

WAR OR PEACE ISSUE UP TO REDS

BRITAIN OPENS AIR WARFARE ON BIG SCALE

BATTLE SPOTLIGHT TURNS TOWARD NORTH SEA

BY ROBERT BUNNELLE
London, Dec. 15 (AP)—Great Britain's fast-expanding air force was disclosed tonight to have flown boldly to the attack in mass offensives against Germany's boasted air superiority, launching a big-scale war in the air.

With the cold and cloud-blown North Sea as the battleground, the British pressed repeated waves of fast long-range planes, capable of both bombing and fighting, against the air and sea escort of a crippled German cruiser, and against Nazi seaplane bases at Borkum, Sylt, and Norderey.

These continuing offensive patrols were Britain's answers to persistent Nazi air raids and mine-laying forays on British naval anchorages and seaplanes.

New Phase of Conflict
The battle for air mastery, which already has accounted for the loss of some of Britain's and Germany's best fighting aircraft, was expected to turn the North Sea into the most hotly contested theater of the war. In these wars shipping already has taken the heaviest punishment of the three-and-a-half month old conflict.

Authoritative sources disclosed the attacks of the last few days have been carried out by British planes working in echelons. Their size was a secret, but presumably they involved the largest total air strength yet used.

The intensified air war, touched off by Britain's inauguration of "security patrols" to keep German air raiders and mine layers from British shores, has been described as the most significant military air action since the war.

Next Waves Attacked
The large-scale battle yesterday near the scene of the great World War battle of Jutland was touched off by a British attempt to finish off a convoyed German cruiser already damaged by a torpedo, and was said by British fliers to have involved some 20 Nazi Messerschmidt fighters.

Some British sources put the number of British planes in this engagement at 12.

The British admitted the loss of three planes and said four Messerschmidts were shot down. (The Germans contended that "ten out of twenty" new British bombers were destroyed and that one German plane was forced down).

Last night and early today, other British squadrons were reported by the air ministry to have bombed German seaplanes at Sylt, Nazi island base off southwest Denmark, and to have attacked the islands of Borkum and Norderey, Nazi bases off the northwest Netherlands coast.

The air ministry said all British planes returned safely from the raids on the island seaplanes.

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Weather
LOWER LAKES: Fresh south, shifting to southwest and west winds; partly cloudy Saturday, light showers in morning over Ontario.

UPPER LAKES: Moderate to fresh southwest and west winds; partly overcast Saturday.

War-Torn Finland Pays Debt To U. S.

Washington, Dec. 15 (AP)—While the major world powers among the United States' war debtors tendered only polite regrets, little war-torn Finland punctually delivered to the treasury today her \$234,593 semi-annual payment with this message:

"No emergency can be so deep as to make Finland disregard an obligation incurred in good faith." Hjalmar Procope, the Finnish minister, spoke these words as he handed Secretary Morgenthau a green check that kept unbroken the Baltic republic's record of having met every installment on her debt.

Tea Million Loaned
"This money we got twenty-one years ago to help us through a difficult time," he said. "Now, we make this payment in time of distress, trial and aggression. We trust in the support of the believers in freedom and democracy in this country and all over the world."

Secretary Morgenthau took the check with one hand, gripped the envoy's with the other, and, emphasizing every word, replied: "I should like to congratulate your country, which, during dark days as well as fair, has never failed to honor its obligations."

Morgenthau disclosed for the first time that "scores of contributions" have been received at the treasury from persons wishing to help Finland repay its debt to the United States.

He said these donations, totaling about \$250, would be turned over to Procope.

Hungary Sends \$9,938
Although Finland still owes \$8,789,492, it alone among the treasury's war debtors is in good standing.

Russians again suggested that it might be able to resume paying if given trade concessions.

Thus, only \$244,591 was received of the \$161,167,000 due today on a total debt of \$12,565,707,000. The loans were made during the World War to help the allies and, after the war, to aid the new and old countries defined by the peace treaties.

SCHOOLS URGED TO CUT COSTS

Lansing, Dec. 15 (AP)—Governor Dickinson said today he would seek to enlist school teachers and others in an economy campaign that would make possible reductions in the state's annual appropriations to the public schools.

He made his statement in reply to an announcement by the Michigan Education association that an independent survey indicated a majority of Michigan citizens were willing to pay more taxes if this were necessary to maintain or increase the level of school appropriations.

The governor said he would like more information concerning the groups in which the surveys circulated the questionnaires on which they based their conclusions, and whether the questions were so phrased that the answers would have to be in favor of higher taxes.

Dickinson charged that "lobbyists for the Michigan Education association do not represent the viewpoints of the rank and file members," and that within the association he expected to "find many real friends of economy."

The association served notice Thursday that school men would fight in court if necessary, state attempts by Gov. T. Harris, state budget director, to subtract from this year's \$39,000,000 appropriation to the schools a \$2,500,000 "advance" the schools received from the state last year.

James G. Frey Rites Are Set For Sunday
Dubois, Pa., Dec. 15 (AP)—Funeral services for James G. Frey, Michigan's first secretary of state who died at Ridgebury, Pa., yesterday, will be held here at 2:30 p. m. Sunday.

DEMAND MADE FOR INTERNING OF GRAF SPEE

NAZI WARSHIP MAY RUN GAUNTLET BY 3:30 SUNDAY

Montevideo, Dec. 16 (Saturday) (AP)—Uruguay early today gave the German raider Admiral Graf Spee the choice of sailing tomorrow night to sea, where British warships are waiting to sink her, or accepting internment in this neutral port for the duration of the war.

The government handed its ultimatum — sail by 5 p. m. Sunday (3:30 p. m. E. S. T.) or be interned — to the commander of the crippled pocket battleship shortly after midnight.

Uruguay acted promptly after an Uruguayan naval board inspected the Graf Spee at her mooring in Montevideo harbor and recommended such a step.

Previously, Great Britain had made two urgent demands upon the South American country to force the Graf Spee to sail or to intern her.

Death Watch Grows
The Graf Spee limped into Montevideo harbor last Wednesday midnight after a 14-hour battle with three British cruisers, the Exeter, Achilles and Ajax. The Exeter was shot up also but the other two took up positions just outside territorial waters, waiting to resume the fight if the Graf Spee came out.

It was indicated that another British cruiser, the Cumberland, had joined them, and the French battleship Dunkerque — one of five allied warships said to be capable of dealing alone with the Graf Spee — was reported enroute to join the cordon.

The action of the naval board was announced shortly before midnight, several hours after Great Britain had made a second diplomatic demand that the Graf Spee either be interned for the rest of the war or forced to venture into the high seas, where allied warships are watchfully waiting for her.

Next Fight or Quit
Previously the Uruguayan foreign office had announced Germany would be permitted to make the Graf Spee "seaworthy," following her damage in Wednesday's great sea battle with three British cruisers.

Subsequently, however, the Uruguayan foreign minister, Alberto Guani, asked the naval board to look over the Graf Spee and define how long she might be permitted to remain in this neutral port to make "seaworthy," without simultaneously being made "combat worthy."

The definition was made necessary by the blunt British demand that the Graf Spee either be interned or ejected, to fight it out with the British cruisers which forced her into refuge here Wednesday night. These now are reinforced.

Earlier tonight, Guani had announced that the Graf Spee would be interned here.

Man Who Walked With Lincoln Dies In Detroit At 101
Detroit, Dec. 15 (AP)—Avery S. Beardsley, who took pride in the fact that he "walked and talked with Lincoln many times," died here today at the age of 101. He was known as the oldest Grand Army of the Republic member in Michigan.

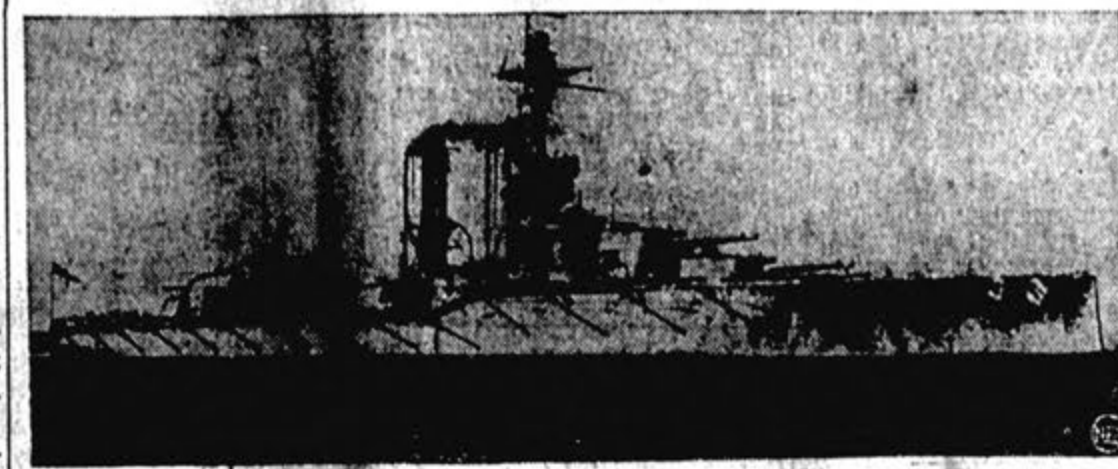
Born in Akron, O., in 1838, Beardsley saw service in the Civil war at Gettysburg. He came to Michigan in 1862, settling on a farm near Adrian. For 35 years he was justice of peace of Osgood township, Lenawee county. He also was a supervisor, resigning when he was 97.

During the last three years he resided here with a daughter-in-law.

British Cruisers Lie In Wait for German Sea Raider



British Cruiser Achilles: 7639 tons; eight 6-inch guns; speed, 32.5 knots.



British Cruiser Ajax: 6346 tons; eight 6-inch guns; speed, 32.5 knots.

The stage is set in the South Atlantic for renewal of the war's biggest naval battle as the British cruisers Achilles and Ajax set a death watch on the damaged German pocket battleship.

Chippewa Falls Tangle Takes Seventh Victim

Chippewa Falls, Wis., Dec. 15 (AP)—Earl Redard, 38, service station operator who was shot early last Saturday in a nightmarish tangle involving six other deaths, died tonight at 7:30 in a hospital.

Redard, who received the charge of a .16 gauge shotgun in the stomach and arm, was quoted by Police Chief Ed Holts as saying he was shot by Donald T. Cameron, 35-year-old salesman who committed suicide after leaving the scene, and a woman-in-law for dead in a blazing cottage at Lake Wisconsin.

The shooting transpired, Holts quoted Redard as saying, when Cameron held up Redard's service station on the city outskirts, obtained \$20, and then fired when Redard and two other resisted. The others, both wounded, were Sam Holsen, 31, and Frank Babbitt, 31, both of Bloomer.

At almost the same hour, the body of Marshall Brenden, Eau Claire service station operator, was found in an Eau Claire cemetery 15 miles away. He had been shot and robbed of \$100. Authorities have not decided, however, there was no connection between the cases.

END OF ALPENA STRIKE IS SEEN
Basis for Settlement Reached In 13 Week Plant Shutdown
Lansing, Dec. 15 (AP)—Representatives of the strike-affected Alpina Garment Company and the International Ladies Garment Workers Union reached a basis for settlement of a 13 weeks old strike tonight.

The state labor mediation board, which conducted the peace conference, said the conferees were in agreement on all but the phrasing of one point in the controversy, and that only a matter of phraseology stood in the way of complete accord.

A proposed basis for settlement will be submitted to striking employees of the company's plants at Alpina, Cheboygan, Rogers City and Onaway Monday, the board said, to determine whether it is acceptable to them.

The point in controversy was the phrasing of a guarantee that neither the employers nor non-union employees would strike the union, and that the company guarantee that the union would maintain its strength through the life of the proposed agreement.

The employer's agreed to re-negotiate with any union employee who withdrew from the union, but said that was as far as they could go.

The settlement plan involves wage increases ranging up to 10 cents an hour; machinery for settling grievances, arbitration, and conditions of employment.

STAND EVADED ON THIRD TERM

Roosevelt Won't Talk About Candidacy of Paul V. McNutt
BY WILLIAM S. ARDERY
Hyde Park, N. Y., Dec. 15 (AP)—President Roosevelt passed up another opportunity for a third term statement today by refusing to take a stand on the candidacy of Paul V. McNutt.

The chief executive said he was too old in political experience to comment on this candidate, that candidate, the third, and the fourth candidates. He added that he might have fallen for such questions if he had been 25 or 30 years younger in political life.

This answer came when reporters asked whether Mr. Roosevelt, as a liberal, would endorse Secretary Ickes' statement that liberals would not support McNutt for the Democratic presidential nomination.

He added that if persons gave an opinion on one candidate after another there would be a gradual process of elimination and soon the newspapers would have the whole story.

The chief executive held a curbstone press conference after entering a closed car at the snow-banked railroad station near his home. He rolled down a window and listened carefully to questions — but most of his replies were negative.

Gladstone To Get State Police Post During Next Year
East Lansing, Dec. 15 (AP)—Oscar G. Olander, commissioner of the Michigan state police, disclosed today that the new state police posts will be built at Gladstone and Sandusky during 1940.

Olander said the two new posts will bring the total of detachments out-state to 43, the number of posts in the Upper Peninsula to eight and the number in the "metropolitan" area to six.

Construction will be started in the spring, he said, and each post will be a five-man building of the sub-station design.

Germany Closes Up Borders At Night
Berlin, Dec. 15 (AP)—Germany tonight announced the closing of the Netherlands, Danish, Belgian, Swiss and Luxembourg borders between 8 p. m. and 7 a. m. daily, beginning Dec. 18.

The closings were described as an effort to prevent "such elements as smugglers and foreign espionage agents from trying to cross illegally." Trains will not be affected.

PROCOPE WILL SPEAK AT SUOMI CEREMONY OVER LONG DISTANCE

Hancock, Mich., Dec. 15 (AP)—Dedicated exercises for the new Suomi college building Sunday will be addressed by Hjalmar J. Procope, Finnish minister to the United States, by telephone from Washington. Because of the crisis in his country, Procope excused himself from attending the dedication with a broken leg.

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Michigan Slipping, Tourist Groups Say

Lansing, Dec. 15 (AP)—Leaders of the four tourist and resort associations, declaring other states are capitalizing on Michigan's reduced tourist advertising appropriation, called today for help from state agencies in meeting this competition.

They said persons unable to vacation in Europe because of the war should be induced to come to Michigan.

The group came to Lansing with the avowed intention of asking the administrative board for an emergency grant of \$50,000 to finance a nation-wide tourist advertising campaign. They said the legislature's economy program had cut the usual \$50,000 appropriation for this purpose to \$5,000, and that sum was inadequate.

Illinois, Wisconsin Active
Illinois, they said, is spending \$250,000, and Wisconsin and Ohio are conducting more active advertising programs, hoping to take away some of Michigan's prestige as a host to tourists.

Governor Dickinson and Auditor General Vernon J. Brown put a damper on the leaders' hopes for a grant from the state. "If you're not getting what you ought to have, it's because somebody else has got ahead of you," Dickinson declared.

He asserted the pressure of organized groups has disjoined Michigan's spending program, and spending program, and mentioned specifically lobbies for more generous appropriations to the schools, medical treatment of indigent persons and for highway purposes.

Joseph J. Herbert of Manistique, president of the Upper Peninsula Development Bureau, declared in a speech that the tourist industry brought \$315,000,000 a year into Michigan, and that it could be encouraged. He declared Americans who normally would spend \$16,000,000 a year for European tours would be good prospects for a well-planned advertising program by a state which has Michigan's advantages.

Loss 30 Millions
A 10 per cent loss of the tourist business through poor advertising facilities, he asserted, would take something like \$30,000,000 out of the pockets of Michigan business men and farmers.

The group issued a statement announcing its intention to propose that August 1 henceforth be proclaimed as "Michigan Day" and a holiday, to encourage Michigan citizens to travel within their own state. The conference also discussed plans for an intensive advertising program in the first week of April.

MRS. JUDD, MAD SLAYER CAUGHT

Phoenix, Ariz., Dec. 15 (AP)—Winnie Ruth Judd broke an eight-year silence tonight and related for the first time details of the trunk murder of her two best friends in 1931.

En route from Yuma, where she was captured shortly after noon, ending 12 days of freedom from the Arizona hospital for the insane, Mrs. Judd told Sheriff T. H. Newman and news men that she killed Agnes Ann Lerol and Hedvig Samuelson in self-defense and that an accomplice helped her dispose of the bodies.

Mrs. Judd, at the end of her second flight from the hospital in six weeks, protested that she wasn't "running away from the hospital but just trying to get away from mistreatment."

Her stockings were worn away, leaving her feet bare. She told Newman she walked barefooted all the way from Phoenix except for a 20-mile ride, and that she had not eaten for three days.

She was carrying two notes, apparently copies of those she left behind after her escape December 3.

One demanded a trial for the slaying of Hedvig Samuelson, one of the two women she killed in 1931, and that she be given "insulin and metrazol treatments like the other patients so I can get well."

FINNS REPORT SUCCESSES ON LAND AND SEA

RUSSIAN SHIP SUNK; SOVIETS BEATEN, LOSE TANKS

Helsinki, Dec. 15 (AP)—The Finnish high command tonight announced that a Russian destroyer had been sunk by coastal batteries, twenty Soviet tanks captured and others destroyed and that Russian troops had been defeated in 24 hours of fighting.

While Finnish forces were reporting these setbacks to the Russian invaders, Foreign Minister Caino Tanner was putting the issue of continued war or peace negotiations squarely up to the Soviet Union government in a sudden radio speech addressed to Premier Foreign Commissar Vyacheslav Molotov.

He declared that the Finns are still willing to negotiate a peace but, "if Moscow's aim is conquest of the whole country, then the Finns will fight to the end."

Airmen Attack Soldiers
A high command communique said coast defense batteries, during a battle in the outer Turku Archipelago, damaged a Russian destroyer of the Gordi type so badly that it sank later in full view of a Finnish military lookout.

(Jane's fighting ships lists the Gordi type destroyers as 2,900-ton vessels launched in 1929.)

The Finnish air force, the communique continued, made several reconnoitering flights and attacked enemy columns, and detached units, setting fire to part of a Russian automobile column transporting fuel to the front.

Russian planes were said to have attacked the southwestern Finnish islands and the Petsamo region, the far northeast corner of Finland.

Roads Cut Off
Suomussalmi, about 12 miles from the frontier and 225 miles north of Lake Ladoga, has been a scene of fierce fighting for several days. Now, the Finnish communique said, the Finns have cut the roads leading to the frontier and driven the Russians back near Kiantajarvi.

Part of the defeated Russians were reported isolated and surrounded in this lake region a few miles north of Suomussalmi.

North of Lake Ladoga, the Russians attacked under cover of artillery fire between Lomola and the lake but were driven back, the communique said, adding that "we captured five tanks, as well as other material."

In addition, the Finns said they captured 15 more tanks in the Tolvajarvi district, some 45 miles north of Lake Ladoga.

Foreign Minister Tanner, in his (Continued on Page Two)

Christmas Carols Through the Ages

LULLAY, THOU LITTLE TINY CHILD
By, by, lullay, lullay... Herod hath charged his men of might All children young to slay...

This is the famous Coventry Carol, first used in 15th century Mystery Plays dealing with the life of Christ. It was sung by women of Bethlehem in the play, just before Herod's soldiers came in to slay their children.

7 Shopping Day Till Christmas

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declaration that the way is still open to peaceful negotiation of the troubles between Russia and Finland, made it clear that any such dealings would have to be on the principle that small nations have the right of self-determination.

"Already the first 16 days have shown that the war will be fierce and demand many victims," he said. "Why shed blood so long as there are other possibilities unexamined?"

He commented on the fact that Russia rejected conciliatory moves by Sweden, the United States and the League of Nations but added: "However, the air is still open."

Nevertheless, the Finnish army called to the colors all reservists capable of serving, ordering them to report tomorrow fully equipped.

Many persons not on the reserve lists have been trying to enlist, but hitherto were rejected pending expansion of the army's facilities to absorb new recruits. (From Kirkenes, Norway, just across the border from the nickel mining region through which the Russians are penetrating the extreme northeast corner of Finland, came reports that Russian troops which had been expected to reach Salmijarvi last night were still miles away. They are advancing slowly along the Arctic highway.)

(The Finns were carrying out their "parched earth" policy with a vengeance in systematic withdrawal from this isolated mining district 200 miles north of the Arctic circle. They were burning every town and house, dynamiting and leaving nothing behind that could in any way be of value to the invaders. Explosions were heard repeatedly.)

BY LYNN HEINZERLING With the Finnish army on the Taipale River front, Dec. 15 (AP)—Finns armed with nothing but sticks of dynamite or strings of hand grenades have destroyed many of the 35 tanks claimed by the Finnish forces in this sector, officers told me tonight.

Clad in white, these human anti-tank guns slip out into the snow-covered no-man's land and attack the tanks by surprise with their explosives. Usually they come back safely, the officers said. The Finnish officers generally admit that the Russians have more modern and expensive war equipment but insist they fall to use it successfully.

Russian infantry attacks, they said, usually are made with large numbers of troops which the Finns are able to block with cleverly concealed machine guns. In another method the Russians send out single tanks with a small group of infantry behind them, hoping to find a position near the Finnish lines.

Russian soldiers, the Finns declared, were "cannon fodder, not soldiers."

One officer said a letter taken from a dead Russian threatened to place him before a revolutionary tribunal unless the advance went forward faster. One prisoner said many Russians were suffering frozen hands and feet and that living conditions were very difficult.

Manistique Regent At First Meeting Of University Board

Ann Arbor, Dec. 15 (AP)—The University of Michigan board of regents today appointed Carl G. Brandt, chairman of the department of English in the engineering college, as director of student- alumni relations.

Brandt, who directed the university's centennial celebration in 1927, succeeds the late Dean Henry C. Anderson, who died last October 14.

Today's meeting of the regents was the last for Julius E. Beal of Ann Arbor, a member of the board continuously since 1908, and the first for Regent-elect Harry G. Kipke, Ann Arbor, and Joseph J. Herbert, Manistique.

During his 32 years on the board Beal attended 359 meetings. He missed only 19 other sessions and for 24 years did not miss a single meeting. He is retiring because of ill health.

Kipke, ousted two years ago as Michigan football coach, and Herbert were invited to attend today's meeting before formally assuming office January 2. Both are Republicans.

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Pacific Northwest Drenched By Gales; Ships Take Shelter

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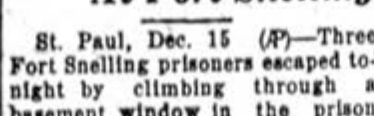
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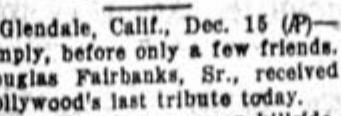
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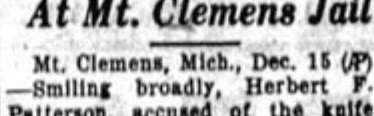
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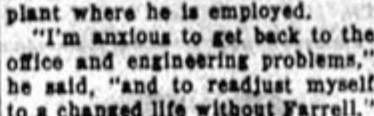
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NORMAN CASE ONLY STARTED

Testimony To Be Continued Monday; Details of Fight Vary

Testimony in the case of Gunner Norman accused of attack with a dangerous weapon upon John MacGillis on the morning of November 5, was started yesterday afternoon before Justice of the Peace H. E. Ranquette, but interrupted at 5 o'clock to be continued at 10 o'clock Monday morning.

MacGillis was brought to the stand early in the proceedings and repeated his account of the affray, saying that he was stabbed in the back after he sought to shake hands with Norman, in settlement of an earlier affray in which MacGillis admitted he struck Norman with his fist.

None Saw Stabbing

Cross examination failed to shake MacGillis' story, but other witnesses called to the stand failed to give testimony upholding the MacGillis version of events leading up to the assault.

MacGillis repeated the story he gave police following the affray, declaring that he and a friend had been having a lunch at the counter of a restaurant near Twelfth and Ludington streets, about 2:30 a. m. of the day in question, when Norman, in a boisterous mood, set down a cup of coffee between the two at the counter, spilling some of the coffee on MacGillis.

MacGillis said he jumped up, and when Norman raised his hands, apparently as if to fight, MacGillis struck him in the mouth knocking out a tooth and splitting his lip.

None of those heard yesterday testified to seeing the actual stabbing, which it was agreed took place about 20 or 25 minutes after the altercation inside the restaurant.

Did Coffee Spill?

Dan Russell, 1204 Ludington street, testified that he and Carl Stone were sitting in a booth in the restaurant at the time of the first altercation. He said he saw Norman walk up to the counter near MacGillis and his friend at the counter, but that he did not see Norman set the coffee on the counter or spill it.

Russell said Norman set the coffee on the counter after MacGillis had struck the blow and that Norman cried, "What did I do to you. Why did you hit me?"

Russell and Stone, who followed him on the stand, both testified that they counseled MacGillis to apologize. Stone said that he was standing at the front window of the restaurant a little later when he saw Norman on the walk and that he had told MacGillis that Norman was outside and that he should go out and apologize.

On the sidewalk outside, Stone said, he could see that the two seemed to be still arguing, that he saw arms flying, but no knife and that he saw MacGillis entering the restaurant "on all fours."

(MacGillis had said that he dropped to his knees after being wounded in the back as he fled back to the restaurant, after, he said, Norman had raised a knife to strike him as he sought to shake hands.)

Knife Identified

Stone said that he went outside as MacGillis entered and that he took from Norman's overcoat pocket the knife with which the alleged attack was made. The knife was on display before the court and identified by Stone as the one he had taken from the coat pocket.

Stone corroborated MacGillis' testimony that he had taken the knife inside and broken it over his knee, the seven inch blade breaking in three pieces.

Dr. Harold Groos, who dressed MacGillis' wound, which he said was made apparently with a sharp instrument, and who also repaired Norman's lip, told briefly of the nature of the wounds.

Opening testimony was given by the arresting officers, Police men Fred Papineau, Harry Gasman and Harold Finnan, who told of answering a call to the restaurant, of taking both men to the doctor and of the arrest.

On hand to testify were Joe Golin and Orville Tupper, described as employees of the restaurant, but they were asked to return Monday.

Relatives of John Bruns Are Sought; Youth Badly Hurt

The Daily Press has been asked to locate the parents or other relatives of a John F. Bruns, or Bruna, who is believed to be from Rapid River and who is lying near death in a hospital at Council Bluffs, Iowa as a result of an automobile accident recently.

The young man is described as being 23 years of age, five feet seven inches in height, weighs about 150 pounds and has blond complexion and light hair. He registered at a Council Bluffs hotel as "John F. Bruns, Rapid River, Michigan" but other papers indicate his real name is John Bruns. He has talked a little since the accident and told Sheriff Riley C. Nelson that he is from Michigan and has a sister Mary at Roseville, Mich.

Persons knowing of relatives of Bruns are asked to communicate with the Daily Press. A picture of the young man is available at the Press office for identification purposes although it is not clear enough for reproduction.

WOHLEN BACK FROM MEETING

Supervisors Recommend Changes in Policy in Forest Service

Paul A. Wohlen, supervisor of the Upper Peninsula national forest, returned yesterday from Milwaukee where he attended a ten-day conference with supervisors of 13 national forests in eight states of the North Central region of the United States forest service.

Wohlen said the meeting was a constructive one with discussion being held on all phases of forest service work including timber sale, grazing, recreation, wildlife and reforestation. Out of these discussions, Wohlen said, came several recommendations of changes in policy of the service. These recommendations were submitted to the regional forester for further consideration.

Among the 13 supervisors of national forests present was Frank Crow, former local assistant who is supervisor in Ohio with offices at Columbus. Other supervisors came from Minnesota, Wisconsin, Indiana, Illinois and Missouri.

Regional Forester Jay H. Price, in commenting on the constructive character of the conference, said: "Along with other activities, the supervisors reviewed the wildlife work on the various national forests. They emphasized the fact that the particular responsibility of the forest service in wildlife management is to administer the lands under its jurisdiction so as to provide the most favorable conditions under which wildlife may thrive and the surplus be available to the public for hunting and fishing. On national forests, just as on state and private lands, the state conservation departments determine the seasons and bag limits and issue hunting and fishing licenses. These state agencies likewise protect wildlife on national forests from poachers and restock depleted areas with game and fish. This division of responsibilities in wildlife administration on national forests has worked out satisfactorily and the forest supervisors urged that no questions of jurisdiction be allowed to interfere with its continuance.

"These recommendations meet with my approval and will continue to form the basis of our regional wildlife policy.

"This policy is in harmony with the announcement by Chief Forester F. A. Silcox, following the recent federal court decision affecting wildlife on the Pisgah National Forest in North Carolina. Mr. Silcox's announcement was to the effect that the efforts of the forest service in the administration of wildlife on the national forests will continue to be directed toward promoting cooperation between the state and federal agencies in this field."

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Eleven Ag Agents From U. P. to Attend Lancing Sessions

E. A. Wenner, county agricultural agent, will leave Sunday for the annual conference of state agricultural extension workers to be held in East Lansing Monday through Wednesday.

The Upper Peninsula will be represented by eleven county agricultural agents and 12 leaders in 4-H club work and college extension workers, including Clarence Rood and Miss Marcella Meyer, assistant state 4-H leaders; Miss Helen Strow, home demonstration agent; Miss Miriam Eads, home economics agent and D. L. Clanshan, Michigan State college crops specialist for the U. P.

Other 4-H club leaders attending will be Mary Richmond, Chippewa county; R. H. Kaven, Crystal Falls; Edith Johnson, Ironwood; and Margaret Cole, home demonstration agent, Menominee. County agricultural agents will include Earl Roberts, Houghton county; G. F. Biekola, Baraga; C. E. Gunderson, Ironwood; Arthur Otterbein, Crystal Falls; Arthur Lonsdorf, Dickinson; B. D. Kuhn, Menominee; E. A. Wenner, Escanaba; William Cargo, Luce, Mackinac, Alger and Schoolcraft counties; D. L. McMillan, Chippewa, and A. J. Mollanen, Ontonagon.

On Monday various groups will consider the following subjects: Soils, dairy husbandry, animal husbandry, animal diseases, poultry husbandry, agricultural engineering, farm management, agricultural economics, farm crops, entomology, horticulture, landscape, plant disease, forestry, land use and 4-H club work.

The annual extension conference dinner will be held in the Union hall room of Michigan State college at 6:30 Monday and will be in charge of the Alpha Psi chapter of Epistol Sigma Phi, national honorary extension fraternity.

Several Talks Scheduled

Highlights of the Tuesday morning session will be the annual greeting to extension workers by Dr. Robert S. Shaw, and addresses on "Historical Background of the Present War," by Dr. M. M. Knappen, professor of history, and on "Facing Facts in Human Affairs," by Dr. Paul J. Kruse, graduate school of education, Cornell university.

County agricultural agents will meet in the afternoon and will hear a talk on land-use planning by H. A. Berg, four-H agent and staff members also will meet. In the evening the agricultural agents will hold their annual banquet.

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Details Of Scout Trip To Mackinac Island Are Given

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Under present plans, approximately 80 Scouts will make the trip in 1940 instead of 40 as in 1939. The contest has been expanded to include Scouts of Alger, Delta and Schoolcraft counties. The only requirements to enter the contest are to be a registered Scout during the time of the contest and be in good standing with a Scout troop. Contest points are earned through securing new Scouts, attendance at meetings, advancement in rank, participation in general activities and living the Scout oath and law.

Contest Cards Available

Special contest cards are available at all Scout troops and at the Scout office that must be used for the official contest and scoring. Scoutmasters will keep all cards and enter the official scores at the conclusion of the contest. Scout leaders will be selected by the executive committee to accompany the two trips to the island in August. Over 100 boys entered the contest in 1939 and it is expected that about 400 will enter the expanded contest for 1940.

A new procedure in which each troop may select one Scout for every eight in the unit as a winner puts the contest on a troop basis and allows a more even distribution from all troops of the council.

New Rail Terminal Urged In Milwaukee

Consolidation of the Milwaukee terminal facilities of the Chicago, Milwaukee, St. Paul and Pacific Railroad, and the Chicago and North Western Railway through the erection of a new rail-water terminal by a private corporation at a cost of \$10,000,000 is proposed by a civic committee which was appointed by the Milwaukee city council. The property owned by Allis-Chalmers Manufacturing Company and the two railroads on the south side of the city has been recommended as the site.

Conferees with railroad executives to discuss the proposal are planned soon. The present C. & N. W. tracks along Lake Michigan would be turned into a high speed super-highway and both carriers would use the Milwaukee road's tracks, if the plan is adopted.

The site is close to the Milwaukee harbor entrance and runs parallel to the nearby Milwaukee and Kinlockin rivers. The site was termed adequate for a new terminal, sheds, parking space and mercantile offices handling food supplies and package freight.

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HEART ATTACK PROVES FATAL

Gregory Puissant's Body Discovered In Auto Early Yesterday

Gregory Puissant, 70, plumber's assistant and resident of Escanaba for 25 years, was found dead in his car in the garage at 504 Ludington street, early yesterday morning. Death was due to myocarditis, Coroner Otto S. Hult of Gladstone said.

Puissant left the home of his brother, Clement, as he often did at nights on Thursday night. When he failed to appear as usual Friday morning, a search was made and his body was found in the car, slumped over the wheel. Apparently he was seized with a heart attack after he had driven the car in the garage.

The deceased was born in Casco, Wis., in March, 1869, and came to this city about 25 years ago, being employed as plumber's assistant since that time. He was a member of the Holy Name Society of St. Joseph church.

One brother, Clement, with whom he made his home, is the only survivor.

The body was taken to the Anderson Funeral Home and will lie in state there starting this afternoon. Funeral services will be held Monday morning at 9 o'clock at St. Joseph church, Rev. Edward Leary officiating. Burial will be in St. Anne cemetery.

PROF. NICHOLS DIES

Ironwood—E. T. Nichols, known to thousands of students who have attended the Luther L. Wright high school as "Prof," is dead at the age of 84 years.

"Prof" retired as an employee of the Ironwood school district three years ago after 43 years of service, first as a janitor and later as a supply clerk at the high school. A paralytic stroke three years ago last May brought about his retirement. A year later he suffered another slight stroke. Since the death of his wife April 5 he had made his home with a daughter, Mrs. C. W. Moore, at Bessemer.

The star Deneb, in the constellation Cygnus, is the north polar star of Mars.

Obituary

MRS. PETER JENSEN

Funeral services for Mrs. Peter Jensen, esteemed resident of Escanaba, who died Thursday following a long illness, will be held this afternoon, at 1:40 o'clock at the Anderson Funeral Home where the body is in state, and at 2 o'clock at the First Presbyterian church. Rev. Carl E. Berger will officiate. Burial will be in the family lot in Lakeview cemetery.

MRS. HULDA LENANDER

Funeral services for Mrs. Hulda Lenander, aged resident of Escanaba, who died Thursday morning, will be held this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the chapel of the Anderson Funeral Home, where the body is resting in state. Rev. Dr. C. Albert Lund of Bethany Lutheran church will officiate at the rites. Burial will be in Lakeview cemetery.

ALBERT CONSTANTINEAU

The body of Albert Constantineau, aged Perronville resident, will be removed from the Boyle Undertaking Parlors at Bark River this afternoon at 3 o'clock to the Peter Guindon home at Schaffer. Funeral services will be held at 9 o'clock Monday morning at the Sacred Heart church, Rev. W. J. Remillard officiating. Burial will be in the Sacred Heart cemetery.

Pep Session Held At Senior High

Members of the senior high school stamp club sponsored a pep meeting at an assembly yesterday morning.

Speakers included Coach Jim Rouman and Henry Wylie while music was furnished by the basketball band under the direction of Tom Thompson and student singing directed by R. P. Bowers. Student interviews were conducted and cheerleaders led in yell.

Marcella Provo was the announcer.

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MRS. LIED ACQUITTED

Menominee—Mrs. W. E. Lied, 1105 Stephenson avenue, yesterday afternoon was acquitted by a justice court jury on a careless driving charge in connection with a car accident on US-41 near Carbondale on Nov. 15 in which Robert S. Rowe, Green Bay, was seriously injured. Rowe is now convalescing at a Green Bay hospital.

The jury in Justice George Kramer's court deliberated about 15 minutes. James Birmingham, Robert Egan, A. J. Herbet, Mrs. Fred Mainster and Mrs. Joseph Marx composed the jury. A sixth juror, a woman, was excused when she said that she had been in an auto accident and believed that she could not be impartial.

Both the blackbird and the crow, closely related, walk instead of hop as do most other birds.

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Here and There

FOR many years the canal locks at Sault Ste. Marie have been among the Upper Peninsula's outstanding tourist attractions.

Escanaba snow has been used many winters to make skiing possible at the annual tournament of the Norge Ski club at Cary, Ill.

Escanaba's leadership as a shopping center in the Upper Peninsula was again confirmed by the report of a survey of retail trade made recently by the U. S. Department of Commerce.

Do not be surprised if you see some more agitation for the Au Train canal project, which would bisect the Upper Peninsula from Munising to Rapid River.

A return of public interest in the possibilities for developing communities through the improvement of agricultural conditions is noted in various parts of the country.

Heavy Relief Loads

THE perennial end-of-the-year relief crises are likely to spring up almost anywhere.

But even the most astute balancer of municipal budgets can solve the problem only temporarily.

In August of this year, there were 1,582,000 cases on direct relief in all of the 48 states.

The average monthly expenditure for every relief case during the month of August, taken as a representative month, was \$24.07.

Highest payments were recorded in the more heavily populated states, particularly in the east.

Expenditures per case range all the way from \$2.35 in Oklahoma to \$24.26 in New York.

some Oklahoma relief cases were granted less than \$3.35 in supplies in August.

It has been argued that the variation is due partly to varied living expenses in different sections.

A simpler answer is that payments are not based so much on need as they are on the ability or willingness of the states to pay.

All of the figures given represent only amounts contributed by states for the relief of their own indigents.

It would seem that some system can be worked out so that the relief client in the southwest can be granted aid proportionate to that given the reliefer in New York without increasing the load on the taxpayers.

Presidential Fever

THERE'S an old American gag—a hang-over from Horatio Alger days—that every boy can aspire to become President of the United States.

Every citizen above the age of reason who dares to hope publicly that he will be among the living in 1940 is pegged as a candidate for one of the nominations.

The nice thing about it is that there is a perfectly good chance for any of those mentioned to win the nomination of either party.

Other Editors' Comments

SAME OLD POLLUTION

Recent Walton league publicity included the following:

"Why is it that so many of our streams, lakes, creeks and rivers are regarded by many citizens as junk yards for worn-out commodities?"

"On the beds of some of our most beautiful streams may be seen tin cans, old automobile tires, broken dishes and not infrequently the rusted, battered body of an ancient automobile.

The Walton league's views will might be more strongly expressed. The American habit of dumping its cast-off articles, and much of its sewage, into the nearest water is barbaric.

Those waters, including the least of them, are the drinking waters of the nation. The least of the creeks flow into larger streams and these to the lakes or seas.

To be sure, men can filter out much of the filth that they first have introduced into their waters.

But it is a barbaric as well as an uneconomical procedure. Men long ago should have learned carefully to dispose of their waste products.

But to prevent them either costs effort, money, or both. Waste products must be burned, buried, chemically treated or otherwise reduced if they are to be made innocuous.

It is easier and cheaper to haul the wastes to some stream or lake; to sluice them into some river or pool; to get rid of them by dumping them at some place that is distant from our own home or business sites, but near somebody else's.

Apparently no mere appeal for consideration or co-operation will stop these various forms of waste disposal. Laws, and enforcement of them, undoubtedly are necessary if we would preserve water purity and scenic beauty.

REBUKE FROM A FRIEND

Labor has few more faithful friends than Mayor LaGuardia of New York.

But LaGuardia recognizes when enough is enough, if not too much. That point was reached in New York, the mayor declared, when pickets of rival A.F.L. and C.I.O. unions were parading last week in front of a dozen dress and millinery shops.

World Affairs Reviewed

BY JOHN T. FLYNN

Every move Stalin has made since last August, when the world was shocked by news of the Russian-German non-aggression pact, has been directed against Germany itself.

Stalin is using Germany's troubles to fortify himself against her in the future.

In September, 1938, when Hitler was threatening Czechoslovakia, Russia was the most voluble of the European nations in demanding that she be stopped.

Ever since the appearance of Hitler as dictator it has been known his ultimate dream was the conquest of access to the Russian Ukraine. This was not a matter of speculation, because he had avowed his intentions many times.

INTER-CONTINENTAL DIPLOMACY—But the actual meaning of them is far different. Stalin has had two great enemies—Germany and Japan.

He had to deal with Japan without delay. Two armies—Russian and Japanese—faced each other on the Pacific and were actually at war.

His most imperative job was to get Germany off his back. He had something to offer her. As she faced an immediate war with Britain and France he could make this offer agreeable.

This was a tremendous diplomatic victory for Russia. It was an advantage for Germany purchased at a terrible price—the loss of Italian support in Europe.

But it is far worse than that. Russia has since moved first into Lithuania, Latvia and Estonia and now into Finland.

Here is what has happened. By her pact with Russia Germany has foregone for the moment at least her two greatest objectives—the Ukraine and Romania.

Q. Of what are knockout drops made? H. W. A. Knockout drops are composed of chloral hydrate.

Q. Who was the first woman to step on Plymouth Rock? E. G. C. A. According to one account of the landing of the Pilgrims, Mistress Rose Standish, wife of Miles Standish, and Lora Brewster, left the Mayflower, got in the long boat and were the first to step on Plymouth Rock.

Q. How much money does the Government derive from gasoline taxes? W. K. A. For the twelve-month period ending June 30, 1939, the total amount of money collected by the Federal Government on gasoline taxes in the United States was \$207,018,745.34.

Q. What is the town in North Carolina where Christmas is celebrated twice a year? S. T. R. A. The natives of Rodanthe, North Carolina, observe the unusual custom of celebrating Old Christmas on January 5.

Q. Do Canadians smoke many cigarettes? E. T. N. A. During the first nine months of 1939, cigarette consumption in Canada amounted to 5,275,000,000.

Q. Who won the 1939 Nobel Peace Prize? F. S. W. A. The Nobel Peace Prize Committee has announced that no award for 1939 will be made.

Q. In what year was the cloudburst at Clifton, South Carolina? T. F. M. A. The cloudburst there in June, 1902, caused the loss of 50 lives and damaged property to the extent of millions of dollars.

Q. Please give a list of some abnormal fears or phobias. A. P. B. A. Eustrophobia, fear of a bluish; Nystrophobia, fear of the darkness; Oculophobia, fear of darkness; theophobia, fear of God; toxophobia, fear of being poisoned; botanophobia, fear of cellars;

THE NATIONAL BAD NEWS

It went up to a new high of \$41,822,473.768 the other day, the Treasury Department reports. Day by day, we're accumulating more and better reasons for staying out of war.

Jingle Bells! Jingle Bells!



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. Please give the names of the musical compositions played in the motion picture "Intermezzo." E. W. A. The theme song Intermezzo by Felix Prokofiev.

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20 Years Ago

Soo Line trains 86 and 87 between Escanaba and Sault Ste. Marie will be resumed on Thursday.

Washington, Dec. 16—Exchange of press dispatches by radio between California and Hawaii, Guam, the Philippines and Japan will become possible when arrangements recently completed by the navy department become effective Dec. 20.

"Treat 'Em Rough," a William Fox picture, taken from the famous novel, "The Two Gun Men," will be the feature at the Strand theater starting today for two days.

The title of "At the Barn" Constance Talmadge's third National picture, from the London comedy of the same name, has been changed to "Two Weeks." The picture will be released January 5.

Announcement has been received in this city of the marriage at Jackson, Mich., of Miss Dorothy Spence, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frederic Spence of Jackson, formerly of this city, to Harold Macomber of Saginaw.

Carl Carlson and Alton Holmes left last night for the Pacific coast where they expect to spend a month or more on business and pleasure.

Mrs. W. C. Schultes left for Manistique, where she will spend a week as guest of Mrs. J. E. McCarthy.

hematophobia, fear of blood; peccatophobia, fear of sinning; neophobia, fear of the new or unfamiliar.

Q. Who founded the Old Farmer's Almanack? M. M. S. A. It was established in 1793 by Robert B. Thomas.

Q. Was Paul Redfern, who disappeared in 1927, ever declared dead? M. D. H. A. The explorer was declared legally dead in Detroit on January 3, 1938.

Q. What is the amount of the public debt? T. E. S. A. On November 30, the public debt stood at a new high record of \$41,395,056,749.

Q. How many adults in the United States never finished elementary school? H. T. G. A. Approximately 36,000,000.

Q. What are the Bad Lands? R. C. G. A. In the West the term is applied to certain sterile regions characterized by an almost entire lack of vegetation and by a labyrinth of fantastic forms into which the soft strata of clays, sands, and gravels have been carved through the action of wind and water.

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New York Column

BY GEORGE ROSS

New York—FIRST NIGHTS—It's still a Broadway boom and not a bummer. The "angels" sing. They tread heavily and make heels of the fellow who claimed that "a fool and his money are soon parted."

Most shows are making money. And there must be lucre on the loose or the hysterical First Night of the musical, "Du Barry Was a Lady," would not have brought premium prices of a hundred dollars for a mere pair of tickets.

Producers of this "song-and-dance festival" were more modest. They only asked fifteen dollars and forty cents for a brace of plush seats! Why, you could all pay for Prosperity turning the corner of Times Square.

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SOME BIZARRE GOINGS ON That Ethel Merman can ride a song to peaks few of her warbling sisters can achieve and when Bert Lahr screws his face up into position for a comical snarl, the laughter usually is heard at Columbus Circle.

Under the circumstances, Ethel and Bert are cast among many ribald goings-on in a dreamy replica of the Versailles Palace. The squeamish were shocked, the tired business man was exhausted and you could almost see the epidemic rise on the pate of the bald head row by the time the curtain rang down on Opening Night.

And because of, or despite the puritan protests, "Du Barry Was a Lady," instantaneously became a smash hit. It looks as though Buddy De Sylva, erstwhile tunesmith, who produced this titanic song and dance frolic, will get twice his \$90,000 or \$190,000 back.

SWINGING SHAKESPEARE But First Nighters were getting plenty of practice before Du Barry beckoned them over to her boudoir. At Radio City's Center Theater, they started "Swingin' the Dream" in a five, Harlemian version of Shakespeare's "A Midsummer Night's Dream."

Those mainly responsible for giving the Bard are Benny Goodman and Louis Armstrong (who plays Bottom) and when it's all over the inaugural evening folk who mingle with the classics know they had experienced their first super-jam session. Which is about all "Swingin' the Dream" panned out to be, a multiplied version of the Onyx Club or Famous Door antics. Somewhere in the transition from Stratford-on-Avon to Forty-Second Street, someone had forgotten all about Will Shakespeare and the original plot. Of little worry that is to the town's jitterbugs, who gang up on "Swingin' the Dream," if only for its Lamer Avenue discards.

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The Washington Merry-Go-Round

BY PEARSON AND ALLEN

Washington—Strange as it may seem, some New Dealers are almost a little sorry that Maury Maverick, hard hitting mayor of San Antonio, Texas, was acquitted of paying poll taxes by a Texas court the other day.

This does not mean that they have anything against Maverick. On the contrary, they were rooting hard for him. But they figured that his might be a good case with which to test the constitutionality of poll taxes.

In fact, secret plans had been made to take the Maverick poll tax case to the Supreme Court if he lost.

As a result of Maverick's victory, Administration leaders are looking around for another case which might be taken to the Supreme Court. Clark Foreman, head of the P. W. A. power section, has been working on a case in Tennessee which will be tried before the Sixth Circuit Court of Appeals in Cincinnati next month. It may be the one to make the test in place of Maverick's.

This was a case which arose during the recent election of Congressman Estes Keafauer to take the seat of the late Sam McReynolds. During the election, Henry Purdie of Grundy County demanded the right to vote without paying his poll tax. He claimed that no property or tax restriction could interfere with his right to vote. When he was denied, Purdie brought suit against the local Democratic organization. The case may reach the Supreme Court by spring.

Two years ago the Supreme Court handed down a decision, written by the late

RETRACTION

It has come to our attention that the Washington Merry-Go-Round column, published in the Press on Dec. 23, 1938, contained a paragraph which by inference accuses Congressman Martin L. Sweeney of Ohio of being guilty of racial prejudice and opposing the nomination of Emerich Freed from the grounds that Mr. Freed is a Jew. Congressman Sweeney has declared to the Escanaba Daily Press that the article was false. The Press deeply regrets any embarrassment that Mr. Sweeney may have suffered as a result of the publication of the article, and disclaims any responsibility for its authorship.

Justice Butler, upholding the Georgia poll tax in the Breed Love case. However, the Supreme Court has changed a lot since 1937 and a decision in the Purdie case might be different.

President Roosevelt himself has taken a great interest in the question of poll taxes, believing that they disfranchise an important part of the American electorate. At one time he even probed into the legal possibility of using WPA funds to help pay poll taxes in the South.

Whether the Purdie case is used or not, it is certain that Roosevelt will make a test of the entire poll tax question sometime in the very near future.

—WHITE-HOUSE SECRETARIES— Warm-hearted Joe Tumulty, famed secretary to Woodrow Wilson, is chairman of a newly formed association of all White House secretaries in a drive to raise money for blind George Christian, secretary to President Harding.

Tumulty, known to his friends as probably the most generous man in the Capital, has written a letter to aides of former presidents, saying: "Modestly battling, practically all alone and scoring to carry his troubles to his friends, George Christian has kept the news of his affliction away from his intimates. And now his sorry plight finds him with his savings exhausted and he and his wife without income. In these circumstances, we must help . . ."

Note—George Christian was a neighbor of Harding at Marion, Ohio, where he was in the lime and stone business. After Harding's death he worked for a time with Wannamaker's, later was given a job with the U. S. Shipping Board, until his eyesight failed him. He is 66 years old.

—MERRY-GO-ROUND— For years a tea was a tea to Henry Wallace. Now, for the first time, he is serving liquor. He remains dry himself. Once a vegetarian, he now dissipates to the extent of eating meat . . . Helen Hayes says, "There is a saying in any theatrical that the two worst weeks in any theatrical season are Holy Week and Christmas."

. . . The son (Lieut. Wego Chiang Kai-shek) of China's Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek are on a two months flying tour of the United States as guests of Curtiss Wright, aviation company from which their uncle and father has been making heavy purchases of late . . . When writing an opinion, Chief Justice Hughes dictates a page and then has it read back in order to get the auricular effect.

Lines for Living

By Barton Ross Pogue

ART AND BART

There's some don't like you, old fellow, And there's some as don't like me, I've heard two persons mention, Or was it, maybe, three? Dialikin' my friend, Art Lunford— Good reason nobody could tell— Why, we got along together Like the clapper and the bell!

What's the idy of always scrappin'? Jangle and jangle and grappin' Better be knowin' the fellow And seein' what good you can find. Bech, mornin' I had him, old-fashioned, Be callin' out, low-lit: "Hi, Art!" And dazed if he don't warn my innards By yellin' still louder: "Hi, Bart!"

There's maybe some folks don't like us, But I'm sure we'll both pull through If you keep your own eyes peeled, And I keep mine!

Gladstone News

Church Services

ALL SAINTS CATHOLIC
Rev. Fr. John Schaub, Pastor.
8:00 a. m.—Low Mass.
10:00 a. m.—High Mass.

KRONAN LODGE ELECTS STAFF

Harvey Larson Is Again Chosen to Serve as President

Harvey Larson was reelected president of the Kronan Lodge, Scandinavian Fraternity of America, during a meeting Thursday night at the Legion hall.

City Briefs

Charles Kee of Northern State Teachers' College, Marquette is spending the Christmas vacation at the home of his mother, Mrs. D. N. Kee, Wisconsin avenue.

Father of Nahma Physician Is Dead In Grand Rapids

Grand Rapids—L. John Witters, 71, of 314 Crescent-st., N. E., founder and partner of the grocery firm of Daane & Witters at 1 o'clock Wednesday afternoon in Butterworth hospital.

THREE EAGLE AWARDS MADE

Local Scouts Receive Highest Honor On Thursday Night

Three Eagle awards were presented to Escanaba Scouts at the Court of Honor held at the city hall Thursday night. Jerry and Robert McKie of Troop 57 and Joseph Spangler of Troop 53 received the honors.

Scouts To Aid In Christmas Lights

A new venture in Christmas decorations is being launched by Scouts and Cubs of Escanaba and Gladstone this week.

C&NW OFFICIAL RESIGNS POST

J. J. Burns Was Superintendent of Dakota Division

Escanabans in general and the older residents of the city in particular will be interested in a recent story in the "Evening Huronian," of Huron, S. D., telling of the retirement of J. J. Burns from the superintendency of the Dakota Division of the Chicago & North Western Railway.

Briefly Told

Hobby Show—Children of the fourth to sixth grades of the Jefferson school are holding a hobby show in the Jefferson auditorium during the next several days.

LOCAL YOUTHS ARE ACCEPTED

Appointed to Navy and Assigned to Training Station

Three young men from this city, Roy Blomberg, Ray Deroun and Lawrence St. Cyr, were included in a number of Upper Peninsula youths recently accepted into the United States Navy following successful passing of examinations at Chicago.

Mission Covenant

Rev. C. V. & Engstrom, Pastor. Sunday, December 11. 9:45—Morning Bible school. 10:45—Morning service.

First Baptist

Sunday, December 11. 10:30 a. m.—United service with regular service in Swedish and Finnish schools. 4:30 p. m.—The Young People's devotional.

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Methodist

Rev. J. G. Gosser, Pastor. Sunday, December 11. 9:30—Sunday school. 10:15—Morning worship. Baptism of children and adults. Reception of members and Holy Communion.

First Lutheran

Rev. J. Otto Magnusson, Pastor. Sunday, December 11. 9:30 a. m.—Sunday school. 10:30 a. m.—Divine worship in the Swedish language.

Calvary Lutheran

Ralph D. Holt, Pastor. Third Sunday in Advent, December 11. 9:30 a. m.—Divine service. 10:45 a. m.—Sunday school. Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.—Choir rehearsal and Board of Administration meeting.

St. Paul's Ev. Lutheran

Theophil Hoffmann, Pastor. Third Sunday in Advent, December 11. 9:30 a. m.—Divine service with sermon base on Matthew 11: 2-11. All our services are conducted in the English language.

Free Methodist

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Boy Scouts Selling Colored Light Bulbs

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Officers Re-elected

Marquette—All officers of the Marquette Chamber of Commerce were reelected for 1940 at a dinner-meeting of old and new directors of the Chamber in the Northland hotel last night.

Room or House For Rent?

son of Manistique will be the speaker. Thursday, 7:30 p. m.—Prayer meeting. Friday, 7:30 p. m.—The Christmas program of the Sunday school will be held.

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ESCANABA BANK DEBITS SECOND

Rank High In Peninsula; Federal Reserve Report Given

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Gifts

Calumet \$1,568 1,980 Crystal Falls 851 881 Escanaba 3,098 3,150 Hancock 1,487 1,426 Iron Mountain 1,829 1,788 Iron River 2,254 2,263 Sambaugh 1,061 1,183 Ironwood 1,993 2,007 Ishpeming 1,546 1,666 Laurium (one bank) 158 175 Manistique (one bank) 445 435 Marquette 3,266 4,016 Menominee 1,734 2,779 Negaunee 1,047 1,033 Sault Ste. Marie 2,786 3,131

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Harris Visitor In Hospital Following Bark River Fracas

Milton Rote, 26, of Chippewa Hill, Ontario, was taken to St. Francis hospital early Friday following an altercation Thursday night in Bark River, in which several Indians and others were involved. Details of the fracas remained veiled and the sheriff was investigating further. It appeared from meager evidence, the sheriff's office reported, that Rote, who had been staying at the Joe Philmore residence recently, with others from Harris, had come to Escanaba earlier in the evening and with a purchase of liquor were returning to Harris, when they stopped in Bark River and the roughhouse started, on the main street, near the car in which Rote had been riding. Rote, it appeared, had been beset by several others. He was treated by a Bark River physician, who notified the sheriff's office and deputies brought the injured man to the hospital. In tea, sherberts and ice creams alone, Americans consume over two hundred million pounds of sugar annually.

Jury Finds Gereau Shot Self Inflicted

Fourteen witnesses were heard yesterday at Nahma in an inquest into the death of Mike Gereau at his Indiana Point home on December 5. The jury found that death was caused by a shotgun wound, self inflicted. Coroner O. S. Hult of Gladstone conducted the inquest, with the assistance of J. Clyde McGonagle, assistant prosecuting attorney of the county. Sheriff William E. Miron and deputies, state police and others told of the findings at the scene. The jury was composed of Frank Hruska, Clifford Frasier, Mrs. Sophie Klendenst, Amos Klendenst, Bernard Tobin and Albert Hescot.

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Table with 12 columns and 12 rows of numbers for a game.

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Munising News

Washington School Pageant Thursday

Munising, Dec. 15—Washington school pupils will present a Christmas pageant, "Sweet Christmas Time," by Myrtle Davies, in the school next Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

Reader—Gretta Knox. Scene 1. Sprites of Night—Marlyn Glatus, Dolores Nynas, Marion Braatz, Doris Harris. Spirits of Earthland—Ruth Drake, Josephine Laurich, Mildred Whitmore, Evelyn Hella.

Mists of Clouds—Mary Rose Paquette, Lenore Carlson, Earle Drake, Loyet Trombly. Moans of the Sea—Arbutus Cowley, Richard Spaulding, George Stephens, Warren Lee Suckney.

Sighs of the Wind—Joyce Savole, Richard Masters, Wayne Barber, Marjorie Dobbelaire, Arthur Lee Vardon, Nancy Olson, Silver Moon Child—Phyllis Bray.

The Stranger Spirit—Lorena Cowley. Scene 2. Spirits of Day—Charles Marshall, John Stephens, Eugene Spaulding, Wayne McNally, William Palmatier.

Icicle Children—Barbara Livermore, Nancy Lou Yeager, Muriel Trombly, William Mazzali, Phyllis Desarmo, Lorraine Carlson, Lois Van Dorne.

Poinsettia Babies—Dolores Kroupa, Jean Campbell, Harold Jacobsen, Ronald Gurski, Cecilia Kolbus, Millicent Trombly, Edris Jacobsen.

"Thrills of the Birds"—John Prunek, Roger Spaulding, Cy Prunek, Betty Livermore. Sunbeam Children—Naomi Boos, Joanne Feli, Phyllis Savole, Kenneth Posant, Ella Drake, Wayne Masters.

Three Voices—Donald Johnson, Earle Drake, Herbert Stickney, Lloyd Braatz, Harold Bower. Santa Claus—Charles Harris.

Holly Children—Donald Masters, Wallace Masters, John McNally, Lonnie Cowley, Zane Kroupa, Frederick Barber, Ernest Hella, Robert Barber.

The Little Child—Ginger Bray. Chorus—Charles Bray, Harold Livermore, Chester Masters, Robert Laurich, Patricia St. Andrew, Richard Glatus, Delbert Drake, Theodore Paquette, Norman St. Andrew Keith Van Doorne, Francis St. Andrew, John Kroupa, Richard Oas, Tydo Helstein.

Officers and Legion Committees Listed By Buck Prato Post. Munising, Dec. 15—The roster of officers and committees for the Roderick "Buck" Prato post, American Legion, have been announced.

Officers: Commander—Alf K. Jackson. Senior Vice-Commander—Lieutenant L. F. Ryan. Junior Vice-Commander—Henry Chalty.

Adjutant—Lawrence Cady. Finance Officer—Otto Aho. Sergeant-at-Arms—William Springer. Chaplain—Benjamin Zastrow.

American Director—H. A. Wood. Boys' State—Dr. G. B. Baxter. Child Welfare—Walter J. Corey.

Cemetery—Thomas J. Walters. Community Service—William Mazzali. Education—George P. Johnson.

Historian—Hilding Carlson. Membership—Thomas J. Walters. Service Officer—Walter Corey.

Sick and Relief—Lawrence Cady, Benjamin Hankin. Sons of the Legion—Benjamin Zastrow, William Bauman, Dr. G. B. Baxter.

Lions Plan Ball On New Year Eve

Munising, Dec. 15—Plans for the annual Lions club New Year's Eve ball are being worked out by the committees of the organization.

Two years ago the club purchased a baby incubator for the Munising hospital and proceeds from the dancing party will be used to make the final payment on it. The dance will be held in the Legion club and the auditorium there will be appropriately decorated for the occasion.

Those in charge of arrangements are: Dr. A. A. Mellon, chairman; tickets, John Hoffman; music, Charles Belonga; decorations and favors, C. F. Beaulieu, Charles Everett, Ira Hanson and John W. Hansh.

MUNISING CHURCHES. Miss Anna Carlson in charge. Services in the Washington school gymnasium.

Sunday, 10:00 a. m., Sunday School. There will be no preaching services Sunday due to the district quarterly meeting being held at Marquette.

First Presbyterian. Rev. Frederick T. Steen, pastor. 10:00 a. m.—Sunday School. 11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship.

The Westminster choir, under the direction of A. B. Clute, will render special music. The Eden Lutheran invites you to worship.

Sacred Heart Catholic. Rev. Ovid J. LaMothe, pastor. Rev. Edward Lulewitz, assistant. 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 Scholtes, will sing.

Confessions will be heard Saturday afternoon at 3:30 and in the evening at 7:30. Methodist Episcopal.

Rev. W. G. Prout, pastor. 10:00 a. m.—Church school, superintendent, Vernon Florin. 11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship.

Special music by the choir. Sermon, "The Angelic Song." 6:30 p. m.—Epworth League. 7:30 p. m.—Evening Service.

This is a special service. The choir will present their Christmas cantata, entitled, "The Christmas Music." On the morning of the 24th, Cadman Prout will preach a Christmas sermon. He will be home from Garrett Theological school, Evanston, Ill.

On the same day the Sunday School will put on a Christmas program at 7:00 p. m. The school will give gifts to the pupils. The young people's chorus, sponsored by Business and Professional Women's club, will render special numbers at this program.

Figures show that, in areas where the population still is in a process of formation, the proportion of sexes has not had time to find its natural level. In Europe, there are more women than men, but in the New World the situation is reversed.

CONTRACT LET ON NEW BOILER

Local Firm to Install New Equipment at City Hall

Contract for a new boiler for heating the city hall has been authorized to be awarded the low bidder, an Escanaba heating and engineering firm, for \$443 and the equipment is expected to be installed within a month, pending arrival of the boiler.

The new installation is expected to save the city money through greater efficiency and at the same time, the city will be able to accommodate the new National Guard unit here, by transferring its present boiler to the guard's armory building at the fairgrounds, which needs a larger boiler and can have the one from the city hall at a saving in cost.

The National Guard will pay about \$700 for the city hall boiler and with this sum, the city can install not only the new and smaller boiler, but also a stoker.

December Weather Sets New Record; Mildest In History

The weather kept right on setting records yesterday, the thermometer dropping to a low of 24, comfortably above the season's minimum reading of 20. And that low minimum is the news.

This 20 degrees is the highest minimum temperature on record for this late in the season. The previous high minimum up to this date was 14 and that was several below zero days by this time.

For instance, in 1936, it was 11 below on December 1. The mean average temperature for this December is 22, W. T. Lathrop, meteorologist, reported.

Not only for mildness, but also for lack of snow, the year has been most unusual. Prospects for a white Christmas apparently are none too strong, for the weather bureau at Detroit, queried by the Associated Press as to whether snow could be expected for the 25th, refused to make a prediction.

Escanaba Fruit Store

Phone 757, 1017 Ludington St. Apples, Hubbardson, \$1.00. Apples, Wagners, \$1.15. Grapefruit, Texas Seedless, 10 for 25c.

Grapefruit, Pink, 4 for 25c. Oranges, doz., 89c, 29c and 23c. Bananas, 6 lbs. for 25c.

and 4 lbs. 25c. Apples, Jonathans, McIntosh and Kings, lb., 5c. Mixed Nuts, fancy new crop, lb., 23c.

Brazils, large, lb., 20c. Cut Fruit, very fine quality, lb., 29c. Cherries, Candied, lb., 35c.

Jersey Sweet Potatoes, 8 lbs., 25c. Green or Wax Beans, lb., 15c. Spinach, 3 lbs., 25c.

Shallots, 2 bunches 15c. Radishes, bunch 5c. Sprouts, box 22c.

News of FOOD Specials

Trenary News

Honor Roll. Trenary, Mich.—The honor roll of the Trenary high school for Second Six Weeks follows: High School—Grade 12—Leo Kangas, Grace Trenary.

Grade 11—Evelyn De Garmo, Gertrude Johnson, Harold Method, Walter Tuuri. Grade 10—Winnifred Grainger, Signe Lehtikangas, Geraldine Method.

Grade 9—Zoe Bennett, Floyd Ouellette, Opal Parks. Grade 8—Vivian Aho, Elda Holmquist, Elizabeth Mikulich. Grade 7—Helen Korach.

Honorable Mention. Grade 12—Leo Makl, Hilda Rautio, Jack Case, Susan Gregg. Grade 9—Victor Hill. Grade 8—James Ellis, Jack Bucholtz, Helvi Seppa, Donald Seppanen.

Grade 7—Gene Case, Virginia LaBumard, Weldon Method. Perfect Attendance. Elmer Aho, Ethel Goodman, Harry Hoy, Doris LaBumard, Leslie Savola, Vincent Trotter, Vivian Aho, Adah Fitzgerald, Evelyn Latvala, Vaino Latvala, Elizabeth Mikulich, Eleanor Taylor, Evelyn DeGarmo, Walter Tuuri, Leo Kangas, Margaret Ouellette, Hilda Rautio, Zoe Bennett, Rose Begovick.

Opportunity Room. Kindergarten—Shirley Brill, Joy Collins, William Kolmorgen. Grade 1—Charles Brasler. Grade 2—Betty Brill, Roberta Cayer, Violet Latvala, Wallace Latvala.

Grade 3—Mary Hill, Irene Savola, Lorraine Sterle, Dorothy Tuomi. Grade 4—Irene Goin, Helen Mikulich. Grades 5-6—Kathryn Brasler, Laura Grainger, Ernest LaFave.

Honorable Mention. Opportunity Room. Gene Chaney, Mary Ellen Carlson, Eunice Ford, Luella Hoy, Carl Grainger, Max Lustick, LeRoy Richmond.

Anderson Brothers

Fancy Meats and Groceries. We Aim to Please. 401 S. 10th St. Phone 1069. Spare Ribs, 19c. Pork Shoulder, 12c. Bacon, 9c. Fancy Beef Roast, 22c. Bacon Squares, 9c. Picnic Hams, 14c. Cornflakes, large pkg., 2 for 17c. Bread, 15c. Cookies, old fashioned, 2 lbs., 25c. Saurkraut, fresh, bulk, lb., 5c. Tomatoes, 3 cans 25c.

TENTH STREET FOOD MARKET

429 So. 10th Phone 239. W. J. Roberge, Prop. Fresh Killed Chickens. Steer Pot Roast, 22c. Rolled Rib Roast, 28c. Pork Loin Roast, 15c. Pork Butt, 15c. Pig Hocks, 10c. Mock Chicken Legs, 18c. Leg of Veal, 21c. Boneless Veal, 18c. Pork Chops, end cuts, lb., 15c.

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The Ideal Christmas Gift—One of Our Very Attractive Baskets of Assorted Fancy Fruit, 65c to \$1.75. Apples—A large assortment of the best grades—McIntosh, bushel \$1.45; Delicious, \$1.59; Kings, \$1.54; Spys, \$1.45; Wagners, \$1.29; Jonathans, \$1.45, Starks, \$1.19; Hubbards, \$1.00; Baldwins, \$1.19.

Mixed Nuts, all new 1939 crop, lb., 19c. Grapefruit, Texas Seedless, doz., 29c. Pink Grapefruit, 4 for 25c. Cal. Juice Oranges, very sweet, doz., 25c. and all sizes of new California Navel Oranges. Cal. Emperor Grapes, 25c. Tangerines, doz., 17c. Sprouts, box 17c. Sweet Potatoes and Yams, 4 lbs., 25c. Hubbard Squash, lb., 4c. Broccoli, large bunch, 18c. Celery Hearts, 2 lbs., 25c. Cal. Celery, large bunch, 7c and 10c. Lettuce, each, 10c. Green Onions and Radishes, bunch, 5c.



Fruit Cake!

A REAL HOLIDAY TREAT! The rich goodness of a Hoyler's fruit cake makes it an indispensable part of your Christmas dinner. Order your cake today.

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Fancy Christmas COOKIES

Fancy holiday cookies, wafers or ice box choice. Order now.

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Double Dip Caramel Cake... 25c. Radio Rolls, danish pastry... doz 30c.

Complete assortment of rolls, danish pastries, coffee cakes and cookies.

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day at the Vance Davis home. Mr. and Mrs. John Layton visited at the Clayton Stevens home at Winters, Sunday. Miss Pauline Slambo who attends school in Escanaba, spent the week end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Slambo. Miss Paul, 4th grade teacher in the Trenary School was called to her home in Ironwood, Friday evening, due to the illness of her sister.

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Pre-Holiday FOOD Sale!

3 DAYS TODAY MON. - TUES. Free Deliveries, all orders \$1 or more.

Regular or Drip COFFEE MJB 2 lb can 49c. Time Coffee 3 lb bag 39c - lb pkg. 15c BUTTER Fresh creamery lb 31c

Pitted Dates, fresh shipment... 2 lb cello bag 27c. Miss Minneapolis FLOUR... 24 1/2 s—87c, 49 s—\$1.69, 98 s—\$3.29 RINSO... lrg. pkg. 19c - giant size 57c LUX SOAP... reg. bar 3 for 17c BRILLO, lrg. pkg. containing 12 soap filled pads 17c Christmas Candies, hard mixed, brilliant... lb 9c 100% filled... lb 12 1/2c FANCY MIXED NUTS... 2 lbs. 39c POPCORN BALLS... each 1c; dozen 10c FRUIT CAKE MIX... lb 19c

Golden Dawn SPAGHETTI and MACARONI... 5 lb box 29c AMMONIA, full strength... qt. bottle 11c LAUNDRY BLEACH, fleecy white... 2 qts. 27c BORDEN'S MILK, irradiated, tall can... 2 for 13c TAPIOCA, Monarch desserts... lb pkg. 15c FOOD OF WHEAT... 28 oz. pkg. 2 for 29c

Kidney Beans, Van Camp's dark red, lb tin 3 for 17c Cream style golden bantam, med. size CORN... 3 for 25c TOMATOES, Ind. hand packed, No. 2 can 2 for 15c Golden Dawn Wax or Green Beans, No. 2 can... 3 for 25c TEA, Hostess, Japan Green pan fired 1/2 lb pkg. 19c PANCAKE FLOUR, Monarch... 3 lb, 4-oz. pkg. 21c CORN KIX... lge. pkg. 11c CORN FLAKES Kellogg's... lge. pkg. 9c TOMATO SOUP, Campbell's... reg. can 7c SUGAR fine granulated western... 10 lbs. 51c CAKE FLOUR Airy Fairy... lge. pkg. 23c

20-oz. pancake flour Free with each purchase. ROOT BEER EXTRACT, Blackstone... bottle 10c (makes 5 gallons) EGGS Strictly fresh pullets... doz. 21c

FRESH FRUITS & VEGETABLES

Head Lettuce Iceberg, large firm 2 for 15c CELERY, Calif. well bleached, large stalks 8c & 10c CAULIFLOWER, Snowball, large head 23c PARSNIPS, Waxed 2 lbs. 15c BROCCOLI, large bundle 19c RADISHES and SHALLOTS, bunch 5c

Firm ripe, Calif. lb 15c TOMATOES Yams... 5 lbs. 27c SWEET POTATOES... 4 lbs. 29c

Genuine Jerseys... 19c BRUSSELL SPROUTS, Qt. box 19c GRAPEFRUIT, Texas full of juice seedless, 33c SPINACH, fresh dozen 10c Extra large 6 for 29c broadleaf, lb. ONIONS, Winter cured, best quality for 10 lb bag 19c ORANGES, large new Calif. keeping... 37c 128 Jumbos, doz. Case \$3.20 GRAPES, EMPERORS 2 lbs. 15c Other sizes, doz. 25c & 18c

APPLES

McIntosh, fancy No. 1 and Jonathans 5 lbs. 29c Fancy No. 1 97c - 10 lbs. 29c Wagners, good all-purpose, Bu. 97c - 10 lbs. 29c

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Hens Plump tender, lb 18c EXTRA SPECIALS: FRANKFURTERS, grade 1 small Coney Island Style, 17 1/2c BACON, sugar cured, whole or half slab, 15 1/2c

Grade 1 RING Bologna... Ring 9c Bologna... Meaty end cuts... lb 13c PORK CHOPS Meaty end cuts... lb 14c Pork Loin Roast, tenderloin end, 3 lb avg., lb 14c Pork Butt, Lean 14c BEEF KETTLE ROAST, lb 13 1/2c Rolled & Boned Rib Roast... lb 19c MILK FATTED VEAL Veal Rib Stew or Pocket... lb 9c VEAL SHOULDER 14 1/2c LEG OF VEAL ROAST, lb 23c VEAL CHOPS 19c BONELESS VEAL STEW, lb 23c DILL PICKLES large 5 for 10c PICKLED HERRING, Viking brand in wine sauce, 3 1/4 lb keg 85c PLACE YOUR ORDER FOR CHRISTMAS TURKEYS AND POULTRY NOW.

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If you are one who wants the top-quality in breads, then we know you will insist on Tasti-Twist Bread. Thereafter you never will be satisfied with ordinary breads.

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

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HUGHSON DENIED SECOND HEARING

Circuit Judge Runnels Files His Decision In Murder Case

The motion of James Hughson, sentenced to life imprisonment for murder, to set aside his sentence and to order a new trial was denied by Circuit Judge Herbert Runnels in a decision dated Dec. 14 and received here Friday, it has been learned.

Hughson, who pleaded guilty to the murder of John Girvin, Sr., slain at his home here September 16, 1935, based his petition for a new trial upon allegations that the court failed to determine the proper degree of his guilt and that the defendant did not have full knowledge of his crime because he was under the influence of liquor.

In his decision denying the motion, Circuit Judge Runnels declared: "All of the proceedings taken by this court prior to finding the defendant guilty of murder in the first degree were regular and complied with the statutes, and that this court after talking to defendant, going over with him again in detail the statement he had made to William J. Sheahan, the prosecutor, and examining him fully relative to all of the details of the matter, reached the inevitable conclusion that the defendant was guilty of murder in the first degree and so found and passed sentence accordingly. Under all these facts and circumstances it would be a futile and useless gesture for this court at this time to grant this defendant leave to file his joint motion, and for the reasons above given said motion will be and hereby is denied."

Fire Inspection Work Transferred Under New Setup

The transfer of the fire marshal's department from the state insurance department to the state police has necessitated a change in fire inspection work, Fire Chief C. E. Underwood has announced.

The state police in the future will make inspections of theaters and dry cleaning establishments but all other fire inspections, including oil burners, must be made by local fire authorities and reports sent to the state police.

The city council has adopted resolutions authorizing the fire chief to make the required inspections within the community.

FOR SALE
Turkeys, lb. 25c
Orders Will Be Delivered
Curtis Blosser, Cooks

Just Arrived
Truck Load of Fancy
APPLES

Spies	\$1.25
Home Beauty	\$1.25
Haldwins	\$1.25
Swet Apples	90c
Greenings	70c
Delicious	70c
Jonathans	40c and 70c

310 Deer Street

NOTICE

1939 taxes may be paid until January 10, 1940, without penalty.

Claude H. Edwards
Doyle Township Treasurer

Dance At BROWN'S
Curtis, Mich.
Saturday, Dec. 16th
Music By Frank Corsi
And His Ten Piece Band to Entertain You.

CORRECTION

The agent's name for Fuller Brushes was incorrectly spelled in Thursday's advertisement.

The Correct Name
ED. REICHARD
155 N. Maple St. Ph. 319-W
Manistique, Michigan

Church Services

BETHEL BAPTIST
Ernest E. Nelson, Pastor.
9:30—Church school. Mrs. Edwin Sundell, superintendent. The contest will come to a close today.
10:30—Morning service with sermon and special music by the Junior choir.
11:45—Morning worship in the Swedish language.
7:30—Candle Light Christmas song service sponsored by the choir and other talents. The offering will go to the Upper Michigan Baptist Conference.

ZION LUTHERAN
O. W. Bergquist, Pastor.
9:30—Church school.
10:30—Morning worship. Sermon theme: "Prepare Ye for the Word."
7:30—Christmas program by the Thompson Sunday school.
7:30—Christmas concert by the choir of the Zion Lutheran church, to which everyone is cordially invited. Miss Margaret Johnson is the director and Mrs. Harry Ahlstrom, an accompanist. Offering for the choir fund.

FIRST METHODIST
Otto H. Riess, Pastor.
Sunday, December 17.
10:30—Morning worship.
11:45—Church school. Classes for all.
Wednesday, 8:30 p. m.—The Pioneer club.
8:30 p. m.—The Epworth League Christmas party. Mid-night service will be shown and a lunch will be served.
Thursday, 8:00 p. m.—Choir rehearsal in the parsonage.

ST. ALBAN'S EPISCOPAL
Sunday, 10:30 a. m.—Church school.
Tuesday, 7:30 p. m.—Christmas program. A cordial welcome to all.

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Evening Prayer at 7:30 with sermon on "The Two Advents," by the Rev. James G. Ward.

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Sunday, December 17, 1939
10:30 a. m.—Morning Worship service. Sermon by the pastor, "The Family-Tree of Christ."
11:15 a. m.—Church School. Virgil Arrowswood, Superintendent. Classes for all ages. Birthday Sunday. The Junior choir will sing.
7:30 p. m.—Evening Gospel Service. Sermon by the pastor, "Night Before Christmas."
Thursday, December 21, 8:00 p. m.—Community Christmas Service to be held at the High School auditorium.

ST. PETER'S LUTHERAN
H. J. Lemke, Pastor
Sunday, Dec. 17
Divine Services—10:30
Friday, Dec. 22—Christmas Eve Song Service, 8:00

GERMFAK LUTHERAN
Sunday, Dec. 17
Divine Services, 2:00
Rehearsal of Children's Service, 3:00.
All children are expected to be present.

Briefly Told

Agnes Rebekah Lodge—The Agnes Rebekah Lodge will hold their annual Christmas party Monday evening, December 18, in the I. O. O. F. hall. Each person is asked to bring a gift for exchange. Following a short entertainment pot luck lunch will be served. The following committee will be in charge: Virginia Grimaley, Katherine Anderson, Frances Monroe and Bertha Schofield.

Bake Sale—The Mission Circle of the Bethel will hold a bake sale in the Light and Power Co. store today.

Guild Bazaar—The Presbyterian Guild will hold their Christmas Bazaar in the Ford Garage today. Fancy work and Christmas wreaths and decorations will be on sale.

Zion Sunday School Practice—The Sunday school will practice the Christmas program on Sunday afternoon at 2 p. m. Parents are urged to cooperate with the teachers by seeing that their children know their parts and by seeing that they arrive at practice on time.

Mrs. L. E. Hambeau was dismissed from the St. Francis hospital where she has been a patient for the past few days.

A new record for laying highway was set recently in Texas when crews placed 27.69 miles of double asphalt surface treatment on U. S. highway No. 70 in Lamb county in 22 days, the state highway department announced.

NEPPER'S
"Where They Serve Service With a Smile"

Nite Club
DANCE TONIGHT
Music By Charley Johnson
And His Orchestra
BEER - WINE - LIQUOR
No Cover Charge
No Minors Admitted

CEDAR THEATRE
TODAY
Matinee, Today, 1:00 - 3:00
Evenings, 7:00-9:00

FOR THE ASKING
"The Lone Ranger Rides Again"

Also Chapter 5 of "The Lone Ranger Rides Again"

News and Selected Short Subjects

MAYOR URGES AID FOR FINNS

Asks Local Citizens to Plead for Divine Protection

In conformity with action taken by mayors in other cities of the United States, Mayor William Sellman has issued a proclamation designating Sunday, Dec. 17 as Finland Day in Manistique and asking local residents to appeal for divine protection for the war-locked Finnish Republic.

The mayor's proclamation follows:

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Wm. Sellman, Mayor.

HOLIDAY MAIL NOT HEAVY YET

Patrons Urged to Send Packages Now Due to Double Holiday

Christmas mailing has been comparatively light thus far, indicating that local residents are delaying their Christmas mailing. Postmaster Frank Gierke declared yesterday.

Patrons are reminded there is a double holiday at Christmas, Sunday, the 24th, and Christmas Day which is on Monday. Therefore there are two full days without city or rural carrier delivery service. Patrons must mail two days earlier than in other years as a result, the postmaster advised.

Service on Trains 86 and 87 will not be restored in time for Christmas mail. However, if the morning mail for lower Michigan and eastern states is missed at 9:15 a. m., there is still the same connection via Shingletown over star route service if mail is deposited not later than 10:45 a. m. The importance of mailing in the forenoon cannot be stressed too strongly.

Patrons are advised to mail their Christmas packages and cards now to assure delivery by December 23, the last working day before Christmas.

Patrons also are urged to buy their stamps in the forenoon when there is no necessity for waiting in line.

City Briefs

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Halverson, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Halverson and Mrs. Harry Durno have left for Green Bay where they were called by the death of Peter Clare, a former resident of this city. Mr. Clare passed away Thursday at his home in Green Bay.

Eleanor Robertson, Edith Westcott and Ruth Barton arrive today to spend the holidays here with their parents. The Misses Barton, Westcott and Robertson are students at Michigan State, East Lansing.

Majestic Cafe
Fish Fry Today 25c
BEER WINE

Dancing Tonight
At **Parker's Hotel**
Music By **The Swing Kings**
Also Dancing Sunday
BEER - WINE - LIQUOR

Social

Christmas Tea
Thirty members and guests attended the Woodmen's Circle Christmas Tea Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Eva Roberts.

Five hundred was played and gifts exchanged. Delicious refreshments were served.

Philathea Class
The Philathea Class held their annual Christmas party Wednesday evening in the church parlors. About 25 members and guests attended the party. A delightful program was given with Mrs. E. W. Miller in charge followed by an exchange of gifts and refreshments. Mrs. Ralph Arrowood, Mrs. Lawrence Knuth and Mrs. Howard Labar were hostesses.

Bridge Dinner
Mrs. Ernest Smith entertained her bridge club at a \$30 o'clock dinner at her home, Thursday evening. Dinner appointments were in the holiday motif.

Bridge was enjoyed following the dinner with prizes going to Mrs. Michael Kotchen winning high prize, Mrs. James Dupont, second and Mrs. L. H. Hambeau, low.

Bridge Club
Mrs. A. W. Heltman entertained her bridge club Thursday evening at her home, Thurgate street. High honors went to Mrs. Ira Crawford and second to Mrs. Harold Cockram.

Refreshments were served following the games.

Baptist Ladies' Aid
The Ladies' Aid of the First Baptist church held their annual Christmas party Wednesday afternoon in the church parlors, with 40 members and guests present.

A very interesting program was presented with Mrs. W. E. Crow in charge. Refreshments were served by the hostesses, Mrs. W. J. Shiner and Mrs. Sam Peasley. The holiday motif was carried out throughout the church.

Obituary

PETER CLARE
Green Bay, Wis.—Peter Clare, 65, a Spanish-American war veteran and resident of Green Bay for the last 16 years, died suddenly of a heart attack this morning at his home, 615 N. Chestnut avenue.

The deceased was born at Peewaukee and spent his youth at Chilton, later moving to Manistique, Mich., where he lived prior to coming to Green Bay.

Surviving are his wife, the former Victoria Putvin; five daughters, Mrs. Esther Matheson, Green Bay; Mrs. Howard Weinberg and Mrs. Ray McCartney, Chicago; Mrs. Ernest Lee, Sault Ste. Marie, Mich.; and Mrs. Roy Ullrich, Tomahawk Lake; one sister, Mrs. Andrew Halverson, Manistique, Mich.; two brothers, Fred, Manistique; August, Clintonville; and six grandchildren.

The body is at the Coad funeral home where funeral services will be conducted at 2 p. m. Saturday by the Rev. W. A. Gieschen, pastor of St. Paul Lutheran church. Interment will be in Fort Howard cemetery.

Marble Arms Tops Empsons, 47 to 24

Paced by Harvey Holm who scored 14 points, Marble Arms defeated Empson's, 47-24, Thursday evening at the local gym.

Score:

Marble Arms	FG	FT	PF
F. McIntyre	5	0	2
J. Damitz	3	2	1
H. Holm	6	2	3
H. Schuler	4	3	2
T. Srook	2	0	0
Totals	20	7	8
Empson's	FG	FT	PF
Dahl	2	2	2
Sjoquist	1	0	2
Fitzpatrick	0	0	2
Nelmark	5	2	2
Wahowiak	2	0	1
Legault	0	0	1
Totals	10	4	10

Mrs. C. C. Schuler
President of GIA

Mrs. C. C. Schuler was elected president of the GIA to Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers at the annual election held Thursday afternoon at the Eagles' hall. Mrs. Charles Gogart is past president.

The complete staff: President, Mrs. C. C. Schuler. Past president, Mrs. Charles Gogart.

Vice president, Mrs. Joseph Weingartner. Relief secretary, Mrs. Wm. Birmingham.

Secretary, Mrs. J. I. Chase. Treasurer, Mrs. Albert Minnick. Chaplain, Mrs. Charles Murray. Sentinel, Mrs. Leo Wintell. Guide, Mrs. John Cowell.

After the business session card contests were held with Mrs. Chase being high. Mrs. Wintell second and Mrs. Weingartner receiving a special award. Refreshments were served at the close.

Arrangements for the event were made by Mesdames Charles Murray, John Cowell, Albert Minnick and J. I. Chase.

PARTY TONIGHT AT CLUB HOUSE

Invite Public to Inspect New Structure At Sport Park

Formal opening and housewarming of the clubhouse at the Gladstone Sports park is to be held tonight.

Inspection of the building and attendance at the party is open to the general public, Miss Eusebia Louis, chairman of the committee in charge, announces.

The event will mark the first party on the winter's program of the Gladstone Ski club. There will be dancing with both modern and old time music and refreshments will be served during the evening.

On the committee in charge are the Misses Louis, Germaine Minne, and Luella Marshall and Mrs. Wm. Johnson and Mrs. George Holmberg.

The clubhouse is now lighted by a portable lighting plant, furnished by Wm. Skellenger, Sr., and installed on Wednesday. This will be used until a power line is procured for the park.

A WPA project for construction of a power line has been set up and has gone through the Marquette WPA office and is now at Lansing for further approval.

Tentative plans have been made for a "ski show" to be held in January with local retailers and skiers cooperating in the event.

Workers On Golf Course Are Feted Thursday Evening

Workmen who have been engaged in construction of the Gladstone golf course and the clubhouse at the sports park at Days River were entertained at a roasted turkey dinner Thursday evening.

The dinner was sponsored by a local group and given in appreciation for the enthusiasm the men have displayed in the projects.

The dinner was served about 5 o'clock, about an hour after the men had completed their day's work. Ray Billings, city, prepared the meal.

Social

Sandy's Party
Mrs. Eugene Marquette entertained on Thursday afternoon at her home, 912 Wisconsin avenue, on the occasion of her daughter, Sandra Jean's first birthday.

A pleasant social afternoon was spent and a delicious lunch was served at the close. Sandy received a number of beautiful gifts.

Those present were: Mrs. Wm. Marquette and Ralph, Mrs. Earl Marquette and Doris, Mrs. Dick Hammond and Paul, Mrs. Leo Weingartner and Peter, Mrs. Walter Houghton and Walter, and Mrs. Paul Fletcher and Ann.

Surprise Party
Mrs. Bertha Freeland was pleasantly honored on Thursday on the occasion of her birthday anniversary when a number of friends gathered at her home, 1222 Minnesota avenue.

Contact was played with Mrs. Pete Beauchamp of Escanaba receiving first prize and Mrs. Herbert VanHorn second.

A delicious lunch was served at the conclusion of play. The table centerpiece was a beautifully decorated birthday cake in green, pink and white and with fifty-nine candles.

Party arrangements were made by Mrs. Alpha Wickman and Mrs. Nick Sigan.

SADIE'S INN
TONIGHT
Dancing to the Music of VAN'S VAGABONDS
Modern and Oldtime Music — circular two-steps with caller, waltzes and schottisches.
BEER — LUNCH — WINE
Dance Sunday—Again we have **Chet Marrier and His Men of Note**—a good 4-piece band
No Minors Allowed

CASH WHEATON'S CARRY

Leg O' Lamb, lb.	23c	Leg O' Veal, lb.	25c
Pears, large can	15c	Pork Chops,	20c
Bonnd Steak, Sirloin, Porter		Loaf Cheese, best,	24c
House Steak,	22c	Sliced Bacon, best,	23c
lb.		lb. 15c and	
Pot Roast,	15c	sandwich Cookies,	12c
lb.		Chocolate Drops, lb.	10c
Chuck Roast, Branded	17c	Eggs, doz.	21c
Steer, lb.		Salt Pork, lb.	9c
Light Pork Loin Roast,	16c	Beans, large can	10c
lb.		Crackers, 2 lb. box	16c
Rib Boiling, lb.	12c	Catsup,	
Milk, the best,	20c	large bottle	10c
s for		Sugar, 10 lbs.	58c
Hamburger, lb.	15c	Fels-Naptha Soap,	46c
Matches, ctn.	19c	10 bars	
Soda, large bottles,	25c	Fels-Naptha Chips,	22c
s for		pkg.	
Ring Bologna, lb.	15c	(Sample Bar Free)	
Lard, lb.	8c	We have bulk Candy at very	
Veal Stew, lb.	10c	reasonable prices.	
Light Pork Butt	16c	ROSEB. 5 for 25c; WINE, qt. 50c; Aseltia's ICE CREAM, qt. 25c	
Roast, lb.		OPEN NIGHTS AND SUNDAYS	

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Milton Berg, Mayor.

Briefly Told

Choir Practice—Rehearsal of the choir of the Mission Covenant church will be held this evening at 7 o'clock at the church.

Toy Service—Another toy service will be held on Sunday at the Methodist church school at 9 o'clock. A Christmas reading will be given by John McGeary and Christmas music will be sung. A toy offering will be lifted for the purpose of supplying toys for the needy families on Christmas. These toys will be distributed by Ted Fisher's class of intermediate boys.

You'll Find Your Friends At WALLY'S Dance Tonight

Music By **Leo and His Band**
BEER - WINE - LIQUOR

DANCE At The OASIS
US-2 At Ensign
TONIGHT
Old Time and Modern Music
By **Bushies Dance Kings**
BEER - WINE - LIQUOR
Sandwiches
Fresh Oysters Served

Enjoy Yourself At The SWALLOW INN
TONIGHT
and Sunday
Dancing and Entertainment
Floor Show
BEER - LIQUOR - WINE
No Minors Allowed

MASS MEETING HERE SUNDAY

Seek Aid for Red Cross Auxiliary In Finland

A mass meeting under the auspices of the Finnish Relief commission is to be held Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the First Lutheran church.

The purpose of the gathering is to raise funds which are to be forwarded to the Lotta Svard Auxiliary of Finland. This Auxiliary is the Red Cross of Finland, named after Lotta Svard, who as an angel of mercy was active behind the lines in the war of 1808-09 which Finland waged against Russia, her neighbor in the east.

A committee on arrangements has been appointed and the members of the same are, Mrs. Herman Kasen, chairman, Mrs. Ed Jack, son, Mrs. Gust Erickson, Mrs. Isaac Jackson, Henry Martinson, Rev. N. J. Hedstrom and Dr. Herman Kasen.

A committee has also been appointed to receive donations and contributions for the Lotta Svard Auxiliary, namely, Dr. Herman Kasen, 525 Dakota avenue, and Mrs. Gust Erickson, 813 North 8th street. The latter is also the duly elected treasurer of the commission.

The program for the mass meeting is as follows: "A Mighty Fortress is Our God," Mrs. J. Otto Magnuson, organist.
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Debaters to Meet Quinnesec Monday

Gladstone high school debaters will travel to Quinnesec Monday afternoon to compete with Quinnesec high on the latter's platform. The argument is scheduled to open at 3 o'clock.

Coach Russell Skellenger has named Rita Rasmussen, Alice Dehlin and Barbara Riley with Paul Cowen as alternate as the team to represent Gladstone in this debate. They will speak in the order named.

Judges for the event are Mr. Elliscott, Miss Wilson and Mrs. Wojahowski, all of Iron Mountain.

Grade Pupils Will Give Yule Program

Grade school pupils of the public school system will present their Christmas program on the evening of Thursday, Dec. 21, at the high school auditorium.

Direction of the program is by LeRoy Christian and he is being assisted by the Misses Mabel Olson, Lillian Vine, Dorothy McQuown, Alice Garrett, Mabel Larson, Hazel Larson and Mr. Arne Nelmark.

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Seney News

Seney, Mich.—A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Nelson on Dec. 8th.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Stephens returned Sunday from a weeks visit with relatives at Dayton, Ohio.

Mrs. Ann Washall returned last week to her home in Detroit. Jack Cavanaugh left last week for Detroit where he will spend the winter.

Members of the Cribbage Club organized for the winter last week. Wm. Boonenberg was elected chairman and Mrs. Siddall treasurer.

The first meeting of the Woman's Club was held Wednesday evening with Mrs. Ruggles as hostess. Plans were made for a Christmas party with Mesdames A. Nelson, Gray and Siddall in charge.

Albert Nelson spent the week end at Grand Marais.

School will close Dec. 22nd and reopen Jan. 8. The Christmas program will be given Thursday evening Dec. 21.

Miss Clara Snyder returned last week from a few days vacation with friends at Indian River.

Mrs. Herman Roemer and daughter Eileen left Friday to spend the holidays with relatives at Detroit.

The members of the Board of Education attended a School Officers meeting at Manistique Wednesday.

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Eskymos Lose To Iron Mountain In Thriller

SPEEDY ACTION FEATURES TILT

Visitors' Defense Stops Locals In Hectic Game By 25-21 Score

Iron Mountain high school cagers showed a capacity crowd at the junior high school gym last night why they won the Upper Peninsula championship last year, handing the Eskymos their first defeat of the season, the score being 25-21.

But Iron Mountain knew it was in a ball game before it was over. Although Escanaba lost, there wasn't a fan in the gym after it was over who felt he hadn't had his money's worth of basketball.

The game was a scorcher from start to finish and the Eskymos need have no feelings of shame for the defeat because they lost to a classy basketball team. Coach George Mason's crew displayed one of the speediest offenses seen here in a long time. They were the better team of the two last night but the Escanaba boys were not far behind.

Gauthier were the better team of the two last night but the Escanaba boys were not far behind.

Eskymos Are Tense

The Eskymos were obviously tied up with tension in the first half, Iron Mountain taking a 7-1 lead at the quarter when all of the

FINANCIAL STATEMENT	
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Gate Receipts	\$107.15
Adult Season	16.89
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Grade School	3.21
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Advertising	4.40
Receipts	
Expenditures	\$29.40
Receipts	\$155.41
Expenditures	\$126.01

local shots went awry. The two Iron Mountain forwards, Clemmy Feira and Kootchie Nelson, displayed some sensational shooting in the first half, each dropping in two nifty shots. Anderson's field goal from underneath the basket with four minutes left to play of the half was Escanaba's only field goal of the first two periods, free throws by Schram, Barron and Holmes accounting for the other points. Iron Mountain left the floor at the half with a 13-5 lead.

Plenty Of Action
The second half was packed with action and the gym roared with cheers. Escanaba opened with free throws by McDonald and Anderson but Kootchie Nelson dribbled in fast to score a field goal. Gauthier, sensational sophomore guard, came through with two net-swinging long shots in quick succession, which, combined with a free throw by Schram, brought the score to 15 and 12, Iron Mountain. The visitors opened the game with another field goal by Nelson as the quarter ended.

Schram opened the final period with a side shot but Paoli, guard, came through with an offsetting basket. After Anderson had dumped in a side shot, Fornetti made a free throw but Escanaba came back with three free throws in succession, one by Schram and two by Holmes to make the score 20-19, the nearest Escanaba got all evening. With victory almost in their grasp, the Eskymos overplayed and allowed field goals by Paoli and Franson and a free throw by Franson. Barron, who was held in check by Franson all evening, looped in a side shot as the game ended.

In the preliminary, the local seconds defeated Iron Mountain, 22-18.

Escanaba plays at Ishpeming next Friday night for the last game before the holidays.

The box score:

Team	FG	FT	PF
Escanaba	1	1	0
Barron	1	1	0
Schram	1	3	2
Anderson	2	1	3
McDonald	0	1	1
Gauthier	2	0	1
Potenza	0	0	0
Holmes	0	0	0
Totals	6	5	7

Score by quarters:

Team	1	2	3	4	Total
Escanaba	1	4	7	9	21
Iron Mountain	7	6	4	2	19

RAMS PROMOTE DUCH
Cleveland, Dec. 15 (AP)—The Cleveland Rams of the National Professional Football League elected Coach Earl (Doc) Clark vice president and treasurer today.

SPILLING the DOPE



THERE'S MUCH ADO about the possibility of Albert Dapor, Norway's crack fullback last year, going to Northern State next fall... The College News reported the rumor first... Buck Erickson of the Iron Mountain News scooped it yesterday with this: "We don't like to disillusion the Northerners, but if our slant is right, Dapor will spend one semester at Ferris, not for athletic purposes, and check in at University of Detroit next year..."

VETERAN DUDAS SPRINGS UPSET

Old Heavyweight Takes Decision Over Young Pat Comiskey

BY SID FEDER
New York, Dec. 15 (AP)—Old Steve Dudas, who has been knocking around the heavyweight ranks for years without getting anywhere, came up of the floor tonight to score the first upset of the season by winning an eight-round decision over young Pat Comiskey before a near sell-out crowd in Madison Square Garden.

Dudas weighed 196; Comiskey 207.
The veteran trial horse from Edgewater, N. J., making his first United States start since a recent European invasion in which Max Schmeling flattened him, knew too many tricks for the youngster, who is rated by many as the likeliest candidate for Joe Louis' crown a couple of years from now. Dudas was punched all around in the early going and was floored with a short right hand inside in the fourth round for an eight-count. But in the same heat he banged a stiff left against the Paterson (N. J.) Irish lad's nose, and from there to the finish he worked on that until Pat's face became a smear of blood. Thus injured, Comiskey had difficulty breathing in the late going.

Verdict Split
The defeat was the first the "Fighting Harp" from Paterson has suffered in his 25 fights since turning professional 15 months ago. Before tonight's setback, only two fighters had gone the route against the 26-year-old slugger, whose right hand has been dynamite.

His loss tonight was on a split decision, with Judge Joe Lynch voting for a draw and referee Eddie Josephs and Judge Marty Monroe balloting for Dudas.

Dudas was by far the toughest opposition Pat has had to face to date. Ring-wise and wary, Dudas crouched and rolled away from Comiskey's right hand all through the fight. He held his own left high and continually moved away from the Comiskey "Sunday punch." Then, he came on to win, as Comiskey, finding it difficult to breathe, tired near the end.

Upset number two in the evening's festivities—and almost as much of a surprise package—came in the next bout when Lew Jenkins, slim slugger from Sweetwater, Texas, flattened Billy Marquart of Winnipeg, Canada, in 1 minute, 34 seconds of the third round of their eight-round bout. Jenkins weighed 129-1-4 and Marquart 134-3-4.

The victory may mean a shot at lightweight champion Lou Ambers' title next march for Jenkins, who now has a record of knocking out 27 of his 52 professional opponents.

BOOKS SCRAMBLED
New York, Dec. 15 (AP)—Boxing's "future books" were turned upside down in two divisions tonight, as Heavyweight Pat Comiskey and lightweight Billy Marquart were victims of upset defeats, and only Al Davis, welterweight hopeful, managed to come through among the favorites in Madison Square Garden.

A near sellout crowd howled through three tough battles in which Comiskey lost a bloody eight-round decision to the veteran Steve Dudas; Marquart was knocked out by the Sweetwater (Texas) lightweight title candidate, Lew Jenkins, and finally, Davis flattened Tippy Larkin of Garfield, N. J., in five rounds.

... at least, we haven't heard of... another thing, Buck, Felch doesn't have to pad its enrollment in order to get into class C... mere statement of intention to compete in a larger class is all that is necessary... shuffling of the enrollment comes only when a border line school is trying to get into a lower class... and don't forget, it is done plenty of times.

Marriage is like a movie— it often appears a flop because the advance notices made you expect too much.

CRYSTAL FALLS chalked up its 26th consecutive victory this week... but has a long way to go before breaking Ishpeming's great record of 45 straight from 1933 to 1936... to beat that mark, Chambers' crew will have to finish this season undefeated and go half way through next year... which is a tough assignment for any team... even the best must have a bad night occasionally... we never think of long unbeaten records unless it brings to mind Bud Finch's sensational Baraga team of more than 10 years ago... they weren't exceptionally big, but, boy, how they could tip that ball around the court... and into the basket when necessary... they pulled many games out of the fire with last minute sensational shots.

Spooks are lucky— they don't need haunting licenses.

A SPORTS WRITER, Elliott Cushing of the Rochester Democrat-Chronicle, pulled a good one the other day... said he: "There is no doubt that Russia looks great on paper... they've got'em 10 deep and power to burn... but look at the schedule they play"... the world champion Green Bay Packers didn't fare so well on the All Pro grid team... Don Hutson was the only fellow named on the first team while the New York Giants landed four players... Clark Hinkle and Barber by Ray were on the second team... incidentally, Hutson, who weighs 185, was the smallest player on the first team... Snydgar and Barber, tackles, led the beef trust with 230 pounds each... incidentally, Milwaukee is toying with the idea of constructing a municipal stadium... New York sports writers are wondering if the press box will be anchored securely.

LITTLE GIANTS NIP RAPID, 16-12

Rock Wins Low Scoring Game; Sutela and Short Star

Rapid River, Mich., Dec. 15—Rapid River and Rock, old rivals, battled tooth and nail here for four quarters tonight before the Little Giants eked out a 16-12 victory over the home town boys in an interesting battle.

In a preliminary, the visiting seconds won, 19-12. Rapid River, led by Pete Short, who counted eight points during the game, took an early lead of 6-4 at the quarter time but Rock, with Sutela and Kaukola leading the way, tied it up at 10-10 at half time.

The third quarter was a nip and tuck affair, each team being confined to but one free throw. Rock's margin of victory came in the last quarter when the visitors scored four points and held the locals scoreless.

Rapid River sprung a zone defense on the Little Giants and the visitors had difficulty solving it. Sutela led his mates with eight points.

Rapid River made two out of three throws while Rock tossed only two out of ten charity tosses.

The box score:

Team	FG	FT	PF
Rapid River (12)	6	2	7
Roberts	0	0	2
Gilliland	0	1	1
Bannister	1	0	1
Fuhrman	0	1	2
Short	4	0	1
Totals	5	2	7

Score by quarters:

Team	1	2	3	4	Total
Rapid River	5	4	2	0	11
Rock	4	6	2	4	12

Referee: Rawitch.

Cooks Beats Garden By Score Of 43-13

Garden... Cooks' high school basketball team defeated Garden high school here tonight 43-13. Hartman starred for Cooks with 18 points and Barney and Thibault were best for Garden. The Garden girls team beat Cooks girls 18-11 in the opener.

EMERALD FIVE BEATS KEILMEN

Zervic Attempts Rescue, But Manistique Wins 19-15

Manistique—Manistique led all the way tonight in a basketball game in which they defeated Gladstone 19-15, although the final result seemed in doubt near the close when Gladstone and Zervic put on a point drive.

Manistique led 12 to 1 at the half, while Gladstone was playing without Zervic and at the end of the third quarter, the score stood 16 to 5. Zervic went to work then, however, and in two minutes put Gladstone very much in the game, with the score at 16-15, Manistique. There the rally stopped, however, and Manistique added three points while stopping Gladstone cold and it was all over.

The box score:

Team	FG	FT	PF
Manistique	0	0	0
Lambert	0	0	1
Cournoya	2	0	1
Asp	1	0	2
H. Hellstein	0	0	1
McMillan	0	3	3
Noe	1	1	3
Totals	4	4	11

Totals:

Team	FG	FT	PF
Gladstone	0	1	2
Fisher	0	1	2
Macki	2	0	0
Holm	0	0	2
Berg	0	0	0
Price	0	4	1
Marble	1	1	0
Knutson	0	1	0
Zervic	1	0	2
Totals	4	7	7

Referee: Zentl, Gwinn. Score by periods: 8 4 4 3-19. Manistique 19 15 9-15.

Basketball

U. P. HIGH SCHOOL
Manistique 19; Gladstone 15. Iron Mountain 25; Escanaba 21. Rock 16; Rapid River 12. Cooks 43; Garden 13. Harris 16; Daggett 15. Hermansville 14; Powers 12. Crystal Falls 34; Kingsford 8. Houghton 12; Palmsdale 9. Hancock 21; Dollar Bay 19. Lake Linden 18; Calumet 16. Ripley 15; Rockland 11. Greenland 26; J. A. Deo 11 (Tapiola) 21. Baraga (Marquette) 27; Ontonagon 21 (overtime). Newberry 30; Nekaunee 29. Michiganman 11; Pequaung 7. Trout Creek 42; Ewen 24. Palmer 55; Marquette B 19. National Mine 33; Champion 36. Ishpeming 26; Munising 14. Trenary 35; Eben 26. L'Anse 42; Baraga (Mich.) 35.

COLLEGE SCORES

Alma 40; Ferris 24. Bay City Junior College 42; Grand Rapids Junior College 30. DePaul (Chicago) 53; Hamline 33. Detroit Tech 43; Bowling Green 39. Albion 52; Bluffton 41 (overtime). Alabama 47; Florida 38. Ohio U. 60; Western (Mich.) State Teachers 46. Illinois 40; Carleton 15. Duquesne 42; Wayneburg 31. Grinnell 43; Lawrence (Appleton, Wis.) 33. Villanova 62; Western Maryland 35. Pittsburgh (Kan.) Teachers 62; U. of Arkansas 19. Wesleyan 43; Harvard 37. Indiana 49; Nebraska 39. Milwaukee Teachers 35; Chicago Teachers 34. Butler 47; Pittsburgh 36.

IRISH FAVORED OVER MICHIGAN

Point-a-Minute Squad Playing Tonight At Ann Arbor

Ann Arbor, Dec. 15 (AP)—Michigan's basketball team, which already has one upset victory to its credit, goes after another here tomorrow night when it takes on Notre Dame's point-a-minute cagers.

Despite an opening game triumph over a favored Michigan State quintet last week the Wolverines will be on the short end of the odds in their encounter with the Irish.

To date Notre Dame has knocked off Kalamazoo college, Valparaiso, Cincinnati and Wisconsin, all by hot-heavy scores, averaging 87.5 points per game, or just short of a point and a half a minute.

At South Bend a year ago, the Wolverines beat the Irish in the last 70 seconds of play, 40 to 38. Coach Bennie Oosterbaan said he would start Bob Fitzgerald, Kalamazoo sophomore, and Mike Sotak as forwards, Capt. Jim Rae, center, and Herb Brogan, and Charley Pink, guards. Fitzgerald drew the starting assignment because of his fine play as a substitute against the Spartans. Notre Dame's big point-getters

Real Champion



Georgia Coleman
Having survived two attacks of infantile paralysis, Georgia Coleman, former Olympic diving champion, smiles her determination to pull through a third time as she lives in Hollywood hospital after undergoing operation for liver disorder.

GOLFERS CLIP FOUR OFF PAR

Kunes and Nelson Lead; ReVolta Still In Thick of Fight

BY LARRY ROLLINS
Miami, Fla., Dec. 15 (AP)—Gene Kunes of Philadelphia, who earns his winter expenses by operating a Florida driving range, finished after dark with a four-under-par 66 today to tie the national open champion Byron Nelson at 137 for the 36 hole lead in the \$10,000 Miami open golf tournament.

Nelson had whipped out his second consecutive sub par score, a 69, apparently unscrambling an eight-way deadlock for the lead, when Kunes came out of nowhere. It was so dark that the Philadelphia, former Canadian open champion, took fully five minutes to line up his last putt, a mere two footers.

Kunes, who recently landed a new job at the Holmesburg Country club, Philadelphia, was completely overlooked after shooting a first round 71 yesterday when 22 golfers broke par 70. Playing after a gusty wind had subsided somewhat, he ripped off a 33 on each nine in a magnificent display.

He missed only one green all day as he birdied five holes and bogeyed only one, the seventh, where he three-putted.

Kunes won the Canadian open in 1935 for the only important tournament victory of his career. Ralph Guldahl, two-time national open king who had been tied with Nelson and six others with 68 for the opening round, slipped slightly to a 70 for 138, where he was a stroke off the pace with E. J. (Dutch) Harrison of Little Rock, Ark., who put together his second 69.

Dick Metz of Chicago, another of the first round leaders, dropped back a notch to 139 as he scored a 71. Even with him were Johnny ReVolta, of Chicago, whose 69 kept him in the thick of the fight, Denny Shute, former PGA and British open champion, and young Ben Hogan of White Plains, N. Y. Shute and Hogan scored 70's after opening 69's.

Spartan Cohorts Cheered By News Of Cougar Defeat

East Lansing, Dec. 15 (AP)—Word that the traveling Washington State basketball team had tumbled into its first defeat in eight starts against Northwestern Thursday night, cheered the basketball cohorts at Michigan State college somewhat today.

Facing in the Cougar game tomorrow night a squad which has averaged 48 points this season to 28 for its opponents, the Spartans were none too hopeful of victory. The team had its first practice in a week yesterday, having been disorganized by term-end examinations, said Coach Ben V. Van Alstyne and the players were not in the best shape.

Van Alstyne planned to open with his all-veteran team of Marty Hutland, Bob Phillips, forwards; Max Hindman, center; and Max Dalrymple and Chet Aubuchon, guards. Phillips suffered an injury last week, but appears ready to play tomorrow.

The game will be played in the gymnasium at the boy's vocational school in Lansing, the Spartans' new \$1,400,000 Jensen fieldhouse being uncompleted.

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are Capt. Mark Eriel, rangy center, and forwards Ed Riska and George Bobek, the latter a sophomore and the team's leading scorer. Although students have departed for their homes for the holidays, a crowd of several thousand is expected to see the contest. Notre Dame's big point-getters

HARRIS CAGERS BEAT DAGGETT

Free Throws Margin of Victory In Close Battle, 16-15

Bark River, Mich., Dec. 15—Free throws were the margin of victory here tonight as Coach Edmer LaCosse's Harris quintet eked out a 16-15 victory over Daggett in a wild encounter.

The Harris boys dropped in eight free throws to five for Daggett. The latter team outscored the victors from the field, five baskets to four but charity tosses decided the game.

Harris led 6-3 at the quarter but Daggett narrowed the lead to 11-7 at half time. The Daggett boys went on a five point scoring spree in the third frame to knot the count and the two teams battled furiously in the final period before Harris eked out the win.

The summary:

Team	FG	FT	PF
Harris (10)	1	2	2
Beauchamp	0	0	0
Taylor	0	0	0
Myrvall	0	1	2
Poisson	0	0	1
Bartozeck	1	2	0
Deloughary	0	0	1
Motton	1	1	1
Maralchek	0	1	2
Houle	1	0	1
Williams	0	1	0
Totals	4	8	10

Daggett (15):

Team	FG	FT	PF
Plutchak	2	2	0
Dahl	0	0	2
Liechman	1	0	1
Wend	0	0	1
Borski	1	0	2
Boye	1	2	4
Rabon	0	1	1
Totals	5	5	12

Score by periods: 6 5 1 4-16. Daggett 16 15 3-15. Official: Vescolani.

ILLINOI HONORED FOR BIG UPSET

Game With Michigan Wins Laurel As Surprise of the Season

New York, Dec. 15 (AP)—Remember back on Nov. 4, when an Illinois eleven that had been beaten three times and tied by little Bradley rose up and smashed mighty Michigan, 16 to 7, to confound the nation's football experts?

Well, for their valor on that day the pupils of Coach Bob Zuppke have been awarded the laurel by 86 experts voting in the Associated Press' annual poll to select the biggest upset, or surprise, of the 1939 sports season.

In the opinion of the voters, this sudden uprising of the Illinois outfit in magnificent both the surprising comeback of Iowa on the gridiron and Tony Galento's breath-taking fights against champion Joe Louis and Lou Nova.

On the basis of three points for a first-place selection, two for second and one for third, Illinois' victory scored 97 1-2 points, to 95 for Iowa and 53 1-2 for the gallant Tony. Illinois polled 27 first-place votes, Iowa 25 and Galento 8 votes.

For the benefit of those who do not recall the details, Illinois had been trounced by Southern California, Northwestern and Indiana and decimated by Bradley when the day of its big game with Michigan dawned. On the other hand, the Wolverines, with Tom Harmon running wild, had rolled over Michigan State, Iowa and Yale, had slaughtered Chicago 85 to 0, and were considered hot stuff.

The first period was scoreless, the Michigan fans figuring merely that their boys were a trifle warmer than usual in getting warmed up. But in the second quarter Illinois broke loose the old "aleepee" play to score a touchdown and give Michigan a jolt from which it never recovered. A field goal in the same quarter and another touchdown later on made the victory conclusive.

Brooklyn's thrilling rise to third place in the National league gained four first-place votes and a total of 26 1-2 points, while the Yankees' four straight over Cincinnati in the world series also was voted first place on four ballots and a total of 22 points. The St. Louis Cardinals' rise to second place in the National league was good for three first-place votes.

Powers Nosed Out By Hermansville

Field goals decided the issue in a close basketball game between Powers and Hermansville teams last night, with the latter taking a 14 to 12 decision. Powers held a 7-2 lead at the half, but Hermansville picked up, and each team was credited with four field goals. Hermansville winning via the gift toss route. The Hermansville second team also won, 14 to 13. Leo Brunelle of Escanaba refereed.

Tickets For Grid Bust Available

There are still tickets available for the annual football recognition football banquet which will be held at the Delta Hotel Monday evening at 6:15 o'clock, it was learned yesterday at the Chamber of Commerce office.

Lynn Waldorf, Northwestern University coach, will be the principal speaker and coaches and players of Escanaba and St. Joseph teams will be guests.

TRENARY BEATS EBEN BY 35-26

Marlin Leads Mates to Victory Over Old Cage Rivals

Trenary, Mich., Dec. 15—A high scoring Trenary high school basketball team, led by Marlin, pushed in a 35-26 victory over their arch rivals, Eben, in an interesting game here tonight.

The speedy Trenary forward looped in seven field goals and two free throws for a total of 14 points to lead his mates. Peterson was second high with 10 points. Salmi led the visitors with 12 points, before being banished from the game in the fourth frame on fouls. The locals lost Hytinen in the same period on fouls.

A second half rally of 10 points gave the Trenary team the margin of victory, Eben holding a 20-15 lead at half time.

The summary:

Team	FG	FT	PF
Trenary (35)	7	2	3
Marlin	5	0	1
Peterson	5	0	1
Hytinen	1	2	4
Seppanen	0	0	0
Mills	1	0	1
Maki	1	1	2
Totals	15	5	11

Eben (26):

Team	FG	FT	PF
Richmond	1	1	0
Mikulich	1	0	1
Salmi	4	4	4
Wiltanen	2	1	1
Hill	1	2	2
Kelto	0	0	0
Kallo	0	0	0
Totals	9	8	8

Referee: Cameron. Score by periods: 4 11 10 10-35. Eben 26 15 4 1-

The Firemen Are About To Decide If's Just A Game

If the high school burned down some night, you could scarcely blame the firemen, for they are beginning to figure that almost any time there is an alarm from box 54, at Twelfth street and Ninth avenue south, one of the corners of the high school, they can be sure it's a false alarm.

Probably any one but the firemen would get tired of the sport and figure it was just the old Aesop fable cry of "Wolf, Wolf," in a modern setting. But the firemen have to answer.

It just might be the high school or even a residence in the neighborhood, so they go prepared for the worst. They've made a dozen runs on calls from that box in the last three months, with no fires.

There was a fire yesterday morning, however, at 518 South Thirteenth street, where a small portion of the roof burned. Damage was slight.

The electric locomotive is not a recent invention. The first successful trial trip of a locomotive powered by electricity made a run in 1875 on the B & O tracks, and averaged 19 miles an hour.

Hospital

Milton Root, Southampton, Ontario, was admitted to St. Francis hospital, suffering from a dislocated elbow.

Mrs. George B. Clark of Gladstone submitted to an operation for relief from appendicitis.

Warnock To Speak Tonight At Meeting Of Townsend Club

Joseph Warnock of Galesburg, Mich., will be the speaker at a meeting arranged by the Escanaba Townsend club for eight o'clock this evening in the city hall council chambers. The general public is invited by the officers of the group to attend.

Warnock's address is "Is the Townsend Plan Economically Sound?" His talk deals with taxation and economics and deals with the matter in a reasonable and convincing manner.

As soon as his mate starts nesting, the rhinoceros hornbill seals her into a hollow tree. He seals a small opening for her bill to stick out and brings her food until the brood is hatched.

Large Crowd Attends 1st Annual Ski Show

Community interest in winter sports was given much impetus with the staging of the Escanaba Ski club's spectacular first annual ski show at the Coliseum last evening. Several hundred persons attended the festivities, which were featured by a highly instructive and interesting exhibition of ski technique by Joseph Maurin of Land O'Lakes, Wis., a winter sportswear style revue and jitterbug dancing.

Working under severe handicaps on the borax-covered indoor slide, the Gateway resort skiing instructor demonstrated various skiing methods. A thrilling jump over Ira Smith Jr., lying on the runway, half way up the slide, was one of the stunts by Maurin, which was enthusiastically applauded by the large crowd. Instructions in skiing technique, written and demonstrated by Maurin, were read over the public address system by Harold Gessner.

Latest Styles Shown
The latest styles in men and women's winter sports apparel were shown in the colorful revue.

Models appearing the show were Edna Ekstrom, Eunice Lindstrom, Betty Johnson, Bob Harwood, Barbara Defnet, Frances Ghera, Mary Grace Ammel, Arlene Johnson, Bill Beckstrom, Judie Judson, Jean and Ruth Slack, Al Provencher, Ruth Moras, Bernice Carlson, Gordon McLeod, June Raquette, Evelyn Borrow, August Julian, Ceal Clements and Clem Skopp. Not planned on the program but winning the approval of the spectators was the surprise appearance of little Jackie Derouin, who paraded on the stage with a set of barrel staves as his principal skiing equipment. Arthur J. Goulais, chairman of ski show committees, served as announcer.

Songs by Rose Christopher, Bernard Ammel and Judith Judson gave variety to the program. Dancing was also enjoyed, with Kobosich's orchestra furnishing the music.

The hall was attractively decorated. Merchants of the city also had booth displays of the latest styles in winter apparel, and skiing and skating equipment.

The two Iron Mountain skiers, Ray Laramie and Walter Brattlund, who were scheduled to give an exhibition, failed to appear.

Praises Ski Park
Yesterday afternoon, Maurin and members of the Escanaba Ski club made an inspection of the new winter sports park, northwest of the city. Maurin was impressed with the possibilities of the area. Its picturesque terrain, numerous hills and woodland trails, he said, should be popular with the recreational type of skier and he said he was confident that if properly promoted the winter sports park would draw many visitors. With the erection of a scaffold on the largest hill in the area, it would be possible for skiers to make jumps of from 100 to 140 feet, he said.

Members of the Escanaba Ski club are considering a suggestion to purchase the timbers, used in the construction of the indoor slide used last night, and move the slide to the winter sports park.

Maurin will return to his duties at the Gateway resort today. During his spare time, the skiing instructor writes fiction. He had a short story in the Chicago Daily News this week, and has just submitted a skiing story to that publication.

BRITAIN OPENS AIR WARFARE ON BIG SCALE

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bases, despite sharp antiaircraft fire. (A German announcement said one British plane was chased away from Borkum and two others dropped bombs in the sea near Sylt.)

Another British trawler, the James Ludford, meanwhile was sunk by a mine, with 17 believed dead. The British tanker Atholtempair, 8,939 tons, was badly damaged "by enemy action" off the east coast, but her crew was rescued.

In the face of continued British sea losses, however, the Journal of Commerce and Shipping Telegraph reported that British and French warships had captured or sunk four per cent of Germany's merchant fleet, or double the percentage of British Empire losses. The German losses were placed at 18 ships, of 87,312 tons, sunk and 21 ships, of 97,931 tons, captured.

off Uruguay.

This was indicated today by Secretary of State Hull, who said the Uruguayan government would send a complete report of the facts to the president of Panama. The latter has been named spokesman for the American republics on joint neutrality questions. It is presumed he will be the medium for any diplomatic representations that may be made to Britain or Germany, or to both.

Secretary Hull was emphatic in stating that this government would undertake to meet the other American republics half-way in any decision they are inclined to make.

Officials sought particularly to learn the fate of merchant ships that might have been involved in the sea battle.

Some reports have it that the battle developed when the German pocket battleship Admiral Graf Spee attacked the French merchantman Formosa, which was under convoy by a British cruiser.

Officials generally were inclined to regard an attack on a merchantman within the neutrality zone as a much greater violation of the zone than a battle between warships inside the area.

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DEMAND MADE FOR INTERNING OF GRAF SPEE

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nounced he was consulting with the foreign ministers of other American republics on a joint declaration to warn belligerent warships to do their fighting outside the 300-mile Pan-American "safety belt."

The British demand came as a formal note transmitted by the British minister to Uruguay, Eugene Millington Drake, to the Uruguayan foreign office.

While Britain increased her diplomatic pressure to make the Graf Spee fight or tie up for good and all, the prospects increased that sooner or later the battered vessel would try to run the gauntlet of allied sea power on guard outside Montevideo harbor.

"National prestige will not permit her internment. She'll have to make a try for it," said German business leaders here.

Fuel Tanks Refilled
Graf Spee officers and diplomatic officials were silent.

The battleship crew went busily about the work of filling her fuel tanks with oil and repairing the rents in her steel torn in Wednesday's shelling by three British cruisers which forced her to give up the fight.

Lying vigilantly outside the harbor were the British cruisers Achilles and Ajax. British diplomatic sources indicated the 10,000-ton cruiser Cumberland had joined them. The French battleship Dunkerque, 26,500 tons, was reported by Argentine official sources to be on the way.

How long the German sea raider would be permitted to remain in this port was a moot question. The Uruguayan government had permitted her to stay long enough to make herself "seaworthy" but Foreign Minister Alberto Guani declined to make a distinction between that condition and "combat worthiness."

Crew Buried 36
While the Graf Spee was being readied for sea, 330 of her officers and men—a third of her crew—went ashore to bury the 36 men who died aboard her in the first major naval engagement of the European war.

In London the admiralty disclosed the cruiser Achilles had four crewmen killed in the fight with the Graf Spee and three wounded. While no casualties were announced it was believed the cruiser Exeter was Britain's heaviest sufferer in the three-against-one engagement.

The Exeter, which carried the heaviest British end of the fight, was proceeding slowly down the Argentine coast toward Bahia Blanca where an Argentine naval tugboat was waiting, presumably to escort her into port.

A hundred beds had been prepared at a naval hospital to receive the Exeter's wounded.

NEUTRALITY IN HUBBLE
Washington, Dec. 15 (AP)—Concerned because sea warfare has been carried into the Western hemisphere's "neutrality belt," American Republics have begun consulting to determine what to do about the recent naval action

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