



Marine artillerymen, lower left, wait for a field piece being lowered from a helicopter during a problem at the Marine Corps Schools at Quantico, Va. In addition to transporting artillery, Marines are experimenting with this new type helicopter, nicknamed the "Flying Banana," for use as a troop carrier and also for the removal of wounded from combat areas.

### Capitol's Face Lifting Will Start Just as Soon as Congress Adjourns

WASHINGTON — Congress is in for a face-lifting. Not the men, but the Capitol itself is feeling its age and falling away at the seams. So beginning this summer, something is going to be done about it. If the inmates will ever adjourn and go home. Already mushrooming over the spreading green of the beautiful Capitol grounds are going up the workmen's sheds where their material is assembled. It's labor headquarters too, and the first morning asked every morning is: "When, oh when will Congress adjourn?" (The work is scheduled to start July 1.) It certainly frets the architect of the Capitol, David Lynn, who already is saying "It will be a miracle if the work is done even if Congress adjourns the end of July."

What Will Happen? The allotted work for 1949 must be done by January first, when the new session opens. "Who'll happen if it isn't?" Well, there's the roomy, but not very enough. Ways and means committees from over in the new House Office Building. "Maybe the Senate will start their deliberations in the old Supreme Court chambers come 1950." The face-lifting is to be thorough. Not the eliminating of a few old wrinkles, but everything from a new roof to comfortable seats for the members. (That helped to get the appropriation of \$5 million.) The Capitol has been air-conditioned. But now its air conditioning is to be modernized.

Difficult to See or Hear For years it has been difficult either to see or hear adequately in either chamber. Some fancy light and the newest in acoustic improvements are to be installed. Today an ugly sight is seen by a congressman when he looks toward for inspiration. The entire ceiling is reinforced with temporary steel rafters, giving a strange hanger aspect. Replacing for safety will be concrete slabs supported on steel beams. The skylight portion of the roof will be replaced with stainless steel. Then there's to be a tricky center design of fluorescent glass and bronze, illuminated from above to shed a visible source of light.

Each chamber is to be larger. That will help at the joint sessions, when in addition to all members of the Senate and House, the cabinet, the Supreme Court justices, the diplomats and the executives must be seated at the same time.

Indirect Lighting All the lighting will be indirect. Just as a cry went up "to keep the White House the same architecturally" thru its face-lifting, so has the sentiment been strong to keep the Capitol historically "as is."

Congressman Francis Bolton of Ohio yelled the loudest: "It's outrageous. It's farewell to daylight if the skylight goes. That those state seals in the skylight must not go for they remind us that we are a nation, not a generalized government."

Michigan's Congressman George Dondero (the best historian in the House) says "the nation's great

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MOTOR WAS NEW  
HIS WIDOW'S FEELING  
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### Barnum Stages Annual Promotion Assembly Program

The annual promotion assembly of Barnum high school was held in the school auditorium last Thursday. The invocation was given by the Rev. Robert A. Larson.

Ross A. Wagner, principal of Barnum high school, gave the promotion address. The class gift, \$150 to be used for the purchase of a new set of school stages, was made by Marc Joslyn and accepted by Ted Schwarz, president of the class.

The members of the class of June, 1949, are: Hazel Bloss, advisor; Claire Anderson, president; Marjorie Adams, Curtis Addison, William Anderson, Ronald Anderson, Susan Anderson, Philip Ashton, Nancy Bichler, David Bowen, Dwight Bisebeck, Arlyn Bader, Rosemary Beard, William Berard, Elizabeth Bodie, David Bowen, John Boyse, Alison Brewster, Carolyn Bryant; Herbert Barr, William Carson, Elizabeth Carter, Margaret Carter, Julian Chalk, William Chapel, Mark Chapman, James Dunn, Eric Davison, Phyllis Cox, Donna Crouse, Patricia Cunniff, Sarah Curtis, James Fuller, Joe Sauer, Brian and Nan Segal. Homeroom 212, Monzelle Clark.

James Newman, president, Peggy Giesey, Jo Ann Greiner, Fom Johnson, Margaret Kelly, George Moore, Nancy Kaiser, Barbara Kent, Barbara Klemm, Elizabeth Kopp, James Kuller, John Lutz, Ann McDonald, James McFarlan, John Mansfield, Nancy McCall, McClelland, Larry McCreck, Barbara McGinnis, Janet McLeese, Annabelle MeMahon, Nugent McMillin, George Moody, James Moore, David Morgan, William Nicholas, Joyce O'Connell, Leon Pariseau, Gordon Peacock, Anthony Pew, Marilyn Roper, John Schofield and Ruth Yeomans.

South led the heart ace in ducky, clearing the trump suit. He then led the diamond ten, East ducked and South discarded his losing club jack. Another diamond trick. East was forced to play the jack and South ruffed. South now led to the spade ace, ruffing the finesse. And dummy's good diamond took care of the spade loser in the South hand. Score: 3-1 hearts.

**DRIVERS PAY FINE** Totaling \$75 Here An accident here last Friday at the intersection of Brown and Bates resulted in injuries to a driver and a \$75 fine to another. Harvey Houghton, Royal Oak, sustained injuries to his back when his truck and one driven by Nicholas Kothke, 1222 Emmons, collided after the latter allegedly failed to stop at the intersection. He was charged with reckless driving and fined Monday morning when he appeared before Justice John J. Hill.

**Worker's Hand Hurt In Local Factory** Alfred Hunter, Royal Oak, president and general manager of the Birmingham Industries, 1041 S. Elm, was injured while working in the plant Tuesday afternoon, when he caught his left hand in a machine press.

**'People's Car' Finally Arrives in Germany** A dozen years ago, Adolf Hitler promised a shiny new Volkswagen (People's Car) to any German who was interested, and not a People's Car. The Volkswagen plant at Wolfsburg, Germany, is rolling the cars out for civilians at the rate of 40,000 a year. The rear-engine auto seat four or five, are economical on fuel, and hit a top speed of about 62 mph. Above, completed cars line up in a parking lot behind the Volkswagen factory.

### Rev. Joseph Canaan Leaves St. Hugo's for Detroit Church

The Rev. Joseph A. Canaan, assistant pastor of St. Hugo of the Hills since 1945, has left to become first assistant at the Charles Borromeo church in Detroit.

During his sabbatar he has been most active among the children of the parish, working with them both through religious and through his efforts. St. Hugo's enrollment, with three championships in basketball, two in football and one in baseball for the northern division of the C.Y.C. league.

He was ordained in 1938, and before coming to St. Hugo's, served as assistant at St. Vincent's and Paul's church in Pontiac and St. Matthew in Detroit. He studied at the Sacred Heart seminary in Detroit and completed his training for the priesthood in Cincinnati.

### Local Legion Nine Takes 23-0 Score From Pontiac Team

By allowing only one hit and failing 29 batters, battling Bob Polin was his '49 debut as the Charles Edwards Post of the American Legion, sponsored by Harold Turner, trounced Post 411 of Pontiac 23-0 last Sunday at Pontiac. The Pontiac defense fell apart behind the four-hit pitching of Tom Tracy.

The next game will be with Milford at Pierce Field on Sunday, June 27 at 2:30 o'clock. At the end of the recent war the Navy had approximately five square miles of roofed storage space.

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ness in this inning; Post Pontiac struck on walks alone. The Legionnaires picked up a two-run lead in the first inning as Jim Gannan reached first when the catcher dropped a first strike. Russ Jackson then walked and both runners scored on a smashing double to right by Tom Tracy.

The game was a direct contrast to the game the week before when the team edged out Waterford 2-1 behind the four-hit pitching of Tom Tracy.

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that several boys had reported they were unable to locate the range, it is on Cranbrook road at the rear of the quonset hut; and as the end of West Littleton, shooting is done Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday from 9 a.m. to noon, using standard 22 rifles. Whitney assured all parents that there is competent supervision at all times. A daily supply of ammunition costs about 10 cents. He urged that youngsters nine years and older, register at golf if they wish to take part in golfing. No fee is charged those who have a card from the recreation board, which can be obtained at Hill school, for play at any time Mondays. He urged immediate registration for this free golf at Springdale Park, stressing that arrangements would be made for a tournament only if there is sufficient interest.

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