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It will be held at the T. A. Steyer, with Seecombe officiating.

Mountain Lion Is Killed on Antioch Bridge
ANTIOCH, Calif., April 1 (AP)—A mountain lion was shot and killed today on the Antioch bridge. The animal, an old female, measured six feet and weighed 150 pounds.

Stanley Allison of Selma sighted the lion as he was driving across the bridge about 6 a. m. The animal apparently was blinded by the car headlights and Allison ran into it. It seemed only slightly hurt and climbed up into the bridge girders.

Word was sent to Deputy Sheriff Thomas Smith. His wife, believing it an April fool's joke, at first refused to relay the message to him but finally agreed to do so. When Smith arrived the bridge was jammed with cars. He fired at the animal, wounding it, but it remained at its perch in the girders.

Then John Haibuck, state game warden, was summoned. He shot and killed the beast and brought the carcass to Antioch.

Voters League Plans Open Meet Friday

The public is cordially invited to the meeting, on world-wide organization for attaining peace, arranged by the Monterey Peninsula League of Women Voters Friday afternoon at 3:30 at Sunset School cafeteria in Carmel.

Edgar Bissanz of Federal Union Inc. and Allan Cranston of United World Federalists will explain the plans of their organizations. This program is in line with the study which the League groups have been carrying on for the past month and also with the week's meetings on control of the Red Men, 8.

FISHERMAN LOST
EUREKA, April 1 (AP)—A search by fishing boats, the Coast Guard and an airplane failed to reveal any trace of E. O. Kirkpatrick, missing from the salmon fishing boat Enterprise.

The empty boat was found off Table Bluff yesterday afternoon.

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ly in the long run, because the world has not yet been persuaded that democracy is able to live up to its admittedly superior ideals. The moral is painfully obvious: Actions speak louder than words. "If we are opposed to collectivism we are also opposed to economic individualism as a false philosophy and as the breeding ground, historically, of those very injustices which provide the collectivists with ammunition against democracy itself." The senator added that two outstanding problems of democracy were race relations and providing full employment.

Carmel Fire Causes \$100 Furniture Loss
Approximately \$100 damage to bedding and other furnishings in an apartment owned by Mrs. Katie Russell at Lincoln and Fifth streets, Carmel, resulted from a fire reported at 12 27 a. m. today. The blaze reportedly caused by careless smoking of the occupants, two unidentified soldiers from Fort Ord, was extinguished by the Carmel Fire Department. The loss is covered by insurance.

Elusive Prisoner Is at Large Again
Elusive Pvt. Robert Johnson, 25 of Nashville, Tennessee, has given the Army the slip again for the third time in three weeks. Fort Ord's public information office reported today. Johnson was on a work detail at the Presidio of Monterey March 10, after his arrest for being AWOL, when he disappeared. March 23 he was recaptured and put in the Fort Ord stockade. Yesterday morning he scaled the fence and took off. Military police caught him later in the day and popped him back in the stockade. This morning Johnson was being marched under guard of a soldier from his company to the medical officer for an examination. Next thing anyone knew, Johnson was gone again.

Ex-soldier Is Held In Attack on WAC

SALINAS, April 1 (UP)—Aaron Johnson, 26, of Watsonville, was held to answer to federal district court in San Francisco today by U. S. Commissioner J. A. Jeffery. Johnson is charged with assault with intent to do great bodily harm on a WAC corporal at Fort Ord. The WAC, Valrie A. Dean, was gashed across the chest and arm at Fort Ord March 28, with 21 stitches required to close the wounds. Johnson, an ex-soldier, was arrested by the FBI at Watsonville and is held in the county jail here.

People like that lead charmed careers. When they lose, and troubles continue or multiply or come to a climax, they say, "Ah, if only you had left it to me!" Or if by any chance it is left to them and the going gets fouled up with disaster, they beat their breasts and cry loudest of all, "I did my best to save you—I made every sacrifice to prevent this calamity—I suffered to save your sons and our land and fought the cause as God would have me do it. My heart breaks to see this misfortune that we have suffered in the cause of right. You know how desperately I struggled to avoid all this." And plenty of the populace would weep for the sorrows of him who led them astray and their native land to calamity!

But we have strength. For one thing, we have the strength of the American institution that enables Candidate "leave-it-to-me" Wallace to secure permission to read a prepared propaganda statement before the Senate, the strength of free press associations that put his stuff on the wires, and the strength of free press and radio that relay his opinions throughout the nation. Why did Marsaryk throw himself out of the window? "Because he could not do that in Czechoslovakia." A G

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