

## Capsule Recovery Hailed Milestone

WASHINGTON (UPI) The Air Force said today its historic recovery of the Discoverer XIII capsule brought the United States "considerably closer" to its goal of rocketing manned vehicles into space.

Lt. Gen. Bernard A. Schriever told a news conference the Air Force planned to follow up its achievement by trying to launch and recover a similar object with a chimpanzee aboard, possibly within a month.

Schriever, head of the Air Force Air Research and Development Command, said there would be a 50-50 chance of recovery of similar capsules in future tests.

The 85-pound, silver-coated capsule was fished out of the Pacific Thursday about 300 miles northwest of Hawaii by a Navy helicopter.

Schriever said the Air Force has been preparing a "small chimpanzee" as a passenger on one of the future shots in the Discoverer series.

He said the "chimp shot" probably would follow one more non-life shot which is scheduled in about one week. Schriever said the Air Force planned two shots per month if conditions permit.

The Air Force research chief emphasized that recovery was "still a real tough problem," but said that he felt the present success would lead to a higher rate of recovery.

### Expects Much Data

E. A. Miller, manager of the Discoverer program for the General Electric Co., said the capsule's instruments monitored "all of the significant events of the rocket's stages."

He pointed out this would provide a record for the first time of an object's re-entry into the earth's atmosphere.

Miller also said the instruments gathered data on temperature, pressure and deceleration problems that must be solved before the nation can put a man into space.

"This is all significant technical information," he said. "We expect to get quite a bit of data for the first time."

## Nickel Plate Vets Attend Convention

Two Nickel Plate railroad veterans from Decatur will leave Saturday at 6 a.m. for Cedar Point, O., to attend the 53rd anniversary convention of the Veterans' association of the railroad, which is for any man or woman who has worked for the Nickel Plate 25 years or more.

Ed Highland, a 52-year man, and Frank Rumble, who has over 25 years of service, will represent Decatur at the convention. They will make the trip with Charlie Kohne, of Willshire, O., and Charlie Stroud, of Bluffton, both of whom have over 25 years of service.

A business session will be held in the morning with F.S. Hales, president of the association and a member for 19 years, speaking to the nearly 1,000 men and women who are expected to attend. H. E. Massillon, O., is this year's president, locomotive engineer from the association and will serve as chairman of the convention.

The business sessions will end about 11 a.m. and until about 3 in the afternoon the veterans will enjoy a general get-together. A banquet will be served in the evening and will be free to all those with 50 or more years of service.

**NOTICE**  
Notice is hereby given that the assessments in the Grandstaff Drainage Roads, in the Adams County, Indiana, have been placed on the Ditch Tax Duplicate for collection on November 7, 1960.

Edward F. Jaber  
Auditor Adams County  
Aug. 12

## DRIVE-IN THEATER

First Show at 8:15

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When he took  
her in his arms...  
she had crossed  
the color line!

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The Man With the Do-It-Yourself Murder Kit! He used poison,  
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capitator and railroad track!

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The Year's Spiciest, Most Hilarious Comedy Hit  
With Jack Lemmon, Shirley MacLaine, Fred MacMurray  
ALSO—"CRY TOUGH." John Saxon, Linda Cristal  
Sat. Bonus—"Day of the Outlaw," Robt. Ryan, Burt Ives



AMERICAN LEGION OFFICERS INSTALLED—Herman Bittner, right of center, accepts the gavel as incoming commander of the American Legion Post 43 from Robert White, Auburn, district commander, left of center, with the past commander, Ambrose Spangler, center. Officers pictured are: seated, from left to right, Tom Miller, third vice-commander; Nelson Doty, finance officer; Martin Selking, fourth vice-commander; and Robert Raudenbush, adjutant; rear, standing, from left to right, Wendell Macklin, three-year trustee; Robert Aschbacher, trustee; Norman Scheumann, sergeant-at-arms; White, fourth district commander; Spangler, Bittner; Dan Emenhiser, trustee; and Charles Chew, first vice-commander. Dr. R. K. Parrish, second vice-commander, was not present for the ceremony.

## Farm Bureau Film On TV Sunday

A new film, "Food for Thought," which is a feature story of Indiana farming, will be shown on WKIG-TV in Fort Wayne Sunday at 3:30 p.m. This is a Farm Bureau produced film and those watching the Sunday afternoon show will gain a first hand look at Hoosier farming.

## KENNEDY

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"Franklin D. Roosevelt was a Phi Beta Kappa, the highest general scholastic honor granted, yet Sen. Kennedy's achievement was even brighter than this. Never has so brilliant a man been nominated for our highest office."

### Religious Issue

"Yet there may be those who say, yes, this is fine, but maybe we should not let a Catholic serve as president."

"Let me touch briefly on the religious issue. When the 53 men who wrote the constitution of the United States met, they included Episcopalians, Catholics, Congregationalists, Presbyterians, those with no church, and many others."

"And the constitution which they formed, and which still stands in use today, plainly says, in Article 6, that

"... but no religious test shall

EVER be required as a qualification for any office of public trust or profit in the United States."

### Washington On Bigotry

"When George Washington, towards the end of his great patriotic career, spoke at the First Baptist church in Philadelphia, he said,

"We have abundant reason to rejoice, that in this land, the light of truth and reason has triumphed over the power of BIGOTRY and SUPERSTITION, and that

EVERY person here may worship God according to the dictates of his own heart. In this enlightened age, and in this land of equal liberty, it is our boast, that a man's religious tenets will not forfeit the protection of the laws, nor deprive him of the right of attaining and holding the highest offices that are known in the United States."

### My Grandsons

"I myself was born and reared a Baptist, but I married a Methodist, and we compromised and joined the Presbyterian church, in which I have been quite active. In 1842 my grandmother left Ireland during the great potato famine that took one-third of the inhabitants of that country, and I have had the pleasure of seeing her signature on the registry of St. Paul's Cathedral in Court, Ireland. My grandfather was an Episcopalian from London."

"Today I have three grandsons, all in their early 'teens. One is, like myself, a Presbyterian; the second is a German Lutheran; and the third is a Roman Catholic."

"As any grandfather, I love all my grandchildren equally. It is to be expected of me that I say to two of them, yes, work hard, you can attain any goal you set for yourself, yes, even president of the United States—and to the third say, no, my grandson, you can work just as hard, learn just as much, mean just as much to me, yet you can never be president?

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