

HOME DEFENSE HEADS TO MEET

McNutt to Address Sunday Session; Expect 800 From Over State.

More than 800 city and town officials and county defense leaders in Indiana are expected to attend a State-wide civilian defense conference Sunday at the Claypool Hotel.

Federal Security Administrator Paul V. McNutt will make the principal address at a luncheon of the defense leaders and officials at noon in the Riley Room.

Other officials who will participate in the conference are Frazier Reams, Office of Civilian Defense regional director at Columbus, O., and Frank Finney, assistant regional director.

Governor to Preside

Governor Schriker, Indiana's civil defense commanding officer, will preside.

The Governor will introduce Mr. McNutt at the luncheon which will climax the morning's discussion on all phases of civil defense activities.

Three major group meetings are scheduled for the afternoon. Dr. John W. Farver, State Health Commissioner and Defense Medical Service chief, will outline the emergency medical program.

Physical Fitness Is Topic

Included in this meeting will be discussion on the projected nutrition and physical fitness programs for which committee chairmen in each county will be selected.

The second major conference, to be conducted by Clarence A. Jackson, State Defense director, will deal with defense preparations by county directors, mayors, town boards and city and town defense heads.

Women's division representatives will hold a separate meeting to review their progress and make plans for future activities under the leadership of Mrs. George W. Jaqua of Winchester, State Women's division director.

Hope to Step Up Tempo

State Director Jackson expressed the belief that the conference would facilitate the rapid integration of civil defense in Indiana, now in the organizational stages.

"Fast moving developments in the war situation have made it imperative that we step up the tempo of our preparedness program and this meeting is for that purpose," Mr. Jackson said.

500 DUE AT SESSION OF RESTAURATEURS

More than 500 Hoosier restaurateurs will attend the three-day convention of the Indiana Restaurant Association opening in Indianapolis March 24. E. E. Keller, secretary, said today.

W. O. Wheeler of Indianapolis, proprietor of the Wheeler Catering Co. and a past president of the association, is general chairman of the convention committee. Miss Lute Martha Trout, vice president of the association and dietary director of the Indiana University Medical Center, is co-chairman of the committee.

A. L. Simmons of New Castle is president of the state association. Harry A. Hall of Indianapolis is treasurer. Besides Miss Trout, the vice presidents are Tom D. Adams, Indianapolis; D. A. Clark, South Bend, and A. J. Rogers, Nashville.

1st Grader to Be Mardi Gras Queen

DIANE BAKER, 2908 E. 18th St., first-grade pupil at School 81, will be the queen of the mardi gras sponsored by the City Recreation Department at the Brookside Community Center Saturday night.

Her attendants will be Nancy Lee Trueblood and Jeanette O'Donoghue of School 54 and Mary Ann Pfaffenberger and Nancy Cramer of School 33. All proceeds, including those received from refreshments, to be sold by the Brookside Mothers Club, will be given to the Red Cross.

A seven-act variety show, for adults and children, will be included. Civilian defense and many of the activities under way at the center will be emphasized by displays.

Casey at Bat



Richard G. Casey, Australian minister to the U. S., is pictured at the White House, where he was believed to have urged immediate and extended aid to his Jap-menaced homeland.

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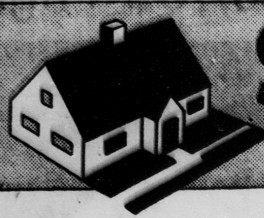
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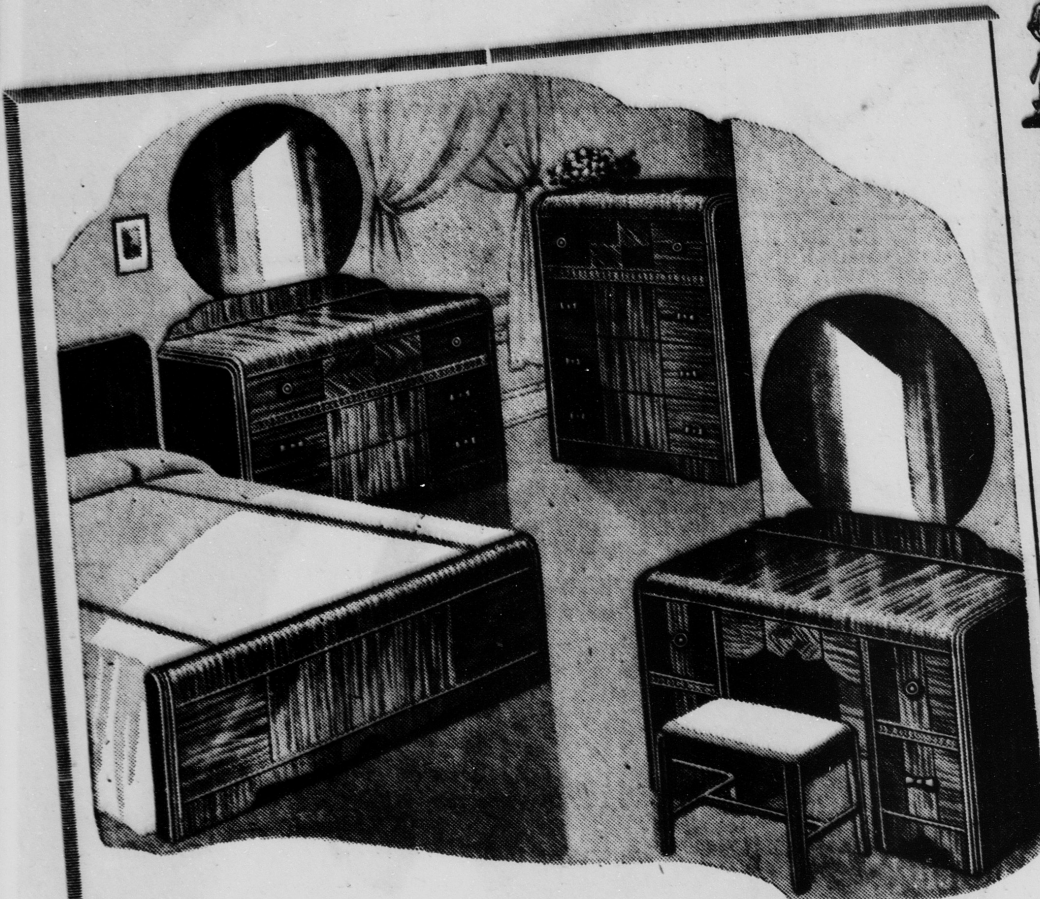
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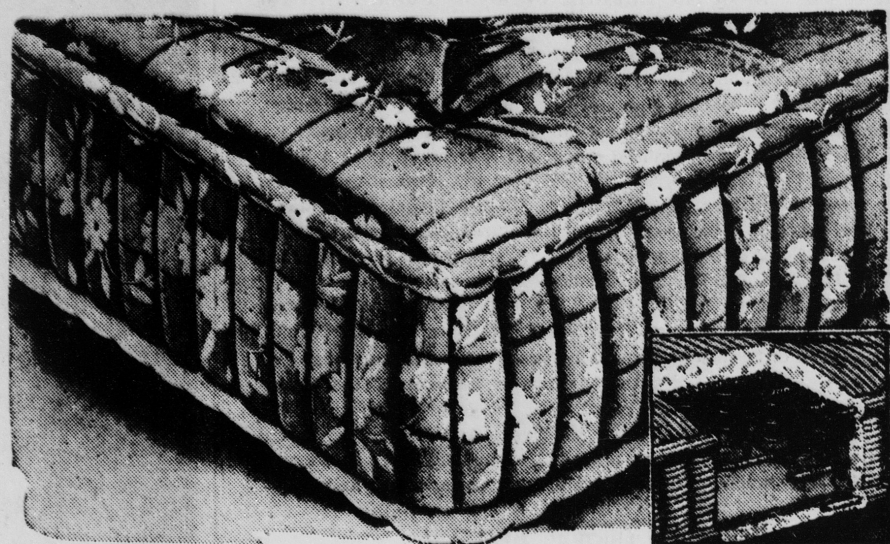
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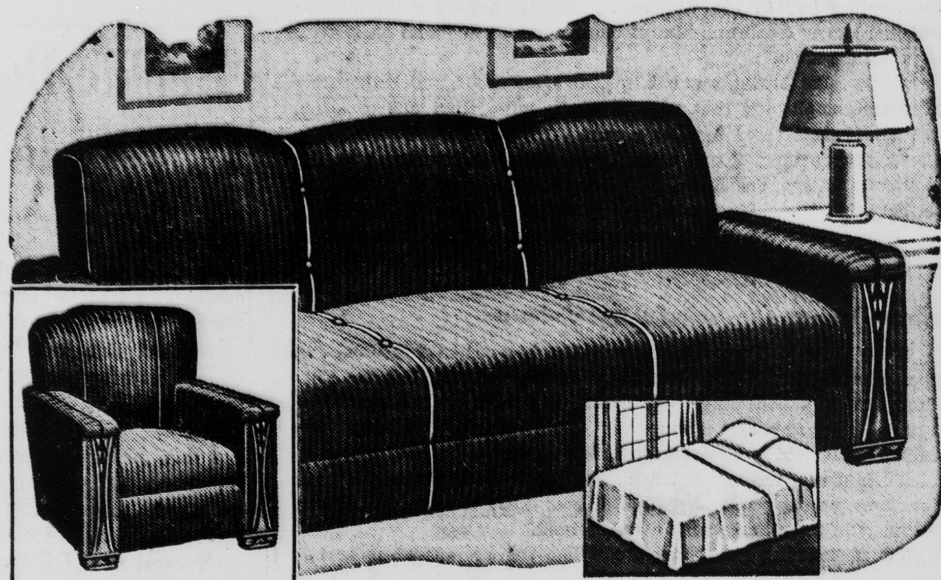


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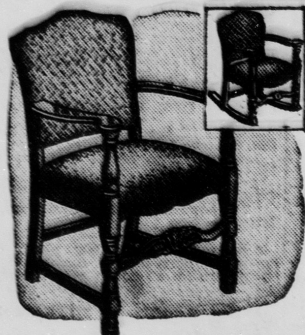


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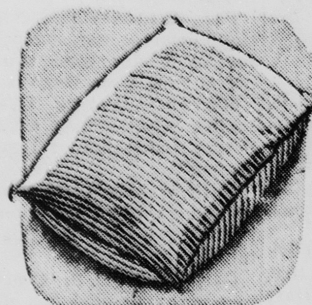
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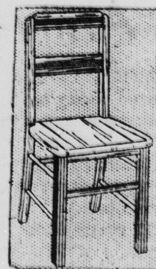


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