

### Enrollment In College Decline

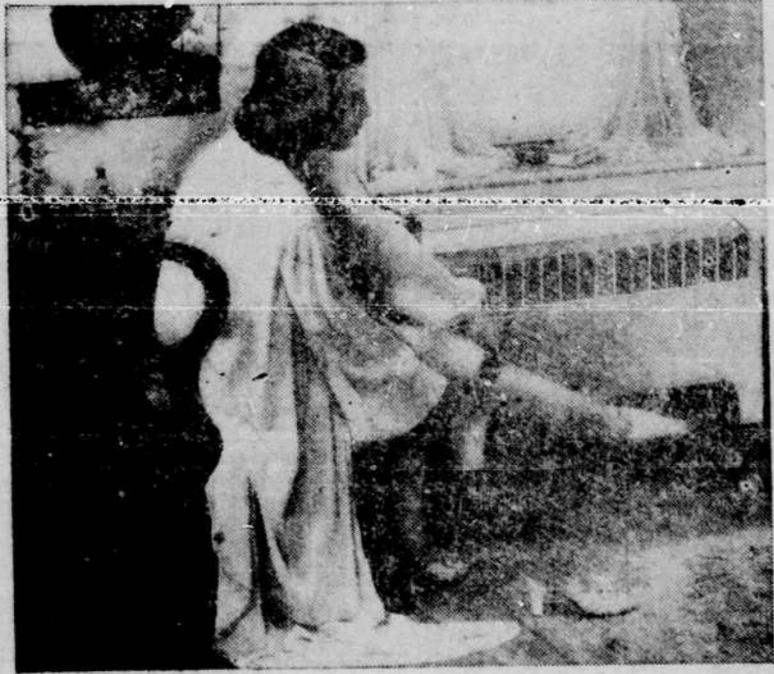
Dr. Raymond Walters' annual report of enrollment in colleges and universities throughout the nation was made public recently. The report covers 471 institutions and shows a decline in enrollment this year in most of the colleges and universities of from five to ten percent except in teachers' colleges.

University of Cincinnati, "is the decrease, ranging from 15 to 35 percent, in G. I. students who receive Veterans Administration grants for tuition fees and living expenses." Another cause, he said, was the smaller number of 1949 high school graduates and that came from a low birth rate in 1930.

Dr. Walters gave the following list of universities under private control having the largest enrollment:

New York University, 21,750 students (11,000 veterans); Columbia University, no considerable change from its 1948 attendance of

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### House Problem



FORMER secretary to Gar Wood, millionaire speedboat racer, Mrs. Violet Bellous is shown about to turn over to a Miami, Fla., judge a furnishings inventory of a house that had been in her name.

Museum of Natural History, who was a part of the expedition, said that the buildings, mosques, fortresses, aqueducts, and fountains were in a good state of preservation, but the walls surrounding it had been eaten away here and there by blown sand. The walls were ten to fifteen feet in thickness with rooms inside them.

Speaker (desirous of raising money)—"All who will give \$10 stand up."

(Aside to musician)—"Play the Star Spangled Banner."

### Nation Expands Atomic Plants

President Truman and the Atomic Energy Commission on October 18 answered the threat of Russia's atomic discoveries by ordering a \$300,000,000 expansion of atom bomb facilities at Oak Ridge and Hanford, Wash. It was said that the outlay would be the first installment in a new atomic plant-construction program which eventually will cost "in excess of \$300,000,000." The program was announced by Chairman McMahon, of the Congressional Atomic Energy Committee, after a closed meeting with commission officials.

He called it a "major expansion effort. Details were kept secret. The Oak Ridge plant produces Uranium 235, and the Hanford plant makes plutonium. They are the two explosive ingredients of atomic bombs.

Bovine tuberculosis has now become so scarce that veterinary schools sometimes have difficulty in locating tuberculous cattle for study by students.

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21,000, somewhat fewer veterans; Syracuse University, 18,750 (5,500 veterans); University of Southern California, 12,500 (10,000 veterans); University of Pittsburgh, 11,141 (5,400 veterans).

Among state universities reporting full-time enrollments, the ten largest were: University of California total students, 43,359 (16,438 veteran students); University of Minnesota, 25,000 students (10,668 veterans); University of Illinois, 23,179 (10,438 veterans); Ohio State University, 22,500 students (9,000 veterans); University of Michigan, 21,400 (9,400 veterans); University of Wisconsin, 17,690 (7,900 veterans); University of Texas, 15,600 (6,701 veterans); Michigan State College, 15,000 (7,136 veterans); Indiana University, 13,489 (5,309 veterans); Purdue University, 13,239 (5,844 veterans).

"Better Living for a Better World" will be the theme for National 4-H Achievement Week, November 5-13.

### Tomatoes Gross Above \$1,400.00

Three acres of tomatoes brought a gross return of \$1,434 for W. T. Beaver of Route 1, Ellenboro, reports F. E. Patton, Rutherford County farm agent for the State College Extension Service.

Beaver produced a yield of 717 bushels which he marketed in the mountain counties. The price ranged from \$1.50 to \$4 per bushel, with the average for the season being \$2 per bushel.

He used certified, treated seed of the Rutgers variety and transplanted in April, setting the plants three feet apart in four-foot rows. Six hundred pounds of 4-10-6 fertilizer and 100 pounds of nitrate of soda were applied per acre. Harvesting began the last week in June and continued through July and August.

the discovery has brought to light the once-great city of Peshawarun, which has been known in legends but not by any written historical records. At the time of the Crusades the city was thought to have had a population of 50,000 to 100,000 inhabitants.

The city was happened on accidentally last August by a group of explorers looking for drinking water. Walter A. Fairervis of the department of anthropology of the

### Suppose You Have A WRECK

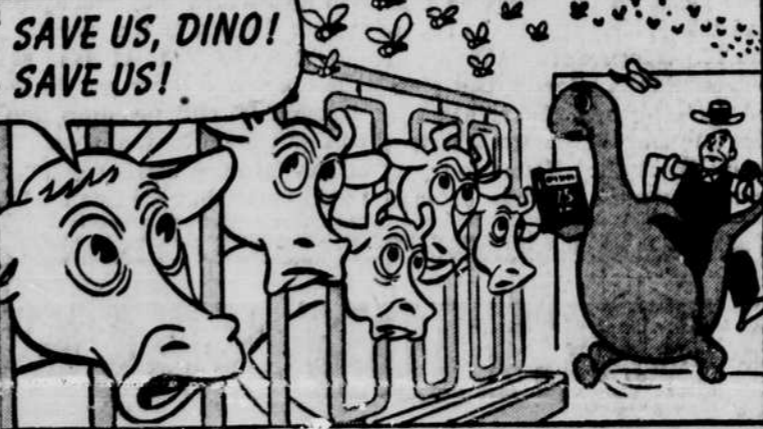
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### Find "Lost City" In Afghanistan

Discovery of an ancient "Lost City" in Afghanistan was reported recently by the American Museum of Natural History in New York City. The city lies in the desert and is 280 miles south of the third largest city of Afghanistan, Herat; and it is thought that

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