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## 'Color Co-ordination' Devised for Ft. Wayne Prefabricated Homes

Expert Commissioned by Lafayette Concern Designs Plan to Aid Appearance

Times Special

NEW YORK, Mar. 3—A revolutionary type of color co-ordination for a community of prefabricated houses at Ft. Wayne, Ind., was described here today by Dr. Isay A. Balinkin of the University of Cincinnati.

Dr. Balinkin, associate professor of experimental physics and expert on color, reported at the annual meeting of the Inter-Society Color Council here.

The National Homes Corp., Lafayette, Ind., commissioned the University of Cincinnati Research Foundation to develop a system of selecting colors which would relieve blocks of "prefab" homes from the customary appearance of monotony and similarity. The foundation assigned the project to Dr. Balinkin.

The result is the Ft. Wayne community, where houses have been painted with colors specifically covering the whole spectrum range. Yet, because of careful planning along lines suggested by Dr. Balinkin, the houses are described as having a pleasingly harmonious effect unusual in groups of this type.

Dr. Balinkin designed what he terms a "mechanical color space." The apparatus, looking like a three-dimensional spider's web, makes use of a three-color-attribute formula to give a quick answer to the problem of selecting harmonious color combinations.

The Lafayette corporation has adopted the colors and has arranged with a manufacturer to make them available in pre-mixed paints.

### Decatur Firemen Plan Volunteer Departments

The Decatur Central Fire Department met last night in Decatur Central High School to make plans for several volunteer departments.

Francis Day, general chairman of the department, said that the first unit will be installed in Valley Mills this fall. Other prospective spots are West Newton and Camby.

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## Vandenberg On Record as Available—'If'

Believe He Would Accept if Nominated

By LYLE C. WILSON

United Press Staff Correspondent

WASHINGTON, Mar. 3—Sen-

ate President Arthur H. Vandenberg will accept the Republican presidential nomination if the convention tenders it next June.

The Senator said so himself one year ago this month in a statement to *Life* magazine. This is what he said:

I am not a candidate. I do not expect or wish to be a candidate. I shall seek no convention delegates nor approve the efforts of others in my behalf. Of course, I would yield to a spontaneous draft.

Sen. Vandenberg said he would not connive in a draft and expressed doubt that a spontaneous draft ever could happen. Since making that statement last March Sen. Vandenberg said nothing publicly to alter it. His associates are aware, however, that he has given considerable thought to himself in relationship to the presidency.

Age Is Factor

When Gen. Dwight D. Eisen-

hower's boom was riding high.

Sen. Vandenberg sometimes discussed the presidency with friends. He so emphatically denied interest in the nomination for himself on such occasions that few doubted the Senator meant it. One of the questions he frequently raised against himself was his age, 64 years this month.

A man nominated at 64 would be 68 years old when his nomination for a second term came before his party. That is late in life for such heavy responsibilities. Since Gen. Eisenhower's withdrawal from politics some persons believe they have noted a change in Sen. Vandenberg's approach to presidential politics.

In an exchange of telegrams this week with Raymond McCon-

nell, editor of the Nebraska State Journal, Sen. Vandenberg re-

fused directly to answer the

point-blank question whether he

would accept the nomination if

it were tendered to him. The ex-

change left his position un-

changed from that state last

March. He still is not a candi-

date but is available if the party

wants to nominate him.

Since he has not ruled him-

self out," Mr. McConnell said,

"the committee will carry out its

original intention of filing his

name in the all-star primary."

Democratic Rebels Hint

Bolt at Convention

WASHINGTON, Mar. 3 (UP)—

The southern revolt threatened the Democratic Party today with a National Convention walkout on the scale of the Bull Moose bolt from the 1912 Republican convention.

Suggestions of a convention

walkout came from various

southern Democratic spokesmen

in their search for ways to make

effective their spreading rebel-

lion against President Truman's

civil rights program.

Most of those proposals were

tied to a demand that the con-

vention repudiate Mr. Truman's

program and declare for "states

rights" in handling racial issues.

Striking Japanese Ask

'Marriage Allowance'

TOKYO, Mar. 3 (UP)—Striking

Japanese communications workers

today added a demand for "mar-

riage allowance" to their list of

complaints to the government.

They asked 16,000 yen for any-

one who gets married. They said

that under their present pay, they

couldn't get married even when

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BUMBERSHOOT WIELDERS—Mrs. George Clupper, 1906 Lexington Ave., and Mrs. Florence Humphrey, 1910 Hoyt Ave. (left to right), last night put a would-be purse snatcher to flight with lusty blows from their umbrellas.

## New Method Found To Detect Cancer

MINNEAPOLIS, Mar. 3 (UP)

A young Minneapolis doctor today announced a new method of cancer detection which he said eliminates much of the present guess-work in the diagnosis of brain tumors.

Dr. George E. Moore, 28, a fellow in surgery at the University of Minnesota Hospitals, only six months ago announced a method which he had developed to check a surgeon's work during a brain operation. That method, which involves the use of dyes and ultraviolet rays, allows surgeons to determine whether all diseased tissue has been removed.

The doctor said his new method uses radio-active dye and a Geiger counter to locate tumorous growths in the central nervous system, primarily the brain, before operation.

## Girl Still Plans To Wed Convict

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Mar. 3 (UP)—Twenty-year-old Miss Jeanne Lucas was to return to Pittsburgh, Pa.,

today with an uncle, while her fiancé, Daniel Budzynski, 19, was moved from death row to a regular prison cell.

Miss Lucas said that her plan to marry Budzynski were merely "delayed" and not "abandoned." She said she will love him "forever" and will return to Nashville to visit him again soon.

Budzynski was to have died in the electric chair in the state prison here at dawn Thursday, but Gov. Jim McCord commuted his sentence to life imprisonment yesterday. The governor said, though, that the state of Tennessee "is not interested" in permitting Miss Lucas and Budzynski to marry.

Dewey to Air Views In 'Whirlwind' Drive

ALBANY, Mar. 3 (UP)—Gov. Thomas E. Dewey is preparing to make known his views on national and international affairs in a whirlwind campaign for the Republican presidential nomination, it was reported reliably today.

The Governor made known his plans for an active campaign when he disclosed he "probably" would accept one of the many invitations to speak on controversial issues outside the state. The drive will start as soon as the 1948 legislative session ends.

## Investigate Violent Acts Against Publisher

PENSACOLA, Fla., Mar. 3 (UP)—Newspaper publisher Kenneth Brown, who is at odds with the local police, today had five New Orleans detectives investigating acts of violence directed against him.

Mr. Brown said he had no confidence in the local police and said "I am getting no co-operation from them."

He said he believed a series of attacks on his home and office were connected with recent editorials criticizing the police department and the city hospital.

## Postcard Misdirected To Warsaw, Poland

WARE, Mass., Mar. 3 (UP)—Four weeks ago, a Ware insurance agent mailed a postcard here to Mrs. John Stogtius, also of Ware. The card reached her home yesterday bearing a Warsaw, Poland, postmark.

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## Defense Pact Sought to Back European Aid

### Ball Claims Support For Anti-Red Plan

By JOHN L. STEELE  
United Press Staff Correspondent  
WASHINGTON, Mar. 3—A move was developing in the Senate today to bolster the European Recovery Program with a western nation mutual defense pact aimed at Soviet aggression.

Sen. Joseph H. Ball (R. Minn.) claimed considerable Republican support for his proposal to set up a veto-proof "supreme council" outside the United Nations with powers to use force against "aggression and subversion" in western Europe.

And several members of the Senate Armed Services Committee were calling for universal military training in this country as a step toward making ERP work in the face of Communist obstruction.

Favor UMT

Chairman Chan Gurney (R. D.) of the Armed Services Committee and Sens. Edward V. Robertson (R. Wyo.) and William F. Knowland (R. Cal.) joined in terming universal military training as vital to ERP.

Mr. Ball announced that he would formally introduce his defense plan today during Senate debate on the \$5.3 billion ERP bill. He revealed details last night at a meeting of Senate Republican "revisionists" who are seeking changes in the recovery measure.

The proposal would direct the State Department to work for the establishment of an international supreme council of 11 nations to serve as a watchdog of aggression in western Europe.

A vote of seven members of the council could invoke the use of force, and no one power would have a veto.

Mr. Ball explained that the council would be open to members of the UN Security Council willing to accept the veto-less terms—a provision clearly unacceptable to Russia. Mr. Ball said frankly that the arrangement would be "in effect a mutual aid pact."

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