

Tiny Swiss Inn 'Overrun' With Royalty on Loose

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LAUSANNE, Switzerland, Mar. 3—As a stamping ground for royalty on the loose and sometimes on the lam, Lausanne's Beau Rivage Palace has few rivals.

Among the guests last week at this comparatively small inn on the shores of Lake Lemane were listed one king, one ex-king, one pretender, one ex-queen mother, two princesses, one prince, one duchess, four counts, three countesses, and one marchioness.

The management hastens to say that it is a little early in the season yet and things will pick up later on.

Ex-King Michael of Romania, who had been in Switzerland with his fiancée, Princess Anne, was

here until late last week. Busy getting ready for a trip to the United States, he took little part in the social life in these parts.

However, those impressed by close-up views of royalty were rewarded with occasional sightings of the former Romanian monarch driving off in a big, new American car, with Princess Anne wedged in the front seat between the ex-king and his mother, the former Queen Mother Helene of Romania.

A number of the dark-eyed, beautiful female members of the royal families of Egypt, Iran and Iraq have visited here. They apparently enjoyed meeting and talking to the vacationing American soldiers and usually consented when the GIs extended a hesitant invitation to the wait.

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FBI Report Clears Condon Of Disloyalty

Investigation Made Nearly Year Ago

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WASHINGTON, Mar. 3—The FBI. It was understood today, has found no evidence of personal disloyalty against Dr. Edward U. Condon, noted atomic scientist accused by congressional investigators of associating with Russian spies.

Usually reliable sources said the FBI chief, J. Edgar Hoover, advised Dr. Condon's superiors in the Commerce Department last May that there was no indication of misconduct in his associations. Dr. Condon heads the National Bureau of Standards, an important government research agency.

A spokesman for the House Un-American Activities Subcommittee which investigated Dr. Condon declined to comment on reports that the group had withheld a portion of Mr. Hoover's letter favorable to the scientist. The subcommittee characterized Dr. Condon on Monday as "one of the weakest links" in atomic security, and demanded his removal as director of the Bureau of Standards.

Official Text Withheld
In its report, the subcommittee said it was quoting the FBI director's letter on Dr. Condon only "in part." Rep. John S. Wood (D. Ga.), a member of the three-man group, told reporters that the letter was made public just as it was received. A subcommittee investigator "managed to get hold of the letter," Rep. Wood said, and copied it.

Neither the FBI nor the Commerce Department would release a copy of the official text.

The Hoover letter as contained in the subcommittee report said Dr. Condon had been in contact as late as last year "with an individual alleged by a self-confessed Soviet espionage agent to have engaged in espionage activities with the Russians in Washington from 1941 to 1944."

However, sources who have seen the FBI letter said it went on to say there nevertheless was no evidence that such association had any character of disloyalty on Dr. Condon's part.

Public Hearings Studied
Meanwhile, the full House Un-American Activities Committee was considering calling public hearings to air its case against Dr. Condon.

Chairman J. Parnell Thomas (R. N. J.) said no final decision will be reached, however, until he can call a meeting of the group. The committee, he said, will go over in detail the charges of the subcommittee.

While Dr. Condon's scientific colleagues rallied to his defense, Robert L. Stripling, chief investigator for the committee, said he expects to serve a subpoena later today to get the Commerce Department's files on Dr. Condon's loyalty investigation.

Acting Secretary of Commerce William C. Foster said the department's loyalty board gave the onetime Princeton professor a clean slate. Mr. Stripling quoted Rep. Thomas as saying he didn't see how it could "in the face of the facts."



NOONDAY PRAYER

The Rt. Rev. William R. Moody, D. D., bishop of Lexington, Ky., will preach today through Friday at noon in Christ Episcopal Church on the circle and give the sermon at 7:45 p. m. tonight in the Church of the Advent. The noonday Lenten services begin at 12:05 p. m. and close at 12:35 p. m.

Rector Speaks On Democracy

"Democracy cannot be overthrown as long as its principles are taught in our churches and believed by our people."

The Rt. Rev. William R. Moody, D. D., Episcopal bishop of Lexington, Ky., made this statement in his Lenten sermon at noon today in Christ Episcopal Church on the Circle. He added:

"The foundation of democracy is the belief that every man has a right to equal opportunity and to equal justice under law. That is a Christian conception. We are kinmen of God. We are His sons. And because we are His sons, He has sent Jesus to teach us how to say 'Our Father.'"

LEAVES FOR FRONT

ATHENS, Mar. 3 (UP)—Major Gen. James A. Fleet, American military mission chief, left for Larissa by plane today to begin a scheduled five-day tour of Greek battle zones.

Ask Mrs. Manners—Ex-GI Still in Love—With 'Love Letters'

A GIRL, 19, WROTE me an awful lot of nice letters before I came home from service. I'm sure she liked me a lot but she hasn't showed it since I'm home. I'm 22, 5 feet 9½ inches tall and weigh 172 pounds. Lots of people say I'm good-looking.

She is always tired, busy, bowling or has to do up her hair, but tells me to come back soon. When I go back, it's the same thing. I told her to tell me if she didn't want me to come back but she said she did.

I haven't been out with any other girls yet because I want to go with her. She really has me puzzled. I have a nice car and want to go steady. She acts a little bashful. So far I haven't gotten far enough to touch her, let alone kiss her. I'd take her anywhere. Should I forget her and find another girl? I'm a little bashful.

PUZZLED.

Find several other girls and neglect her. Suggest a place to take her, casually indicating that you weren't there alone. Happiness is enjoying those things which you can acquire. If you don't win this girl, win another and get over your bashfulness. Give the girl the break of a date with a good-looking guy with a car. They'll talk if you ask them about themselves—don't blame me if you need the "militia" to make them stop. I hate to say this to a former GI but you may have mistaken the girl's patriotism for romance. You might not want to go steady if you knew her better.

Huston Starred in 'Swamp Water'

COULD YOU tell me who played the male lead in the motion picture, "Swamp Water" or tell me where to get this information? READER.

I find "Swamp Water," starring Walter Huston. Do you know the studio?

Girl of 18 Advised to Act 18

I WANT TO MARRY my boy-friend but it seems we just can't get together on it. I'm 18 and he is a little older.

He runs around with a boy I used to date and I think the former boy is jealous of me. Every time Russell and I start getting along this first boy comes along and we get in a fuss. Things just can't go on like this. What should I do? TROUBLED.

Don't do a thing except be 18. Have fun and ignore arguments. I wish that I could get you girls to forget marriage a few years but remember it before you get too critical and set in your ways.

Songs for Judy and Jolson

I HAVE some musical compositions which I would like to get into the hands of Judy Canova and Al Jolson. How can I secure their address?

Write them in Hollywood, but send music by registered mail after you've heard from them. You should have the composition copyrighted.

Kissing Boy Friend Guessing, It Works

LIKE ALL teen-agers, I have a boy-friend. He liked me and I liked him until my friend came between us. He began to like her but soon found out how she was.

Sometimes he acts as if he likes me and sometimes he doesn't—but he is a nice boy. Lately, I've been acting as if I didn't like him and he seems to like me more. Why does he do this? What should I do? CONFUSED.

He's just like you—you wanted him worse when your girl-friend appeared. Keep him guessing—it's working. Wouldn't life be full otherwise? Don't shower him with attention and act indifferent to part of his attentions when he comes back. Don't get mellow and tell him that your indifference was an act.

Marriage Vows Taken Too Lightly

THE LETTER by "A Reader" Feb. 3 hit me forcibly. I liked your answer. She said that her married boy-friend surely could divorce his wife if the wife wouldn't divorce him. Oh, the folly of sin. People take the sacred marriage vows so lightly.

Jesus said in Mark 10:11, 12: "What God hath joined together, let not man put asunder. Whosoever shall put away his wife, and marry another, committeth adultery against her. And if a woman shall put away her husband, and be married to another, she committeth adultery."

Selfishly, husbands and wives are prepared only for the best. When the worst comes, they are ready to quit. Oh America, wake up to the tragedy of a broken home! America became a great nation because of her faith in God—America was great because of the homes in it. What has happened?

Selfishness is back of divorces, arguments of friends, and wars. You can't help feeling selfish, but you can stop acting selfishly, don't you think?

Let Mrs. Manners and readers of the column share your problems and answer your questions. Write in care of The Times, 214 W. Maryland St.

Probe Chicago Baby's Death After Father Lashes Him

CHICAGO, Mar. 3 (UP)—An stomach and legs "at least 20 times."

The child collapsed under the blows.

"I picked him up and told him to 'stand up and take his medicine like a man,'" police said Rubart told them.

Thomas went into convulsions shortly after he collapsed, Rubart said. But he died 20 minutes after Rubart took him to the hospital last night.

'Fairly Severe' Quake Recorded at Fordham

NEW YORK, Mar. 3 (UP)—A fairly severe earthquake, located about 8000 miles from New York was recorded on Fordham University seismographs today.

The Rev. Fr. Joseph Lynch said direction of the quake was not known. Shocks were recorded at 3:28:45 and 3:40:40 a. m. (Indianapolis Time).

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