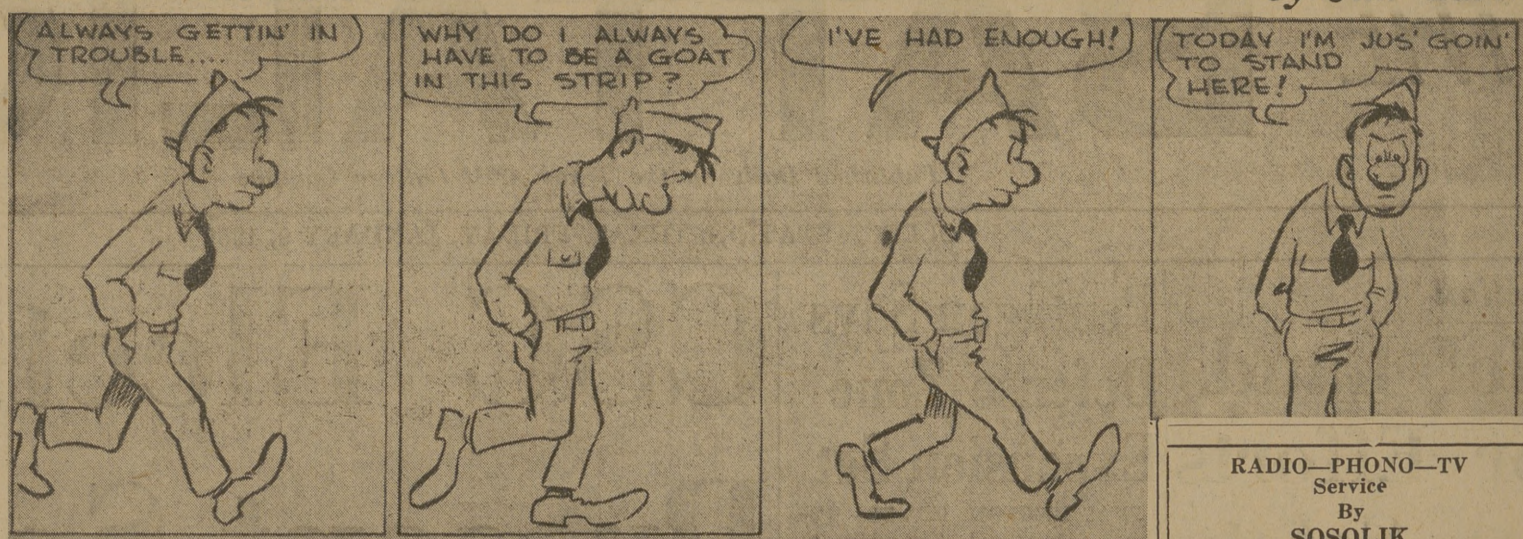


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**Interpreting**

**Soviets' 'Sheep's Clothing'  
Not Fooling U.S. Officials**

By J. M. ROBERTS  
Associated Press News Analyst  
The United States has issued a general indictment of Soviet chicanery and double dealing in the affairs of Europe to remove the cloak of reasonableness with which Khrushchev, Mikoyan & Co. are trying to cover its designs on Germany.

our strength, our confidence and our determination in the cause of freedom and peace." Mikoyan has not come to the United States for the purpose of learning more about its good points so he can go home and promote good feeling here for America.

The indictment is in reply to the Soviet note claiming the Western powers have vitiated the Potsdam agreement and demanding an end to four-power control of Berlin. It is merely coincidence that the State Department issued it while Soviet Dep. Premier Anastas I. Mikoyan is visiting the United States.

He has come to pick up commercial ideas which it may be possible to apply in the Soviet Union to help make the people believe they are headed for Utopia in spite of all their troubles.

On the day following its publication, President Eisenhower issued an appeal for courteous treatment of Mikoyan, who is being greeted at almost every stop by anti-Communist hecklers, primarily of Hungarian extraction.

He would like to promote a relaxed American attitude toward world trade with the Soviet bloc to further the Kremlin campaign of world domination through economic hegemony.

The State Department speaks officially of the hopes for peace which have been dashed by the Soviet actions.

He would like to set the stage for bilateral negotiations with the United States on numerous points at issue, to drive a wedge between America and her allies, to enhance the appearance of importance of the Soviet Union and its leaders, and to make people think the Russians can't be so bad.

The demonstrators remind unofficially that in Hungary the Soviet army, always held up as the liberator and protector of the working class, became its executioner.

Courtesy to a visitor is not something extended because of his merits, but because it is part of the maintenance of a civilized character by the host.

Both are overlooking facts which cannot be overlooked because of any pious hope, as Jim Hagerly expressed it for the President, that Mikoyan will go home with "an accurate picture of our good manners, as well as

No amount of it will change fundamental relations with the Soviet Union, because those relations are a result of deliberate international Communist policy.

That fact is inherent in the State Department report, which goes back many years to make its point.

**Congressmen Start Talking  
But Accomplish Very Little**

By ARTHUR EDSON  
WASHINGTON (AP)—Here it is the second day of a new Congress, and already the Senate has shown midseason form.

Nearly all of us, after a vacation, need a little time before we can operate at full speed. But a senator is not like us other mortals. He returns, tonsils on the ready, prepared for instant action, to use the word loosely.

As you know, the Senate has the problem of deciding what its ground rules are to be. Shall it continue filibuster unlimited, or shall it try some form of limited debate?

The conference finally broke up, and at 10:40, Senate Leader Richard M. Nixon announced that a quorum was now present.

To give this question the time it deserves, Sen. Lyndon B. Johnson (D-Texas), who calls the signals for his party, had the Senate convene two hours early yesterday, at 10 a.m.

Many senators feel deeply on this question, and you might expect a full and eager attendance. But at 10:03, immediately after the opening prayer, Johnson said he didn't think a quorum was present. And he was so right. A reporter counted 19 senators.

This brought the new Republican leader, Sen. Everett M. Dirksen (Ill.), to his feet to say that many senators had made previous commitments, and it would be embarrassing to the senators if we ran to an unseemly hour.

Meaning: Many of us have planned to go to parties, and this would louse it up terribly.

Johnson remained calm. "I hope," he said, "it will not last so long as to inconvenience senators who have important responsibilities elsewhere."

Meaning: We'll try to wind it up before the goodies run out.

No matter what, the Senate won't be hurried.

**Social Whirl**

Monday  
Aero Wives Club will meet Monday at 7:45 in the home of Mrs. Bess Wells, 4204 Culpepper Dr. Officers will be installed, followed by a guest speaker, Mrs. Emmette Wallace.

Industrial Education Wives Club meets at 7:30 p.m. at the Lone Star Gas Co., 201 E. 27th St., Bryan. Miss Billie Stevens will give a cooking demonstration.

Aggie Wives Council meets at 7:30 in the MSC Social Room. This is the last meeting of the fall semester. Election of new officers will be held.

**Profs Say Texas Prison Improved,  
Clean, With Emphasis on Training**

Three professors in the Department of History and Government who recently returned from a tour of the Texas Department of Corrections in Huntsville found the facilities "clean—improved—with emphasis on rehabilitation."

has been made in the prison system in the past few years." The Texas penal system has moved from behind as being one of the nation's worst to one of the nation's best, he said. The new penal system, now known as the Texas Department of Corrections, is gaining national and also international fame as being one of the model penal systems.

The tour was arranged by J. C. Roberts, who is chief of the Bureau of Records and Identification. The professors made the tour in order to gain first-hand information concerning the penal institutions of Texas.

Professor Duncan was highly impressed at the "cleanliness, good food, high morale, and the educational and recreational facilities." This was his second visit to the prison, his first made twenty years ago. He stated that the only part of the prison that

had not undergone much change between his visits was the huge outside wall.

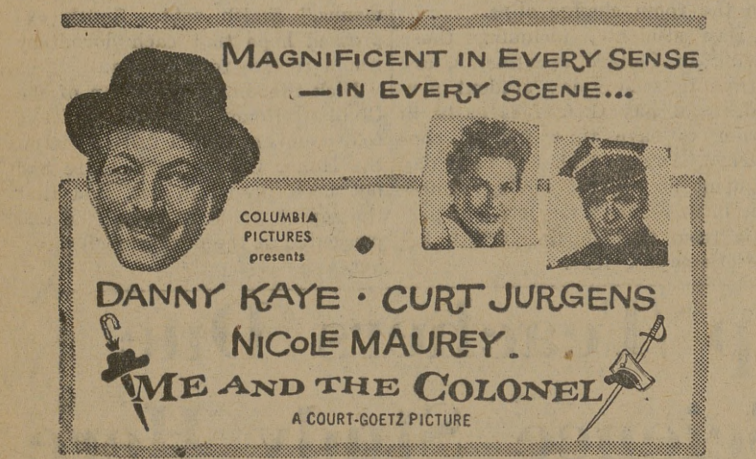
Dr. Benton said "great emphasis placed upon rehabilitation of prisoners" was one of the things he observed. Under the new penal system the percentage of returnees has been reduced, he noted.

**Boyd Procter Gets  
Achievement Prize**

Boyd S. Procter, junior agronomy major from De Kalb, was awarded a \$200 Agronomy Achievement Award this week by Dr. Robert L. Beacher, Southwest regional director of the National Plant Food Institute.

According to Dr. W. O. Trogdon, head of the Department of Agronomy, Procter was presented the award for outstanding work. He was a Distinguished Student in the spring of '57.

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**THE RETURN OF DRACULA**

**On Campus** with Max Schulman  
(By the Author of "Rally Round the Flag, Boys!" and "Barefoot Boy with Cheek.")

**THE DATING SEASON**

I have recently returned from a tour of 950,000 American colleges where I made a survey of undergraduate dating customs and sold Zorro whips. I have tabulated my findings and I am now prepared to tell you the simple secret of successful dating. The simple secret is simply this: A date is successful when the man knows how to treat the girl.



And how does a girl like to be treated? If you want to know, read and remember these four cardinal rules of dating:

1. A girl likes to be treated with respect. When you call for your girl, do not drive up in front of the sorority house and yell, "Hey, fat lady!" Get out of your car. Walk respectfully to the door. Knock respectfully. When your girl comes out, tug your forelock and say respectfully, "Good evening, Your Honor." Then offer her a Marlboro, for what greater respect can you show your girl than to offer Marlboro with its "better makin's," fine flavor and new improved filter? It will indicate immediately that you respect her taste, respect her discernment, respect her intelligence. So, good buddies, before going out on a date, always remember to buy some Marlboros, now available in soft pack or flip-top box at your friendly vending machine.
2. A girl likes a good listener. Do not monopolize the conversation. Let her talk while you listen attentively. Make sure, however, that she herself is not a good listener. I recollect a date I had once with a coed named Greensleeves Sigafos, a lovely girl, but unfortunately a listener, not a talker. I too was a listener so we just sat all night long, each with his hand cupped over his ear, straining to catch a word, not talking hour after hour until finally a policeman came by and arrested us both for vagrancy. I did a year and a day. She got by with a suspended sentence because she was the sole support of her aged housemother.
3. A girl likes to be taken to nice places. By "nice" places I do not mean expensive places. A girl does not demand luxury. All she asks is a place that is pleasant and gracious. The Tomb of the Unknown Soldier, for example. Or Mount Rushmore. Or the Taj Mahal. Or the Bureau of Weights and Measures. Find places like these to take your girl. In no circumstances must you take her to an oil-cracking plant.
4. A girl likes a man to be well-informed. Come prepared with a few interesting facts that you can drop casually into the conversation. Like this: "Did you know, Snookiepuss, that when cattle, sheep, camels, goats, antelopes, and other members of the cud-chewing family get up, they always get up hind legs first?" Or this: "Are you aware, Hotlips, that corn grows faster at night?" Or this: "By the way, Loverhead, Oslo did not become the capital of Norway till July 11, 1924."

If you can slip enough of these nuggets into the conversation before dinner, your date will grow too torpid to eat. Some men save up to a half-million dollars a year this way.

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By Charles M. Schulz

