

16-Year-Old Vet Enjoys His Ice Cream



Staff Sgt. Clifford E. Wherley of Elwood, Ill., was top turret gunner on a Martin B-26 marauder based in North Africa, and had flown on 21 operational combat missions before army authorities discovered he was only 16 years old, having enlisted at the age of 14. Therefore, he will receive an honorable discharge and be returned to his parents. Here, while he was seeing the sights in Washington today on his way home, the sergeant samples some ice cream. Left to right are James Wright, Sgt. Wherley, Dorothy Morgan and Louise Cunningham.

LEUKEMIA 'CURE' BOY'S LAST HOPE

Six-Year-Old Goes East to Try 'Oral Medication' Treatments.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Aug. 13 (U. P.)—Dickie Laswell received a final check-up from his family physician today and, accompanied by his father, Richard Sr., the 6-year-old boy here boarded a train for New York where they will learn if medical research has found a cure for chronic lymphatic leukemia.

For almost eight months Dickie has been ill of the dread blood disease, and the "oral medication" treatments which a New York financier, Joseph Stein, has offered him may be the last chance of saving his life.

Dickie has lived on borrowed blood for more than half a year. He has had 51 transfusions and has more than eight quarts of other people's blood coursing through his veins. Lately he has been weaker and the transfusions have been given more often.

Keeps 'Mistake' Baby Girl



After failure of footprint comparisons to settle the question, Mrs. James Hardwick cares for the baby daughter she and her husband claim a Los Angeles hospital gave them instead of the baby boy they claim was born to them. Hospital prints were too blurred for comparison.

EDWARD B. McLEAN TO BE MARRIED

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo., Aug. 13 (U. P.)—Miss Gloria Hatrick, former New York model, and Edward Beale McLean Jr. will be married at Denver Monday, friends revealed today.

McLean is the son of Mrs. Evelyn Walsh McLean of Washington. Miss Hatrick is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Hatrick of Larchmont, N. Y.

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WELFARE DIRECTOR ELIGIBLES NAMED

Eligibility lists from which county welfare directors may be selected were submitted today to the state welfare board by Dudley A. Smith, director of state personnel.

The persons in order of their rank, who passed examinations include Evan L. Parker, Helen Gwynn, William Ross Copeland, and Dally E. McCoy, all of Marion county, on county welfare director list 3.

List 2 includes Paul E. Corrie, Knox county; Gene Combs, Greene county; Simon H. Irick and Hilda Mae, Tolle, Clinton county; Raymond E. Maher, Lawrence county; and B. E. Myers and Laura J. McGillem, Fayette county.

On list 3 are Capitola Keller and Bertram Enos, Marshall county; Alma E. Foltz, Vermillion county; Mildred D. Gillespie, Tippecanoe county; and Flora E. Pottenger, Kosciusko county.

Miss McGillem and Miss Garrison also qualified for the county director list 1 and Mr. Campbell for list 2.

A. F. L. COOL TO HELP ON LAWS

Plans to 'Go It Alone' in Any Change Regulating Unions.

By FRED W. PERKINS
Times Special Writer

CHICAGO, Aug. 13.—The American Federation of Labor, William Green said today, rejects suggestions that it co-operate with groups that are working toward so-called "sensible" national laws for regulation of labor unions.

Thus the A. F. of L. president, spokesman for the federation's executive council in session here, scouted predictions that if organized labor groups did not consent to some form of legislative control, the result was likely to be more repressive laws to supplement the new war labor disputes (Connally-Smith act).

The A. F. of L. attitude is regarded as one sign of the federation's confidence in its present and future power, based on the fact that despite the three-way split in the labor movement its membership under war conditions has been boosted to an all-time high of more than six million. Other symptoms of the same confidence were the executive council's turndown of John L. Lewis' bid for immediate reaffiliation of the United Mine Workers, and its refusal to enter into a scheme of joint political action with the C. I. O.

'Burned' Before
The latter action followed overtures from Sidney Hillman, chairman of the C. I. O.'s political action committee, and constituted a notice to the C. I. O. that there will be no formal co-operation without organic union of the two bodies. In effect, it informed the C. I. O. that the A. F. of L. felt competent to "go it alone." The reunion movement between them is very weak at present, and A. F. of L. statements indicate it can be revived only by virtual capitulation of the C. I. O.

One reason for the A. F. of L.'s refusal to become entangled with other labor units in political committees is that some of its affiliates got their fingers burned through joining up several years ago with Labor's Non-Partisan League, which was founded as the political division of the C. I. O. when John Lewis was C. I. O. president. The league took some courses in opposition to interests of the A. F. of L. contributors.

The league still exists, with John T. Jones, a Lewis lieutenant, in charge, but at present its financial support comes entirely from the United Mine Workers—and that organization has had an unhappy legislative history in recent months.

C. I. O. Favors FDR
The A. F. of L. policy, as reiterated by Mr. Green, is not to become identified with any political party, but to "oppose our enemies and support our friends" whether they are Republicans or Democrats. Early manifestations of the C. I. O. political policy indicate it will favor the Democrats and may take the labor leadership in promoting a Roosevelt fourth term.

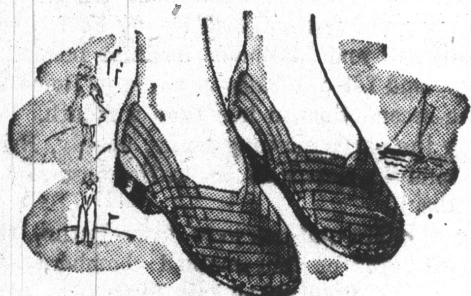
The potential fourth term, according to Mr. Green, has not been discussed in the executive council, members of which include the habitual heads of the labor divisions of the Democratic and Republican national committees—respectively, Dan Tobin of the Teamsters union and "Big Bill" Hutchison of the Carpenters, both of Indianapolis. Neither Mr. Tobin nor Mr. Hutchison has been named yet to the A. F. of L.'s political committee.

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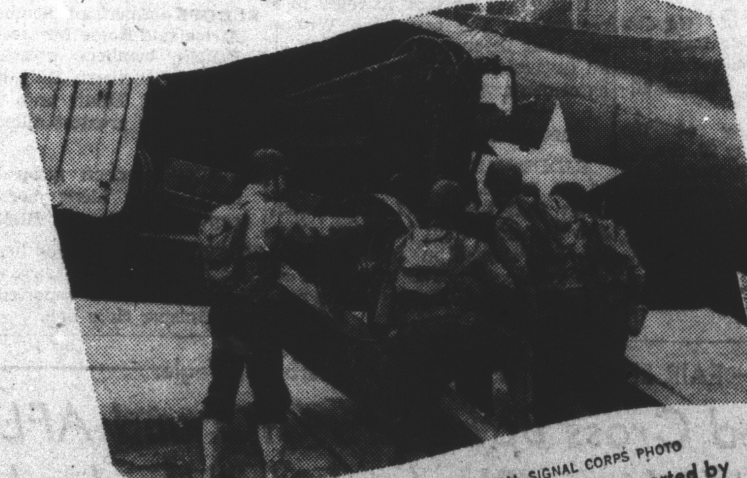
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