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## We've Missed The Point

Some question has again been raised as to the confusion over the Dunn recreation program, but those who raised the question seem to have missed the point again. Under consideration is the advisability of having a Dunn Recreation Commission and a Chamber of Commerce committee on recreation. It has been said, "Oh, it doesn't matter who spends the money so long as it is spent wisely." But that isn't quite true.

When the Commissioners of Dunn established the Recreation Commission and authorized them to operate, there was absolutely no assurance that the tax payers would shell out a special sum for the program. Yet, the ordinance which established the commission provided that the members, and they alone, would carry out the program.

Nor did the Council provide that the Commission should add to their numbers or join hands with anyone else in carrying out the program. It all boils down to a matter of legal right and not personal feelings or opinions.

Dunn's tax payers didn't go to the polls and vote against spending tax money — nor did they vote against recreation. They voted against a tax increase. In fact, had the vote specified that no increase in tax would be made necessary by the vote — or that funds would be used only when available without an increase in taxes, there is little doubt but that the vote would have been positive.

Now as to legal rights — the ordinance which created the Recreation Commission of Dunn specifies that they shall spend money only through the City budget. Under no condition does it give the Commission right to become part of another group to design a program, but says that they alone shall carry out the recreation activities for Dunn.

The entire argument is more than "silly bickering." It is another case of side-stepping a City ordinance which should be enforced. If the Commission doesn't want to face the problem of carrying out the program, it should resign and let a group take over that will operate.

The Commission is supposed to be a permanent organization with officers staggered so as to always have members. The Chamber of Commerce committee expires each year. From this point alone, the argument of authority would lead one to believe that the Commission is the group to institute the program.

In designating the Recreation Commission as the legal group, no one would detract from the glory of the Chamber of Commerce. The group has done an excellent job over a period of years. But the time has come when the Committee should give way to a more powerful unit of government — a Commission.

It isn't a matter of bickering, or arguing, but simply a matter of parliamentary organization which cannot well be disregarded by those who know the contents of the City ordinance establishing the Commission.

True, there has been some confusion — but the confused are those seeking a two-headed recreation program without legal right to do so.

## "Fair, Fat, Female, Forty" Rule Is Out

NEW YORK (AP) — The medical profession moved today to give up a favorite rule—"fair, fat, female, forty."

That has been the classical medical description of the typical patient with gall stones. Two specialists told their fellow practitioners to forget it before it causes them to "miss" a diagnosis.

Meanwhile an authoritative medical study compared the weight of gall stones "carried" around by Americans with the weight of the national debt. It predicted the "burden" would increase.

Dr. George D. J. Griffin and Lucian A. Smith of the Mayo Clinic, Rochester, Minn., reported that in 240 gallstone patients, almost one-third were under 40 and as many were between 25 and 30 as between 41 and 45.

But of the 240, only 35 were males and the doctors, writing in the Journal of the American Medical Association, said "The influence of the sex of the patient is undeniable."

Their effort was to figure out the ratio of gall bladder disease among the adolescents and young adults "in a community the size of Rochester"—thus, Mayo patients from elsewhere were excluded.

They found that 33 per cent of the 240 were 20 years old or less; 23 per cent were 21 to 25 and 3.2 per cent, between 26 and 30. Their conclusion for the medical profession was: "It is suggested that the dictum 'fair, fat, female of forty' is a concept of the typical patient who has disease of the gall bladder be abandoned."

The medical study was made for "Spectrum," published by the medical profession by Charles Pfizer and Company. It said gall stones had been found even in unborn babies, but they are "rare" under twenty. As many as 14,000 stones have been found in a single gall bladder.

The stones are formed by crystallization of components of bile "due to over-concentration of one element or to a disruption of the ratio between bile acids and cholesterol."

To prove by "two witnesses to the same overt-act" is rarely possible because the nature of this penetration is so complex and is directed by a vast international power that can order men from country to country, cause them to disappear as though they were dead, provide them with coverage or kill them as may be necessary. Corroborative witnesses thus become difficult to obtain. In the Alger case, this was a primary aim and finally a typewriter became a witness against a man.

## These Days By Sokolsky

Senator Alexander Wiley makes a point that should be obvious to all but is overlooked because historic charges are difficult to note at the time that they occur. He says:

"Let us first note that Soviet Russia has demonstrated that techniques of internal destruction are integral parts of its foreign policy. The U. S. S. R. has, in effect, revolutionized the entire intelligence and related fields in international relations. It has placed espionage on an assembly-line basis, graduating hundreds and thousands of agents, expertly trained as cadres in the interrelated skills of agitation, insurrection, espionage, sabotage, and subversion in countries throughout the world."

This has never occurred before in any country. Espionage used to be an art devoted to the single purpose of obtaining military secrets and policy plans. To "agitation, insurrection, espionage, sabotage and subversion" should be added infiltration, which is the strongest weapon because it places directly inside a government agents of another government. The very existence of such a weapon has a demoralizing effect since literally everyone becomes suspicious of everyone else. The fact that there could be even one Alger Hiss, one Harry Dexter White, one William Remington lays all employees of government open to the prospect of screenings, investigations, clearances, etc. It is a demoralizing condition.

In a report prepared by the Committee on Foreign Relations with the assistance of the Library of Congress, dealing with the "Adequacy of United States Laws with Respect to Offenses Against National Security," from which the above quotation from Senator Wiley was taken, this idea is emphasized that while only a fraction of one percent of those engaged in the British-American-Canadian atomic energy program were in a position to give Soviet Russia any vital information, the Russians got the information:

"But, the Soviet network penetrated that, in fraction of 1 percent and achieved the remarkable feat of stealing crucial secrets through Klaus Fuchs, Bruno Binstock, Alan Turing, Mary and David Greenglass—all of whom possessed the vivacity of relatively rare requisites to secure valuable information about our atomic program."

When, therefore, it is suggested that all the investigations led to nothing because they usually only turn up small men, the answer must be that who could have been more obscure than Julius Rosenberg or his brother-in-law, David Greenglass? Nevertheless, Rosenberg fabricated two of the most secret items in the world, Los Alamos and Fort Monmouth, he arranged to place his cells in both organizations he secured cover for his agents, got the stuff out; and prevented his agents from being caught. It was hoped that the Fort Monmouth investigation would produce the techniques of Rosenberg's operations. Congressional investigations may be a last opportunity to discover how an obscure personality like Julius Rosenberg could do so magnificent a job for his principals.

The Commission in the current situation, really protects traitors and it may one day be necessary to amend the Constitution to safeguard this country against the law weapons that the Soviet Universal State uses against us. This is the Constitutional definition of treason:

"Treason against the United States shall consist only in levying war against them, or in adhering to their enemies, giving them aid and comfort. No person shall be convicted of treason unless on the testimony of two witnesses to the same overt act, or confession in open court."

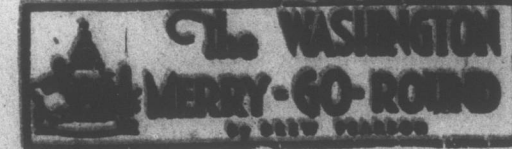
Neither Congress nor the courts may enlarge on this definition. That is why most traitors are convicted of perjury or not convicted at all. It is growing increasingly difficult to prove that a person is adhering to our enemies and if faced by the question, he need only take a plea under the Fifth Amendment and he is safe.

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Not all problems can be solved swiftly, by the use of the writ. This one requires thorough study. At the moment, it is the Alger case, it is a later date of Alger's confession.



"It will take a bit of time but I'm sure we can cure your shyness..."



WASHINGTON — Those who participated in the McCarthy-Cohn call upon elder statesman Bernard Baruch aren't talking about what happened, and are likely to issue denials. However, what Senator McCarthy did was to apply the first thinly veiled anti-Semitic pressure this country has seen—the same pressure that Hitler's Brown Shirts applied before he got into power.

Senator McCarthy went to call on the distinguished 83-year-old adviser to presidents at the Drake Hotel in New York. Baruch had been spending most of the winter at his farm in South Carolina and had not opened his New York apartment. With McCarthy went Roy Cohn and George Sokolsky, who arranged for the interview.

According to Baruch's friends the reason for McCarthy's visit was to apologize for slurs he had cast on the City College of New York. Baruch's Alma Mater, which McCarthy implied, specialized in graduating Communists.

The real reason for the visit, however, appeared to be to persuade Baruch, as an elder statesman, to use his influence with the National Broadcasting Company and Columbia Broadcasting System to give McCarthy time to answer Adlai Stevenson. Furthermore, McCarthy wanted Baruch to use religious pressure.

Friends of Baruch say that during McCarthy's call, the Senator made the point that he was "certainly not anti-Semitic," as evidenced by the fact that his chief counsel, Cohn, was Jewish, together with his ex-staff member, David Schine. But he pointed out that some of his followers might be anti-Semitic, and it might be difficult to restrain them from criticizing the two big networks, whose executives are Jewish, for refusing Tim time.

Chairman of CBS is William Paley. Head of NBC, through the radio Corporation of America, is David Sarnoff. Both are distinguished Americans who have made generous contributions to their country in war and peace, and both are of the Jewish faith.

McCarthy's veiled threat was discreetly, politely put, but was nonetheless unmistakable. Baruch made no comment and no commitments. Shortly after the interview he went back to South Carolina and has not been available for comment since.

It was purposely omitted from the official findings, but the Senate Elections Subcommittee, stumbled across a juicy Republican scandal in its search for Democratic

scandals in New Mexico. What happened was that Republicans tried to gorge \$100,000 from GOP candidate Patrick J. Hurley. In brief, they tried to sell the GOP nomination as senator from New Mexico for \$100,000 cash on the line.

Though the investigators were under orders to dig up dirt against Democratic Sen. Dennis Chavez, they filed one confidential report that was considerably more embarrassing to the Republicans. It never saw the light of day. Here are pertinent extracts from the suppressed report.

"As far back as November 21, 1951," the report states, "(Pat) Hurley was approached by Harry Robins, Republican chairman of the State Central Committee, Governor Edwin Mechem and Fred Moxey, tax commissioner, and perhaps others, in a meeting at the LaFonda Hotel, Room 128, Santa Fe, New Mexico in regard to certain monetary advances from the contestant (Hurley)."

The report then quotes Hurley's own signed affidavit, given to Senate investigators:

"Fred Moxey broke in abruptly and stated that they desired a pledge from me to pay \$100,000 in return for which I would get the endorsement of the administration for the Republican nomination for United States Senator. Hurley swore in his affidavit, 'Mr. Moxey said that \$50,000 of the amount should be paid immediately and another \$50,000 after I had received the nomination. He stated also that he thought the nomination should be given to me because of the circumstances, which he described would assure election, as the Republican Party would support me throughout the campaign until elected.'"

HURLEY SAYS NO  
Hurley indignantly rejected the proposal on the grounds that he would be violating every corrupt practice law of both the State of New Mexico and the United States and also "would be guilty of such illegal conduct that would bar him from being seated in the United States Senate, if elected."

"As a result the GOP machine opposed Hurley in the pre-primary convention and later in the primary, though Hurley won both contests hands down.

## The + Walter Winchell + WORRY + IN NEW YORK + CLINIC +

By Dr. George W. Crane

Who is to blame for Beth's tragic home life? Don't say it is just her Dad! A lot of you parents would be shocked if you took a secret poll of your own children concerning your parental habits. Here in Chicago we have twice as many lavers as churches! Which one caused Beth's unhappiness?

By Dr. George W. Crane  
Case J-391: Beth G., aged 14, is a very bright high schooler.

"Dr. Crane, I have a serious problem," she began, "miserably and I hope you can help me. 'It's my Daddy. He is a wonderful man, most of the time. But he likes to drink. And then he gets so drunk he doesn't know what he is doing. Last week he beat my mother till she was black and blue. Then he turned on me and struck me in the eye."

"He also called me vile names that were not true, and said I was immoral with boys and other bad things like that."

"But when he is sober, he is a wonderful Daddy. So how can I help him leave alcohol alone?"

WHY MEN DRINK  
Men start drinking for various reasons. Often in the teens they do it because our youth have been led to think it is a sign of a man to swill down liquor.

Others begin in college where fraternities nowadays are notorious for encouraging drinking to prove that the members are "real men."

Modern high-pressure advertising has also stampeded many supposedly intelligent women into serving alcoholic drinks to "keep up with the Joneses" and appear socially sophisticated.

Some European national groups have been accustomed to beer or wine as a table beverage, and hence still use it after they migrate to modern America.

Regardless of how one starts the liquor habit, it is a very dangerous thing, for each drink reduces one's judgment and reaction time.

Coffee and tea, orange juice and milk, soda pop and similar American beverages do NOT reduce one's mental alertness.

EVIL JOHN  
John Hurley is thus a very evil influence, not only on our high speed automobile highways, but in American homes, as Beth's case so tragically illustrates.

For an unhappy person will drink to fog his intelligence until he can forget his intelligence is being fogged. As his intelligence is befogged, he becomes temporarily feeble-minded and soon is a moron.

That's when Beth's father attacked her mother and struck Beth in the eye. That's when he accused his innocent daughter of immorality.

Moreover, a drunkard's IQ is reduced to the moron level, you forget the products of your education, including mathematics, chemical formulas and ethics.

So a drunkard will commit crimes and act as stupidly as a child in kindergarten.

Many sober folks laugh at the silly antics of the drunkards, but the situation is no laughing matter.

For every inebriate represents a human personality that has been temporarily reduced to the level of a hog or wolf or other selfish brute.

CURE FOR LIQUOR  
The cure is varied. Prophylaxis is best, which means never take the first drink. That's being stressed by the Alcoholics Anonymous organization.

## WHY I COULD NEVER BE A COMMUNIST!

The most attractive contest in years (1st Prize a \$7000 Cadillac Eldorado Convertible) brought the Runyon Cancer Fund \$45,000 in dollar bills with each entry in the first 10 days.

Everyone in Continental United States is eligible, except persons connected with the Runyon Committee, The Donnelly Corp. (handling the entries) and the ABC network. Contestants are invited to submit a letter (no limit on number of entries) on: "Why I Could Never Be A Communist!" Under 50 words, please... Shorter the better... Address entries to: Winchell, Box 80, N. Y. zone 36... Please enclose \$1 with each letter for the Runyon Cancer Fund... The contest closes midnight May 3rd, 1954... The winner of the Caddy will be announced Sunday night May 16th by this newscaster... Weekly winners will be named in the N. Y. Mirror Mondays.

The first three winners are Mrs. Gertrude M. Prescott, R. D. 2 - Madison, Lake County, Ohio; Master Sgt. Irving H. Miller, U. S. Marine, 24 Hinkley Ave., Stamford, Conn. All 3 will be candidates for the Caddy, Marie Barracks, Washington, D. C. and Charles E. in the finals (May 16th) for the top prize, the \$7,000 Caddy.

Attractive Mrs. Prescott (58), mother of 3 married daughters, is a high school teacher. She is also a drama coach... Her prize is a week's holiday in New York City (Hotel Astor plus down front on the aisle seats for two) at the big leading Broadway hits. Courtesy of ticket broker George Solofraio, a long-time Runyon Fund donor... The two runners-up will receive attractive prizes.

Mrs. Prescott's winning entry (for the 1st week): "I could never be a Communist because Communism enslaves men's minds, distorts truth, makes a mockery of religion, justice and trial by jury, and is pledged to overthrow — by force and violence — my country's government."

Besides the handsome \$7000 Eldorado Caddy convertible (1st Prize) we will award the 2nd Prize winner with a \$3,750 Kaiser-Willys Darrin, a beautiful sports car — all white — red seats and doors that slide open. Real snazzy... The 1st and 2nd prizes (the cars) will be announced May 16th... The \$7000 Caddy, by the way, was a gift to the Runyon Fund (plus \$35,000 bid in a Chinese Auction) at the Gulfstream Polo Hall held at the Boca Raton Club (Fla.) recently... Spelman Prentice (a grandson of John D. Rockefeller) made the top bid and then gave us the car, too. "To do with as Winchell sees fit" That's when we dreamed up the new Runyon Fund contest and the theme: "Why I Could Never Be A Communist!"

Know what a Chinese Auction is? Usually held for worthy causes... If you make the first bid (of let's say \$1,000) you donate \$2,000... When the best bidder says: "I'll make it \$3,000!" he gives \$2,000 and so on... Mr. Prentice (owner of Palm Beach's swanky La Couille Club) closed the bidding when it reached something like \$26,000 and said: "Let's make it \$35,000 and go home — it's 3 o'clock in the morning!" So he donated \$6,000... He also invites the winner to come to Palm Beach... To drive the Caddy back home — and spend a week's holiday at his club-hotel.

Mr. Curtee (Mr. Big of General Motors) says: "That car will be 10 weeks older when the contest closes. We'll get the winner a brand new one" Eastern Airlines and TWA will fly winners to both coasts (of to Florida) as part of the loot... Thanks to Capt. Edward Rickenbacker (of Eastern) and Howard Hughes of TWA... J. Myer Schine's contributions include a week's holiday at his Hotel Ambassador (Los Angeles) and The Roney-Pleasant (Miami Beach)... In Hollywood the winner will dine with movie stars at the MGM and 20th Century-Fox studios... Gruen (my sponsor) is giving its costliest watch, Value 1500... Book magazine's gift will be the best camera its staffers use. A new one, of course.



Wife is Weary of Mother-in-Law's Status in Her Home Life  
DEAR MARY HAWORTH: I have no one to confide my troubles in. I hope that I may get either a good soldier or sound advice from an impartial person like yourself. After three years of marriage, I am about ready to walk out, and give it all up as a lost cause.

When a man and his mother tacitly conspire to produce and perpetuate a domestic triangle such as you describe, usually the situation isn't subject to remedy. In general it is futile for the wife thus afflicted to campaign for justice. In the three-way relationship, in most such cases a happy solution is never forthcoming. Either the wife bows out of the picture eventually, to return the blow figuratively to her husband's womb, from which he was never delivered psychologically, or she stays, a broken, bitter, degraded in a foul neurotic compromise.

The essential trouble is, the man as a weakling in the grasp of his sentimental mother and she, in turn, is a slave of his ill-fated feelings that compulsively drive her to cling to him leechlike. Moreover, the would-be wife who blunders into this hopeless logic usually brings a problem history with her. She is the suffering masochist type, called by Dr. Edmund Bergler "the feminine collector," who craves too much attention and unconsciously avoids avenues to growth and happiness.

DEAR WOMAN  
I feel more like an addition to his family than a unit by ourselves. Please help me.  
D.S.  
THE OUTLOOK  
IEN'S STORY

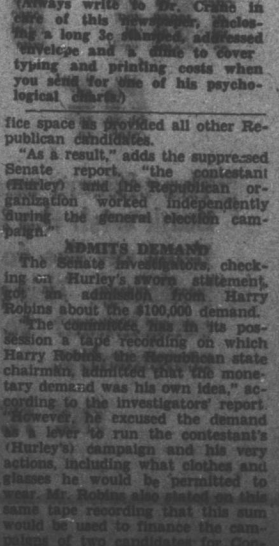
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When Mr. Robins was interviewed, he related that the money referred to was not to be placed in a bank to hold the contestant in line. However, he was vague when questioned, what possible stipulation for such a loan agreement had he had in mind, as to how the fee on the loan side, it was just a plain case of jealousy? Or have I the right to demand my place as his wife, without seeming selfish? I feel more like an addition to his family than a unit by ourselves. Please help me.  
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## CUTIES



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