

FINNS STOP DRIVE OF 200,000 REDS

LEAGUE TAKES MOSCOW CASE UP FOR TRIAL

DIPLOMATS READY FOR BIG SHOW AT GENEVA

BY CHARLES S. FOLTZ, JR. Geneva, Dec. 8 (AP)—League of Nations diplomats tomorrow open the first act of the trial of Soviet Russia, charged with aggression against Finland.

It promises to be Geneva's greatest show since sanctions were voted against Italy for invading Ethiopia four years ago.

Finland and the South American states are cast in the roles of prosecutors. Finland demands conviction of Russia, and the South Americans ask her expulsion from the league as punishment.

The latter threaten to quit the league if their wishes are not met.

Hibernation Ended Their position put on the spot Great Britain and France, who long have been the leaders of the league. The odds, however, were that they would press the ouster of Russia unless the Russians resign first.

Russia's present delegate, Ambassador to Paris Jakob Surita, sat in the league budget committee room tonight with the Finns, the Latin Americans and the Poles all present.

He apparently has orders to remain as long as the budget committee meets, but he will not be present at the trial before the council, opening tomorrow, and the assembly, opening Monday.

The league has shifted within a week from a self-imposed hibernation to feverish activity. Faces absent from league lobbies for years have reappeared. Eight German news correspondents are registered at the league press club, up from only one in recent years.

Slight Differences Reported The old council meets tomorrow without its Soviet Russian president, Ivan Maisky, ambassador to London. The league secretary-general, Joseph A. C. Avenol, will present the Finns' appeal, and the latter are expected to declare that they seek the moral condemnation of the Russians as aggressors.

The council then passes judicial powers to Monday's assembly meeting. Assemblymen, representing all league members, will elect a new council, probably excluding the Baltic states and China as possible friends of Russia. Then they are expected to appoint a small committee to decide whether the Russians are aggressors.

League circles today reported "slight differences" between France and Britain over procedure. France was said to be supporting the Latin American move to expel Russia, while Britain was said to be apprehensive lest the meetings develop into a red-baiting session which would divert attention from Germany as the allies' number one enemy.

Station C-O-P



New York detective shows microphone of new miniature radio transmitter with which department is experimenting. Worn under coat, it has about 200-foot broadcast range. With it, cop can eavesdrop and broadcast suspect's conversation without his knowledge.

MAN IS KILLED AT STEPHENSON

Light Truck Is Driven In Front of C&NW Train No. 187

One Menominee county resident was killed and another seriously injured in a railroad crossing accident in the village of Stephenson late Friday afternoon.

Edward Bayce of Stephenson was badly injured when the light truck in which they were riding was struck by Chicago & North Western train No. 187 at a grade crossing.

According to information gathered by Deputy John Reindl of the Menominee county sheriff's department, the truck, driven by Bayce, was enroute to a potato warehouse in Stephenson, and was going along the street which is parallel to the tracks, swinging suddenly onto the crossing in the path of the oncoming train.

Engineer Earl Taylor of Escanaba told officers that he saw the truck on the street. He estimated that the train was traveling about 35 miles and hour at the time. The truck was thrown 45 paces from the point of impact, and both men were thrown out of the seat. W. O. LaFond of Escanaba was the conductor.

San Antonio Mayor Acquitted Of Felony

San Antonio, Tex., Dec. 8 (AP)—Mayor Maury Maverick, who blamed "bolshies" for criminal poll tax proceedings against him, won acquittal today from a jury which deliberated less than twelve hours.

Thus was removed a major obstacle in the political comeback trail of the plain-spoken former congressman.

Washington Names New Fleet Chief

Washington, Dec. 8 (AP)—The selection of Admiral James O. Richardson to be the next commander-in-chief of the United fleet was announced today by the navy department.

NOTHING FROM LITHUANIA

Washington, Dec. 8 (AP)—Lithuania became today the first of the Baltic states to send word to the United States.

Moscow Gets Into Complications With Neutral Countries

BY WITT HANCOCK Moscow, Dec. 9 (Saturday) (AP)—Complications with neutrals and the further spread of the European conflict were believed possible today by many foreign observers in the event Soviet Russia enforces her newly-proclaimed blockade against Finland.

Since Moscow takes the view that she is not at war with Finland, these observers said, she has no right to seize neutral ships. It was held possible, therefore, that Russia would argue the blockade was being effected by the new Soviet-sponsored Finnish "people's" government and that Russian ships would be "loaned" for the purpose of enforcing it.

Weather Unfavorable A Red army communique reported meanwhile that Russian troops in the Leningrad military area "continued advancing in all directions."

"In the eastern section of the Karelian Isthmus Soviet troops, which on Dec. 7 broke through the main Finnish defenses along the Taipaleenoki (Taipale) river and the Vuoksi water system developed success in a northern direction and on the flanks," it asserted.

(Finnish commanders on the Karelian front said the Russians had been halted and denied that their main defenses had been broken.)

The army reported that unfavorable weather cancelled aviation activity except for reconnaissance flights.

Tass, Soviet official news agency, distributed a statement describing as "false and sheer fabrication" Finnish reports that maps and documents found on captured Red army prisoners indicated Russia had bombing targets on the eastern coast of Sweden and the Aaland islands.

Poison Gas Use Denied The official radio announced late tonight that a joint Japanese-Soviet commission had begun the work of fixing a frontier between the Japanese Outer Mongolia and Japanese-dominated Manchukuo.

A truce Sept. 18 ended sporadic warfare on the disputed border.

Tass, Soviet official news agency, distributed a statement from the headquarters of the Leningrad military area which declared that Russia "neither used nor intended to use poison gas."

(A Finnish government spokesman in Helsinki yesterday said army physicians were treating 11 cases of gas poisoning at Salmi, on the northern shore of Lake Ladoga, where heavy fighting has been reported. He made no mention, however, of the source of the gas.)

HUNGARY BUILDS FRONTIER FORTS

Southeastern Countries Fearful of Fate At Hands of Russia

BY EDWARD KENNEDY Budapest, Dec. 8 (AP)—Fortifications are being constructed at top speed in the Carpathian mountains by Hungary as the countries of southeastern Europe watch Soviet Russia's campaign in Finland for an indication of what their own fate may be.

The mountains form the new frontier between Hungarian Rutenia—the easternmost province of Czechoslovakia before that republic's dismemberment—and the Russian-occupied part of Poland.

SEA WAR HAS SPURT-2 NAZI U-BOATS SUNK

U. S. DISPUTES SHIP EXPORT SEIZURES BY BRITAIN

London, Dec. 8 (AP)—Britain reported the sinking of two German submarines and an apparently successful attack on a third today during a spurt in sea warfare.

The sinking of five British merchantmen and the crippling of a British destroyer were also announced.

The air ministry reported a Royal Air Force plane sank one Nazi U-boat and went on to attack another after which "patches of oil appeared."

Subsequently the authoritative press association announced that the submarine which yesterday torpedoed the destroyer—the 1,690-ton Jersey—had been sunk.

Eighty-four lives were lost in the intensified sea warfare.

An apparent attempt to damage the Firth of Forth bridge at Edinburgh, near the big Royal naval base, was disclosed by Scottish police and military authorities.

They said an object, thrown from a train crossing the bridge, caught fire. Its remains were examined to see whether it was an incendiary bomb.

Minecrows Chased The cars of the train were searched but no arrests were made. Reports circulated that the outlawed Irish republican army might have been involved.

The sinking of the German submarine, it was announced, was accomplished by two direct hits from a Royal Air Force bomber.

British fliers and gunners also demonstrated their defensive ability by driving off German warplanes, believed to have been minecrows, from the east coast and the Thames estuary, broad water road to London.

British determination to prosecute a blockade of German exports even when they are carried under neutral flags was underlined by authoritative sources, meanwhile, despite the United States note questioning the legality of such action.

These sources said the Washington note would be examined carefully, but contended the blockade had a sound basis in international law as a reprisal for "illegal German warfare most recently evidenced in the use of magnetic mines which, by disregard of the rights of neutrals, gave the Germans an unfair advantage."

Other Protests Received Nevertheless, it was indicated "special cases" involving neutrals would receive consideration. Half a dozen other neutrals have protested the blockade.

The admiralcy announcement of the torpedoing of the destroyer Jersey, at an unlisted place yesterday, said 10 men probably were lost and 12 wounded on the 1,690-ton vessel. The Jersey was commissioned only last April and had a speed of 36 knots. Despite her damage, she managed to reach harbor.

Double Exposure In B.E.F.



The Western front again is as muddy as the A. E. F. remembers it. Above, a working party of killed Scots—"Ladies from Hell"—is mirrored in a water-hole created by recent rains.

'Draft Roosevelt' Move Stimulated By Kennedy

BY RICHARD L. TURNER Washington, Dec. 8 (AP)—The "draft Roosevelt" movement proposed a powerful stimulant today from Ambassador Joseph P. Kennedy, one that obviously bolstered the hopes and expectations of the New Dealers who have been urging a third term.

Standing in the spotlight that pours upon a newly returned ambassador to a great nation at war, Kennedy openly called for Mr. Roosevelt's re-election by asserting that he and he only was capable of conducting the nation's affairs in the present troubled foreign and domestic situation.

Not that his arrival and statement of today were regarded as corroboration of those reports. The "proper time" has obviously not yet arrived. He must go back to London soon, but he could return to America in the tense days preceding the Democratic convention and more effectively take over the "draft Roosevelt" movement.

The movement, itself, has been receiving stimuli all week long. First there was Senator Norris' appeal to Mr. Roosevelt to continue his silence on whatever his 1940 plans may be, coupled with a statement that the president was the only man capable of attracting the solid support of the nation's liberal or progressive elements.

Then, yesterday, Secretary Ickes renewed his advocacy of a third term by throwing cold water upon the candidacy of Paul V. McNutt, with a statement that Mr. Roosevelt would endorse McNutt's presidential aspirations. Then came Kennedy's assertions of today.

The commission, itself, is in financial straits and has declared it can grant no more than \$1,000,000 a month this winter to all of the 23 counties. Detroit estimated its December welfare expenditures, both state and local, would total \$1,242,000 this month, and expected the January needs would be about as great.

Dickinson said he would "talk it over" with the commission and Budget Director Gus T. Hartman. "I don't think there is any one in the state of Michigan who has been studying these things as Gus Hartman is," he declared.

Million Allotted To County Welfare

Lansing, Dec. 8 (AP)—County welfare boards were asked by the state social welfare commission today to make their requests for January allotments "as reasonable and true" as possible.

The counties were instructed to submit evidence of increased need to justify any demand for extra allotments from the state.

New Deal Quarrels With Ohio Governor Over Relief Policy

Washington, Dec. 8 (AP)—New Deal officialdom and a Republican governor felt to quarreling at long distance today over President Roosevelt's declaration that Ohio had shirked its obligations to the needy unemployed.

Gov. John B. Bricker's tart report—that "they seem more interested in the politics of the affair than in helping the needy"—aroused Secretary of the Interior Ickes, who cracked back with this:

"Why shouldn't there be a political attack on a Republican administration if it's as heartless as his is?"

As for Bricker's political future, Ickes said he believed that "the American people are a humane and just people, and that any one who refrains from doing anything he can to keep people from starving isn't going to advance his political fortunes."

For six or seven years, the president told his press conference this morning, it has been a policy for the federal government to care for the needy who can work, and for the states to support those who can't.

Quoting a memorandum from WPA Administrator F. C. Harrington, the resident asserted that Ohio had not provided nearly as well for its needy as Pennsylvania. Average general benefits in October, Harrington said, were \$16 in Ohio and \$27 in Pennsylvania.

Declaring that "the relief situation in Ohio already has been solved," Governor Bricker replied:

"If the president and his volatile secretary were as interested in human welfare as they are in trying to discredit Republicans and getting votes they would pay to the aged of Ohio the \$1,300,000 which is owed them and which was withheld after a most disgraceful quarrel with my predecessor (Martin L. Davey)."

DICKINSON GETS WISCONSIN MILK

Lansing, Dec. 8 (AP)—Governor Dickinson received a bottle of milk from Wisconsin's governor Julius P. Heft today, plus assurances that the Wisconsin executive had no intention to engage in a feud with Dickinson.

The milk and peace pledge were brought by Miss Eleanor Pogwist, a Hollywood nurse who calls herself an "aerial hitch-hiker" in her tour of the United States bearing gifts and messages from one governor to another.

Dickinson, 80-year-old "dry" crusader and foe of "high life customs," declined to accept a bottle of wine some Wisconsin college boys had sent along with the milk, but asked Miss Pogwist to "take it to Governor Horner of Illinois with a jug of "my own maple syrup."

He recently criticized Dickinson's policy of handling labor disputes and said things would be different if he were Michigan's governor. More recently Michigan and Wisconsin have engaged in a dispute over truck licenses.

"In sending you this token of goodwill," Heft said in a message accompanying an ice-packed bottle of grade A Wisconsin milk, "the opportunity is provided to clarify matters that have appeared in public print within the past few days. Obviously, an effort is being made to depict the existence of a feud between us. This would be a deplorable situation between two neighboring states. x x x

"You, as a Christian gentleman and governor of Michigan, and I, also, a Christian and governor of Wisconsin, will endeavor to maintain these friendly relations as long as there is a heartbeat within us."

GUNS DISABLE 100 TANKS OF RUSSIAN ARMY

NEUTRALS RETREAT FROM SOVIET BLOCKADE

BY LYNN HEINZERLING With the Finnish army on the Karelian Front, Dec. 8 (AP)—Stubbornly resisting Finns have halted 200,000 Russians and disabled 100 Red tanks hurled at their Karelian Isthmus defenses but gave ground on two other fronts during the day, Finnish commanders reported tonight.

Red army troops trying to reach the Mannerheim line, a water defense system across the Karelian Isthmus, were turned back with especially heavy fighting on the eastern sector along the Tapale river, an army communique said.

Villages Wrecked In the Gulf of Finland the Finns said the Russians occupied Suursaari (Hogland) island after seven days of shelling and bombing. (A Moscow communique said the Russians occupied the island four days ago.)

Villages on the island were said to have been leveled by the Soviet big guns and air bombs. The island's defenders, however, made their escape, the communique said.

On the central front, the Finns announced that Finnish forces were forced to withdraw from Suomussalmi, village about 15 miles from the frontier.

Swedish Weapon Effective Elsewhere, the communique said there was no activity "worth mentioning."

Heavy artillery thundered today on both sides of the front at Summa, a village only 20 miles from the ancient Finnish city of Viipuri and 40 miles within Finland.

Colonel Alexander Mellblom, commandant of the Viipuri sector, said the Russian advance had been halted momentarily, but expressed belief Russia was bringing up fresh troops for a new assault.

Unusual Finnish success against the Russian tanks, Mellblom said was due to Soviet use of old-fashioned models with thin armor plate, poor handling and a powerful new Swedish anti-tank gun.

Although the Russians near Summa had advanced as far as 35 miles into Finland along some places on the Isthmus front, the commandant said, they had not yet reached the Mannerheim line, main Finnish defense system.

Lakes Not Frozen Russia's mechanized army is still being held up by the weather. It is bitterly cold along the front but not cold enough to freeze the lakes for use by foot soldiers let alone tanks and trucks. A big freeze was expected soon, however.

Despite the experience of a week ago when squadron after

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War Proves Costly For Japan; Budget Calls For New Tax

Tokyo, Dec. 8 (AP)—The cabinet council today approved the largest budget in Japan's history in preparation for the fourth year of the undeclared war in China, a war which many Japanese had expected to win in six months.

The council approved a 1940-41 general budget of 10,360,000,000 yen (approximately \$2,427,657,500), of which 6,767,000,000 yen (\$1,583,475,000, or approximately 65 per cent, is for Japan's army and navy.

The new budget, the fifth successive record budget for Japan, is approximately 1,100,000,000 yen (about \$257,000,000) over that of last year and calls for new taxation.

CATHEDRAL DEAN QUILTS

Lansing, Dec. 8 (AP)—The Very Rev. John O'Rearty, dean of St. Mary's cathedral, resigned today. He has been in ill health. A native of Detroit, he held pastorates in Durand and South Haven before becoming one of Lansing's prominent clergymen 24 years ago.

Mother Unconscious For 24 Hours While Daughter Is Gassed

Lansing, Dec. 8 (AP)—Two days late, Mrs. Gertrude Covell learned today that she had been unconscious for 24 hours during the time her five-year-old daughter, Iva Lee, died.

Mrs. Covell reported to police that she fell asleep Tuesday night and awoke a few hours later to find her child dead in bed beside her.

Coroner Ray Gorsline established today that the mother actually had been overcome by coal gas fumes and had been unconscious for 24 hours. It was Wednesday night when she awoke. The child died of gas fumes, Gorsline said.

SHEPHERDS, SHAKE OFF YOUR DROWSY SLEEP

"Shepherds, shake off your drowsy sleep. Rise and leave your silly sheep; Angels from heaven around loud singing. Tidings of great joy are bringing..."

This lively French carol emerged several centuries ago from the Besancon district of France, a hill country near the Swiss border. Simple, religious sentimentality originated Christmas ballads like this one while working in the vineyards, and often chose the shepherd theme.

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Weather

LOWER LAKES: Increasing south and southwest winds, becoming fresh to moderately strong over Erie by Saturday night; partly overcast Saturday. Small craft warnings indicated daybreak Lake Erie. UPPER LAKES: Increasing south and southwest winds, becoming fresh over southern Michigan and fresh to moderately strong elsewhere; partly overcast Saturday. Small craft warnings indicated daybreak Saturday. LOWER MICHIGAN: Fair and somewhat warmer Saturday; Sunday partly cloudy. UPPER MICHIGAN: Partly cloudy Saturday and Sunday; somewhat warmer Saturday. ESCANABA 87 90

Ski Club Planning New Year's Dance

Plans were made at a meeting of the Escanaba Ski club last night for a New Year's Eve dance to be held at a local hotel, with the public invited and with proceeds to be used for cabin equipment at the winter sports park.

Committee reports were made last night also on plans for a ski and winter sports show next week at the Coliseum and a plea was made for aid. Preparations will require much volunteer work and club officers asked that anyone who can help next week contact either Lorenz Schou, club president, or Art Goulaas.

Obituary

JOHN PAULSON
Funeral services for John Paulson of Gladstone were conducted by Rev. L. R. Lund of the Norwegian Danish Lutheran church at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon, in the chapel of the Anderson Funeral Home. Burial was made in Lakeview cemetery. Pallbearers were Leonard Elquist, Emil Petersen, Ted Johnson, Andrew Olson, Loyal Hansen and Earl Alm, all of Gladstone.

JOHN FREEMAN WOODARD
Final rites for John Freeman Woodard were held at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon in the chapel of the Murphy Funeral Home, Rev. Carl E. Berger of the First Presbyterian church, conducting the service.

Rev. Mr. Berger spoke on the Biblical text, "O satisfy us early with Thy mercy," and included in his sermon, the poem, "Fold Up the Tent," by John Oxenhelm. During the service Mrs. Edward Lucas sang "Old Rugged Cross," and "Beautiful Isle of Somewhere."

Hospital

Stanley Ponegalek, Bark River, submitted to an operation for relief from appendicitis at St. Francis hospital.

John Jaaska, Gladstone, Route One, is a surgical patient.

Hubert Sundberg, Ensign, submitted to an operation for relief from appendicitis.

Mrs. Frank Bink, 308 North 15th street, was admitted.

Mrs. Earl Murray, 307 North 14th street, was admitted.

Patients dismissed are Mrs. Herbert Severinsen and baby, Mrs. Sallina Johnson, Mrs. Joe Ivens, Anton Gereau, Mrs. Einar Sivertsen, Mrs. Lawrence E. Hambeau, Edmond Rober, Verne Mirton, John Sopko, Henry Larochele, David DeLoughary, M. E. Powers.

Bumpy "beats," produced in airplanes with more than one engine when their propellers spin at different speeds, are eliminated by an automatic synchronizer that drives both engines at exactly the same speed, and keeps them more finely adjusted than could the most skillful pilot.

According to a recent survey, 39 per cent of the adult population of the United States wants to fly the Atlantic.

DANCE TO OLLI I SKRATTHULT
And His Scandinavians
SUNDAY Dec. 10
HERB'S PLACE
Trenary, Mich.
Coliseum - Wednesday Spanish War Veterans Dance

NEGLIGENCE IS JURY VERDICT

Recommends Prosecution In Death of Harold Olson

A coroner's jury which yesterday investigated the death of Harold Olson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Olson, 610 Stephenson avenue, Escanaba, returned a verdict of negligence and recommended prosecution. The inquest was held at Gladstone, with Coroner O. S. Hult in charge.

Briefly Told

Kiwanis Meeting—Members of the Kiwanis club will meet at the Swedish Lutheran church in Bark River 7 o'clock Monday evening. Rev. Carl Berger will be the principal speaker.

Norman Hearing Postponed—Hearing in the case of Gunnar Norman on a charge of attack with a dangerous weapon, scheduled for yesterday afternoon, was postponed, with no date set, when it was impossible for attorneys to be present. The hearing probably will be scheduled for next week. Norman was arrested early November 5 following an altercation with John MacGillis near Ludington and Twelfth streets. Norman has filed a cross complaint against MacGillis, which is pending hearing in the Norman charge.

After 65 Years He Holds 1,000 Aces

When one gets 1,000 aces in a game of Pinochle, one throws down the hand and sits back with a broad smile of satisfaction, while one's adversaries stare unbelievably, then shout congratulations.

It's one of life's rarer moments so rare in fact that Otto Loeffler at the age of 75 and after 65 years of play, more or less, got his first 1,000 hand last night.

Otto was playing with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Loeffler at the Ed Loeffler home, 815 Third avenue south, when the phenomenon took place. He is an uncle of the Loefflers.

It was the first 1,000 hand any of them had ever witnessed.

Hitler, who does not smoke, drink or exercise, and eats only vegetables, has 6,000 books in his library, but seldom if ever reads one.

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43 of her crew missing and 44 rescued. She sank within eight minutes.

The British freighter Merel, 1,088 tons, which sank with the loss of about 15 men after striking a mine in the English channel. Only three men were picked up after the Merel's bows were blown away. One of them died in a lifeboat.

The Whintown, 734-ton British boat, sunk yesterday in a collision with the trawler Leo. Arrival of survivors disclosed the accident only today.

Survivors On Raft
The British steamer Thomas Walton, 4,460 tons, which sank in Vestfjord, on the north Norwegian coast, after a mysterious explosion last night. Sixteen of her crew were killed. A German crew rescued some survivors. One report quoted the master as saying he was certain his ship was torpedoed.

The fifth ship was not identified in the announcement telling of her loss.
In addition, a 1,194-ton French cruiser, the Oued Tifed, arrived at Cartagena, Spain, badly damaged by either a mine or torpedo.

Planes of the Royal Air Force directed a rescue ship to seven survivors from an unidentified ship found on a raft in the North Sea. Lloyd's shipping gazette for the first time listed the 1,478-ton British merchant vessel Orsa, as having sunk October 23. The admiralty identified an earlier loss by name, disclosing the destroyer sunk by a mine on Nov. 13 was the Blanche.

Lloyd's, listing allied merchant shipping losses to yesterday, debited Britain with 88 vessels totalling 330,758 tons and France with ten totalling 55,285 tons.

REDS HELD LIABLE

Washington, Dec. 8. (AP)—The United States disputed today Great Britain's right to seize German exports indiscriminately and also served notice that Russia would be held liable for any losses suffered by Americans as a result of a blockade of Finland.

The reservation of American rights under Britain's expanded blockade of Germany was lodged when the American embassy delivered to the British foreign office a note contending that it was a violation of international law for Britain to stop German exports to the United States through neutral ports.

The note told Britain that the

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2—"Is otherwise engaged in some form of unneutral service; or

3—"Has broken or is attempting to break an effective blockade of an enemy port."

Rapid River

Birthday Party
Rapid River, Mich.—Mrs. John Minor of Rapid River entertained a group at a 4 o'clock dinner on the occasion of the first birthday anniversary of her son, Harold Duane.

Guests were Mrs. Ed. Savage, Mrs. Andrew Burnett and daughter, Virginia Lee, Rapid River; Mrs. Violet LaLonde, Gladstone; Mrs. Jack Burnett, Trenary; Mrs. Garland Taft, and daughter, Betty Lou; Mrs. Lawrence LaLande, Rapid River. Cards were played. Harold received many useful presents.

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DRAKE PICKS DATES FOR ANNUAL RELAYS

Des Moines, Ia., Dec. 8. (AP)—Drake university today selected Friday and Saturday, April 26 and 27, for the thirty-first annual relays.

Officials of the track and field event had considered a change in dates to avoid conflict with the annual Penn relays but decided against it.

During August, 1939, \$14,893, 279 worth of automobiles, parts and accessories were exported from the United States to foreign countries, as compared to \$12,299,236 in August, 1938.

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K. C. MEMORIAL RITES SUNDAY

Four Late Members To Be Honored; Rev. Fr. Guertin Speaker

Memorial services for four members who have died in the last year will be conducted by Escanaba Council No. 540, Knights of Columbus, Sunday morning in the Knights' clubhouse here. The service will begin at 10 o'clock following a communion breakfast to be served at the clubhouse at 9 o'clock.

Those to be honored are the late Francis McCauley, John A. Fisher, Sr., Felix J. Byrne and Marcus McKay.

The memorial address will be given by the Rev. Fr. Joseph E. Guertin, chaplain, and the eulogy will be delivered by J. J. Bartella, past grand knight. The program will open with a selection by the K. of C. choir, "Nearer My God to Thee," after which the conducting officers will have charge of a memorial service. The choir will render "Stabat Mater" and, following Rev. Fr. Guertin's address, will sing "Abide With Me."

Following the eulogy, Frank Hirn will sing a solo, "One More Day," and closing memorial services will be held with the conducting officers in charge.

Officers to conduct the services are: Rev. Father Guertin, chaplain; J. Clyde McGonagle, grand knight; Joseph L. Clement, deputy grand knight; Thomas J. Beaton, chancellor; Gene Raymond, recorder; Robert Finley, warden; and John Manning, lecturer. Willard Clark is director of the choir.

Grand Marais

Cook Book In Demand

Grand Marais, Mich.—The Cook Book "The Cooking Pots of Grand Marais" put out by the Grand Marais Woman's Club less than four months ago, has been greatly in demand not only by local people and nearby towns, but also orders and inquiries continue to pour in from points all over Michigan and many from various States such as Washington, Indiana, Ohio, Illinois, and Wisconsin.

To date over 250 books have been sold, with orders to be filled every day. Articles about the book have appeared in more than a dozen newspapers with very fine comments on its worth. Some of the papers include Salt Spring News, Escanaba Daily Press, Marquette Mining Journal, Munising and News, Grand Rapids Press, and the Milwaukee Sentinel.

Orders for books should be sent to: Mrs. Genevieve Cheney, Cook Book Sec'y., Grand Marais, Mich. Electric Motor Installed

At the regular meeting of the Board of Education in November, the installation of an electric motor which will improve the efficiency of the heating and ventilating system in the school building was authorized.

The work is being directed by Elvin Bomaister, Science and Manual Training department head, and will be carried out by the local N. Y. A. employees and students in the Farm Shop Class.

The installation of the motor is made possible through cooperation of the Township board in making a power rate available to the school. This will mean an increase in light revenue to the Light and Water Department of approximately \$350 a year, and at the same time will make economies possible in the operation of the school heating plant.

Gym Night Opens

The first weekly gymnasium night for the ladies of the town was held Tuesday evening. They will meet weekly throughout the winter at 8:00 P. M. on Tuesday. Exercises and games such as basketball and indoor baseball will be enjoyed, directed by the various ladies on the faculty. Those attending Tuesday night included Mrs. Ed. Soldenski, Mrs. Ed. Bennett, Miss Isabelle McCall, Miss Louise Basso, Miss Marie Roberts, Mrs. F. L. Carter, Mrs. George Cayen, Mrs. Rex Block, Mrs. William Thomas, Mrs. C. B. Walsh, Mrs. L. K. Casney, and Miss Delphine Senecal.

Ladies Aid Dinner

The Community Church Ladies Aid met Wednesday afternoon. Lunch was served cooperatively and fancy work was on display to be sold which had been completed by the ladies aid.

Briets

Lieutenant and Mrs. James Quallo spent Tuesday in Sault Ste. Marie. They attended the District Boxing Bouts held Tuesday evening.

Five Boys from CCC Camp Fox

of which Lieutenant Quallo is Commander, entered the matches and three were winners, and will attend the final bouts to be held in Grand Rapids.

Harold Meldrum, local boy who enlisted with The United States Coast Guard in Sault Ste. Marie several months ago, has been transferred to Baltimore, Maryland. He is in the Cutter Service.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Carter and son, Jimmy, spent Wednesday in Newberry.

School News

The biology class dissected a chicken Tuesday as one of their projects in the study of the organs of the digestive system. The meat was donated by Edith Prosser and Wednesday, an informal luncheon was held during the class hour for the students and their instructors, Mr. Dewey.

The Committee in charge included Edith Prosser, Jeanette Stronach, Patricia Lee, Lloyd Marwan, and William Tomlinson.

To Conduct Rites



Rev. Fr. Joseph Guertin, chaplain of Escanaba Council 540, Knights of Columbus, will deliver the chief address at Memorial services Sunday morning at the K. of C. clubhouse, honoring members who have died in the last year.

Hardy Airmen Plan For Winter Program

The coming of winter will not damp the enthusiasm of local airplane enthusiasts much, it seems, for already six students have signed for 180 hours of instruction in the next three months and a schedule of bi-weekly classes in airplane operation has been arranged, as a "ground school" program.

Hardy students who plan to keep to the air through the winter are Harold Gessner, Leonard Ward, Alfred Jolly, Stewart Stoll, Henry Olson and Fred Marengor. On the teaching staff for the air school classes, the first to be held next Friday night at the city hall, are Lee Lathrop, who will instruct in meteorology; Art Jacobson, who will conduct work in design, and Wallie Arntzen, who will instruct in piloting. Harold Gessner, advanced flyer, also will conduct some of the classes.

The winter classes are planned to give a ground work for actual flying which would be valuable to students wishing to do their air work next spring, Mr. Arntzen said.

Basketball Assembly Held At High School

Home room 216 had charge of the first basketball assembly yesterday morning in preparation for the Marquette game. The student body gathered in the gymnasium from Thompson directed the basketball band in several songs.

Merle Pfotenhauer gave a short talk asking students to cooperate with the ushers. The double octette under the direction of Annette Anderson sang "Stardust" and "Scatterbrain."

Bob Beaudoin asked Coach James Rouman questions on various phases of basketball. The cheer leaders gave several cheers and Mr. Bowers brought the assembly to a close directing the students in the "Fight Song."

Committee Discusses Spud Contest Plans

The agricultural committee of the Escanaba Chamber of Commerce discussed various problems in connection with a proposed potato growing contest for Delta county last night in the Chamber's offices, but delayed action until later.

The committee will meet next week, it was reported, to consider plans further.

Articles of food besides the fowl were donated by other members of the class.

Trip Taken

The fourth in a series of "Get Acquainted With the Community" trips was taken by the local faculty group Tuesday after school to the Township Power and Water Plant. Mr. Lee explained the workings of the Light and Water Systems.

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TWO COUNTIES HAVE ZONING

Progress In Michigan Is Reported At Parley In Chicago

Chicago—With the adoption of county zoning ordinances by Marquette and Delta counties, Michigan joins Wisconsin and California in regulating the use of rural land, the American Society of Planning Officials reported Wednesday. The purpose of rural zoning is to provide for the best use of the land.

Marquette county, 1,738 square miles in area, is the largest county in the state. The northern part of it is rocky and hilly, generally unsuited to farming. The central section is a sandy plain of doubtful fertility. In the south-eastern section are approximately 330,000 acres of fertile sandy loam and clay loam which can be farmed profitably.

The new rural zoning ordinance has divided the county for three types of land use: Forestry, recreation and unrestricted (where farming can be done). People now on the land may continue whatever use they are making of it, but no new use contrary to the ordinance will be permitted. The ordinance is administered jointly by the state and county planning commissions.

County zoning, of which rural zoning is a part, is approximately 15 years old, according to the society. The first state to adopt an enabling act to permit regulation of land use in rural areas was Wisconsin, where Oneda county first passed a county zoning law in 1933.

Youth Is Grieved Over Dog's Death

The following communication from a broken-hearted little boy, who has lost his best chum, his dog, because of the activities of one of the most cowardly types of humans, the dog-poisoner, who caused the death of four pets in the one neighborhood, needs no comment:

Dec. 8, 1939
To Whom It May Concern:

If you are a person like the one I'm thinking of, listen to this: My dog was in my friend's yard playing with another dog and somebody poisoned him. God don't like people who are so cruel and He will fix people who think they can get away with murder. This is a free-for-all country, where you can have pets without some person interfering.

If you could see how he used to sit up in his little chair in my room and watch us. Nobody could come into the house unless Mother of Dad was here. Probably sometime something will happen in your life that will make you feel as badly as I do about my dog. He was a Boston bulldog and we had him three years. He was very gentle, a real pal and his name was Poug.

By JACKIE COYNE

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Jacobson Airplane Ski Gets Federal Approval

Art Jacobson of the staff of the municipal airport, yesterday obtained an official approval of a new type of airplane ski which he has designed himself in spare moments during the last three months. The device is lighter and stronger than other types, the designer said.

Burleigh Putnam, Milwaukee, inspector for the civil aeronautics authority under the United States department of commerce, stood by yesterday morning as various loads were placed at several points along the ski and when the device stood every test he gave his official O. K.

Schaffer News

Final Health Lecture

Schaffer, Mich.—The closing lecture of a series of six was given at the Schaffer School, Monday evening by Dr. Marie Hagele. The subject of the lecture, at which over fifty women attended, was "Cancer and Menopause" Lantern slides were shown to illustrate the different subjects of her talk.

These classes which attracted many interested women proved to be very educational and of particular importance to all mothers. Good information was had on the care of children, on contagious diseases, prenatal care and on cancers. Each woman received an outline at each meeting and covers at the last meeting to form a book to be used as a reference when needed.

Personals

Mrs. John Leuson of Racine, Wis., and Mrs. Anna Rousseau and son Arthur of Detroit, visited with Mrs. A. Taylor and at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Taylor, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Auger visited with relatives at Iron Mountain, Wednesday evening. The Clyde Viau family have moved into the house formerly occupied by the Thomas Morin family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Viau are visiting in Detroit with relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Edward Olson of Escanaba, visited Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. A. Leclair, Sr.

Stress analysis drawings already had been sent to Washington for approval of air engineers there.

One chief difference between the Jacobson airplane ski and conventional models is that it is of laminated or plywood construction, with alternate layers of ash and maple, rather than of solid wood. Also the bend at the toe of the ski is made without the usual steaming process, but by simply placing the piece in a press, which makes for greater permanency in maintaining of the bend.

One other improvement is that the Jacobson ski has a brass, rather than aluminum, sliding surface. Some Canadian skis use the brass surface and it has been found to be one of the slickest of all surfaces on snow, slicker than aluminum, although heavier, the inventor said.

The heavier brass surface is compensated for in the Jacobson model by a lightening of the rest of the apparatus. The inspector's approval yesterday was the final step toward permitting the skis to be made and used on planes, since all such equipment must pass government tests.

Planes at the airport here will be equipped with the new type skis and Mr. Jacobson has already arranged to make them for others. Three pairs are under construction now and he expects to construct at least a dozen for use this winter.

The ski is designed for use only on lighter planes, such as Taylorcraft, Aroncas, Cubs and others with gross weight of not more than 1,200 pounds. The skis weigh only slightly more than the ordinary airplane wheels.

Cooks News

Cooks, Mich.—The senior class of the Cooks high school is sponsoring a dance to be held at the school Wednesday evening, Dec. 13. Dancing will be from 8 to midnight. A lunch will be served. The public is invited to attend.

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France's Possessions

COMMENTATORS, when referring to England and France, are inclined to speak of the latter country as being a small nation with limited economic resources.

As an individual European state, France is a compact geographic unit organized on the home-town economic model.

Yet this nation of proverbial stay-at-homes, with a reputation for caution, thrift, and domestic skills, is nevertheless the head of a territorial giant whose members make up a foreign domain second only to that of Great Britain.

France itself occupies an area of something more than 200,000 square miles. It is the third largest nation in Europe.

While guarding the homeland, France seeks to tap the resources of her foreign domain. The French Colonial Office is carrying out plans to build up trade, and in general to develop its vast potential wealth in materials and markets.

French North and West Africa, Indo-China, Madagascar and New Caledonia are already buying considerable quantities of the ruling country's manufactured goods.

Indo-China especially, with its teeming population, has rich and varied raw materials, including coal much needed by France.

From nearby Algeria, across the Mediterranean—number one market for French factory goods, as well as chief exporter to the ruling nation—nearly ten times as much wine is imported into France as that country exports to foreign markets.

Indeed France is more than a small dot on the world's map. That the country will long hold the defense line in the present struggle is not doubted.

Lights Appreciated

GOOD news that the new electric lighting on Ludington street is a great improvement over the old is seen in the manner the city council is being besieged with requests for extension of the illumination system to other sections of the business district.

It has been explained that the original plan called for putting better lights on Stephenson avenue. This was at the suggestion of the Escanaba safety commission, which has felt that the occurrence of a disproportionate number of traffic accidents on that street has been due to improper lighting.

Announcement has been made that the city will go ahead with its original plan to install new lights on Stephenson avenue, following which consideration will be given to the few blocks on the upper and lower ends of Ludington street.

This boulevarding project would curb, by enhancing the appearance of Ludington street, and the delay in the installation of new lights in those particular blocks, no doubt, would be amply justified.

Merit System Adopted

WHILE civil service has suffered a setback in our state government, it is encouraging to note that progress is being made in this direction in several municipalities in Michigan, including Escanaba.

management methods embodied in merit systems elsewhere have been followed.

In recent years, college and high school graduates, some of them with special training for public service, have been attracted by the opportunities for life's careers in municipal administration.

Charity Rackets

UPPER PENINSULA communities are being visited at this time by promoters, who inveigle local organizations into sponsoring special events to raise funds for welfare purposes.

The events include suppers, plays and other forms of entertainment, which the local organizations could put on without the help of outsiders.

Officers of these well-meaning local organizations would do well to check up on all money-raising schemes suggested by outside promoters, who are making easy profits on human misery.

Justice Steps Out

THE cause of justice took a firm step forward the other day, but it looks as if it may bog down knee-deep in legalistic mire.

Mr. and Mrs. James C. Lewis complained that city building operations just outside their apartment window were driving them crazy.

Magistrate Curran's decision is practically a brand new twist in judicial logic. If the idea grows, the line of outraged citizens who want redress at law will please form to the right.

Other Editors' Comments

SURVEY FINISHED

The highway commission announces completion of the \$200,000 exploratory survey undertaken to give the engineers data for a report on the question whether it is practicable to bridge the Straits.

There has been considerable criticism of the outlay of the \$200,000 on the ground that it would be time enough, particularly when the state is hard up at all points, to underwrite the expense of the survey when there was some prospect that the building of the bridge could be undertaken.

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STOP THIS 'WAR'

Officials of Michigan and Wisconsin who are responsible for the current motor truck license "war" between the two states are behaving in a manner worthy of European statesmen, but not of American public servants.

Just as in the development of hostilities between European countries, each side in the license "war" is blaming the other—and the public is in the middle and will suffer unless a halt is quickly called to the whole ridiculous proceeding.

Instead of "declaring war" on Michigan trucks, as Wisconsin did yesterday, and instead of harassing Wisconsin truck operators, as Wisconsin authorities claim "over-zealous" Michigan officers have done, the secretaries of state of the two commonwealths should get together and settle in a sensible manner whatever disputes or misunderstandings there may be over the question of truck licensing.

Certainly the people of Wisconsin and Michigan want no "war" over motor vehicle licenses. There has already been too much friction between states of the union

World Affairs Reviewed

The Japanese conquest of Nanning, capital of Kwangsi Province in southern China, extended the Sino-Japanese theater of war into a new and strategic geographic area.

Three great river systems, the Yellow, Yangtze, and Sikiang, or West River, mark roughly the three major divisions of north, central, and south China, says a bulletin from the Washington, D. C., headquarters of the National Geographic Society.

After more than two years of warfare, much of the north and central regions, holding the Yellow and Yangtze Rivers, are in the hands of Japanese forces.

Nanning, 470 miles west of Canton, is a town of some 68,000 inhabitants. It is situated on the River Yu, a tributary of the great Sikiang system which waters five provinces.

In addition it is strategically placed for overland traffic by a network of motor roads leading north to China's provisional capital of Chungking, and southwest into French Indo-China.

Kwangsi Province, once regarded as backward in the field of transport, has now one of China's best highway systems.

Within the last decade hundreds of thousands of farmers, soldiers, and even school children have aided in the construction of the new roads.

Favorable to the Japanese advance at this time of the year is the generally cool and dry winter season.

The economic depression, after the World War, was felt even in remote Kwangsi. As a result, local officials embarked on various projects to stimulate the return of prosperity.

In normal peace-times, Nanning exports considerable amounts of beans, hides, tobacco, rice, and firecrackers; importing kerosene, clothing, cotton piece-goods, and matches.

Frequently bombed by the Japanese before it was taken, Nanning is divided into two parts, the older section being enclosed within an ancient wall surrounded on three sides by a moat.

from taxation of one another's products and commodities. This situation has developed to the point where even European countries, with all their troubles, are talking about the "Balkanization" of the United States.

Police officers of Ironwood and Hurley are taking the sensible attitude toward the question, having decided not to interfere with local truck traffic which crosses the state line.

It may be that, in the end, the supreme court will hold that unions are not subject to the Sherman law. If so, trade unionists can expect restrictive legislation unless they rid themselves of irresponsible leaders.

Q. Who invented the incandescent light? E. A. C. A. Sir Humphry Davy, the physicist, was one of the earliest men to experiment with the production of electric light.

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Postscript to the News From Abroad



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. Where was the first news agency? B. R. C. A. The first news agency was organized by Charles Havas in Paris in 1835.

Q. Who invented Mah Jong? W. P. B. A. According to the generally accepted legend, it was invented about 3000 years ago by a Chinese fisherman named Sze.

Q. What causes honey dew? E. G. Honey dew, the saccharine exudate found on the leaves of many plants in hot weather, is sometimes caused by the punctures of aphids or scale insects and sometimes produced by fungi.

Q. Did Mohammed have a favorite wife? T. S. A. The favorite wife of Mohammed was Ayesha, who married the prophet when she was only nine years old.

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20 Years Ago

The Societe St. Croix of St. Anne's church has elected the following officers for the ensuing year: Chaplain, Rev. R. C. Jacques; President, Mrs. Sarah Gabourie; Vice-president, Mrs. Alphonse Fillion; Recording secretary, Victoria Lalonde; Financial secretary, Mrs. Emma Fillion; Installing officer, Mrs. Josephine Houle; Past president, Mrs. Mary Gagnon; Directors, Miss Mathilda L'Heureux; Miss Della Godin and Mrs. Alexima Maloche; Messenger, Mrs. Marie Dart; Sentinel, Mrs. Mathilda Clothier; Delegate to state convention, Mrs. Sarah Gabourie; Alternate, Mrs. Flora Beauchamp; Melvin Greene of Fayette is spending the week here on business.

Kasimeras Weskanek of Brampton was here yesterday. Roy Olson of Rapid River was here yesterday. Charles Wick of Winde is spending a few days with friends here.

Arthur Messier has returned from Green Bay where he attended the opening of a metropolitan bank.

Frank Kraus has returned from a week-end trip to Marquette. Miss Nora Dautre of Schafer has returned to her home after a visit with friends here.

Ed Vernimen of Norway is visiting friends here and at Gladstone on his return from a trip to Chicago.

Arthur Young has returned from a visit with relatives and friends at Menominee.

A new organization to be known as the Escanaba Teachers Association, was formed at the high school auditorium yesterday afternoon following discussion of such action for several weeks.

Present at the meeting were 73 of the 80 teachers in the public schools. There was a unanimous vote to effect the organization.

000,000 a year. The currency of reduced size was put into circulation on July 10, 1929.

Q. What bird lays the smallest egg? W. J. M. A. The hummingbird lays an egg about the size of a pea.

Q. Who is the patron saint of shoemakers? M. B. A. The patron saints of shoemakers are St. Crispin and his brother, Crispian, who supported themselves by making shoes while they preached to the people of Gaul and Britain.

Q. What is the cost of a torpedo used on American submarines? F. D. A. A single torpedo costs from \$5,000 to \$7,000.

Q. How many taxicabs and drivers are there in Washington, D. C.? C. K. B. A. As of June 30, 1939, there were 4907 taxicabs and 5627 drivers.

Q. How many counties are there in Texas? J. A. B. A. There are 254 counties in that state.

Q. Who were the Bigandians? O. R. S. A. In Swift's "Gulliver's Travels" they were a party in the empire of Lilliput, who made it a matter of conscience to break their eggs at the big end. They were looked on as heretics by the orthodox party, who broke theirs at the little end.

New York Column

BY GEORGE ROSS

New York — Lionel Stander, the cinematic husky, makes no secret of his championing of liberal causes. The other night at a downtown oasis whither Branda Frazier, Burgess Meredith and more frolicsome upstarts had wandered their unwearied way, Stander approached the plump group.

"Listen," he said to the placid Brenda while wagging a menacing finger, "you people up on Park Avenue think we always are demanding things. Well, that's not true." Whereupon he bought the next two magnums of champagne!

ALL QUIET ON YORKVILLE FRONT Several newsmen satiated to Yorkville, the German-American center of New York, to gauge the atmosphere after a jury had found the Bundeswehrer guilty of misusing Bund money. The Bundeswehrer was Fritz Kuhn, of course. To their chagrin, newsmen found little to report. Yorkville was apathetic and disinterested residents shrugged their shoulders when the subject was discussed.

The newstand vendor said the conviction caused no extraordinary rise in sales and the atmosphere, on the whole, was quiet. In fact, those who have compared Yorkville to the Sudentenland would find amazing changes in that sector, since the Nazi-Russian alliance.

Time was when hawkers of the Communist gazette risked life and limb in that neighborhood. It is interesting that those same hawkers are persona grata these days even in the brahoushe. Topsy-turvy? Sure!

STRIKE UP THE BAND Once upon a time, an autobiographical glamor girl could trace her start back to the days when she was a Ziegfeld beauty or a cafe chorine or ambitious show-girl. But the advent of the orchestral craze changed all that.

Nowadays the glamor queen claims her start as the vocal attraction of this band or that. Go down the list to be convinced: Dorothy Lamour went from Herbie Kay's orchestra to cellulosidic fame and a sarong. Martha Raye was the wide-mouthed miss who warbled the words with Paul Ash's musicians. Priscilla and Rosemary Lane were Fred Waring's song-singing girls until Hollywood glamorized them.

Betty Grable was Ted Fio Ritta's vocalist and others who hugged the microphone closely until a cinema scout found them out are Ann Oomph Sheridan, Frances Langford, Mary Healy, Leah Ray and Ruth Terry. Strike up the band and you have a candidate for sex appeal.

Power to impose an embargo against Japan is virtually the equivalent to a declaration of war and deprives the Congress of its constitutional functions. —Representative Hamilton Fish (Rep., N. Y.).

We are the only nation deliberately urging the importation of raw materials of which we already have a surplus. —Senator Edwin Johnson (Dem., Colo.).

No American citizen should be denied the right to advocate changes in the organic or legislative structure of the government. —Representative William B. Bankhead (Dem., Ala.), speaker of the House.

The Washington Merry-Go-Round

BY PEARSON AND ALLEN

Washington—To some 4,000,000 youths in every state in the Union the most important New Dealer in Washington is a tall, lantern-jawed Alabamian whose career has been as varied and romantic as a Horatio Alger hero's.

As head of the National Youth Administration, it is the job of Aubrey Williams to give these unemployed, out-of-school boys and girls a chance to work so they can learn a trade or complete their education. He is a crucial influence on young lives. But also he is no stranger to adults.

As Deputy WPA Administrator under Harry Hopkins, Williams' strongly humanitarian views sometimes made him the butt of bitter political controversy. He has been stung and scorched by many a tirade. Yet, no New Dealer has more and warmer friends in the political arena.

Last summer the National Youth Administration was one of the few agencies to emerge unscathed from the congressional economy ax.

When the House Appropriations Committee slashed the NYA budget to \$81,000,000, members of all factions joined in restoring the figure to \$100,000,000 on the floor of the chamber. The same thing happened in the Senate. Supported by leading educators and newspapers all over the country, the NYA was saved from the chopping-block so that thousands of youths would have a better chance.

But while Aubrey Williams is well known as a name, few know him personally or appreciate his unique and colorful background. For example, the fact that he once was a lay preacher and later a battle-scarred veteran of the famed French Foreign Legion, is something he seldom mentions.

—UP THE HARD WAY—

Williams was born on an Alabama farm in 1890. His family was impoverished by the Civil War, and at the age of 7 he went to work in a laundry for \$1 a week. Up to the age of 20 he had only one year of formal schooling; what education he had was self-taught or from his mother, a deeply religious woman.

While his schooling was skimpy, Williams had a wealth of practical training. He worked as a salesman of all sorts of things—from books to haberdashery. He was a window dresser, a sign-painter, livery stable hand, social worker and director of a Birmingham boys' club which he helped organize.

In 1911, Williams decided to study for the ministry and entered Maryville College, Tenn., paying his way by manual labor. A year later he transferred to the University of Cincinnati, where he was when the World War broke out in Europe. The heroic stand of the "Old Contemptibles," first British expeditionary force that was practically wiped out, stirred him profoundly and he went to France with an ambulance unit.

When the United States entered the conflict in 1917, Williams joined the Foreign Legion and saw fierce shock-troop fighting. In one engagement, his company was cut in half in the first fifteen minutes of attack. When the First Division of the A. E. F. reached France, Williams transferred to it. Enlisting as a buck private, he came out a lieutenant.

—PULPIT TO WPA—

After the Armistice, Williams studied at the University of Bordeaux, then returned to Cincinnati where he became a lay preacher. After several years in the ministry he turned to social work, as secretary of the Wisconsin Conference of Social Work.

In 1932 he became a field director of the American Public Welfare Association, and was engaged in establishing relief organizations in the South when Hopkins commandeered him to help get the first New Deal jobless aid program under way. The following year, when the WPA was set up, Hopkins chose Williams as his second in command.

It was in this post that Williams, with the potent behind-the-scenes backing of Mrs. Roosevelt, conceived the NYA and sold the idea to the President. FDR agreed to establish the youth agency provided Williams ran it.

"It's your baby," Roosevelt said. "It's up to you to show its worth." So Williams handled NYA as well as the bulk of WPA administrative work. In fact, he was WPA's official "no" man to pork-hungry politicians—which may explain some Congressional bitterness toward him. He handled this tremendous load by working fifteen hours a day, including Sundays, and never taking a vacation.

U. S. Ambassador Anthony Biddle said 498 pieces in his 700-piece China collection were damaged before he could leave Warsaw. Someone had better make a note of that to be presented when the inevitable war debt conference gets under way.

Lines for Living

By Barton Ross Fogg

TEMPTATION A dog, and a gun, And the brown old fields Of teal and white-top For pheasant shields

Long, long stretches Of oaks yet in leaf, Brown, and green, And red relief.

Wind-blown milk weed, Vigorous trails, Seated at last On a fence of rails.

Frost in the air, And the sinking sun, A lone quail call When day is done.

Eye full for apples, This fellow yields To the lure of a dog And the brown old fields.

PERSONALS

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SOCIETY

CHURCH SERVICES

ST. JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC
Corner 7th St. and 1st Ave. S.
Rev. Edward Leary, O. F. M., Pastor

ST. PATRICK CATHOLIC
Corner 11th St. and 1st Ave. S.
The Very Rev. Fr. Thomas Kennedy, Pastor

ST. ANNE'S CATHOLIC
Corner 8th St. and 3rd Ave. S.
Rev. Fr. J. F. Gorman, Pastor

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY
125 S. 12th St.
9:30 a. m.—Sunday service. Subject: "God the Preserver of Man."

CENTRAL METHODIST
"The Church of the Open Door"
Corner 11th St. and 1st Ave. S.

CORNELL METHODIST
Corner 11th St. and 1st Ave. S.
Pastor, Rev. J. H. Hammar

METHODIST PARISH
Joseph A. Talbot, Minister
Sunday December 10th Bible Sunday

TRIM FITTING Under Garments Are Important
BY MARIAN MARTIN



PATTERN 9246
The silhouette casts an all-important shadow over the fashion world this year, and your underclothes must be as well-fitting as your frock.

Buyer Says U. S. Best Style Source
Miss Marian Deul, buyer for Bijenkorf's, largest department store in Holland, is shown on her arrival in the United States to buy American-designed and American-made clothes for the women of Holland.

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Am. Cheese Apple Cake... each 20c
Hot Meat Pasties each 15c
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SCOUTERS HOLD MEETING TODAY

Conference Today and Tomorrow At Senior High School

A Scouters' Conference at the Escanaba Senior high school this afternoon and Sunday morning will end one of the most active periods in the local Scout history. During the past week, 915 persons have met in Escanaba, Munising, and Manistique at banquets and dinners honoring Scout and Cub leaders.

Scouters from Gladstone, Bark River, Wells, Rapid River and All men interested in joining the Scout Program are invited to attend this training conference. It is open to the general public.

Escanaba will take part in the conference. Arrangements have been made for religious observance Sunday morning. Each sponsoring institution has been asked to have representatives at the conference. The program has been planned so that each one hour session is complete in itself.

Charles Folio, O. V. Thatcher, B. W. Phillips, Donald McKie, Clarence Zerbel, John Norton and Ted Baldwin will make presentations. The program and time of topics follow:
Saturday, 2:00 p. m.—Character Values of Scouting and How Attained.
3:00 p. m.—Relation of Troop to the Parent Institution and Troop Committee.
4:00 p. m.—Scout Advancement and Merit Badge Program.
5:00 to 7:00 p. m.—Free Time.
8:00 p. m.—Troop Administration.
8:00 p. m.—The Measure of a Good Troop.
Sunday, 9:30 a. m.—Short Worship Service (Mass Earlier).
10:00 a. m.—Troop Program Building.
11:00 a. m.—Outdoor Program of Scouting.
Edward Edick is general chairman of training.

Radio Around The Clock

BY C. E. BUTTERFIELD
Associated Press Radio Editor
Time is Central Standard.
New York, Dec. 8.—The NBC Symphony presents the first of a series of guest conductors for its WJZ-NBC at 9 p. m. Saturday night that Arturo Toscanini is off the air until March. He is Desires Defaux, Belgian director, who is making a special trip to the United States to have charge of the programs through December.

Football still is in the air, although it will not be as active on the networks as when the season was in full swing. The game is the Pacific coast meeting of Southern California and U. C. L. A., which MBS has announced for 3:45 and the NBC-Blue-chain-west for 4:15.
More Music: WABC-CBS 10:05 p. m. Cincinnati conservatory program; WJZ-NBC 12:55 p. m. Metropolitan opera, "Boris Godunov"; WABC-CBS 1:30 University Women's chorus of New York; WABC-CBS 2:35 New Piano series by Vera Brodsky.
Discussion periods: WABC-CBS 3, New time for students' bull session; WOR-MBS 3, Samuel Crowther, author, on "America in the Red"; WABC-CBS 6, People's Platform, "Borrow or Tax for Defense?" WEAF-NBC 8, Rep. Walter Chandler of Tennessee on "Small Debtor Settlements"; WABC-CBS 9:45, F. Truhee Davison on "Preparedness for Peace." Europe—NBC-chains 7 a. m.; WABC-CBS 7 a. m., 5:45, 7:55 p. m.; WEAF-NBC 10.
A new series opens on WABC-CBS at 6:30. It is called "Sky Blasers" and will have Col. Roscoe Turner as M. C. The program is to dramatize exploits of men and women in the air.
Peter Loree of the films is to be the star player of Arch Oboler's play, "Nobody Died," at its new WEAF-NBC time, 7 o'clock.
A special added to MBS at 9:30

Few Requests Made For Christmas Tree Health Inspections

Christmas tree shipments from Delta county so far have not been very heavy, according to records at the office of E. A. Wenner, county agricultural agent, who is empowered to make health inspections of trees being shipped.
So far there have been fewer than a dozen requests for inspection, it was reported, as compared with 100 for last year.

Such inspections are made for persons sending trees by parcel post, express or freight to friends in other parts of the country. The federal plant quarantine laws prohibit the shipping of trees by such means unless the trees bear the official inspection tag, furnished by the state department of agriculture, with the agent making the actual inspection.
The inspection can be made either at the home of the senders or at the points of shipment, it was explained.
In the case of commercial areas, where trees are shipped by truck or rail and where an area inspection and ownership agreement under the Perry act of the state of Michigan are necessary, these forms are furnished by the Michigan Department of Agriculture and issued to the buyer through the agricultural agent's office.

Salvation Army Soliciting Funds For Yule Season

The familiar jingle of the bell on street corners will once more invite the better situated citizens to contribute toward the annual effort of the local Salvation Army to bring cheer to less fortunate neighbors during the Christmas season.
With only two weeks left before the holiday season again is upon us, faced with the necessity of providing for at least one hundred of the city's needy families it is hoped that the jingle of the little bells will plead the case strong enough to prompt all who are able to donate liberally.
Plans already underway provide for feast-supplies to insure well loaded tables over the holidays, toys for the children and the ever popular "Kiddies Party" with Lady Bountiful assisting of Santa Claus in the distribution of gifts and goody-bags to some five hundred children.
There are no funds set aside for the undertaking, Major Nelson and his staff of workers are setting about the gigantic task on "faith" and confidence in the generosity of the good people whose coins will help "Keeping the pots boiling".
Production of automobiles in Canada during one month of this year totaled 14,300 units.
is a Salvation Army program from San Francisco.

TENTH STREET FOOD MARKET

429 So. 10th Phone 239
W. J. Roberge, Prop.
MILK FED VEAL
Leg Roast Lb. 23c
VEAL
Brisket Lb. 12c
VEAL
Chops Lb. 18c
SPARE
Ribs Lb. 12½c
HAM
Shanks Lb. 15c
MOCK CHICKEN
Legs Lb. 18c
Not Ground
Fancy Steer Beef
ROLLED RIB
Rib Roast Lb. 28c
Full Line Assorted Fruits and Vegetables

News of FOOD Specials

Roll of Honor Issued at Harris

Harris, Mich.—The Harris High School honor roll follows:
Honor Roll:
7th: Elorine Borman, Jack Corrieveau, Helen DeLoughary, Billy French, Betty Steinhauer.
8th: Allan Brukardt, Gladys Beauchamp, Betty Flynn, Naomi Flynn, Vernon LaBelle, Bernice Mariscek, Frances Mariscek, Lavona Nault, Walter Sharkey, Elaine Taylor, Elizabeth Tyra.
9th: Elaine Beauchamp, Eileen Bonjean, Bernadine DeLoughary, Nestor Jerabek, Irene Kleiman, Donald Lewis, Ruby Ann Ouradnik.
10th: Robert Fillback, Glenn Johnson, Elsie Nelson, Cora Belle Schoen, Elaine Schoen, Arnold Taylor.
11th: George Brukardt, Carol Peterson, Stasia Roschky, Harvey Peterson, Sadie Luchay, Marie Constantineau.
12th: Elaine Dewar, Clara Mankiewicz, Beatrice Sharkey, Eleanor Ranger, Alphonse Sadiowski, Royal Taylor, Jean Vincent, Annie Wojakowski.

Perfect Attendance: Gladys Beauchamp, Elorine Borman, Allan Brukardt, Betty Flynn, Irving Houle, Lavona Nault, Betty Steinhauer, Elaine Taylor, Elizabeth Tyra, Lorraine Arkens, Elaine Beauchamp, Eileen Bonjean, Agnes Jasper, Nestor Jerabek, Irene Kleiman, Lillian Luchay, Ruby Ann Ouradnik, Virginia Philemon, Irene Planski, Lorraine DeGrave, Robert Fillback, Robert Houle, Mary Jasper, Ellsworth Nault, Elsie Nelson, Arnold Taylor, Gerald Beauchamp, Joyce Beauchamp, George Brukardt, Marie Constantineau, Margaret DeLoughary, Donald Houle, Michael Kane, Elizabeth Kleiman, Edna Mild, Carol Peterson, Pearl Pilot, Clarence Sharkey, Clara Mankiewicz, Beatrice Sharkey.
Chicken Pox Epidemic
Twelve cases of chicken pox and one case of scarlet fever have been reported in the vicinity of Wilson this week. In all probability, the Wilson school will be closed should additional cases develop.
Wilson Resident Injured
Peter Houle inflicted a deep cut in his left foot with an axe yesterday while chopping brush about one and one-half miles from

Library Books Received

There were 411 new books added to the elementary school libraries at Perronville and at Wilson this school year.
WPA Hot Lunch
All of the 397 pupils enrolled in the Harris Township Schools are receiving hot lunches daily. The project is being sponsored in cooperation with the Works Progress Administration.
Mrs. Lottie Nelson is in charge of the hot lunch project at the Wilson school. Mrs. Ed. LaMourle is her assistant.
Mrs. Marie DeLoughary is in charge of the Harris School with Jennie Bloniarz and Josephine Maruz assisting.
Miss Lorraine Lange has charge of the Perronville school with Miss Elizabeth Sape as assistant.
Miss Margaret Meshigaud has charge of the Hannahville project with Esther Petonquast assisting.
Many foodstuffs are received from the Surplus Commodity Division of the E.R.A. Other foods are furnished by the parents.

Escanaba Fruit Store

Phone 757, 1017 Ludington St.
Grapefruit, Texas Seedless, 10 for 25c
Grapes, 2 lbs. 15c
Oranges, doz. 45c, 39c and 25c
Apples, bushel 98c
Apples, Jonathans, 25c
Apples, Kings, Spys, 7 lbs. 25c
Apples, Talman Sweet and Russets, 4 lbs. 25c
Cauliflower, each 18c
Parsnips, 4 lbs. 25c
Endive 2 lbs. 25c
Wax Beans, lb. 15c
Green Peas 2 lbs. 35c
Celery Hearts, Fancy, lb. 18c
Celery, large bunch 10c
Head Lettuce, 2 for 15c
Green Onions, 2 bunches 15c
Spanish Onions, lb. 7c
Pitted Dates, 2 lbs. 29c

Anderson Brothers

Fancy Meats and Groceries
We Aim to Please
401 S. 10th St. Phone 1968
SPARE
Ribs 2 lbs. 19c
PORK
Shoulder Lb. 12c
PICNIC
Hams Lb. 14c
VEAL SHOULDER
Roast Lb. 14c
Bread 2 for 15c
Prunes 3 lbs. 25c
Oleo 2 lbs. 25c
WAX
Beans 3 Cans 25c
Saurkraut Large Can 10c
Tomatoes Large Can 10c



Refuse Substitutes, Insist On Genuine Northland

QUALITY

Tasti Twist Bread

Protect yourself and family by demanding this superior bread. Plenty of fresh pasteurized Whole Milk, Cane Sugar and Short Patent Flours make this loaf so different from ordinary breads.

Potato White	10c	Raisin Whole Wheat
Raisin Rye	Per Loaf	Swedish Rye
Cracked Wheat		Sliced Rye

At All Food Dealers

HOYLER & BAUR

Newberry Finnish People Celebrate

Newberry — The Independence Day of Finland was commemorated in the Newberry Finnish Lutheran church, Wednesday evening, Dec. 6.
Prosecuting Attorney A. L. Sayles, of Newberry delivered an address on the Finnish situation. Rev. Lauri Ahlman also gave a short talk on the Finnish situation, stating that Finland did not answer to the Russian demands because they knew that Soviet Russia would have a much easier chance to grab the peaceful nation and destroy her independence and religion.
Other Program Features were: Invocation—Rev. L. Ahlman Short Talk—M. Lyyksi Hymns (2)—Audience National Anthem of Finland (Maame)
America—Audience Benediction—Rev. R. Garrison. Coffee services were held in the Finnish Lutheran church parlors. All receipts will be used to help Finland.
Briefs
The Ladies of the Finnish Lutheran Church served a supper Thursday evening, Dec. 7th at the Newberry Community building.
Miss S. V. Przybylski, of Sault Ste. Marie spent this week-end as guest of Mrs. George Neff and family of Newberry.
The McMillan Township board were to have met Friday evening of December 8th to discuss the winter activities which will take place in Luce county this winter.
A new tire has been designed for use where sandy conditions exist. The tire is a seven-rib tread design with low inflation pressure required.
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Sauer Kraut, No. 2½ can 3 for 35c - 6 for 67c
Peaches, No. 2½ 2 for 37c - 6 for \$1.08
Pineapple, sliced or crushed, No. 2 can, 2 for 37c - 6 for \$1.08
Pears, No. 2½ can 2 for 45c - 6 for \$1.29
Assorted Can Fruits, 11 oz. 6 for 59c - 12 for \$1.17
Grape Fruit Juice, No. 2 can 3 for 25c - 6 for 49c
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FLOUR, King's Best 49c \$1.59 (Wheat prices are up and advances in flour prices will be announced soon)
LARD, Swift's Silverleaf 2 lb pkg. 17c
Monarch Vacuum pack
Coffee 1 lb can 25c - 3 lb can 69c
Whole bean ground to your requirements 1c lb less.
Monarch, Orange Pekoe, Black 1 lb 33c

Tea Japan uncolored green ½ lb pkg. 27c
Salt, shaker pkg. plain or iodized 3 lb pkg. 6c
Tissue, Sunset 4 large rolls 21c (Cannon cloth free)

Matches Diamond, True American Brand 6 bxs. 15c
Table Syrup, Joannes Golden 1½ lb tin 9c
CHOP SUEY SPECIAL,
Monarch Bean Sprouts, No. 2 can 9c
Chow Mein Noodles, No. 2 can 13c
Chop Suey Mixed Vegetables, No. 2 can 19c
Chinese Sauce, 4 oz. bottle 10c

Tom. Soup, Dearborn condensed, No. 2 can 2 for 15c
Sauer Kraut, Northway large 28 oz. tin 10c
Tomatoes, Indiana King large 28 oz. can 10c
Sugar Corn, Blackhawk 20 oz. tin 7c
Kitchen Cleanser tall can 2 for 11c
Catsup Frazlers 14 oz. bottle 9c

Heinz 14 oz. bottle 17c
Royal Ann Cherries, Monarch... No. 2½ can 25c
Monarch new development in berries, delicious
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Cabbage, Bold Hollander fine for salads, lb 3c

Fresh Green Beans large bunch 17c
Broccoli large bunch 19c
Carrots, large bunch 7c
Sweet Potatoes, 5 lbs. 27c
fancy Yams 4 lbs. 29c
Cauliflower, 20c to 23c
Snowball, hds. 20c to 23c
Radishes & Shallots, 5c
Jumbo size navels, finest new crop, dozen 37c
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Kraut, Balza, lb 7c
Pork Sausage, fresh homemade, lb 15c
Small breakfast style, lb 21c
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Lamb Shoulder Roast, lb 18c
Leg of Lamb, lb 24c

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Extra large Grapefruit, 4 for	25c
Pink Grapefruit, 4 for	25c
Bananas, 4 lbs.	25c
Tangerines, doz.	17c
Snow Apples, 6 lbs.	25c
McIntosh & Delicious Apples, best grade, 5 lbs.	23c
Talman Sweet Apples, 10 lbs.	25c
Grapes, Cal. Raisin, 2 lbs.	25c
Jersey Street Potatoes or Yams, 4 lbs.	25c
Sprouts, box	19c
Broccoli, large bunch	18c
Cauliflower, head, 15c, 20c and	25c
Tomatoes, fancy hard ripe, lb.	17c
Celery Hearts, 3 lbs.	25c
Cal. Celery, large bunch	10c
Lettuces, very best, large head	10c
Carrots, 5 bunches	13c

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Munising News

Munising Foresters Yule Party Tuesday

Munising, Dec. 8.—The annual Christmas party of the Catholic Lady Foresters will be held on Tuesday evening in the St. Dominic's hall. The party will be for adult and juvenile members. A pot luck lunch will be served and there will be a Christmas tree and exchange of gifts among the members. Arrangements have been made to have Santa Claus appear on the program also. Committees in charge are: Mrs. Lydia Shankey, chairman; Mrs. Robert Runsat, juvenile gifts; Mrs. John Hoy, adult gifts; Mrs. George St. Martin, Mrs. Edward Montclair, refreshments; Mrs. Ralph Brebner, Mrs. Eugene Coter, decorating and entertainment committee.

WRIGHT NAMED CHAIRMAN Munising, Dec. 8.—Robert H. Wright has been named Alger county chairman of the President's Birthday ball, annual celebration whose proceeds are devoted to combating infantile paralysis. The benefit ball will be staged on the president's birthday, January 30. Local committees will be appointed and organization plans for the ball completed here next week.

SHEEHAN HERE MONDAY Munising, Dec. 8.—Trooper Ralph M. Sheehan, in charge of Upper Peninsula traffic safety education work for the state police will speak at a public meeting next Monday evening in the Legion County Club. The meeting will be held at 9 p. m. Trooper Sheehan will discuss the new traffic laws and safety, and display movies on safety topics.

MUNISING BRIEFS Mrs. William Mattson and daughter left Thursday for Detroit after spending two weeks visiting here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John N. Korpela. Walter Crosby and Theodore Belfry spent Wednesday in Cooks on business. Mrs. James Worthing, of Van Meer, is seriously ill at her home.

Mrs. George Brian left Thursday for Detroit to visit with her daughter, Miss Ambrot Brian. Henry Raymond was elected vice-grand of the Munising Odd Fellows and Donald Norlin, financial secretary, at a meeting last Tuesday night. It was erroneously reported that Daris Widdis and Victor Nybeck were chosen for the office.

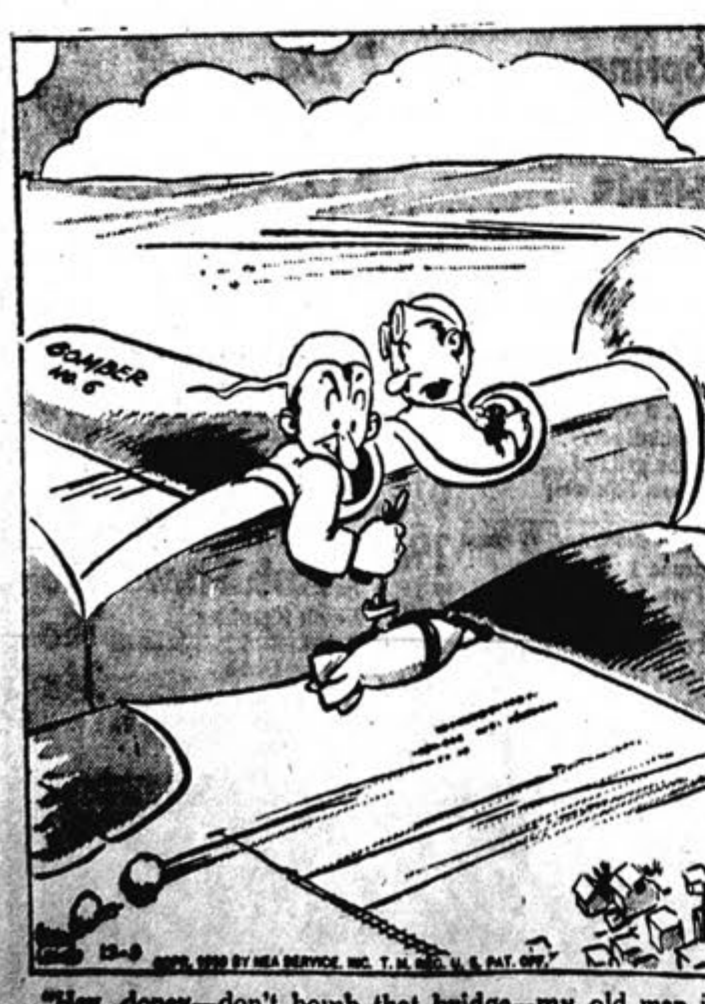
MUNISING CHURCHES St. John's Episcopal Rev. H. Roger Sherman, rector. Sunday School at 11 a. m. Holy Communion and sermon at 7:30 p. m. First Presbyterian Rev. Frederick T. Steen, pastor. Sunday School at 10:00 o'clock. Morning Worship at 11 o'clock. The Westminster choir under the direction of Mr. A. B. Clute will render special music.

Sacred Heart Rev. Ovid J. LaMothe, pastor; Rev. Edward Lulewitz, assistant. Sunday, December 10. 8:00 a. m.—Mass. The Junior choir will furnish the music. 9:30 a. m.—Children's Mass. 11:00 a. m.—High Mass. The choir under the direction of Mrs. Alice Scholte will sing. Confessions will be heard Saturday afternoon at 3:30 and in the evening at 7:30.

Free Methodist Services in Washington school gymnasium. Miss Anna Carlson in charge. Sunday, December 10. 10:00 a. m.—Sunday School. 11:00 a. m.—Praying Service. Topic, "Where Are the Nine?" 7:30 p. m.—Evening song service. 8:00 p. m.—Cottage prayer meeting. Place to be announced Sunday.

Methodist Rev. W. G. Prout, pastor. 10:00 a. m.—Morning Worship.

HOLD EVERYTHING... By Clyde Lewis



American Indian Lore

Preparation and Use of Deerskin

BY PHERE JEWELL NICHOLS Deerskin articles, from moccasins to gloves, made by Indians, have always been in great demand. Warmth, sturdiness, and durability are inherent in deerskin, and the Indian's knack in design and workmanship greatly enhances his product. The prices attached to Indian-made deerskin articles are invariably high as compared to the factory-made product. When one understands the process required to treat the raw skin so that it can be made into wearables, one will not readily question the reason for the price. Differences in the age and sex of the deer make for differences in the finished article. The most delicate skins are those of fawns, which, however, are never killed by Indians if it can be avoided. Next in fineness comes doe skin, then that of the young buck, and last of all of the old deer of both sexes. In his scheme of domestic economy, the Indian prefers to kill a young buck, for the hide is always workable enough, the material as such being as good as that of the doe, and the male animals are killed. We cite here the Memphian Indian method of preparing deerskin as told to the writer by one who has often since earliest childhood helped in the family task of curing animal skins. How To Do It The several steps in this work are as follows: 1. In order to prevent tearing and breaking of the skin, the animal is butchered before it is skinned. 2. The skin is soaked about seventy-two hours in a lye water made by adding two handfuls of wood ashes to five gallons of cold water. 3. The skin is removed from the water and bullet holes or other tears mended. 4. The hair is cut from the wet hide with a sharp knife (formerly, a sharp shell or stone). The worker usually sits on the ground to do this. 5. The skin is soaked again, but only over night. 6. For the next step, known as fleshing, a trestle has to be made. A log about as large around as the average stovetop and ten feet long is driven into the ground at such an angle as to make the upright end waist high. This end is supported by two slanting sticks or logs, and down to a length of several feet the bark is stripped from it. The skin is laid upon this smooth surface and the bits of flesh carefully removed. Then the hide is turned over and the short hair worked out of the skin by scraping against the grain beginning at the head. The implement used for this is called a fleshing tool. It is about sixteen inches long of wood and resembles a rolling pin into which a knife blade has been imbedded horizontally with one-fourth inch wide edge exposed. In early times a piece of rock ground to a sharp edge in sandstone was inserted in wood instead of a knife. Fleshing is a laborious and painstaking task as each square inch by square inch is freed of flesh on the one side and of hair and roots on the other while the worker takes great care not to scrape too deep or mar the skin. 7. A solution of deer brains, deer fat and salt and water in proportions approximating a pound of brains to a tablespoon each of fat and salt and a gallon of water is made and boiled up. Into this cooled solution the hide is placed and soaked over night. 8. Small holes are cut along the edge of the skin by which it is attached with cord to an upright rack for tanning. The tool used for this is a stick about eighteen inches long whittled to a small end which is not pointed but rounded. Workers firmly stroke the hide from the center outward with this tool, two or more people working together. The person in charge of the tanning has to have a weather eye, for the condition of the atmosphere must be noted too wet nor too dry, neither must it be too windy. A fire may be used to temper the conditions. The hide must not dry too rapidly. The result must be an evenly softened yet compact hide produced entirely by working the solution thoroughly into the hide by the pushing strokes in a properly tempered atmosphere. 9. A deerskin is somewhat triangular in shape. After tanning it is sewed into a cone with the large end open. About a cubic foot of earth is dug from the ground where this work is going on and a tripod of poles over this hole set up to hold the skin. A quick fire of pine is made in the hole and rotted cedar punk added to make a smudge. The hide is fitted over the poles, sand banked around the edge and the smoking process begun. The hide is turned inside out to be finished. Made Children's Garments The completed product, smooth, pliable, evenly soft, and redolent of cedar is the deerskin of which the Indians made clothing. Children's garments were made of fawn and doe skin, women's best dresses and men's ceremonial vests were made of deerskin, too. Other garments were fashioned of common buckskin. Moccasins made of the neck and back parts of the hide. A good Indian maker always had an ample supply of hides on hand and provided changes of clothing for his family. According to her ability, she embellished the clothes with embroidery using porcupine quills, shells, bones, and beads which she devised of copper and other material. Today, this deerskin commodity called buckskin is used for coats, gloves, vests, and moccasins by Indians and white folk alike and is much preferred to the factory made leather. Indians put every part of the deer to use. Glue was made from the hoofs; knife handles, arrow-point-making implements, cups and other small containers from the horns; cushions were stuffed with the hair and sometimes hair was woven along with the fibers in making bags. There were choice cuts of meat for eating, as the loin, ribs and rump for roasts, bones for soup. The leg bones were cracked for the marrow which was fed to sick people, especially those recovering from throat and lung ailments. Nothing was wasted.

Garden Notes

P. T. A. Meeting Garden, Mich.—Members met in the Community Hall for the monthly meeting of the Parent-Teacher Association Tuesday evening. John L. Glitzen took charge and the meeting was opened by saluting the U. S. Flag and the singing of the Stars Spangled Banner and Auld Lang Syne. The pupils of Mr. Gravelle's room then entertained the company for a twenty minute period with a varied Christmas program including the songs "Silent Night," "O Little Town of Bethlehem" and a short Christmas play. The audience sang "America" with Mrs. Tom Des Rochers as the pianist. Following the business session with the usual opening routine and much discussion of the nature of future activities which resulted in calling a special meeting of the Finance and Ways and Means Committees for the next evening in the Council Room. After adjournment all assembled in the hotlunch kitchen and enjoyed a social half hour over a cup of coffee and cookies prepared by the acting lunch committee including Mrs. Fred Gaurier, Mrs. Joe Farley, Mrs. Edward LaMotte, Mrs. Oasie Hazen, Mrs. Mc. Phee and Mrs. Will Horning. The next meeting will be postponed until Tuesday, Jan. 9 because of the proximity of the regular date to the holidays.

Guild Meeting Members met with Mrs. Nora Lester Wednesday afternoon and will hold the next gathering at the home of Mrs. Paul Lamkey of Van's Harbor in a week. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Des Rochers and Gilbert Beech spent Monday in Escanaba. Miss Angeline Scott visited her stepfather, John Sopko, in the St. Francis Hospital, Wednesday.

Stonington

Stonington, Mich.—Mr. and Mrs. Karl Johnson were honor guests at a party given at Trinity Lutheran church last Friday evening. A program was presented including a talk by Rev. L. R. Lund of Escanaba. Refreshments were served following the program. The affair was entirely a surprise to the elderly couple. A purse was presented to them in memory of the occasion. Dr. E. C. Miller and son Jackie from Marinette, Wis., and Mr. O. Miller and Mrs. Loquist from Engalston, Mich., visited at the James Miller home on Sunday. Harry Reinholdsen and Gust Nelson returned to their homes Monday from Buffalo, N. Y., where they were employed on dredge the past summer. Martin Thorsen was removed to St. Francis hospital Tuesday.

Christmas Decals

You can make attractive Christmas cards, wrappings and place cards, and add a festive touch to plain candles, glasses, dishes, waste baskets and utility boxes by decorating with miniature decalcomanias that are easy to apply and fun to use. They are sold in sheets of 15 different motifs.

Plans Formulated For Police School At Meeting Here

The school committee of the Upper Peninsula Association of Law Enforcement Officers, which W. J. Sheehan, of Manistique, chairman, met here yesterday to formulate a program for a police school which will be conducted soon. Questionnaires were sent to all law officers of the upper peninsula recently to determine from the officers themselves what they desire for a successful police school. The program will be based on the information received from the questionnaire. Members of the school committee are W. J. Sheehan, Schoolcraft prosecutor, chairman; Sgt. Chas. W. Engle, state police, Marquette; William Gleason, chief of police, Crystal Falls; Willard Welch, sheriff, Chippewa county; George Peoples, special agent, Soo Line railroad, Gladstone.

City Briefs

Miss Wanda Melkowsky, left Wednesday for Kenosha, Wisconsin where she has accepted a position. Miss Mary Collins has accepted a position in the law office of J. J. Herbert. Mrs. John Dee is a patient at the Bellin Memorial hospital, Green Bay. Mr. and Mrs. Richard Abramson spent Monday with friends and relatives in Escanaba. Mrs. Gage Bytting in Chicago with friends and relatives.

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STUDENTS HEAR WENDELL LUND

Forest Restoration Big Problem In U. P., Speaker Says

Wendell Lund, director of the education division of the Farm Security Administration, gave an interesting address on the subject of conservation at a Manistique high school assembly Thursday. Mr. Lund received the degree of doctor of philosophy from Princeton university and his law degree from Georgetown university. He was appointed secretary of a committee set up by President Roosevelt six years ago to work out a plan for the restoration of the Upper Monongahela Valley in West Virginia where timber and coal reserves were being depleted and soil erosion had taken a heavy toll in the productivity of the land. The speaker declared that soil erosion in this country today is destroying the equivalent of 200 farms of 40 acres each daily and that since the development of this country a total of 250,000,000 acres of land have been impoverished by erosion. "There have been few parallels in history for the reckless manner in which timber has been wasted in the upper peninsula of Michigan," the speaker told his listeners. "We actually destroyed in one generation vast timber resources that it had taken nature centuries to provide." Mr. Lund declared that the future of the upper peninsula depends upon the restoration of our trees, the promotion of the tourist and recreational possibilities and a development of new industries.

Bowling Notes

WOMEN'S BOWLING NOTES Schedule Monday, Dec. 11—7:15, Tribune vs. Girvins; 9:00, Ruby's vs. Schusters. Tuesday, Dec. 12—7:15, Luxury Liners vs. Johnson's; 9:00, Helene's vs. Power-Lites.

TEAM STANDINGS

Table with columns for Team, W., L., and Ave. Lists teams like Girvins, Ruby's, Power Lites, etc.

Individual Averages

Table with columns for Name, W., L., and Ave. Lists names like I. Gorsche, E. Schuster, etc.

Social

Shower Party Mrs. Ronald Figel was honored at a shower party at her home Thursday afternoon. A number of her friends gathered at her home and a very enjoyable afternoon was spent. A delicious pot luck luncheon concluded the afternoon. Birthday Party Mrs. Carl Lind entertained at birthday party complimentary to her mother, Mrs. Ed Ryan, Wednesday evening. Refreshments were served at the close of the evening with a prettily decorated birthday cake forming the table centerpiece. Guests were: Mrs. T. G. Smith, Mrs. A. Fager, Mrs. H. Krause, Mrs. H. Hollenbeck, Mrs. Viola Fisher, Caroline Dragoeb, Mrs. B. Furber, Mrs. G. Halsing, Mrs. Minnie Koeller and Rose Richey.

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Church Services

ZION LUTHERAN Oak and Range Sts. O. W. Serquist, Pastor. Church school at 9:30 a. m. at the Thompson school at 9:00 a. m. 10:10—Morning worship. Sermon theme, "The Nearness of the Kingdom." 7:30—Swedish High Mass. NATHAN LUTHERAN (Ladies) O. W. Serquist, Pastor. 10:00 a. m.—Sunday school. 2:00 p. m. C. T. Bible class for adults. 7:30—Swedish High Mass. FIRST BAPTIST George Kent, King, Pastor. Sunday, December 10. 10:00—Morning worship service. Universal Bible Sunday. Sermon by the pastor, "Wonderful Words of Life." 11:15—Church school. Virgil Arrowood, superintendent. Classes for all ages. The Junior choir will sing. 7:30—Evening Gospel service. Sermon by the pastor, "Anti-Christ." Tuesday, 8:00 p. m.—Meeting of the Men's club in the church parlors. Committee in charge of program and lunch: L. C. Harbin, Ray Larsen and Geo. R. King. Men of the church and their friends are invited. Wednesday, 8:30 p. m.—Ladies' Aid society meets in the church parlors. Hostesses: Mrs. Wm. J. Singer and Mrs. Sam Steadley. Devotions by Mrs. Wm. S. Crowe. This is the annual Christmas party and each member is to bring a gift to exchange. 7:30 p. m.—Senior choir rehearsal. 7:30 p. m.—Devotions and fellowship. David Shinar, President. 8:00 p. m.—Fellowship class annual Christmas party. Thursday, 7:30 p. m.—Mid-week prayer meeting and Bible study hour. Study in comparative religions, "Islam." An hour of fellowship in study and worship.

FIRST METHODIST

Otto H. Steen, Minister. Sunday, December 10. 10:00—Morning worship. Anthem by the choir. 11:15—Church school. Keith Bundy, superintendent. Mrs. A. Robertson, teacher of the adult Bible class. Wednesday, 8:30 p. m.—Ladies' Aid. 8:30 p. m.—Elder's club. 7:30 p. m.—Eggers League. Thursday, 8:00 p. m.—Choir rehearsal.

ST. PETER'S LUTHERAN

H. J. Lemke, Pastor. 8:30 a. m.—Sunday school. 10:00 a. m.—Divine service. GRACE LUTHERAN (German) H. J. Lemke, Pastor. 8:00 a. m.—Divine service. 8:30 p. m.—Eggers League. All children are expected to be present since we begin reporting for the children's Christmas service. 7:30 p. m.—Confirmation instructions.

PRESBYTERIAN

D. Hustak, Pastor. Sunday, December 10. 10:00—Sunday school. A. F. Hall, superintendent. 11:00—Morning worship. 7:30—Evening Bible class. Mrs. R. Waddell will lead. 7:30 p. m.—Youth People's meeting. Saturday, 9:00 to 11:00 a. m.—Bible class for young people. All are cordially invited to these meetings.

BYTHEE BAPTIST

Ernest E. Nelson, Pastor. 8:30—Church school. Mrs. Ed Sundell, superintendent. 10:00—Morning service. Special music by the pastor. 11:00—Morning worship in the Swedish church. 7:30—Evangelistic service. Special music by the choir. Tuesday, 7:00 p. m.—Junior choir rehearsal. 8:00 p. m.—Senior choir rehearsal. Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.—Prayer meeting and Bible study.

School Officers Of County Meet Here Wednesday

The biennial meeting of Schoolcraft county school officers will be held Wednesday at the courthouse here, Mrs. Ada Watson, school commissioner, has announced. The morning session will open at nine o'clock and an afternoon session also is planned. All members of boards of education of the county are urged to attend the meeting. W. S. Clapp, of Lansing, consultant of the department of public instruction, and George Gilbert, of Marquette, regional director, will be the principal speakers.

Today At The Majestic Cafe

Chicken Plate Lunch 35c Dancing At PARKER'S Tonight Sun. Night, Dec. 10 Music from 9:30 until 1:00 By Gladys Jansene's All Girl Band 6 Piece Orchestra

ELKS TOURNAMENT IS ADVANCING

Matches In First Round Completed; 7 Flights Arranged

Much interest has been shown in the first round of the Elks elimination bowling tournament and most of the matches have been completed. The second round matches are being rolled this week. As soon as a champion in each flight has been decided, the winners will meet in a free-for-all elimination for the grand champion honors. In this match the winner of the flight will give the winner of the flight below him five pins per game as a handicap. There is no handicap within the flight. Many valuable prizes will be awarded to winners in various flights. First Flight Results of the first round followed: Carl Carlson defeated Fred Hanne, Jack Quick defeated Archie Carpenter, Hugh Brotherton defeated Cliff Cool, Emory Barnes defeated Henry Weber, Malcolm Nelson defeated Arvid Stoor, Walter La Frienere defeated John Kasun, Ed Busch defeated Charles Robinson, John Kelly defeated R. G. Hentschell. Second round pairings include Carlson vs. Quick, Brotherton vs. Barnes, Nelson vs. La Frienere, Busch vs. Kelly. In the second flight: Fred McNamara defeated Anthony Busch, Art Hall defeated Ronald Figel, Nell Reese defeated E. J. Hastings, Ken Van Eyck defeated Jake Barnes, Ralph Williams defeated Harvey Quick, C. F. Anderson defeated Wm. Norton, Barney Johnson defeated T. R. Southard, Joe Kovach defeated Omer Schuster. Second round pairings: McNamara vs. Hall, Reese vs. Van Eyck, Williams vs. Anderson, Johnson vs. Kovach. In the third flight: Ira Crawford defeated Ray Males, F. Babladelis defeated Bill Heins, Bill Corson defeated Vern Smith, George Graphos defeated Peter Stamme, Clint Leonard defeated Al Farley, Geo. Babladelis defeated Roy Roberts, Art Cockram defeated Dan Harrington. Second round pairings include Ira Crawford vs. winner of Earl Jackson-Steve Hoholik match, P. Babladelis vs. Corson, Graphos vs. Leonard, G. Babladelis vs. Cockram. In the fourth flight: Ray Prine defeated Jim Fyvie, Leonard Males defeated Ed. Brault, John Girvin defeated Chas. Isaacson, Law Hartman defeated Bill De Hutt, Tom Bolitho defeated Jim McLaughlin, Norman Lindquist defeated Everett Cookson, Tom Mulrooney defeated Tom Grimsley, Frank Jehle defeated A. R. Tackley. Second round pairings include Prine vs. Males, Girvin vs. Hartman, Bolitho vs. Lindquist, Mulrooney vs. Jehle. In the fifth flight: Earl LeBrosseur defeated Ed. Jackson, Alf Johnson defeated Henry Hargreaves, Alec Crighton defeated Pete Grosche, L. C. Harbin defeated Paul Vesting, Geo. Bratschie defeated Geo. Dupont, Bill Stephens defeated E. McMasters, Ben Gero defeated Harry Erikson, Bill Cook defeated Harold Cockram. Second round pairings are: LeBrosseur vs. Johnson, Crighton vs. Harbin, Bratschie vs. Stephens, Gero vs. Cook. In the sixth flight: Fred Gorsche defeated J. J. LeDun, Stan Crowe defeated Ross Collier, Frank Hoholik defeated Oscar Waasberg, Dayl Crookery defeated Carlton Siddall, Leon Nicholson defeated

Briefly Told

Zion Lutheran Church — The board of administration of the Zion Lutheran church meets Monday evening at 7:30 p. m. in the sacristy. Gould City—All persons interested in pensions are asked to meet at the hall on Sunday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock. Officers of the Manistique Townsend club will give information regarding the Townsend plan. Bake Sale—The Mission circle of the Bethel Baptist church will sponsor a bake sale on December 16 in the Light and Power Co. store. The sale will begin at 1:30 o'clock. "Cakewalk"—The Lincoln Parent Teacher Association will sponsor a dance and cakewalk in the school gym on Wednesday December 16. The public is cordially invited. Agnes Rebekah Lodge — The Agnes Rebekah lodge, 159, will hold their regular meeting Monday evening at 8:00 o'clock. Election of officers will be held at this meeting. All members are urged to attend. Bazaar — The Bethany Society will sponsor a Christmas bazaar today in the Ford Garage. The sale will begin at 10:00 a. m. Christmas Party — The Methodist ladies aid society will hold their annual Christmas party Wednesday in the church following the business meeting. Members are asked to invite a guest. A program has been arranged and gifts will be exchanged. Willing Workers—The Willing Workers of the Presbyterian church will meet Saturday in the church. Betty Morrison will lead the devotionals, Dorothy Gordon and Vina Walker will be hostesses. Each girl is asked to bring a scissors. Personal Item Gulliver, Mich.—Mr. and Mrs. Grover Stites visited Mr. and Mrs. Dave Terrian of Trout Lake on Sunday. They also visited with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Strankley and Mr. and Mrs. Williams at Sault Ste. Marie. Mrs. Leon LaPorte is a patient at the Shaw hospital. Her sister, Mrs. John Wymick, of Iron River has arrived to be with her during her illness.

Advertisement for A. S. PUTNAM & CO. Fountain Banana Split with Hot Fudge 20c. CEDAR THEATRE Matinee, Today, 1:00-3:00. Evenings, 7:00 - 9:00. LEGION of LOST FLYERS. GEORGE'S SUPER SERVICE STATION.

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 REALTY BLDG.

Leo's Standard Service To Have Formal Opening

Formal opening of Leo's Standard Service, a Standard Oil Co. unit on North Ninth street, operated by Leo Weingartner, will be held today.

The new modern station has just been completed and is a highly attractive as well as efficient plant.

It houses office accommodations, service room with hydraulic hoist and rest rooms. Heat is by oil furnace.

Favors, Christmas candles, are being given to all persons attending the opening today.

The general contract on the station was handled by Wm. Nelson, local contractor.

As of Jan. 1, 1939, 82 per cent of the state highway mileage was surfaced.

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Special Tonight and Sunday

Roast Turkey with dressing and fried chicken with all the trimmings, regular dinner or plate lunch.

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You'll Find Your Friends At WALLY'S Dance Tonight
 Music By Leo and His Band
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CASH WHEATON'S CARRY

Leg O' Lamb, lb.	23c	Leg O' Veal, lb.	25c
Pears, large can	15c	Pork Chops, lb.	20c
Round Steak, Sirloin, Porter House Steak, lb.	22c	Loaf Cheese, best, lb.	24c
Pot Roast, lb.	15c	Sliced Bacon, best, lb., 15c and Sandwich Cookies, lb.	23c
Chuck Roast, Branded	17c	Chocolate Drops, lb.	10c
Steer, lb.	16c	Eggs, doz.	24c
Light Pork Loin Roast, lb.	16c	Salt Pork, lb.	10c
Rib Boiling, lb.	12c	Beans, large can	10c
Milk, the best,	20c	Crackers, 2 lb. box	16c
Hamburger, lb.	15c	Catsup, large bottle	10c
Matches, ctn.	19c	Sugar, 10 lbs.	58c
Soda, large bottles,	25c	Fels-Naptha Soap, 10 bars	46c
Ring Bologna, lb.	15c	Fels-Naptha Chips, pkg.	22c
Lard, lb.	8c	(Sample Bar Free)	
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FINE GRANULATED SUGAR 10 lbs. 55c

Co-op tall Milk	4 cans 27c	Good with Kraut Pork Ribslets	2 lbs. 11c
Potatoes	per pk. 23c	Fresh Bulk Sauer Kraut	lb 5c
Co-op Rolled Oats	3 lb pk. 18c	The meat of many uses Spam	can 29c
Co-op Catsup	14 oz. bottle 10c	Prepared White Lutefish	lb 10c
Co-op Cake Flour	3 1/2 lb pk. 21c	Imported Iceland Herring	lb 15c
Lettuce	2 for 15c	Small Fancy Pork Chops	lb 16c
Carrots	2 bbs. 13c	Self Roasts	lb 16c
Grapefruit	6 for 17c	Sticks	lb 19c
Oranges	per doz. 15c	Swift's Sterilized Pure Lard	4 lb pk. 33c

Church Services

ALL SAINTS CATHOLIC
 Rev. Fr. Joe Schell, Pastor.
 8:00 a. m.—Low Mass.
 10:00 a. m.—High Mass.
 Confessions Saturdays at 8:00 and 1:00 p. m. and Thursday before the first Friday of each month.
 Novena service in honor of Our Sorrowful Monday each Friday at 7:00 p. m.

REORGANIZED CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS
 Sunday, December 10.
 9:45 a. m.—Church school service.
 11:00 a. m.—Prayer service. The first Sunday of each month is the Sacrament service.
 7:30 p. m.—Song service.
 Wednesday, 7:45 p. m.—Prayer service.
 Friday, 7:00 p. m.—The Zion League will meet at the church.
 Everyone welcome to attend all services.

MISSION COVENANT
 Rev. C. V. S. Engstrom, Pastor.
 Sunday, December 10.
 9:30—Sunday school.
 10:45—Morning worship.
 2:30—The choir will meet for rehearsal.
 7:30—Evening service in the Swedish language.
 Tuesday, 7:00 p. m.—Junior League.
 Wednesday, 7:45 p. m.—Prayer service.
 Thursday, 8:00 p. m.—Y. F. Christmas social. Proceeds from this meeting will be used for Christmas baskets to be distributed among the needy. Refreshments will be served. Mrs. Emil Peterson will be hostess.
 Saturday, 10:00 a. m.—Confirmation class.

FREE METHODIST
 Rev. Andrew Counterman, Pastor.
 10:00—Sunday school.
 11:00—Morning worship.
 7:30—Song and testimony service. Special singing Mrs. Fred LaClair, Dona and Lillian will sing a special number.
 8:00—Prayer service.
 Tuesday, 7:30 p. m.—Cottage prayer meeting. The place will be announced Sunday night.
 Thursday, 7:30 p. m.—Prayer meeting at the hall.
 Friday, 7:30 p. m.—Young People's meeting.
 Everybody welcome at our services.

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Social

Bridge Party
 Mrs. Russell Skellenger was hostess to members of her bridge club and guest, Mrs. Henry Cassidy, at a 6:30 o'clock dinner Thursday evening at the Chicken Shack.

Contract, with two tables in play, followed at the Skellenger home on South Eighth street. Mrs. H. J. Miller and Miss Edna Fulton were the recipients of first and second honors.

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MUCH ACTIVITY IN RECREATION

Christmas Novelties Are Being Made At Center

The impending holidays are molding the trend of activity at the Recreation Center these days. In the workshop, members have been making Christmas novelties, end-tables, magazine racks, corner shelves and doll furniture. Attendance is good, according to leaders Owen Longberry and Walter Johansen.

In the arts and crafts department, Leaders Bernice Lancoeur and Florence Olive are directing work on Christmas cards, wreaths and recipe books. They are also conducting classes in knitting and crocheting.

A window display of this work is planned for the near future. This morning at 10 o'clock the Gladstone Indians and Kipling Lions will clash in basketball, leader Hilding Peterson states.

EMPSON'S WIN, 26-24

Empson's defeated Lauerma's, 26-24, in a nip and tuck battle at Escanaba Thursday evening. The game was deadlocked at 24-all at the close of the regular play period and in the overtime period Fitzpatrick and Peterson made good on charity tosses to decide the outcome.

Empson's will play Mormon Creek at Rapid River Monday night, it was stated by Paul Toerne, WPA recreation director.

Empson's	FG	FT	PF
Sjoquist	2	0	0
Fitzpatrick	2	1	2
Peterson	2	2	0
Wahowiak	2	1	0
Shuler	3	0	1
Toerne	0	0	0
Totals	11	4	3

Lauerma's	FG	FT	PF
Sullivan	1	0	1
Schou	1	0	3
Dickson	3	0	0

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City Briefs

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lindahl, Mrs. Ole Seterlund, Mrs. John Nelson, and Miss Norrine Sebeck were dinner guests on Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nels Peterson at Perkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph LaFountain and family, Delta Avenue, left for Munising where they will make their future home.

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 We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks to neighbors and friends for their kind expressions of sympathy at the time of our recent bereavement, the death of Mrs. Caroline Fontanna. Especially are we grateful to Rev. Theophil Hoffmann, to Mr. Johns, to those who sent floral offerings, loaned autos for the services or who assisted us in any other manner.
 Signed: The Druding Family.

Briefly Told

Engineers Meet — A regular meeting of Division 266, Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers will be held at 9:30 o'clock Sunday morning in the Eagles' hall.

Bake Sale — The Ladies' Aid society of the First Baptist church is sponsoring a bake sale today at Nettie's Grocery. Selling will begin at one o'clock with Mrs. Haga and Mrs. Berg in charge.

Rebecca's — A regular meeting of the Rebecca's will be held Monday night at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. William Moore, 1011 Minnesota avenue. In charge of the meeting will be Mrs. Charles Gogarn and Mrs. E. G. Fisher.

Return Home — Mrs. J. A. Campbell and son, Kenneth, returned last night from Ann Arbor where Kenneth received treatment at the University hospital. No visitors will be allowed.

Toy Service — The Methodist church school will have a special toy service on Sunday morning at 9 o'clock. A toy offering will be

FRED CASE ELECTED

Sault Ste. Marie — Fred S. Case was elected president of the Le Saut de Sainte Marie club at a meeting last night in club rooms at the American Legion club house.

Mr. Case succeeds Herman T. Crane who has held the office several years. New members of the board of directors are: Ralph Mc-

Scouters' Meeting To Be Held Today

A Scouters' Conference for men of Gladstone, Escanaba, Wells, Bark River, Rapid River, and any other communities interested will be held at the Escanaba senior high school beginning at 2 o'clock today. The conference will be divided into one hour presentations upon phases of the Scout program. Early reservations from Gladstone are from Oscar Ohman, Arne Nelmark, and George Lindberg of the Lions' club troop. Ruben Sjoquist, Geo. Johnson, A. R. Watson, Geo. Mathison, Freeman Empson, C. E. Hawkins, H. Jones, H. J. Bray, John Norton, and N. O. Knutson will represent the Rotary troop of Gladstone.

Scouters of All Saints Troop No. 58 and M. E. church Troop No. 56 are expected to attend.

The conference is so arranged that each session is complete in itself. Men may attend periods relating to specific jobs or the entire course. Arrangements have been made for religious observance Sunday morning.

Attendance captains are Oscar Ohman, John Norton, Henry Cassidy, and Ray Billings.

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Townsend Club To Nominate, Elect

The Gladstone Townsend club will conduct regular meetings on Tuesday, Dec. 12, and Tuesday, Dec. 26 at the city hall for the purpose of nominating and electing officers for 1940. It is announced by A. T. Rossow, secretary-treasurer of the club.

The seasons will open at 8 o'clock in the evening and large attendance is anticipated.

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Escanaba Cagers Trip Marquette By 23 to 17

BARRON LEADS ESKYMO TEAM

Locals Flash Power In Spurts to Defeat Graveraets

Flashing power in spurts, especially in the first and third periods, Escanaba high school cagers defeated the Graveraets of Marquette, 23-17, in a well played basketball game at the junior high school last night before a large crowd.

The Eskymos displayed an unusually smooth passing game throughout and played well smoothly from early in the season. They lacked consistency, however, their offense bogging down in the second period when they scored only three points and then again in the final frame when they were held scoreless.

Marquette, built around Frisk, lanky center, started the scoring with a field goal by Wittala from the side. Schram, who played a great floor game all night, recovering many loose balls, opened the Eskymo scoring with a side shot and McDonald shoved the Eskymos into a lead they relinquished only once during the rest of the game.

Passing Is Nifty

After Frisk had made a free throw on Anderson's foul, the Eskymos put on a display of dazzling passing and shooting that had the crowd cheering, running up a lead of 13-3. However, the visitors took command of the situation to run up 10 straight points to tie the score at 13-all at the half mark. Removal of Robert Anderson, center, who had three fouls called on him, was largely instrumental in the Eskymo offense bogging down.

The locals put the game on ice in the third period with a 10 point spurge, led mainly by Bobby Barron, who dropped in three consecutive field goals. They ran the score to 23-13 and there they stayed. Marquette scored once more before the third period ended on a field goal by Frisk, lanky center, to bring the count to 23-15. Both teams played a bit sloppily in the last period, the only score of the whole period being a field goal by Normand, who dribbled in fast to score midway in the period.

The Eskymos, though small, showed definite signs of promise, using their speed to good advantage. They were a bit slow on defense at times and lacked consistency of offense but their faults can be corrected. McDonald, a junior, and Gauthier, sophomore, played steady games at guard.

Marquette's scoring was well divided.

The Eskymos entertain Kingsford Tuesday night.

The summary:

Escanaba (23)	FG	FT	PF
Barron	4	1	2
Schram	2	1	1
Anderson	3	0	3
Gauthier	0	0	0
McDonald	1	1	1
Holmes	0	0	0
Shomin	0	0	1
Pfotenbauer	0	0	0
Bliss	0	0	0
Peplu	0	0	0
Totals	10	3	8

Marquette (17)

FG	FT	PF	
Normand	2	0	1
Wasmuth	1	0	0
Frisk	1	2	2
Wittala	1	0	3
Keskey	0	0	0
Oliver	0	0	1
Totals	7	3	8

Officials: Barry and Enger. Score by periods: Escanaba 10 3 10 0-23 Marquette 3 10 2 2-17

SIZE HANDICAP FOR MICHIGAN

Veteran Spartan Quint Raises Curtain At Ann Arbor

BY GEORGE STAUTER
Ann Arbor, Mich., Dec. 8 (AP)—An under-sized University of Michigan basketball team, whose average height is two inches less than six feet, opens the 1939-40 campaign here tomorrow night against a veteran Michigan State college quintet.

Only two players—Janky Jim Rae, center and captain, and Bill Cartmill junior forward—have any kind of a reach. Rae is six feet four and Cartmill, making his first start, six feet one.

Of the remaining regulars, forward Charley Pink and guard Mike Sofiak are five feet eight, and guard Herb Brogan is five feet nine.

Even with this disadvantage, Coach Bennie Oosterbaan, beginning his second season as Wolverines mentor, raises his club an "even chance" against the favored Spartans.

SPILLING the DOPE

BY JOHNNY ENKELANGER

WHAT PRICE GLORY! . . . after the basketball game last night, Ray Papin, Merle Pfenhauer and Bobby Barron left with Henry Wylie for Lansing to attend the Michigan State football "bust" . . . they'll get there tomorrow this afternoon and return Sunday. . . it's a nice trip for the boys . . . Bob Hooper, Iron Mountain center, is making the trip with them . . . the trip almost fell through but a telephone call from Michigan State requested the presence of the boys . . . incidentally, the naming of Pfenhauer to the All State first team

Christmas comes once a year—at least it always has in previous administrations.

THE HEIGHT of something or other is this teachers' basketball team . . . one member of the team is George Ruwitch and the other is Carl Kant . . . both boys lower up near the six foot four mark and both are clever on their feet. . . Jim Rouman is another valuable addition . . . Jim lacks height but he has the thing called "fineness" . . . don't imagine the west coast will be greatly pleased at Grant Rice's All American . . . after all, there are a few good players beyond the divide . . . he didn't go much wrong, however, on his halfbacks. . . Kinnick and Harmon are just about tops.

It's a good thing the British navy is best in the world—it has the toughest job in the world.

TIME OUT while we put recalcitrant little George (Double L) Mathison, straight . . . George, you exhibit not a little conceit when you imply that you have routed the enemy and put him to flight . . . a dog may be bitten by a flea and still ignore it because he has other more weighty matters at hand . . . and we understand you were pretty well pleased with your closing shot last week . . . we thought it was good, too, considering whence it originated . . . now, George, we hate to do this but we've got to tell you before you get too tangled up . . . we started the little feud in order to call attention to your editorial efforts, which otherwise might have continued to go unnoticed . . . now that we've given you the start, you'll have to carry on without us . . . any further notices from this corner will necessarily be dispatched at the regular open rate . . . savvy?

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LANDIS REVOLT MEETS FAILURE

Commissioner Unshaken In His Hold and Baseball Views

BY JUDSON BAILEY
Cincinnati, Dec. 8 (AP)—Weeks of maneuvering by baseball's mighty mites, to bring about legislation that would relax restrictions on the big farm systems, collapsed today in 49 minutes.

A shaggy, white-haired old man simply said, "No."

He was Commissioner Kenesaw M. Landis, czar of baseball, who gathered the sixteen club owners of the National and American Leagues before him in a joint meeting and read off the amendments proposed by the minor leagues to pry him off his lofty perch.

There was the one that would keep an entire farm system from being bound by a player-transfer rule that refers to only one club; there was the one that would permit scouts to sign players for affiliated clubs. There was the one that would prohibit the rules from being interpreted.

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Manistique Five Trips St. Joe By 23-19 Score

Manistique, Mich., Dec. 8.—Taking the floor in the second half with the score 11-7 against them, the Manistique high school cagers came from behind to defeat a determined St. Joseph crew from Escanaba by a score of 23-19 here before a large crowd tonight.

The game was the first of the season for Coach Laurits Reque's crew and was the third for the visitors.

The first quarter was a feeler, both teams displaying caution. In the second period, the locals set up a tight zone but St. Joe peppered away with long shots that counted frequently and the Escanabans took a lead at half time.

INDIANS DEFEAT MATHERS, 22-18

Third Quarter Rally Is Margin of Victory for Newberry

Munising, Mich., Dec. 8.—Running up a victory margin in a third quarter rally that netted them 14 points, the Newberry Indians clung tenaciously to their slim lead in the final period tonight after losing two regulars on fouls and defeated Munising's classy quintet by 22-18.

The Newberry seconds also won, 19-12, in the preliminary.

Munising had much the better of the argument in the first half, holding a 5-1 lead at quarter time and a 7-3 advantage at the half way mark.

At this juncture, however, Beach, Menard and Suttin took charge to give Newberry 14 points on a flashy scoring attack in the third period, the Indians leading 17-13 at the end of the third quarter.

Things got a bit rough in the final frame as both teams strove to get the necessary points to win, Minard and Suttin of Newberry and Montcalm of the Mathers being sent to the showers on four fouls. Play was even in the final frame, both teams scoring five points.

In a previous game, Munising had defeated Marquette.

The summary:

Munising (18)	FG	FT	PF
Schaffstall	1	0	1
Florida	0	0	1
Nadeau	3	6	2
Montcalm	1	4	1
Olson	0	0	1
Smith	0	0	0
Passinault	0	0	1
Steinhof	0	0	1
Totals	5	8	11

Newberry (22)

FG	FT	PF	
Beach	4	0	1
Johnson	1	0	1
Minard	3	0	4
Suttin	2	0	4
Adkins	0	1	1
Rahilly	0	0	1
Stevenson	0	1	1
Totals	10	2	13

Referee: Kelly, Manistique. Score by periods: Munising 5 2 6 5-18 Newberry 1 2 14 5-22

CENTRAL DRUBS FERRIS

Mt. Pleasant, Mich., Dec. 8 (AP)—Fought to a 9-9 halftime tie, Central State Teachers college opened up in the second half to drub Ferris Institute in basketball, 23 to 20. Howard Elsing, center, scored 16 points for Central State. Les Brown, his rival at center, led Ferris with eight.

with Augusta, Ga., in 1931, had his best year in 1936 when he batted .345 in 146 games in the Athletics. He played in 115 games in 1938, batting .306. A feet-footed athlete who gets plenty of "leg hits," Moses has never been outstanding in the runs batted in department. Last year he sent in only 33 runs while making 194 hits, for the time he has been in the league, averaged only 54 runs driven in for a season.

On defense Moses should bolster the Tigers, playing alongside the speedy Barney McCosky.

Two Shortstops Left
The departure of McCoy was a distinct surprise, but Coffman's leaving was not unexpected. Benny came up to Detroit from Toledo last season and filled in for Charley Gehrigger and Frankie Croucher at one time or another. He batted .302 in 77 games and drove in 34 runs.

GATE \$80,000 FOR PRO TILT

Packers and Giants Set for Championship Go At Milwaukee

Milwaukee, Dec. 8 (AP)—The New York Giants—30 strong—rolled into town today and expressed confidence of taking home the winner's share of the record \$80,000 gate assured for the National football league's playoff game here Sunday between the Giants and Green Bay Packers.

"We beat 'em twice last year," said acting coach Bo Molenda, "and there's no reason why we can't do it again. They haven't strengthened their team at one position, as far as I can see, over last year's squad—and don't forget some of their stars of 1938 aren't as spry as they used to be."

In for Surprise
And what have the Packers to say about this?
Listen to coach Earl L. (Curly) Lambeau who brought his men to Milwaukee a few hours after the New Yorkers arrived:
"So Bo thinks we haven't strengthened our team? Well, he's in for a surprise."
"Sure, they beat us last year, but don't forget Don Hutson (Green Bay's great pass-catching end) played only a few minutes in the championship game in New York. He was in no shape to play even those few minutes. He had a leg so bad he should have been in a hospital."

"Don is in shape today. So are 23 other men. We haven't an injury on the squad and all we ask is a dry, fast field."
Indications were that the Pack-

er coach would get his wish, as no rain was in sight and the field was in fine shape. Perfect weather prevailed today as the squads went through light workouts. The temperature was in the 40's. The game was rated as a loss-up with little betting either way. If you liked the Packers some betting shops would take your \$6 against \$5. If you liked the Giants, it likewise was five for your six.

Tickets are sold out at regular agencies, but some scalpers still had a few. One agent was asking \$50 for a pair of \$4.40 seats.

Police were tracing a tip about counterfeit tickets reported to be in circulation.

Rose Bowl Is Prize In Los Angeles Tilt

Los Angeles, Dec. 8 (AP)—University of Southern California and the University of California at Los Angeles play tomorrow for the biggest prize of all—the Rose Bowl.

A record crowd of around 107,000 was in prospect for this climactic struggle.

The powerful Trojans of U.S.C. needing but a tie to lay claim to the Rose Bowl assignment, generally were picked to win. Many expect to see a free scoring battle and hard going for Troy.

On past records, the Trojans boast a stronger defense and a crushing offense backed by superior reserve power. U.C.L.A., due in the main to Hallback Kenny Washington, has come from behind to win or tie the last six of its nine games this season.

The winner must await formal recognition from the conference before proceeding with the matter of inviting an opponent for the post season game in the Rose Bowl. Tennessee, provided it defeats Auburn tomorrow, apparently is the logical choice.

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Escanaba 23; Marquette 17.
Gladstone 31; Rapid River 21.
Manistique 23; St. Joseph 19.
Newberry 23; Munising 18.
Eben 26; Harris 18.
Marenisco 25; Ontonagon 24.
Michigan 24; Trenary 22.
Champion 48; Palmer 28.
National Mine 34; Republic 4.
Negaunee 35; Gwin 30.
L'Anse 31; Calumet 24.
L'Anse B 30; Culbert B 15.

COLLEGE SCORES

Superior State Teachers 71; Northern State Teachers 62.
Central State 23; Ferris Institute 20.
Iowa 43; Milliken 26.
Deca 56; Grinnell 34.
U. of Arkansas 32; Southeastern Oklahoma Teachers 20.
Drake U. 57; Simpson (Indiana, Ia.) 41.
DePaul 65; Arkansas State 17.
DePaul 34; Cornell College 18.
North Dakota State 23; Hamline 28.
River Falls (Wis.) Teachers 63; St. Olaf 43.

Hockey Scores

National League
At Detroit: Boston 3; Detroit 0.

ward, Max Kinsman at center, and Chet Axelson and Mar Delrympie at guards.
Oosterbaan hopes his team's speed and accuracy will offset the lack of size, but he doesn't expect the Wolverines to do much better than last season when they won 12 of 19 games and finished in a three-way tie for seventh place in the Big Ten.
A crowd of at least 6,000 is expected to see the encounter. The Spartans already have disposed of Kalamazoo 49 to 23.

COLLEGE FOOTBALL

University of Georgia 13; Michigan 9.

WINTER SPORTS FANS CHEERED

Weather Bureau to Give Weekly Reports On Snow and Ice

Chicago, Dec. 8. (AP)—Uncle Sam through his weather bureau, is undertaking a program to head off some of the disappointments that plague winter sports devotees who encounter goopy ice, sticky snow and impassable roads.

Beginning Dec. 15, weather district centers at Detroit, Marquette, Mich., Duluth, Minn., Minneapolis and Milwaukee will collect from sports centers in their areas data on weather, roads, condition of snow, ice thicknesses and available sports each Friday morning.

The region center in Chicago will compile the information and issue week-end bulletins. This service, which was in operation last winter in the northeastern states, will continue well into March.

Weather data today indicated sportsmen needn't rush to sharpen skates and wax skis. Temperatures continued relatively mild over all sections of the country.

The storm that centered over the Great Lakes region yesterday has moved eastward beyond Maine after causing slight local rains and snows in the eastern Great Lakes region.

Two Women Linked With Philadelphia Mass Murder Ring

Philadelphia, Dec. 8. (AP)—The state scored for the sixteenth time today in its effort to obtain convictions or guilty pleas from members and clients of Philadelphia's mass-murder-for-insurance ring, and two women joined the group facing life imprisonment or death in the electric chair.

Three judges heard evidence and will fix punishment later on the guilty pleas of:

Mrs. Susie di Martino, 37, indicted for poisoning her baker-husband 22 months ago;

Mrs. Christina Cerrone, 70, described by the prosecution as "a tool of this vicious ring" in the drowning-for-insurance of a crippled boarder in her home.

The murder syndicate, a group of conspirators which took advantage of superstitions and domestic dissatisfaction to slay ruthlessly for money, is blamed by investigators for up to 100 deaths in four eastern states.

Three men and three women already were convicted of the murder plots, eight others pleaded guilty and two were acquitted. A half dozen more await trial.

President's Son Now Heads Studio

Hollywood, Dec. 8. (AP)—James Roosevelt, the president's son, was elevated to the presidency of Samuel Goldwyn Studio Co. today.

He retains his post as vice president of Samuel Goldwyn Productions, Inc.

The company which Roosevelt will head owns and operates Goldwyn's Hollywood plant. The production company makes the pictures.

The studio announcement did not indicate whether his salary—reported to be \$750 a week—would be increased. The 33-year-old former insurance executive joined the Goldwyn organization early this year.

Water Main Break Floods Grand Rapids

Grand Rapids, Mich., Dec. 8. (AP)—A 30-inch water main burst in downtown Grand Rapids today, upsetting business routine and leaving the city virtually without fire protection for two hours.

Basements and streets in a four-block area were flooded. A number of manufacturing plants suspended operations because of a water shortage for steam equipment. Investigators reported "considerable" damage.

Pensions Provided For Bank Employees

Grand Rapids, Mich., Dec. 8. (AP)—Thousands of employees of member banks of the Michigan Bankers association may eventually receive retirement pensions as the result of a pension trust plan announced today by Heber W. Curtis, president of the state association.

The plan provides for a potential retirement income of more than half the present salaries of the employees. Under consideration for nearly two years, it became effective with Curtis' signature.

Michigan Factories Get Army Contracts

Washington, Dec. 7. (AP)—Army contracts totalling \$8,680,857 awarded the last half of November were published today by the war department.

GUNS DISABLE 100 TANKS OF RUSSIAN ARMY

(Continued from Page One)

squadron of Russian aircraft dumped bombs ranging up to 200 pounds on Viipuri, the military and civilian population are as cool as the weather.

Thirty civilians and one soldier were killed then in the air raids and 80 civilians injured.

Hundreds of bombs fell without exploding and were picked up in the streets. All of the raids on Viipuri were in the first two days of the war.

A Russian airforce lieutenant, in the hospital at Viipuri after his plane had been shot down, told correspondents that the Finnish population was bombed by "mistake" because it was difficult to be accurate within 100 yards from great heights.

Two Heroes Produced Viipuri officials showed correspondents four uninjured Russian prisoners, one a flying lieutenant who parachuted safely from his bombing plane when the engine failed.

One of the prisoners, a farmer, said he had been in the army only three months and was told that the Finns were attacking Leningrad.

All of the prisoners needed shaves and wore padded jackets like those of the northern Chinese.

The first week's fighting has produced two Finnish heroes—Flying Lieutenant Vuorella and an unidentified expert rifleman.

Vuorella was said to have downed six Russian planes. The rifleman, fellow soldiers declared, alone killed or wounded from 41 to 47 Russians who attempted to advance across a marsh.

Other sharpshooting Finns, hidden in thickets on shore, picked off the Red soldiers as they fumbled around in the bog.

ICE DUE SOON

Copenhagen, Dec. 8. (AP)—Scandinavian merchant fleets beat a hasty retreat from Finnish ports tonight on the heels of Soviet Russia's declaration of a blockade of the Finnish coast, supplementing her attack by land, sea and air.

The naval blockade, however, only hastens by a few weeks the suspension of shipments every year due to the great ice blockade which cripple navigation in the Bothnia and Finnish gulfs.

The Russian blockade was announced as effective at noon today, but neutral ships were given until noon tomorrow to leave the blockaded zone. After that, Russia warned, the waters would be "dangerous for shipping."

Freezing Overdue Freezing over of shipping channels is now overdue. It is expected that by Christmas or New Year's the winter weather will have paralyzed sea traffic in the forbidden zones decreed at Moscow—including movements of the Red fleet.

Seasonal closing of the Gulf of Finland, gateway to Leningrad, was one of the factors which prompted Russia to obtain naval concessions from Latvia in the Gulf of Riga.

On the Swedish side of the Gulf of Bothnia, a few harbors are kept open the year around through the constant efforts of ice-breakers during the cold months.

Doubt was expressed here that Russian warships would succeed in entering approaches to the Gulf of Bothnia, which have been mined by both Finland and Sweden.

No Americans Affected Official circles asserted Russia was within her rights under international law in declaring the blockade. Diplomatic quarters said they believed Scandinavian states would leave the decision to shippers as to whether to take the risk of running the blockade.

(Secretary of State Hull in Washington said the United States would hold the Soviet government responsible for damages or injuries to Americans or American interests. Hull said that at present there were no American ships sailing to the area specified.)

Authorities on international law here said the fact that Russia had not declared war against Finland did not affect the situation, inasmuch as a state of war existed. They said that if Russia maintained an effective cordon of warships around Finland's coast the blockade would be regarded as valid.

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Washington, Dec. 7. (AP)—Army contracts totalling \$8,680,857 awarded the last half of November were published today by the war department.

They included a \$939,529 purchase of automobile engines from the Continental Motors Corporation, Muskegon, Mich. Among other contracts:

White Motor Company, Cleveland, Ohio, \$5-four-ton cargo trucks, \$478,000; General Motors, Corp., Chevrolet division, Detroit, 355 motor trucks, \$278,075.

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CALCULATIONS MISCARRY

Helsinki, Dec. 8. (AP)—Russian calculations of Finnish weakness have miscarried because the Finns will "fight to the end—even after the end," Prime Minister Risto Ryti declared tonight in a nationwide broadcast.

"Russian action against Finland was based on incorrect information and an error in calculation," he declared.

"It was supposed that the defensive capacity and the spirit of the Finnish army and nation could be broken by savage destruction which the whole civilized world abhors. The result will be a disappointment to Soviet Russia."

Ryti's address followed a statement by the government that since the Soviet Russian government itself holds that there is no war against Finland there can be no legal justification for the blockade of Finnish ports proclaimed by Moscow today.

"The Finnish people at this moment are fully united," Ryti said, "firm as steel and ready for the greatest sacrifices in behalf of their independence and their existence, for they are fully aware of what awaits them under the rule of such men as Mr. Kuusinen."

(Otto Kuusinen is chairman and minister of foreign affairs of the Soviet sponsored "people's" government set up at Terijoki.)

"If compelled to do so we shall fight to the end—even after the end. A conquest of Finland will not be a parade but will demand at every side heavy sacrifices from the attacker."

The Finnish government communique on the blockade pointed out that in peacetime there could be a question of a blockade "only against a nation which violates various provisions of the covenant of the League of Nations—for instance as the Soviet Union has violated them in launching her present attack."

As far as the Gulf of Bothnia is concerned, the blockade "lacks both legal and practical significance" for Russia has no warships there and can not send them there, the government asserted.

FLINT HOPEFUL IN BUS STRIKE

Offer of 4-Cent Hourly Wage Boost Turned Down By Union

Flint, Mich., Dec. 8. (AP)—A compromise offer was rejected for the second time today, but Flint tonight was hopeful a settlement of the dispute that has tied up the city's mass transportation for a week.

Members of the Transport Workers of America (CIO) again refused an offer by the Flint Trolley Coach, Inc., to grant a four-cent hourly wage increase for a 30-day period during negotiations. The union called a strike last Saturday, demanding a 10-cent increase for 97 drivers and maintenance men who have been receiving 68 cents an hour.

Although a special mediation commission appointed by Governor Dickinson was unable to bring about an agreement in a conference yesterday, Arthur C. Lappin, of Detroit, member of the state labor mediation board, reported that he saw "a possibility" for an immediate settlement.

Lappin made the statement before leaving for Flint following a conference in Detroit with August Scholle, CIO regional director, and Maurice Sugar, CIO attorney.

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Cherries lb 29c
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(Aurid odors)
\$1 Stationery 79c

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Steamer Sensibar Fast In Sands Of Grand Haven Shoal

Grand Haven, Mich., Dec. 8. (AP)—Two tugboats pulled in vain today at the steamer Sensibar, held fast in shoal waters where a gale drove her yesterday, and seamen planned a sand removal job to free the vessel.

Lines attached to the Sensibar by the tugs Montana and Wisconsin broke repeatedly. The coast guard cutter Escanaba and the patrol boat Antietam stood by during the operations.

W. J. Wipperfurth, representative of the Sensibar's owners, the Construction Aggregate company of Chicago, said the ship was grounded inside a heavy sandbar and that sand removing equipment would be required to release her.

The crew of 11 remained aboard the Sensibar. The coast guard set up a breeches buoy to the 538-foot steamer today so crew members may come ashore if necessary. In view of comparatively calm weather, however, no alarm was felt.

Youth, 17, Captured In Upper Peninsula, Put In Reformatory

Friendship, Wis., Dec. 8. (AP)—Robert Noel, 17, of Dearborn, Mich., involved in a fight Nov. 10 with Police Chief R. S. Payne of Wisconsin Rapids which resulted in the chief's death, today was sentenced to a three-to-ten-year term in the state reformatory.

Circuit Judge C. F. Van Pelt dismissed a murder charge following Noel's plea of guilty to armed robbery, assault while armed with intent to rob or murder, larceny of an automobile, and driving a car without the owner's consent.

Noel and a 14-year-old Mosinee boy were being returned to Wisconsin Rapids following their arrest at Plymouth, Ind., on an automobile theft charge when they attacked Payne and Deputy Sheriff Cliff Bluet. Payne apparently suffered an attack of heart disease during the fight and died while the youths, who had subdued and manacled the officers, were driving along a highway in the deputy's car.

The youths finally pushed Payne and Bluet from the machine and continued their flight. They were captured in northern Michigan.

Mrs. Judd Still Missing; Another Inmate Escapes

Phoenix, Ariz., Dec. 8. (AP)—The escape of another inmate tonight added to the tangled affairs of the Arizona state hospital for the insane, from which Winnie Ruth Judd is a fugitive for the second time within six weeks.

The Maricopa county sheriff's office reported the latest to leave was Bruno O. Hanks, 23, a criminally insane patient transferred here several years ago from the state prison at Florence.

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CHURCH LEADER STRICKEN

Orion, Mich., Dec. 8. (AP)—A stroke he suffered Monday while working on a road project proved fatal today to John L. Richard, 74, Lenawee county highway engineer for the last 20 years. Richard was elected moderator of the Lansing Presbytery of the Presbyterian church in 1938 and was the first layman named to the office in that district.

State gasoline taxes as of Aug. 1, 1939, averaged 4.46 cents a gallon and federal taxes 1 cent.

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