

ALBANIA ANNEXED BY FASCIST ITALY

TWO MICHIGAN SOLONS BOOST STRAITS SPAN

SOUVENIRS MISSING AT BRADLEY'S SMELT FEED

Washington, April 8 (AP)—Favorable action by the senate on the bill of Senator Brown (D-Mich.) to permit the Mackinac Straits bridge authority to construct and operate a bridge over the Straits of Mackinac was forecast today by the senator.

A senate sub-committee approved the measure Thursday and the full senate commerce committee is expected to approve it at the next meeting, next Tuesday or a week later.

"I expect the bill will be passed by the senate," Senator Brown said. "There seems to be no serious opposition to granting the authority permission to go ahead with its plans."

On the house side where the bill died last year Rep. Bradley (R-Mich.) has introduced a companion measure to that of Brown's. He said he was pressing the interstate commerce committee to set a date for a hearing and wanted all persons supporting or opposing the bill to have full opportunity to be heard by the committee. He said he expected the hearing would be held during April.

Senator Brown has another project dear to his heart—that of making a national park out of Mackinac Island. If the bridge is constructed, it would overlook the park the senator has urged be made of the historical island.

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Rep. Bradley, host at a smelt feast furnished by Escanaba, Mich., Thursday night had one disappointing experience in connection with the affair. A large quantity of Michigan products had been sent by Michigan firms which Bradley had intended to distribute to the guests but some during the evening they disappeared and some of the guests went giftless.

Hits WPA Theatres Bradley doesn't like spending WPA money for what he calls New York theatre projects and charging the cost to Michigan. He went to the WPA headquarters last week with a delegation from the Michigan legislature to try to secure approval for a plan for WPA workers to work longer hours and store up time in the summer months to be drawn upon when deep snows cover the Upper Peninsula. The plan was rejected and Bradley demanded the WPA tell him how it could justify allowing \$52.50 a month for each man and materials on Michigan's WPA roll and charge the state for 73 theatre projects in Detroit which were operated by New York companies at a cost of \$97 per man.

"I couldn't find any one who (Continued on Page Two)

WEATHER

LAKE MICHIGAN: Gentle to moderate northwest winds, becoming variable; much cloudiness Sunday. LOWER MICHIGAN: Considerable cloudiness, continued cold Sunday; rain or snow Sunday night or Monday; somewhat warmer Monday. UPPER MICHIGAN: Considerable cloudiness, continued cold Sunday; snow Monday and slightly warmer.

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Peninsula Easter Clear But Chilly

Detroit, April 8 (AP)—The United States weather bureau raised a warning finger to would-be Easter paraders today, predicting a cloudy and chilly holiday weekend for the Lower Peninsula.

Neither rain or snow was in prospect for Easter, the bureau said, but the sky probably will be overcast and temperatures no higher than the low forties.

Unseasonal weather struck Bay City, where 7 1/2 inches of snow fell during a storm that began Friday night and ended Saturday. Kalamazoo and Battle Creek had an inch and a half of snow. Big Rapids reported 5 inches. Grand Haven and Muskegon 3 inches and Grand Rapids 1 1/2 inches. Snow fell in western Michigan averaged from 2 to 4 inches.

Generally fair and chilly weather was forecast for Upper Michigan.

ONE-LEG TEXAS BANDIT CAUGHT

Ex-Convict, Wounded In Gun Fight, Admits One Bank Robbery

Breckenridge, Tex., April 8 (AP)—A one-legged fugitive said today in a gun fight with Texas officers who were seeking a suspect in the \$800 bank robbery and in an Oklahoma slaying and abduction.

Sheriff Freeland identified the man as a parolee convict from the McAlester, Okla., prison. The officer said the man admitted robbery of the Grator bank, but denied knowledge of the earlier slaying and abduction near Marlow, Okla.

The man was wounded after his car was hit by a ditch as he was being chased by officers. In the automobile officers found a bag containing \$266.95.

Poses of northwest Texas officers launched the search in the belief the bank robber was responsible for the kidnaping and slaying of Joe Ball of Oklahoma and the abduction of Sonny Ferguson, 19-year-old Oklahoma filling station operator.

The bank was robbed about an hour after Ferguson reported to the Mineral Wells, Tex., officers he had been abducted and brought to Texas and released at Perrin north of there.

Ball, Oklahoma City mail carrier, was found slain in a ravine on a farm north of Marlow early today. An Oklahoma City woman said she and Ball had been kidnaped at Oklahoma City last night and the abductor killed Ball after the automobile ran out of gasoline. Officers believed the killer then kidnaped Ferguson.

New Fighting Boat, Destroyer Sims, Is Launched By Navy

Bath, Me., April 8 (AP)—Workmen's torches burned through two perforated steel strips here today to launch the navy's newest fighting craft, the 1,570-ton destroyer Sims.

Christened by the widow of Admiral William S. Sims, for whom it was named, the slim, gray destroyer slid from the ways of the Bath Iron Works, Inc., into the Kennebec river, while several thousand spectators cheered.

The 341-foot vessel, costing more than \$5,000,000, was the 47th naval craft launched here in 46 years. Its heaviest armament was five 5-inch guns.

Elsewhere in the yard, swarming with activity comparable to World War days, four other destroyers were under construction, including the U. S. S. Hughes, a sister ship to the Sims, scheduled for a June launching.

Fireman Is Killed On Soo Line Wreck

Superior, Wis., April 8 (AP)—The locomotive and three cars of a Soo Line freight train were derailed today, fatally injuring Fred R. Kregale of Superior, the locomotive fireman.

Queen Back From Publicity Tour



Queen Barbara Banks, above, who will rule at Escanaba's 1939 smelt jamboree next Thursday, Friday and Saturday, returned to the city last night accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Wm. J. Duchaine after a one-week publicity tour to Chicago, Cleveland, Washington, D. C. and Detroit. News of the local celebration was spread through radio broadcasts and news photographs taken on the trip. Highlights of the tour was the all-Michigan smelt and farm products banquet with Rep. Fred Bradley as host, which was held in the congressional dining hall last Thursday night.

Faithful Commemorate Resurrection Of Christ

(By The Associated Press) Hosannas from countless choirs rang out through all Christendom today (Sunday) as the faithful gathered to commemorate the Resurrection of Jesus Christ.

In city, town and hamlet, from the great reaches of St. Peter's in Rome to humble missions in far-flung outposts, Christians marked another Easter with the special services reserved for the festival, nearly 2,000 years old.

"The tomb is empty; He is risen from the dead," the ancient said on that first Easter morn and the old story—yet ever new—echoed again in music and in pageant wherever men look to the cross.

The Eastern-morn sunrise was to be greeted by special rites in scores of natural amphitheatres throughout the country—more and more communities having found nature-made places of worship in which to celebrate Easter.

Earnest prayers for the peace that Jesus preached were said through a troubled world. War clouds shadowed Easter observance in Europe and the Far East. The Albanians, mostly non-Christians, saw Christian invaders march through the streets of their towns.

In the United States the people forgot mundane affairs as they gathered on the rim of the Grand Canyon in Arizona, in Hollywood's famed bowl, in Colorado's Garden of the Gods, at Yosemite's Mirror Lake, in Chicago's Soldier Field, at Winston Salem's 165-year-old Moravian ceremony, at New York's Central Park Hall and at scores of other equally famous community observances for sunrise services.

President Roosevelt planned to attend service at the Warm Springs, Ga., Foundation chapel. The Easter message of Pope Pius XII and the Vatican service was arranged for broadcast to the world beginning at 5 a. m. (EST).

The weather forecast was none too encouraging for most of the after-church promenaders. On the west coast and through the south fair weather was in prospect, but the prediction for most of the middle west and the east was chilling temperatures.

Strollers on New York's Fifth Avenue were faced with cool weather and partly cloudy skies and on many another street and avenue where style-displays stroll, the forecast was anything but favorable for light spring garb.

Lansing, Mich., April 8 (AP)—Dr. Don W. Gundakunst, state health commissioner, gave warning today of "one of the greatest smallpox threats in recent years," with 192 cases reported in Michigan thus far in 1939.

He said that an extensive outbreak in central Michigan had been traced to a high school basketball tournament at Mt. Pleasant at which members of 16 teams and an undetermined number of spectators were exposed to the disease.

The teams, he said, were from Flushing, Alma, Sandusky, Evert, Perrinton, Gladwin, Lake City, West Branch, Carson City, Meosta, Alabaster, Weidman, Roscommon, Crystal, Fowler and Mt. Pleasant. He advised parents of children in those schools to have their children vaccinated immediately. The preventive campaign is somewhat retarded, he explained, by the Easter vacation which began this week. Six graduate physicians from the University of Michigan school of hygiene and public health are working in counties which have no full-time health department.

SMELT PLANE FORCED DOWN NEAR ALPENA

SNOWSTORM CAUSES DELAY ON RETURN TO ESCANABA

The smelt jamboree special plane, bearing Queen Barbara Banks and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. J. Duchaine of Escanaba, was brought down safely in a blinding snowstorm near Alpena yesterday afternoon by Pilot Bob O'Dell. Swirling flakes filled the air for nearly an hour, and the party elected to complete their homeward trip by automobile.

Had flying weather been encountered south of Rogers City, home of Rep. Fred Bradley, owner of the jamboree plane and host at the congressional smelt dinner at Washington, Pilot O'Dell was unable to locate the Rogers City airport in the snowstorm and continued to Alpena where the landing was made.

Word was received here earlier in the day that the plane would arrive at Escanaba airport at about 3 o'clock in the afternoon. An unofficial welcoming committee had already gathered at the local field when news of the delay was received.

Much ground covered. Much territory had been covered by the smelt jamboree publicity party since leaving for Chicago a week ago Saturday night. After seven radio broadcasts from Chicago stations and on national hook-ups, in which Queen Barbara, Duchaine and Harold Gerson were heard by many local listeners, the plane took off for Washington Tuesday afternoon. An over-night stop was made at Cleveland, and the party arrived at Washington at one o'clock Wednesday afternoon.

Going for news photographers, calling on celebrities and seeing points of interest in Washington kept Queen Barbara busy every minute during her two-day stay at the capitol. Congressman and Mrs. Bradley met her at the airport, presenting her with a large bouquet of Holland tulips.

About three hundred congressmen, federal officials and newspapermen were present at the all-Michigan smelt and farm products dinner in the congressional dining hall, at which the Escanaba smelt queen was guest of honor. At the banquet she presented Rep. Bradley with a scepter shaped like a smelt dip-net and invited him to rule as king at the local festival. The congressman will fly here next Thursday to take part in the event.

The smelt jamboree party took off from Washington on Friday morning for Detroit, where radio programs were broadcast at 6:30 p. m. and 12 midnight. They left Detroit for Escanaba yesterday morning.

BOYNE CITY DIPPING Boyne City, Mich., April 8 (AP)—Miss Virginia Lindsay, 16, was crowned queen of the Boyne City smelt festival tonight at a banquet attended by 500 persons. She was queen of the city's winter sports carnival also.

It was estimated that about 5,000 visitors were in town for the dipping at 11 p. m. The temperature of water in the Boyne river was 34 degrees, although the air was only 20 after a mild day which melted yesterday's snowfall.

FERRY SINKS Port Huron, Mich., April 8 (AP)—The Michigan bridge commission ferry, City of Port Huron, sank today in the St. Clair river where it was moored. The fifty-year-old vessel had been out of service since last fall.

Witnesses said the plane, flying through rain and fog, apparently power dived from a height of between 1,000 to 2,000 feet. The dead were identified as Ted Leader, 34, pilot and plane owner, and a Charleston lumber and coal broker; and Del Macon, about 25, manager of a Charleston hotel (Grant).

The injured man was Homer Davis, about 35, an airplane mechanic from Elkins, W. Va. The plane crashed in one of the wildest and most inaccessible sections of southern West Virginia, near the top of a mountain. The accident occurred within about 500 feet of one of the few mud roadways leading into the area.

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SHOT BY PATROLMAN Detroit, (AP)—Detroit police opened an investigation Saturday into the shooting of Clements Ciesla, 16, of Detroit, by Patrolman Thomas Liebau. Ciesla was wounded seriously when the patrolman opened fire as the youth was running alone a railroad right-of-way near the Cyclone Fence Co. plant here Friday night. The shooting occurred a few minutes after the officer discovered the company office had been robbed.

Acquaintances of Benny and Estelle said the girl became an expert shot with pistol and rifle since marrying Dickson a year ago and could perform amazing feats with either.

Guinane declined to speculate whether Mrs. Dickson was nearby when her husband was killed at St. Louis or whether she might have been trying to return to her home at Topeka.

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Vandenberg Tries Escanaba Smelt



Poised to send an Escanaba smelt down the hatch is Michigan's Senator Arthur H. Vandenberg, who got a new taste of the fish for which his state is famous when Rep. Fred Bradley played host at a smelt party in the congressional dining hall in Washington.

VOTE DELAYED ON WPA FUNDS

Expression Is Sought From Roosevelt On Appropriation

Washington, April 8 (AP)—Senators fighting for a \$150,000,000 relief appropriation won an agreement today to postpone a vote on the issue until Monday afternoon and indicated they would seek, meantime, a new expression from President Roosevelt in favor of the figure.

Some senators with close relations with the White House predicted, however, that the chief executive would do nothing to upset the agreement among most elements in the senate on a \$100,000,000 appropriation.

The president originally recommended \$150,000,000, but the house voted only \$100,000,000. When members of the senate appropriations committee threatened to cut the allotment below the latter figure, Republicans, economy-minded Democrats and some administration supporters agreed to support \$100,000,000.

Led by Senator Pepper (D-Fla.), a small band of New Deal supporters nevertheless launched a fight for \$150,000,000 and carried it on vigorously in debate today. At their insistence, a vote was deferred until 2:30 p. m. (EST) Monday.

Members of Pepper's group said they were hopeful that Mr. Roosevelt would make a new recommendation for the full appropriation when he returns to Washington Monday from a Warm Springs, Ga., vacation.

They said they had gained some support since the relief debate started Thursday, but conceded the odds were heavily against them.

Plane Crashes Into Virginia Mountains; 2 Dead, One Injured

Van, W. Va., April 8 (AP)—Two men were killed and a third was seriously injured tonight when a cabin monoplane crashed into a mountainside about three miles from Van.

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Desperado Dickson's Gun-Girl Wife Captured In Kansas City

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Bulgaria Unknown Factor In Balkans

Paris, April 8 (AP)—Italy's invasion of Albania thrust Bulgaria today into the forefront among the unknown factors in the Balkan situation.

French experts were represented as worried about an extension of the tension provoked by Italy, particularly in Bulgaria's direction.

The Sofia government, counting on Italy's support, was believed to be in a position—if it should so decide—to make demands of its own, possibly against Greece.

Diplomatic circles considered that Italian occupation of Albania would give Italy and Germany a direct frontier from which to support Bulgaria if she should demand Greek territory for an outlet to the Aegean.

Nicolas Politis, Greece's minister to Paris, conferred with Foreign Minister Georges Bonnet and outlined his country's fear of a spread of Fascist influence beyond the Albanian border.

French legislators, meanwhile, clamored for some concrete action by the French government.

Deputy Ferdinand Bonte, Communist, asked Jean Mielier, president of the chamber's foreign affairs committee, to call the committee into session to hear Bonnet report on the Albanian occupation.

He urged that the group join in "cries of anger and horror which are mounting in the sympathetic breasts of all nations against the new act of aggression by Italian Fascism."

Fast Drivers Get Week-Ends In Jail

Detroit, April 8 (AP)—Traffic Judge Thomas F. Maher introduced week-end jail sentences for speeders today as a contribution to motoring safety.

He sentenced Andy Sopoliga, 28, convicted of reckless driving, to serve five week-ends in jail. Two men convicted of speeding were sentenced to serve two week-ends in jail.

"Speed is a contributing factor in many serious accidents," the judge commented. "Maybe if we take some of these people who drive too fast off the streets entirely during the week-end, when traffic is heaviest, there will not be so many accidents."

LINDBERGH OFF TO VISIT U.S.A

Flying Colonel Refuses Interviews; Business Mission Hinted

Cherbourg, France, April 8 (AP)—Col. Charles A. Lindbergh sailed tonight aboard the liner Aquitania for the United States on what friends said was a business trip.

Surrounded by French detectives, Lindbergh boarded the ship ahead of the other passengers and no one was permitted near him on the liner. Mrs. Lindbergh did not accompany him.

It will be Lindbergh's first visit to the United States since 1937. Some of his business associates said his trip was connected with the prospective opening of Pan American Airways' trans-Atlantic service.

However, it was recalled here that Representative Carl Vinson of Georgia, chairman of the house naval affairs committee, announced in January he would invite the flier to return home and report on the state of European air rearmament.

His reports on the strength of the German and Soviet Russian air fleets created widespread comment during the September crisis over Czechoslovakia.

Operatives of the Surete Nationale guarded the colonel from his Paris apartment to the Cherbourg maritime station today. His wife and their sons, Jon and Land, were believed to have remained in Paris.

Lindbergh disappointed a small group of Frenchmen who recognized him at the dock and sought to show him a marble plaque near by which commemorated his 1927 trans-Atlantic flight. He waved them aside with a brusque "I am sorry."

Moscow's Churches Filled For Easter

Moscow, April 9 (Sunday) (AP)—Moscow's few remaining churches were crowded with worshippers at the midnight easter service.

One neighborhood church, built to accommodate about 400, was surrounded by a throng of some 1,500, eager to get near enough to hear the Easter music and light their candles from other candles passed out from the altar to the crowd outdoors.

Elderly women who must have remembered many a pre-war Easter clung to a high iron picket fence, trying to glimpse a faint reflection of the ceremony through side windows.

LITTLE NATION IS DOMINATED BY MUSSOLINI

KING ZOG IN EXILE; TROOPS SCATTERED IN WILD HILLS

(By The Associated Press) Rome, April 9 (Sunday) (AP)—A provisional government was set up today at Tirana, capital of conquered Albania, for the purpose of accepting Italian rule and Premier Mussolini was reported planning to fly there to proclaim the ancient kingdom a part of his Fascist empire.

The first act of the new government was to advise all Albanians to accept Italian occupation and to refrain from resistance and provocative acts against the Fascist forces who had virtually completed domination of the diminutive Balkan state.

Army Not Resisted Fascists said Il Duce probably would fly Monday to Tirana to proclaim Italian rule. Count Galuzzo Clano, his foreign minister-in-law, preceded him yesterday to take care of the preliminaries.

Ahead of Clano, an Italian army of occupation had marched unresisted into the city.

King Zog was in exile and his handful of troops was scattered in the hills—hills that were a province of ancient Rome 2,000 years ago and many expected would become a province of Il Duce's modern Roman empire.

The Fascist government issued an appeal from several Albanian leaders asking Vittorio Emanuele to assume "the crown of Albania," a development widely construed as a sign that Mussolini would enfold Albania in his spreading empire by inviting the Italian sovereign to become king of Albania.

Zog fled to Greece to join his American-Hungarian queen, Geraldine, and their three-day-old heir, Crown Prince Skander, who had crossed the frontier ahead after a dramatic flight over mountainous roads in an Albanian Red Cross ambulance.

Takes Gold Reserve The Albanian king, now apparently just another of Europe's former monarchs, was reunited with his wife and son in a little tavern at Florina, a Greek mountain village. It was expected the royal family would remain there until tomorrow at least before seeking a permanent refuge, possibly at Salonika, on the Greek Aegean coast.

Zog's army was vanquished by the overpowering force of Italian troops, warplanes and warships against which the Albanian tribesmen made a futile stand yesterday when the Italians launched their Good Friday invasion at four points on Albania's coast.

Italians reported that Zog had taken with him "Albania's entire gold reserve" which they estimated at about \$150,000.

The Fascist press here said Italy would be "benevolent and generous toward the proud and noble Albanian people" but would be "inexorable" toward Zog and his henchmen.

Yugoslavia Safe The whole press, including Virginia Gayda, Fascism's chief newspaper mouthpiece, insisted Italy had no plans to drive deeper into the Balkans and especially stressed her friendship for Yugoslavia, Albania's northern neighbor.

Mussolini, it was announced, sent a special message to the Yugoslav government, delivered through the Italian minister at Belgrade, expressing the "appreciation of the Fascist government for the attitude of Yugoslavia in the present crisis of the Albanian situation."

(From the start, the Yugoslav government has held to a strict (Continued on Page Two)

Traffic Toll

Mt. Clemens, Mich., April 8 (AP)—Francis Graziakel, 23, of Port Huron, died today from injuries suffered in an automobile accident last night which took the life of Orville Stalter, 41, also of Port Huron. Their car hit a tree along Gratiot avenue three miles north of here.

Maybe, (AP)—Word was received here Saturday of the death of Oliver Roach, 24, of Maybee, in Toledo, O. Roach apparently mistook a dead-end road in Toledo for a main highway. His automobile crashed into a set of railroad tracks, turned over several times, and crushed him beneath it.

Detroit, April 8 (AP)—Luke Hanton, 13, of Garden City, was killed tonight when an automobile driven by Alan Hiebe, of Ann Arbor, hit him.

HIGH SALARIES ARE REVEALED

Severe Income Taxes Cut Heavily Into Pay of Celebrities

Washington, April 8 (AP)—The treasury gave congress a peek at 1937 salaries today, revealing that by and large the big money is in the movies.

Top figure for the year was \$1,161,763, paid Louis B. Mayer by Lowe's, Inc., to which Metro Goldwyn Mayer corporation added \$123,750 for his services as vice president.

Over all, the list showed 63 salaries greater than \$200,000, of which 40 were paid by motion picture companies.

The list presented by the treasury consisted of salaries of more than \$15,000, the payments including salaries and bonuses. In some cases, it was pointed out, the recipients of the salaries listed had to pay business expenses out of them. In others, the payments were on a corporate fiscal year basis, rather than for the calendar year.

Income Tax Heavy

Income taxes took sizeable portions, especially of larger salaries. Besides the normal tax of four per cent on net income, the federal government imposes surtaxes ranging up to 75 per cent on income above \$5,000,000. Many states also impose income taxes.

J. Robert Rubin, vice president of Lowe's Inc., received \$651,123, and N. M. Schenck, president of the company, drew \$489,602. Greta Garbo's compensation for the year was \$472,000; Marlene Dietrich's, \$370,000; Joan Crawford's, \$351,535, and Frederick March's, \$324,587.

Hearst Gets Half Million

Other branches of the amusement field were prominent in the upper brackets. Major Edward Bowes of the radio received \$427,817 as executive director of Edmar Enterprises, Inc.

Alfred Lunt of the legitimate theatre drew \$101,674, slightly more than that received by his wife, Lynn, \$99,674. Their stipends were paid by the Theatre Guild. Katherine Cornell, also of the stage, received \$58,717 from C. and M. C. Productions.

The New York Daily Mirror paid Walter Winchell \$51,699 for his daily column. Robert L. Ripley, the believe-it-or-not man, received \$149,777 from King Features Syndicate.

Two former heavyweight boxing champions were on the list—\$51,983 for James J. Braddock and \$31,246 for Jack Dempsey. Lou Gehrig's \$36,000 for covering first base for the New York Yankees showed up as apparently the highest baseball salary.

Meat Consumption Worries Germany

Washington, April 8 (AP)—Heavier meat consumption in Germany is worrying Reich officials who want to make that country pretty much self-sustaining.

The American consulate at Hamburg notified the department of commerce today that German meat consumption jumped to about 125 pounds per person in 1938 from 118 in 1937.

"German trade journals have pointed out that the increased consumption was far outrunning the domestic production of meat and that this situation is highly undesirable," the report said.

The 1938 meat consumption in the United States was 128 pounds per person.

The "Y" in the "Ye" of such signs as "Ye Hotte Rogge Shoppe," should be pronounced as "Th."

Helpful Booklets For The Home Gardener

If you would plant and harvest a garden, either vegetable or flower, that will repay you for the time and effort spent, lay your plans carefully by consulting the best obtainable publications on the subject. The booklets listed below will guide you from the time you lay out your garden until you reap your crops. The suggestions contained in these publications give you the benefit of years of official research and experimental work. Check the booklets you want, fill in the coupon below, and mail today with the necessary remittance.

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New Navy Plane Hurdles High Waves



Nosing up out of high waters, this U. S. navy seaplane proves it can "take it" in high seas in Atlantic test off the Virginia capes. The observation craft, built at navy's Philadelphia plant, represents forward step in solution of one of naval aviation's prime problems—landing and taking off in stormy seas.

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hands-off policy in the Adriatic crisis.

No mention was made of Greece, Albania's southern neighbor, but there appeared to be little likelihood that Italy would move to obtain the Greek island of Corfu, valuable key to control of the Adriatic off the Albanian coast, for the present.

(Mussolini bombarded and occupied Corfu in 1924 in a dispute with Greece but was forced to withdraw by diplomatic action of foreign powers.)

Italian forces, however, were close both to the Greek and Yugoslav borders with Albania. An official dispatch from Tirana said an Italian column had entered Scutari, on Lake Scutari, which lies between northwestern Albania and Yugoslavia.

Another dispatch said the Albanian perfect of Koritza, near the Greek frontier, had surrendered the city to Italy and "in the name of the people" and was awaiting the arrival of Italian troops.

May Impound Money

Some private sources reported that Italy probably would take diplomatic steps to have Greece impound the money Zog supposedly carried off and possibly detain the exiled Albanian monarch himself.

The authoritative Gayda launched a vigorous attack on France for what he called "the shameful lies" published there concerning Italy's operations in Albania. These, he said, included false reports of Italian defeats and Italian atrocities.

The Fascist invaders admittedly met resistance at the start and suffered 21 killed and 97 wounded in making landings on the coast yesterday at Durazzo and Santi Quaranta.

Gayda accused France of attempting to throw the Balkans into a state of alarm over what he called merely "a collaborative action between Italy and the Albanian people."

"The French maneuvers at the head of the new confusion directed against Italy, which is being stirred up among a scant following," he wrote in Il Giornale d'Italia with apparent allusion to the British-French anti-aggressor bloc, "are proven in all their squalid intentions in the light of demonstrated facts to the contrary."

Other sections of the Fascist press reiterated charges that Zog was plotting an aggressive action against Yugoslavia and hinted that France had a hand in it. This, the newspapers said, compelled Italy to step in "for defense of peace and order in the Balkans."

Although extra editions of Italian newspapers proclaimed "Tirana occupied!" in their bold-face type, the news was received here without excitement.

In Tirana, however, Italian communiques said the populace rejoiced at the arrival of the dusty Italian columns as deliverers from Zog's rule.

They said looting and disorders broke out in the capital after Zog's departure and that during last night the royal palace and the palace of one of King Zog's sisters were robbed of "important loot."

BY JAMES B. RESTON

London, April 8 (AP)—The British government, alarmed by the swift Italian invasion of Albania, is pressing to get Rumania quickly into a European defensive alliance and also hopes to conclude secret agreements with smaller Balkan states, diplomatic informants said tonight.

Prime Minister Chamberlain abandoned a vacation in Scotland and will arrive in London tomorrow for consultation with his ministers.

may decide tomorrow.

It was believed that Britain would condemn the Italian invasion of Albania in strong diplomatic language but that other action would be directed toward bringing the Balkan countries into the British-French-Polish alliance against aggression.

The Albanian minister called on Foreign Secretary Viscount Halifax but it was believed he received no support for a suggestion that Britain intervene in the Italian-Albanian dispute.

The proposed alliance with Rumania would be formal. Diplomatic quarters said, however, that it was planned to try for secret agreements with the smaller Balkan powers—Yugoslavia, Turkey and Greece—said to be wary of offending Italy and Germany by joining the anti-aggression bloc.

The French ambassador, Charles Corbin, called at the foreign office this afternoon to discuss with Viscount Halifax ways of expediting the Rumanian pact. The American ambassador, Joseph P. Kennedy, also called to inquire about Anglo-French intentions.

One informant said that the first reaction by Chamberlain to the Italian invasion was "save Rumania."

REBUKED BY U. S.

Washington, April 8 (AP)—A mid mounting official fears that a new major European crisis impends, the United States condemned today Italy's "forcible and violent invasion of Albania."

In a pointed rebuke, Secretary of State Hull, with President Roosevelt's expressed approval, declared the Fascist assault on little Albania "violates the will of all peoples in the world that their governments shall lead them, not toward war, but along the path of peace."

He made clear, too, in a formal statement that the United States had an interest, other than on moral grounds, for, he said, this "threat to peace" affected the economic welfare of the United States as well as that of other nations.

The latest American condemnation of aggression was issued against a background of reports that led some high officials to believe the Albanian development was but a prelude to a new general European crisis.

Opinion in both the state and war departments was authoritatively represented as inclining to the view Germany was preparing to test with a thrust at Danzig—possibly next week the new "stop Hitler" pact of Great Britain and Poland.

Officially there were no predictions. Mr. Hull told a press conference questioner he had no official confirmation of reports of new German troop movements toward the Polish border, particularly Silesia.

The rebuke to Italy was issued after the secretary of state conferred again by telephone with Mr. Roosevelt, who was preparing to conclude a Warm Springs, Ga., vacation and return to the capital.

Hull, who appeared flushed and apparently aroused, told reporters the president agreed the statement should be published.

FOUND DEAD IN CAR

Flint, Mich., April 8 (AP)—The body of Glen E. Haven, 43, was found in his parked automobile here today. Police said a hose had been attached to the exhaust pipe and run through a car window.

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Bad Luck Follows Freighter Carrying Scrapiron For Japs

Seattle, April 8 (AP)—A voyage "cursed by ill luck from the start" ended today when the scrap iron-laden, Japan-bound British freighter Temple Bar hit the rocks off the Washington coast, but Capt. L. W. Tucker and his crew of 36 safely abandoned ship.

Tucker, who at 32 was sailing his second command, and First Mate R. N. Thomson flew here from the wreck scene. They were still wet and shaken from a four-hour fight in lifeboats to reach shore. It was Tucker who said the voyage was "cursed by ill luck from the start."

"The Temple Bar hit the rocks and dumped along before it stopped," he said. "It was horrible, being awakened that way. There was a rainy mist, not thick."

The 4,291-ton ship, which had picked up scrap iron at Port Everglades, Fla., was deep in the sand amid the rocks. Tucker called it "probably a total loss."

He said the only reason he could give for being off course was a compass deflection, possibly caused by the iron cargo.

"Two days ago, the ship started turning into the coast," Captain Tucker explained. "I turned her out to correct it. The deflection stopped, and I put it back on the original course."

Captain Tucker, in one lifeboat with 24 of the men, and Thomson with the remainder, cleared ship safely in ten minutes with the decks already awash in the early morning darkness. They rode the heavy seas until daybreak. Thomson's boat found a way through the heavy surf, but a coast guard power boat towed the other to Quillayute.

Amlie Don't Want Job In Washington

Washington, April 8 (AP)—Reports were heard again in well-informed senate circles today that Thomas R. Amlie, Wisconsin Progressive, would ask President Roosevelt to withdraw his nomination to be a member of the interstate commerce commission.

It was reported reliably that Amlie would make his request soon after Mr. Roosevelt returns to Washington Monday.

During hearing on his nomination, Amlie was charged with having Communist leanings. He emphatically denied this.

COMPOSER DEAD

New York, April 8 (AP)—Jacob W. Conrad, 57, composer of the song "Smile, Smile, Smile" and other popular pre-war ballads, died last night after a long illness.

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could answer my question," Bradley said. "The WPA federal projects have cost \$41,000,000 which could have been used for useful construction."

Senator Brown complimented the Civilian Conservation Corps on its accomplishments in a statement he issued on the sixth anniversary of its organization.

"After six years it is difficult to look on the Civilian Conservation Corps as a relief agency," Brown said. "I would rather believe it is a national institution."

He said that as a newcomer in congress it was his privilege to support legislation to create the CCC in 1933 and he took pride in its accomplishments.

"The records show," Brown said, "that the results achieved in the protection and improvement of our vast timbered domain, in checking of soil waste, in building up recreational areas, in conservation of wild life and in flood control have been equal to the results obtained in the rehabilitation of youth."

League Of Nations Abandoned By Peru

Lima, Peru, April 8 (AP)—Peru announced its withdrawal tonight from the League of Nations. The announcement came as a surprise. A brief communique said, however, that the government would continue collaborating with the league's technical bodies as a non-member, especially the international labor organization and the permanent international justice tribunal.

Peru is the tenth Latin American country to resign from the league. Resignations by Costa Rica, Paraguay, Nicaragua, Guatemala, Brazil and Honduras have become effective. San Salvador, Venezuela and Chile have given their notices. Japan and Germany have withdrawn and Italy has served her two years notice.

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ANOTHER HELD AT MENOMINEE

Minnesota Man Nabbed On Morals Count Against Girl

Menominee, April 8—Thomas Deragon, 25, of Cass Lake, Minn., is being held in the Menominee county jail on a morals charge as the latest arrest in the drive to end vice at the Indian reservation in Harris township. He was taken into custody Wednesday at midnight during a raid at the reservation conducted by Sheriff Edward Reindl and officers, Deragon, a half breed, had been at the reservation about a week before he was arrested, Reindl said. However, he had been a visitor there on previous occasions, it was reported.

He will be arraigned before a justice of the peace at a later date.

Also in custody is a 14 year old Indian girl taken with Deragon during the raid. The young girl, who will probably be sent to an institution, is scheduled to appear before Juvenile Judge Katherine Stiles Loughton.

Briefly Told

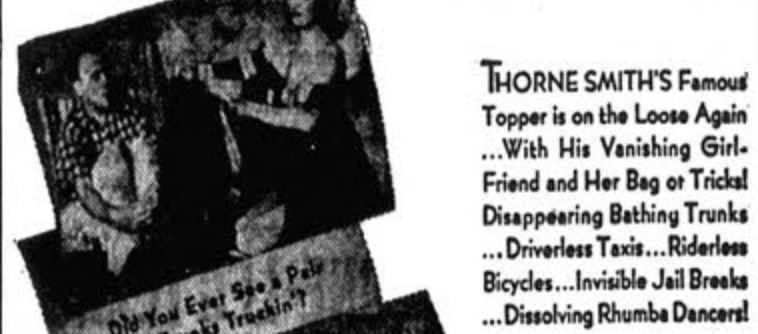
Apply for License—Application for a marriage license was made at the Delta county clerk's office yesterday by Andrew Olson and Astrid Larson, both of Ensign.

CAMPFIRES AT WELLS

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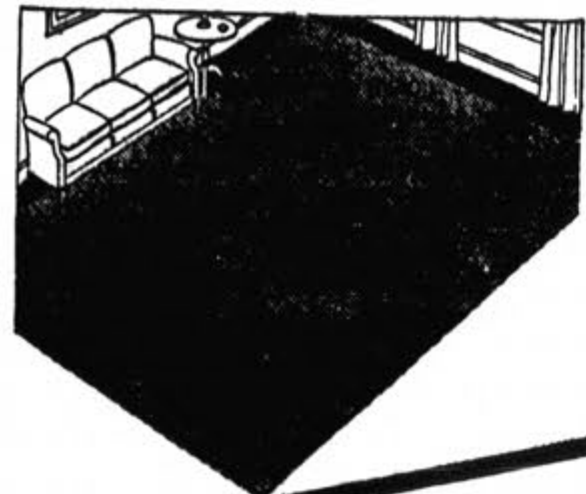
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Easter in America

THE sound of the bells, singing of hope and faith and rebirth on Easter morning, will be a welcome sound in many a tired ear.

Ears in many parts of the world are deafened by the prolonged sound of cannon-fire and the burst of bombs. In some places the very bells themselves are silenced.

Fortunate are we in the United States whose ears are assailed by no worse than the confused murmuring of a restless and unhappy world. Here we are at least not deafened by the shattering explosions of war and hatred. And here, too, no bell is silenced.

Fortunate are we that on Easter, any believer in the Christian faith, no matter what his sect or creed, is free to go in his own way to mark the day according to his conscience.

Such freedom seems elemental to Americans, so elemental that we seldom think of it at all. Once we had reason to hope that it was so. But not today.

Today such freedom stands like a beacon light in a dark world beset with intolerance and hatred.

We believe we are right in our tolerance, so right that some day the world will return to the ideal of toleration to which we cling.

But on this Easter the world is such that only the strong can have faith in the message of rebirth and the triumph of good over evil, life over death.

It is such a world as creates Thomases, modern prototypes of the doubter who, told that his Master had arisen from the tomb, said, "Except I shall see in His hands the print of the nails, and put my finger into the print of the nails, and thrust my hand into His side, I will not believe."

Jesus then appeared to Thomas and said, "Be not faithless, but believing." And Thomas, seeing, answered, "My Lord and my God."

And Jesus answered him, "Thomas, because thou hast seen Me, thou hast believed: blessed are they that have not seen, and yet have believed."

Those words seem spoken for today. Easter this year demands the faith that will believe, even though little enough may be seen of love and truth and life, and all too much of hatred and lies and death.

The world needs the strength, the steadfastness which can believe in life ultimately triumphant over death, good over evil, and light over darkness, even though at the moment death and evil and darkness are so painfully present.

To such faith, the bells of Easter call to Americans—

World Affairs Reviewed

BY GEORGE A. FITCH NEA Service Special Correspondent (Chungking, West China) (By mail) — I have just traveled over a great part of the new life line road China has opened to the west.

Part of it is the hazardous route Marco Polo followed centuries ago but today China is using it as a back-door highway to bring in desperately needed supplies and munitions that the Japanese have cut off from the east.

This road is an engineering marvel, winding and climbing more than 1400 miles through steep mountains, so rough that only pony caravans have crossed them before. It links this new Chinese capital, Chungking, with the Burmese border, Mandalay, and the port at Rangoon, India.

—BUILT BY NATIVES— It was laid out, surveyed and built entirely by native labor; constructed in less than a year.

It was cut through ancient passes—some 8000 feet high—without a single piece of roadbuilding equipment, other than bullock carts to haul away rock and stone rollers to smooth the surface.

Traveling from Kunming, Yunnan, to this city, I covered more than half of this new road, sitting on gasoline cases in a truck, with my suitcase at my back.

Counting delays and stops in dingy hotels, some where the rats frisked about all night, it took nearly two weeks.

We rode from 7:30 in the morning to 8:20 at night one day. There were 28 consecutive halrpln turns at one stretch of the highway. Twice we were held up for hours by slippery ascents—once at a place where a truck had, only a few minutes before, skidded off the road and crashed down an embankment. We covered only 113 miles in that interval.

Yet over this road a fighting China expects to transport the supplies that she hopes may eventually turn the tide in her struggle with Japan. These supplies are landed at the port of Rangoon, Burma, 2100 miles distant, then trucked over the highway, as yet scarcely wide enough for two vehicles to pass in most places.

I was fortunate, for that matter, to be making the trip to Chungking at all. For the transportation problem in this new frontier of China is staggering. Shored back into this westernmost province, Szechwan, the Chinese literally are falling over themselves—refugees, soldiers, civilians.

—TRAVEL PROBLEMS— Buses from Kweiyang to Chungking are booked to July. Planes make the trip frequently but are delayed by air raids. Travelers are driven to extreme measures to get about—as in the case of the Englishman I saw in Kunming.

Accompanied by two servants, he had come all the way from Rangoon, some 1500 miles, in an ordinary taxi. Fortunate for the taxi, there was another passenger waiting to take it back!

Transporting freight is even more difficult. Everything must go by truck and trucks are scarce. American business representatives are finding it necessary to pay as much as \$1200 in Chinese currency per ton of freight. This is because the government needs every available facility.

So serious has the problem become that one of the American oil companies operating in West China has arranged for 1000 ponies to carry gasoline along the route of the proposed new railway from Kunming to Suifu, on the Yangtze river above Chungking. Each pony will carry two cases holding 20 gallons at a cost of \$30 per pony in Chinese money.

But even this is preferable to plane transportation. Baggage by air costs 70 cents per pound and may be shot down en route. Still aviation business is so brisk that ships are scheduled a full month in advance.

Such is the tempo these days in western China, where the government is settling down for a new defensive. Everything radiates from Chungking, the new capital, located at the head of the mighty Yangtze gorges and on the threshold of the country's richest, most populous province.

Together with Yunnan and Kweichow in the southwest, Szechwan until quite recently was considered too remote and inaccessible to command much attention. But there has been a transformation.

—AREA OF IMPORTANCE— The new Burmese-Chungking road is being improved by thousands of coolies—safeguarded and widened. Fine cantilever bridges are swinging into place at some points.

Engineers have just broken ground for two new railroads, each more than 700 miles in length. One will connect Kunming, capital of Yunnan, with Suifu on the upper Yangtze.

The other will go from Kunming to Lashio on the Burmese border, both to be completed within two years. The Burma motor road and these railroads will shorten the distance from Europe and India to West China by more than 2000 miles.

Increased 17.5 per cent since 1929, while the number in private employment is 9.1 per cent lower than then. How far would this trend have to go before the people of the United States would be in the situation of the inhabitants of that mythical island who made their livings by taking each other's washing?

—CONTINUING CRISIS— (Cincinnati Enquirer) Long-range prophesy is idle. Apparently Duce's long-awaited speech has not immediately influenced the situation much, either for the better or the worse. Perhaps that was his intention, in that dangerous game he and Hitler are playing. They thrive upon a continuing crisis; they stand to lose entirely in an actual showdown.

Students planning tours to Europe have been advised to come with enough money for a return if war starts. Dads will appreciate this advance preparedness.

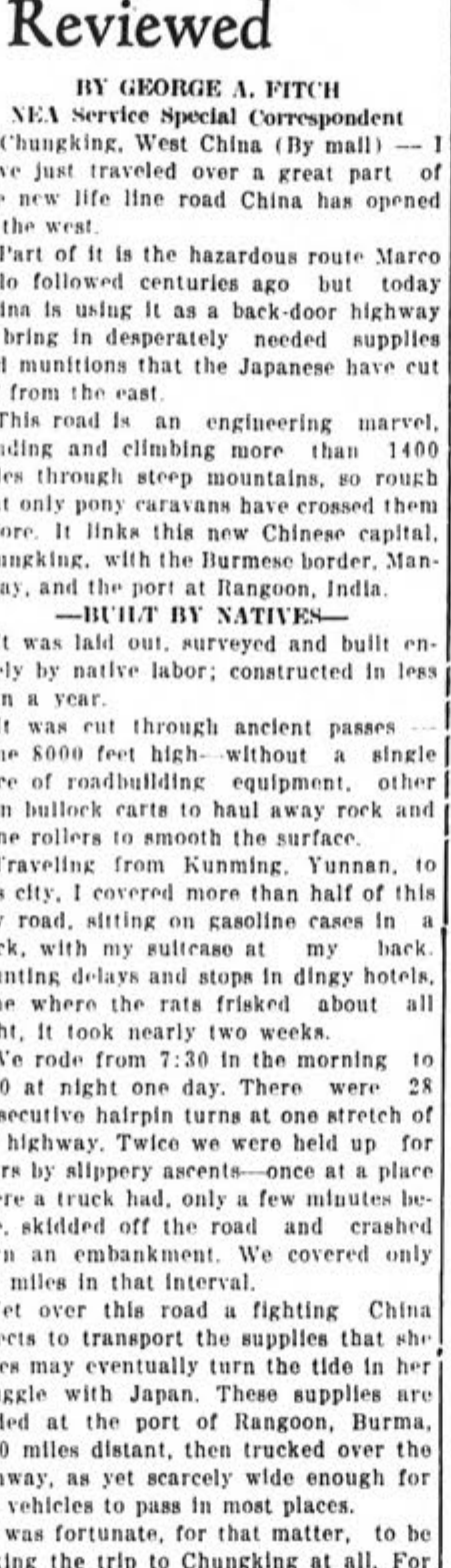
Working for Government (Marquette Mining Journal) One out of every nine Americans who has a job is on the payroll of some branch of government, federal, state or local, according to figures obtained by the National Municipal League from a study of income by the United States census bureau. And this is not counting those on relief projects.

Among 3,800,000 public employees, approximately one-third are engaged in education and one-third are engaged in state and municipal jobs.

It is recognized that the average citizen constantly expects governmental agencies to do more and more for him, from finding markets for his goods to seeing that he does not get short measure at the filling station. But there is still grave reason to doubt the efficacy of government operation in producing and distributing the ordinary necessities of life. However necessary and praiseworthy they may be in their sphere, one can hardly subsist on the services of the traffic policeman, the factory inspector, the court clerk and even the college professor.

The number of public employees, according to the census bureau report, has in-

Let's Take Another Look at That



Answers To Questions

BY FREDERIC J. HASKIN

A reader can get the answer to any question of fact by writing The Escanaba Daily Press Information Bureau, Frederic J. Haskin, Director, Washington, D. C. Please enclose three (3) cents for reply.

Q. How many paper bills are made daily at the Bureau of Engraving and Printing in Washington, D. C.? F. C. A. The average number of bills engraved daily is 3,464,736.

Q. Is Stone Mountain in Georgia still owned by Mr. Samuel Venable? P. B. W. A. Mr. Venable made an unconditional deed of the property to the city of Atlanta in order that the work of the Memorial Association might be carried out.

Q. Where can I get a copy of the Dime Novel Roundup? A. W. H. A. Mr. Ralph Cummings, Box 675, Fisherville, Massachusetts, edits Irreversible Ralph, the Dime Novel Roundup.

Q. When was the Lusitania sunk? M. H. A. The Lusitania was sunk on May 7, 1915, on a voyage from New York to Liverpool.

Q. Was Will Rogers the full name of the late comedian? T. J. H. A. He was baptized William Penn Adair Rogers.

Q. What is the oldest dog in America? E. B. R. A. It is impossible at present to say, because of the fact that in most cases satisfactory proof is lacking. The publishers of Dog World are now conducting a contest to find the oldest registered dog.

Q. How much money is spent in advertising? L. H. W. A. In 1938 approximately \$1,530,000,000 was spent for advertising in the United States.

Q. What is the population of the United States? S. R. G. A. In July, 1938 the population of the United States was estimated at 130,215,000.

Q. Please give the inscription on the New York City Post Office and its origin. B. J. H. A. The inscription on the New York City was taken from the work of the Greek historian Herodotus and is as follows: "Neither snow nor rain nor heat nor gloom of night stays these couriers from the swift completion of their appointed rounds."

Q. Where is Bernarr Macfadden's school for children? E.S.H. A. The Bernarr Macfadden School for boys and girls from four to eleven is at Briarcliff Manor, New York.

Q. How many people ride on trains? B. J. S. A. The total number of passengers carried on the railroads in the United States in 1938 was about 453,000,000.

Q. What was the first steam vessel used by the U. S. Navy? M. G. R. A. Bennett's Steam Navy says that the Demologos, afterwards called the Fulton, was the first steam vessel for war purposes in the United States Navy or in any navy. She was designed by Robert Fulton and built under his supervision in New York in 1815.

20 Years Ago

New York—Lieut. Col. Theodore Roosevelt, as chairman of a committee to call a convention of soldiers and sailors who served in the World War, issued a call today for a convention to be held in St. Louis on May 8, 9 and 10.

Washington—The condition of winter wheat in the United States April 1 was 93.08, the highest on record, on the largest acreage ever planted in this country, the department of agriculture announced today.

The schools of Delta county are out to set a record in War Savings Stamps sales for the year, George F. McEwen, county director stated yesterday.

John Beckstrom of Ironwood is here visiting his daughters Miss Ruth Beckstrom and Mrs. Vernon Anderson.

Lansing—Genuine proof of a determination to bring the present session of the legislature to a close within the next two or three weeks was evinced today in the senate.

London—Premier Lloyd George is expected to come to London next Monday and make a statement in the house of commons on Tuesday on the general peace situation.

Edward McCarthy, enlisted in the Twelfth cavalry and stationed at Hachita, H. M., arrived in the city yesterday morning to visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James McCarthy, 226 Rose street.

Chester Olson and Edward Frost, who are attending St. John's military academy at Delafield, Wis., are spending the spring vacation at their homes in this city.

The Morning Press plans to have a sporting corner again this summer and wants the results of your baseball games during the coming season.

B. H. Silverman left last night for Chicago where he will purchase a stock of the latest Easter models in millinery.

Washington—The suggestion that President Wilson may feel obliged to quit the peace conference in disgust and return home before the draft of the treaty has been concluded, has occasioned a wide variety of comment here.

while the war with Great Britain was going on.

Q. As the characters of Napoleon and Uncle Elby based on a real man and his dog? E. J. S. A. According to The Quill Magazine, the comic strip drawn by Cliff McBride is based on living models. Napoleon is a large eleven year old dog owned by Mr. McBride and Uncle Elby is Henry Elba Eastman, an uncle of the artist. Mr. Eastman closely resembles the character in the comic strip.

Q. What causes most of the fires in national parks? S. S. N. A. Of the 416 fires occurring in national parks and monuments in 1938, 125 were caused by careless smokers, 113 by lightning, 84 were incendiary, 37 resulted from burning of debris, 28 were caused by campfires left burning, seven were started by railroad activities, two by lumbering operations adjacent to the park, and 20 are reported due to miscellaneous causes.

Q. Who wrote the poem beginning "There's no dew left on the daisies and clover, there's no rain left in heaven"? F. J. A. The poem "Seven Times One" is by Jean Ingelow.

New York Column

BY GEORGE ROSS

New York—Across the river in Jersey City, Mayor Frank Hague is wont to discourage outdoor appearances by orators who wave the left wing. You will recall numerous deportations of would-be speakers—among them Norman Thomas—from the Hague terrain.

Red, therefore, is the least favored of hues in Jersey City. So when it was pointed out to the mayor the other day that a Soviet freighter, the Rodina, flying the hammer and sickle, was tied up at the Jersey City docks with cargo for the Soviet pavilion at the World's Fair, he was expected to fume and berate.

He didn't at all. It was no news to Mayor Hague that red Russia's vessels tie in at the Jersey City piers. He doesn't discourage them. Instead, he sends a corps of municipal guards around to keep an eye on the USSR's property and possible trouble-makers. And he doesn't mind if they have a glimpse of the hussy lady sailors who help to man Soviet boats.

But it is a diverting paradox to approach Jersey City, Hague's castle, from the harbor with the hammer and sickle flying over it.

Nearsighted, Maybe Out on Long Island, a school has been hampered in its academic pursuits by the constant drone of airplanes overhead. The schoolhouse is near a couple of private airports.

So, to preserve order and get on with the curriculum, a huge sign was painted on the roof of the schoolhouse: SCHOOL—QUIET PLEASE!

It is much worse now, for the pilots are making steep descents, the better to read the sign.

Towel of Babel I never knew how many dialect experts there were in Manhattan until I glimpsed the National Register the other day—the Register which lists all the dialects available for the other waves.

Skipping the British, Scotch, Irish, Russian, German, Greek, Norwegian, Chinese and so on, what impressed me was that there are quite a number of folk in New York who can be called upon to chant in authentic Hindustani or Polynesian whenever there's a need. And the Register also can provide you with a Malayan accent—if you should ever need one.

Shoo! Horse—The saddest fellow in the gallery of greeters is the doorman at the Diamond Horseshoe, which harks back to New York's Gay 90's. He is appropriately clad in crimson livery trimmed with a spacious fur collar.

Now he wouldn't mind this elegant get-up, were it not for the mounted policemen's horses. These four-footed minions of the law like to loiter around him.

They find his fur collar delicious, as palatable as a lump of dampened sugar. And they have been nibbling at him now for an entire month.

He is thinking of begging the proprietor to change the police horses' diet to chinchilla or silver fox. But the proprietor does not belong to the horsey set and doesn't care. So the cops' mounts will have to content themselves with muskrat.

A scientific report is never derogatory. Dr. Morris Fishbein, editor of the Journal of the American Medical Association.

The Washington Merry-Go-Round

BY PEARSON AND ALLEN

Washington—The concert of Marian Anderson, Negro contralto, on the steps of the Lincoln Memorial was a tough break for several presidential hopefuls.

"To go or not to go," that was the question; and Harold Ickes, who had invited the singer to use the Lincoln Memorial, had no compunctions whatsoever about giving them the choice.

Among those who received an invitation to sponsor the concert was James A. Farley, a presidential candidate. Jim ignored the telegram.

Another who received an invitation was John Nance Garner, most active of presidential candidates. Ickes sent Garner one wire asking him to sponsor the concert. Getting no reply and fearing it had gone astray, Ickes sent another. Still Garner did not answer.

Another presidential candidate asked to be a sponsor was young Senator Robert P. Taft of Ohio. Taft did not reply at first. Then on the day Chief Justice Hughes announced he would be a sponsor, Taft wrote to Ickes that he would like to have two tickets.

Note—The DAR's action in barring Marian Anderson from Constitution Hall probably was the best break the singer ever got. Her concert fees have doubled and she is now booked solid for 24 months in advance. Tickets for her concert a month or two hence are already at a premium.

—ARGENTINE NAZIS— Inside reports indicate that Nazi penetration of Argentina goes even further than the rather sensational news cabled from that country recently. These reports are that Nazi sympathizers include Argentine government officials in high places.

Not yet published, but extremely important, are Nazi activities in connection with the Argentine Government oil wells. These are located at Comodoro Rivadavia, along the Atlantic coastal plain of Patagonia, southernmost and coldest part of Argentina.

In the same neighborhood and guarding the Straits of Magellan through the U of South America are the Falkland Islands. Because of their strategic location in wartime, the British long ago seized these islands, now hold them as a naval base.

The international importance of this key spot was illustrated in the World War, when a part of the German fleet fought one of the most important naval battles of the entire war off the Falklands and was defeated by the British. Reason the battle took place near the Falkland Islands was that control of the Straits of Magellan was at stake. A deciding factor in the battle was the German distance from a base and fuel.

—PANAMA'S RIVAL— All of this fits into the present picture of Nazi penetration in Patagonia, near the Falkland Islands. If the Nazis can control the Argentine national oil fields at Comodoro Rivadavia, they could control the Straits of Magellan and the only route save Panama between Atlantic and Pacific.

In view of this the following confidential developments are considered important:

1. Ricardo Sliveyra, director of the Argentine Government oil wells, is one of the leading Argentine pro-Nazis. His nephew, Carlos Sliveyra, is editor of Claridad, chief Nazi magazine, which carries a surprising amount of advertising from the national petroleum administration.

2. Alfred Jonitz, German vice consul at Comodoro Rivadavia, recently was caught landing in a private plane just after flying over the government oil fields. He had photograph films in his possession. Even Argentine citizens are not permitted to go near or fly over the oil fields.

3. Most important of all is the fact that just as the world was expecting Hitler to bring about another war crisis in Europe two weeks ago, bands of Chilean Nazis of German descent began moving across the border into Patagonia. Simultaneously, Brazilian Nazis, also of German descent, began moving from Southern Brazil into Argentina.

Many of them wore uniforms, and the movement had all the earmarks of concerted preparation to seize southernmost Argentina at a time when war in Europe would distract the United States and European powers from a Nazi-Patagonian coup.

It was this concerted movement which aroused Argentine suspicions, caused the present Nazi house-cleaning.

Two convicts who saved their way out of an Ohio jail returned voluntarily. One look at the current outside world was enough.

Lines for Living

By Barton Rees Pogue

THE LESS FORTUNATE Poor old Rusty! Jes seems some humans has the fortune of dogs.

They never squirm out of calamity bogst; Dusty's one of them people that gets Misfortune's approval and penny regrets.

He works like a slave, but never can save. With sickness inviting him twice to his grave.

He stays above sod, unfortunate hound. And smiles while misfortune kicks him around!

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Harris News

Marsick Elected Harris, Mich.—Jerry Marsick, incumbent, defeated Leslie Good, candidate on the Independent Ticket, for the office of supervisor by a final vote of 273 to 207.

Arntzen Engaged Mr. G. Arntzen, architect, of Escanaba has been engaged by the board of education to assist in making several improvements to the Harris and the Wilson schools.

Both school buildings are in serious need of repair and improvement. The school officials hope to secure WPA assistance to make the improvements.

Perronville P. T. A. A large gathering of parents was present at a P. T. A. meeting held at the Perronville school Tuesday evening.

Schools Close for Easter All Harris township schools are closed Friday and Monday in observance of the Easter holidays.

Harris, Mich.—Mr. and Mrs. George Manlowack and son Walter of Wilson, spent the week end in Munising at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Frank Laesk.

Casmer Gruska who visited in Chicago for the past week returned to his home in Perronville.

Miss June Grugen returned to Detroit after spending a week at the parental home in Perronville.

John Butryn of Bark River was injured last week when he accidentally stepped on a rusty nail.

Mrs. John Grugen who has been a medical patient in Green Bay Hospital returned to her home in Perronville, where she is being treated.

Miss Jeanette Polson who has been ill for the past two months is now at home and seems to be improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Zick of Calumet City spent the week end visiting at Perronville. Mr. Zick is the owner of a large farm located north of Perronville.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Mild motored to Escanaba Monday afternoon. Herman Blahnik of Gourey who has been ill for some time is slowly recovering.

Dr. McKerrell of Stephenson was a caller in Gourey last week.

Mrs. F. Janek was a caller at the Rubel home Sunday.

Mr. Richard Potvin who had been visiting in Detroit returned to his home in Eucets.

Misses Rose Rubel and Josephine Mazur visited at Powers Wednesday.

Mr. Kasbam was a caller at the Rubel home Tuesday evening.

P. T. A. MEETING The second P. T. A. meeting of Harris Township was held at the Perronville school, Tuesday evening.

A program was furnished by the students of the Perronville school. An educational movie picture was shown after the program and speeches on important discussion topics were given by John Gucky, Principal of the Perronville school. Later in the evening lunch was served.

APRIL FOOL PARTY Misses Lorraine DeGrave and Madeline LaCount were hostesses at an April Fools party given at the LaCount home Saturday evening.

Games were played and a lunch was served and enjoyed by all present. Those who attended were: Mary Jasper, Sonny Rhode, Earl List, Oran Pierce, Mabel DePas, Stewart Motta, Lorraine DeGrave, Benedick Jasper, Melvin DePas, Edna Mild, Lillian Mild, Art DeGrave, Raymond Berger, Madeline and Lewis LaCount, Mr. and Mrs. Nevin DePas, Everett Smith, and Dewin and Clarence DePas.

HARRIS TAKES TOURNAMENT The Harris third team motored to Daggett, Saturday where they took an active part in the Menominee County Tournament. The Harris boys played their first game with Powers and won by 21-13. Harris played their second game with Daggett and won by a

MANY EVENTS ARE SCHEDULED

World's Fair Visitors to Hear Good Music This Summer

BY JOHN SELBY (Associated Press Arts Editor) New York, April 8.—Fifty important musical events have been scheduled for New York world's fair crowds by the music division, of which Olin Downes, music critic for the New York Times, is director.

Daily programs of one sort or another are listed through May, with more coming later and, according to Downes' office, some of the most important of all yet in process of negotiation.

One of these is a visit from the Paris opera; others are the possible appearances of the Leningrad and Rumanian ballets.

Most of May is devoted to a double festival of music; a festival of important Wagnerian operas at the Metropolitan opera house, and a series of national orchestral concerts, divided among fair's new music hall, Carnegie hall and the Metropolitan opera house.

Honor Visitors There will be at least 13 orchestral concerts, sponsored by six nations exclusive of this country.

A concert by the New York philharmonic symphony under John Barbirolli, with Josef Hofmann as soloist, will open the fair April 30.

A second locally sponsored concert will present Beethoven's ninth symphony on May 7, Walter Damrosch conducting the same orchestra.

The operatic festival begins with a special performance of Wagner's "Lohengrin" arranged by Lauritz Melchior for his Danish compatriots, Crown Prince Frederik and Princess Ingrid.

"Die Meistersinger" begins the formal festival at the Metropolitan May 4. The ring will be sung, and after its end there will be two performances of "Tristan Und Isolde" and one of "Parsifal."

Hungary will provide a series of performances of the folk opera "Hary Janos" from July 3 to 13.

Negro Star Sings Eight choral concerts have been booked, and an industrial chorus competition is scheduled for the week of August 25.

Marion Anderson, the negro contralto, on May 28 will lead off the 11 recitals so far booked. Among other artists to be heard will be Fritz Kreisler, Jascha Heifetz, Josef Hofmann, Lily Pons, John Charles Thomas, Jan Kiepura.

Most unusual probably will be the visit of the national music camp, which will close its annual 8-week session at Interlaken, in northern Michigan, a week early, and transport itself to the fair for the week of August 15.

Joseph E. Maddy of the University of Michigan, and T. P. Giddings, director of music in the Minneapolis schools, are in charge.

Three drops of skunk musk will scent an area of about one mile square.

close score, the game was one of the best and hard fought, the score being 14-13. Harris played their last game with Hermansville in which Harris made a clean sweep with a score of 21-15.

SENIOR SPRING DANCE The Seniors of Harris High School are sponsoring a Spring dance, on April 13, at the Bark River Hall.

The music will be furnished by the well known Ivan Kobasic of Hermansville, and his orchestra. Lunch will be served in the basement of the hall later in the evening.

ALMA MATER MEETING The Alma Mater members held their regular church meeting in the Perronville church basement Sunday. The members also received holy communion in a body at the eight o'clock services which were held at the Saint Michaels Church.

Baby Cleopatra



Just past four months old, Princess Farida, daughter of Queen Farida and King Paronk of Egypt, watched the photographer with wide-eyed interest as he took this latest portrait.

MANY CAUSES FOR DECLINES

Weather, Market and War Blamed for Poor Steel Demand

The crisis in Europe, the failure of the Washington Administration to adopt a constructive policy toward business, weakness in the stock market and even the weather are blamed for the apparent halting of improvement in steel and related lines.

Automobile manufacturers are inclined to attribute the slump in retail sales of cars during the past two or three weeks partly to a cold and rainy spring, although other factors are not ignored.

The most discouraging feature of the week's business news is a sharp reduction in automobile schedules, indicating that April assemblies may be well below those of March, whereas in every year of the past decade except 1938 April production has exceeded that of March.

Last week's assemblies showed a small drop, but there will undoubtedly be a larger one this week as some plants, which only recently went on a five-day week, have dropped back to three or four-day schedules.

Lag Is Noticeable Steel business generally has not declined seriously, but there has been a noticeable lag in the past week.

Although March volume adhered quite closely to the pace of February, it was below expectations and insufficient to maintain recent schedules, which were supported partly by backlogs, now diminishing.

Although the ingot rate for the entire industry is estimated to be only a half a point lower this week at 64 1/2 per cent, there has been a drop of four points in the Pittsburgh district to 48 per cent, and the Birmingham district, where for five weeks prior to last week there were

would sign it. "It is just as offensive to the people who have to put up the taxes of the state to feel that we who are holding the positions in the state may be using a large part for non-essentials as for the people on the welfare," he asserted.

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steady operations of about 72 per cent, is now down close to 50 per cent. Completion of some rail orders booked early in the year may be the explanation for this drop. Uncertainty as to the steel outlook for the immediate future has extended to the scrap markets, which are unsettled, though not many price declines have occurred. However, the Pittsburgh market is notably lower at \$15.50 to \$16, bringing about a slight downward revision in The Iron Age scrap composite price to \$15.25 against \$15.29 last week.

Curtis News

Curtis, Mich.—The election day excitement usually presents on that day was missing this spring.

Most of the old officers continued to hold office. Clarence Grant was unopposed for Justice of the Peace for a full term. Leonard Sherbrook was elected Justice of the Peace to fill the vacancy left when Dolph Painter moved away.

Roy Stamper enrolled in CCC last Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Humphrey took him to St. Ignace where he enrolled.

The Community Supper Tuesday night was fairly well attended. Mrs. Russell Taylor and Mrs. Ned Gleason acted as hostesses.

A fire destroyed the farm home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry McGahan Jr. last Monday night. A miscellaneous shower will be held for them at the town hall next Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Harland Emery are in Caro, Michigan visiting relatives and helping take care of Mrs. Emery's father, who recently submitted to the removal of a tumor from his eye.

Mr. and Mrs. George Sanford and son Harold, have driven to East Tawas to spend Easter with Mr. and Mrs. James Rosebush.

Mrs. George Metcalf and little daughter, Joan, who have been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Metcalf, left Monday to return to their home in Montpelier, Ohio.

Robert Nancarrow, Miss Clancy and Miss Prebe, teachers in the Curtis school, left Thursday afternoon to spend Easter with relatives in Marquette.

The Quilting club held at the home of Mrs. Jas. Painter last Wednesday was well attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Neumanen and small sons, who spent the last week-end at Three Lakes near Michigan, returned to Curtis Tuesday night. They were accompanied home by Mr. Neumanen's father, Victor Neumanen, who will visit them for a few days.

Should hibernating animals go to sleep in an unprotected place, their body temperatures would sink so low that they would die. Therefore, they creep into a sheltered spot, and sink into a state of comparative cold-bloodedness.

MRS. ROMIN IS STROKE VICTIM

Local Woman Dies After Attack Week Ago; Burial Monday

Mrs. Maria Romin, 74, who suffered a stroke a week ago, died at 1:30 o'clock Saturday morning at her home, 316 South Eighth street.

Mrs. Romin was born in Gotland, Sweden, on November 30, 1864, and came to Escanaba directly from Sweden in 1900. Her husband, Oscar F. Romin died in 1913.

She was a member of Bethany Lutheran church and active in parish affairs.

Surviving are two sons, Alvin and Carl, of Escanaba, and four grandchildren.

The body, which was taken to the Anderson funeral home, is resting there in state. Services will be held at the funeral home, Monday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Dr. C. Albert Lund will officiate, and burial will be in Lakeview cemetery.

The glove of a child, found in the painted box of royal robes in King Tutankhamen's tomb, is said to be the oldest glove on record.

Old Age Bureaus Open Saturdays

Beginning Monday, new office hours will be observed by the old age assistance bureau at Escanaba. Office hours will be from 8:30 a. m. to 5 p. m. daily except Saturday, but the office will also be open on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 noon.

The Saturday hours, designed for the convenience of rural residents, were announced in a notice from Dr. Philip Calahan, state director of the bureau, to Mrs. Mary Rittenbach, manager of the Escanaba branch office.

Temperatures can be roughly told by timing a cricket's chirp. The warmer the weather, the faster he sings.

A deer ordinarily sheds its antlers during the breeding season.

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Governor Says He's Not Worth What He's Paid

Lansing, April 8. (AP)—Governor Dickinson, continuing his campaign for the elimination of "non-essentials" in government and private life, declared today "I am convinced that, with few exceptions, from governor to janitor we are not worth what we are getting from the state."

The 79-year-old chief executive made this statement after receiving his first paycheck since he became governor of Michigan.

He declared there was curiosity as to "what I have done with my first paycheck" and indicated he considered such interest proper on the part of taxpayers. He receives a \$5,000 a year salary and \$5,000 for expenses.

"I do not hesitate to say that the first \$25 went to the Salvation Army, \$10 went to an aid society to assist in painting the parsonage," he said. "Practically all the rest went to pay hospital bills and other bills connected with sickness, but we are in hopes such conditions will not last. My life in the past, with that of my wife, could eat into a rather limited portion."

Pointing out that there will be a "margin" between what he receives as governor and what it costs to live frugally on his little Eaton county farm, Dickinson said the taxpayers were entitled to know what will "be done with it."

"There will be no attempt to lay up very much," Dickinson declared. "I want it to go where it will do the most good—maybe to churches, charity and other needy enterprises."

"I am told this will get me in a 'jam' because lazy churches, schools wanting flags and other organizations wanting similar help will flood the office with 'calls and correspondence,'" he said.

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Dickinson made it clear such appeals "will effect nothing." He pointed out that job-hunters and self-seekers are not permitted to interview him.

"Already many attempts are being made to get around this by writing or coming to my home," he continued. "This does not accomplish anything. Letters are bundled and are brought to the office and go through the same machinery, separated and taken care of by various clerks. Many attempts that might be made by application for gifts to churches and organizations of various kinds will not reach me. This will be the order and they will be thrown into the waste-basket unanswered, because I shall make my own choice on donations."

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CIRCUIT COURT OPENS MONDAY

Few Cases Docketed for April Term; Jury to Report Tuesday

Only five cases, four of them criminal, are listed on the docket for the April term of Delta county circuit court which will convene tomorrow morning. Judge Frank A. Bell of Negaunee will preside at the session which will be held at the county courthouse. The calendar will be arranged on Monday, and jurors are ordered to report on Tuesday morning.

Criminal cases listed follow: Charles Blazer (Blusser), fishing and using a seine with baited hooks; James Faucett, statutory; Ronald LaCose, striking a pedestrian and refusing to give assistance; and George Carlson, breaking and entering.

Jury civil cases include: Michigan Mutual Liability vs. Paul Herring, trespass on the case; Edward Satterlund vs. Roy Starrin, trespass on the case; John R. Ehlers vs. Marvin Barbeau, trespass on the case; and Joseph Breunig vs. John VanMill, assumption.

The lone non-jury civil case is Christina Oberg, administratrix of the estate of John Oberg vs. DeGrand Motor company, assumption.

Members of the jury are: Mildred Flagstad, Anthony Nastoff, Nanna Foster, Eric M. Johnson, John Ohlen, Shirley Buckmaster, Joseph Texmunt, Francis LaChance, Edmond Billings, Peder Pedersen, Matt Haga, Melvin Way, Milton Johnston, Felix Richer, Jennie Pizant, Axel Radmacher, Elmer LaCoste, Emil Lusardi, Neils Westling, Margaret Schwartz, Lillian Allingham, L. A. Hoyer, Isadore Beach, William Richer, James Degan, Arvid Saxon, Helen Shepeck, J. W. Norby, Frank Back, Delbert Nelson, John Louis, Camiel Verhamme, Howard Stearns, Bert Gustafson, Otto Perket and Hans Lorenson.

TWO MEETINGS BEING PLANNED

Growing and Use of Vegetables Will Be Discussed

Two meetings will be held for the growing and use of vegetables in the home gardens in Delta county, April 13, according to E. A. Wenner, County Agricultural Agent. J. H. Schultz, horticulturist from Chatham Experiment Station, will discuss vegetable varieties adapted to this region, time of planting, cultural practices, and other timely information.

Mr. Schultz says that special emphasis should be given to varieties, since seasonal conditions are different from locations even a short distance to the south. Experiments at the Chatham station the past few years have proved that some varieties of the tender vegetables, such as tomatoes, can be grown in our comparatively short season. The space devoted to the home garden, if properly planned and handled, makes the greatest return of any other like area on the farm, Mr. Schultz declares.

Planning for the family food supply will be discussed by Miriam Eads, district home demonstration agent. Miss Eads has worked out a schedule of the amounts of the various vegetables to be grown. She has suggested a succession of vegetables where possible to lengthen the season for fresh vegetables, as well as for the canning season.

Members of the Home Economics Extension groups are especially interested in growing an extensive home garden, but anyone else is welcome to attend. Leaders of 4-H garden clubs will especially find the discussions of value. The location and time of the meetings are given by E. A. Wenner, County agricultural agent, as follows: Perkins School 2 p. m., Rapid River School 7:30 p. m.

If You Think Easter Hats Are Funny Now, Think Back

By Mary Elizabeth Plummer
New York, April 8 (AP)—Past a Fifth Avenue furrier's window full of ermine lilies: pass spectators gazing at the new-fangled hats. Pa Knickerbocker's annual spring pageant—the Easter parade—moves tomorrow while the church bells peal.

Are the ladies' hats mad-looking? Well, no more than they were in the nineties, when the girls wore basques so tight they had to fasten them with button hooks, and carried "crushed strawberry" parasols to protect their new Easter bonnets.

No more than they were in 1905, when a man wrote, "the hats looked like burning oil wells," or 1915, when men called low-necked dresses "a gripe model," and regarded the new "shadowgraph" hats with transparent brims as objects of wonder.

Men Bewildered
In short, men always have been a little bewildered by the first spring showing of new styles in feminine garb.

Here's an example from an Easter parade story twenty-four years ago:

"The women turned out in shoes with black uppers and white lowers, yellow uppers and salmon-pink lowers, snuff uppers and green lowers—shoes that would have made you laugh your head off a year ago.

"Elsie Ferguson glided past the Vanderbilt mansion clad in such clothes as would defy any man's description—a vision of wine-colored velvet and gray boots."

Another story described "the gardens that the girls call their hats this year—wonderful creations to marvellous eyes. Some look like mimic clover fields. On others, flowers seem to spring from the head of the wearer."

Some say the Easter parade has fallen into a decline in recent years; but people were lamenting its decline back in 1905—and it's still with us.

Someone wrote in 1905: "The Easter walk from church of the 'exclusives' which was an institution twenty years ago has been transferred to the approaches of a half dozen country resorts. Now and then descendants of those who made the Easter parade

the front seat of a new motor after church, looking nervous.

Ten years later, women's short skirts and men's noisy neckties were the Easter parade sensation. The men's suits were checked, too, with shorter trousers. Some young ladies at Atlantic City carried sport sticks with crooked handles which hooked over the forearm.

Along came 1925, with kettle-shaped hats that jammed down over the eyes, and dresses cut on perfectly straight lines, no waistline at all. The late Clarence Mackay was in his pew at St. Patrick's, and General Cornelius Vanderbilt in his pew at St. Thomas', with his daughter Consuelo beside him.

Red and green seemed to be the favorite Easter colors that year. The chimes ring out tomorrow the recessional sound, and another crowd promenades the avenue. Some of the styles were seen in other Easter parades, for fashion swings back on itself.

Checked suits, for example. Checks were good in the days of the hobble-skirt. Small waistlines. Little sailors. Veils. Saucy hats with an uplifting ornament. But it's 1939.

Church Events

Special Easter Service
The following Easter service will be given today at the Calvary Baptist church at 10:45 o'clock: Invocation—Pastor. Response—Junior choir. Hymn, "Christ Arose," Lowry—Audience.
"Seeking the Master," Miles—Junior choir.
"O Story Sweet," Hall—Junior choir.
Announcements.
Offertory.
Trio, "He Did Not Die in Vain," Tullar—Betty Anderson, Leatrice Olson, Harriet Leach.
"Hark the Bells," Trusell—Junior choir.
Sermon, "The Choice of God," in culmination of the series, "Paramount Choices of the First Passion Week"—Pastor.
Hymn, "He Lives On High," McKinney—Audience.
Benediction.

Mary Scott Circle
A meeting of the Mary Scott Circle will be held at the Presbyterian church parlors Thursday at

2:30 p. m. Hostesses will be: Mesdames Frank Crow, Paul Wohlen and Phil Beauchamp.

Easter Program, Gladstone
The choir of St. Stephen's church will repeat its program of Easter music at services at Trinity church in Gladstone at 7:30 o'clock this evening.

Covenant Services
Services of the Evangelical Covenant church for Easter Sunday include an Easter program by the Sunday school at 9:30 o'clock; morning services at 10:45, with special music and sermon on "Easter" by the pastor, Rev. William Hultman; and an Easter cantata by the Gladstone and Escanaba choirs at 4 o'clock. The evening service has been postponed.

Presbyterian Services
Easter Sunday services at the First Presbyterian church will be held at 10:45 o'clock this morning. Rev. Carl E. Berger will deliver a sermon on "We Live in Him," and the choir will sing the cantata, "The Dawn of the Kingdom," by Wolcott. Mrs. Harold Gasman will sing "My Redeemer and My Lord," by Dudley Buck.

and Mrs. L. J. Ashbaugh, violinist, will assist in the prelude and offertory. The church school is meeting at 9:30 o'clock, as usual.

Bothany League
Bothany Luther League will meet Thursday evening at eight o'clock. Miss Lois Lundstrom will present "Easter—Then What?" Miss Dorothy Gustafson is chairman of the program committee.

Assistant National Secretary Of Order Speaks On Tuesday
Edward Barr of Chicago, assistant to the national secretary of the Order of Benefit Association of Railway Employees, will address a meeting of Escanaba Division, No. 64, Tuesday evening, April 11, at 8 o'clock, at the I. O. O. F. hall, North Tenth st.

Mr. Barr, it was announced, will have a special message of interest to all railroad men.

All members of the association and their families and friends are invited to the meeting. Cards for guests may be secured from William Van Lister, secretary. A

Milton Bloomquist Named Secretary
Announcement was made yesterday of the appointment of J. Milton Bloomquist of this city as Pocket Testament secretary of the Superior Conference Luther League. Mr. Bloomquist replaces Rev. Oscar Lund of Ogema, Wis., who resigned the first of the month.

Jobs' Daughters Meeting Monday
Job's Daughters of Escanaba Bethel will hold a regular meeting Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the Masonic Temple. The program of the evening will present a review of the opera, "Bohemian Girl," Balfe, by the librarian, supplemented by selections by the choir and two solo numbers. The girls will wear their robes at the meeting. A cordial invitation is extended to parents and guardians to attend.

A game party will follow the address.

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Thursday, May 4th
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This Second Annual Series...

The first community-sponsored series of appliance demonstrations and cooking schools held last year met with such enthusiastic response by the housewives of this community that an even more elaborate series will be held this year under the same sponsorship. To comfortably accommodate a larger attendance, the schools will be held in the DELFT THEATRE. Each dealer participating will bring to Escanaba prominent factory - kitchen experts to conduct the schools. The new 1939 electric appliances will be shown and demonstrated—stressing the economies obtained through ELECTRIC COOKERY. Admission to all sessions is FREE. Watch the dates and attend all or as many sessions as possible.



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Obituary

ERNEST I. MATTONEN
Funeral services for Ernest I. Mattonen of Woodlawn, who died following a brief illness, were held at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon in the chapel of the Anderson funeral home...

MRS. LEONARD GUENETTE
The body of Mrs. Leonard Guenette, who passed away Friday, will be removed from the Boyle funeral parlors at Bark River, at noon today, to the family home in Schaffer to remain there in state until the funeral hour...

MRS. OLIVER BEAUCHAMP
The body of Mrs. Oliver Beauchamp is remaining in state in the chapel of the Allo funeral home until the time of the services which will be held at 9 o'clock Monday morning at St. Anne's church...

MRS. CAROLINE BLAIR
Final rites for Mrs. Caroline Blair will be held Monday morning at 9 o'clock at Sacred Heart church, Schaffer, Rev. Fr. Joseph Remillard officiating at the requiem high mass...

MRS. CHRISTINA BONEFELD
The body of Mrs. Christina Marje Bonefeld, pioneer resident of Stonington, who died Friday, will be removed from the Ander-

Survey Of Smelt Situation Analyzed By Andy P. Olafson

BY ANDY P. OLAFSON
Well as you no doubts have read it in the Papper, how I have invented a Call for the smelts the same as I call the cow or the hogs or the hired Girl and etc. and it came to me all of a sudden when I was calling our brindle Heifer Minnie and she look at me and I says to myself she looks like a smelt looks so I have tried it out calling the smelts fish Minnie and you would be surprise how they all head the same way up the river when I start to call especially the Ma-na fish and the Pa fish follow them but I am also working on a Call for the pa fish which is more Difficult but you can be sure I will Master it

LOCAL DEMOLAY WILL BE HOST

Escanaba Chapter Plans U. P. Conclave Here May 5 and 6

The Delta Chapter Order of DeMolays of Escanaba will be host to DeMolays from Ironwood, Iron Mountain, and Marquette at the 7th Upper Peninsula DeMolay Conclave which will be held here on Friday and Saturday, May 5th and 6th.

son funeral home at 9:30 o'clock this morning to the family home in Stonington. Services will be conducted by Rev. L. R. Lund Monday afternoon, at 2 o'clock at the home and at 2:30 o'clock at Trinity Lutheran church. Burial will be made in Stonington cemetery.

SMELT GUIDES ARE PROVIDED

Fifty Men Are Ready to Help Visitors Find Silver Fish
A crew of fifty men, guides trained through the WPA tourist project, will be ready to help visitors find the silvery smelt when Escanaba's jamboree opens next Thursday night...

Headquarters will be set up at the Legion clubrooms during the jamboree, where information will be available as to where the smelt are running thickest, and where dippers and other equipment may be obtained.

By Andy P. Olafson
Hoping you are the same
Pair Pays Fines In Justice Court
Jim Louis and Norman Rushford of Garden paid fines of \$10.00 and costs in Justice George Carr's court yesterday when they pleaded guilty to contributing to the delinquency of a minor.

for the past two weeks. Chairmen of the committees are as follows: Date chairman, Bill Banks; Housing chairman, William Jacobs; Banquet chairman, Dick Kamrath; Entertainment chairman, William Bisdee; Activities chairman, Milton Schwichtenberg.

It is planned that out of town DeMolays will be furnished rooms and breakfast in private homes for the one or two nights that they will be in Escanaba. If there are any persons interested in furnishing lodgings and breakfast for out of town DeMolays they may give their names and addresses to William Jacobs, by calling 1283. Any responses will be greatly appreciated.

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The hospitality committee, under the direction of Chairman Edward E. Edick, will provide information at the Legion clubrooms headquarters and will also set up field headquarters at each of the smelt streams for the convenience of guests.

Smelt Is Theme Of Lions Club Meeting On Monday Evening

The regular meeting of the Escanaba Lions club at 6:45 o'clock on Monday evening at the Delta hotel will be the official smelt meeting of the year. It was announced by club officials last evening.

Escanaba's smelt ambassadorial party will be guests of the club. Queen Barbara Banks and W. J. Duchaine will tell of their trip to the nation's capital. Details of the smelt jamboree later in the week will also be presented.

If conditions are favorable it is possible that the program committee may be able to arrange for an advance hearing of the smelt call developed by Andy P. Olafson.

Second Annual Cooking School Series Arranged

Announcement of the second annual series of electrical cooking schools and appliance demonstrations, the first to be presented Tuesday afternoon, April 11, at the Delft theatre, by the Bonefeld Furniture store, was made yesterday.

The cooking schools and demonstrations will again be sponsored by the City of Escanaba, Chamber of Commerce, Upper Michigan Power company and electric appliance dealers.

The schedule as arranged for the series is as follows: April 11—Bonefeld Furniture store.

the sage of Cooks. However, this is dependant upon the devising of a muffling arrangement so that the call cannot be heard by the smelt in Bay de Noc, otherwise they would start up Ludington street and seriously impede traffic.

April 13—Maytag Sales and Service. April 25—Home Supply company.

April 27—Moersch and Degnan. May 2—Home Supply company. May 4—Montgomery Ward.

Nationally known demonstrators, representatives of the various manufacturers of appliances sold by local dealers, will conduct the schools.

As an added feature the city will install a large dial meter which will be in full view of every member of the audience, and which will show the actual consumption in KWH and cost while all units are in operation during the sessions.

Florence Pleaugh, Rock, was admitted to St. Francis hospital for treatment. Try a Classified Ad today. Call 698

Briefly Told

Forty and Eight Meeting—A regular meeting of the Forty and Eight will be held Monday evening, beginning at 8 o'clock, at the Escanaba Legion club rooms, 716 Ludington street.

Veterans of Foreign Wars—A regular meeting of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, Hiawatha Post, 2998, will be held Tuesday evening at 112 South 10th street. Important business will be considered and a full attendance is urged.

Member of Council—William Clark, of Escanaba, was recently elected a member of the Student Religious Association Council at the University of Michigan where he is a freshman.

St. Anne's Holy Name—A regular meeting of St. Anne's Holy Name Society will be held Monday evening at 8 o'clock at the parish hall. Major Fritz Nelson of the Salvation Army will present his film, "The Land of the Midnight Sun," and refreshments will be served.

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BARBARA BANKS
Queen of Smeltania



Smelt Are Running!

Big doings, fun for all in northern Michigan when little silvery fish make their annual spawning trip

By William J. Duchaine

AS they run the small streams along Lake Michigan this spring the smelt are highly regarded and much appreciated fish.

Commercial fishermen once swore at them. The fishermen said that, besides fouling their nets, the smelt would probably cause extinction of whitefish, trout, herring and other lake food fish, either by appetite for the young of those fish or for the food upon which they subsist.

But scientists have given the smelt a clean bill. Dr. John Van Oosten, Ann Arbor, investigator of the Bureau of Fisheries, says studies indicate the smelt of Lake Michigan feed largely on Mysis, a small crayfishlike form which is also used as food by other varieties of Great Lakes fish, especially the young individuals. This particular type of food is abundant in the Great Lakes, and Dr. Van Oosten doubts that any severe competition exists between the smelt and the other species.

"Only about 4 per cent by volume of the food of the smelt was found to comprise fish, mostly the miller's thumb," Dr. Van Oosten explains. "On the other hand, we also have records of the lake trout, wall-eyed pike, perch and even the lake herring feeding on smelt."

Dr. Van Oosten believes the smelt will be more of a blessing than a liability. Commercial fishermen are now making considerable

money fishing for the smelt through the ice with small mesh gill nets. The smelt brings a good price in the fish market during the winter months, but the price goes down during the spring spawning runs, when the fish are caught by the tons by thousands of men, women and children, who catch them with handnets. But that's another story; first listen to the brief but exciting history of the silvery smelt.

BACK in 1912, smelt eggs were brought from Green Lake, Me., and planted in Crystal Lake, Benzie county, in the lower peninsula of Michigan. They were planted to provide food for Sebago or land-locked salmon, which had been introduced into Michigan waters a few years before. It had been observed that on the Atlantic coast the salmon and smelt had thrived together, and it was believed that the salmon were subsisting on the smelt.

The salmon disappeared within a few years, however, and the smelt were forgotten until 1918 when Newt Eby, a Benzie county farmer, went to Cold Creek to get a pailful of water to give to his livestock. He found a wiggling mass of fish in the bucket. Neighbors, armed with pails, washtubs, bedsprings and other paraphernalia, rushed to the creek to dip the silver harvest.

The smelt population grew rapidly and spread to all corners of Lake Michigan. Its presence was noted in Bay de Noc, near Escanaba, in 1924. During the spawning period, which occurs during the latter week of March and the first two weeks of April usually, the smelt migrate from the deep waters of the lake up the various rivers to the spawning beds. The spawning run occurs at night for the smelt has an aversion for the light.

The smelt runs are colorful sights. Bonfires, built on the river banks, illuminate the skies, and the dark silhouettes of fishermen dart to and fro. The nets, made of either rope or wire, are attached to a six-foot pole.

During the early stages of the run sometimes the ice has not left the rivers as yet, and the fishermen cut holes through the ice to dip for the fish. When the ice goes out, they stand on the banks, while others, in hip boots, stand in the shallow streams.

THE smelt runs are occasions for merry-making in those northern Michigan communities that are fortunately situated near spawning streams. Escanaba, which has a score of streams within a 20-mile radius, holds its fifth annual smelt jamboree this spring. The celebration consists of a colorful parade, a Graustarkian comic opera, "Smeltania," the coronation of the king and queen of Smeltania, grand balls, and riverside fishing festivities.

The smelt run is expected to be at its peak during the Escanaba Smelt Jamboree April 13 to 15.



Heavy rains washed out many of these "stakes" made by smelt fishermen on the ice of Ford river.



Dipping for smelt at night along the Tacoosh river.



Above: Smelt fishermen thaw out their nets after six or seven dips. At right: Harry Newman, one-time Michigan football great, wins a smelt-eating contest, wolfing 38.



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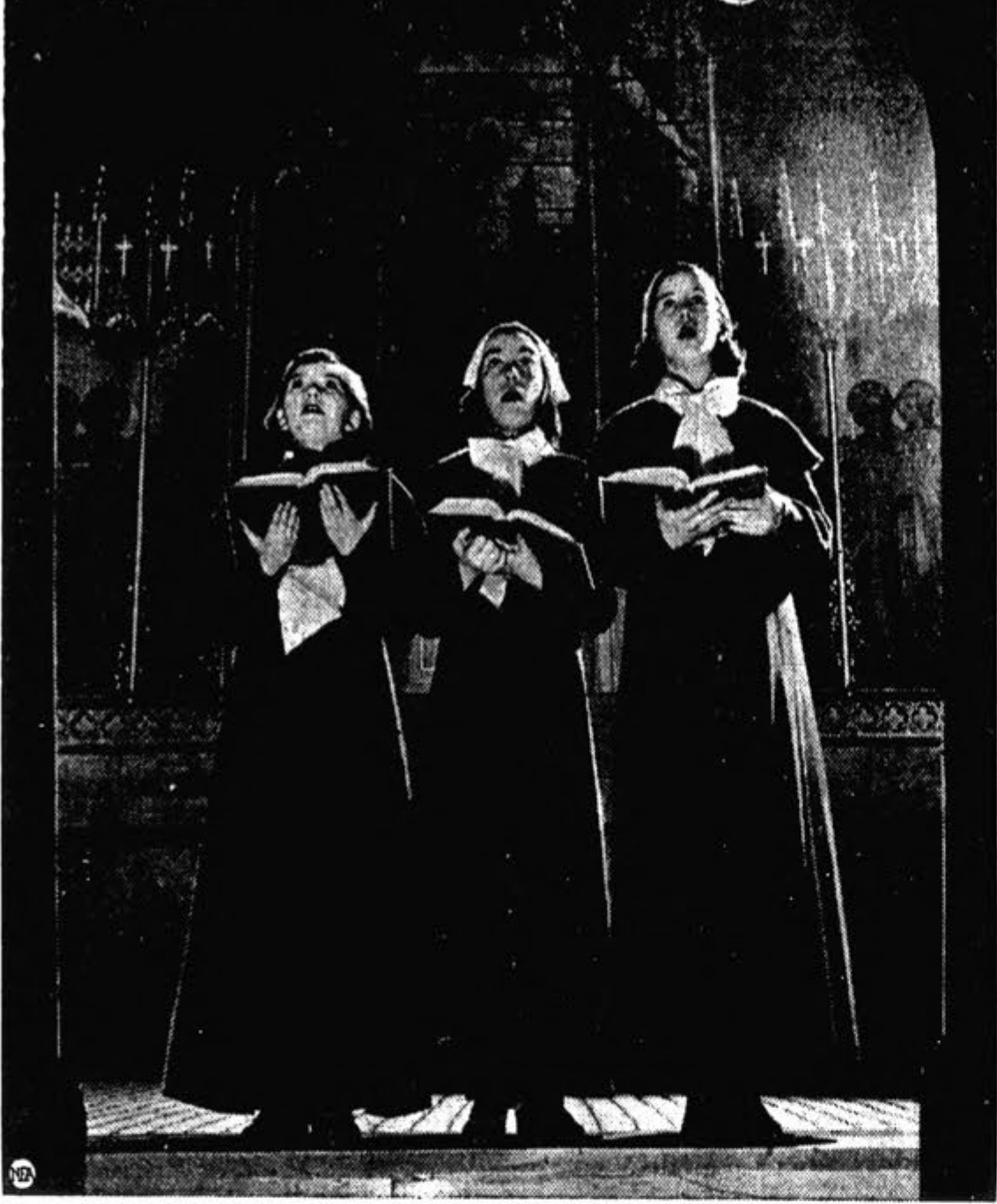
Choirs Present "Prince of Life" This Afternoon

"The Prince of Life," by Evan S. Foster, an Easter cantata, will be presented this afternoon at 4 o'clock in the church auditorium of the Evangelical Covenant church, Fourteenth street and First avenue south, by the choirs of the local church and the Mission Covenant church of Gladstone.

The program: Cantata, "The Prince of Life"—Choir. "In the Garden," bass solo—Arthur Carlson; choir; alto solo, Anna Quarnstrom; women's voices. "He Was Despised," bass solo—Rev. W. Hultman; choir. "Crucified for Us"—Choir. "For My Sake," tenor solo—C. Arthur Anderson. "One There Is," tenor and alto duet—Anna Quarnstrom and Clarence Lee. "He Is Not Here"—Choir. "Carol of Gladness," soprano and alto duet—Virginia Goodman and Anna Quarnstrom; choir. Reading, "The Man Who Opened Eyes"—Mrs. Hazel Quarnstrom. "My Redeemer Lives," soprano solo—Mrs. J. Carlson; choir; tenor obligato; choir. "Hosanna," by Grenier, vocal solo—Noble Swenson. "Christ Being Raised From the Dead"—Choir. "His Triumph"—Women's voices. "The King of Glory"—Choir; soprano solo, Mrs. A. J. Olson; choir.

Offertory—Mrs. Noel Piche. Benediction—Rev. W. Hultman. Choir personnel: Soprano: Mrs. T. Kallerson, Virginia Goodman, Anna Quarnstrom, Mrs. Victor Goodman, Mrs. Harold Nelson, Grace Johnson, Mrs. George Lundeen, Mrs. Arthur Carlson, LaVerne Nelson, Mrs. Joel Carlson, Mrs. Herman Carlson, Mrs. Adina Carlson, Mrs. A. J. Olson, Dorothy Kallerson, Agnes Olson. Tenor: Clyde Carlson, Wallie Mylander, H. O. Anderson, C. Arthur Anderson, H. E. Crebo, Clarence Lee, Wesley Carlson, Noble Swenson, Ollie Nelson, Clayton McMartin. Alto: Ellen Swenson, Mrs. C. C. Engstrom, Anna Bloomquist, Mrs. A. G. Satterlund, Mrs. John Molin, Mrs. A. Johnson, Mrs. Ole Sundquist, Mildred Lambert, Myrtle Aronson, Mrs. H. Reiffers, Lenore Olson, Mrs. W. Hultman, Mrs. J. A. Bredahl. Bass: S. G. Nelson, John Peterson, Elmar Olson, Arthur Carlson, Rev. W. Hultman. Pianist: Mrs. Noel Piche. Organist: Mrs. J. M. Olson. Directress: Virginia Goodman. The first presentation was given at the Gladstone church last Sunday evening and the choirs have been invited to present the cantata at the Covenant church at Stephenson at a later date. The public is invited.

Alleluia! Christ Is Risen!



Leora Dodgson To Be Bride In April Ceremony

A wedding of April of interest to many residents of Escanaba, is that of Miss Leora Dodgson, of Toledo, Ohio, daughter of Mrs. Joseph Asselin, of 214 North 11th street, and First Sergeant Cecil D. Snyder, of the U. S. Marine Corps, which is taking place on April 22. The announcement in the Toledo Blade, which accompanies a picture of Miss Dodgson, is as follows: "Announcement is being made today of the approaching marriage of Miss Leora Dodgson to First Sergeant Cecil D. Snyder of the U. S. Marine Corps, Quantico, Va., Marine base. "They have chosen April 22 for their military wedding which will be solemnized in Ashland Avenue Baptist church. Dr. Elijah J. Hanley will perform the open ceremony at 7:30 p. m. "The guard of honor will be composed of staff non-commissioned officers of the Eighth Battalion, U. S. Marine Corps Reserve here, and will include Sergeant Major Clarence Boethe, First Sergeant Carlos F. Loehrke, First Sergeant Frank H. Biles, Gunnery Sergeant Robert A. Read, Gunnery Sergeant Harvey E. Zeh, Supply Sergeant Fred E. Gosbeth, Platoon Sergeant Clyde B. Bonough and Sergeant Joseph J. Karpinski. "The bride-elect's uncle, Harold W. Bean of Detroit, will give her in marriage. She will be attended by Mrs. R. D. Repass as matron of honor and her cousin, Barbara Bean, Detroit, as flower girl. "Sergeant R. D. Repass of the United States Marine Corps Reserve, will be best man and the ushers will be from the Eighth Battalion, Corporal Bertram F. Brown, Sergeant Henry Ehrhart and Sergeant William H. Churchill, Rodney Repass, son of Mr. and Mrs. Repass, will be ring bearer."

Personal News

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Strahl and children of Sault Ste. Marie, are spending the Easter week end with relatives in Escanaba.

Charles Blesde, Jr., has arrived from Ann Arbor, where he attends the University of Michigan, to spend the spring vacation at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Blesde, Wells.

Nick Chapek, a student at the University of Michigan, is here from Ann Arbor for a vacation visit at the family home.

Philip Westbrook arrived Saturday from Ann Arbor, where he is a student at the University of Michigan, for a vacation visit at his home, 224 Lake Shore Drive.

Miss Marcella LeDuc, who is a student at the College of St. Scholastica, Duluth, is at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Philip LeDuc, for Easter vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Danielson and family are spending Easter in Manistique with Mrs. Danielson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. McLaughlin.

Miss Esther Kitchen, who has been visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Bogen, South Ninth street, will leave today for Akron, O., where she will act as representative for Elizabeth Arden, Inc., at the M. O'Neil store.

Mrs. Edith Dubord and Edward Clifford are motoring to Iron River to spend Easter with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Thomson of Saginaw, Mich., are spending the Easter week-end here at the home of Mr. Thomson's mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Thomson, 425 South Ninth street.

Mrs. F. J. Trevillion of Marquette is spending the Easter holidays here with Mr. and Mrs. John Bennett.

Nick Chapek, a student at the University of Michigan, arrived yesterday from Ann Arbor for a vacation visit at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Chapek, 808 Ludington street.

Francis Gustafson is arriving this morning from Rockford, Ill., to spend Easter Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Gustafson.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Bryson left Thursday night for Detroit to spend the Easter vacation with Mrs. Bryson's daughter, Miss Georgia Zinke, who is teaching there.

Clara MacDonald is still confined to her home, 209 North

Social-Club

Daughters of Isabella Trinity Circle will meet Monday evening, April 10, at 8 o'clock at St. Joseph's club rooms. A social, with cards and high score awards, will follow the meeting. Mrs. F. C. Cayen is chairman, assisted by Mrs. Fred Boddy, Mrs. George E. McDermott, Mrs. Ed. Harkins, Mrs. Pearl Sullivan and Miss Belle Bodette.

Bridge League Dinner

Reservations will be made up to Monday noon for the Bridge League dinner which will be served Tuesday evening, April 11, at 6:30 o'clock at the Sherman Hotel. All members of the League are invited. Escanaba members are asked to call Mrs. Gerald J. Cleary, telephone 83, Mrs. Kibby Treiber, 98R, or Mrs. Matthew Sullivan, 339, for reservations, and Gladstone members, Mrs. A. C. Peterson, 433.

Mission Circle Tuesday

A regular meeting of the First Presbyterian Mission Circle will be held Tuesday afternoon in the church parlors. Mrs. A. N. Wilson will be in charge of the program on "The American Indian," and hostesses are Mrs. William Mather, Mrs. Waldo Roberts and Mrs. John Frechette.

Sponsoring Pasty Sale

R. C. Hatheway Chapter, No. 49, Order of the Eastern Star, is sponsoring a pasty sale to be held Thursday. Deliveries will begin at 10:45 o'clock that morning. Orders may be given to Mrs. Harry Work or Mrs. H. L. Holderman before Wednesday noon.

Rebekah Staff Practice

The degree staff of Phoebe Rebekah Lodge, 179, will meet for practice for initiation Monday evening at the I. O. O. F. hall, North Tenth street.

V. F. W. Auxiliary

A special meeting of the Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary will be held Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. John Seidl, 912 Third avenue south, for nomination and election of officers. It is important that every member attend.

Martinson-King

The marriage of Miss Mildred Martinson of Escanaba to Arthur King of Rapid River was solemnized at the Bethany Lutheran church parsonage at 4:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon by the Rev. C. Albert Lund. Sam Boyer of Rapid River and Miss Alice Jerome of Escanaba attended the couple.

Legion Auxiliary

A meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary will be held on Tuesday evening, April 11, at 8 o'clock in the Legion headquarters on Ludington street. Mrs. Anton Weber of Manistique, district committeewoman, will speak at the business session. A social hour will follow the business meeting, under the direction of Mrs. Harold Johnston, committee chairman. Members of the committee are the Mesdames Frank Charbonneau, Herbert McCarthy, Adolph Johnson, William

Scouts Serving Supper Tuesday

A delicious bean supper, sponsored by members of Escanaba Scout Troop 50, of the First Methodist Episcopal church, will be served in the church parlors, Tuesday evening, April 11, from 5 to 7 o'clock. Tickets for the supper may be obtained by calling 38 or 1192-F12, or from any member of the troop.

Francis J. Kelly is leaving this week for Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., where he has taken a position as assistant general manager of the Soo Co-operative stores. Members of his family will join him there in the near future. Mr. Kelly was formerly manager of the meat department of the Fair Store in this city.

Past Noble Grands

The Past Noble Grands club of Phoebe Rebekah Lodge will meet Tuesday evening, April 11, at the home of Mrs. Martin Peterson, 327 South 12th street, with Mrs. C. N. Wood as assisting hostess. All members are urged to be present.

Morning Star Society

A regular meeting of the Morning Star society will be held on Wednesday evening, April 12, at 8 o'clock, at the North Star hall. The card party at which the North Star members will be guests, planned for Wednesday night, has been postponed until Tuesday, April 18.

Bake Sale April 15

A bake sale, sponsored by the women of St. Joseph's parish, will be held at Wickert's Flower shop, Saturday, April 15, opening at 9 o'clock. Mrs. John Greis is chairman, assisted by Mrs. E. J. Legault, Mrs. John Bartel, Mrs. Fred Hirs, Mrs. Joseph Klinger and Mrs. Henry Nerbon.

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Easter Cantata At Candle-Light Service Tonight

The Senior and Junior choirs of the Norwegian Danish Lutheran church, corner Fifteenth street and First avenue south, will present "The Easter Sunrise Song," a cantata by Fred C. Holton, in a candlelight service in the auditorium of the church this evening, Easter Sunday evening, at 7:30 o'clock.

The seventy choristers are under the direction of Mrs. L. R. Lund. Miss Amalia Cooper will be the reader; Miss Katherine Brandso, flutist; Miss Ruby Arnsen, pianist, and Miss Gertrude Lund, accompanist.

Soloists of the cantata are Miss Hilbur Nilzen, soprano; Miss Dorothy Nordby, mezzo-soprano; Miss Vivian Amundson, contralto; Oliver Thorsen, tenor; and Harold Thunglum, bass. A double quartet will include Muriel Amundson, Bertine Satten, Merle Smith, Jean Knutsen, Robert Satten, Carlton Johnson, Stanley Jensen and Clarence Olson.

Following is the order of service: Professional hymn, "Beautiful Saviour."

"The City Lies in Shadow"—Combined choirs. "Lament"—Dorothy Nordby and Senior choir.

"God So Loved the World"—Senior choir. "O Ye of Little Faith"—Miss Hilbur Nilzen.

"Who Shall Roll Away the Stone?"—Women's chorus and Junior choir.

"At the Rising of the Sun"—Senior choir. "Easter Dawn"—Combined choirs.

"Christ Arose"—Senior and Junior choirs. "The Light of the World"—Oliver Thorsen and chorus.

"With Healing in His Wings"—Vivian Amundson, Harold Thunglum and Senior choir. "Hallelujah"—Double quartet, Senior and Junior choirs.

Offertory—Katherine Brandso, Ruby Arnsen and Gertrude Lund. Sermonette. "The Easter Sunrise Song"—Combined choirs.

Benediction. All are cordially invited to worship at this service of song.

Today's Recipe

Delvine Hebert's recipe for prize winning sour cream cookies is reprinted this morning in answer to a special request.

Sour Cream Cookies One egg One cup sugar Three-fourths cup sour cream Two cups flour Three-eighths teaspoon soda One and one-half teaspoon baking powder One-fourth teaspoon salt Beat egg well and add sugar and cream, then dry ingredients sifted together. Drop by teaspoon one inch apart on greased cookie sheet. Bake in moderate oven fifteen minutes.

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Bride In Ceremony Today



A lovely bride of Easter Day is Elaine Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Brown of Wells, who will exchange marriage vows with Wheaton L. Strom in a ceremony this afternoon at four o'clock at the First Presbyterian church. Mr. Strom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Torval E. Strom of this city. A wedding dinner and a reception at the Delta Hotel are to follow the ceremony this afternoon. Photo by Seikur Studio

Guild Planning Dessert Bridge For Wednesday

Among attractive parties arranged for the week following Easter, is the dessert bridge at which St. Patrick's Guild is entertaining Wednesday afternoon, April 12, in the parish hall.

Dessert will be served at 1:30 o'clock, followed by contract, auction, pinocle and five hundred. There will be high score awards and a guest award.

Mrs. Wilbur LaFond is chairman of the party. The public is cordially invited.

Daughter Born To Edward Legaults

Mr. and Mrs. Edward N. Legault, of Milwaukee, announce the birth of a daughter, weighing seven and one-half pounds, on Friday, April 7, at St. Joseph's hospital, Menominee. The baby is the first in the family and also

Births

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Peterson, Ensign, are the parents of a son, born Saturday, April 8, at St. Francis hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Don M. Sprague, of Manistique, announce the birth of a son, Friday night, April 7, at Shaw hospital, Manistique. The baby is the second in the family, the first, a daughter, Mrs. Sprague is the former Mildred Richter of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Carnen Benson, 315 Ludington street, are the parents of a seven pound daughter, born on April 8 at the Alvina Buchholtz Maternity Home.

is the first grandchild of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Legault of this city. Mr. Legault's parents, Mrs. L. Legault, who before her marriage, was Margaret Rouse, is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Rouse of Marinette.

"Holiday" Has All Elements of Good Drama

A plot containing comedy, romance, conflict, and all the elements of good drama, has been used by Phillip Barry, one of the most famous current playwrights, who has made "Holiday" to be presented by the Escanaba Civic Theatre Wednesday night, one of the season's outstanding hit plays.

One of the daughters of the rich Seton family (Jewel Mantley) has engaged herself to be married to an upstanding youth (Clem Skopp) with no fiscal or social background. The proposed marriage is looked upon dubiously, but with dignity by the head of the house (Dr. Gordon Glech), a self-satisfied man living comfortably for and with the Seton bank roll. The young hero, though expert in finance, is of the belief that life is not one hundred percent accumulation of money, and that there is important fun to be had in the pursuit of other treasures. He proposes to retire from business when he is young and work when he is old.

These radical impressions disturb both his betrothed and her parents and they set about to correct them. Friendly to his creed is his prospective sister-in-law (Eleanor Franzen) and here we come upon one of the numerous solutions of the play's success.

There is no more reason why a woman shouldn't be president than a man. But as for me, nothing on God's green earth would induce me to run for anything. —Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt.

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A Modern Water Heater Increases Value of House

It is agreed in realty circles that the installation of an efficient modern water heater increases the market value and sales appeal of any house. However, the heater must be typed and sized to fulfill the requirements of the house in question.

Constant research and developments in the realm of automatic gas water heaters have brought forth a numerous array of types and sizes. Such variety is in no sense needless because water heating engineers with years of experience have found that variations in service requirements are in themselves so numerous they

could not be met by limitations in heaters.

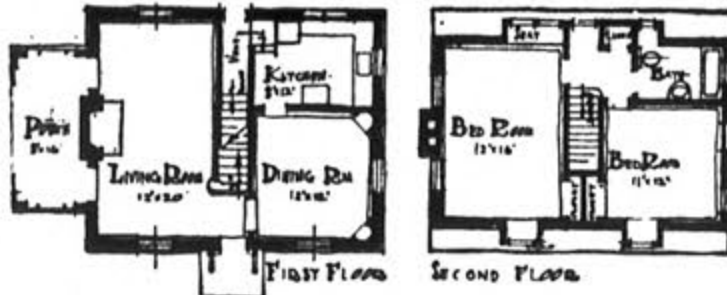
Consequently there are gas water heaters specifically designed and engineered for about every conceivable home need.

A convenient form of the automatic storage heater is the convertible or adjustable recovery type—on which the amount of gas burned can be changed to furnish predetermined amounts of hot water.

For example, one type of heater has two burners, the first to be employed for ordinary hot water demands, with the second burner available for manual use to meet extra demands for hot water service.

The heating efficiencies on all types of gas water heaters have been improved; it is estimated this amounts to a 10 per cent average increase in the last three years—a factor of marked advantage to the home-owner.

Compact Low Cost House



This charming, small frame house may be built on a rather narrow property and yet retain the dignity that is characteristic of a larger house. The exterior is designed to be of wood and follows examples laid down by the old Cape Cod houses. There is no waste space in this house. The entrance hall has been entirely eliminated from the plan with the stairs to the second floor opening into a large living room.

There is a small arched covered entrance porch with trellises on either side, which may be closed in during the winter and add more protection to the living room. The porch opening off the living room has French doors leading to the living room and might be enclosed with glass for a sun porch. There is a grade entrance at the rear which leads to the basement stairs and to the kitchen. The house might be built of brick, painted white, or finished with a cement stucco finish.

FARM OWNERS OFFERED PLAN FOR REPAIRS

The Federal Housing Administration's Property Improvement Credit Plan offers special advantages to farm-property owners who wish to repair their houses and barns and other service buildings, build new additions, paint, reroof, or install modern heating, plumbing, or electric wiring systems, FHA officials say.

Payments may be made monthly, semi-monthly, weekly, or seasonally. The financing charge is set by regulation at a reasonable maximum.

While the Federal Housing Administration lends no money, funds for these purposes are available under FHA's Property Improvement Credit Plan from banks and other financial units qualified by FHA.

Home Renters Check

Now Time To Build Money Available

Most home renters have never stopped to think, when they write their rent check each month, that there is a way by which a part of that check could go to their credit against the day when they would own their own home. If there ever was a time when money paid out for rent could be made to buy a home of your own advantageously, it is now. Building costs are still down and the Federal Housing Administration has provided home loans at new low interest rates which make it possible to own your home.

If you have been thinking about owning your own home and you fall to make the dream come true within the next few months, there is an excellent chance that you will feel very much like the fellow who has missed the boat.

Today every factor is favorable to home building loans which are more economical and easier to carry than ever before.

Character In Houses

Use of Materials Elusive

A house may be well designed and yet be entirely lacking in character. Good design is quite obvious, but the character of a house is elusive and very hard to understand from a set of blueprints.

Many a home owner who has built his house without the advice of a capable architect has been greatly disappointed with the completed structure or he finds that his home, when completed, does not look so attractive as it did on paper.

It is not possible, in a working drawing, to show the character of a house. Character is built into the dwelling by use of materials. A capable architect knows how to choose the type of wall material best suited to the design of the house. He knows what color to use, how to use the material, and how to secure effects that make for this elusive character in a home.

For instance, if a shingle is chosen for the side walls of a house, the question is, should they be thick or thin? Should they be laid with a wide exposure to the weather or with a narrow exposure? The decision and the prop-

er use of shingles or materials of any sort will build character into the home.

Similar questions arise in connection with all building materials. Thus, if a stucco house is being built, what shall the outside finish be? Shall it be rough or smooth? Shall the corners be rounded or built square? If brick is used, there enters the question of the type, color, the bond, the joint and the mortar as well as the texture of the brick surface.

All of these things, and there are many more—build character into a faultless design of a house.

Most owners, when building their homes, have certain preferences as to the materials they wish used, but they need guidance as to its application and treatment in deciding these questions, and architect and owner must consider not only the style of the house but also its surroundings and setting.

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Diminishing Rentals Halted By Repairs

Because the age of the building is often revealed by outmoded plumbing fixtures, apartment house owners frequently find that diminishing rentals can be halted through modernization of bathrooms and kitchens.

The wide difference between the well-designed efficient fix-

tures of today and the drab plumbing commonly found in buildings built 15 or 20 years ago is often enough in itself to increase returns on apartment properties. This modernization work may be done with funds obtainable from qualified lending institutions under the Property Improvement Credit Plan of the Federal Housing Administration.



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Transmission Of News Is Speeded Up Greatly

(Editor's Note: The thoughtful reader must wonder occasionally at the speed with which news of the day's events in far places turns up in his daily paper. For 40 years, Martin A. Broadfoot has been an important cog in the machine which speeds news of national importance from Washington to the Escanaba Daily Press and other members of the Associated Press. As a telegraph operator and as "dictation man" his alert fingers have tapped out bulletins on American declaration of war, on crucial senate votes, on presidential statements and Supreme Court decisions, on kidnappers captured by G-men and ships rescued at sea by the coast guard. On his 40th anniversary, he recalls some of the exciting highlights of his career.)

BY MARTIN A. BROADFOOT
Washington, April 8 (AP)—Have you ever stopped to wonder just what happens in the short space between the time "big news" breaks and the time you read about it in your newspaper?

In a press conference, the president announces a new policy of the administration. Reporters breathe a hurried "Thank You, Mr. President," and dash for the exit. They scurry around the big mahogany table in the reception room and into the Press room.

Each one jumps in his own booth and grabs his telephone. "Give me dictation," the reporter says, and then: "Bulletin—President Roosevelt said today—"

Writes Story Orally
He "writes" the story orally, paging through his notes as he goes. And in the Press Association office, a man with headphones taps it out on the typewriter as the reporter talks.

An editor tears the copy out of the machine, almost line by line, and hurries it to a teletype machine.

Bells ring, simultaneously, in newspaper offices throughout the country, and receiving sets automatically click out the news. Five minutes after the president has spoken, the news is in every major city of the country.

Getting the news to the nation's readers was not always so fast and so certain. With each new invention—the automobile, the telephone, the automatic teletype—the speed of news moving to the reader in his home has quickened.

I have watched the pace quicken over the last 40 years. During all those years, I have worked in the Washington bureau of the Associated Press.

Things Were Different
Things were different, I remember, when William Howard Taft became president.

The night before the inauguration, I worked as a telegrapher until early morning. The sixtieth session of congress was dying and a long filibuster of southern senators had delayed adjournment. The long speeches of Money of Mississippi and Clarke of Arkansas, and the objections of Tillman of South Carolina and others won their point, and eliminated from the new penal code reference to the use of troops at polling places—a hangover from "reconstruction" days. But the senate had to labor into the night to complete its work.

As the session droned on, reporters in the press gallery scribbled the story in "takes". A copy-boy rushed the filmy sheets to my telegraph instrument in an anteroom. I tapped out the dots-and-dashes of the Morse code. Another operator in the A. P. office, downtown, typed out the story as it came in, and a third operator sent it out again on the national wire circuit.

When the senate finally adjourned, I went out into a cold, snowy night. Next morning, Washington was choked with snow. Traffic was stopped, and I had to walk through heavy slush to the office for a busy day

of inauguration coverage. Big Story Marooned
In the office, editors were raging. All the telegraph wires were down, and there was no way to send the story of the inauguration to the world. Washington was marooned with the big news story of the day.

Roads were blocked. Automobiles were at a premium. There was only one way to get the story out of the capital. I was handed a sheet of news and fare for the 40-mile trolley ride to Baltimore. Even with snowplows opening the way, the short trip took three hours. Still, Baltimore—and the nation—got its first word that Taft was indeed president when I finally got there.

Soon after that, I was assigned to send out a story of one of the first airplane flights. The Wright brothers, whose sensational 60-second flight at Kitty Hawk, N. C., had captured the imagination of the world, planned to test a new plane for the army—its first.

After many trial flights over Fort Myer, Va., a longer "cross-country" test was planned over a course five miles to Alexandria, Va., and five miles back. Wind and weather were vital factors, and no one knew just when the take-off would come.

Heard Strange Noise
Wind resistance is lowest at sunup and sundown, so editors decided to patrol the area at those hours. Day after day, we chugged out into Virginia in an old-fashioned automobile and took our watch at headquarters under a haystack on Shuter's Hill.

Hundreds of people stood around waiting for a sight of the aeroplane. Another group of newsmen waited each day to flash the take-off from Fort Myer; while other reporters on horseback patrolled the rolling fields between the two points.

The sun was going down when we heard a strange noise in the distance and spotted a dark object against the sky. Night was so near that a runner was dispatched to a nearby farm house to borrow lanterns.

I sat at my telegraph "bug" in the shadow of the haystack, and tapped out "flash" as the aeroplane passed the balloon at the end of the course, and "flash" again when it circled and started back across the hilly fields. Soon the army telegrapher nearby reported the plane had landed safely at Fort Myer.

Then the reporters scribbled the dramatic story in the shadow of the haystack, and I read their "copy" by lantern-light, working away at the "bug" which transmitted the story to the world.

Such scenes are seldom re-enacted now. Only when flood, earthquake, war or fire blots out a part of the globe do reporters and telegraphers work under the awkward handicaps of that era. Instead, almost without fail, the news comes clicking into your newspaper office just minutes after a big event has happened.

The first college in the United States to play "rugby football" was Harvard, which accepted a challenge from McGill University, of Montreal, in 1874, and liked the game so well that other colleges began playing it.

Naval operations against Tripoli in 1803-05 completed formation of the United States navy and gave it a high standard of heroic conduct to look back upon with pride, and to uphold in future.

In Liberia, Africa, the value of paper money is depicted in varying numbers of bread loaves engraved on the bills. Pictures of something familiar have to be used since most of the population is unable to read figures.

A new era in machine-made lace fabrics was marked by the invention of the Jacquard loom in 1801.

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City Briefs

Mrs. Gustave Danielson, of Detroit, arrived Friday to visit at the Fridolf Danielson home, Maple Ave.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Chenoweth, Schoolcraft Ave., are spending the weekend at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Rettke, Newberry.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Richey and son, of Sault Ste. Marie, are expected to arrive today to spend the day at the A. H. Richey home here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Byers, Jr., are the parents of a son born April 8, at the home of Mrs. Byers, parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Needham, Manistique Heights.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Dupluf, Bellingham, Washington, are guests at the Arthur Miller home, Deer Street.

Mrs. P. J. Mumford left Saturday for White Fish Point where she will spend the week with her daughter.

Mrs. B. Miller and daughters, Gladstone, are spending the weekend at the home of Mrs. Millers mother, Mrs. Sam Allen.

Robert Finch, son of Dr. L. O. Finch, is spending the Easter vacation at his home here. Robert is a student of Notre Dame.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thoren and son, Clarence are spending the Easter holiday in Negaunee.

CIRCUIT COURT OPENS MONDAY

County's Suit to Recover \$25,000 To Be Heard This Term

The April term of circuit court will convene at the Schoolcraft county courthouse here Monday afternoon at two o'clock, with Circuit Judge Herbert Runnels presiding.

Of principal interest on the calendar for this term of court is the civil suit of the County of Schoolcraft against former directors of The Manistique Bank. The county is attempting to recover approximately \$25,000 in deposits which were guaranteed by five directors at the time. Of the five sureties, one, R. B. Wadell, is deceased. Others are E. W. Miller, Paul Baldwin, Oren G. Quick, and Charles Orr.

It is expected this case will be heard by Judge Runnels without a jury.

Criminal cases listed for action at this term of court include the following: John J. May, statutory; Lillian Rogers, securing property under false pretenses; Richard Lamirand and Mary Gibbons, lewd and lascivious cohabitation; Clifford Lambert and Fred David, Jr., breaking and entering.

Jurors will not report for duty until Tuesday morning, the second day of the jury term.

Obituary

NORMAN DUQUETTE
Funeral services for Norman Duquette, 22, who died Friday morning at Shaw hospital, will be held Monday afternoon at three o'clock at the Morton Funeral Home. Rev. George King will officiate and interment will be made in Fairview cemetery. The body will lie in state at the family home, 122 South First street, until the hour of the funeral services. Pallbearers will be Wilfred Cook, James Cook, Donald McPhail, Raymond Olson, Jerod Heinz and Glen Pauley.

CHARLES SWAYER
Funeral services for Charles Swayer, of Gulliver, will be held Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the family home at Gulliver, under the direction of Kelauger and Jackson. Interment will be made in Lakeview cemetery.

MAGNUS OBERG
The body of Magnus Oberg, 110 North Second street, will remain at the Morton Funeral Home until after the funeral services, which will be held Monday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. Rev. Nelson will officiate and interment will be in Fairview cemetery.

JACOB EDWARDS
Funeral services for Jacob Edwards, of Flint, former Royle township resident, were held yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Methodist church. Rev. Bottrell officiated and interment was made in Fairview cemetery, under the direction of Sven Johnson. Pallbearers were great-grandsons of Mr. Edwards.

MRS. MARIA SWANSON
Funeral services for Mrs. Maria Swanson will be held this afternoon at two o'clock at the family home, Manistique avenue. Rev. George Wahlin will officiate and interment will be made in Fairview cemetery, under the direction of the Morton Funeral Home.

Miss Helen Chapman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Julius B. Chapman, of Manistique, will return to her home here Monday noon following the completion of her three-year nurse training course at Michael Reese hospital in Chicago.

Fritz Blomquist Is Taken By Death On Saturday Morning

Fritz Theodore Blomquist, 50, Manistique World War veteran, passed away on Saturday morning at the Shaw hospital. Mr. Blomquist was admitted to the hospital on Friday suffering from a ruptured appendix and although operated upon, he did not survive.

He was born in Manistique on March 16, 1889 and had lived the greater part of his life here. He attended local schools and was a graduate of Michigan State college with the Class of 1913. For a number of years he was employed by the state department of agriculture. He was a World War veteran and unmarried.

Surviving are his father Eric Blomquist and a brother Antred Blomquist of Detroit.

The body was taken to the Sven Johnson mortuary to be prepared for burial and will be returned to the family home, 614 Garden avenue, on Monday. Funeral services will be held on Tuesday with Rev. G. W. Wahlin officiating. Burial will be in Lakeview cemetery.

Social

Cora's Party
Cora Cynthia Hasselblom entertained a number of little friends at a birthday party given in honor of her second birthday, Friday afternoon, April 7, at her home.

Among those who attended the party were: Mrs. Jack Leach and son Charles, Mrs. Lloyd Miller and son, Johnnie Pat, Mrs. William Anderson and son, Richard, Mrs. Douglas Bennett and sons, Douglas and Charles, Mrs. Dale McPherson and daughter, Audrey and Miss Mary Bays.

Chinese checkers were played and Cora received many pretty gifts.

Tom Carney Dies At Iron Mountain From Gun Wounds
Word was received here yesterday of the death of Tom Carney, 49, Randville, at the Iron Mountain General hospital, from wounds suffered when he was shot in front of his tavern Monday evening. He is a brother of the late James Carney, street commissioner at Manistique for many years.

George Klein, age 45, is being held in connection with Carney's death. He also is a resident of Randville.

Brighter Audience Wanted By Bishop
London (AP)—Church-goers, says the Bishop of Durham, are getting dumber.

"There has certainly been a change for the worse in the intellectual quality of church-goers," he wrote in the "Westminster Abbey Quarterly."

"The cultured class has generally ceased to go to church. The modern preacher must make his count with hearers who know little about theology and care less, whose power of attention is very small and who are not accustomed to anything more mentally exacting than emotional appeals and topical allusions."

In 1665, the Plague year, use of tobacco was regarded as a safeguard against infection, and smoking was compulsory for all children.

The straw cat, known also as the pampas or grass cat, is a yellowish-gray wildcat, with straw-colored bands running backward across its flanks and horizontally on its legs and chest.

Bowling Notes

ELKS LEAGUE SCHEDULE
April 10—Papermakers vs. Cards 7 p. m.; Browns vs. Yanks, 9 p. m.
April 11—Fords vs. Giants, 7 p. m.; Badgers vs. Shamrocks, 9 p. m.
April 12—Wildcats vs. Nationals, 7 p. m.; Wolverines vs. Cubs, 9 p. m.
April 13—Reds vs. Tigers.
April 14—Pirates vs. Ethiopians.

LADIES LEAGUE SCHEDULE
Tuesday night, April 11, 7:30 o'clock—Norwood Farm vs. Liberty Cafe.
Tuesday night, April 11, 9:30 o'clock—Helene's Beauty Shop vs. Schuster Food Market.
Friday night, April 14, 9 o'clock—Girvin Coal & Dock Co. vs. Pioneer Tribune.

Gardner Infant Taken By Death

Raya Clare Gardner, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Gardner, passed away Friday at the Children's Clinic at Marquette, following an illness of several days.

The child was two months and 22 days old, and was one of twins born to Mr. and Mrs. Gardner. The child's twin brother, Raymond, and a sister, Sandra Sarah, survive in addition to the parents.

Funeral services will be held Monday morning at Cooks, and burial will be in Fayette cemetery. The body was prepared for burial at the Kelauger and Jackson mortuary in Manistique.

BUTTON STOPS BULLET
Regina (AP)—A shirt button saved a schoolboy, Clifford Allen, from serious injury. The button on his shirt deflected a rifle bullet and he suffered only a slight flesh wound.

In France, some geese are fed by forcing food through a funnel into the bird's mouth. Such forcible feeding enlarges the fowl's liver for use as pate de foie gras.

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Miss Chapman Ends Training Course
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All party dresses delivered to us before 10 o'clock Monday morning will be cleaned and pressed in time for the Easter Ball Monday night.

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Briefly Told

Methodist Ladies' Aid—There will be a regular meeting of the Methodist Ladies' Aid Wednesday afternoon in the church parlors. Hostesses will be Mrs. James Moon, Mrs. Philip Hopkins and Mrs. Robert Hoar.

Lady Foresters—The regular meeting of the Lady Foresters will be held Tuesday, April 11, in the K. C. hall. A 6:30 pot luck dinner will precede the meeting and installation of officers and social hour will follow. Coffee, sugar and cream have been provided for. All members are invited.

Bethany—The Misses Helen Eklund and Angelina Magrino will be hostesses at the next regular meeting of the Bethany girls to be held Thursday, April 13, in the church basement.

B. & P. W.—The regular meeting of the Business and Professional Women will be held Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock at the home of Evelyn Schuster, N. Houghton Ave.

Presbyterian Guild—The Presbyterian Guild will meet Wednesday evening in the church parlors. Mrs. Kenneth Van Eyck will be devotional leader. As there are no hostesses for the first meeting

Eastern Star Will Have Easter Dance

The Order of Eastern Star will sponsor an Easter dance Monday night at the old gymnasium for Masons and families and members of the Eastern Star and families and invited guests.

A five piece orchestra will play the musical program and a large crowd is expected. The gymnasium will be appropriately decorated for the occasion.

Mrs. Clyde McMillan, Cedar Street, left Friday for Sault Ste. Marie where she will visit for a few days.

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BEHIND THE SCENES

By Bruce Cotton

Harrisburg, Pa. — Two short years ago nobody presumed to discuss possible Democratic presidential nominees in 1940 without devoting a good deal of space to George H. Earle, then governor of Pennsylvania.

The Democratic party was riding high in the state. It held the governorship and one of the two senatorships, to say nothing of 26 of the state's 34 congressional seats. The governor was energetic, enormously popular, liberal, and apparently destined for higher things.

How the picture has changed! DEMOCRATIC UPHEAVAL

Today George H. Earle is out of the picture. The Democratic party in Pennsylvania is wrecked. Indictments are pending against its state chairman and against dividers of the most prominent figures in the late Earle administration.

The Republicans rule again at Harrisburg and have 19 congressional places against 15 for the Democrats. It is an open question whether Senator Joe Guffey will be returned when his present term expires next year. Bitter internal feuds divide the party.

The catastrophe began to develop just about a year ago. Deep rivalries within the party were just beginning to come to a head. Rumors of corruption in the state administration were becoming scandalously common.

These two factors worked together. Senator Guffey and David L. Lawrence, chairman of the state Democratic committee, fell out, and the intra-party scrap became bitter as the spring primary campaign got under way.

The charges of graft and corruption began to be made openly. At last, on a sunny day in April, Attorney General Charles J. Marshall publicly proposed a grand jury investigation of the charges. Earle promptly countered by firing Marshall—and the fat was in the fire.

FIGHT COMES INTO OPEN

A Dauphin county Harrisburg grand jury was ordered to begin the investigation. Earle fought the probe in the Supreme Court, failed to squelch it, and eventually was driven to the expedient of calling a special session of the legislature, which tried to head it off by voting for a legislative investigation of the charges and ordering that no grand jury investigation could be held until after the legislative inquiry was finished. Meanwhile, Lawrence and Guffey backed separate tickets in the party primary.

So the whole squabble came out into the open, and Earle — who eventually won his party's nomination for U. S. senator — went into the campaign under a cloud. As an inevitable result, the Republicans won the election.

Then, just to make the cup run over, the Supreme Court threw out most of the program adopted at the special legislative session, and the Dauphin county grand jury got busy.

Early this winter indictments started popping. On Jan. 7, Lawrence was indicted on charges of conspiracy to defraud the commonwealth, blackmail and violation of election laws. Two months later the grand jury indicted him again, this time on charges of conspiracy to assess public employes.

On the same charges, it indicted Ralph M. Bashore, Earle's secretary of labor and industry, and secretary of the Democratic state committee, and Carl K. Deen, resident secretary of the state committee.

MANY INDICTMENTS

It also indicted Earle's secretary of highways, Roy E. Brownmiller, for misfeasance in office, accusing him of payroll padding, and H. H. Temple, former chief engineer of the highways department, on charges of conspiracy to misuse his public office and blackmail.

It indicted James P. Kirk, Democratic chairman of Allegheny county and city treasurer of Pittsburgh, on charges of conspiracy and blackmail, and leveled

SERIAL STORY

BORDER ADVENTURE

BY OREN ARNOLD

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Yesterday: The officers learn that the old woman in jail was Betty Mary. Later, she tips them off that smuggling is planned that night. As they rush to the scene, Sheridan reveals he has already asked Betty for a date.

CHAPTER III

Miss Elizabeth Mary Jordan, of Washington, D. C., out of her bath and in pajamas now, stepped onto the hotel bathroom scales to see if three days of train food and loafing and one day of west Texas had added anything to her weight.

They hadn't. The needle wiggled around gaily and finally settled on 108 pounds, causing her to mutter, "Oh darn." If ever she reached 110, Betty Mary often promised herself, she would throw a rip-roaring celebration; she had kind of hoped it could be done here in El Paso.

"But it doesn't matter," she assured herself, "because I don't know anybody here except Hope Kildare and Sheridan Starr."

She came out and stooped to bury her face again in the flowers Mr. Starr had sent that night. They had been waiting when she came back to her room. "May I take you to dinner on Saturday?" the note with them had said.

She hadn't answered, but she knew she would say yes. Too much of the glamor and interest was already attached to him, to both the young Border Patrol inspectors on whom she had paid an official call. She had come from Washington expecting to find them stodgy unimaginative men, perhaps the plodding type of officers. But inspectors Starr and Kildare had, surprisingly, looked and talked like big overgrown boys, handsome and highly capable but likely to make a few blunders in life. Betty Mary had felt instantly drawn to them.

"I think it would be unfair to recommend that they be discharged," she was confiding presently, in a letter to her girl friend back east. "I think this Luis Barro has just been lucky. He has just been slipping by two good men. I was sent out because, as you know, Washington wanted an inside report by somebody who could speak Spanish and knew about border conditions. I've been handling all the Border Patrol correspondence, and a few other investigations, and luckily I was born in Texas, too."

"And guess what, Sue! The thrilling thing! Remember how we make up and change characters and all, in the Little Theater plays? Well, I was able to do that here today and get the officers a valuable inside tip. Really! I have the most to tell you when I get home. Even as I write this they are out in the San Felipe hills somewhere. This is much rougher country than around San Antonio, where I was reared. But the Mex-

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icans look the same. I am going to sketch some faces.

"Sheridan has asked me for a date already! Aren't you jealous? They are big and they move gracefully and have quick dark eyes and Hope—that's the other one—has a small scar from football, and they both act so serious you'd think they were—"

She had a great deal more to tell Sue but she stopped writing soon and went to bed.

She didn't sleep well, though. Things were on her mind.

At 3 a. m. she telephoned the hotel clerk to know if any calls had come for her. None had. Still nobody had called at dawn; and at 7 a. m. she was reading a morning paper but she found no mention of any Border Patrol excitement.

Breakfast was uninteresting; the morning dragged. Three times she telephoned Border Patrol headquarters, only to be told each time that Messrs. Starr and Kildare were not in. At 3 p. m. she visited the chief of police again and heard once more what she already knew—that Border Patrol work was always dangerous, likely to include shooting any time.

At 4:15 p. m. she went to a stationery store and purchased a large "Map of the Border Country" with accurate scaling and topographic features, took it to her room and studied it minutely for nearly an hour. Next she sat for a few minutes staring out of her hotel window across the Rio Grande at the mountains of old Mexico, tapping her pretty teeth with a pencil, and thinking. Then, suddenly, she made up her mind. Recalling a sporting goods store she had seen earlier two blocks from the hotel, she set out quickly for it.

"I want to buy a good pistol," she told the clerk, firmly. "And some ammunition and a cartridge belt."

Mazatlan is a highly picturesque little city in the Mexican state of Sinaloa, which is lapped by the Pacific Ocean. Many boats stop there, and strange are the people who may be seen on them. Sometimes a few of the people disembark.

Two weeks before Betty Mary started west, 20 men and nine women, all of very definite Asiatic ancestry and all speaking some dialect of the Asiatic languages, arrived in Mazatlan, disembarking from a passing vessel at night. They had not been sure of their welcome, but they met with no difficulty. In fact their spokesman, who was an excellent linguist, was elated at the ease with which Mazatlan "absorbed" these travelers.

"But it is not here that we need expect trouble," he informed them soon after their arrival. "We will have to be more careful, however, when we cross into the next land."

"That will be America!" a Chinese asked him.

"The United States, no less," he nodded. "But patience. It will not be easy, as here. Unless we are fortunate in the assistance we hire. If the right people are approached, in the right way—"

The spokesman shrugged, suggesting that he knew the routine. He also made it clear too that the next move would be costly. He was a professional alien runner. Skilled at forging passports, and at quick thinking and acting in emergencies, he had contacted these 29 people as far away as Honolulu and traveled with them back to the continent.

"It will be best," he explained. "I'll hire for you the most influential intermediary we can."

"We have already paid you money," the Asiatic answered. "In America we have friends."

There was a deal of further conversation. "Three hundred American dollars more, after what we have already paid? It is a lot of money."

But then, most of these 29 were carrying certain intimate little valuables in addition to the money they had. These were not penurious folk, however desperate they were to move to a new land. They could afford to pay the extra \$300 each (and the alien runner knew it).

"It is best now, too, that each of you arm yourselves, with the small guns," the spokesman suggested when he had collected the additional fee. "Do not show them, however. Keep them hidden. And do not talk much, even among yourselves."

"Is it far?" one man asked.

"Will there be trouble?"

"It is three, maybe four or five days of travel, and then maybe a few days of waiting. Los Federales de los Estados Unidos—" He lapsed into his native Spanish trying to explain. How could one make clear to Asiatics how the United States Border Patrol functioned? He shrugged again.

"But the man who will take us across," the Chinese asked. "Is he not capable?"

"Ha! You are estajanero, surely, to ask that about Don Luis Barro!"

(To Be Continued)

Lil' Abner

By Al Capp



Red Ryder

By Fred Harman



Boots and Her Buddies

By Martin



Wash Tubbs

By Crane



Freckles and His Friends

By Blosser



Out Our Way

By Williams

Our Boarding House

With Major Hoople



Wishing Well puzzle grid with numbers 1-26 in a grid.

HERE is a pleasant little game that will give you a message every day. It is a numerical puzzle designed to spell out your fortune. Count the letters in your first name. If the number of letters is 6 or more, subtract 4. If the number is less than 6, add 3. The result is your key number. Start at the upper left-hand corner of the rectangle and check every one of your key numbers, left to right. Then read the message the letters under the checked figures give you.

Cooks News

SENIOR DANCE
Cooks, Mich.—The Senior Class of Cooks High School are giving their last dance of the school term on Wednesday, April 12. Gunnar Lindstrom's rhythmic Band will furnish the music. Lunch will be served.
Reindeer meat is a staple food of Northlanders.

Old Orchard Farm

When the manager of Old Orchard farm, at Flat Rock, decided last fall to try out sugar beets at the farm this season, he didn't know it was necessary to get permission from someone down in Washington, or some other governmental sub-station to plant the three acres of beets he had decided would be about right for a 40 acre farm. But that's the dope.

The farm manager figured that when he signed up for three acres of beets with the field man for the Menominee sugar company and agreed to use hand labor

furnished by the company, to raise the crop and subscribed to certain other regulations, that was all there was to it.

But the other day along came a document, signed by the chairman of the "District Sugar Beet Acreage Allotment Committee", announcing that "The 1939 sugar beet acreage allotment for the farming unit which you are operating in 1939 has been determined to be three acres."

And another document announced that Old Orchard would be allowed to collect some kind of an extra allowance from the government for the beet crop produced, only if an equal acreage of the farm should be sowed this spring to alfalfa, or a greater acreage to other soil enriching grasses.

The manager of Old Orchard is one of those independent cusses who doesn't believe that the government, or anyone else, has a right to tell him what he shall and shall not raise on his own farm. And he doesn't believe, either, that all of these farm subsidies, being doled out these days, is going to solve the farmers' problems. Outside of the subsidy beet sugar growers in the peninsula collect for complying with governmental acreage allotments and the "soil benefit" checks some neighboring farmers collect, for doing some things on their farms they intended to do anyway, there is mighty little federal money coming to farmers of Delta county and the upper peninsula. Most of it goes to the wheat, cotton and corn districts and those who pay federal taxes foot the bill.

But along last fall, when crop plans for 1939 were made for Old Orchard, it was announced that three acres of alfalfa, four acres of permanent pasture grass and eleven acres of timothy and clover would be sowed this spring. So we will be overdoing the governmental request, as to planting soil enriching grass seed, about six times, in order to collect our extra governmental subsidy on three acres of sugar beets. In other words we intended to do it anyway and as everyone seems to be grabbing off these government checks when they can get them, there's no good reason why Old Orchard should refuse a good money, even if we don't like the system.

In addition the manager of Old Orchard has been in the newspaper business for about 35 years and this is the first time the government, or anyone else, ever offered to pay him money for something he was going to do anyway. If we get that money we are going to frame the check.

Radio Around The Clock

BY C. E. BUTTERFIELD
Associated Press Radio Editor
Time Is Central Standard

New York, April 8—Easter morn on the radio starts at the Vatican, switches to this country for a dozen or so sunrise services and continues into a number of special features.

The Vatican transmission, scheduled for 5:15 a. m. via NBC, CBS and MBS, will consist of the first Easter papal benediction by the new pope, Pius XII and will come from the balcony of St. Peter's.

The sunrise services by network groups: WEAF-WJZ-NBC—6 a. m., Temple university stadium, Philadelphia; 6:30, Eden park, Cincinnati; 7:30, Grand Canyon national park, Arizona.

WEAF-NBC—7, Will Rogers memorial Shrine, Colorado; 8, Mt. Davidson, California.

WABC-CBS—6, Central park, New York; 6:30, High School auditorium, St. Louis; 7, Brigham Young university, Provo, Utah; 7:30, Memorial park, Glendale, Calif.

MBS-CHAIN—7, Hollywood bowl; 8, Mt. Rubidoux, Riverside, Calif.; 8:30, Capitol steps, Olympia, Wash.

Among the other features: WEAF-NBC—9:30 a. m., Easter music by high schools; 11 a. m., Fishion parade in New York and Paris; 12 noon, Irene Wicker's "Crucifixion and Resurrection"; WJZ-NBC—8 a. m., Children's grand opera; 9:30 p. m., Cheerio's Easter.

MBS-CHAIN—6 a. m., Indiana Easter pageant; 9:30 a. m., Los Angeles Civic chorus; 11:30 a. m., Easter Parades in New York and Atlantic City.

Concert programs: WJZ-NBC 11 a. m., Radio city opera "Die Walkure"; 1 p. m., Magic Key, Philadelphia orchestra; 4, Marian Anderson recital on steps of Lincoln memorial, Washington.

WABC-CBS—2, N. Y. Philharmonic, Rossini "Petite" mass; 3, Sunday Evening hour, Jose Iturbi and Helen Hadley.

A few films: WJZ-NBC—12 noon, Great Play, "Justice"; 4:30 p. m., New book series by Joseph Henry Jackson; WABC-CBS—5:30, Second Gateway to Hollywood series; 6:30, Screen Guild, Rudy Vallee, Mickey Rooney and Joan Bennett.

Discussion periods: WEAF-NBC 11:30 a. m., Chicago roundtable, "Hitler's Economic Motives"; WEAF-NBC, WABC-CBS, WOR-MBS 12:30 p. m., World's fair salute from Sweden; WABC-CBS 6, People's Platform, "Will Economic Boycotts Work?"; WJZ-NBC 6, Jesse H. Jones on "Finance and Credit"; WOR-MBS 7, American Forum, "Foreign Policy and Neutrality"; Senators Claude Pepper, Burton K. Wheeler, Gerald P. Nye and Henrik Shipstead.

Monday's Program
Radio's annual visit to the White House lawn in Washington for the Easter egg rolling will be paid this year by WEAF-NBC.

The broadcast is set for 8:30 a. m. and is expected to include an Easter greeting by Mrs. F. D. Roosevelt. The egg-rolling has been an Easter delight for the kiddies for something like a hundred years.

The National Radio Forum,

PREVENT SILVER TARNISH

Flat silver that is not used daily should be stored in an airtight box with a small piece of camphor enclosed to prevent tarnish.

In taking dictation four blind girls, employed as shorthand typists in London, use a small machine which punches Braille signs on a moving tape.

weekly feature conducted on WJZ-NBC, will move up an hour to an earlier time, which will be 8:30.

Bob Hawk, microphonist of People's Rally, starts a new quiz series at 7 on a selected list of MBS stations to include WOR, WGN, WFIL and WEAN. It is called "Name Three". S. K. Radcliffe, in another WEAF-NBC talk at 6:15, is to discuss "Swiftly Changing England. . . The Radio Theater. WABC-CBS at 8, is to have "Lives of a Bengal Lancer with Errol Flynn, Brian Aherne, C. Aubrey Smith and Jackie Cooper.

In the music list at 2 there is the Curtis concert on WABC-CBS as well as the Rochester Civic orchestra on WJZ-NBC.

Al Pearce gets back to Hollywood with his WEAF-NBC program at 7, while at 7:30 on the same network Richard Crooks will sing tenor from there.

TOM BOLGER
MANAGER

GLADSTONE

PHONE 32
RIALTO BLDG.

Gladstone High School Senior Band



Members of the senior band of Gladstone high school are shown above. They are (left to right) first row, Bob Schram, Paul Cowan, Doris Schram, Kathryn Nebel, Nancy Algurle, Gay Hoffman, Jack LaPine and Junior LaPramboise; second row, Eillean Strand, Betty LaBumbard, Jack Hogan, Arlene McCormick, Vera LaLonde, Marjorie Ward, Jane Hup, Willean Louis, Glay Holm and Stella D'Amour; third row, Marie Rose, Jack LaFave, Floyd Cassidy, George Young, Kenneth McNair, Arthur Lied and Paul Cargo; fourth row, Eillean Peterson, Sam Cassidy, Lois Peterson, Mr. Christian, Loren Holm, Pat LaPine, Frederick Johnson, Rodger MacDonald and Harold Sjoquist.

Briefly Told

Boy Scouts—A regular meeting of the Boy Scout troop of the Methodist Episcopal church is scheduled for Monday night at 7 o'clock.

Rebecca Meeting—A regular meeting of the Rebecca lodge will be held at 8 o'clock Monday evening at the W. J. Moore home on Minnesota avenue.

B of LE Meeting—Division 266 of the B of LE will meet at 10 o'clock this morning at the Eagles hall.

Buckeye Local—The Buckeye Local No. 9 will hold a regular meeting Monday evening at 7 o'clock at the Legion hall. Officers are to be nominated at this time, it was stated.

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BRADLEY WILL MEET WORKERS

Meeting Friday to Talk Over Problems of WPA

Congressman Fred Bradley of Rogers City will meet Friday with United Workers in regard to discharge of persons from Works Progress administration projects. It was announced yesterday by Jack Noble, vice president of the United Workers local.

On the committee named to meet with Bradley are Nobie, Clarence McKinnon, George Odette, Ernest Deno, Mrs. Minnie Cratin and Mrs. Brooks.

A telegram over the signatures of Noble and City Manager A. F. Raddant requesting an audience was sent to Bradley and he immediately responded saying he would glad to meet with the group at 3 o'clock Friday afternoon at the city hall.

A number of the persons discharged are unable to get direct relief and are reported to be in straitened circumstances. The U. W. grievance committee is scheduled to meet with the city commission and A. M. Gilbert, Escanaba, county welfare relief commission administrator, Monday night to discuss the situation.

City Briefs

Mr. and Mrs. Gust Franklin left last night on a two weeks vacation trip to Milwaukee.

Robert Olson, student of North Park college, Chicago, has arrived for a spring vacation visit at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Olson, Michigan avenue.

Mrs. St. Thomas returned yesterday to her home at Rapid River after spending the past week visiting as guest of Mrs. Gust Franklin, North 11th street.

Raymond Weingartner, Mattoon, Wis., and guest Miss Alice Sorenson of Stevens Point are spending the week-end at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Weingartner, Michigan avenue.

Charles Cottle returned Friday night to Sault Ste. Marie following a visit at the W. J. Moore home, Minnesota avenue.

Mrs. John Bishop and children and Miss Marjorie Micheau of Ladysmith are visiting at the home of Mrs. Bishop's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Carlson.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Winkelman and sons of Detroit have arrived for a week's visit at the home of Mrs. Winkelman's mother, Mrs. Rose Rosenblum, Michigan avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. John Schmitt and son Kenneth visited Wednesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Trepanier, South 13th street, Escanaba.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Murray and daughter of Weyauwega, Wis., and Miss Ruth Holman of Stevens Point are spending the Easter vacation at the home of Mr. Murray's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Murray, Wisconsin avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hart and family are spending the day visiting with relatives at Iron Mountain.

Mrs. Walter Johnson and son Philip are leaving Monday morning for their home at Centralia, Ill., following a three weeks visit at the M. J. Magoon home, Dakota avenue. Mrs. Magoon will accompany them as far as Jamesville where Mr. Johnson and son will join Mr. Johnson.

Miss Helen LaFaver arrived Friday evening from Saginaw where she teaches to spend the Easter vacation at her parental home.

Honor Rolls
ROCK SCHOOL
Kindergarten—Jean Hansen, Shirley Johnson, Allen Jokela, Rudy Kaminen, Leo Verbriggie.
1st grade—Lorraine Gerou, Lella Birch, Andrew Halonen, Evelyn Hill, Leolla Harju, Jane LaCasse, Darlene Hill, Ellen Leppanen, Bernard Martella, Marie Ramseth, Delores Rinard, Joyce Posanke, Mildred Vadeau.
2nd grade—Elsie Bjorn, Lucille Hansen, Virginia Hill, Miriam Helenius, Beverly LaFave, Ruth Salminen, Eino Tapola, Melvin Nynas, Ruth Posanki.
3rd grade—Alvin Bailey, Eillean Bailey, Mary Ann Chroge, Aileen Helno, Ruth Hallenen, Marie Theresa Jodocy, Gloria Kirby, Shirley Lusardie.
4th & 5th grades—Ruth Bjorn, Harvey Beach, Laverne Dyberg, Shirley Franklin, Shirley Roine, Raymond Lampinen, Richard Moen, Harold Jokela, Mary Larson, Eino Maki, Kenneth Maki, Frank Helno, Richard Lampinen.
5th grade—Theresa Chenail, Harold Heikkila, Keith Kjelber.
6th grade—James Bailey, Viola Eilo, Lillian Kangas, Lillian Kulju, Irene Sello, Madeline Cefmeyer.

Kronans Observe 46th Anniversary Wednesday Night

The 46th anniversary of the founding of Kronan Lodge, No. 25 S. F. of A. will be observed at the annual festival of the lodge Wednesday evening.

A varied program is being arranged following which refreshments will be served and dancing enjoyed. All members and their friends are invited to attend.

A business session beginning at 7 o'clock will precede the festival.

Lost Ads will find for you.

Elda LaBelle, Clement LaChapelle, Robert MacNamee, Shirley Mae Roine, Paul Aho, John Eilman, Raymond Lampinen, Richard Moen, Oliver Lund.
5th grade—Violet Aho, Theresa Chenail, Ella Halme, Harold Keikkila, Florida Hill, Adolore LaCasse, Marlan Linjala, Edward Linstrom, Ernest Nelson.
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DANCE EASTER SUNDAY
April 9th
DUTCH MILL
Featuring IVAN KOBASIC
10 STARS 10

Simon Pures Beat Mongrels In Shoot

By a margin of only four points, the Simon Pures defeated the Mongrels, in a pistol shoot here Friday night. The score was 1103 to 1099 and it was the second straight week that the Simon Pures won.

Earl Louis was in nice form and found the black for a 98, 99 and 97 for a 294 out of a possible 300.

It looked like the Mongrels would have their night for they were in a comfortable lead but Les Johnson arrived on the scene late and proceeded to knock out a 271 and victory for his team.

Scores:

Simon Pures	SF	TF	RF	Tot.	
H. Holmberg	---	94	90	98	282
A. Swenson	---	96	91	93	280
L. Johnson	---	96	89	86	271
Hermanson	---	95	85	90	270
Total	---	---	---	---	1103

Mongrels

SF	TF	RF	Tot.		
E. Louis	---	98	99	97	294
R. Louis	---	93	89	94	276
A. May	---	96	89	86	271
W. LaFond	---	96	80	82	258
Totals	---	---	---	---	1099

Obituary

MRS. AXEL NORLANDER
The body of Mrs. Axel Norlander, 50, who died Friday night, will be removed this morning from Swenson Brothers funeral parlors to the John Lundberg home at Ensign to repose until the hour of the funeral.

Last rites are to be conducted at the Lundberg home at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon, E. N. Hawkins of Calvary Lutheran church, Rapid River, officiating. Burial will be made in Fernwood cemetery.

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NOTE, MONDAY—"Honolulu" Shown at 6:45 & 10:30 p. m.; "Spawn of the North" Shown at 8:24 p. m. ONLY

Briefly Told

Boy Scouts—A regular meeting of the Boy Scout troop of the Methodist Episcopal church is scheduled for Monday night at 7 o'clock.

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PERMITS FOR BURNING NEEDED

County Agent Suggests Farmers Take All Precautions

Farmers and other rural residents are urged by E. A. Wenner, Agricultural Agent, to obtain burning permits before burning brush, stumps, trash or other material. Many people believe burning permits are not necessary until townsmen are placed on the job. Others still have in mind the date of May 1 as the deadline. The actual time when burning permits are necessary, according to Mr. Wenner, is when there is no snow on the ground. That time will vary with the location and season. The object of issuing permits is to save the starting of fires in times of extreme hazard; also to save the sending of men and equipment to harmless fires unnecessarily. Heavy fines can be assessed against persons starting fires without permits. Those living within the boundaries of a national forest may obtain burning permits from a forest ranger or CC Camp. Those living outside but near a national forest can obtain permits from a forest ranger, conservation officer, fire warden or tower man. Representatives of the department of conservation—tower men, district supervisors, fire wardens, or conservation officers—are the only ones who can issue permits in areas where there is no activity by the Forest Service. In communities where there is no representative of the conservation department, a local man is designated as eligible to issue permits. Where available, a phone can be used to obtain authorization.

In Delta county, burning permits may be obtained from the following: Conservation department: Wm. Brown, Forest Ranger, Rapid River; Peter Thoren, Tower man, Stonington; Milton Strong, Camp Superintendent, Mormon Creek, CCC camp.

WOMAN IN PUBLIC OFFICE WILL BE 'MR. CHAIRMAN'

London (AP)—Elected first woman chairman of the London County Council, Mrs. Evelyn Lowe said she wished to be called "sir."

It made her feel, she said, that she had been elected to her office because she is suitable for the job. Mrs. Lowe will also be addressed as "Mister chairman."

Interesting news! See Classified Page.

Hold Everything!



"If the doctor has to deliver any more baby elephants this month, he'll be a nervous wreck!"

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Sore Arms In American May Help Tiger Chances

ROWE MAY PUT JINX ON YANKS

Grove, Ferrell and Allen Are Question Marks This Season

BY DALE STAFFORD
Detroit, April 8 (AP)—It may not be exactly cricket to wish the other guy misfortune but if three American league pitchers who wound up the 1938 season in baseball's sore arm society should not recover, the cause of the Detroit Tigers in this year's pennant race would probably be aided and abetted.

The hurriers in question are Robert Moses (Lefty) Grove of the Boston Red Sox, Wesley Chuck Ferrell of the New York Yankees, and Johnny Allen of the Cleveland Indians. Together they won 11 games and lost but one against Detroit last season.

Allen, who suffered his only loss of 1937 at the hands of Detroit, got revenge all last year, beating Detroit four straight. Ferrell won three straight from Detroit while Grove won four and lost one before his arm went "dead."

Charley Ruffing of the champion New York Yankees was the only other pitcher to tame Detroit four straight times. Young Spurgeon Chandler, also of the Yanks, won three straight against Detroit while Vernon (Lefty) Gomez, another Yankee, beat the Tigers three times in four starts.

Chicago Sleazest
Grove, Ferrell and Allen are question marks this season and how they pitch may have considerable bearing on the final standing of the Detroit club.

All three have always been tough customers for the Detroit batsmen.

The Tigers put on a driving finale last season to take fourth place with a percentage of .545 and oddly enough the Bengals had a good margin over every club in the league except New York and Cleveland.

New York won 14 and lost but eight to Detroit while Cleveland got away to a fast start and beat the Tigers 12 times in 22 contests.

The easiest club for Detroit was Chicago, the Bengals winnings 15 and losing but seven against the injury-harrassed team of Jimmy Dykes.

Obviously if the Tigers are to end the reign of the Yankees, they must do better against the New Yorkers. George (Slick) Coffman was the only Tiger pitcher to gain a winning percentage against the Yankees last season, beating them on both of the occasions he met them. Coffman was used almost entirely as a relief flinger last season but it would not be surprising if he got the call against the New York club frequently this season.

In Detroit's pennant winning days of 1934 and 1935, the club was able to down the Yankees consistently and Lynwood Rowe was the principal contributor. Rowe is back this season possibly as good as ever and he may help again to keep the Yanks in check.

MUNGO TOO GOOD
Augusta, Ga., April 8 (AP)—Van Lingle Mungo, the big right hander who is always supposed to win 20 games but never does, came up with his best pitching performance of the spring training season today, enabling the Brooklyn Dodgers to beat the Detroit Tigers, 5 to 2, in an exhibition contest here. The teams entrained after the game for Macon, Ga., where they will conclude their exhibition series tomorrow.

Mungo and his successor, Hugh Casey, also a right hander, restricted the Tiges to six hits in avenging the pasting Detroit handed the Flatbushers Friday at Sumter, S. C.

Alton Benton, best looking pitcher of the Tiger squad in training, and Jimmy Lynn worked for

SPILLING the DOPE



FOOTBALL METHODS have changed at Princeton since Fritz Crisler's resignation to come to Michigan. . . . Tad Wieman conducts a morning school for his quarterbacks. . . . Crisler frowned on "hothouse quarterbacking" . . . He preferred (and still prefers) to develop his quarterbacks in the competition of actual practice. . . . Ralph Guldahl was not surprised when he won the Masters' Tournament. . . . Before it started, he said: "My wife says I'm due this

BASEBALL

EXHIBITION GAMES
Brooklyn (N) 5; Detroit (A) 2.
Memphis (SA) 8; New York (N) 7.
St. Louis (N) 29; Catawba College 0.
Pittsburgh (N) 1; New York (N) 0.
Little Rock (SA) 5; New York (A) 4.
Chicago (A) 6; Cleveland (A) 2.
St. Louis (A) 11; Chicago (N) 10.
Philadelphia (A) "B" 15; Birmingham (SA) 1.
Philadelphia (N) 10; Chattanooga (SA) 8.
Philadelphia (A) 5; Atlanta (SA) 4.
Cincinnati (N) 13; Boston (A) 5.

Detroit, the former giving up all of the seven Brooklyn hits. Unfortunately only two of the Brooklyn hits were singles. Goody Rosen and Dolph Camilli leading the parade with homers.

Camilli Homers
Rosen, up in the first inning, connected for a driver over the right field wall. Camilli's homer in the fourth was to the same spot. The sacks were empty on both occasions.

Brooklyn won the game in the fourth inning by scoring two runs to go with the one Rosen drove out. After Camilli homered, singles by Ernie Koy and Cookie Lavagetto and a sacrifice fly by Ray Hayworth produced another run.

In the seventh Joe Coscarart walked, stole second and came home on Gene Moore's double. Lynn's wildness was responsible for the final run in the eighth, the younger walking Lavagetto and Hayworth and filling the sacks by making a delayed throw to third on Leo Durocher's bunt. George Casey then rolled out. Lavagetto scored.

Fred (Dixie) Walker scored Detroit's first run in the opening inning after getting on by forcing Barney McCoskey, who had singled. He went to second on Charley Gehring's single and counted on a double by Hank Greenberg. In the fourth Frank Croucher walked, got to second on an infield out and counted on Walker's single.

The Tiger battering order underwent a shakeup today with Manager Del Baker dropping Croucher to eighth behind Billy Rogell.

KENNEDY GETS CHANCE
Augusta, Ga., April 8 (AP)—Vernon Kennedy and Bob Harris are scheduled to pitch for the Detroit Tigers against the Brooklyn Dodgers in an exhibition game at Macon, Ga., tomorrow. John Whitlow Wyatt, the former Tiger, is due to pitch for Brooklyn.

In batting practice today preceding Brooklyn's 5 to 2 defeat of Detroit, Tommy Bridges was struck on the left knee by a line drive from the bat of Mark Christman. Trainer Denny Carroll of the Tigers said Bridges' injury was slight and that he would be able to pitch in his regular turn.

BRADLEY LACKS DERBY ENTRANT

Benefactor, Only Nominee, Has Swelling In His Left Foreleg

Lexington, Ky., April 8 (AP)—There was sadness in the bluegrass tonight over prospects of another Kentucky derby without a horse carrying the colors of Colonel E. R. Bradley.

Benefactor, the cologne's only nominee for the nation's three-year-old thoroughbred classic, has a swelling in the left foreleg. It was not believed serious by those close to the Idle Hour farm but enough probably to prohibit the heavy training needed to prepare the Blue Larkspur colt for the derby, May 6.

The sadness chiefly is among the boys who bravely wager \$2 at the pari-mutuels. These boys supply the heavy betting on a Bradley derby horse. They have confidence that when the cologne sends a colt to the post he has "got something."

The cologne has kept faith with this great throng of wagers four times. His Behave Yourself came through to win in 1921, then Bubbling Over in 1926, Burgoo King in 1932 and Broker's Tip in 1933.

Since the 1933 race things haven't been so happy with the Bradley fans, as his colors have not been on a serious contender since. Last year he didn't have an entry.

Among the winter bookies Benefactor was well thought of in the betting, mainly because the boys have come to believe that when the cologne had something that might reach the post they could well afford to ride with him.

The Blue Larkspur colt started five races in 1938 as a two-year-old, winning three and finishing second in another. He was out of the money in the Belmont futurity but finished ahead of Technician, now rated in the books as one of the stronger contenders.

Lewis Will Defend Crown In London
Pittsburgh, April 8 (AP)—John Henry Lewis, world light-heavyweight boxing champion, will defend his title in London late next month against Len Harvey, the British champion.

Gust Greenlee, Lewis' manager, and a representative of Brig-Gen. A. C. Critchley, the promoter, completed negotiations for the bout today.

The bout, over the 15-round route on a date yet to be set, will be held at Harringay stadium, Greenlee said. It will be the second meeting between Lewis and Harvey. Lewis defeated the Englishman in a 15-round bout in London on November 9, 1936.

Terms for the match were not disclosed, but it was reported they call for a guarantee with a percentage privilege.

Lewis recently was suspended in Michigan for refusing to submit to an eye test before a scheduled title match against Dave Clark in Detroit.

SIGNS WITH DODGERS
Ponca City, Okla., April 8 (AP)—Roland (Waddy) Young, all-American end of the University of Oklahoma football team, last fall, said today he would sign a contract with the Brooklyn Dodgers, professional football team.

When Poffenberger was sent from Lakeland, Fla., general manager Jack Zeller of the Tigers said any major league club could have him for the waiver price of \$7,500.

In Big Show Again
WHITLOW WYATT
THE 29-YEAR-OLD GEORGIAN GETS ANOTHER CHANCE IN THE BIG-TIME AFTER BURNING UP THE AMERICAN ASSOCIATION LAST YEAR.

White Sox Defeat Indians, 6 and 2
New Orleans, April 8 (AP)—The Chicago White Sox jumped on Johnny Humphries for four runs in the last two innings today to defeat the Cleveland Indians, 6 to 2.

Bob Feller hooked up in a pitching duel with Johnny Rigney, the Chicago starting pitcher, for the first six innings and limited the Sox to five hits and two runs. The Tribe got two runs and four hits off Rigney in seven innings.

Hal Trosky, Indian first sacker, led both teams in hitting with two doubles and a triple. Marvin Owen, third baseman; Joe Kuhel, first baseman, and Gerry Walker, outfielder, each collected two singles for the Sox.

Bark River Cagers Attend Banquet As Guests Of Mothers
Members of the 1938-39 Bark River basketball team and all members of former first strings now residing near Bark River, were guests of their mothers at a banquet held last Tuesday night. There were 23 present, including Coach Morris Goodreau, Ray Raymond, timekeeper, and Douglas Nelson, referee.

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Cleveland Barons Take Hockey Title
Cleveland, April 8 (AP)—The Cleveland Barons won the International-American Hockey league championship by defeating the Philadelphia Ramblers tonight in the last game of the league's playoff series, 1 to 0.

The victory was the third for Cleveland in a three-of-five final series. The Barons won the first game at Philadelphia and the Ramblers won the second there. Then the Baron scored shut-outs here Thursday night and tonight.

The only goal tonight was netted by Big George "Poppey" Patterson, Cleveland center, in the second period. He took the puck at mid-ice and worked his way through the Philadelphia defense a one.

He zig-zagged ten feet in front of Goalie Bert Gardiner and whizzed in a backhand shot for an unassisted score.

A crowd of 11,421 saw the game.

Dodgers Angling For Poffenberger
Detroit, April 8 (AP)—Reports here said tonight the Brooklyn Dodgers of the National league were negotiating with the Detroit Tigers for the purchase of Cletus Poffenberger, young right hander who was sent to Toledo of the American Association recently.

The Dodgers have offered cash for the youth who was in hot water with the Bengal management for two seasons because of alleged training rule violations.

When Poffenberger was sent from Lakeland, Fla., general manager Jack Zeller of the Tigers said any major league club could have him for the waiver price of \$7,500.

Boston Bruins Sure Of Stanley Cup Tilt

Boston, April 8 (AP)—Boston's Bruins, accepted leaders in hockey's fashion parade, hope to tuck another large Maple Leaf in their Easter bonnet tomorrow when they resume their Stanley Cup final round series with Toronto at the Boston Garden.

One up as the result of their lackadaisical 2 to 1 victory Thursday night, the Boston "bully boys" promised a far more stylish performance in the second clash tomorrow.

"Why, we were in second gear all of Thursday night and still we came out on top," pointed out Jack Portland today when the club got together to listen to final instructions from Manager Art Ross.

"Second gear, nuts," interrupted Bill Cowly. "Say, we never got out of first. If that's the best the Leafs do against us, what chance have they got when we roll back in high?"

The Leafs, also confident Sunday's clash would be more exciting, got in a skating drill at the Garden, the players flitting about on the ice for nearly an hour to loosen up muscles.

After the game, both teams will board special trains for Toronto, where the third and fourth games will be played next Tuesday and Thursday.

The Leafs were so confident the series would not end in four straight games that several players made reservations for tickets for the Boston Red Sox - Bees, baseball series in the hub next week-end.

Marcum Hit Hard, But Browns Trim Cubs Crew In 10
San Antonio, Tex., April 8 (AP)—The Chicago Cubs blasted Johnny Marcum out of the box with eight runs in the fifth inning, but the St. Louis Browns fought back today to win their exhibition game in the tenth inning, 11 to 10.

Harland Clift and Johnny Berardino each hit a home run with a man on base off Clay Bryant in the second, and Clift homered again in the fifth, when the Browns tagged Bryant for four more runs.

The Chicago pitcher hit a triple and a home run in two times at bat in the Cubs' big fifth inning. Newel Kimball was on the mound for the Cubs in the ninth when George McQuinn got his second triple and his fourth hit of the game to drive in two tying runs for the Browns. Myril Hoag singled off Kerby Hight to score the winning run in the tenth.

Quarterback Will Carry Play Card
Murray, Ky., April 8 (AP)—Murray State Teachers' college's quarterback next fall is going to have to be a good "dealer" as well as a signal-caller.

Coach Roy Stewart revealed today he would equip his field generals with 2x4 inch waterproof cards containing diagrams of intricate plays and defense formations.

The quarterbacks are to carry the cards in zipper pockets. As Stewart plans it, should the team become confused as to what to do on a certain play, the quarterback is to pass a card diagram of the play around to each member of the team in a huddle.

Anti-Gambling Law Illegal In Kansas
Wichita, Kas., April 8 (AP)—The 45-year-old Kansas law outlawing horse race bookies was held unconstitutional today by District Judge I. N. Williams.

Dismissing state gambling charges against four men, Judge Williams ruled the law attempts to differentiate between race book makers inside and outside enclosed race tracks, banning the latter, and therefore is "class legislation."

Court officers pointed out anti-gambling laws of the state still permit prosecution of persons betting on horse races.

Norway Pin Star Hits Perfect 300
Norway, Mich., April 8 (AP)—August Gyselinck, Norway bowler, rolled the third perfect game of his career last night in a practice match. He totalled 749 for the match on games of 300, 241 and 208.

Gyselinck rolled his first 300 game in inter-city classic league competition and his second in practice. He holds the all-events championship of the upper peninsula with a 1,956 total, rolled in 1932.

COLLEGE BASEBALL
Purdue 6; Alabama 3.
Chicago 15; Wheaton College 2.
Navy 9; Harvard 5.
Notre Dame 4; Illinois 2.
Clemson 12; Ohio U. 7.

A shadow on water is visible only when there are enough suspended particles in the water to scatter the light before it has penetrated the surface very far. If the water is not too muddy, it may show some reflections as well as the surface below.

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PUBLIC LINKS TROUBLE USGA

Tremendous Growth Felt In Municipal Golf Followers

New York, April 8 (AP)—The biggest problem child of the United States Golf Association today is its public links section. Like so many problem children, it is a lusty infant.

Sixteen years ago the U. S. G. A.'s first public links committee, headed by John F. Standish, Jr., Detroit, warned that "the time is not far off when golf will become our national game and the number of players using public and municipal courses will far outnumber those playing on private links."

To all intents and purposes, that time has arrived. In a breakdown of the nation's golfers for 1937, statistician Herb Graffis figured that roughly 35,000,000 rounds were played at private clubs, roughly 31,000,000 on public and municipal courses. Of the 1,376,000 golfers who played at least 10 rounds a year, 463,000 used public and municipal courses.

Of the 500,000 others who played less frequently, the majority came under the public links heading.

The first U. S. G. A. public links championship was played in 1922. "With the co-operation of the Toledo District Golf Association and several Toledo city officials," to quote the committee report, it was a comparatively simple tournament; to operate, for there were only 140 entries.

By 1938, the public links had become the largest bona fide golf championship in the world. It's true that only 248 players took off at Cleveland. But the U. S. G. A., which has no way of computing the actual number of entries, estimates that those 248 were the survivors of an original starting field of between 3,500 and 6,000 who played in district eliminations.

It's that group of 248 who represent a problem to the U. S. G. A. They figure that 300 is the load limit for the championship proper, and they realize they're approaching that limit very rapidly. Already the fields are so large that, this summer at Baltimore as in two of the three preceding years, two courses will be required to get all of the starters through the 36-hole qualifying round in two days.

Yet to date there is no point at which the U. S. G. A. can draw a line and say "stop, that's enough."

Skating Association Meets At Detroit
Detroit, April 8 (AP)—A general membership meeting of the Michigan Skating association will be held here Friday night at which a proposal to change the setup of the body will be voted on. If the new plan is adopted, voting power will be vested in separate city associations rather than in individual members.

SINGING ACTRESS

HORIZONTAL Answer to Previous Puzzle
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16 Measures of cloth.
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18 Earth.
20 Part of a school year.
21 Wild duck.
23 Tube cover.
27 Mohammedan countries.
30 Self.
31 She is still a school — brown.
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35 Fortified wall.
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38 Building site.
39 To devour.
40 Person opposed.

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25 Pillar.
26 S molding.
28 Act of lending.
29 To end at.
32 Bugle plant.
33 Plexus.
37 Card game.
42 Last word of a prayer.
44 Orient.
45 Species of pier.
46 Perched.
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52 Biscuit.
55 The tip.
56 Small child.
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NEW YORK STOCKS (Last Sales)

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CHICAGO PRICES

Table listing prices for commodities like wheat, corn, and soybeans in Chicago.

CHICAGO LARD

Table listing prices for lard and other fats in Chicago.

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CHICAGO GRAIN

Table listing prices for various grains in Chicago.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

Table listing prices for livestock such as hogs and cattle in Chicago.

NEW YORK CURB (Closing Quotations)

Table listing prices for various commodities like sugar, coffee, and cotton in New York.

CANADA MIGHT SEVER BONDS

May Quit Submission to Rule As King Gets Ready for Trip

BY JOHN LEAR Ottawa, Canada, April 8 (AP)—King George VI is preparing to make his first visit to his Dominion of Canada just as the dominion is debating whether to sever the last real bond of submission to his rule.

That bond is an imperial subject's right to appeal to the crown for redress from a court of law.

It is the one point in which Canada is not free to govern itself. As far as solidarity of the British empire is concerned, the point is not important.

President Roosevelt sought a change in the United States high court to give the federal government greater power to deal with national social and economic problems.

The one big difference between the two cases is that President Roosevelt (so supporters of his plan contended) wanted to mould the supreme court closer to what he believed was the will of the people.

There are approximately 1,250,000 automobiles, trucks and buses in New York City.

LEADERS FALL TO NEW LOWS

BY FREDERICK GARDNER New York, April 8 (AP)—The stock market topped again today in the fastest Saturday selling session for more than 2 years as new European war dangers combined with less optimistic views of domestic business prospects to touch off liquidation in all departments.

Leaders fell 1 to more than 5 points, many to new lows since last June. Recoveries were scarce at the close.

Traders came back from their Good Friday recess generally enveloped in gloom inspired mainly by fears that the Italian invasion of Albania would further complicate the dangerous foreign snarl.

The turnover of 1,640,570 shares was the largest for the week-end since March 6, 1937. The total compared with 1,558,430 last Saturday when a mild rally was under way.

Among outstanding losers were U. S. Steel, Bethlehem, General Motors, Chrysler, Westinghouse, Johns-Manville, U. S. Gypsum, General Electric, U. S. Rubber, Sears Roebuck, International Harvester, Douglas Aircraft, American Telephone, Anacosta, Santa Fe, Great Northern, Du Pont, Allied Chemical and Eastman Kodak.

Marked down fractions to more than 2 points in the curb were Electric Bond & Share, Lockheed, Gulf Oil, American Gas & Electric and Miles-Bromberg-Pond. Turnover of 2,650,000 shares was the fastest for any Saturday since October 15 last year and compared with 243,000 a week ago.

500 Greeks To See New York's Fair Athens, Greece (AP)—The Metaxas government has relaxed its ban on Greeks traveling abroad to permit 500 natives to visit the New York World's Fair.

It was announced that each would be allowed to take \$500 in foreign currency and that the list would be closed after the first 500 applications. All were taken up within a day.

BONDS TOPPLE 1 TO 5 POINTS

New York, April 8 (AP)—The bond market sank to the lowest average levels in months today in active trading which brought declines of 1 to 5 points for the more volatile issues.

Even the low-yield group, including obligations of the United States government, became involved in the downward spiral. Declines in the federal list ranged from 6-32 to 10-32 of a point.

Indicative of the sweeping decline of the entire market was the action of the Associated Press averages in establishing new 1939 lows in every group, with today's closing figures the lowest since last September in the rails and since December for the other domestic divisions.

Losing 1 to 5 points were a large group of domestic and foreign loans, including International Telephone 5s at 57; Erie 5s at 7 5-8; Delaware & Hudson refunding 4s at 53 1/2; American & Foreign Power 5s at 53; New York Central 5s at 52; Nickel Plate 4 1/2s at 39 1/2; Northern Pacific 4 1/2s at 39 1/2; Youngstown Sheet & Tube 4s at 100; Belgium 6 1/2s at 100 5-8; Rome 6 1/2s at 46 1/2; and German 5 1/2s at 45-8.

Total volume of \$6,832,500, par value, was the largest since last October 23 and compared with \$5,557,000 last Saturday.

Chinese List Books As Great War Loss Chungking (AP)—In the areas now under Japanese occupation China has lost 2,118 libraries and 825 reading centers, according to a report issued here.

Assuming, declares this report, that the average number of books in each library to be 5,000 volumes, the damage to Chinese culture in books would amount to more than a million volumes, not including rare books in the Peking National Library and libraries in Nanking, Tientsin and other cities.

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GOVERNMENT BONDS

Table listing government bond prices for various maturities.

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of Escanaba, in the State of Michigan, at the close of business on March 20, 1939, published in response to a call made by Comptroller of the currency, under Section 5211, U. S. revised statutes.

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE STATE SAVINGS BANK

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Table showing assets and liabilities for The State Savings Bank.

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Card of Thanks We sincerely wish to express our gratitude toward all who were so kind and helped us in our late bereavement of the loss of our beloved husband and father, George Graves. We wish to thank those who donated flowers, cards, and those who drove cars, also the pallbearers and friends who helped us lessen our burden, also Rev. B. L. Penrod for his words of consolation, also the consideration we received from the undertakers of the Alle Funeral Home.

BAY DE NOC ICE IS STILL SOLID

Harbor Remains Blocked As Anniversary of Opening Passes

Ice covering Little Bay de Noc off Escanaba remained solid yesterday as the anniversary of last year's harbor opening passed. In the spring of 1938 the break-up occurred on April 3. Measurements made yesterday by the Escanaba office of the United States weather bureau showed that the ice is still 17 inches thick.

No honeycombing or pocketing was discovered in the test borings made by the weather bureau, and the ice was found to be quite solid.

The earliest date of the opening of navigation at the local port was in 1878, when vessels reached the ore docks on March 5. That was a record winter throughout the country, and mild weather was experienced everywhere. There have been five March openings of navigation in the history of the Escanaba harbor since 1871.

The latest opening on record is May 5, 1885, when the coldest March on record was experienced here. Average temperature for the month that year was 14 degrees, only slightly above the average for February of this year.

PORTS ACTIVE

Chicago, April 8 (AP)—Great lakes ports bustled with activity today as shipping agencies prepared for the opening of the 1939 navigation season.

Although ice was reported still choking northern reaches of the lakes and the important connecting links between Michigan, Superior and Huron, shippers expressed belief navigation may be opened possibly by the middle of the month.

The outlook for grain shipments from Chicago was not as bright as a year ago, vessel men said.

Much of the lake business in grain during 1938, which was the best lake shipping season the grain industry has had since 1921, consisted of movement of corn destined for export. Prospects are exports of this commodity will not be as large this year.

Duluth was reported selling corn for shipment east and some oats were booked here for shipments to Buffalo. Approximately 20 loads of Canadian wheat have been booked at Georgian bay for export.

The bulk of shipping on the lakes, vessels agents said, consists of hauling coal, ore, limestone and grain. The season's first lake traffic was started last week when one of the Inland Steel company ore freighters left Manistowic, Wis., for Port Inland, Mich., for a cargo of limestone destined for Indiana Harbor, Ind.

Ice conditions throughout the northern Great lakes area have shown little improvement the past week and government weather observers forecast navigation through the Straits of Mackinac would not be possible before April 15 and through the St. Mary's river before April 20.

Railroads are considering steps to compete more aggressively for grain business. Eastern trunk lines are considering a four cents per hundredweight cut in rates on grain for export out of Chicago and other midwest terminals. Rail rates east from Buffalo will decline five cents on April 17.

Hooped Gowns Reflect Sentimental Era

New hooped evening gowns reflect the modes of a sentimental era—fashions from great-grandmother's album—just as appealing, just as coquettish. One gown of lustrous copperleaf velvet has a slim molded bodice held with slender shoulder straps, its voluminous skirt shirred up here and there about the bottom to show a flirtatious taffeta flounced petticoat. Another fetching gown of royal and fuchsia moire taffeta has a heart-shaped strapless bodice caught with a fuchsia bow, matching the coquettish bows that clip together at intervals the deep folds of the wide-gored skirt.

Cast In Scene From "Holiday"



Among members of the cast of "Holiday," Escanaba Civic Theatre production which will be presented at William W. Oliver Memorial auditorium of the junior high school next Wednesday evening, are the group above shown in rehearsal. They are (left to right) Ray Hurley, James DeCock, Margaret Wade and Mercedes LeDuc. —Daily Press Photo

Munising News

Alger Supervisors Will Study Ruling On Highway Board

Munising, April 8—The Alger county board of supervisors' appointment of two members of the Alger county road commission will be one of the subjects of importance discussed when the supervisors meet here on Tuesday. R. E. O'Brien, Alger county prosecuting attorney, said here today that he would have a signed opinion from the state auditor general's department that the appointment of the additional members was illegal and would present the opinion to the board. Attorney O'Brien stated that the question of the election of the other members of the board may also come up for discussion.

Milton Touzel of Grand Marais and Edward Bartels of Munising were named to the road commission, increasing the commission's membership to five, at the supervisors' last meeting. According to the opinion received by O'Brien, however, the selection was illegal and the board did not have any authority to increase the number of members on the county road commission. John H. Gattis, chairman of the board; Harry W. Burrows, Munising, and Carl Wittler, Au Train, are the other three members of the board.

Nine of the members of last year's board of supervisors were returned to the group in the April 3 election and three of the group will be new. Leslie Kellan of Au Train township, James Thompson of Burt, John Lesotte of Grand Island, Frank Coaster of Limestone, Rupert Nelson of Munising, Ben L. Gregg of Mathias, Evered Lesotte, Walfrid B. Johnson and John W. Hannah were the members returned to the board. New members are Arthur McAllister, city; Abel Maki, Rock River township, and Urho Pihlainen of Onota township.

The supervisors will also select a chairman for the board at Tuesday's meeting. Evered Lesotte, Munising city supervisor, is present chairman of the board.

BALL AT LEGION CLUB

Munising, April 8—The annual Easter Monday ball will be held in the Legion County club on Monday evening under the auspices of the American Legion Auxiliary. Dancing will start at 9:30 o'clock.

to the music of the Top-Hatters, local dance band.

Licenses Approved For Liquor Vendors

Munising, April 8—The city commission on Friday evening approved the applications for contract of license of Burtis Foubert, seeking a Class C contract, and Octave Paris, asking a Class A hotel contract of license, at a special session held in the city hall. City Clerk William L. Dora was ordered to certify the approval of the commission to the Michigan liquor control commission.

Bids for the sale and razing of the old firehall building will be advertised, the commission decided, and authorized the city clerk to advertise the sale and razing. The specifications are on file in the city hall and will be a part of the advertisement for bids. Bids will be opened on April 17, 1939, at 4 p. m.

EASTERN STAR PROGRAM

Munising, April 8—Past Matrons and Past Patrons of the Munising chapter of the Order of Eastern Star were honored at the meeting of the local group held here on Thursday night in the Masonic hall. The business meeting of the group was followed by an addenda, "Penced In By Love." Lunch was served at the close of the meeting and a social time was enjoyed. Past Matrons and Past Patrons who were present at the meeting were: Gertrude C. Leiphart, Oscar E. Ole, Ada Baldwin, Nina Doty, Sattie Ole, Minnie Brown, Vera Peterson, James Hosking, Viola Zastrow, J. N. Wallace, Edith Holter and B. J. Zastrow. Mrs. L. H. Finkbeiner, now of Negaunee, is the only living

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Garner Is Pushed Into Presidential Gossip Columns

BY W. B. RAGSDALE

Washington, April 8 (AP)—Notwithstanding almost a century of precedent, John Nance Garner has been pushed high into the presidential gossip columns.

Not since Andrew Johnson, who became president through an assassin's bullet has the United States had a president who came from south of the Mason and Dixon line. Johnson, a Tennessee Democrat, went into the White House after Abraham Lincoln was shot. His administration was doomed to controversy with the Republicans which led to a one vote failure to convict him on impeachment charges.

Prior to Johnson, who got the place through the death of Lincoln, the last southerner had been Zachary Taylor, of Louisiana, in 1848, and before him James K. Polk of Tennessee in 1844.

All of these were before the Civil war had twisted the nation apart, drained it of thousands of lives, then let it go ahead as a living organism. The south had put up candidates in 1860 during the feverish controversy that had split the Democratic party and let Lincoln, the Republican, into the White House.

But since 1860, the south had not had a presidential candidate at the head of either major party. The nearest it has come to that has been the advancement of favorite son candidates in conventions and the retention of a veto power through the two-thirds rule.

Target for Attack

Quite a few of the Garner supporters are thinking along that line in the present boom that they have set going. Obviously, however, there must be more than meets the eye in the Garner drive. The cagy Texan and his supporters have been too long in politics to allow themselves to be pushed so far out in front without being conscious of the danger of that position.

An old political axiom warns against that. It says that if a candidate gets too far out in front in advance of the convention, he is likely to find himself the target

of all of the other candidates. Time after time, candidates who have gone into convention with strong support have encountered concentrated "stop him" competition.

Thus, it might easily develop that the vice president would wind up by throwing his support to another candidate in the convention. Nevertheless, the men who are supporting him and working for him are working for the vice president and for no one else. They say that in the end, President Roosevelt would support the Texan.

Rule Junked

Voting as a unit, solidly Democratic, the southern states were able to enforce their wishes upon

Past Matron who was not present at the meeting.

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Democratic conventions by sticking together and retaining that historic rule. Now and then, as in the case of Champ Clark of Missouri, a candidate came along who had a clear majority of the convention but could not obtain the vote of two thirds of the delegates. In such cases, another candidate got the nomination.

But the convention at Philadelphia in 1936 decided that the two-thirds rule should be thrown into the waste basket, that it should not apply to future conventions. Necessarily, however, conventions are like congress in the respect that one convention cannot bind the action of a future meeting. If the next convention should come along and decide that it wants to operate under the two-thirds rule, it will do so.

Each convention makes its own rules. But rules are adopted by a majority vote. If the Garner, or any other group of delegates to the next Democratic convention, should have enough strength to re-enact the two-thirds rule, it would be strong enough to name its candidate.

By the same token, although it might be able to get a majority vote for its candidate—just as it could get a majority vote for the two-thirds rule—it still might not be able to muster a two-thirds majority of the delegates. In that way, the two-thirds rule might be a great handicap to the south or to a southern candidate.

On the other side of the political picture, however, is the argument advanced by new dealers that Mr. Roosevelt would not back his vice president for the top position in government. Not only these, but a wide group of other Democrats say that the dominant party is not likely to win the next election unless Mr. Roosevelt goes on the stump for the candidate and gives his active support. They do not think they can win if the president takes a negative attitude, neither advocating nor opposing the party candidate. That is not a unanimous opinion, however.

Speculation on the Garner candidacy runs on and on. Yet, it is generally agreed that no man can hope to dominate any convention through promises that may be made a year in advance of the convention. And in this case there are too many possible candidates to choose from for any of the guessers to point to one man and say "this is the man."

Farley Still Factor
Postmaster General Farley, with his widespread political connections, is not to be overlooked. He is a highly potent factor. And there are several possible candidates upon whom Mr. Roosevelt might lay his hand and push forward. For that matter, the president has not yet said whether he, himself, would run for a third term.

Thus, so far as both the Democrats and the Republicans are

concerned, the 1940 field is still wide open. Any man—or almost any man—can be said to have a good chance of winning. But both Garner and Farley will be powerful influences in the Democratic convention. And right now, both of them are leaning toward the cautious, low spending side of the government picture.

Few in Washington, for instance, felt that the decision of senate committees to uphold the \$100,000,000 relief vote by the house deviated in any respect from the views of Garner. More than once, he has shown a disposition in recent months to favor a low spending program.

In general, however, the week in Washington was one of discussion and maneuvering and watching, of keeping an eye on the happenings abroad and building up defenses at home. Steps toward raising defensive barriers were carried forward. Congress then began to think about the need for revising the neutrality laws. No decision may be expected on this soon, however.

For the present, congress is likely to go ahead thinking about politics, passing some laws and talking about others. Most of the things that are being written now have a 1940 watermark on the paper that they are inscribed upon.

DON'T SAY: "I WISH I HAD A WESTINGHOUSE"

Photography, ping pong, arts and crafts, and smelt net making are among the activities engaging the attention of the Wells Boys club, sponsored by the WPA recreation department, with Maurie Pilot as supervisor. The club has about 30 members.

Sometime in May the club plans to put on a play, "Recreation," written by Ed Liberty, in which all members will take part, and the club will sponsor a corn game April 11 at the Wells community hall.

Members of the club are volunteering for guide duty during the smelt jamboree, and will help dipper find the right spots on the Escanaba river.

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