released by the Protestant Film Commission. The titles are "The Birthday Party," "A Job for Bob," and "What Happened to Jojo". The films run 30 minutes each and cost \$30,000 to produce.

DR. KEEGAN ELECTED

Dr. G. Kearnie Keegan, Southern Baptist youth leader for many years and present pastor of the Temple Baptist Church, Los Angeles, has been elected secretary of the Student Department of the Sunday School Board. He has accepted and will start his new work on May 1.

There are six tabloid newspapers in Montreal.

CONVICTED AS KIDNAPERS FOR REDS

ACCUSED OF KIDNAPING Rumanian-born Oswald Eder for a Russian-sponsored abduction ring, Cpl. Paul Abel (left), of Bolivar, Mo., and Sgt. John T. Frankey (right) of Madison, Wis., listen to their counsel, Maj. R. C. Rattledge, during their trial in Salzburg, Austria. Convicted, Abel received 20 years in prison and Frankey, 15 years. (International)

Advent of Smaller Cars With Lower Price Tags Has The Automobile Industry Buzzing With Rumors

DETROIT—Automotive circles are buzzing with talk about smaller cars.

Along with automatic transmissions and higher compression engines the smaller cars are among the hottest subjects of postwar developments in the car industry.

Probably the interest in the smaller vehicles stems from the hope they will carry lower price tags. But there's a lot more to the advent of smaller cars than the matter of prices.

At present it appears only some of the so-called independent auto companies will have cars of the 100-inch wheelbase class this year. In effect they will be trying to do something the "big three" of General Motors, Ford and Chrysler decided not to attempt earlier in the postwar period.

Nash Motors will be first out with its low-price model. It has scheduled introduction of the Rambler model for mid-April Kaiser-Frazer's as yet unnamed smaller vehicle is scheduled for the assembly lines in June. Rumor has it that another company is doing experimental work on a smaller car, but it cannot be readied for production this year.

Nash yesterday began a series of showings of its Rambler models for dealers and industry writers. Specifications still are withheld, as are prices, but industry chroniclers who have seen the Rambler are enthusiastic about its styling and its performance.

In both these respects it matches Nash's other models. The only apparent difference is that its wheelbase is a little shorter. Behind the wheel you forget that.

The industry at large naturally will watch the reception accorded the Rambler. It will attempt to determine from the public reaction whether General Motors and Ford were wrong when they abandoned smaller car plans some four years ago.

George W. Mason, Nash-Kelvinator president and chairman, believes there is a substantial market for the new model. Many industry chroniclers, heretofore skeptical about that, agree with him after seeing and driving the Rambler.

The car industry last week built 128,591 cars and trucks. This compares with 128,051 units built in the preceding week.

Mail Order Bride Seeking Alimony

NEWTON, March 27—An order of attachment of the property of Irvin Spencer of Newton who recently advertised for a wife—and got one—has been brought by his bride of a few weeks, Ellen Green Spencer of Marion who has already left him.

The order was signed by L. D. Martin, clerk of McDowell County Superior Court and forwarded to the office of P. W. Deaton, clerk of Catawba County Superior Court to be served on Spencer.

This action, in which alimony without divorce is sought, will be heard in Superior Court.

WILKES POMONA GRANGE MEETING

The Wilkes Pomona Grange will meet Saturday night, April 1, 7:30, at the Boomer school building. All Grange members from Little Mountain, Reddies River, Ferguson and Boomer Granges are urged to be present for the meeting. A number of important business matters will be discussed and many other items of Grange interest. A good attendance is expected.

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Better Soldiers Being Developed

Better soldiers make better citizens—and to make better soldiers is the sole purpose of the Army's character guidance program, M-Sgt. Arthur F. Eiserman declared today.

Born 18 months ago, character guidance has grown by leaps and bounds since first inaugurated by the Army and introduced in military installations around the world.

"Broad in its application and positive in its approach, the program embraces all the activities of the soldier," he said. Whether at work or at play today's soldier is always under the healthy influence of character guidance.

Comparing civilian and military life the local recruiting officer explained that, "like the good citizen's sense of civic pride and community spirit, pride in performance of duty and the spirit of service to his country are the attributes of a good soldier. To develop his keen sense of moral responsibility and self-discipline is the program's chief objective."

"No, is character guidance a hit-or-miss proposition," he added "all of Army's top technical assistance has been gathered to support the program. Whereas the local minister, physician, teacher, editor and police set the pattern of living for the civilian in the Army a comparable group of staff officers; such as the chaplain, surgeon, information and education officer, public information officer and provost marshal, known as the character guidance council, decide the policy for the program."

Sergeant Eiserman pointed out that in the same manner that local custom and lore determine the citizen's behavior, so it is with the soldier. Character guidance is not solely a program planned at a higher level and executed by subordinate commanders, instead it is a dynamic and up-to-date program which seeks to deal with local problems as well as those of universal nature.

"Better soldiers make better citizens and if present trends are indicative then character guidance can be counted on to supply a constant stream of responsible and competent leaders for our communities and nation," Sergeant Eiserman concluded.

The American Legion has launched a national "Go to Church" movement, starting April 16.



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