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## Oil Rations Increased In This Region

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—(AP)—Fuel oil consumers in 13 frigid mid-west states received warming news from OPA today—a 10 per cent increase in "period 3" oil rations—and Administrator Leon Henderson promised a similar increase for the east if its current cold spell is prolonged.

At the same time Petroleum Administrator Ickes put into effect a far-reaching program of his own which may render worthless some of OPA's rationing coupons once the total demand for gasoline or oil in any of six east coast zones has absorbed the supply that can be made available in each zone.

### Temperatures Below Normal

Henderson, in granting the increased oil ration to the northeast, said temperatures there had been below normal for more than a month.

Period 3 coupons in the midwest will be worth 11 gallons, instead of 10, while commercial building coupons will be good for 10 gallons instead of 100. The benefiting states are Ohio, Kentucky, Illinois, Michigan, Indiana, Missouri, Kansas, Minnesota, Wisconsin, Nebraska, the Dakotas and Iowa.

Period 3 coupons are for roughly six weeks' use. In the midwest area, period 3 coupons can be used effective tomorrow instead of starting on the original date, which was January 7.

The program Ickes put into effect today is designed to backstop OPA's coupon rationing.

At Detroit M. J. Vierling, state fuel ration representative in Michigan, warned fuel oil users to continue to the utmost care in stretching their supply of oil as far as possible, despite the increase. The beginning of the fourth period has not been advanced, he said, adding that the third period does not close until February 8.

### Proper Amount Used Indicated

The OPA's fuel consumption report, based on temperature reports from Government weather stations in Michigan, indicated today that up to this time not more than 53 to 63 per cent of the ration for the second heating period should have been consumed.

The percentages included: Escanaba, 55 per cent; Grand Rapids, 61; Houghton, 56; Marquette, 54; Lansing, 81.

For a week from today, December 23, use of the following percentages of the allotment for period 2 was indicated: Escanaba, 78; Grand Rapids, 78; Houghton, 77; Marquette, 77; Lansing, 81.

The principal difference in the Ickes' and OPA programs is that Ickes' controls are applied at the first source of supply—the major companies who are the nation's primary suppliers—while OPA's coupon rationing goes to the ultimate consumer.

### Attempt To Prevent Crisis

Ickes, without mentioning the word "rationing," set quotas for each of the suppliers in each zone so they can not pass along to their wholesale and retail outlets more oil products than can be brought into each zone with "presently available transportation facilities."

Immediate object of the action is to prevent recurrence of the crisis last weekend when it turned out that consumers' coupons had gone beyond current supplies and had soaked up petroleum reserves in the eastern area to a dangerous point.

### Allies Pushing Slowly Forward in Buna Area

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS in Australia, Dec. 23 (Wednesday)—P—Allied ground troops in the Buna area of New Guinea are pushing a slow advance through "intricate and thoroughly prepared positions," Gen. Douglas MacArthur announced today.

The noon communique, dealing tersely with the Japanese pincer against the sea on either side of Buna village, reported:

"The advance of our troops continues in the face of desperate enemy resistance. Progress was relatively slow, due to intricate and thoroughly prepared positions of the enemy."

Allied heavy bombers destroyed a medium sized Jap cargo vessel, apparently destined for the north New Guinea coast off New Britain island, near Arave. Other planes attacked Jap installations near Vila de Aviz in Portuguese Timor.

A Jap plane raided Port Moresby on New Guinea's south shore last night, but the communique said it inflicted no damage.

### Seven Believed Killed In Bomber Collision

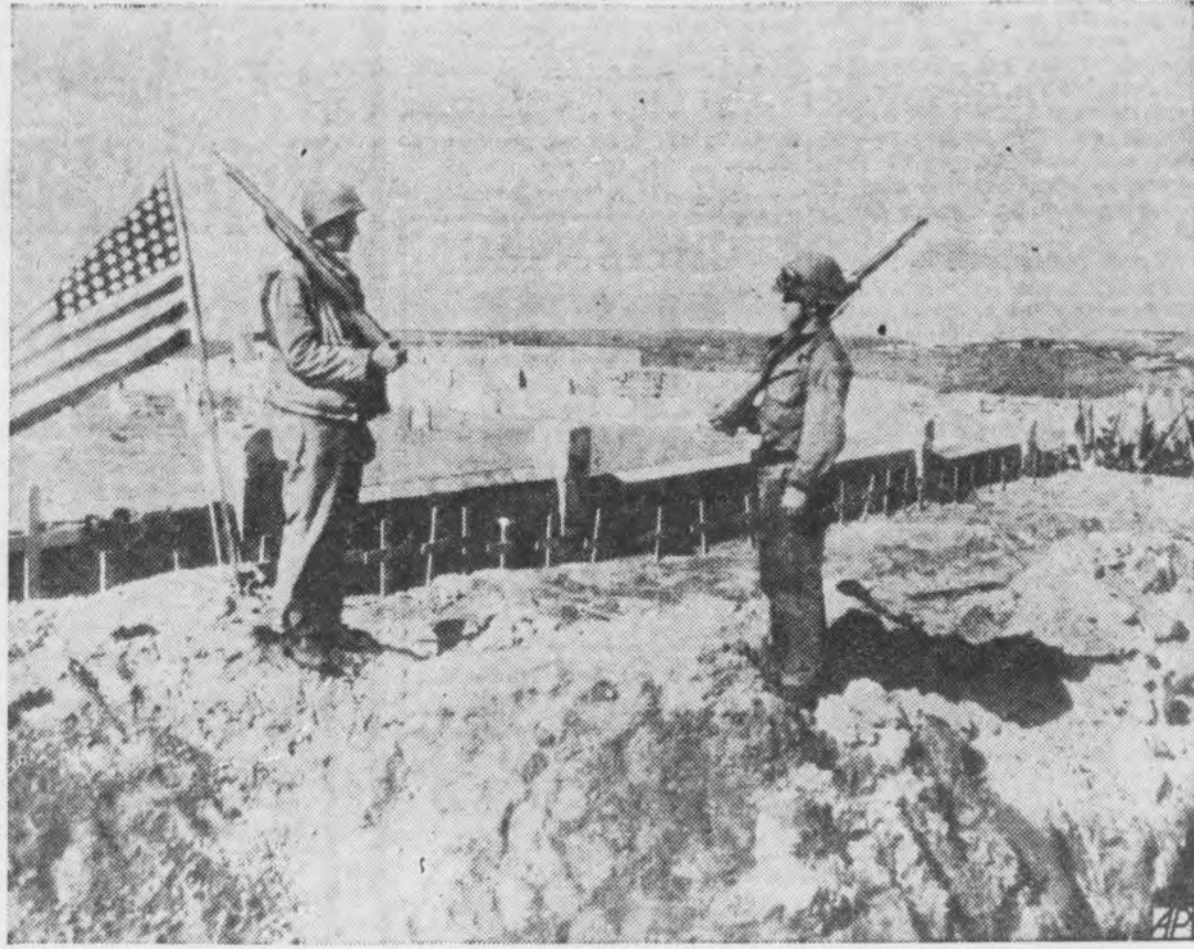
PUEBLO, Colo., Dec. 22.—(AP)—Seven crewmen were believed to have perished today in an aerial collision of two B24 bombers near Timpas, 20 miles south of Layunta on the bombing range of the Pueblo air base, Major Albert F. Hillix, base commander, reported.

One bomber fell to the ground and burned, Major Hillix said. The other crippled ship managed to return to the air base.

The accident occurred at 10 a. m. The commander expressed the hope some of the airmen in the ship that fell and burned may have had an opportunity to parachute.

The number of bodies in the still-smoldering craft had not yet been determined. Names of airmen involved were not released.

## Soldiers' Cemetery In North Africa



Two U. S. soldiers and the Stars and Stripes stand guard at a cemetery for members of the American landing force who were killed in action at Medhia Plage during the occupation of North Africa. Small crosses mark the graves of U. S. soldiers, buried alongside the cemetery wall.

## Butter To Be Rationed In 1943, Belief

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—(AP)—To meet mounting military and lend-lease requirements, the Government probably will ration food fats and oils in 1943 at a level at least 15 per cent below civilian demands, the bureau of agricultural economics said today.

Butter, margarine, lard and cooking compounds are likely to be rationed—and possibly salad dressing, too. Secretary of Agriculture Wickard, the war food boss, previously indicated butter would go on the list as soon as plans could be made.

Other food items now under ration, or scheduled for it next year, include sugar, coffee, meats and cheese. Milk may be doled out in metropolitan areas where supplies are running short.

In a report on fats and oils, the bureau estimated that all 1943 requirements, including military, lend-lease, and civilian, would be at least 800,000,000 pounds in excess of the supply, estimated at 14,500,000,000 pounds.

The military requirement includes a goal of 1,500,000,000 pounds for a Government contingency or emergency reserve.

The bureau estimated that civilians, with record buying power, would purchase about 57.1 pounds per capita in 1943 at present ceiling prices if this quantity were available. This compares with per capita consumption of 51 pounds in the 1940-42 period.

Under rationing, the bureau said, about 48 pounds would be available per capita, including indirect consumption of fats in manufactured products like bread, cake, confectionery and canned soups.

The bureau estimated the per capita demand for butter and margarine at 20.5 pounds with the supply 17.5 pounds, and demand for lard and shortening at 26.2 pounds with the supply 23 pounds. It forecast demand for other food products totaling 10.4 pounds (fat content) with the supply only 7.7 pounds.

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## Road Traffic Snarled By Ice and Sleet

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Highway travel again approached normal in Lower Michigan tonight as ice and sleet that formed in the morning softened under rising temperatures. Precipitation that began with a freezing rain last night had already turned to snow in the Upper Peninsula, and flurries were predicted in southern Michigan.

Hundreds of automobiles and trucks were trapped temporarily at the foot of ice-encrusted grades in Detroit and elsewhere in the Lower Peninsula this morning and there were a number of minor accidents, but sanding crews remedied the situation.

Morning bus runs between Grand Rapids and Chicago were cancelled.

An estimated 2,000 cars and trucks were snarled on M-17, between Ann Arbor and Ypsilanti, during the morning rush to work at the Willow Run bomber plant—300 of them stalled at the foot of one icy hill.

In the Upper Peninsula, on the other hand, Marquette reported five inches of snow in 24 hours, with moderate sub-freezing temperatures, and Escanaba 2.8 inches of snow to make more than a foot now on the ground. All highways in both districts were open.

## Iron Ore, Lake Vessel Industries Commended

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—(AP)—Chairman Donald M. Nelson, of the War Production Board, today commended the iron ore and the lake vessel industries and the railroads for the record movement of 92,000,000 tons of iron ore from the Lake Superior district in 1942.

Nelson sent letters to Joseph B. Eastman, director of defense transportation, and Elton Hoyt, Cleveland, of the iron and steel industry advisory committee, thanking them for their efforts in establishing the record movement of iron ore.

"This record exceeded by 3,000,000 tons the goal set at the beginning of the season," Nelson particularly commended the masters and crews of the lake vessels engaged in transporting the ore during the last months of the season "when they were subject to all the hazards of the extreme weather on the lakes."

General Miller told a press conference that there had been "a steady flow of materials from the United States for the big offensive."

Britain used her largest four-engine bombers, the Lancasters, for the fifth blow at Munich, and this was the RAF's second successive night attack on the Reich.

"As I lay in the nose of the bomber," said one Lancaster bombardier, "I saw thick smoke coming up to us after we had dropped 4,000-pound bombs."

The British fliers were bothered with clouds over Munich, and this airman said his plane circled over the city for about 15 minutes.

"Before we left I saw the glow of many fires and columns of smoke were spiraling up to us through the clouds. Then I saw many buildings well alight."

The air ministry announced that "a great weight of bombs was dropped on the birthplace of Nazism, and the German high command acknowledged civilian casualties and damage."

Twelve British bombers were lost, suggesting the raid was in considerable force.

The air ministry news service said Munich was defended weakly from the ground, with only a few searchlights and not much anti-aircraft fire, but German night fighters were up in strength. At least two enemy fighters were destroyed.

Striking singly, out of low clouds, German planes caused some casualties in southern and eastern England during daylight attacks.

During the day, an air ministry communique said, bomber command aircraft struck at railway and other targets in northwest Germany and the Low Countries.

The other two members of the group, mentioned from time to time, are Second Lieutenant, Erich Downs, 23, Dallas, Tex., bombardier, and Private Hubert H. Holms, 25, Denver, Col., gunner.

The raid, of which this is the first of six installations were produced by Joseph Norton, Associated Press war correspondent who is somewhere in western Africa, and are here presented for the first time.

May 5—Kelley: We took off from Brazil at 8:30 p. m. . . Just before leaving, a lieutenant gave us a tool box weighing 150 pounds . . . Right after we got out the navigator noticed that his compass was not reading the same as they had on earlier legs of the flight. Went on. Got up to 10,000 feet and headed across. The moon came up about 12 and made a beautiful night of it.

May 6—Kelly: According to calculations, we should have been in sight of the African coast line about 6:30 a. m. We were on instruments about 15 minutes. When I should have seen land, that is, according to the time, we didn't see any. Then the navigator took a shot at the sun and drew a line of position. Flew on with heading for about one hour. Later, we turned north. Flew that way for about 30 minutes. Visibility was very poor, but we finally sighted land. It looked mighty good. Came in at a point which finally proved to be about 100 miles north of Conakry. Before

HITLER TO INVADE SPAIN? LONDON, Dec. 23 (Wednesday)—P—The Geneva correspondent for the London Daily Mail reported today that the belief in Geneva is that Adolf Hitler is prepared for a drive through Spain aimed at Gibraltar. Hitler reportedly has written off the Russian campaign as a failure and plans to concentrate against southern and western Europe, the correspondent declared.

## All-Out Air Offensive On Germany Near

LONDON, Dec. 22.—(AP)—Britain's biggest bombers lost two-ton "block-buster" bombs and thousands of incendiaries last night upon Hitler's conference capital of Munich in a 3,000-mile round trip blow at the railway heartland for supplies shipped to Italy and Africa.

From Maj.-Gen. Henry F. Miller, new head of the United States Army's Eighth Air Force service command, there came the promise of "strong counter-attacks" directed against a town, presumably Pichon, in the sector of Kairouan, which is 75 miles south of Tunis.

Tonight's Allied headquarters communique otherwise reported only "continuous activity of our patrols" and Allied fighter plane flights over the forward area in which two Axis bombers were shot down. One fighter was missing.

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The bus left Aliquippa at 5:03 p. m., enroute to Pittsburgh, 19 miles east of here. Witnesses on the dead established the accident's time seven minutes later.

Among the dead was Martha L. Gearing, about 33, a traveling supervisor of leasing and occupancy on public housing projects for the Federal public housing authority, region 2, with headquarters in New York City.

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# Soviet Troops, Driving Into Ukraine, Capture Villages Above Rostov

## Allied Commandos Raid Nazi Position Within 5 Miles Of Bizerte; French Make Gains

LONDON, Dec. 22.—(AP)—French forces operating south of Tunis under newly-established Allied aerial superiority reported tonight they had captured "numerous prisoners, armored vehicles and artillery" in one sector while beating off repeated Axis counter-attacks in another.

The Axis forces entrenched in this main remaining foothold in North Africa, however, were found to be in strong positions by Allied commando troops which, it was disclosed today, raided northern Tunisia last week at a point within five miles of the big Axis naval base of Bizerte.

The activity of the French forces was disclosed in two dispatches reaching London late tonight.

The Morocco radio, now disclosed to be operating under Allied supervision, broadcast a communique announcing the French forces had captured the Axis troops and material apparently in the vicinity of Pont-Du-Foys, which lies about 30 miles south of Tunis. The French launched a strong thrust southeast of Pont-Du-Foys yesterday.

The Allied headquarters in North Africa about the same time announced that French troops had repulsed "strong counter-attacks" directed against a town, presumably Pichon, in the sector of Kairouan, which is 75 miles south of Tunis.

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## Negro Rapists Given Life Terms by Army

CHICAGO, Dec. 22.—(AP)—Maj. Gen. H. S. Aurand, commanding the sixth service command, announced the War department had approved the findings of general courts martial which sentenced two Negro soldiers to life imprisonment, dishonorable discharge and forfeiture of all pay and allowances, on a charge of rape.

The soldiers, Private Henry Scarborough and Sergeant Charles Wilson, members of a Coast Artillery unit then stationed at Fort Brady, Mich., were accused of holding up a young man, taking his automobile and raping his girl companion the night of August 30, near Sault Ste. Marie, Mich.

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## Yanks Blast Enemy Bases In Pacific

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—(AP)—Heavy aerial attacks on Japanese bases in both the Aleutians and Solomons were reported by the Navy today. One enemy cargo vessel was bombed in the Solomons and near misses scored on another, the communique said.

The Japanese submarine base at Riska, the enemy's much bombed north Pacific outpost, was the Aleutian target and the Navy said "hits were scored and heavy explosions were observed in the vicinity." Camp areas and heavy equipment were observed in the vicinity. Camp areas and buildings were also attacked with bombs and machine gun fire. There was no mention of enemy opposition, and all American bombers with their escorts returned safely.

In the Solomons the main objective was the air base in the Munda area of New Georgia island. This was attacked by Army Flying Fortresses Sunday and Monday (Solomons time), but no reports of results obtained were received here in either instance.

Munda Badly Damaged With the Monday raid the Munda base had been under assault 12 days and informed quarters here believed it had been very badly damaged. Continuation of that attack, the communique said, either had substantial installations remaining there or had been able to effect quick repairs and replacements.

The Japanese cargo ships were found by Flying Fortresses near Kahili in the Buin, or southeastern, area of Bourgainville island, about 275 miles from the American airfield at Guadalcanal. Reporting that "one direct hit and several near misses" were scored on these ships, the communique said that when last seen one was "settling by the stern."

Counting this vessel as damaged the Japanese have now seen 85 ships damaged, five probably sunk and 53 sunk.

Calcutta Has Third Air Raid in As Many Nights CALCUTTA, Dec. 23 (Wednesday)—(AP)—Calcutta had its third consecutive midnight raid last night, and, as before, only a few bombs were dropped. Half an hour after the all-clear sounded everyone was back in bed.

The raid was made by a small number of planes and was of short duration. Casualties and damage were believed to have been slight. The second attack came early Tuesday morning.

The raid was concentrated in one locality in the outskirts which also was the target of the previous night. Damage was officially described as negligible, with no military damage and few casualties.

Viceroy Lord Linlithgow in a message to the governor of Bengal praised the manner in which Calcutta took the first raid.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—(AP)—OPA has a plan under consideration to permit advance installment payments on automobiles, refrigerators, furnaces and pianos, with the purchases themselves to be delivered after the war. Other items would be added to the list later.

The scheme has the double purpose of reducing the volume of spendable funds, thus relieving inflationary pressure, and of easing the return to a civilian economy after the war is over.

The plan was developed by Rolf Nugent, an adviser on credit policy to Leon Henderson, OPA administrator. One spokesman said today that it was in an advanced stage, but he doubted OPA would take direct responsibility for it. Some thought it would require legislation.

It would work out in this fashion: Consumers would buy purchase certificates, entitling them to priority on post war deliveries, without specifying what is to be bought. Installments would be collected by regular finance concerns after the war the buyer would receive priority of delivery in accordance with the date shown on his purchasing certificate.

## Nazis Lose 55,000 In 7-Day Drive

MOSCOW, Dec. 23 (Wednesday)—(AP)—Russian troops sweeping across the middle Don river captured "several dozen" more villages in their drive on the key city of Rostov, and raised their seven-day toll of Nazis to 55,000 killed and captured, the Soviet announced early today.

A special announcement said Kamensk, Popovka, Morozovka, and Nikolsk were among the populated places seized on the heels of German troops who were in "disordered retreat," the same phrase used yesterday in announcing the drive that already is threatening Millerovo, 20 miles north of Rostov.

(Kamensk is not listed on available Russian maps. In the first radio broadcast of the special communique this town was heard as Kamensk, which is 40 miles south of Millerovo and only 90 miles from Rostov on the Moscow-Rostov railway. A later official government version issued by the semi-official Tass news agency gave the town as Kamensk, and Soviet sources in London identified it as a large village somewhere in the Millerovo area.)

Several Miles Inside Ukraine Popovka and Morozovka are astride the Moscow-Rostov railway about mid-way between Millerovo and Voronezh. This wing of the Russian army apparently was pushing westward into the Ukraine, and Russian units already were several miles inside the Ukraine at Nikolsk. This latter town is west of the north-south railway that skirts the Ukraine border.

The Russian offensive across the Don was beating westward toward the Ukraine, and also spreading southwestward toward Rostov where seizure of that city would cut off the retreat, except by sea, of all the German troops stalled in the Caucasus and in the Don-Volga river pocket before Stalingrad far to the east.

A total of 55,000 Germans have been killed or captured in this single offensive spurt since December 16, the communique said. Twenty thousand of these surrendered to the advancing Russians who were reported employing masses of tanks and infantry despite the heavy demands on two other offensive fronts—the central northwest of Moscow, and on both sides of Stalingrad.

In addition, this booty was listed as captured in the seven-day bid drive: One hundred and eight German tanks; 1,637 artillery guns; 2,369 machine guns; 6,735 trucks; 3,500 horses; 82 ammunition and supply dumps.

7,000 Nazis Fall in Day A total of 7,000 Germans fell on the snowy Don steppes during yesterday's operations alone, the Soviet communique said.

Kamensk is on the Donets river and a short distance above Likhaya, the railway junction of a line running eastward to Stalingrad. For several weeks the Russians have reported their troops were operating west of Surovino in the Don river bend in an effort to reach Likhaya or Kamensk.

The junction of these two movements would greatly enhance the Red army's chance of trapping a great portion of the German and Romanian troops who overrun the Don basin and the Caucasus last summer and fall.

The regular midnight communique (Turn to Page 12, Column 6)

Goebbels Attempting To Explain Away Reverses STOCKHOLM, Dec. 22.—(AP)—Information from Germany indicates that Propaganda Minister Paul Joseph Goebbels has mobilized hundreds of Nazi orators to stomp the country explaining away reverses in Africa and Russia and help bolster morale at the eve of Germany's gloomiest Christmas of the war.

Goebbels hurriedly called together district propaganda leaders in Berlin early this month, according to these reports, to set forth the national viewpoint for them and mass meetings already are underway with Dr. Robert Ley, labor leader, and Goebbels himself setting the pace.

The Nazi press, especially newspapers such as the Voelkischer Beobachter, the Frankfurter Zeitung and the Deutsche Allgemeine Zeitung, are telling the Germans almost daily not to take the setback in Africa too seriously because the war will be decided in Russia anyway.

But at the same time, they warn that the USSR is the "toughest" opponent in this war and that every German should know there are no immediate prospects of victory.

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## Shortage Of Doctors Not Serious Here

The number of doctors in Marquette county has been decreased by demands of the armed forces, but this county is better off than most communities in the Upper Peninsula, according to City Health Officer Charles P. Drury, who urged yesterday that great care be taken to maintain health standards.

Before the war, he said, Marquette county had 42 doctors, including specialists and physicians in general practice, or a ratio of one doctor to every 1,100 persons. Now, with nine doctors in the armed services, the ratio is one doctor to every 1,500 persons. Marquette city now has 18 doctors. Six already have entered the armed services.

### Situation Not Serious

On the basis of this ratio it would appear Marquette county is not in too bad shape—the ratio is the same as the national figure and half what it is over the Upper Peninsula. Dickinson county now has 3,500 persons to every doctor.

However, the figures do not give a true picture. Marquette has a larger number of specialists than any other county in the Peninsula. Therefore, the reduction in the number of physicians probably has thrown an increased load on a comparatively small number of doctors in general practice.

Dr. Drury said as far as he could observe the situation has not become all too serious to date, but that if more doctors enter the armed forces, particularly if they have a large general practice, the load will be increased considerably for other physicians.

### Three Cases Pending Here

The exact status, under the freezing order, of three Marquette doctors, all of whom have applied for commissions, was undetermined last night. Dr. J. C. Harkin and Dr. F. A. Fenning have applied for Army commissions, both have a taken preliminary physical examinations and are awaiting calls for final examinations. Neither has signed an oath of office or received a commission and it is probable they will be barred from entering the service for the time being.

Dr. C. L. Hirvas is in Milwaukee taking a physical examination in connection with his application for a commission in the Navy.

Marquette doctors who have entered the armed forces are Dr. Osimo I. Niemi, Dr. Henry Hanelin, Dr. Warren C. Lambert, Dr. R. Grant Jones, Dr. D. P. Hornbrog and Dr. John Nicholson.

Dr. Drury made the following suggestions as a means of easing the work of Marquette physicians: Keep resistance to the highest point by ample sleep and nourishing food. Avoid over working, over-indulgence and over-exercise.

Have yourself and your children immunized against disease.

If you haven't had a physical examination for more than a year see your physician.

**Suggestions For the Sick**

For those who become ill, these suggestions are made:

Arrange necessary home visits with the doctor before he leaves in the morning, so he can map out a route. Avoid unnecessary house calls. Better service can be given in the doctor's office, where equipment and help is available.

Go to the doctor's office if possible, making an appointment in advance through his secretary.

Limit night calls to emergencies only. The physician also needs sleep. Many night calls are to persons who have been ill from 24 to 72 hours, and who could have been visited during the day.

Use hospital facilities, if only for a few days, for serious cases and

## City Paragraphs

Miss Hilda Karppinen, who teaches school in L'Anse, is spending the holidays at her home in Skandia.

Mrs. Frank Morin left yesterday for a holiday visit with relatives and friends in Detroit.

Miss Mary Hill, Detroit, has arrived here to spend the holidays with relatives.

Harold Cole has returned to Marquette after spending a few days visiting friends in Amasa.

Roger King, Rapid River, passed his physical examination here for enlistment in the Army and has gone to Fort Sheridan, Ill.

Miss Mary Casler, Sault Ste. Marie, visited relatives here yesterday enroute to Duluth, where she will spend Christmas.

Mrs. Louis Bureau, who has been visiting relatives and friends in Marquette, has returned to her home in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Eddy and son, Robert, 109 East Arch street, will spend Christmas with relatives in Hancock.

PFC Earl O. Griffin has arrived from Fort Benning, Ga., to spend

those needing close observation such as confinements.

### "Freeze" Order Announced

EAY CITY, Mich., Dec. 22.—P—Only those Michigan physicians who have signed the oath of office and accepted a commission, or are in the process of doing so, will be allowed to enter the armed forces for the rest of 1942 and the early part of 1943, it was announced today by Dr. Paul R. Urmston, Bay City, Michigan consultant of the war manpower commission procurement and assignment service.

In announcing the general freezing of the medical profession, Dr. Urmston pointed out that the 1942 quota for Michigan was over subscribed by 34 per cent. He added that the commission is now concerned with allocating doctors to "critical" areas, badly in need of medical care.

He defined "critical" areas as large industrial centers that had had recent increases of population and other communities lacking adequate medical care for numerous reasons. To evaluate the needs of these areas, surveys are now being carried out. They include studies of increases in population, doctors left in communities, and the type of specialists and practitioners needed for replacement.

Freezing of doctors will not hamper the functioning of the selective service system. Dr. Urmston said. He explained, "doctors, under 38, who are not needed in their own communities, will be inducted. Volunteers are being asked for this re-allocation service in which they will be serving the country equally as well as they would be were they given commissions."

Miss Norma Cleminson, daughter of Mrs. R. M. Cleminson, 401 West Magnetic street, who teaches school at Olivet, arrived here yesterday for a holiday visit.

Miss Mildred Paananen will arrive here today from Gladstone, where she teaches school, to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Paananen, 216 West Crescent street.

Miss Alma Olson, former Marquette resident, is expected to arrive here tomorrow to spend the remainder of the week visiting her mother, Mrs. Louis Olson, 239 West Hewitt avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Bishop, 725 Pine street, leave today for Sault Ste. Marie where they will

spend the remainder of the week with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bishop.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Edward Pearce, 724 Pine street, left yesterday for Menominee where they will meet Mr. Pearce's parents, who will accompany them to Chicago to spend the holidays.

Norman N. Skytta, who is employed in defense work at Highland Park, is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and M. S. E. W. Skytta, at the Hoist power plant, near Marquette.

Staff Sgt. Paul Smith is here from Fort Bragg, N. C., to spend a few days with his mother, Mrs. Agnes Smith, 152 West Prospect street. He will return to Fort Bragg December 27.

Leonard Kincald has arrived in Marquette from Alaska, where he has been employed, and will spend the holidays with his family at 208 West Ridge street. He plans to return to Alaska about January 15.

Keith E. Gilbert has arrived from Houghton, where he attends the Michigan College of Mining and Technology, to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George D. Gilbert, 128 East Magnetic street.

Miss Ann Johnson and Mrs. Francis Hetherington are expected to arrive here today from Muskegon, where they teach school, to spend the Christmas vacation with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter O. Johnson, 204 West Ridge street.

William R. Roach is here for a brief visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James T. Roach, East Arch street, after completing the medical course at Northwestern university, Evanston, Ill. He will enter Passavant hospital, Chicago, as an intern and will begin active service in the U. S. Army medical corps at the conclusion of his internship, having already received his officer's commission.

Banks Close Friday — Marquette banks will be closed Friday, Christmas day, a legal holiday.

To Close For Weekend — Offices in the court house will close at noon Thursday and remain closed until Monday morning, December 28. The same schedule will be observed the following weekend.

Closed Christmas Day — The United States employment service office, 117 Washington street, Marquette, will be closed Friday, Christmas day, but because of the emergency, it will not be closed New Year's day.

Parque Violators Fined — Two Marquette residents paid fines of \$1

may be in line for warrant officer appointments, the Navy announced this week as part of an effort to increase its technical personnel. Applicants must show record of having at least five years' background as a journeyman or master mechanic. Particularly desired are men with experience in handling or manufacturing ammunition, small arms and other caliber guns. Officers appointed would be detailed to various duties in connection with handling and storage of ammunition and in the care, operation and maintenance of guns, mines and torpedoes. Qualified men may be interviewed at the Naval Officer Procurement office, Book building, Detroit.

Manufacturers of straight razors now are turning out commando knives.

Ordered to Pay Fines — Russell Martin, Marquette, pleaded guilty before Judge John A. Seigel in municipal court yesterday afternoon to a charge of being drunk last Saturday night. Martin, in company with Leslie Crusher, Piqua location, were taken into custody by city police after Martin tampered with turkeys on display at the front of the Piggly Wiggly Washington street store. Martin was sentenced to pay a fine of \$10 and costs or spend 15 days in jail. He was given until 10 a. m. today to pay the fine. No charges were placed against Crusher.

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7 pairs of Sears best hickory ridge-top skis, formerly sold at 10.95, now	<b>9.75</b>
Slalom skis ... only 2 pairs left. Hickory ridge-tops with clear bottoms and steel edges. Regularly priced at 15.95, reduced to	<b>13.98</b>

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5 pairs, deluxe quality, made of metal and trimmed with leather grips and wrist thongs. Formerly 4.95 a pair, now	<b>4.49</b>
5 pairs, metal and bamboo construction. Regularly 2.19, reduced to	<b>1.97</b>

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Kandabar and Ski Meister Ski Binding	<b>3.49 and 5.69</b>
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### SKI BOOTS

Chippewa Ski Boots for men—only 25 pairs remain, though lot contains all sizes. Regularly 5.29, now at	<b>4.69</b>
Regularly 6.95, now at	<b>6.15</b>

### GAMES - TOYS REDUCED!

Lucky Bounce and 10 Pins. Formerly 79c each, now	<b>49c</b>
TOY SINKS White with red trim. Has storage cabinets for dishes and pans. Formerly 2.19, reduced to	<b>1.59</b>
DOLL CRADLES Maple finish with drop side. Regularly priced at 1.98, now	<b>1.69</b>

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Formerly 10.95, now	<b>8.25</b>
Formerly 11.95, now	<b>8.98</b>
Formerly 13.95, now	<b>10.45</b>

#### SEAT COVERS

Deluxe fiber, for standard coupe. Was 3.60	<b>2.49</b>
Deluxe fiber, for coach or sedan. Was 8.75	<b>6.25</b>
Regal fiber, for coach or sedan. Was 5.00	<b>3.49</b>

#### TUBE REPAIR KITS

Regular 19c values	<b>11c</b>
CROSS COUNTRY SPARK PLUGS Regularly 45c each, now	<b>33c</b>
WHEEL LOCKS Guard against tire theft. Only four sets left. Were 7.19, now	<b>4.49</b>

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## Vendors Like State Liquor 'Close' Order

Christmas eve this year will mean something besides hard work for owners and employees of liquor dispensing establishments, because under a ruling of the state liquor control commission, they must close shop and go home at 10 p. m.

In fact, Corporal Kenneth White, in command of the Marquette post, Michigan State Police, said they must close their doors if their principal business is the sale of alcoholic beverages.

"It is my belief," Corporal White said, "that many liquor licensees welcome the state order. I believe all of them want to comply with it. The state police request residents not to impose on them by asking them to do anything different than to obey the order." White said, adding that the liquor control commission issued its order "believing the Christmas festival, a religious ceremony, should be recognized and observed."

### Order Will Be Enforced

State police will enforce the order and will require that all places where the principal business is the dispensing of alcoholic beverages be closed and business stopped at 10 p. m. In places where other types of business are carried on, that portion dispensing alcoholic beverages must close, but the rest may remain open.

The order applies also to specially designated merchants. The New Year's day closing has been set at 4 a. m., for places selling for consumption on the premises.

## Obituary

### Gust Peterson

Gust Peterson, 83, a resident of Northland, Wells township, died yesterday morning in St. Mary's hospital. The body was taken to Tonella's funeral home. The deceased leaves no known relatives.

### Peters Funeral

Funeral services for John R. Peters will be conducted at 2:30 this afternoon in Swanson's funeral home. The Rev. A. F. Runkle, pastor of the First Methodist church, will officiate and burial will be made in Park cemetery.

### GAS GOES TO WASTE

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., Dec. 22.—Rationed drivers watched 500 gallons of precious gasoline trickle to waste here today when a tanker trailer of 5,000-gallon capacity splayed off ice-covered highway M-21 and crashed through a guard rail. The gasoline slopped from the tank before wreckers could pull the vehicle back on the highway. The driver of the truck, owned by the Petroleum Transportation company, Lansing, leaped from the truck before it crashed and escaped injury.

## The Weather

(From U. S. Weather Bureau)  
Lower Michigan: light rain or snow, north and west central portions Wednesday afternoon. Little change in temperature.  
Upper Michigan: Light to moderate snow Wednesday. Moderately strong winds Wednesday.

### Marquette Temperatures

Yesterday: 7:30 a. m., 27; 1 p. m., 29; 7:30 p. m., 27; highest, 30 at 11 a. m.; lowest, 23 at 1 a. m.

Humidity at 7:30 p. m. . . . .91  
Precipitation to 7:30 p. m. . . . .51 in.  
Total since Jan. 1 . . . . .33.64 in.  
Normal since Jan. 1 . . . . .31.59 in.  
Sun rises today . . . . .8:45 a. m.  
Sun sets today . . . . .5:04 p. m.

### December 22 Records

Warmest . . . . .59 in 1875  
Coldest . . . . .-10 in 1924  
Most precipitation . . . . .76 in 1930

### Temperatures:

	High	Low
Atlanta	37	29
Bismarck	39	7
Boston	13	7
Buffalo	20	13
Chicago	32	26
Cincinnati	28	23
Detroit	25	19
Duluth	24	20
Grand Rapids	26	19
Heughton	28	23
Memphis	49	44
Minneapolis St. Paul	33	32
New Orleans	66	66
New York	23	15
Omaha	33	30
Pittsburgh	21	15
St. Louis	35	29
Sault Ste. Marie	23	21
Washington	22	13

### Big Bay Sunday School Program Thursday Night

BIG BAY, Dec. 22.—Sunday school pupils of the Community Presbyterian church will give the following Christmas program Thursday evening at 7:30:

Prelude, "Adeste Fideles." Jayne Berklund; "Joy to the World," congregation; recitation, Donna Pascoe; prayer, the Rev. John Hamel; recitation, Earl Dutton; song, Sunday school; recitations, Mary Ann Phillips, Fern Chaffee and Inez Haley; duet, Donna Pascoe and Carol Hutter; reading, June Thorpe; "What a Little Child Can Do," Barbara Phillips, Martha Feltner, Eileen Fraley and Fern Chaffee; solo, Dewey Thorpe; recitations, Leola Haley and Bonnie Hutter; duet, Shirley Temple and Alta Chaffee; Christmas exercise, group of girls; solo, Fern Chaffee; recitation, Kendall Pascoe; reading, Helen Matson; recitation, Bert Bowers; solo, Mrs. Porte, accompanied by Douglas Gooding; recitations, Martha Feltner, Florence Phillips and Roy Matson; Christmas prayer, Shirley Temple; duet, Mrs. Hutter and Mrs. Berklund; "Which Candle Do You Want to Be?," Marilyn Utter, Joyce Barber, Fern Gooding and Carol Hutter; song, Sunday school; message, the Rev. John Hamel.

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## 'Anniversary' Of Accident Unlucky Day

Seven years ago, on December 22, 1935, Mrs. Delia Knapp, 59, of 537 West Washington street, was struck by a car as she ran across Presque Isle avenue. She suffered lacerations of the face and scalp and a fractured collar bone.

Yesterday, December 22, Mrs. Knapp attempted to cross West Washington street near Seventh, was struck by a car and suffered lacerations of the face and a fractured ankle.

In yesterday's accident, the car was driven by Harry Biscomb, 224 East Peck street, Negaunee, who was driving east on Washington street at 8 a. m. Mrs. Knapp, according to police reports, stepped out from the south curb and started across the street about in the middle of the block. Biscomb, police said, swerved to his left to avoid hitting her, but she ran diagonally across the street and was knocked to the pavement. She was taken to St. Luke's hospital.

In the accident seven years ago Mrs. Knapp started to cross Presque Isle avenue, also in the middle of the block. She walked into the side of a car driven by John Swajanan, 2225 Fitch avenue.

## Ration Guide

Sugar—Stamp No. 10, good for purchase of three pounds of sugar to January 31.

Coffee—Stamp No. 27 in "sugar book," good for purchase of one pound of coffee, expires January 31.  
Fuel Oil—Coupons marked Period 2, also good for 10 gallons, valid to January 27. Coupons marked Period 3, good for 11 gallons each, become valid December 23. Change making coupons good at all times. Serial numbers must be written on all stamps by consumers.  
Gasoline—Eight No. 3 stamps in basic A book good for purchase of 32 gallons through January 21. B and C book coupon good for purchase of four gallons.

Tires—Tires must be inspected at authorized inspection station by January 31, and every four months thereafter for A book holders and every two months for B card holders. Truck tires and the tires of C card holders must be inspected every two months or every 5,000 miles, whichever comes first.

Rationing board offices will not be open Wednesday afternoons, beginning January 6.

### SEEK WIFE OF DEAD MAN

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., Dec. 22.—Efforts were still without success tonight to notify Mrs. Clark Higbee, traveling in Mexico, of the death here Saturday night of her husband, Probate Judge Higbee. U. S. Senator Arthur H. Vandenberg, home for the holidays, has telegraphed Ambassador George S. Messersmith in Mexico City, enlisting his help in the search for Mrs. Higbee. Funeral arrangements have been deferred.

## Sanity Test Asked For Trapper Held for Murder

IRON MOUNTAIN, Dec. 22.—A petition asking that Emil Schroeder, 46, Iron county trapper held for the slaying November 18 of Albert Reif, 33, Wisconsin conservation warden, be placed under observation for 30 days to determine his mental condition, will be heard before Judge Murphy, of the Florence county circuit court, at Marinette.

The petition has been filed by Al-

len Wittkopf, Florence county district attorney, as a preliminary to the trial of Schroeder on first degree murder charges. Schroeder pleaded innocent when he was arraigned November 30 before Judge Irving W. Smith, Florence county judge. He is held in the Marinette county jail, without bonds.

Schroeder was arrested November 28 by state police as a suspect in the case. He admitted the shooting, according to police, when he was positively identified by Floyd Sanders, Reif's companion warden. Schroeder also admitted that he

carried on a running gun fight with Sanders before the warden emptied his and Reif's pistols and was forced to flee before the gun fire of the trapper.

Schroeder explained that he believed Reif was reaching for a gun when he put his hand inside his coat pocket.

## No Strike Proposed At Escanaba Dock Project

ESCANABA, Dec. 22.—P.—In Escanaba tonight Walter Hawkes,

executive secretary of the Michigan council, American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees, and Fred Mensing, representative of the Truck Drivers union on the new dock project here, disclaimed knowledge of any threatened "sympathy" strike on the part of truck drivers as mentioned by W. J. Patterson, of the state labor mediation board, at Lansing.

Col. J. U. Johnson, U. S. Army engineers, in charge of the Army's participation in the ore dock project, also declared he had no in-

formation of a proposed strike at the docks.



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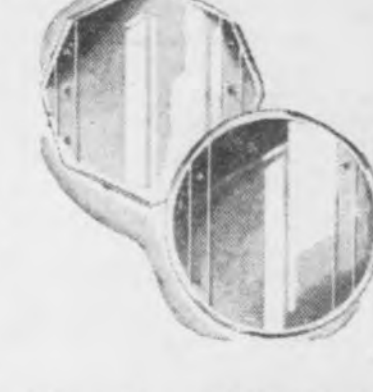
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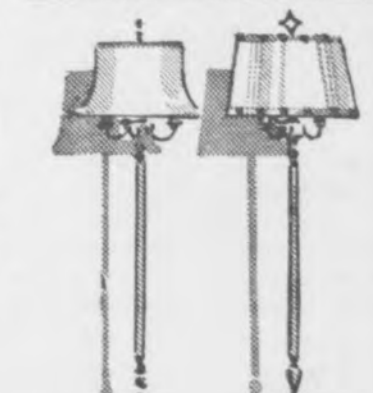
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The Astounding Russians

Leland Stowe, correspondent of the Chicago Daily News, home from a long tour of duty in Russia and the Far East, who spent many months in Russia, confesses to lack of sound ground for opinion as to how far the Russian offensives now in progress can be carried.

While he sought to learn all he could about the extent of Russian resources, he confesses that it is a subject on which he is no better informed than close students of the war who never saw Russia. He has no more knowledge than they of the extent to which Russia has developed, to make up for the industry it has lost, a new war industry west of the Urals.

If the Russians have kept their secrets from the correspondents, they have kept them equally well, it appears, from the American and British commands. They are not permitted to have observers at the front, and there is no evidence that they have been permitted to send representatives to the new war plants and the greatly augmented old Russian plants far behind the front.

Underestimation of Russian resources has been a constant quantity in the war. Its greatest penalty has fallen on the Nazis. The breach of treaty by treacherous attack was based on conviction that Moscow and Leningrad could be captured before the winter of 1941 had set in, and that before they were captured Russian military forces would be so seriously punished that Russia would be, to all intents and purposes, out of the war.

In the light of what they have accomplished nothing they may achieve in the future need be surprising. What they have done, and what they are doing, makes clear that nothing should be given second place in this country and Britain to effort to give them all the planes, tanks, artillery and munitions that can be placed in their hands.

W. K. Kelsey, writing in the Detroit News, offers the opinion, in which there will be a large measure of agreement, that the Governor-elect is getting off in a promising manner. His comment and his remarks on some of his qualities are well worth a reading.

"For a month and a half," he writes, "many thoughtful citizens have been watching Harry F. Kelly for indications as to the sort of executive he will make. He was an efficient secretary of state, but that office doesn't require a great deal of executive ability. Its duties are largely routine; it has little to do with policy. But a Governor has to make decisions, and the decisions must be right. Otherwise he piles up trouble for himself and his administration."

"The first thing noted about Mr. Kelly was that he refuses to be pushed. Many persons have handed him suggestions as to what he ought to do. Some are in regard to appointments—perhaps most. Others refer to a legislative program. Mr. Kelly has shown himself a kind receiver of suggestions. But what happens then? Nothing. He takes his time. If he has promised jobs, the secret is being well-kept. If he has given his word that he will support some pet plans submitted to him, lips are sealed. Inasmuch as one of the hardest things in the world to protect is a secret promise, one guesses that Mr. Kelly has made none, or few."

"The Governor-elect is not a brilliant man. His speeches have not been noteworthy, and his impromptu talks to the public are by no means the kind that Chase Osborn or Frank Murphy used to make. Indeed, he can get pretty badly tangled before he finds the end of a long sentence.

He is no orator, as Brutus was. But oratory is not necessarily a gubernatorial asset.

"What Michigan needs in the front office is a business manager who has enough political flair to rub people the right way and secure their co-operation. Legislators are inclined to be suspicious of orators, and to trust the man who opens his mind to them in private. Mr. Kelly's real test will come in the way he handles the Legislature. There are some tough old birds in that body who know him well. Let's watch how he gets along with him. On the whole, the outlook is favorable."

Weather Non-Cooperative

If the weather man had cooperated with the OPA this year Mr. Henderson would have had far fewer headaches the past few weeks, while the business of fuel oil rationing was being straightened out. December weather has been the most severe experienced in decades. All through the north, where the fuel rationing problem is most vexatious, temperatures have been considerably below the average for the month.

Under the best of conditions there would have been bad spots in application of the rationing formula and some breakdowns. But because the weather has been extremely cold they have been greatly aggravated. In many cities, in consequence, it has been necessary to order immediate honoring of ration coupons issued for the second period.

Most of the trouble has arisen in the large cities. There has been comparatively small amount of complaint in those of medium and small size. While the reason for this is not readily discernible, it is probably due to the fact that rationing boards in these cities have dealt more generously with applicants and the fact that in them relatively few houses are heated by use of oil.

In connection with the outcry over fuel rationing, it has been pointed out that Mr. Henderson has come in for more than his share of criticism. It is overlooked that Mr. Henderson did not determine what of the scarce commodities the public is to get. Mr. Jakes determines this in regard to fuel oil and gas; the Secretary of Agriculture in regard to foodstuffs; Mr. Jeffers in regard to rubber, and so on down the list.

It was Mr. Henderson's part to decide how the determinations of these other men are to be made effective. He has had, and his successor will have, something of the status of a whipping boy. He takes the raps. The public does not look beyond him to the men in the background. It is tough on Mr. Henderson and more than pleasant for the men behind him.

For Mr. Brown's sake, if he is to be Mr. Henderson's successor, it is to be hoped that the public will come to have a better understanding not only of the need of restriction of sales in scarcity markets, but of who decides the extent to which restrictions must be imposed.

Contemporary Opinion

The Hundred Tanks
When Winston Churchill made that speech about fighting on the beaches, in the fields, the streets and in the hills, many of his American hearers, even some of those most deeply touched, may have chafed at the tremendous effectiveness of that passage to the British Prime Minister's command of oratory.

Mr. Churchill has just disclosed part of the secret of his art in his report to the House of Commons on the subject of British tanks. The British have a formidable force of tanks today, of tested and superior type. But when Mr. Churchill made that moving speech just after the fall of France, Britain had a mere 100 tanks of a sort which in France had been found too weak to stand up to German guns.

Thirty Years Ago

Marquette
F. H. Vandenberg, proprietor of the Marquette City Dairy, announces that he is going into the cattle-raising business on an extensive scale. As soon as he has a sufficient number of first-class cattle of his own breeding, he not only will be able to supply a still larger proportion of the population of Marquette with cream and milk, but will manufacture all the butter he will put on the market.

H. C. Wise, who has been a stenographer in the office of Thomas B. Wise in Munising, has accepted a position in the offices of the Lake Shore Engine Works in this city.

Harvey Rose went to Calumet to attend a dancing party given by the Inter Se club. This Misses Agnes and Victoria Rippele arrived home from Escanaba, where they spent two months.

Seymour Charlton has arrived home from Big Rapids, where he has been attending Ferris Institute, to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Fred Charlton.

W. H. Beckerleg, who was one of the Democratic candidates for county office in November, is seeking the office of food and dairy inspector in this district. He is circulating a petition among his Ishpeming friends which he will send to Governor-elect Woodbridge N. Ferris.

Miss Lydia Ring, daughter of John Ring, was the winner of the diamond ring contest conducted at Ishpeming theater for the last two months. Miss Ring received more than 45,000 votes.

Henry Devine, who is employed as a mining engineer at the Cordova property in Canada, arrived home to spend Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Devine.

A number of 1912 pennies have been put in circulation here. They have a handsome appearance, bearing an embossed portrait of Abraham Lincoln on one side and a wreath on the opposite side. Above the Lincoln head there is the familiar phrase, "In God We Trust." Under the head is the date, "1912." The opposite side has an inscription reading "One Cent."

A resumption of work at the Mary Charlotte mine tomorrow morning, after a strike of a days' duration, was assured when General Manager Pattison agreed to the men's request for a minimum wage for contract miners of \$2.55 a day, trammers to be paid at the present scale of \$2.35.

Joseph H. Hollman, who has been in the employ of the Breitung company for several years as a blacksmith, left for his old home in England and will sail from New York on the steamer Lusitania.

Frank and Samuel Tippett, who left Negunee several months ago to take positions at a gold mine in Canada, have returned to this city to spend the holidays with relatives. Frank Tippett is master mechanic at the property. For several years he was employed as a mechanic at mines on the Marquette range and prior to accepting his present position in Canada was master mechanic of the Volunteer Ore company's Volunteer mine on the Cascade range.

It is difficult to make out whether the latest War Labor Board decision in the Yellow Truck and Coach Manufacturing Company case is really a break with the board's original position or not. In the Mack Manufacturing Corporation case decided some time ago, the board pointed to the fact that unions had given up the right to strike for the duration, and argued that the unions ought therefore to be rewarded with a "union maintenance" clause in their contracts. Such a clause is a form of the closed shop.

In the Yellow Truck case, however, the WLB decided to tie some strings on the "union maintenance" clause, by making the operation of that provision contingent upon the union's avoidance of strikes.

Both decisions come to the same thing in the last analysis, but the latter decision seems to indicate that the board, like the general public, is no longer taken in by the "no-strike" pledges of William Green and Phillip Murray. The WLB's own report some time ago showed that in the first seven months of this year, stoppages in war industries caused a loss of 1,130,673 man-days of work, and that eight out of every 10,000 war workers were idle because of strikes. During that period, at least 285,734 workers ignored the pledge not to strike.

While ordinarily these figures would have led almost anyone else to suspect that the "no-strike" pledge was meaningless, the board seems to have taken considerable time to come around to that conclusion. Perhaps the recent election indicated too clearly to be ignored a strong shift in public opinion on labor matters, and perhaps the fear that the new Congress may do some vigorous sweeping around the nation's capital, especially among the agencies created by the President, may have had something to do with the board's most recent tightening of its policy.—Chicago Journal of Commerce.

A young white lieutenant with violently red hair flaring out from under his overseas cap was working at a table, censoring outgoing mail of the Negro motor truck regiment. One letter was addressed to one of those mail order houses that advertise "novelties" in pulp magazines and said that a draft for \$45 was enclosed, for which please send a couple dozen packs of Lumina marked cards and some luminous loaded dice for playing in the blackout.

Today in Washington

By David Lawrence
WASHINGTON, Dec. 21—Have the American people even the slightest conception of the magnitude of the war operations that lie ahead?

That question propounded to this correspondent the other day by a high ranking officer in one of the armed services reflects in its very wording a feeling of worry that is rather widespread among those whose whole life-time has been spent in studying not merely the fighting side but what it takes to supply a modern army, navy and air force.

Judging by the comments of the man on the street, the vast space across North Africa is dwarfed by the impression given by maps printed on a small scale and yet at no time in World War I and not anywhere except in Africa in World War II have any such distances or supply problems been encountered. Even in Russia there are railroads and motor roads for mechanized equipment which are not found in Africa.

Distance is likewise underestimated by the man on the street when the operations of our Navy in the Pacific are appraised. Never in world history has any Navy been compelled to fight a major war against an enemy 10,000 miles away from one's own mainland.

The second reason—why the Pacific are so tremendous and the amount of equipment which has been allocated with which to do the job there is so woefully inadequate that unless a change is effected it may be assumed the United States may be fighting for many years before a victory is won.

These, two ways by which this war can be ended—by internal collapse from within the enemy country or by military triumph.

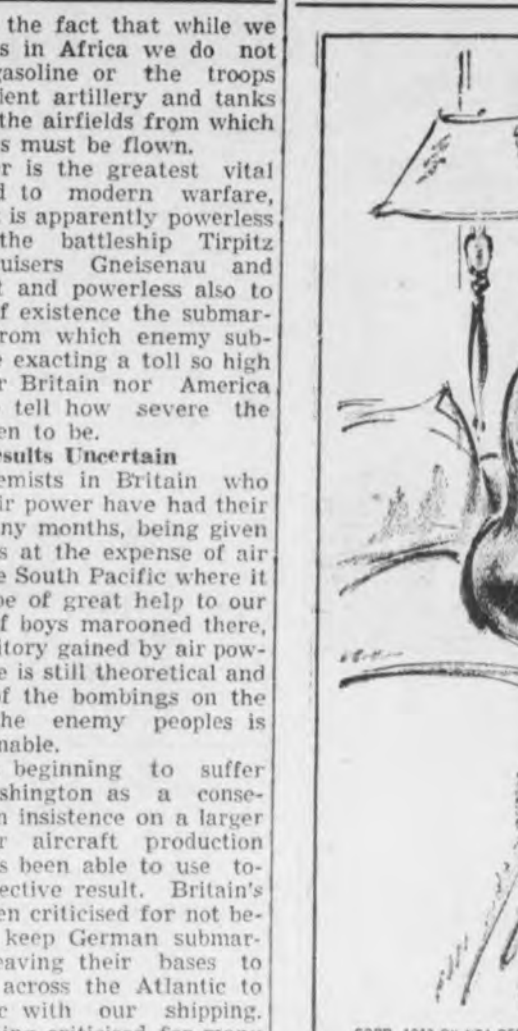
The first of these presents a most discouraging aspect, because on our side there is still a neglect of psychological warfare and a failure to reach the hearts of enemy populations by such sincere expressions of purpose as will bring conviction to them. The psychological front is in a discouraging status still do not think America will make the prodigious effort required of her to assure military victory.

The second reason—of winning by military procedure alone—is not fully understood. When the headlines tell of a spectacular expedition in Africa or of a victory by a squadron of cruisers in the Pacific, the American public assumes that a war which is actually being won at snail's pace is moving in a tempo which will bring victory in a year or thereabouts.

The truth is hard to impart because the public lacks the basic knowledge needed to understand the huge distances and supply problems involved. A disservice incidentally has been done by the extreme advocates of victory through air power alone. They have been well intentioned, but they have overlooked the fact that while we have planes in Africa we do not have the gasoline or the troops with sufficient artillery and tanks to capture the airfields from which those planes must be flown.

Air power is the greatest vital force added to modern warfare, but alone it is apparently powerless to disable the battleship Tirpitz and the cruisers Geisenau and Scharnhorst and powerless also to bomb out of existence the submarine bases from which enemy submarines are exacting a toll so high that neither Britain nor America ventures to tell how severe the losses happen to be.

Side Glances



"You tell me—do I look like a re-tread? That's what I hear the kids of this war are calling us veterans of the last!"

Frantic Festival

By Edmund Fancott
THE STORY: Myra Mack and Fay Rathbone, two Montreal girls, are invited to spend their Christmas vacations in the Laurentians, as guests of eccentric Ferdor Lorton, artist, Beano McCluskey, a wrestler who has in his possession a fortune in stolen jewels, welcomes an opportunity to go to Canada as a guest at the cottage. To escape detection, he poses as a Santa Claus in a department store. Losing his temper when youngsters play tricks on him, Beano dashes out of the store and into the car of Lieut. Ross Benson, who, by chance, is also a guest.

STUDIO MEETING
CHAPTER IV
Thus it happened that a conjunction of meetings took place in Ferdor's studio around noon two days before the day before Christmas. Ferdor was putting the last brush strokes to his masterpiece for Benson's Benign Bath Soap and Leona was rising with languid grace from the chiffon foam on the studio throne. Ferdor was expecting Myra Mack and Fay Rathbone to drop in with their skis and sundry parcels that he was taking up north that afternoon. They were to follow next day by train.

He was also expecting Benny Brier, who had telephoned that he would be around some time to take him to meet Beano McCluskey, who he said, had been booked for a very important act in one of the most important stores in town. Beano, he added, was one of the bigtime child entertainers in the States. He little knew when he telephoned how sensational Beano's act had become or how at that very moment police squad cars were scouring the byways of the city looking for a large man in a demented state dressed as Santa Claus.

The said Santa Claus, huddled in the seat of Ross Benson's car, was wearing sanctuary. The car drew up opposite the studio. Ferdor was wiping his brushes as they entered the studio. He was seldom put out by anything, but even he hesitated when he saw the massive Santa Claus behind him.

"Beano McCluskey," introduced Ross. "One of your guests, I believe. Beano, this is your host."

"Very glad to meet you," replied Beano, peeling off his red robe. He had found the store much too hot for comfort and had found that he could withstand the strain much better if he wore the red robe over his long underwear. Ferdor and Ross stared as they saw him revealed in skintight long sweaters, a magnificent figure of a man stretching and flexing his muscles in relief.

Ross crossed to the picture on the easel. "Hallo, Ferdor, is this the masterpiece for the old man?"

Smiles

Knew What She Wanted
Getting railroad accommodations is another thing that seems to get new secretaries all in a dither. One called a ticket office last week and finally got a clerk on the wire.

"I want a round trip ticket," she began.

"Yes, yes, lady," said the clerk. "But where to?"

"Why," she exclaimed, "back here of course."

Bad Guesses
An Allied landing may be attempted in Morocco. Such an attack will be a failure because Casablanca is an impenetrable fortress.—Admiral Lutetow, broadcasting from Berlin, Nov. 6, 1942.

The Americans are military dictators. By their procedure so far they have revealed themselves bunglers and their youthful, overbearing, blustering spirit of pushing on will lead to serious reverses for them. The United States north African venture will turn out to be a second Dunkerque within 14 days.—Berlin broadcast by "military spokesman," Nov. 14, 1942.—New Yorker.

(To Be Continued)

Baruch Saw War Clouds

In the summer of 1938 Bernard M. Baruch went abroad for his annual cure at Vichy which was still what nature intended it to be, a well run spa and not a seat of government. Having leisurely completed his cure, he stopped in Paris to see old friends among the ruling clique. His position in the last war, the weight of his wealth and prestige, to say nothing of the dynamic force of his personality, had long since put him on terms of intimacy with the elite, with military men, with high politicians, the small group that governed France.

So he talked to the men of France who were responsible, if anyone was responsible, for armament production. From Paris he went to London and then on home, and a conference with the President.

Coming out of the President's office, Baruch said that immediate preparedness was essential for national security. He urged an increase in the Army to not less than 400,000 effectives, with a high degree of mechanization; the Army eventually to have a total strength of 550,000. He urged the construction of airplanes and still more bombers. He suggested the need for a two-ocean Navy. He recommended adoption of a plan of industrial mobilization to be worked out at once. He stressed the need for an immediate program for far closer cultural and economic collaboration with Latin America.

And, but not least, he urged a tax program for the White House on the shortest possible time. There were headlines in all the evening papers: "Baruch Urges National Rearm."

The next day at President Roosevelt's regular Friday morning press conference, one of the first questions that came out of the crowd gathered in front of his desk was about the need for military preparedness. Without any reference to the Baruch interview, he replied that he believed the nation should begin to arm in view of the European threat to peace and security. His statement, too, caused a sensation throughout the country. It was fairly obvious that there must have been some relation between what Baruch said on Thursday and the President's said on Friday. White House visitors who expect to come back again do not use the White House steps as a sounding board for their views without having had some indication that this will meet with the President's approval. What is probable is that the two men agreed on a plan to arouse the American people to the immediate need for armament.

What happened next was profoundly revealing. In Berlin the little Dr. Goebbels pushed all the propaganda buttons. Twenty-four hours later the German papers were filled with attacks on Baruch of the most virulent sort. "The Jew Baruch smelt Business Profits," said a front page headline. Along with this venom went attacks on "the bellicose clique of Churchillians" in London. And, of course, these attacks were reflected all over the world.

In Father Coughlin's Social Justice and in numerous other sheets there was busily spreading the pro-Nazi line, Goebbels' propaganda was displayed with the same virulent enthusiasm that the German press had shown. Thousands of copies of a vicious cartoon of Baruch, drawn by a great, fat, paunch and a hooked nose, grasping his money bags, were circulated throughout the country.

That is a bit of significant history we dare not ignore. Those same papers that deliberately spread the attack on the rearmament proposal are, many of them, still today spreading the Goebbels line. They are filled with the venom of anti-Semitism even though this incident alone should have taught us what a powerful weapon in the hands of our enemies that poison is. The expert propaganda analysts would do a great service if they would dig in to the Baruch episode, for it is a classic example of how our policy may be indicated by the pressure of enemy propaganda.



## Bureau Set To Accent Crop Production

A coordinated program, well-planned and publicized and carried through with assistance of available manpower not required in the armed forces and war factories, will enable the Upper Peninsula to reach goals called for by the President's "Food for Freedom" campaign.

That's the opinion of George E. Bishop, secretary-manager of the Upper Peninsula Development bureau, in commenting on the task farmers face in stepping up production of crops an average of 23 per cent over 1942.

How will farmers be able to meet the higher goals? Bishop stated that leadership for the job naturally belongs to Michigan State college, county agricultural agents and extension workers, and that the task itself, is a problem for farmers.

Everybody's Job  
However, he continued, the challenge in the "Food for Freedom" campaign is one not alone for farmers, but calls for "every girl and boy, every man and woman in the Peninsula, chambers of commerce and civic organizations, every war-time bureau and committee to get in there and pitch to the end that the farmer has the encouragement, cooperation and assistance needed to do the job. Every vacant lot, either through 4-H club work or through Victory gardens, must be utilized if the campaign is to be successful."

Bishop pointed out yesterday that valuable assistance in publicity and in coordination can be rendered by business interests, the press, chambers of commerce, Rotary, Kiwanis and Lions clubs, county defense organizations and county planning committees, functioning through the Development bureau. He suggested that funds might be made available to stimulate a spirit of contest within individual counties and that appeals can be issued to the right sources when crucial labor shortages which are certain to develop occur.

The Development bureau, he said, with its ability to bring resort dollars into the region curtailed through travel restrictions, "is the logical organization to unite and make available to farmers the cooperation and assistance needed if the Upper Peninsula is to reach the 1943 food production goal."

He cited records which disclosed that helping agriculture to succeed in the Upper Peninsula always has been one of the bureau's principal aims, particularly during the period between 1923 and 1928. Primary purpose of the organizations in 1911 was utilization of northern cutover lands, with the original program of immigration and colonization modified by projects to help farmer succeed rather than increasing their numbers.

### Look Lead in Farm Progress

Toward the end, the records reveal, the Bureau took the lead in the movement or county agricultural agents, in the upbuilding of dairying and has worked for expansion of boys' and girls' club work, for better poultry and for more sheep properly handled and protected from predators.

In addition, it helped in initiating and carrying out purebred sire campaigns and has been one of the active sponsors of county and Upper Peninsula potato shows each year. It also has helped arrange programs and given considerable publicity to the annual roundup at Chatham and many other events that were directly beneficial to farmers.

Bishop summed up the Bureau's activities by saying that for 31 years it has served as a clearing house for general information on the Upper Peninsula and as a medium through which, by concerted endeavor, a profitable utilization of natural resources has been effected.



**GIRAUD'S DELIVERER**—Capt. Jerauld Wright, U.S.N., who picked up Gen. Henri Honore Giraud, and took him from France out to sea where the general transferred to a plane and arrived in Algiers in time for Yank invasion.

## Bennett To Support U. P. Forest Bill

Modification of Rep. Frank E. Hook's legislation providing for Federal purchase of a large area of Porcupine Mountain forests apparently will be the result of a conference of Gogebic and Ontonagon county residents interested in the acquisition.

The conference, held in Ironwood, was attended by Congressman-elect John E. Bennett, Ontonagon. After hearing discussion on the subject, Bennett pledged himself to do everything possible at Washington, consistent with the major issue of winning the war, in support of legislation which will accomplish the conference objective.

Some sentiment prevailed that, because of the need of lumber products for war uses, no action should be taken at this time which would in any way curtail or limit the use of America's lumber supply.

It was agreed, however, that a sizable area around Lake of the Clouds and Mirror Lake, a strip bordering Lake Superior between Union bay and the mouth of the Presque Isle river, and valleys of the Presque Isle and Black rivers, should be preserved in virgin state because of their scenic and social values. These areas for many years have served as a major tourist attraction.

Some persons pointed out that Hook's bill, pigeon-holed in Congress, called for too large an outlay by the Government for purchase of 140,000 acres in Porcupine region. Supporters of the plan for over a decade have declared that the forests in the area were being ruthlessly destroyed under prevailing forestry practices and that the big stands of virgin timber would be exhausted in a short time unless a sustained yield method of cutting were adopted. Logging companies moving across Lower Michigan and other states have left a trail of valueless lands by indiscriminate cutting of forests, it was contended.

### Big Bay

**Community Celebration**—Community Christmas festivities will be held tonight, beginning at 7, with the singing of carols around the tree, after which a musical program will be given in the school building. Santa will distribute candy to the children. Mrs. William Berklund is in charge of arrangements.

## Republic

Miss Gertrude Heline, Ironwood, is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Vieira.

Mining Journal carriers in Republic will collect Thursday this week and next instead of Saturday.

Corp. Eino E. Lake, of the Blackland Army Flying School, Waco, Texas, is here visiting his brother-

in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold J. Kesikitalo.

Alger A. Gustafson, of the Iron Mountain office of the War Production Board, was a Republic visitor Tuesday.

Miss Norma Arola, who teaches school in Sebawaing, will arrive here tonight to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Arola.

Mrs. Elsie Dawson and son, Jackie, have gone to Chicago to

spend the holidays visiting Mrs. Dawson's sons, Frankie and Jimmy, who have completed their "boot" training at the Great Lakes Naval station.

**Program Christmas Night**—The English Methodist Sunday school Christmas program will be held at 7 Christmas night and the public is invited. The program, announced by Mrs. Chester Brown, Sunday school superintendent, follows: Song, "Away In A Manger"

Primary class; recitations, Ronnie Lyyski, Jacqueline Consul, Shirley Martin, Lee Campbell, Antonette Kenney and Caroline Brown; vocal solo, Barbara Consul; recitations, Wanda Jane Hocking, Glenn Brown and Rosemary Nyman; vocal solo, Judy Lyyski; recitations, Charles Martin, Beverly Lyyski and Barbara Consul; song, Intermediate group; playlet, "Mother" Jane Kenney; Children, Jessie Kenney, Alex McCool and Judy Lyyski; recitations, Margaret McCool, Joan Mor-

ris and Vickie Lou Betker; vocal solo, Jessie Kenney; reading, Shirley Peterson; recitation, Jimmy Cox.

**Program Tonight**—The Republic Bible church Sunday school classes will present their Christmas program in the Church this evening. The public is invited to attend.

**Early Morning Services**—The Rev. John F. Saarinen, pastor of the Finnish Evangelical Lutheran

church will conduct early-morning worship at 6 Christmas morning. The Finnish department of the Sunday school will present its program at 3 Christmas afternoon.

As late as 1940 heavy bombers were still considered "flying targets."

Wings of gliders are constructed of aircraft spruce and mahogany plywood.

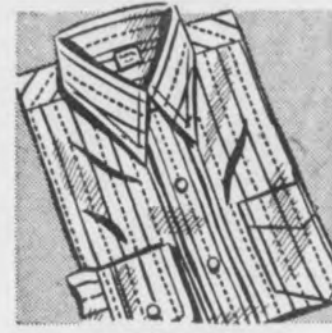
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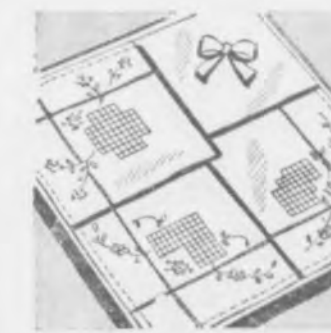
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These are so comfortable! Soft brown kid, with patent trim, flexible leather soles. Values!



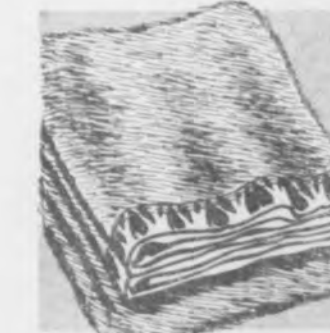
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### Ex-Teacher Gets 3 Years' Hard Labor

IRON MOUNTAIN, Dec. 22 — Pvt. Milton Becker, former Crystal Falls school teacher who resided on a farm near Traders mine until his arrest August 13 for desertion from the Army, was convicted at Fort Custer by an Army general court martial and sentenced to a dishonorable discharge and three years at hard labor. His conviction and sentence are subject to review by an Army board.

Testimony in the case was given by Ray Derham, secretary of the Dickinson county draft board; Sheriff Corey, Undersheriff Rahm and Don Keithley, News reporter, of Iron Mountain, and Major Kiblinger, head of the Kalamazoo Army induction board, called by the Government, and Becker's company commander and first sergeant, for the defense.

**Unsworn Statement**  
Becker made an unsworn statement before the court in which he pleaded he had misunderstood his induction into the Army; that he had tried to be a "good soldier" since his arrest and assignment at Fort Custer and that he was willing to serve in the Army.

An unsworn statement may be made by an accused before a court martial, and the defendant is not subject to cross-examination by the trial judge advocate, whose function is similar to that of the prosecuting attorney in civilian procedure.

Becker was defended by Captain Hannan, post personnel officer. The trial judge advocate was Lieutenant Cowgill. Senior members of the 12-man court were from the Sixth Corps area command headquarters and junior members were officers at the post.

**Failed To Report**  
Becker became an Army deserter when he failed to report for active duty after being inducted into the Army two weeks previously at Traverse City. He, his wife and six-month-old son were living with his parents when he was taken into custody on an Army warrant by Rahm and Albert Schupp, former member of the city police force now in the Army.

Following his arrest he issued a statement from the county jail in which he objected to Army service, stating, "no one, not even Winston Churchill, can show me why I have to go to Australia, Africa, Ireland or any other part of the British Empire to defend democracy."

Administration foreign policies, he wrote, were responsible for the Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor, and he charged that President Roosevelt had broken his campaign pledge that American troops would not be sent to fight on foreign shores.

Becker is a graduate of Western Michigan College of Education and taught last year at Crystal Falls, where he was assistant coach.

### Furlong Quits As Michigan Defense Head

LANSING, Dec. 22.—P.—Lt. Col. Harold A. Furlong, Pontiac, today submitted his resignation as state defense administrator to Governor Van Wagoner, announcing he was accepting an assignment with the Army Medical Corps.

Furlong said he had been transferred by the Army from duty with the state selective service headquarters and had been ordered to report to the medical service school at Carlisle Barracks near Harrisburg, Pa. He will leave next week.

At a joint press conference, Governor Van Wagoner and Governor-elect Kelly announced that Robert H. Byers, executive secretary of the state defense council, would serve as acting administrator until Kelly appoints Furlong's successor.

Furlong, Van Wagoner and Kelly said the colonel's assignment to active duty was at the order of the War department and emphasized the move was not at the request of any state official. Furlong was appointed by Van Wagoner last year after the defense council was created by the 1941 legislature.

**Defense Setup Excellent**  
"They wanted me for a long time," Van Wagoner declared. "It was just a case of how long we could hold him. Col. Furlong has done an exceptionally fine job with a very difficult problem and under his leadership Michigan has one of the best civilian defense organizations in the country."

The Governor, expressing a hope that "we will not become lax because we are winning a few battles," drew the comment estimated that 450,000 persons were assigned to civilian defense duties under Furlong's direction.

Furlong received no salary as defense council administrator, but has been paid by the Federal Government for his other duties as chief of the medical section of the state selective service system.

### Park Program Suffers From Public Laxity

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state aid for their sport. Hoffmaster asserted that "the public must rely on the vision of its public officials" for extending park recreation.

Other large states have exceeded Michigan by far in park development, he said, asserting that California had issued \$12,000,000 worth of bonds for park purposes. A bond issue, or legislative appropriation of \$4,500,000 to buy available lands while still available at reasonable cost, has been proposed for Michigan.

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**JELL-O** SIX FLAVORS 3 Pkgs. **19c**

**CRISCO** 3-Lb. Can **69c**

**IVORY SOAP** 3 Giant Bars **29c**

**PEACHES** 2 29 oz. Cans **38c**

**BARTLETT PEARS** 29 oz. Can **21c**

**FANCY TOMATO JUICE** 46 oz. Can **19c**

**CHASE & SANBORN** COFFEE **LB. 29c**

**MIXED NUTS** FANCY **LB. 29c**

**PILLSBURY'S BEST CIGARETTES** FLOUR 24 1/2 LB. BAG **99c**

Chesterfield, Luckies Old Gold, Camels CRTN. **1.24**

**Kellogg's** 2 Lge. Boxes **17c**

**Stokley** BABY FOOD 4 Cans **25c**

**Ketchup** PIK NIK 14 Oz. Btl. **12c**

**Sno-Sheen** Cake Flour 44 oz. Box **23c**

**Beverage** 4 24 Oz. Btl. **25c**

**Campbell's** Tomato Soup 3 cans **25c**

**XMAS HARD CANDY** 2 lbs. **27c**

**GORN** Whole Kernel 2 No. 2 Cans **27c**

**FRESH FRUITS and VEGETABLES**

**CRANBERRIES** 2 lbs. **41c**

**FRESH SHALLOTS** Bch. **5c**

**BANANAS, yellow, firm** 3 lbs. **25c**

**LOCAL POTATOES** Peck **35c**

**WAGNER APPLES** 4 lbs. **25c**

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**PORK SAUSAGE MEAT** For Dressing **Lb. 25c**

**JACK SPRAT BACON** Sliced from Slab **Lb. 34c**

**SAUERKRAUT** 2-Lb. Glass **20c**

**RIB ROAST OF BEEF** Prime **Lb. 30c**

**BUDED WALNUTS** Large, in the shell **Lb. 35c**

**SPANISH ONIONS** **Lb. 7c**

**SWEET POTATOES** Jersey **Lb. 9c**

**HEAD LETTUCE** **Ea. 15c**

**CALIF. CARROTS** **Bch. 12c**

**CELERY** Stalk **15c** **SHALLOTS** 2 bchs. **15c**

**CUCUMBERS** **Lb. 25c**

**RADISH** 2 Bchs. **9c** **BEETS** Fresh 2 Bchs. **15c**

**BRUSSEL SPROUTS** **Box 28c**

**FANCY PARSNIPS** **Lb. 8c**

**CALIF. TOMATOES** **Lb. 20c**

**EMPEROR GRAPES** **Lb. 16c**

**APPLE JUICE** 1/2 Gal. Jug **39c**

**CRANBERRIES** **Lb. 25c**

**GRAPEFRUIT** Texas Pink Seedless **3 For 22c**

**GRAPEFRUIT** 96 Size **6 For 27c**

**DELICIOUS APPLES** **3 Lbs. 28c**

**APPLES** Winter Banana, Fancy **3 Lbs. 25c**

**CALIF. ORANGES** 176 Size **Doz. 61c**

**CALIF. DATES** **Lb. 39c**

**RUTABAGAS** Fancy **Lb. 4c**

**PEANUTS** Salted in the Shell **Bag 22c**

**PURE APPLE CIDER** 1/2 Gal. Jug **45c**

**CHOCOLATES** Fancy 5-Lb. Box **1.85 - 2.25 - 2.50**

**NUT CANDIES** Milk Caramel **Lb. 33c**

**MIXED NUTS** New Fancy **Lb. 33c**

**ASSORTED CANDY** Mitzi **1-Lb. Cello 20c**

**MICHIGAN MINTS** 100 Count Cello **95c**

**CHICKEN BONES** **Lb. 42c**

**100% FILLED CANDY** **Lb. 22c**

**PEPPERMINT STICKS** Jumbo **Lb. 25c**

**STUFFIN' BREAD** **Loaf 15c**

**BREAD** **3 Loaves 25c**

**PUMPKIN PIES** **Lge. 25c**

**XMAS LAYER CAKE** Mint Flavor **Lge. 45c**

**FRUIT COFFEE CAKE** **Ea. 20c**

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### U. P. Bureau Reports On Winter Sport

Plans for extensive development of ski hills in Escanaba have been temporarily suspended because of the dock construction program there, but wartime conditions have not curtailed winter sports programs in other communities in the Upper Peninsula, the U. P. Development bureau reported yesterday. The bureau describes conditions and equipment at Ironwood and Escanaba as follows:

#### In Escanaba

Because of the dock building program, which has taken in territory about 100 feet from the ski hill shelter and some of the undeveloped hills, Escanaba's plans for a larger winter recreational area have been curtailed. Because the road to the hills has been declared a defense area, a new one will be built, but may not be ready until after January 1. It has been planned to build a ski tow, but shortage of materials forced cancellation of that project.

Two bowls for recreational skiing, shelter house, ski trails and a junior jump providing leaps of not more than 100 feet are available for recreational purposes. The area is four miles outside the city and it is planned to provide house and sleigh service when the new road is opened.

Three lighted outdoor rinks with warming houses, two outdoor hockey rinks and an indoor rink are available for skaters in the city. Highlight of Escanaba's winter sports season has been its active figure skating club, which has presented outstanding ice revues and has appeared at many of the spectacular carnivals in the Upper Peninsula.

#### In Ironwood

With a snowfall that averages 150 inches annually, Ironwood enjoys winter sports from four to five months a year. Its sports area is at Mount Zion, only one-half



**CORRESPONDENT DECORATED**—Les (Bill) Disher, United Press war correspondent from Winston-Salem, N. C., leans on crutches as Maj.-Gen. Lloyd R. Fredendall decorates him with the Purple Heart. Disher was wounded during attack on Oran in North Africa. (NEA Telephone)

mile north of the downtown business district.

Available there are a modern shelter lodge, with free facilities; supervised downhill, slalom, cross-country and jumping slopes for beginners and experts, ski trails that take from one-half to two hours to traverse, and slopes that are well-lighted for night skiing. A 1,500-foot ski tow, operating at 15 miles an hour, is available at a charge of 50 cents a day.

Indoor and outdoor skating rinks are located in the city.

Ski jumping tournaments held annually at Wolverine hill have attracted such nationally known

riders as Torger Torkle, Ryder Anderson, Arthur Devlin and the Bielita brothers.

#### Union Vote Dec. 29

CRYSTAL FALLS, Dec. 22—Employees of the Ravenna-Prickett mine, operated by the Inland Steel company, will ballot Dec. 29 on collective bargaining. The petition for the election was sent in by the new local, No. 2246, United Steel Workers of America, CIO affiliate, which claims a membership of a majority of the men. Approximately 52 are eligible to vote.

#### L'Anse

Mildred Reed, Detroit, is visiting her mother, Mrs. George Reed.

Miss Mae Beale is visiting her parents in Michigamme.

Miss Aune Nurmi, who has been employed in Detroit, is visiting her parents in the township.

Leo Outinen, principal of the grade school, is visiting relatives in Trimountain.

Miss Clair Sliney, Latin instructor, is spending the holidays at the home of her parents in Ishpeming.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Baltic, Escanaba, are spending the holidays at the home of Mrs. Baltic's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Johnston.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hampton and children will spend Christmas with her parents in Iron River and

later will visit his parents in Ne-gaunee.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Knutson and son will spend Christmas at the home of his parents in Mellen, Wis.

Harvey Hyle, manual arts instructor in the junior high school, is spending the holidays at his home in Oshkosh, Wis.

Harold Bordeleau has returned to Camp Robinson, Ark., after spending a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nels Bordeleau.

Miss Mary Jane Brennan, who is attending Marygrove college, Detroit, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Brennan.

**Brennan Gets Wings**—Patrick Brennan, son of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Brennan, L'Anse, was commissioned an ensign in the U. S. Naval Reserve Friday and was designated a naval aviator at the weekly graduation ceremonies held at the

#### Gwinn

The women's bridge and cribbage groups will not meet during the holiday season. They will resume play Tuesday, January 5.

**Annual Community Treat**—The community treat for children of the Gwinn district will be held at the Gwinn clubhouse Christmas eve. A program of Christmas songs will begin at 6:30 and Santa Claus will appear about 7. It is hoped that persons driving cars from Princeton to Austin who have room for children will help transport them to the club.

**Cribbage Tonight**—Tonight the men's cribbage teams will meet in a tournament. Persons planning

Naval Air Training center at Corpus Christi, Tex.

to play are requested to select their partner early. Players will draw for their opponents and play will start at 7:30.

**Swedish "Julotta"**—A Christmas service in Swedish will be heard Christmas morning from the Trinity Lutheran church, Chicago, over the NBC network through station WMAQ, from 5:30 until 7. Dr. Julius Lincoln will deliver the sermon and the church choir will sing.

**Finnish Lutheran Services**—A Christmas service in English will be held Christmas eve at 11 in the Finnish Lutheran church. Services in Finnish will be held Christmas morning at 6 and at both services the Women's choir will sing. The Sunday school will give its Christmas program in the church parlors Christmas day at 7 p. m. The monthly program given by members of the church board will be held in the church parlors Saturday evening at 7:30. Julius Koski

will be in charge and lunch will be served. Other Christmas services in the Gwinn pastorate: Christmas day, at 10 a. m.; at Tremont, at 2 p. m. Saturday at Carlshend, at 2 Sunday, Dec. 27, at Daggett at 11. m. and at Kipling at 7:30 p. m.

#### Kolbow Succeeds Bradford

SAULT STE. MARIE, Dec. 22—The Michigan Bell Telephone company today announced the appointment of John W. Kolbow, of Saginaw, as manager of its Sault Ste. Marie area to succeed Stephen N. Bradford, who has retired after a career of nearly 38 years with the nation-wide Bell system. Kolbow, whose appointment is effective January 1, is promoted from his former post of unit manager at Saginaw. A native of that city, he has been with the company since 1928.

# CHRISTMAS FOOD SPECIALS

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NICOLET, COLOSSAL SWEET PEAS . . . . . 20 oz. 15c	BLUE PLATE LARGE SHRIMP . . . 7 oz. 32c
TASTY PAK, NO. 2 SVE., EARLY JUNE PEAS . . . . . 20 oz. 27c	NICOLET DILL PICKLES . . . . . 32 oz. 21c
WHOLE, SMALL UNGRADED GREEN BEANS . . . . . 19 oz. 17c	GREEN BRER RABBIT MOLASSES . . . . . 25 oz. 29c
CAMPBELL'S NEW RECIPE TOMATO SOUP 3 10 1/2 oz. 25c	NICOLET, SWEET MIDGET PICKLES . . . . . 12 oz. 21c

**PEANUTS** ROASTED FRESH DAILY 2 LBS. 33c

**GRAPEFRUIT** Texas New Crop 10 FOR 25c

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COMPOUND OF VANILLA . . . . . 8 oz. 12c

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PAPER BAKING CUPS . . . . . 85 Ct. Pkg. 9c

**SNO SHEEN** CAKE 44 oz. 21c  
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FILLSBURY'S BEST FLOUR . . . . . 49-Lb. Bag 2.13

SPECIAL WALNUT MEATS . . . . . 1/2 Lb. Cello 33c

BRAZIL NUT MEATS . . . . . 1/2 Lb. Cello 29c

GLACE PINEAPPLE OR CHERRIES . . . . . Lb. 45c

**POTATOES** IDAHO BAKERS . . . 10 lbs. 39c

**YAMS** DELICIOUS SWEET POTATOES . . . 5 lbs. 29c

**EGGS** Grade "B", Medium Doz. 42c

**LETTUCE** EXT. LGE. HEADS Ea. 15c

**GRAPES** CALIF. RED EMPEROR . . . Lb. 15c

**CARROTS** LARGE, FRESH BUNCHES . . 2 lbs. 19c

**ORANGES** NEW CROP—TEXAS JUICE . . Doz. 30c

Extra Large Calif. Navel Oranges . . Doz. 59c

**TANGERINES** LARGE SWEET JUICY DOZ. 23c

**POPCORN BALLS** FRESH, GOOD 12 FOR 12c

**TOMATO JUICE** NICOLET 16 OZ. CAN 21c

**GRACKERS** NABISCO RITZ Lb. Box 21c

**COOKIES** OH HENRY 48 Ct. Box 25c

**FINGERS** CHOCOLATE NUT Lb. 25c

**COCOANUT** FANCY SHREDDED 1/2 LB. CELLO 14c

**SPRY** Or **CRISCO** SHORTENING 3 LBS. 68c

**PEANUT BUTTER** NICOLET 2-LB. JAR 40c

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GROUND **ROUND STEAK** . . . LB. 29c

**WHEATIES** 8 OZ. PKG. 10c

**SUNMAID FIGS** 6 oz. Lb. 11c

**PRUNES** LARGE, 30-40 SIZE Lb. 17c

**PECANS** LARGE PAPER SHELL Lb. 35c

**MIXED NUTS** FANCY Lb. 27c

**PLUM PUDDING** . . . 12 OZ. PKG. 14c

**DESSERT** ALL FLAVORS, ROYAL GELATINE 3 3/4 oz. Pkgs. 20c

**PEANUTS** SALTED 12 oz. Pkg. 18c

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CALIF. TREE RIPENED Table Dates . . . . . 8 oz. Pkg. 23c

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Fancy Table Figs and Raisins

California Budded Walnuts

Fig-Date-Plum Puddings

Beer — Wine — Champagne

Candy — Cigars — Cigarettes

**MEAT SUGGESTIONS**

FANCY GAPONS — CHICKENS

PORK SAUSAGE . . . . . Lb. 39c

RIB PORK PORK LOIN . . . . . Lb. 33c

SLICED BACON . . . . . 1-lb. pkg. 3c

Fresh Oysters — Fresh Shrimp

Lobster Tails — Halibut

**FRUITS & VEGETABLES**

YAMS . . . . . 3 lbs. 29c

HEAD LETTUCE . . . . . Lge. 16c

FLORIDA ORANGES . . . . . Doz. 32c

FLA. WHITE CELERY . . . . . 2 bchs. 29c

GRAPEFRUIT . . . . . 6 for 23c

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# Marvin Coon Commanding Shore Patrol

Lieut.-Comdr. Marvin L. Coon, former warden of the Marquette prison, is commanding officer in charge of the Ninth Naval district's shore patrol station in Chicago, and his duties are described in the following news story published in Milwaukee:

"Lieut.-Comdr. Marvin L. Coon, commanding officer at the 9th Naval district shore patrol station, said the old jurisdictional dispute between military police and shore police is over forever.

"Under a new arrangement, Coon explained, MP's and SP's share authority equally. Each has jurisdiction over all men in uniform and each operates under the same set of regulations.

**Commanding Officer**  
"Coon is commanding officer at what he believes to be the only regular shore patrol station within the continental United States away from the sea coast. It was established last September and already over 300 SP's operate out of it maintaining order in an area including Chicago, Milwaukee, Kenosha, Racine and near-by points.

"Coon said he expected his force of SP's to increase to 1,500 men, all former policemen with dependents, whose primary job will be patrolling Chicago's downtown district which is visited by more than 50,000 servicemen each weekend.

"Until the permanent shore patrol base was established here the SP's were members of a ship's company detailed to maintain order in a port of call or at home. The new SP receives special training and serves only as a law officer.

"The main job to be done," Coon said, "involves keeping them out of disreputable spots or places where they have a tendency to drink too much."

"E. M. Tipping, better known as 'Jack,' is attending a special service school at the Great Lakes Naval Training station. He completed his boot training about three weeks ago, after which he visited in Marquette. He expected to be transferred to the west coast, but has been kept on at Great Lakes instead. His address is E. M. Tipping, Z 6, SIC, F-12-6, Bar. 503, Service School, U. S. N. T. S., Great Lakes, Ill.

**Information Quiz**  
Q—What is the Tanaka Memorial?  
A—It is an outline of Japan's policy of aggression against Manchuria, China, Southern Asia and American outposts in the Pacific supposedly presented to the Emperor of Japan on July 25, 1927, by Premier Tanaka. Japan has officially denied its authenticity, but Japanese policy has followed its outline for the past 10 years or more.

Q—What is Oregonio?  
A—It is the sage from Mexico which can be used in place of true sage which comes mostly from Dalmatia, and so is cut off by the war. Use this Mexican spice in poultry stuffing or leg of lamb.

Q—What is the oldest toy known?  
A—The doll.

Q—Who was Little Chocolate in boxing?  
A—George Dixon, world bantamweight champion from 1888 to '92 and featherweight titleholder from '92 to 1900.

Q—Which of the following is a form of music: Cabrerite, caballerio, cantata, cannabio?  
A—A cantata.

**Your Son Died a Hero, Ionia Parents Told**  
By Murlin Spencer  
WITH AMERICAN FORCES IN NEW GUINEA, Dec. 15—(Delayed)—To the parents of Corporal Rex Leland, Ionia, Mich.: A group of hard-fighting American troops who participated in the Buna attack asked that I try to get a story out to you about your son.

They said he died a hero. And they should know, because many of them performed deeds that were heroic to the extreme.

They had been standing around telling their experiences. We were talking on a side trail which leads to Buna, but was knee-deep with water.

It was then that Lieut. P. L. Schwartz, Syracuse, N. Y., said he wished there was some way you could know about Rex.

"He did as much as any man I know, and I think his folks would like to know," Schwartz said. The other men agreed.

This is the story Lieut. Schwartz told: "Rex was with us a short way outside Buna village. We all were between two lines of fire—a Jap machine gun on one side; ours on the other. This was on December 1.

"Rex climbed a tree to observe the results of mortar fire and to help direct it. He took chances of getting hit from both sides, but he stayed all afternoon, and the mortar fire knocked out a Jap machine gun and hit a coconut tree, blowing Jap snipers in all directions."

Unlike natural rubber, thokol has a high resistance to the deteriorating effects of oils and solvents.

The albatross weighs less than 15 pounds, yet has a wingspread of almost 12 feet.

# Serving U. S.

News About Marquette County Men in Uniform

**EDITOR'S NOTE**—The Army, Navy, Marine Corps, Coast Guard and Merchant Marines are growing in strength every day. That means more and more Marquette county men are "Serving U. S." They read and enjoy this column as faithfully as those of us at home. Don't fail them! Send in items about men in uniform to the Service Editor, The Mining Journal, Marquette, Mich., or telephone Marquette 150. In Ishpeming, phone 3; Negaunee, 404, and in Republic, 701.

**TWO graduate nurses of St. Luke's hospital serving as Army nurses are stationed at the Fort Custer hospital. They are Second Lieut. Marjorie Frederickson, 24, of Michigan, who has been in the service two months, and Second Lieut. Nancy Abrahamson, 25, of Marquette, who entered the service a month ago.**

Seems sort of nice to write about the "lady soldiers" for a change. Here's one about WAAC Betty Bergin, former Marquette resident. After completing her basic training at Des Moines, Iowa, including plenty of K. P. ("which almost got me down," says she), she passed a radio operator's exam, and is now taking a 13-week course at a radio school in Kansas City. Incidentally she is living in the lap of luxury at a Government-operated hotel "some change from the barracks. Friends can reach her thus by mail: Aux. Betty M. Bergin, Aladdin Hotel, Room 602 Kansas City, Mo.

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Staff Sergeant and Mrs. Ralph Sweeney have arrived here from Washington, D. C., to spend the sergeant's 10-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Sweeney, 609 North Fourth street. Sweeney has been in the service almost a year and this is the first time he has been able to get home. "You can imagine how happy we are," says his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis N. Nadeau, 437 Rock street, Marquette, have received word that their son, Francis L. Nadeau, was given a corporal's rating December 1. He is in Iceland and he writes his mother: "You probably have lots of snow at home just now, but at least it will go away in the spring. Over here it stays with us forever, and it is plenty cold." Cpl. Nadeau is inspector of meats and other foods received at the camp. He has been in the Army since last February and overseas since April.

Corporal William J. Skytta, who enlisted in the Army last May and who has been stationed at Camp Shelby, Miss., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Skytta, at the Hoist power plant, near Marquette. Cpl. Skytta leaves December 27 for Fort Benning, Ga., where he will attend officers' training school. The Skytas lived at 295 Blenhuber avenue, Marquette, until recently.

Edward A. Sebastian has been promoted from the grade of private to that of corporal, according to word received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Sebastian, 550 West Bluff street. Cpl. Sebastian is stationed at Cut Bank, Mont., with the 429th Bomb Squadron, 2nd Bomb Group. It's been mighty cold there, the mercury tumbling as far as 32 below zero. Sebastian is an airplane mechanic and his squadron was the first Army unit to land at Cut Bank.

**Court Hears Arguments In Election Dispute**  
LANSING, Dec. 22 —P— The state supreme court today heard oral arguments in the challenge Clarence J. McLeod, Detroit Republican, has offered to the election of his November election opponent in the 13th Congressional district, George D. O'Brien, Democrat.

Stanley E. Beattie, counsel for O'Brien, attacked McLeod's demand that the election be voided on the grounds the wrong ballots were provided to some of the voters in several district precincts.

Beattie declared only Congress had the power over Congressional

# No Break In Enlistments For SPARS

Smashing false rumors that enlistments of young women for SPARS has stopped, Ensign Richard H. Bartlett, Coast Guard recruiting officer, yesterday announced a new drive to enlist 1,000 recruits.

The rumor that the SPAR quota had been reached in this area has gained wide circulation. Ensign Bartlett, to counter the rumor stated: "I don't know who started the false talk. It might have been subversive elements, or maybe just idle chatter, but I do know it's not true!"

Women between 20 and 36, without dependents under 18, and with a high school education, can enlist. The age limit for officers is 50, but they must have two years of college. Training of SPARS will be at America's most famous colleges. After six weeks primary training, SPARS are assigned to shore-based Coast Guard units to replace able-bodied young men anxious to join the fight overseas.

Pointing out that advancement for those joining now will be rapid, Ensign Bartlett said: "Ratings of yeomen, radio operators, storekeepers, pharmacists, mates, even gunners mates are waiting for those who join early." Pay increases with each rating. Although official nautical descriptions of ratings sound salty and suggest sea duty, SPARS will not be sent beyond the continental limits of the United States.

Young women wishing more details are directed to the naval officer procurement offices in the Book building, Detroit.

Just 2.5 used tires would provide enough rubber required for one jeep.

# OPA To Get Recreation Travel Data

A sub-committee of the recreation and physical fitness committee of the Michigan defense council is engaged in a study of recreation travel needs for workers in war production plants, toward the end that allowance mileage for normal recreational trips will be granted by the Office of Price Administration.

The study group, appointed following a conference of the recreation and physical fitness committee in Lansing, consists of George Holstrom, consultant on physical fitness, Washington, D. C.; Lloyd Reid, Michigan highway department; Ed. Matthison, Automobile Club of Michigan; C. A. Paquin, department of conservation; Jim Cook, Michigan defense council, and J. Lee Barrett, representing the Michigan tourist associations.

A copy of resolutions adopted at the conference and forwarded to the Upper Peninsula Development bureau office here showed the group felt that recreation and travel are necessary to maintain physical fitness and to continue production levels in war industry.

However, since facilities in and near large population areas are insufficient to take care of normal loads, such facilities will be greatly over-taxed by increased populations, the resolutions declared. Michigan residents, prior to rationing of gasoline, voluntarily curtailed recreational driving to cooperate with the Government program to conserve rubber and gasoline, it was stated.

The sub-committee will report proposals for a definite program to OPA, in which sufficient mileage allowances will be sought to permit war workers to take normal recreational trips.

The economic distress of resort owners and small business groups catering to the tourist industry, who would be given relief by such a program, also was discussed.

# U. S. Marines Want Officer Candidates

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BEEF ROASTS, steer ..... Lb. 28c	PORK LIVER, fresh ..... Lb. 21c

FANCY, FRESH STOCK MIXED NUTS ..... Lb. 35c

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PURE APPLE JUICE Qt. Jar 22c	FILLED WALNUT CHIPS ..... Lb. 25c
1/2 Gal. 43c	CHOCOLATE DROPS ..... Lb. 19c
WIGWAM PUMPKIN Lge. can 15c	PEANUTS, fresh stock ..... Lb. 21c
	CHOCOLATES, miniature, or reg. lb. box 35c
	CHOCOLATE-COVERED Cherries, Lb. box 29c
	CHOCOLATES, Dolly Martins 2 1/2-lb. box 75c
	CHOCOLATES, 5-lb. boxes \$1.10, \$1.29, \$1.98
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	GLAZED CHERRIES ..... Lb. 45c
	GLAZED PINEAPPLE ..... Lb. 45c
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**MILK ... 3 Tall Cans 28c**

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**HAND PACKED Tomato's 2 Cans 27c**

**JUNE Peas ... 2 No. 2 Cans 27c**

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**CUT GREEN Beans ... 2 No. 2 Cans 25c**

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**FINE PEANUT Butter ... 2-Lb. Jar 49c**

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California Carrots, beh. 9c; Rutabagas, lb. 3 1/2c; Cabbage, lb. 4c; Yams, 3 lbs. 23c; Celery, stalk 18c; Lettuce, 2 hds. 27c; Radishes, 2 lbs. 9c; Onions, 3 lbs. 13c; Potatoes, pk. 32c. Tomatoes, Spinach, Endive, Celery Cabbage, Peppers, Green Onions, New Cabbage—Also Green Grapes, Kumquats, Cranberries, Pears, Candies, Nuts, Fresh Eggs.

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# Service Center Decked Out To Welcome Men In Military Service

## Singer Turned Seeming Defeat Into Victory

(By MANTHEI HOWE)

So many people, unaccustomed to bearing burdens of heartache and worry, think when they have heard a word from a son or husband in service for a month or two months, mayhap: "I simply can't bear this."

Conceding that they can't bear it they are half defeated. After a while they begin to find all kinds of aches and symptoms, and if they permit themselves to continue harping on that theme song: "I can't bear it," they may become really ill.

Courage is demanded of the men at the battle fronts, and it is possible for those of us on the home front to have similar high courage. Presents Challenge

There is a lift to the spirits, a challenge to those of us who would permit our will to fold up and slump, in the story of Marjorie Lawrence.

You may remember that she is the Australian-born soprano who achieved such conspicuous success in grand opera. A year and a half ago she closed the Metropolitan opera season amid much adulation.

Most folk, reading about the tributes paid to her, likely thought that she was truly one of the fortunate ones of the earth.

She had youth, beauty, gorgeous wavy hair, the vibrant health of the singer has possessed. She was happily married to Dr. Thomas King, a New York osteopath. There was financial security. And then, a few weeks after the end of the successful opera season, she awoke one morning in Mexico City to discover that she was paralyzed from the waist down.

Refused The Verdict  
Marjorie Lawrence heard people say that her case was hopeless and that she would never walk again. Had she accepted the verdict she never would have walked, but she determined she would walk and she would sing again.

It has been a year and a half of heartbreaking struggle, but she has not permitted it to break her heart or her spirit. She has been no Pollyanna, refusing to face the situation realistically.

She confesses in an interview she gave to Adelaide Kerr, of the staff: "There are black days naturally. But my constant thought is not to waste effort on the past, but to look to the future. People tell you it's hopeless. Don't believe it. Go right ahead. If we do our part, God will help us to succeed. The mind has such a power that nothing is impossible. We all have this reservoir of courage and we don't realize it until some great catastrophe comes along."

Two months after Marjorie Lawrence became paralyzed, her husband took her to Minneapolis for treatment by Sister Elizabeth Kenny, also Australian-born, who has done such splendid work in treating the effects of paralysis by exercise and manipulation.

Month after month, Marjorie Lawrence went through the exercises. At 6 every morning she followed through on the routine. She was refused to be an invalid and, in a wheelchair, supervised her household.

Try Singing Under Such Conditions!  
She determined to go back to her music and began with 15 minutes a day, then longer periods of practice until she was able to sing an hour daily. Imagine singing when paralyzed as she was!

Six months after she was stricken, seated in a wheel chair, she sang at the Christmas service in a Florida church.

Recently she sat on the stage of New York's town hall and sang in a concert.

That takes spiritual stamina, faith, an indomitable spirit. Lean on her husband's arm, she is now able to walk a few steps.

Where some folk would rail at God and wonder why they have been made to suffer she retains her abiding belief in God: "When things looked blackest, we turned to God. I had faith that He would help me and He has."

Soldiers is a burden sent to any one, so heavy that it cannot be borne if the person will gather together that "reservoir of courage" that we all have, and determine not to be defeated.

It's A Tragic Waste  
All of us waste a tremendous amount of energy, being sorry for ourselves and obstinately resisting an impulse to look into the future, and determine to make something of that future.

Encountering the first "black day" we promptly accept the belief that all future days will be black. We curse God and refuse to do our part to change the situation.

Separations from those we love in time of war are hard to accept. Uncertainty and worry have a way of wearing us down as effectually as fermites wreck a wooden shack—if we permit it.

Somewhat Marjorie Lawrence's struggle back to health, her valiant return to using her gorgeous voice to bring happiness to hundreds of people, her positive repudiation of any status implying she was a chronic and whining invalid demanding sympathy, . . . all of that makes one proud of the human spirit that can surmount the seemingly impossible obstacle.

All of us can do the same thing, if we will to do so; if we refuse to become muddled with self-pity and cynical bitterness.

Life's problems become a bit more difficult for some persons than others, and we do not all seem to be gifted with the same proportions of stamina of spirit, but there is no situation which cannot be bettered if we are willing to make sufficient determined, intelligent effort to do so; if we'll discipline our emotions and attain mastery of them.

Marjorie Lawrence is one of the persons that, though never knowing them personally, one likes to think about, especially at Christmas. Far from being tragic

## Society-Club

**Election of Officers**—The Lady Alpenas are reminded that there will be a meeting at 7:45 tonight in the Knights of Columbus hall. Business includes the election of officers and will be followed by a social hour with an exchange of gifts.

**Carols at Northland**—In accordance with a custom of some years' standing, a candlelight dinner will be served from 6 to 8 o'clock Thursday evening in The Northland. Traditional carols will be sung, beginning at 6:45, by a quartet composed of Mrs. Helen Pohlmann, contralto, who is the director; Miss Ruth Laux, soprano; Murray Moon, tenor, and Milton C. Spencer, bass, with Miss Norma Ross as the accompanist. All persons who, in the past, have enjoyed this hour of caroling, are invited to stop in at the hotel to hear the singing of the quartet.

**Consumer Interest program**—The fourth weekly radio program in the series, "On or Waste," will be given at 10:30 this morning over WDMJ. The theme "Eat Your Way to Victory" will be presented in the series. Mrs. C. C. Meyland, of the Consumer Interest committee, which sponsors the series. It is noted that in the preceding world war, the housewives slogan was "Food will win the war." In the present global war, the Consumer Interest folk urge: "Eat your way to victory." The Michigan diet plan affords many interesting and appetizing ways of serving as a substitute for meat. Readers are reminded that many recipes are collected in the committee's files in the Volunteer office, city hall. All such information is available to Marquette county residents at the office, free of charge.

**About Playing Cards**—The "40 et 8," which is sponsoring the project of collecting playing cards to be sent to the men in service, has sent 200 decks to the headquarters in Indianapolis. S. C. Boucher, commander of the county organization, says that about 100 additional decks are now available and he would like to have the number reach the 200 mark before making the shipment. The Michigan diet plan affords many interesting and appetizing ways of serving as a substitute for meat. Readers are reminded that many recipes are collected in the committee's files in the Volunteer office, city hall. All such information is available to Marquette county residents at the office, free of charge.

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## Schedule For Holidays Gives Promise Of Fun

As you have passed the Service Center, 118 North Front street, you have likely noted that the rooms are in holiday trim. In the windows are large decorated trees, contributed by Mrs. Abby Beecher Roberts, and there are festive wreaths, the gifts of the Lutey flower shop.

One of the surprises that came from Santa Claus was a really Christmas round card table and chairs, holly red in color, which are being put to good use in the library of the Service Center. It was an anonymous gift.

Young Pat and Tommy Sloan sent to "Our Heroes in the Service" a year's subscription to "Our Heroes Magazine."

The hostesses, who have served at the Center since it was opened, have contributed 150 gifts which will be distributed, beginning Thursday afternoon, as each man in service pays his visit. Mrs. D. M. Begole has been in charge of this.

The other day a woman, whose three boys will be absent from home this year, telephoned to ask where she could notify some one that she wanted to entertain Christmas dinner at the Service Center.

She was directed to Mrs. B. Parolin, 1092, who has accepted many such invitations for the men and will continue to receive such requests until Thursday noon; so, if you planned to invite the lad and put it off, attend to it today or tomorrow morning.

And you should see the generous collection of cookies, fruits, and candies which Mrs. Sam Rose has ready so the canteen will be well supplied for the holidays.

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## Births

Born to:

Mr. and Mrs. Bertil Johnson, Rockford, Ill., a daughter, Jill Sharlene, December 21. Mr. Johnson is a former resident of this city, and Mrs. Johnson, prior to her marriage, was Miss Mabel Holliman, of Negaunee.

Lieut. and Mrs. David H. McClintock, a son, David Hayward, December 22 in St. Luke's hospital.

**Mohawk Soldier Killed**  
MOHAWK, Dec. 22—Mr. and Mrs. Nestor Kariniemi of Fulton, Mohawk, have received word from the War Department that their son, Sergeant Werner Kariniemi, 25, was killed in action in the southwest Pacific November 28. Sgt. Kariniemi was born in Keweenaw and spent his life here until he entered the Army, leaving Calumet in 1940 with the National Guard. He was a graduate of Calumet high school.

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## Bonham Tops Pitchers In Games Won

CHICAGO, Dec. 22.—P.—During Ted Lyons' 20 years of major league baseball, all as a pitcher for the Chicago White Sox, only one hurler had a lower earned run average than the newly appointed Marine Corps lieutenant marked up during the 1942 season—which may well be Ted's last in the big time.

Lyons' record last season of allowing opposing teams to glean only 2.1 earned runs off his delivery each game stands as an 11-year high. Robert Moses (Lefty) Grove, of the Philadelphia Athletics, posted a 2.05 figure in 1931 and no regular had come close to that until Lyons did in 1942.

### Bonham Leading Hurler

Ted's amazing ability with a sixth-place ball club was displayed over 180 innings and the only hurler with a better earned run mark was Tom Ferrick, of Cleveland, with an even 2.00, but he toiled only 81 innings and couldn't be classified as the leader.

Ernie Bonham, of the New York Yankees, achieved a noteworthy goal, too, in leading the league in percentage of games won with an .808 figure, compiled on the basis of 21 victories and five defeats. This marked the first time since 1934 that a 20-plus winner had been able to stave off defeats well enough to emerge with the best games-won average.

Bonham was second to Lyons in earned runs with a 2.27 average for 228 innings. He was the leader in shutout victories with six.

Lyons completed every one of the 20 games he started, winning 14 and losing six.

### Hughson, Newsom Whiff 113

Philadelphia's Phil Marchiondi was the wildest pitcher, so rated because he issued the most walks, 140 in 294 innings, committed the most wild pitches, 13, to lead in that respect for the second straight year, and hit the most batters, 13. However, he struck out 110 batsmen to the Alton Benton, of Detroit, right behind the leaders, Tex Hughson and Buck Newsom, who each posted 113 strikeouts.

The first five pitchers, rated on earned run averages, and their won-lost record, were:

Ferrick, Cleveland	2.00	(3-2)
Lyons, Chicago	2.10	(14-6)
Bonham, New York	2.27	(21-5)
Sprague, Chandler, New York	2.37	(16-5)
Harry Eisenstat, Cleveland	2.44	(2-1)

## Giants Give Up Florida Spring Base

By Judson Bailey  
NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—P.—The movement of baseball clubs to train closer home gained momentum today under impetus from Commissioner Kenesaw M. Landis as the New York Giants announced they would set up camp in North Carolina.

Following the lead of the Brooklyn Dodgers, who yesterday gave up their base at West Palm Beach, Fla., the Giants today disclosed they definitely had decided not to return to Miami, where they had trained for three years.

Edward Brannick, secretary of the Giants, said that a site somewhere in North Carolina probably would be selected within a week or 10 days.

Edward G. Barrow, president of the Yankees, also revealed that he had been busy on the phone today conferring with Sam Breadon, president of the Cardinals, about an alternative for their camps at St. Petersburg, Fla.

No decision was reached, Barrow said, except that they would endeavor to find another location where both clubs could train together. Albany, Ga., was suggested by Breadon as a possible site.

Although he issued no direct order, Landis wrote all clubs stressing the advisability of training closer home as a contribution to the war effort.

### Tigers Plan No Change

DETROIT, Dec. 22.—P.—Unless otherwise directed, the Detroit Tigers plan to keep their spring training base at Lakeland, Fla., for the tenth successive year.

General Manager Jack Zeller, of the Tigers, commenting by telephone today from his home in Fort Worth, Texas, on the wholesale shift of training sites as a war measure, said he had an appointment February 7 with Joseph B. Eastman, Office of Defense Transportation director, and until then there would be no change of training sites.

"In a previous talk I was given to understand we would not be required to make a change," Zeller declared. "If we are asked to move, we'll make those plans later."

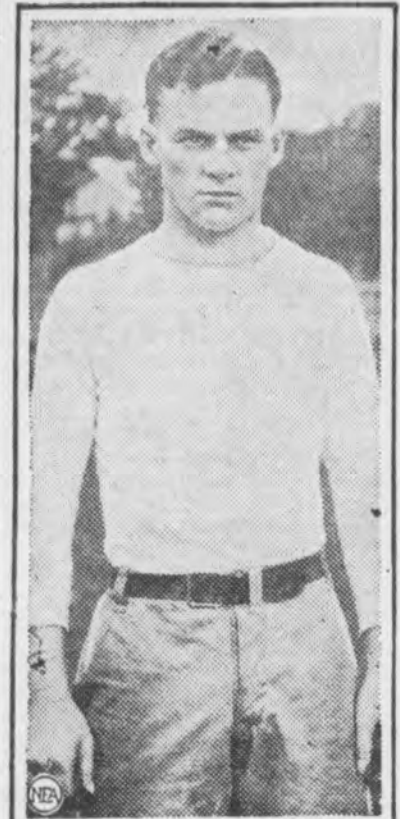
### Bruins Tie Leafs With Late Two-Goal Rally

BOSTON, Dec. 22.—P.—The Boston Bruins overcame a two-goal deficit during the last nine minutes of play to gain a 4-4 tie with the Toronto Maple Leafs tonight before a 10,000 crowd at the Boston Garden.

The deadlock, the third for the Bruins in their last three starts, enabled them to extend their undefeated home record to 10 straight games and protect their National Hockey League lead from the challenging Leafs.

Although both teams have been considerable action during the past week, they put on a lively exhibition from start to finish.

## Red Cagle, Former Army Gragger, Dies



NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—(Wednesday)—P.—Christian Keener (Red) Cagle, 37, former Army all-American halfback, died early today at a Physicians hospital in Queens, where he had been taken for treatment of a fractured skull and pneumonia. Death came to the former football star while police pressed an investigation to determine how he received the injury.

## Bowling

### Marquette Women's League

Two 2,100 scores were rolled in Marquette Women's league matches last night, the Vogue defeating the Michigan Bell No. 1 in three straight games with a 2,156 total and the Clifton Hotel sweeping its match with the Michigan Bell No. 2 by a count of 2,119.

The Centrals also blanked the Pine Street Service five, while in other matches the Elks Alleys won two from Ernie's Photo Shop, the Nault Grocers—despite dropping an extra line to decide a tie game—copped a pair from the Northlands, and the Bon Tons took two from the Getz Dept. Store.

B. Specker's 486 for the Cliftons took top individual honors.

Scores:	
H. Vogue—	150 150 179 479
H. Schwemlin	130 109 97 336
R. Lohf	159 168 165 492
O. Johnston	137 158 138 433
M. Schmetzler	124 159 133 416
Totals	700 744 712 2156
Mich. Bell No. 1—	
M. Holmgren	127 135 130 392
M. Messier	94 100 101 295
J. Carlson	110 105 119 334
J. Johnson	133 131 139 393
L. Remillard	124 118 89 331
Handicap	88 88 88 264
Totals	676 677 657 2010

### Large Crowds Expected For Coast Grid Games

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 22.—P.—Wartimes have slammed the brakes on some sections of California's tremendous winter sports program, but the two big post-season football fixtures, from all indications, will play to capacity crowds.

Officials of the Rose Bowl classic at Pasadena and the east-west charity game in San Francisco figuratively have dusted the standing room only signs for New Year's day.

The attack on Pearl Harbor a year ago this month caused the hurried transfer of these gridiron thrillers to Durham, N. C., and New Orleans, respectively, for their 1942 renewals. They'll be back at the old familiar stands January 1.

Those in charge confidently expect 90,000 fans to motor, bicycle, hitchhike or walk to the somewhat isolated Rose Bowl to see the University of Georgia Bulldogs take a chunk out of the hide of the University of California at Los Angeles Bruins, or vice versa. Another 60,000 will have comparatively simple transportation problems to San Francisco's mid-town Kezar stadium where the all-stars will perform.

It is estimated that there are approximately 400,000 motor vehicles in this country publicly owned.

## Agase's Goals For Illinois No. 1 Oddity

By Sid Feder

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—P.—If all the freaks on the sports pages in 1942 were laid end to end, they would no doubt have Mr. Barnum fighting with Mr. Bailey over the exhibition privileges, but by all odds, the oddest of the lot was that turned in by Footballer Alex Agase the day Illinois upset Minnesota.

The nation's sports writers, balloting in the annual Associated Press poll on the year's oddities in sports, came up with 152 different "queries" in nine different brands of athletics.

But the "trick of the year"—the one single sideshow stunt that had the boys practically in convulsions—was that chalked up by Agase of the Fighting Illini. Thirty-three of the sports writers tabbed his job of scoring twice for Illinois against the Gophers as the odd high-spot of the year, especially since this gave Illinois a 20-13 win.

### Backs Catch Own Passes

Alex was a guard for Illinois, you remember, and it's odd enough for a guard to score even once a season, so when he hit the jackpot twice in a single game, it began to take on the general outlines of a mirage. The way Alex did it put some more icing on the cake, for he counted once by "stealing" the ball from an apparently confused Gopher, and then fell on a fumbled pass from the Minnesota center to chalk up touchdown No. 2.

No. 2 on the freak parade were the backs who caught their own passes some time or other during the season. The leader of this set was Bruce Smith, Great Lakes Navy performer who pitched one against Notre Dame and then caught it on the ricochet for a 12-yard loss.

Back of these tricks the stunts were spread out like the acts in the sideshow tent at the circus.

The collapse of the Louis - Conn fight was mentioned on six ballots. So was Minnesota's football win over Michigan on Bill Garnaas' drop-kick. Not only because it was the first time Bill had ever tried a drop-kick in a game, but also because he was allowed to make the attempt after time had run out in the first half. An official stopped the clock because of a last-second substitution, contrary to the rules.

Another "might - have - been" mentioned was the four-inch margin by which Wisconsin missed a touchdown against Iowa at the end of the first half of their game, which enabled Iowa to win, 7-6. This was the only defeat suffered by the Badgers. Since they were the only outfit to knock off Ohio State, they might have wound up as the nation's No. 1 team, instead of the Buckeyes, if they'd scored that tally.

The throw that caught Joe Gordon off base in the ninth inning of the final game to end the World Series, and Red Ruffing's coming within four outs of a no-hitter in the first game—and then being belted out of the box—were the top World Series oddities. "Regular" season, there were several others, chief of which was Boston Braves' Pitcher Jim Tobin hitting three homers in one game.

One writer figured there was no freak in the whole book like the one night on which six wrestling "world champions" defended their crowns in six separate cities. At that, he had something there.

### John Borian, Track Star, Dead at 29

BRIDGETON, N. J., Dec. 22.—(AP)—John Borian, 29, national indoor 1000-yard and outdoor 800-meter champion and holder of numerous world track records, died tonight at his home.

The perfectly proportioned negro runner, only athlete ever to win the decathlon and pentathlon national titles in one year, had wasted away from his peak condition of about 170 pounds to 110 pounds during the past three months. His brother, Willard Borian, said John had been to many physicians and hospitals, but none was able to diagnose his ailment.

Annual taxes per motor vehicle have increased 48 per cent during a 10-year period.

## Funny Business



"He's a dyed-in-the-wool Southern pointer—he refuses to point north!"



THE CHAMP SHOWS 'EM HOW—Sgt. Joe Louis Barrow demonstrates some of his pet punches to boxing rookies at the Cavalry Replacement Training Center, Fort Riley, Kas., where he is conducting classes. Getting a glove lesson are Pvt. Joe L. Lobosco, Corona, N. Y., and James J. Wilson (right), Douglaston, L. I., N. Y. (Associated Press Teletext)

## Down Sports Trail

By Whitney Martin

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—P.—Old "Goodness Gracious" will hit 80 tomorrow, but he's still going like 60. Or like 35, just to make it legal.

He's our idea of a remarkable individual, is the, courtly gentleman who, with his years adding up to more scores than his Philadelphia Athletics could make in almost any game last season, is looking forward hopefully toward another campaign.

He's tall and spare, is Mr. Connie Mack. He looks like a good, stout, onion breath would topple him over. In fact, every day is meatless Tuesday as far as his lanky frame is concerned.

But he still moves with a quick, nervous energy that is the envy of many a man half his age. His pale blue eyes still carry on without specs. He still is boss of his baseball club. When the boys start substituting tolerance for respect, he'll quit.

"When I find myself repeating," he told us three or four years ago, "and when the boys no longer pay any attention to what I say, then I'll know it's time to get out, and that I'm getting old."

### Old By Calendar Only

Getting older! Sure, he's old by the calendar. But he has an outlook that makes the outlook of some of the members of baseball's younger generations look like a peek in a rear-view mirror. He doesn't dwell on the past, although he has castles of triumph back

### Hold Everything



"Once around the park, boys!"

## York Breaks Record For First Sackers

CHICAGO, Dec. 22.—(AP)—American league fielding for the 1942 season, virtually on a par with 1941, was accented by the breaking of one record and the equalling of two others.

Rudy York, of the Detroit Tigers, was officially credited today with setting a new mark for a first baseman with 146 assists. Chick Gandil's record of 143 with Washington had stood up 28 years.

Leslie Fleming, of Cleveland, who led at first base with a .993 percentage for 156 games, matched a record on August 30 in the first game of a doubleheader with Washington by participating in five double plays. Ray Mack's teammate, also was in on five double plays the same day and equalled the record for second basemen.

Jammed behind Fleming in first base fielding averages were Ulysses Lupien, Boston Red Sox rookie, with .992 for 121 games and George McQuinn, of the St. Louis Browns, with .991 for 144. McQuinn was first in 1941 with .995 in 125 contests.

### Boudreau, Keltner Repeat

Only two players, both with Cleveland, who led at their respective positions a year ago repeated in the 1942 percentage columns. Manager Lou Boudreau topped the shortstops, with .965 for 146 games, one percentage point and one game short of his pace in 1941. Ken Keltner led the hot corner men with .945 for 151 games, dropping considerably from his .971 in 149 a year ago.

Runner-up to Boudreau was Phil Rizzuto, the youthful New York Yankee star, with a shortstop rating of .962. Rizzuto, however was in on 114 double plays in his 144 games, compared with 107 for the Cleveland pilot. The New Yorker also won double play honors in 1941 with 109.

For the second consecutive season, Harland Cliff, of St. Louis, along the trail he could live in the rest of his life.

He lives for today, and tomorrow. When the Government suggested that the major league clubs try to locate training camps nearer home, who was the first to act? Connie Mack.

When some innovation is suggested that might improve the game, who is among the first to fall in line? Connie Mack.

The past is the past with him, and that's that. He's had more than his share of triumphs, but he's had a fair share of disappointments also. He's been disappointed the last three or four years.

Back in 1938 he was planning a pennant-contending team for 1940. It never materialized. He shrugged off the disappointment as he had shrugged off innumerable others, and hopefully planned for 1911, and 1942. Again disappointments.

And now, with baseball caught in the whirlpool of war, he is planning again, although men scores of years younger are shaking heads dolefully at the black outlook. His years of activity must be drawing near the finish line, yet as long as that loose body can get to the ball park and the boys still pay atten-

finished second to Keltner at third base. His percentage was .941 in 141 games.

Bobby Doerr, of the Red Sox, rounded out a great season by heading the second sackers. His .975 in 142 games was two points better than the mark by Don Gutierrez, of the Browns, in 145. Jim Bloodworth, of Detroit, was third with .972 and Mack was fourth with .963.

Walter Judnich, of the Browns, and Roy Featherly, of Cleveland, tied for outfield honors at .991, but the former handled 337 chances to Featherly's 334. Ted Williams, of the Red Sox, the league's batting champion, showed up well in the garden with only four errors on 332 chances. Yankee Joe DiMaggio was a percentage point lower with .987, but he had 464 chances—the most in the league and also led in assists with 19.

None of the catchers worked in as many as 100 games. The leaders were Biddy Rosar, of the Yankees, with .996 for 58, Otto Denning, of Cleveland, with .992 for 78 and John Peacock, of Boston, with .988 for 82.

### Boston Hurlers Good Fielders

The pitchers' records included 22 perfect fielding jobs among the 10-game-or-more workmen as compared to 25 a year ago. Boston's Joe Dobson led this group with 59 chances, followed by a teammate, Charlie Wagner, with 55.

As a whole, fielding fell off only by a single percentage point—972 in 1941 to 971. There also were fewer double plays the past season, 1207 to 1242, and for the second time in the junior circuit's history there were no triple plays. New York topped the team fielding averages with only 142 errors in 154 games for .976. Cleveland and Boston finished next in a tie with .974 and St. Louis posted .972.

### STRIKERS BACK AT JOBS

JACKSON, Mich., Dec. 22.—P.—Faced with a War Labor Board edict that the board would not act in the case until workers returned to their jobs, members of the United Rubber Workers (CIO) resumed work this evening at the plant of the Goodyear Tire & Rubber company here.

That accord had become something of a trademark, something quite as mysterious as the ability of the grand old man to carry on at a time of life when most men are either gone or relegated to the lazy comfort of a rocking chair.

There really is nothing mysterious about it. It's just Mr. Mack's direct way of informing his fielders where to play for certain batters, he will tell you.

He'll be 80 years old tomorrow, Mr. Baseball. May his Athletics win at least one game for each of those 80 years next season.

## Trout Creek Cagers Win 4 Games in Row

TROUT CREEK, Dec. 22.—P.—Recalling the days when Trout Creek was invincible while on its way to Upper Peninsula championships, the local high school basketball team already has notched four consecutive triumphs in pre-holiday contests.

Its latest victory was a 22-25 decision over Ontonagon, with Trout Creek outscoring its opponents in the last three quarters after an even break in the opening chapter. Each team displayed good offensive and defensive ability, but Coach Gerry Gassin's cagers held a decided edge late in the game.

Staff led Trout Creek's scorers with 18 points on eight goals from the field and a pair of free throws.

Previously Trout Creek had beaten Bergland once and Watersmeet twice.

Score by quarters: Trout Creek ..... 8 6 10 8  
Ontonagon ..... 8 4 7 6

### Racing Group Seeks Extension of Lease

LANSING, Dec. 22.—P.—Petition of the Detroit Racing association for extension of its lease of the Detroit fairgrounds race track has been pigeon-holed for consideration by the Kelly administration.

Eugene A. Gump, secretary of the state administrative board, said the request has been held at his office for several weeks and that "in due course" it would be presented to some committee of the administrative board for study, probably the claims committee.

The association seeks to replace a current lease expiring in 1948 with one extending to 1958 at a rental of \$16,000 a year instead of \$12,000. It wants assurance of long tenancy before making some \$30,000 worth of capital improvements.

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### Girl Trouble



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### By Harmon



12-22

### OUT OUR WAY—By Williams



NO MORE GLAMOR

### OUR BOARDING HOUSE—With—Major Hoople



HE'LL SEE THE EDITOR ABOUT THAT



### Stores May Be Closed On Saturday

ISHPEMING, Dec. 22—A move was started today, although there was no means this afternoon of determining how far it would progress, to close stores in Ishpeming all day Saturday.

This, of course, would not affect food stores, which are expected to remain open in the morning, at least, nor would it include establishments that provide service essential to public health or welfare.

Several merchants, speaking individually, voiced belief that Saturday between Christmas and Sunday, would be meaningless as a shopping day. One merchant added: "They can exchange goods Monday as well as Saturday."

Lofberg's store, it was announced, will be closed Saturday regardless of what other merchants do.

In Negaunee it was announced Levine Brothers store would be closed all day Saturday.

### Ishpeming Briefs

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Sandstrom have gone to Sault Ste. Marie to visit relatives and friends.

Miss Viola Tupala, Washington, D. C., is spending the holidays here with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Burton Boyum have gone to Minneapolis, to spend a week with friends and relatives.

Staff Sergeant Eugene Hughes has returned to Camp Barkeley, Texas, after spending a furlough here.

There will be a song service and a flag and honor roll dedication at the Trinity Lutheran church at 7:30 Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelley Campbell have left for a several weeks' visit with relatives and friends in Lower Michigan.

Pvt. Clarence J. Laramie, who is attending an Army radio school in Chicago, will arrive here Thursday morning for a 24-hour visit.

James Corcoran is home from St. Norbert's, Depere, Wis., visiting his parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Corcoran, Cleveland avenue.

PFC Roy W. Holmgren, Camp Cook, Calif., is home on furlough visiting his father, Gust Holmgren, 458 West Empire street.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Isabelle, Jr., and daughters, Noreen Ann and Peggy, have left for Minneapolis to visit friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dobbs, 416 Oak street, will celebrate their fiftieth wedding anniversary Christmas day.

Miss Tommy Jo Stakel, a student at the National college, Evanston, Ill., is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Stakel, North Lake.

Midweek service of the First Methodist church will be held at 7:30 this evening. "Seeking and Finding Christ" will be the devotional topic.

Miss Ellen Norman, student at Michigan Tech, Houghton, is spending her Christmas vacation with her father, W. H. Norman, High street.

The Misses Blanche and Melissa Miners will arrive tonight from Cleveland, Ohio, to spend the holidays with their uncle, John Trembath, 1214 North Third street.

Troop 5, Girl Scouts, will not meet tonight for home nursing study. The class meeting has been postponed until next Wednesday, December 30. It will be held in the fire hall.

Mrs. Henning Bergdahl has returned from Kalamazoo, where she has been visiting for two months. She was accompanied home by her daughter, Alice Mary, a student at Western Michigan College of Education, Kalamazoo, who will spend the holidays here.

The early-morning Christmas "Julotta" will be broadcast from 5:30 to 7 Christmas morning over station WJG (NBC), from the Swedish Trinity Lutheran church, Seminary and Barry streets, Chicago. Assisting are the church choir; soloist, Miss Mabel Karlstrom; organist, Professor M. W. Broman, who previously was the organist of Bethany Lutheran church, Ishpeming; Arthur Carlson, liturgist, and Dr. Julius Lincoln, its pastor.

### Obituary

#### Johnson Funeral

ISHPEMING, Dec. 22—Funeral services for John K. Johnson, who died Sunday, will be held Thursday at 2 in the Finnish Apostolic Lutheran church with the Rev. Sam Kovala, North York, Wis., officiating. The body will be taken to the church Thursday morning at 10. Pall bearers will be Axel Hecko, Jacob Pietila, Jacob Korpi, Jacob Pari, Andrew Niemi and Gust Kippola. Interment will be made in the Ishpeming cemetery.

Among the new patents recently registered is an amphibian car which, when driven into the water, is kept afloat by tanks.

### 'The Truth About Santa'

SYNOPSIS: Dec. 6, 1942, marked the 1600th anniversary of St. Nicholas Day, honoring the 4th Century saint who secretly gave away his riches to the needy. Children of many countries believe he brought them gifts each Dec. 6. In the North, they thought St. Nicholas dressed in furs and drove reindeer. In Holland, he was thought to leave gifts in shoes. Little Dutchmen brought him in their hearts to America. From them, little Englishmen neighbors in New York got the idea of "Santa Claus."

PART 4  
By ZACHARY TAYLOR  
(P Features Writer)

A hundred years after the colonization, children of Dutch and English settlers and those from other European nations, had no clear idea of how the winter holidays were celebrated in the land of their ancestors.

In 1773, Santa Claus' name got into print probably for the first time in Rivington's Gazetteer. The item said:

"Last Monday, the anniversary of St. Nicholas, otherwise called Santa Claus, was celebrated at Protestant Hall . . ."

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Benjamin Moore of the New York Episcopal church who had assisted at President George Washington's inauguration, and who had attended Alexander Hamilton when he was dying after a duel with Aaron Burr.

Dr. Moore was 41 when he wrote a poem about St. Nick. It was for his daughter, Charity, who was six. It was Christmas time in 1822 when he called the family together in their New York home to read his verses.

There was a guest, too—a girl, Harriet Butler, daughter of Rev. David Butler, Episcopal rector of Troy, N. Y. Perhaps it was Harriet, and not Dr. Moore who saved Santa Claus for America.

(Tomorrow: "The Night Before Christmas.")

### Weddings

#### Prese-Larson

ISHPEMING, Dec. 22—Mr. and Mrs. William Prese, 327 South First street, announce the marriage of their daughter, Virginia, to Algot Larson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Larson, Case street, Negaunee. The Rev. Carl Tamminen officiated in the parsonage of the Bethel Lutheran church.

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### Inland Gets Hearing In Lake Dispute

ISHPEMING, Dec. 22—Considerable interest is being shown here in the contract dispute between the Inland Steel company, which operates the Greenwood and Morris mines, and the national maritime union, which will be aired in Washington December 29 before the National War Labor board.

The controversy affects operation of the company's vessels and in no way affects the mines.

In granting the company another hearing, the WLB stated that "interested parties are invited to attend and present comments on the panel's report." The maritime union is the bargaining agency for the unlicensed personnel on the company's Great Lakes vessels.

Inland, which last week charged violation in the mediation panel's recommendations of a Presidential promise, requested a public hearing before the full board. The panel, in directing Inland to grant the union "not only union maintenance, but the hiring hall" for its vessels went counter, it is contended, to the President's promise that the government would not order, nor would Congress pass legislation establishing, the closed shop.

Welcomes Open Hearing  
On receipt of the WLB's telegram, Inland expressed gratification at being given an open hearing. It had apprehended that the panel recommendations might be taken as final.

The "hiring hall" system, it contended, was not understood, in all its implications, by the public, and an open discussion of the matter was desired.

The "hiring hall" system, it declares, "deprives us of the right to

select employees on merit." And this, it asserts, "has a vital bearing on war production."

The company says the union's constitution provides that these halls be conducted on a rotary plan under which members register for jobs in particular ratings and receive assignments as when their names come to the top.

The company contends that careful selection of personnel is essential to intelligent and satisfactory conduct of shipping.

### Shoppers Urged To Buy War Stamps

ISHPEMING, Dec. 22—Can Ishpeming shoppers in the two days remaining before Christmas set up a mark of purchasing \$250 in war stamps at the booth in the city square manned by Boy Scouts?

Burton Stevens, retail war savings chairman, believes they can. Today shoppers bought nearly \$60 worth of stamps and it means they have to step that up to \$95 Wednesday and Thursday if the \$250 goal is to be achieved.

"The Boy Scouts who have been in charge of the booth," he said, "have done a fine piece of work. They have been faithful, appearing promptly for duty and remaining their prescribed time."

He also expressed appreciation to the J. C. Penney Co., whose store is a station for stamps. The management kept a supply on hand so the boys have only to cross the street when they want to replenish their stock.

The municipal tourist camp in Washington, D. C., has lifted the limit of two weeks' stay entirely for people engaged in defense activities.

### Girl Scouts To Collect Fats, Oils

ISHPEMING, Dec. 22—Girl Scouts of Ishpeming will assist the salvage committee in the collection of fats and oils, it was announced here today.

Mrs. A. W. Erickson, North Fourth street, is chairman of this division. Little has been done until now because organization was not completed until recently, and a collection agency had to be selected.

Girls will start immediately after the holidays to collect waste fats and housewives are asked to continue to save those materials. Calls will be made once a month, Miss Rita Pope, one of the Girl Scout leaders in charge, said today.

"During the Christmas season, especially," Mrs. Erickson pointed out, "when there is so much cooking, there will be opportunity to save salvage materials."

"Oils and fats should be kept in a cool place, so they will not turn rancid. It is too difficult during

the holidays, both for girls and housewives, to start this collection. "We also urge restaurants to save fats, and the girls will include them in their calls."

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We can accommodate a large crowd, so organize a party and come down for an evening of fun—

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PIES	Apple, Cherry, Butterscotch, Raisin, Lemon, Banana, Custard
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LEMON LAYER	29c-45c
WALNUT FUDGE LAYER	40c
BUTTERSCOTCH NUT LAYER	40c
MALTED NUT SQUARE	40c
DIVINITY LAYER	40c
CUSTARD ANGEL FOOD	49c
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When that spontaneous smile spreads over his face on Christmas morning, you'll be glad you chose his gifts at Lofberg's. But you'll be even happier to know you have picked furnishings with a future . . . long-wearing quality merchandise.

COMFORTABLE ROBES	Woolens and silks . . . . . \$4.95 to \$7.50
QUALITY NECKWEAR	Featuring the Arrow and Wembley "Nor-east" 49c, \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00
LONG-WEARING SHIRTS	Plains, solids and stripes. Arrows . . . . . \$2.25 and \$2.50
	Wings . . . . . \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.25
PAJAMAS	\$1.65 - \$4.50
WARM, SMART, SWEATERS	Coat, button or zipper styles ranging from . . . . . \$2.50 to \$6.50
	Slipovers are from . . . . . \$2.50 to \$4.50
LEATHER GLOVES	Lined, unlined, soft, pliable. Ranging from . . . . . \$1.19 to \$4.95

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"THE MAN WITH TWO LIVES"  
LATEST NEWS



# War Veterans To Speak In High School

NEGAUNEE, Dec. 22 — Schools of Negaunee will close Wednesday afternoon for a 10-day Christmas vacation and will be reopened at 8:45 Monday, January 4.

On the high school Christmas program, starting at 1:15, Wednesday, two former students now in the armed forces will appear.

One is Ahy Francisco, who was decorated with the silver star for heroism in the Philippines. He has been radio operator on a bomber. The other is Hershel Nichols, radio operator in the Navy, who had 20 months at sea before returning home. These veterans will be interviewed by Santa Claus for the information of the student body. The public is invited.

The band will play several selections and the girls' sextette will sing "A White Christmas."

In the grades there will be programs, starting at 1:30, at the conclusion of which school will be dismissed.

Negaunee schools are closing later than those of neighboring communities, the schedule being arranged to provide 15 weeks of school before the holidays.

## Swinn Sunday School Yule Program Tonight

GWINN, Dec. 22—A Christmas program will be presented by the Sunday school in the Methodist church Wednesday evening, beginning at 7. It will consist of recitations and songs by the children of the primary department and a Christmas pageant in patmine, "The Christmas Pageant of the Holy Grail," by the junior and intermediate departments. The primary department is under the direction of Miss Jane Jory and Mrs. Melvin Nyquist. The Rev. M. Worth will read the narrative for the pageant and Mrs. Charles Arntson will preside at the organ. Miss Daisy Kilmer and Mrs. Harry Knudsen have assisted in direction of the pageant. The program:

**Primary Department**  
 Song "Christmas Greetings" Recitations—Garwood Manuala, Judy Manuala, Betty Roberts, Roger Fusch, Nancy Lou Stark, Dennis Beltrame.  
 Song "Santa's Heralds." Recitations—Lola Fralick, Diane Mae Erikson, Joyce Vercoe, John Flaherty, Jr.  
 Piano solo, "The Robin"—Jerry Erikson. Recitations—Sharleen Valenti, Stuart Vanetti, Patty Erickson, Carlton Powers. Song, "Away in the Manger" Recitations—Patsy Kipple, Jimmy Mussatto, Donna Summerville, Paul Erickson, Kristi Hendrickson, Jerry Erickson, Fern Kipple.  
 Song—"Jingle Bells"  
 Cast of the pageant:  
 King Arthur—Bob Mussatto,  
 Angels—Catherine Farquar and Marilyn Jory.  
 Joseph—Raymond Blomquist,  
 Mary—Shirley Nyquist,  
 Shepherds—Keith Willis and Roland Farquar.  
 The Wisemen—Robert Sarasin, Norman Sarasin and Donald Beltrame.  
 Sir Lancelot—Billy Kuehn  
 A Page—Sue Booker  
 Bedivere—Robert Sarasin,  
 Garth—Keith Willis,  
 Tristram—Ronald Farquar,  
 Percival—Norman Sarasin,  
 Madred—Norman Powers,  
 Galahad—Ray Blomquist.  
 Three Damsels—Irene Kipple, Janet Kipple and Patricia Williams.  
 Another Damsel—Marilyn Catto.

## Weddings

**Maki-Kniskern**  
 NEGAUNEE, Dec. 22—Mr. and Mrs. Victor Kniskern celebrated the marriage of their daughter, Edna Judith, to V. Buron Kniskern. They were married October 8 in the United Lutheran church, Ann Arbor.  
 Mrs. Kniskern is a teacher in the Iron Mountain high school.  
 Mr. Kniskern is a member of the Army Enlisted Reserve Corps and will be called to active duty within the next month.

## Births

Born to:  
 Mr. and Mrs. Armondo Guzzetti, 402 Bluff street, Negaunee, a daughter, Darleen Dae, December 11 in the Ispheming hospital.

## ANNUAL CHRISTMAS SALE OF HATS ALL HATS at REDUCED PRICES

New Berets and Wrap-Around Turbans

**Miss H. M. Anderson**  
 Teal Lake Avenue, Negaunee

I wish to take this opportunity to once again extend my wishes for a very Merry Christmas and thank all of my friends and customers for their patronage in the past.

**TO OUR PATRONS**

Our establishment will be closed Christmas Day until 7 in the evening.

**BEAU CHATEAU**

## Negaunee Briefs

Arthur Maki, student at Michigan Tech, Houghton, is visiting relatives here.

Negaunee beauty shops will be closed all day Saturday, December 26.

William Pentimaki, who is attending Michigan Tech, Houghton, is spending the holidays here visiting relatives and friends.

Miss Alyce Roberts, who is attending a business college in Milwaukee, is here to spend the holidays.

Joseph Winter, Furnace location, will entertain his Mass mine friends at a house-warming party to be held from 2:30 to 5:30 Saturday afternoon.

The Luther league society of the Finnish Evangelical Lutheran church will hold its Christmas party at 7:30 tonight in the parsonage.

The senior choir of the Bethany Lutheran church will meet at 7 tonight for rehearsal, after which the choir will sing Christmas carols for shut-ins.

Gould Nichols, attending LaCrosse Teachers' college, LaCrosse, Wis., is here to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Nichols, Iron street.

Capt. and Mrs. W. K. Willman are spending a five-day furlough from Madison, Wis., where Capt. Willman is stationed with the 172nd Engineers, at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Willman, Teal Lake avenue. This is the second war Mr. Willman has served in. He was a lieutenant in World War I.

## Newberry News

**Luce Bond Sales Total \$12,578**

NEWBERRY, Dec. 22—S. M. Ennis, Newberry war bond and stamp chairman, today released the following report of bond sales in Luce county from December 1 to December 15:

Bank bonds—Series "E" . . . \$ 7,912.50  
 Bank bonds—Series "F" . . . 240.50  
 Postoffice—Series "E" . . . 468.75  
 Postoffice—Series "F" . . . 3,281.25

Total bonds . . . \$11,903.00  
 Postoffice stamps—  
 Newberry . . . 675.00

Total bonds and stamps . . . \$12,578.00

## Newberry Briefs

Carl Garrod is home from Ypsilanti, where he is employed.  
 JoAnn Crisler has gone to West Virginia, to visit friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hemkes, Wakefield, spent the weekend visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Bond.  
 Miss Betty Beach, who is attending Cleary Business college, Ypsilanti, is home for the holidays.  
 Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Lind went to L'Anse Saturday, called there because of the death of Mr. Lind's mother.

The Misses Anna Marie Quinlan, Frances Johnson and Helen Myers are home from Augustana hospital, Chicago, where they are student nurses.

Drygoods and grocery stores will close at 7 p. m. Christmas eve. The stores have been open every night this week and some were open last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sten Taube announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Viveka, to Clarence Bouschard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bouschard. They will be married New Year's eve.

**HIGHWAYS SLIPPERY**  
 LANSING, Dec. 22—P—The state highway department today cautioned Michigan motorists that driving is "extremely hazardous" because of freezing rains which made sanding operations ineffective. Rains washed away chloride applied to slippery spots, the warning said.

The United States during 1941 produced 73,000,000 pounds of mustard seed.

# Fliers' Story Of Capture In French Africa

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sighting land, we were tuned in to a field at Marshall, Liberia, where we were supposed to land. Tried to work out an orientation problem. I never did get a definite position. . . . Tom: Called control tower and asked them to turn on their beacon on a lower frequency. We called them several times and asked them if they could see us. We could see an airport, but the field at Marshall said it could not see us. They gave us landing instructions and then signed off. . . . Young: Our tanks were low and the red lights were showing. . . . Goldsmith: Our main fear now was our fuel supply. We had to find a place to set that baby down and fast. We headed for the field not knowing where we were. But it looked good to us. We seemed to make a nice landing when suddenly the left wheel or tire gave way and we swerved from side to side before our speed had been arrested. Our tire probably was flat before we landed. The runway was grass and at the end of it was tall, high grass. The wheels wouldn't hold now so we just kept going into that tall grass man. . . . Feal: Lake avenue. This is the second war Mr. Willman has served in. He was a lieutenant in World War I.

May 11—Goldsmith: For the first time in my life I am finding a use for studying foreign languages in school. Although I had not studied or used French for a good number of years, I find that I can understand these people and also make them understand me. I am keeping quite busy interpreting and translating for us all.

**Natives Wear Little Clothes**  
 May 12—Goldsmith: We have been going on a number of hikes over the island also fishing and swimming. We have been given a number of English books by a major who speaks English and this helps while away the time. It seems about a "Frenchmen have relatives in America" who they want you to look up on returning.

May 13—Goldsmith: The natives wear very little clothing. They all walk around that way, but no one looks twice except we Americans when something nice goes by.

May 14—Kelley: We have been here a week yesterday and it is beginning to be tiresome. All we want you to do is sleep and read. All of our American cigarettes are gone and we are trying to accustom ourselves to French ones. They are very strong and not very tasty. I took a trip to Conakry and enjoyed it very much. My guide was a French interpreter. We toured the town. I returned about 7 o'clock with a little news, but nothing definite. We still are waiting to hear from Dakar. . . . I would give a month's salary for some good old American bacon and eggs. The French don't believe in eating breakfast. Most of the time breakfast consists of bananas and coffee. Dinner and supper are fair, but half the time you cannot tell what you are eating. I know one thing—our teeth are beginning to turn dark from drinking this water and wine and eating the dark food. The beds are pretty bad, too. Full of bugs and lumps. Our gunner, Holmes, has been sick from malaria for four days.

**Bugs, Ants In Food, Wine**  
 May 15—Goldsmith: It wasn't until today that I suddenly realized that that heavy tool box with magnetized metal in all probability deflected our compass and caused us to be off our course so much. It naturally changed my orientation. . . . Kelley: The sun is killing here because we are so close to the Equator. We don't feel the heat any more than you ordinarily would, but it takes a lot of energy out of you. We think we are going to Dakar in about three days by boat. What they will do to us there, I do not know. There is an American consul there, so we have some hopes.

May 16—Goldsmith: A meal takes one or one-and-a-half hours. I guess this is done to get in more wine. The bread is terrible and full of ants and worms. Sometimes the French remove the bugs and other times they just go right on and eat them. After a while we did the same. I guess I've consumed a few thousand ants by now. Bugs in the wine are just flavoring,

it seems, and down they go. Oh, well, I don't suppose a little moth or fly can drink very much.

(Tomorrow: Life tightens. The boys learn that travel in Africa can be anything but a picnic, especially on a lunch of sardines, bread and bananas.)

## LEVINE BROTHERS

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P. S. Be sure to give her two or three pairs . . . Phoenix Rayons take longer to dry and should be alternated.

**PHOENIX Rayons**

# Stamp Goal \$30,000 For 12 Months

NEGAUNEE, Dec. 22—In an effort to bring Negaunee's purchases of war stamps over the \$30,000 mark for the year, stamp booths have been placed in strategic places, C. J. Tomblin, war savings chairman, said this afternoon.

The postoffice sold, for the 11 months ending November 30, \$25,000 of war stamps, or an average of slightly more than \$2,000 a month.

"On the basis of these records," he said, "we should anticipate about \$23,000 of stamps sold this month without doing anything to boost sales.

"However, it is only natural that we should want to make \$30,000 our goal for the year. We are talking about stamps only, not bonds. It takes a lot of sales to go over \$100 a day in stamps, yet if everybody will do his share and take stamps for change, or swap change for stamps at the booths, we shall be able to make it."

The plans are to keep the booths in operation only until Christmas eve, but if sales keep up they will be kept open next week.

Girl Scouts are cooperating, as part of their program of working with defense and patriotic groups, in keeping the booths staffed.

## Chinese Execute Chief Of Government Agency

CHUNGKING, Dec. 22—P—Lin Shin-liang, manager of the transport department of the central trust and chief of the Chinese government purchasing and selling agency, was executed by shooting today on charges that he used his position to transport goods over the Burma road for his personal profit on the eve of the fall of Rangoon.

He was tried and sentenced by a court-martial whose decision was approved by Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek. The value of the goods involved allegedly exceeded \$30,000,000, Chinese, or about \$1,500,000 in United States currency.

## English Church Bells To Ring Christmas Day

LONDON, Dec. 22—P—Church bells will ring in England Christmas day.

The ministry of home security announced the ban would be lifted between 9 a. m. and noon. A war rule provides the bells are to be rung only as a warning of invasion.

Church bells rang all over England November 15, however, when the rule was suspended to celebrate the victory in Egypt.

## Boston Firemen Fight Fourth Major Blaze

BOSTON, Dec. 22—P—Boston firemen fought their fourth major blaze in five weeks today, a coal wharf fire which raged out of control for nearly three hours, doing several hundred thousand dollars' damage and temporarily endangering an electric generating station.

In sub-zero weather, seven Coast Guard vessels assisted two fireboats in combating the flames from the water-side, and 150 Coast Guardsmen helped to block a coal conveyor with sandbags to prevent the fire's racing along it to a Boston Edison company station. Three flames were kept away from 90,000 tons of coal at one end of the pier.

## Nazis Lose 55,000 In 7-Day Drive

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Under blows of Soviet troops the enemy is abandoning arms, equipment and ammunition. Organized attempts of separate enemy groups to hold back the offensive of the Red army have been unsuccessful and have only increased the already great losses of the Germans.

One entire battalion of enemy infantry, including its commander, surrendered to one Soviet unit that in two days of fighting had killed about 6,000 Germans, this communication said.

## Fighting in Stalingrad

Field dispatches reported the discovery of many indications that the Germans had intended to spend the winter in the central Don region. More and more food depots were being taken. Thirteen warehouses filled with stores were captured by the Russians at a single settlement.

Fighting still went on in the littered streets of Stalingrad itself, and northwest of the city as well. Soviet artillery destroyed several enemy dugouts and block-houses, both in the Stalingrad factory area and just to the northwest.

Along the central (Moscow-Rzhev) front, official Russian reports told of the repulse of German counter-attacks and the improvement generally of Russian positions.

West of Rzhev, the key German position before Moscow, three successive German counter-attacks were said to have been thrown back.

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# Saturday To Be Short Day In Stores

NEGAUNEE, Dec. 22 — There was no report of organized action here today, but there will be sharp curtailment of business hours Saturday in several stores in Negaunee.

Some of the food stores will be open until noon; others will be open all day.

On the other hand one establishment, Levine Brothers, will be closed all day Saturday. The 1942 Christmas shopping season has been a long and hard one for clerks, the management of that store pointed out, and it will close to give the staff a "well deserved rest."

**Attorney Drafts Bill For Labor Conscription**  
 WASHINGTON, Dec. 22—P—Grenville Clark, New York attorney, today presented Washington officials with the draft of a bill making the civilian population subject to compulsory service in war production industries.

Clark, a close friend of the President, has made a study of selective service problems, and was the author of one of the first military draft laws introduced in Congress. Many consider him an authority on the subject.

His new bill was prepared, however, after the recent strengthening of the powers of War Manpower Commission Paul V. McNutt. He had talked the problem over with the President, and had made a trip to England to study the British war service act.

The measure would provide, first of all, for calls for volunteers to fill the need for war production workers.

**Pastor's Wife, Baby Die in Train-Auto Crash**  
 KALAMAZOO, Mich., Dec. 22—P—A three-month-old baby was killed outright and the mother, Mrs. Joseph Wilson, 35, wife of the Rev. Joseph Wilson, pastor of the Methodist church at Colon, died later in Borgess hospital, Kalamazoo, as the result of an accident when their car hit a Michigan Central train tonight at Shafter's crossing east of Kalamazoo.

In the hospital, extent of his injuries not known, is the Rev. Mr. Wilson and an eight-year-old son, Richard, who has a fractured leg.

Oldest tree in the United States is said to be a cypress standing between Lake Mary and Longwood, Fla., which is believed 3500 years old.

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 for the Holidays!

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 PORK BUTTS . . . . . Lb. 35c

GROUND PORK . . . . . Lb. 35c  
 MIXED NUTS . . . . . 2 lbs. 61c  
 CHOCOLATES . . . . . 1-lb. box 39c  
 STUFFING BREAD . . . . . 15c  
 PEANUTS . . . . . 2 lbs. 49c  
 GRANBERRIES . . . . . Lb. 21c  
 SWEET POTATOES . . . . . 3 lbs. 23c  
 CANDY . . . . . 2 lbs. 45c  
 TOMATOES . . . . . Lb. 20c  
 RADISHES . . . . . 2 bchs. 15c  
 ENDIVE . . . . . Bch. 15c  
 CELERY . . . . . Stalk 18c  
 TANGERINES . . . . . Doz. 30c  
 TURNIPS . . . . . 3 lbs. 25c  
 GUT FRUIT . . . . . Lb. 28c  
 CHERRIES . . . . . Lb. 35c  
 WALNUTS . . . . . Lb. 60c  
 PECANS . . . . . Lb. 65c  
 HAZEL NUTS . . . . . Lb. 75c

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**IGA MARKET**  
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IT'S CHRISTMAS TIME IN THE WANT-ADS

Let Game Body Fix Seasons, MUCC Goal

LANSING, Dec. 22.—P.—The Michigan United Conservation Clubs informed the state conservation department today it would renew its fight for legislation giving the conservation commission absolute power to fix hunting season and bag limits at its pleasure.

P. J. Hoffmaster, state conservation director, said his department has been willing to accept such responsibility any time it is bestowed by the legislature, but would not raise its voice in behalf of such an enactment.

The MUCC group, led by President Theodore Bowler, Clare, and Harry Gans, Grand Rapids, executive secretary, obtained Hoffmaster's approval of its request that a rod fishing license be imposed on fishers in Great Lakes and connecting waters where no fishing license is required now.

Hoffmaster, however, received without comment its demand that a special one-dollar license be required of trout fishers, while other fishers would have to pay a similar fee for the right to take any fish other than trout. The trout licensee would have to spend another dollar to take other varieties of fish.

The group asked the conservation commission to recommend the finalization of rules for training hunting dogs.

Upper Peninsula

War Victim

IRON MOUNTAIN, Dec. 22.—Pvt. First Class, Clayton J. St. Arnaud, 25, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph L. St. Arnaud, 1010 West B street, has been killed in action in the southwest Pacific, according to a telegram received by the parents from the Adjutant General's department.

Burns Fatal To Boy

WAKEFIELD, Dec. 22.—Andrew Feisler, 14-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Connor, Cornvillier, died at the Wakefield hospital as a result of burns received Saturday evening when he tried to start a stove fire with kerosene. The youth's sister, Mary, 12, was burned also but was released to go home after being treated for burns on her right hand and back. The boy used a can of kerosene to start a fire in the stove and apparently there were some live coals in the stove. The fire followed the stream of fluid into the cans and there was an explosion, inflicting severe burns on the boys face, hands and other parts of his body.

"Stuck" With Water Pipe

IRON RIVER, Dec. 22.—Because of the sweeping character of the order closing WPA projects, Bates township officials are wondering what they will do with 20,000 feet of pipe they obtained for extension of the water mains. When he conferred with Abner E. Larned, state administrator at Marquette, George Miller, township supervisor, was given to understand that the waterline project was out but because of the materials on hand Larned promised a further review of the case. But there is not much hope that the project will be carried out. Township officials are considering a plan under which a part of the extension would be put in without WPA aid.

Stockholders To Meet

SALT STE. MARIE, Dec. 22.—Financial condition of the Soo Brewing company, and movement now underway for organization of a new corporation to buy assets and assume mortgage indebtedness of the brewery will be discussed at a meeting of stockholders residing in Mackinac, Luce and Chippewa counties, called by Fred H. Fahne, receiver of the company, on Wednesday, Dec. 23, at 1 p. m. at the brewery. In a letter to preferred and common stockholders, Mr. Fahne said a group of stockholders from Alger county has taken an active part in organization of a new corporation and desires to give all stockholders of the old corporation a chance to participate in the new company. Hearings on a petition to dissolve the old company have been completed and a request to dispose of the brewery was made in a circuit court case heard by Judge Herbert W. Runnels.

Will Entertain Troops

HOUGHTON, Dec. 22.—Residents of Hancock, through a plan adopted by the city's Neighborhood War clubs, will be asked to be dinner hosts on Christmas day to U. S. Army ski troops stationed at Camp Sidnaw, near Sidnaw. Contingents of U. S. troops, training for winter warfare, are now stationed at Camps Sidnaw, Pori, James Lake, Gogebic, Bonifas, Pauling and Camp Alvin, former CCC training camps. Invitations to dinner on Christmas day will be extended to those troops now in training at Camp Sidnaw.

Mediator At Escanaba

ESCANABA, Dec. 22.—Paul Ricketts, Lansing, chairman of the Michigan labor mediation board, is expected in Escanaba today to conduct further meetings of the special mediation commission in continued efforts to bring about a settlement of the current wage dispute between the city of Escanaba and city employees, members of the American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees (AFLE). Yesterday afternoon the special commission of the mediation board, composed of Charles N. Wood, the Rev. James G. Ward, of Escanaba, and John Luecke, Federal conciliator with the U. S. Department of Labor, conferred with four representatives of the union. The meeting was held in the council chambers at the city hall.



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Double Column or More, follows Regular Classified

It is estimated that enough gasoline was used unnecessarily in last year's driving to have filled 1,000,000 tank cars.

Announcements—Card of Thanks

ADAM BYRON SAYLES—I wish to express my sincere thanks and appreciation to my many kind friends and neighbors who came to our assistance in my recent bereavement. The death of our husband and father, Adam Byron Sayles, I am especially grateful to the Rev. H. J. Byrnes, those who sang, those who donated cards, the pallbearers and all who sent flowers or assisted in any other way. Their kindness will ever be remembered. Mrs. A. B. Sayles and daughter Marjorie.

Lost and Found

FENDER GUARD—Lost, Dark green with chromium striped trim. Reward, \$50. Marquette Hardware, Marquette.

PLATFORM STAKE—RACK—for truck, lost in Marquette. Finder please notify Nystrom's Moving Lines, phone 251, Marquette, Marquette.

MAN'S BLACK WALLET Lost

Containing draft card and personal papers. Finder return to address on identification card in wallet.

Recreation

Join In The Holiday Spirit At The Hotel Clifton Cocktail Lounge

Where young and old enjoy the songs of yesterday and today played and sung by

June Pertell Tommy Decker

"Where the World's Best People Meet"

SERVICES—

Auto Service, Repairing 10

SKATES SHARPENED—Get your skates ready NOW. Bring them to Wm. J. King, 344 W. Washington Street, Marquette.

LET EXPERT REPAIRMEN care for your car. Have it fabricated regularly. The Fine Street Service Station, Marquette.

SAVE YOURSELF money and worry by having your car checked regularly by men who know cars. Reliable Service Garage, 215 S. Front St., Marquette.

THE GOVERNMENT urges people to take care of their cars. Bring your troubles to us. Expert Mechanics Geo Wood's, 130 Baraga Ave., Marquette.

Beauty Parlors

REHILLARD'S BEAUTY PARLOR—Permanents, \$2.50, \$3.50, \$5.00. End curls, \$1.50. 230 Rock Street, phone 2864, Marquette.

Business Service

EXPERT VACUUM CLEANER AND SEWING MACHINE SERVICE—Parts and repairs for all models. All work guaranteed. 20 years experience. Household Exchange, 525 N. 3rd, Marquette.

HOUSEHOLD AND COMMERCIAL REFRIGERATION—To keep your refrigerator working efficiently have it checked regularly. Automatic Utilities, Phone 404, 124 N. Third St., Marquette.

Plumbing, Roofing, Heating

FOR REPAIRS on plumbing and heating. Call 1090, Dressler & Son, 413 W. Michigan St., Marquette.

Radio Service

ERIKSSON RADIO SERVICE—Expert technicians, Radios, tubes, parts. 107 N. 4th St., Marquette, phone 1068.

Employment—Help Wanted—Male

PIN BOYS—Wanted at the Sportland. See Ted, Sportland Alley, Ishpeming.

TWO TRUCK DRIVERS—Wanted to drive pulpwood trucks. Wm. Bonifas Lumber Co., Champion, Michigan.

Financial—Money to Loan

CASH Choose a Monthly Payment Plan

Table with columns for Loan amount and Monthly Payment. Values range from 50 to 200 for loans, and 5.00 to 20.00 for payments.

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Walter C. Wylie & Co. 104 Savings Bank Building Phone 119, Marquette Jenks Block—Over Fineman's Phone 86, Ishpeming

Mrs. Ruby Richey Named On Nutrition Committee

LANSING, Dec. 22.—P.—Governor Van Wagener announced today appointment of a nutrition committee of the state defense council, to help the public solve food problems in these times of rationing.

Among the appointees are Dr. I. M. Hoobler, Children's Fund of Michigan, Detroit; Miss Sylvia Hart, Work Projects Administration, Detroit; George St. Louis, Surplus Marketing Administration, Detroit; E. A. Anthony, dean of agriculture at Michigan State college; Mrs. Jean C. Tripp, Detroit health department; Dr. Robert B. Barkness, W. K. Kellogg Foundation; Hastings' Dr. Paul Essert, Grosse Pointe school superintendent, and Mrs. Ruby Richey, Northern Michigan College of Education, Marquette.

Financial—Money to Loan

INVESTIGATE OUR TIME CREDIT PLAN before making purchases of heavy durable goods. Here is the ideal, the convenient way to finance your home needs. Payments arranged to suit your budget. UNION NATIONAL BANK, Marquette.

Livestock—Hogs, Pigs, Supplies

HUNTING DOGS—1 Beagle hound and 1 Beagle and Fox hound. Good trained hunting dogs. Inquire 425 Krieg St., Marquette.

Farm and Garden—Hay, Grain, Feed

BAILED HAY—For sale. Inquire or write Rock Cooperative Company, Rock, Michigan, Phone Rock, 12.

Home and Business—Articles For Sale

NEED A TOM & JERRY SET FOR THE holiday season. We have them. A. J. Jean & Son.

REMEMBER JEAN'S FOR BEVERAGE glasses, Hibballe, old fashioned, wines, etc. A. J. Jean & Son.

Business Equipment

WE HAVE SEVERAL cash prospects for a sound, six-room residence, either in college area or close to business section and high school. Must have three bedrooms. We also have a large number of prospects for new, modern five and six room dwellings. If you have this kind of property for sale, list it with the CLOSSE REALTY COMPANY, 311 Savings Bank Bld., Phone 1213, Marquette.

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Used Cars and Trucks

1935 FORD SEDAN—Will sell for first reasonable offer. Inquire of Mrs. Joe Penny, 424 Baraga Avenue, Marquette.

Wanted—Automobiles

WANTED—Automobiles 110

COAL, WOOD, OTHER FUEL

DO YOU FEEL your dollar is buying the most in fuel? Have you tried COKE? A fuel with 90 to 95% carbon content, the best quality of solid fuel, a fuel with no smoke, soot or smudges? There is no better solid fuel. Call the Michigan Gas Company or your fuel dealer.

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Furniture, Rugs, Linoleum

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Good Things To Eat

STUFFIN' BREAD—For your turkey dressing at Christmas and New Year's. Fred's Bakery, Phone 214, Marquette.

TANGERSINES—2 dozen for \$30; delicious apples, \$2.50 a bushel. Fred Marker, 5 Third St., Marquette.

Household Articles

GIVE THE FAMILY A COMPLETE SET of dishes, 72 pc. sets, \$6.95 and up. A. J. Jean & Son.

Musical Merchandise

JUST RECEIVED A NEW SHIPMENT of Victor and Bluebird records. White Christmas. There is a Star Spangled Waving Somewhere and many others. J. Jean & Son.

PIANO AND BENCH—Upright, excellent condition, \$35.00. Phone 2710, or inquire at 343 E. Park St., Marquette.

Sewing Machines

IF YOUR SEWING MACHINE IS GUMMED UP—Turning hard or skipping stitches, give it a new lease on life. Call Singer Sewing Center to help you with your wartime sewing. 302 S. Front St., phone 1403, Marquette.

Stoves, Furnaces, Parts

WESTINGHOUSE AUTOMATIC RANGE—In good condition. Reasonable price. Phone 1845-7, Marquette.

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TYPEWRITERS—ADDING MACHINES Bought-sold-repaired-REPAIRED ALTMANN typewriter & Add. Mach. Co. Marquette

Vacuum Cleaners

VACUUM CLEANERS—Factory rebuilt Hoovers priced from \$7.50 to \$29.50. Kelly Hardware Company, S. Front St., Marquette.

Washing, Iron Machines

USED WARD'S DELUXE WASHER Reconditioned, \$28.95. Montgomery Ward's & Co.

Seventy-one per cent of all the passenger cars in the world are registered in the United States.

Home and Business—Wanted—To Buy

WILL PAY CASH for late model treadle or electric sewing machine in good condition. Phone 1403, Marquette.

Rentals—Apartments, Flats

ARCH W 114—Five rooms and bath, heated and continuous hot water, gas or electric connections. Phone 973-W, Marquette.

MICHIGAN ST E 110—New four room and bath, upper apartment, heated and unfurnished. Inquire 428 N. Front St., phone 331, Marquette.

RIDGE ST W 209—An ideal modern three room apartment. Steam heat, insulated. Adults only. Inquire on premises.

Houses For Rent

TWO BEDROOM HOUSE in Piquet located on Lincoln street near college. Four rooms, two bedrooms, basement, furnace and garage. One bedroom all furnished and living room partially furnished. Electric stove. Rental only \$15.00 per month. Phone 414, Marquette.

Wanted—To Rent

WANT TO RENT—Five room, heated, lower apartment, by Jan. 1st. Centrally located. Write Mining Journal, Box WB, Marquette, stating rental.

Real Estate For Sale—Wanted—Real Estate

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POSTORIA GLASSWARE—Fiddle, candy or mayonnaise dishes. Also a complete line of steam ware. Priced at 35c and up. Schoch & Hallam, Marquette.

KAAP'S CANDIES—Received fresh daily. Fresh candy, the real treat that everyone enjoys during holidays. Priced 60c and up. DONCKERS, Marquette.

START THE FAMILY on one of America's most popular glassware patterns, Cambridge or Rose Point. Visit our gift department. A. J. Jean & Son, S. Front St., Marquette.

DESK SETS—Make writing in the home a pleasure with a smart looking and efficient desk set. Hornbogen's Gift Shop, Hotel Northland.

Gifts for Her—

Every piece selected by a home economist for the modern housewife. \$2.95, attractively boxed. Also a 11 piece gift set, that women everywhere want. \$2.45.

Canisters, step-on-cans, bread boxes and many other attractive kitchen articles all beautifully trimmed to match the color scheme of your kitchen. At prices that will please.

Gifts for Him—

THE GIFT THAT KEEPS ON GIVING—Victor records. See and hear them at Jean's, both popular and Victor classical records. A. J. Jean & Son.

TIE PINS AND CLIPS—Key chains of a wide selection can be found at SADOFF'S. Every man enjoys receiving accessories to help him look his best. SADOFF'S CLOTHING STORE, MARQUETTE.

SHIRTS—The famous Wing dress shirts—collars guaranteed to outwear rest of shirt. \$1.65 at SADOFF'S CLOTHING STORE.

MEN'S JACKETS—Keep dad warm and comfortable this winter in one of these fine jackets. A large selection to choose from at SADOFF'S CLOTHING STORE, MARQUETTE.

SERVICE MEN'S SEWING KITS—The repair job can be done at a jiffy with a neat compact sewing kit. Hornbogen's Gift Shop, Hotel Northland.

SHIRTS—A gift appreciated by every man and boy. You will find a large selection of fine tailored shirts either white or fancy colors and stripes in Ishpeming priced at \$1.19, \$1.39 and \$2.98.

PAJAMAS—Broadcloth, fast colors, sanforized. An ideal gift for him on Christmas. \$1.98 at Penney's in Marquette.

PHILCO RADIOS—Your last chance to get an up to date Philco radio is here. Be sure to look at our stock of Portables as well as Floor and Table model radios. KELLY HARDWARE CO., S. Front St., Marquette.

Gifts for Everyone—

OCCASIONAL CHAIRS—A variety of colors and styles. \$11.95 to \$22.50. Ideal for many hours of relaxation. Mudge's Furniture Store, Ishpeming.

FRUIT BASKET—Give a practical gift this Christmas. Fruit is one thing that every person would appreciate. Order yours today by calling 614. Fruit Market, S. Third St., Marquette.

SKATES—Ladies' figure and tubular, men and boy's hockey. Priced \$3.75 and up. Also Tubbs snowshoes. Berg's Sporting Goods, Ishpeming.

BLUE COSSOCK STYLE JACKETS—For Boys ideal, for the extra warmth they need. \$2.82 at Penney's in Ishpeming.

RADIOS—All in dandy playing condition. Come in and see them while they last. Household Exchange, 525 N. Third St., Marquette.

LADIES' SKATES—\$5.42 and \$6.74; men's skates, \$4.81 and \$7.38. The gift that gives many happy hours of relaxation. Penney's in Marquette.

HALLMARK CHRISTMAS CARDS—We have a wide selection of either boxed or individual cards. MARQUETTE PHARMACY.

GIVE YOUR BOY OR GIRL a guitar, we have a fine selection. \$7.95. A. J. Jean & Son, 115 S. Front St., Marquette.



# Repair Crews Discard Book In Solomons

The following article was written by Second Lieutenant Herbert L. Merrill, Monmouth, Ill., Marine Corps public relations officer in the Solomons, and distributed by the Associated Press.

GUADALCANAL, Nov. 18.—(Delayed)—Marine Corps ground crews on Henderson field, working in mud and dust, under the glare of spotlights, to keep the planes flying, have made possible the brilliant successes of our aviators here.

Their tools are few, and some primitive. They have no elaborate machine shops or weatherproof buildings. They have little rest. Many of the tattered planes, which they put back into the air, would discourage less determined repair gangs.

**Book Writers Would Groan**

"The book" on proper organization and methods for maintaining planes has long since been discarded. The men have improvised repairs, patches, stop-gaps that would make the book writers groan.

"They've worked miracles of repair, which have spelled success for the others who defend this American toehold in the Solomons."

"We salvage everything but the bullet holes," said Second Lieutenant George Cole, San Diego, Calif., who since mid-October has been in charge of heavy repair work on Henderson field.

Second Lieutenant William L. Woodruff, 39, Fort Worth, Texas, was engineering officer in charge of scout-bomber repair work during the critical days of mid-October, when the Japs repeatedly shelled and bombed the airfield for three days and nights. For 72 hours the repair crews had no rest.

Lieutenant Colonel Albert D. Cooley, 42, Muskegon, Michigan, in charge of dive-bomber operations, has called Lieutenant Woodruff the real hero of October 15, when dawn revealed Jap transports busily unloading within a few miles of the airfield. Under Woodruff's supervision, the ground crews had put many planes into commission by noon. They blasted the Jap transports.

**Patches on Every Plane**

Almost every plane bore a patch of some kind. Each dive bomber is inspected as it comes in from a flight. Shrapnel and bullet holes are quickly patched.

The rudder of one plane had been riddled by shrapnel from a Jap anti-aircraft gun. More than 50 patches had been slapped on the rudder. The plane was ready to fly again seven minutes after she landed.

In truth, they don't seem to be discouraged by their repair job. They have kept the dive-bombers in the air. Once in the air, the dive-bombers and their pilots have proved many times what they can do.

## Radio Program Today

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The program bill: "Ma" Perkins, presented daily Mondays through Fridays at 11:15 a. m. by Procter & Gamble.

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- 8:30—News.
- 8:45—Rising and Shire.
- 9:15—Morning Musicale.
- 9:30—Voice of the Church.
- 9:45—Musical Interlude.
- 10:00—Furness Lutheran Church.
- 10:15—Singing Melodians.
- 10:30—LANCELOT WOMEN: GENERAL MILLS.
- 11:00—LIGHT OF THE WORLD: GENERAL MILLS.
- 11:15—"MA" PERKINS: PROCTER & GAMBLE.
- 12:00—LUNCH HOUR CONCERT.
- 12:30—TRANS RADIO NEWS: UNION NATIONAL BANK.
- 1:00—FURNISS: NEWSKAT: KING MOSES Floor.
- 1:10—The Green.
- 1:30—Red Cross.
- 1:45—Memory Lane.
- 2:00—WDMJ signs off until 4 p. m.
- 4:00—Melody Matinee.
- 4:30—Music News.
- 4:45—The 12th Street Orchestra.
- 5:15—Melodic Medley.
- 5:45—Central Cafe.
- 6:00—Dinner Concert.
- 6:15—Clifton Hotel.
- 6:30—Dinner Concert.
- 7:00—News.
- 7:15—Fremont and Land.
- 7:30—The Evening Concert.
- 8:00—Treasury Star Parade.
- 8:15—Western Serenade.
- 8:30—Variety Time.
- 9:00—Wilson Army.
- 9:15—Central Cafe.
- 9:30—SUMMARY OF THE DAY'S NEWS: UNION NATIONAL BANK.
- 9:45—The Green.
- 10:00—WDMJ signs off until 8 a. m., Thursday, December 24.

**Garnishment Test Suit To Be Appealed to Court**

LANSING, Dec. 22.—P.—Decision by the Gratiot county circuit court that the state is responsible in garnishment action against employees will be appealed to the state supreme court, Auditor General Vernon J. Brown indicated today.

Brown originated the suit to test a 1937 state holding, in effect, that garnishment may be served on the auditor general but that no judgment can be rendered against the state. As many as 1,000 garnishment cases a year reach his office, Brown asserted, adding that the attorney general has differed with him as to correct garnishment proceedings.

Judge Paul R. Cash, of the Gratiot county circuit, ruled yesterday that the state could not claim immunity from making disclosures in garnishment action brought against its officers or employees. The case grew out of local action involving veterinarian fees.

**DETROIT POTATOES**  
DETROIT, Dec. 22.—(U. S. Dept. Agr.)—Potatoes: 100 lb. sacks, U. S. No. 1, size A, unless otherwise stated; Babbs Hasket Burbanks washed, 2.35 to 3.40; unwashed 2.00 to 3.25; Maine various varieties 2.25 to 2.60, 35 lb. paper sacks 30 to 41c; Michigan Chippewa 2.55 to 2.80, No. 2, 2.40, Russet Burbank 2.15 to 2.30, Katahdin 2.35; Upper Peninsula 15 lb. paper sacks U. S. No. 1 Green Mountains 97 to 1.2c.

# And Some Day The Twain Shall Meet



## National Whirligig

News Behind the News

By Ray Tucker

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—Mr. Roosevelt's January 7th message to Congress will demand greater safeguards against disastrous inflation in so far as the Chief Executive discourses his problems. He will forecast a prospective rise in living costs more dangerous than Axis attacks on sea or land. Here is the picture he will paint.

Total national income next year will approximate 120 billion dollars, which exceeds any previous figure. But there will be only about 70 billion dollars' worth of goods to buy. That will leave 50 billion rattling around with no place to go. Present individual income taxes will sop up only about 10 billion of that surplus, while savings (insurance, mortgages, social security, war bond purchases) account for another 25 billion. This means that slightly more than 15 billion must be absorbed by higher prices, heavier imposts and larger taxes.

F. D. R. will probably propose a new revenue program designed to take up that 15 billion dollar slack. It will mean levies far heavier than the average American pays under the present load. But—and this is comforting—some Presidential advisers warn against a virtually confiscatory 1943 tax bill. They believe the American people will invest rather than spend those left over billions.

**WARRIORS**—The second chapter of our invasion of North Africa proves that the United States has the jump on the Axis in a big way. As French General Henri Giraud recently said in an address to his Moroccan forces, Hitler apparently has lost the initiative all around the globe.

The Army and Navy, laboring under a secrecy complex, concealed these facts from the public. There is no reason why they should not be told now. The huge armada which escorted and ferried our original contingent to the Dark Continent has long since returned to this country. In fact it has been reloaded with troops and supplies and has shoved off again for Algiers, Oran and Casablanca. Officers who commanded the units which decimated on those erstwhile enemy cities are back in America lecturing about their deeds before youngsters who will soon man landing craft in other sections of the universe.

From their adventures in the Pacific, the Mediterranean and at Diego our fighting lads have gained practical experience. Survivors have been rushed home to give freshman warriors the benefit of their knowledge concerning hand-to-hand and aerial encounters. The boys now in camps here will not go forth as amateurs; they will have been trained by the best in the business.

**DARE**—A previously unknown factor that necessitated a slash in food supplies for our people is the U. S. S. R. demand for sustenance. Moscow has warned the "pantry of democracy," which happens to be the United States, that it cannot hold out against Berlin for more than a year unless Uncle Sam provides edibles for its armies and workers.

It is not generally realized, but Hitler's conquest of the Ukraine and the Caucasus is tantamount to an enemy's capture of the grain and corn belts of this country. The seizure means plenty of provisions for the Reichwehr and a shortage for the Kremlin's troops. The U. S. A. must bridge the gap. By methods which cannot be explained here we are doing it. We are sending Stalin at the moment more victuals than we are shipping to Britain for belatedly President Roosevelt and Prime Minister Churchill realize that keeping the

ness in Washington. They charge that the President is unwilling—or doesn't know how—to delegate authority. He attempts to solve complex economic problems by creating commissions with overlapping functions and loosely defined powers. This, they argue, is the check and balance theory of government carried ad absurdum. Mr. Roosevelt has the last word—and obviously he is too busy.

A half-dozen super-executives like Sorensen, Sloan, Irwin, and the Du Pont's top chiefs could unite most of our knots, they insist, given the chance to make decrees and enforce decisions. But such "royalists" are still blackballed by the Administration and will not be asked to serve. Even if called, many would not accept because they are convinced they would only be handed a blank cartridge.

Wall Street industrialists warn that no system however well organized can eliminate inconveniences, hardships and suffering caused by war. Citizens must share the pie with two now hungry guests—the military and lend-lease—and take the smallest piece. Criticism of inept bureaucracy is justifiable—and necessary—but Manhattan's magnates frankly warn that the public is kidding itself if it thinks we can defeat Germany and Japan without 10 times more personal sacrifices than we have been called upon to make.

**TEMPO**—A top flight American doing war work at a famous English university describes the quaint ancient customs which are still observed. "Every evening led by the choir, we march in to dinner in the Great Hall and sit at the High Table on a one-step dais. A gong rings and a student pronounces a rather long grace. Then everyone is seated. The boys gobble their meal and wash out, but the faculty takes longer with its three-course dinner, and beer or wine if desired.

"At its conclusion the Provost says in Latin, 'God having been blessed, may He bless us.' Everyone responds, 'Deo gratias,' and then in procession we elders pass into another room with a long mahogany table. Here the port or Madeira is passed with due ceremony to the left, each one helping himself. Being wartime it goes around only twice. When the first drink has been poured all rise and the Provost toasts, 'The King,' and then, 'The President of the United States' and usually bows to me as the only American at the High Table.

"Every subject is discussed. Old college grads who have gained prominence are there as guests and tell their stories. I've sat next to generals, bishops, deans and famous writers.

"As someone leaves, the Provost orders, 'Close up,' and those on the far side of the vacant seat move nearer so the party is kept intimate. It breaks up early. Now and then I go to the Provost's study for a cup of tea." These pleasant customs have run their even course for hundreds of years; a little thing like a war or two on hand cannot stop them or even touch their tempo.

**LAIR**—Those in the military know smile confidently and boast, "We've got something up our sleeve that will hit Herr Hitler before next Spring." Gearing started this war in the clouds and that is where Uncle Sam is going to finish it. It is not permissible to reveal secrets, but aviation experts predict that Germany's Alpine battlements and North Sea coast cannot protect her because we are mobilizing a sky armada that goes beyond anything yet dreamed.

We shall mangle Axis cities, fortifications and factories with new types of block-busters dropped from myriads of large bombers. Our troop-carrying transport planes and gliders actually can set down an invading army hundreds of miles behind the front line. One of our last year's models evacuated 74 refugees per flight from Burma to India. An American Douglas some time ago flew

## Munising

### Frank Aley President Of Civic Club

MUNISING, Dec. 22.—Frank Aley, Jr., was elected president of the Development club for 1943 at the organization's annual meeting last night in the Beach Inn. He will replace W. A. Cox, who has held the post two years. Aley will begin his term with the first meeting next month, scheduled for January 4.

Other officers elected last night are: Vernon A. Floria—First vice-president. Benjamin Zastrow—Second vice-president. Lewis J. Merwin—Secretary. George Chudacoff—Treasurer. Frank Runast, Borah Osser—Directors.

### Thanks For Souvenir, Archer Says

MUNISING, Dec. 22.—"I think you have the most beautiful hunting country it has ever been my pleasure to enjoy," said Nelson Grumley, Detroit, one of the nation's leading archers, in a letter to the Development club this week.

Grumley, the first man in modern times to kill a deer in this country with bow and arrow, was presented with a large "Munising" wooden bowl, suitably marked, as a trophy of his marksmanship.

Of the bowl, Mr. Grumley said: "I received the beautiful trophy and want to say that it ranks first among the many things I have collected in years of shooting with a bow and arrow."

### Academy Appointments Announced by Bradley

MUNISING, Dec. 22.—Appointment of principal and alternate candidates to the U. S. service schools at West Point and Annapolis has been announced by Fred Bradley, Eleventh district Congressman. They are:

Annapolis—Charles W. Harter, Charlevoix, and Oliver H. Ayres, Bay View, principals; Frederick E. MacArthur, Alpena, and Wayne A. McRee, Pellston, first alternates; Leonard J. Kowaleski, Gaylord, and Raymond T. Jurma, Daggett, second alternates; John C. LaFave, Gladstone, and Alvin C. Peterson, Manistee, third alternates.

West Point—George P. Fourtelot, Jr., Alpena, principal; Gunnar E. Anderson, Sault Ste. Marie, first alternate; William S. Carpenter, Jr., Menominee, second alternate; Donald S. Ballard, Petoskey, third alternate.

### Munising Briefs

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Kraft, Wetmore, are the parents of a daughter, born December 17.

Mrs. Fred Mattson, Detroit, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Runast.

Miss Helen Cromell, Detroit, is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Cromell.

Miss Rosemary Brown, Detroit, is expected to arrive today to spend Christmas with her mother, Mrs. Minnie Brown.

Cl. Donald Evans arrived yesterday from Portsmouth, Va., where he is stationed, to spend five days at his home.

James Nybeck, son of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Nybeck, has been promoted to seaman, second class, in the Navy.

A son was born in St. Luke's hospital, Marquette, December 17, to Mr. and Mrs. James McIntyre, East Chocoly street.

Miss Margaret Truden, Forest Lake, is spending the holidays with her parents. She is a student at Michigan State college, East Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Korpela are expected to arrive tomorrow to visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John N. Korpela and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Revord.

DeMolay Meeting — Fellowship chapter, Order of DeMolay, will meet at 7 tonight in Masonic hall, Marquette, for installation of officers. Following the business meeting there will be an informal dancing party to which members and their ladies are invited. Munising members are asked to attend.

## Holy Nativity Service Held In Grace Church

The Christmas observances at the Grace Methodist church begin with the Holy Nativity service beginning at 11:30 tomorrow night, which replaces the Juleta of former years. At 7 o'clock Friday night the Sunday school program which includes the following numbers: Organ and piano prelude. Marion Johnson, Dorothy Erickson.

- Hymn, "O Come All Ye Faithful". Congregation
- Scripture reading
- Jimmy Smeberg
- "Everybody's Welcome" Carl Peterson
- "In Honor of the Christ Child" Lois Flink
- "Birthday Gifts" Billy Beckman
- Song, "Silent Night" Carl Peterson, Billy Beckman, Edward Johnson
- "The Christmas Story" Marie Peterson
- "Happy Birthday" Paul Johnson
- "Good the Year Around" Helen Wilson
- "Then and Now" Charles Wilson
- "A Blessed Thought" Kay Carlson
- Song, "I Love You" Primary class
- "A Big Fish" Donald Olson
- "My Gift" Nancy Sorenson
- "His Birthday" Edward Johnson
- "Spoken From the Heart" Dorothy Wilson
- Song, "Away in a Manger" Nancy Sorenson, Marie Peterson, Dorothy Larson
- "His Christmas Present" Howard Johnson
- "A Little Girl" Pauline Nelson
- "Little Children" Paul Wilson
- "The Baby Jesus" Dorothy Larson
- "Why Can't We" Billy Flink
- Song, "In Little Bethlehem" Exercise, "Trimming a Christmas Tree"
- Charlotte DeSautelle, Dorothy Anderson, Shirley Solka, Mabel Flink, Charlene Hamjel, Marion Peterson
- "The Proof" Raymond Carlson
- "Verse for Christmas" Floyd McMahon, John Solka, Reading, "The Christmas Candles" Joyce Wilson
- "Not Christmas for You" Glenn Carlson
- "The Old-Fashioned Christmas" Terry Ryan
- Candlelight service, "The Names of Jesus"
- Barbara Carlson, Helen Solka, Mary Anderson, Wahnetta McMahon, Ruth Johnson, Sally Brown, Janet Swanson, Jack Peterson, Glen Beckman, Bobby Wilson, Paul Gustafson
- "The Christmas Offering" Raymond Johnson
- Offertory
- "While Shepherds Watch Their Flocks" Reader—Eunice Flink
- Speaking choir—Betty Anderson, Marian Peterson, Ruth Wilson, Marjorie Nelson, Eunice Rutenburg, Dorothea Hamjel
- Christmas play, "Unto Bethlehem" Cast—James Carlson, Norman McMahon, Billy Carlson, Jean Beckman, Lorraine Flink
- Choir—Mary Carlson, Shirley Wilson, Marion Froling, June Carlson, Kathleen Nelson, Jean Nelson, Olive Peterson, Dorothy Brown, M.L.S. Lawrence
- Hymn, "Joy to the World" Choir, Congregation
- Talk
- Rev. Henry Swan
- Hymn, "It Came Upon a Midnight Clear" Congregation
- Benediction
- Postlude

### CHICAGO POTATOES

CHICAGO, Dec. 22.—(By A. P.)—(U. S. Dept. Agr.)—Potatoes, arrivals 67; on track 329; total U. S. shipments 412; supplies liberal, demand light, market steady for best stock; Idaho Russet Burbanks U. S. No. 1, 2.50 to 3.05; Colorado Red Chippewa U. S. No. 1, 2.50 to 2.80; Minnesota and North Dakota Bliss Triumphs U. S. No. 1, 2.05, Commodities 1.85 to 1.90; Cobblers Commercial 1.82 to 1.95.

### CHICAGO BUTTER

CHICAGO, Dec. 22.—(By A. P.)—Butter, receipts 506,079; firm; prices as quoted by the Chicago Price Current; creamery, 83-score, 46 to 48 3/4; 82-score, 45 3/4; 81-score, 45; 80-score, 44 3/4; 79-score, 44; 78-score, 43 3/4; 90 centralized carlots 45.

### BOSTON COPPERS

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### Miscellaneous

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## Market News

### Summary

Stocks—Irregular; specialties given support. Bonds—Narrow; B. & O. issues advance. Cotton—Higher; trade and spot house buying.

Wheat—Closed 1/4 lower to 1/2 higher; late hedging pressure.

Corp.—Unchanged to 5/8 down; followed wheat trend.

Hops—Active; strong to 25 cents higher; Am 31.80.

Cattle—Weak to 15 cents lower; top choice fed steers 316.50.

### STOCK AVERAGES

(Compiled by Associated Press)	1942	1941	1940	1939	1938
Net change	D.1	D.1	D.1	D.1	D.1
Tuesday	60.1	57.9	58.4	41.2	41.3
Monday	60.1	58.8	58.3	41.3	41.3
Week ago	58.6	57.2	56.5	40.2	40.2
Month ago	56.9	57.6	56.7	39.5	39.5
Year ago	57.1	57.8	56.1	38.5	38.5
High 1942	60.2	59.7	57.3	41.3	41.3
Low 1942	46.0	44.4	21.1	32.0	32.0
High 1941	57.1	57.1	53.3	43.2	43.2
Low 1941	51.7	51.3	24.5	34.0	34.0

### WHAT THE MARKET DID

	Tues.	Mon.
Advances	240	273
Declines	358	323
Unchanged	254	248
Total issues	848	844

### New York Stocks (Tuesday's Closing Prices)

Adams Exp	7 1/2	Kresge	29 1/4
Am Rad	30 1/2	Nat'l Def	28 1/2
Am Sm & R	30 1/2	Nat'l Ind	28 1/2
Am T & E	30 1/2	Nat'l Sec	28 1/2
Am W Wks	30 1/2	Nat'l Tel	28 1/2
Am X	30 1/2	Nat'l Trans	28 1/2
Am Y	30 1/2	Nat'l Wire	28 1/2
Am Z	30 1/2	Nat'l Zinc	28 1/2
Am A	30 1/2	Nat'l Alum	28 1/2
Am B	30 1/2	Nat'l Chem	28 1/2
Am C	30 1/2	Nat'l Coal	28 1/2
Am D	30 1/2	Nat'l Iron	28 1/2
Am E	30 1/2	Nat'l Steel	28 1/2
Am F	30 1/2	Nat'l Glass	28 1/2
Am G	30 1/2	Nat'l Paper	28 1/2
Am H	30 1/2	Nat'l Text	28 1/2
Am I	30 1/2	Nat'l Food	28 1/2
Am J	30 1/2	Nat'l Drug	28 1/2
Am K	30 1/2	Nat'l Misc	28 1/2
Am L	30 1/2	Nat'l Util	28 1/2
Am M	30 1/2	Nat'l Transp	28 1/2
Am N	30 1/2	Nat'l Comm	28 1/2
Am O	30 1/2	Nat'l Int'l	28 1/2
Am P	30 1/2	Nat'l Govt	28 1/2
Am Q	30 1/2	Nat'l Bond	28 1/2
Am R	30 1/2	Nat'l Insur	28 1/2
Am S	30 1/2	Nat'l Real	28 1/2
Am T	30 1/2	Nat'l Misc	28 1/2
Am U	30 1/2	Nat'l Ind	28 1/2
Am V	30 1/2	Nat'l Chem	28 1/2
Am W	30 1/2	Nat'l Coal	28 1/2
Am X	30 1/2	Nat'l Iron	28 1/2
Am Y	30 1/2	Nat'l Steel	28 1/2
Am Z	30 1/2	Nat'l Glass	28 1/2
Am A	30 1/2	Nat'l Paper	28 1/2
Am B	30 1/2	Nat'l Text	28 1/2
Am C	30 1/2	Nat'l Food	28 1/2
Am D	30 1/2	Nat'l Drug	28 1/2
Am E	30 1/2	Nat'l Misc	28 1/2
Am F	30 1/2	Nat'l Util	28 1/2
Am G	30 1/2	Nat'l Transp	28 1/2
Am H	30 1/2	Nat'l Comm	28 1/2
Am I	30 1/2	Nat'l Int'l	28 1/2
Am J	30 1/2	Nat'l Govt	28 1/2
Am K	30 1/2	Nat'l Bond	28 1/2
Am L	30 1/2	Nat'l Insur	28 1/2
Am M	30 1/2	Nat'l Real	28 1/2
Am N	30 1/2	Nat'l Misc	28 1/2
Am O	30 1/2	Nat'l Ind	28 1/2
Am P	30 1/2	Nat'l Chem	28 1/2
Am Q	30 1/2	Nat'l Coal	28 1/2
Am R	30 1/2	Nat'l Iron	28 1/2
Am S	30 1/2	Nat'l Steel	28 1/2
Am T	30 1/2	Nat'l Glass	28 1/2
Am U	30 1/2	Nat'l Paper	28 1/2
Am V	30 1/2	Nat'l Text	28 1/2
Am W	30 1/2	Nat'l Food	28 1/2
Am X	30 1/2	Nat'l Drug	28 1/2
Am Y	30 1/2	Nat'l Misc	28 1/2
Am Z	30 1/2	Nat'l Util	28 1/2
Am A	30 1/2	Nat'l Transp	28 1/2
Am B	30 1/2	Nat'l Comm	28 1/2
Am C	30 1/2	Nat'l Int'l	28 1/2
Am D	30 1/2	Nat'l Govt	28 1/2
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