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Kidnaped Baby Found Unharmed

President to Tell Mikoyan Allies Won't Quit Berlin

By JOHN M. HIGHTOWER

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Eisenhower is expected to impress upon Soviet Deputy Premier Anastas I. Mikoyan this week that the Western allies have no intention of abandoning Wset Berlin or creating a neutralized Germany.

Eisenhower and Premier Nikita Khrushchev's top following further policy discussions between Mikoyan and Secretary of State Dulles.

The Soviet visitor met with both Dulles and Vice President Nixon a week ago before starting his present tour around the country.

Interest in the forthcoming discussions was sharpened over the weekend by two surprise Moscow moves.

1. In notes to the United States and 26 other countries that fought Nazi forces in World War II, the Soviet government proposed a 28-nation conference to meet at Warsaw or Prague in two months to wirte a German peace treaty. The 12-page note was accompanied by a 25-page detailed outline for a treaty, including provision for withdrawal of Western and Soviet troops from Germany and a ban on German membership in any military alliance. West Germany is a member of NATO.

2. In a second note Saturday night, the Soviet Union called for resumption of East-West talks on the problem of preventing surprise attack in the nuclear missiles age. The United States responded promptly with a statement saying it favors resuming the talks —which broke down at Geneva Dec. 18—but wants an agreement with the Soviet Union on the range of problems they should deal with.

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Both notes were received at the State Department Sunday. But even before the German peace treaty plan came in, officials said on the basis of a Moscow announcement Saturday that it was clearly unacceptable.

They expressed hope that detailed study might open up an opportunity for some constructive counter proposal, however.

One of the provisions of the Soviet plan for Germany was that West Berlin should be converted into an unarmed free city until East and West Germany are reunited.

Pending unification, the proposed peace treaty would be made with both the Communist East German regime—which the Western powers have declined to recognize—and the anti-Communist West German regime.

Mikoyan in his talks in Washington and other cities has given no evidence of any weakening of Soviet policy on German questions.

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Fire Routs 100 at Grosse Ile

Housing Unit Destroyed in Blaze Started by Child With Candle

DETROIT (AP)—A fire apparently touched off by a child playing with a Christmas candle destroyed a 27-family housing unit at Grosse Ile Naval Air Station yesterday.

Yeoman 1/c Robert Sheldon, 29, of East Detroit received minor burns on the hands and face in the fire that started in his apartment, Navy officials said.

The blaze chased 100 persons, including 48 children, into subfreezing cold.

Sheldon was treated at the base dispensary and released.

His wife, Beverly, 28, said the fire apparently started when her son, Robert Jr., 4, played with a candle left over from Christmas.

The Navy estimated damages at $30,000. Five families living in the unit lost all their clothing and furniture in the blaze. The personal effects of the others were damaged extensively.

Flames were prevented from spreading to 12 other units by firemen from the air station, Grosse Ile and nearby Trenton.

Unit residents were given temporary shelter in other buildings on the base until other housing could be found.

Hunt for AF Plane Down Off Alaska

ANCHORAGE, Alaska (AP)—Two U.S. Coast Guard cutters were searching today for a huge C124 Air Force cargo plane believed down with nine men aboard in the vicinity of the rugged Kenai Peninsula's southeastern tip.

A Coast Guard spokesman at Kodiak said the cutter Storis was dispatched from Kodiak, and the Sedge was sent out from Cordova.

The Globemaster plane was last heard from as it approached Homer, 125 miles southeast of here, for an emergency landing with two of its four engines out. It never arrived at Homer, which is at the base of a 5,200-foot mountain range.

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Cuba Speeds Up Executions for Batista Backers

50 Supporters Dead, 3,000 Waiting Fast Military Trial

HAVANA, Cuba (AP)—Executions of the followers of former Dictator Fulgencio Batista are mounting in Cuba as the forces of rebel leader Fidel Castro continue hurry-up military trials.

Thus far about 50 Batista supporters have been executed. Nearly 3,000 are awaiting trial.

Asked Sunday why the Batista followers were being executed without open trials, Castro said, "There were not so many. . .two or three dozen criminals."

"They were judged," he said, adding that "if anyone killed 15 or 30 people, he has no right to live."

Correspondent Jules DuBois of the Chicago Tribune reported that the mutilated bodies of 160 anti-Batista prisoners were found Sunday in a mass grave on the outskirts of San Cristobal, 60 miles west of Havana.

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Military authorities in Manzanillo announced Sunday that Cubans will not be allowed to witness the firing squad executions of Batista supporters. But they will be allowed to see the bodies afterward.

The announcement came after a crowd of 3,000 attended the execution Saturday in Manzanillo of six Batista supporters convicted by a military court. The announcement said public executions do not conform "with our culture."

Directorate troops Sunday began moving out of the University of Havana and the board of governors was working on plans to reopen the university. It has been closed since Castro started his revolution.

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All public and private schools, closed since before Christmas, were ordered to reopen today.

Tax Bill Introduced

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Rep. Alvin M. Bentley (R-Mich) introduced a bill today to give taxpayers credit on their federal income tax for any new state or local school taxes. He said it would encourage local governments to spend more for school construction.

Saturday Meeting Set

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Eisenhower will meet with Soviet Dep. Premier Anastas I. Mikoyan at the White House Saturday morning. Press Secretary James C. Haggerty said no time limit has been set.

Investigate Murder



AP Wirephoto

SCENE OF SLAYING — Deputy Sheriff David Case, left, and Inspector James Matney examine blood spots in the driveway of Mrs. Clara Mohr's home near Carmel, Calif. Mrs. Mohr was stabbed to death Saturday. She was known as Claire la Marr in the silent movie days.

Britons Afraid to Speed on Superhighway

LONDON (UPI)—The first official report on use of a new superhighway designed for fast travel indicated today that most Britons are scared of speeding.

Lancashire County Police Chief T. E. St. Johnston reported to Transport Minister Harold Watkinson that most drivers timed during its first month's operation stuck to 40-50 miles per hour.

Only one driver timed by police in the first month was doing more than 75 on the eight-mile highway called the Preston Bypass, St. Johnston said.

2 Killed as Blast Shatters Bar

Worker Hunting Gas Leak a Victim; Father Saves Girl, 4

DETROIT (AP)—Two persons were killed and two injured today when a gas explosion ripped through a suburban Romulus township bar and living quarters as workers sought to find a leaking line.

Mrs. Josephine Smiegel, 53, owner of the bar, and Harry Garavaglia, 32, Taylor Township, a Michigan Consolidated Gas Co. employe were killed.

Leonard Smiegel, 32, son of the bar owner, was critically burned in a fire touched off by the blast. Smiegel managed to save the lie of his 4-year-old daughter, Tonette — by throwing her out a second story window of their home next to the bar.

Smiegel's wife, Betty, 28, suffered cuts on the legs as she rushed from the house.

Police said Garavaglia was in the basement of the bar trying to trace a reported gas leak when the blast occurred.

Another gas company worker, Philip Becker, of Wayne, survived the explosion and caught the Smiegel child as her father dropped her.

Becker said he, Smiegel and Garavaglia were in the basement under the house and that Garavaglia had crawled into a basement under the bar to reach a line to a gas water heater.

"He hadn't been gone five seconds when there was a tremendous poof," said Becker, "air and flames shot past my face and all around me."

Cloudy and Warmer Forecast for Area

The U.S. Weather Bureau forecasts considerable cloudiness and warmer for the Pontiac area today and tomorrow.

The mercury is expected to climb to 35 degrees today with a low tonight between 20 and 26. The high Tuesday will be 30 to 36.

Wednesday's outlook is partly cloudy with little temperature change.

The five-day forecast predicts temperatures will average four to eight degrees above the normal high of 33 and normal low of 19.

Total precipitation during the five-day period is expected to be less than two-tenths of an inch with snow flurries Tuesday night or Wednesday and again about Saturday.

The lowest temperature recorded in downtown Pontiac preceding 8 a.m. was 18. At 1 p.m. the reading was 28.

Churchills Start Trip

LONDON (AP)—Sir Winston and Lady Churchill, bundled up against London's freezing temperatures, left by air today for a six-week stay in the sunshine of Morocco.

Lindemer Running Again

LANSING (AP)—Lawrence B. Lindemer, 37, Stockbridge attorney, announced today he will seek reelection as Republican state chairman.

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Good News Brings Rejoicing



AP Wirephoto

JOYFUL NEWS — Mrs. Frank Chionchio is kissed by her mother, Mrs. John Fumo, after police said today Mrs. Chionchio's baby was found alive and healthy in a Brooklyn apartment. At left is Mrs. Chionchio's father, and at right, her brother, John Jr.

36 Killed as German Airliner Crashes in Brazil Rain Squall

RIO DE JANEIRO, Brazil (UPI)—Officials today blamed a blinding rain squall for the crash of a German Lufthansa airliner which killed 36 persons in an explosion and fire "hot enough to start a chain reaction."

Three crew members survived. All were reported out of danger today.

The only American aboard, pilot Capt. Wren McMains of Westover Park, Stamford, Conn., died at the controls after he missed the runway Sunday at Galeao International Airport in a blinding rain storm.

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The plane touched down in Rio Bay instead, bounced onto Tubiacanga Beach on Governador Island, where the airport is located. It exploded and split apart in flames.

Heavy mud delayed the rescue until it was too late. Most of the victims were burned to death.

Firemen who carried portable extinguishers several hundred yards through deep mud to the plane were forced to delay their operations until the flames died down.

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They sought refuge from the rain beneath the unburned tail section. One shouted to officials: "No one's alive in there. It's hot enough to start a chain reaction."

Officials said most of the victims were burned beyond recognition. Attempts at identification began in the Rio morgue today.

The plane was on a flight from Hamburg, Germany, to Buenos Aires.

Airport tower operators said McMains asked for landing instructions following a flight from Dakar just a few minutes before the crash.

Eyewitnesses said the plane's landing gear dipped to the water near the end of the runway. The plane rose several feet to clear the seawall, but then bounced off the runway, dipped sharply to the left and crashed and exploded on the beach.

The three survivors were navigator Heinz Wilhelm Jeppel, hostess Hilde Dehler and steward Karl Francfrank. They were tossed free of the wreckage with 10 passengers, but the passengers were killed.

Among the dead was Gary Levy, Latin-American director of Reuters News Agency, who was en route back to Rio following a television interview in London. Others were Count and Countess Jaroslav Kottulinsky, who were married in Vienna on Dec. 7, 1955 in a wedding attended by most of Europe's royalty.

Billy Graham Defies Illness

Goes Ahead With Plans for World Tour Despite Eye Ailment

DALLAS, Tex. (AP)—Evangelist Billy Graham went ahead with his plans for a world crusade today in the face of advice by physicians to curtail his activities because of an eye ailment.

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Graham told reporters that he intends to go to Australia, Indonesia, Malaya, Cairo, Jerusalem and Berlin this year.

Graham's illness earlier caused him to cancel a scheduled appearance at the Dallas First Baptist Church.

"The program may be cut somewhat by doctor's orders," Graham said of his projected tour, "but right now I plan to go."

He had announced previously he would go to Rochester, Minn. Tuesday for a check-up at a Mayo clinic instead of leaving for the West Coast en route to Australia.

Graham insisted he felt all right but "there's something wrong with one of my eyes."

"But I don't know what is is," he continued. "The doctor told me what it is—a long technical name — but I think he's as confused as the Republicans are these days."

"I spent two days in doctors' offices and about midnight last night I got orders not to preach," he said of his cancelled church appearance. "I don't have cancer, I've had no heart attack; I haven't had a stroke and I'm not blind."

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A cable sent to Australia said the medical examination showed "angio spastico edema of the macula." The macula lutea is a small yellow spot on the human retina and is the most sensitive area of the retina. The description suggests a spastic congestion of blood vessels serving the macula.

Argentine Chief Coming

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Arturo Frondizi of Argentina will visit Detroit Jan. 27 as part of a visit to the United States. Frondizi, who will enter this country at Charleston, S.C., Jan. 19, plans to visit seven cities before returning home Feb. 1.

Eleanor Wants to Show U.S. to Khrushchev

SIOUX FALLS, S. D. (UPI)—Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt said last night she would like to take Soviet Premier Nikita Khrushchev "by the hand and show him around the United States."

"It would be the best education he could get," the former first lady said, "but I would not like to do it if there were demonstrations against him."

Mrs. Roosevelt, speaking for the American Association for the United Nations, said it was easy to sympathize with refugees who rioted against Soviet Deputy Premier Anastas Mikoyan, but called the demonstrations "unfortunate, because we wouldn't like it if such a thing happened to one of our government officials over there."

Excuse, Please! So Solly

TOKYO (UPI) — Police called off today a five-day search for bamboo shop owner Osamu Nakagami, 21, suspected of killing a man found Wednesday in his shop. Embarrassed police admitted they had learned that Nakagami was the murdered man.

Anonymous Tip Leads to Flat in Brooklyn

Divorcee-Widow Denies Snatching Infant From Hospital After Birth

NEW YORK (AP)—The kidnaped Chionchio baby was found alive and healthy Sunday night in a Brooklyn apartment. The infant girl had been the object of an intense search since she was snatched from a hospital 2½ hours after her birth nine days ago.

Police and FBI agents, acting on an anonymous tip, located the baby in the [illegible] flat of Jean Lavarone, 43-year-old divorcee and widow with seven living children.

Her apartment is about 1½ miles from St. Peter's Hospital where the child was kidnaped late Jan. 2.

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The child was returned to the hospital. Authorities said she was "in good condition." The youngest baby ever kidnaped here, she was taken before her parents had the chance to have her baptized "Lisa Rose."

Mrs. Iavarone denied the kidnaping and claimed the child is hers, police said. They quoted her as saying she had delivered the baby unattended in her apartment Jan. 2.

Chief of Detectives James B. Leggett and J. Kenneth McCabe, chief assistant district attorney of Kings County Brooklyn, said Mrs. Iavarone would be charged with kidnaping.

McCabe questioned the woman for an hour.

Asked what evidence there was to support the charge, McCabe said the footprints of the Chionchio baby taken shortly after birth match those of the baby found Sunday night.

He said that footprints, like fingerprints, are only one of a kind.

Telling newsmen of his questioning of Mrs. Iavarone, McCabe said: "She still says it's her baby. She answers questions in a calm voice."

First positive identification of the baby was announced by the FBI, quoting the father, Frank.

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Chionchio, 28, a lawyer for the Port of New York Authority, said he recognized the baby on the basis of a "general family resemblance" and a small scar over the left eye he had noticed the night th baby was born.

"I feel very happy," Chionchio said as he left the hospital to rejoin his wife, Frances, 26. She has been staying with her parents in Brooklyn.

Leggett said the baby "certainly" is the Chionchio child. He indicated the footprint of the baby found in the apartment matched the footprint of the Chionchio baby taken shortly after birth. He said the comparison was "okay."

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The blood type of the baby was identical with that of Mrs. Chionchio, the FBI said, but did not correspond to Mrs. Iavarone's.

Leggett said medical examination showed that Mrs. Iavarone

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Pontiac Press Previews New York Styles

Curves Make Comeback

By JUDITH L. CLEMENCE
Women's Editor, Pontiac Press

NEW YORK — With the potato sack, pyramids and balloon dresses all but out of the picture, there's nothing left for a woman — but to look like a woman.

This spring dresses will be fitted and curves will be back where they belong. New York dress designers, unnerved by the bellows of rage from the American male, have brought back a normal, natural look for women.



MRS. CLEMENCE

The high waistline of the Empire is still an important look, but it is completely modified, with the whole waistline clearly defined. (The nightgown look is out!)

According to Eleanor Lambert, director of the Couture Group of the New York Dress Institute, the new silhouettes get a "rising vote of thanks from the citizenry, male and female."

The 30 designers who will show spring collections to more than 200 fashion editors here and abroad are showing new editions of old favorites, the shirtwaist, easy-fitted suit, the "little black" dress and the full-skirted dress.

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COLLARS BIG

We're told that few designers will show carryovers of the unfitted look. Necklines are low, and the larger the collar the better this spring.

The most popular outfit will be the easy suit with short unfitted jacket, slender skirt belted at the natural waistline.

Hemlines vary — some just cover the kneecap, others are about two inches below the knee. The bouffant type evening dress has been nosed out by the long, narrow version, and street-length evening coats are worn over the gowns.

Important fabrics for evening are satin, printed silk lace or layered chiffon.

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Large, bold checks and plaids are in. Colors are vivid with all versions of green the most popular choice for spring.

Most of the shows will be held in the Waldorf-Astoria. Tomorrow we'll tell you more about the "new look" as we preview individual designer's collections.

See Senate Vote on Filibuster

Expect Johnson Plan to Defeat Liberals' Attempt to Curb Long Debates

WASHINGTON (UPI)—The Senate appeared likely today to defeat a liberal bloc's anti-filibuster proposal and eventually adopt a compromise plan for shutting off debate.

A showdown vote was expected before nightfall on the liberals' motion that would allow a majority (50) of the 98 senatoos, instead of the two-thirds (66) now metal solvent which he tipped

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Opponents of the liberal proposal were confident they could defeat it. In its place, they predicted, the Senate ultimately would accept a compromise by Democratic leader Lyndon B. Johnson (Tex.) to let two-thirds of Senators present and voting curb debate.

Both Republican leader Everett M. Dirksen (Ill.) and Democratic whip Mike Mansfield (Mont.) said they believed the Senate finally would accept the Johnson compromise.

The liberals, led by Sen. Paul H. Douglas (D-Ill.), were hoping that enough pro-civil rights sentiment had built up during the weekend to sway some wavering senators their way. But they admittedly were waging an uphill fight.

Mystery Man Tries to Burn Restaurant

DETROIT (UP) — Police today were looking or somebody who's trying to burn up a Detroit restaurant piecemeal.

The owner, Ernest Manfredini, 56, of Farmington, told police last week he had received threatening phone calls. Saturday night firemen had to put out four small blazes in the kitchen. They could find no evidence of forced entry.

Fire Inspector Marshall Robinson, during the investigation, picked up an apron hanging on the wall. From it fell a piece of highly inflammable phosphorus. It burst into flames on the floor. Robinson found a dozen other pieces of the chemical in the kitchen.

Yesterday Det. Sgt. Glenn McQueen visited the restaurant to speak to Manfredini. A fire erupted in a box of napkins and in a metal canopy above the stove.

McQueen tried placing a pan under phosphorus that was dripping to the floor. It burned through his overcoat, suit jacket and shirt sleeve. He was treated for burns at a hospital.

McQueen said a suspect named by Manfredini was questioned but denied arson. The detective said the probe would continue today.

Cigar Prices Advance

BERLIN — West Germany produced 4,700,000,000 cigars in 1957, or 3 per cent more than in 1956. A trend to higher-priced cigars was maintained, and the total value of production increased 5 per cent to $22,000,000.



BEAR FACTS — Russian Deputy Premier Anastas I. Mikoyan said "The Russian bear looks more friendly," in an exchange of jokes with Calif. Gov. Edmund G. Brown as they posed with the state's flag. The governor apologized for the egg-tossing reception which the visiting Russian received at the San Francisco airport.

AP Wirephoto

Mikoyan Pays Visit to Hollywood Studio

LOS ANGELES (UPI) — Soviet Deputy Premier Anastas I. Mikoyan takes time out today in his goodwill tour to visit a movie studio.

Last night, in a discussion of cold war issues he called for a mutual withdrawal of U. S. and Russian troops from Germany.

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"If the West does not want to withdraw all its men at once," Mikoyan said, "perhaps it could withdraw one third at first, and subsequently withdraw others in stages."

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He will tour Paramount studios today where a reception will be held for him after a visit to the campus of the University of California at Los Angeles and a luncheon as guest of the World Affairs Council.

Mikoyan's three-day visit to Los Angeles began yesterday. His plane was prevented from landing at International Airport because of heavy fog and had to make an unscheduled landing at Lockheed Air Terminal in Burbank, about 25 miles away.

Demonstrators, armed with eggs, placards, and at least one sling shot, were left without enough time to travel to the other airport to meet Mikoyan and his party.

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The only other known attempt to demonstrate against the high Soviet official occurred outside the Beverly Hills Hotel last night where Mikoyan was given a dinner by Eric Johnston, president of the Motion Picture Association of America.

Two men identified as Zoltan Laszlo, 20, and Miklos Laborczy, 20, threw eggs at the hotel entrance when Mikoyan arrived and were arrested on a charge of disorderly conduct.

It appeared that Mikoyan was unaware of the egg-throwing incident.

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Mikoyan's first day here was a far cry from his reception in San Francisco where he was greeted by an angry egg-throwing crowd at the airport.

Sentence Achenbach to 10-15 Year Term

PETOSKEY, (UP) — Former insurance broker Paul Achenbach today was sentenced to 10 to 15 years in prison for manslaughter in the death of his 78-year-old mother, Mrs. Clara Achenbach.

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Circuit Judge Edward H. Fenlon made no recommendation and the sentence was accepted without comment by the defendant.

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Achenbach, 46, had been charged with first degree murder and accused of fatally beating the woman whose body was found in her apartment last November. Authorities said she had been dead at least six months.

Victim of Fumes Still on Critical List

A 31-year-old Waterford Township man who was found unconscious on the second floor of the Auto Electric Shop, 367 S. Saginaw, Saturday morning was improved but still on the critical list at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital.

Edward Shaw, of 6401 Elizabeth Lake Rd., an employe of the shop, was lying on the 2nd floor of the shop where co-workers found him when they arrived to open up at 8 a.m. Saturday.

Apparently Shaw was overcome by fumes from a can of metal solvent which he tipped over while working late Friday night.

Police said when Shaw passed out he fell into the liquid, inhaled the fumes and suffered body burns.

Nation Generally Warmer

Freeze Hits North Florida

By The Associated Press

More frosty weather kept Florida citrus growers on the alert Monday after another all - night vigil to protect their crops.

Strong winds fanned cold air from the southern Appalachians into the Southeast. Temperatures dropped to below freezing in northern parts of Florida.

Generally warmer weather prevailed in most of the nation. Skies were mostly clear to partly cloudy except for rain areas in the Pacific Northwest and snow flurries across Northern sections.

At Lakeland, Fla., Homer E. Hooks, Florida Citrus Commission manager, said he didn't believe the damage to crops thus far was too extensive. However, he said, another two or three nights of freezing weather could be dangerous. Most citrus men, he said, had been warned in advance of the cold.

A warming trend was reported in New England and from the Great Lakes region through the lower Mississippi Valley and eastward across the Appalachians into the middle Atlantic states. Texas also warmed considerably Sunday, with temperatures in the 70s in southern areas. Southerly winds spread the warm air into central Missouri and across Kansas to along the eastern slopes of the Rockies in Colorado. Readings were in the 50s and 60s.

LONDON — The worst freeze in 12 years coated Britain with ice and snow today. It left a trail of stranded motorists.

Heavy snow fell in the interior of the continent, isolating several villages in Hungary and causing floods in French towns along the River Seine. The British ship Benvrackie hit a mine in the North Sea, but was making for a German port under its own power in heavy seas.

Drifts up to 20 feet high clogged roads and isolated villages in northeast Scotland. Two snowplows worked for two hours to take an expectant mother 10 miles to a hospital from the village of Coly in Aberdeenshire. A 10 - year - old boy drowned in the flooded New River at Cheshire.

The Weather

Full U.S. Weather Bureau Report
PONTIAC AND VICINITY — Considerable cloudiness today through Tuesday. High today 35 and low tonight 20-26. High Tuesday, 30-36. Wind south to southwest 8-15 miles an hour.

Today in Pontiac

Lowest temperature preceding 8 a.m. 18
At 8 a.m.—Wind Velocity 2.3 mph
Direction, South
Sun sets Monday at 5:21 p.m.
Sun rises Tuesday at 8 a.m.
Moon sets Monday at 9:27 p.m.
Moon rises Tuesday at 10:21 a.m.

Sunday in Pontiac
(as recorded downtown)

Highest temperature	28
Lowest temperature	14
Mean temperature	21
Weather—Cloudy	

One Year Ago in Pontiac

Highest temperature	34
Lowest temperature	14
Mean temperature	24
Weather—Fair	

Highest and Lowest Temperatures This Date in 87 Years
63 in 1890 -16 in 1918

Downtown Temperatures

6 a.m.	19	11 a.m.	24
7 a.m.	20	12 m.	26
8 a.m.	18	1 p.m.	28
9 a.m.	19		
10 a.m.	20		

Sunday's Temperature Chart

Alpena	28	20	Marquette	27	21
Baltimore	38	18	Memphis	53	41
Bismarck	35	13	Miami Beach	66	48
Brownsville	73	62	Milwaukee	32	19
Buffalo	26	24	Minneapolis	29	16
Charleston	49	32	New Orleans	59	42
Chicago	33	28	New York	33	25
Cincinnati	40	28	Omaha	28	13
Cleveland	24	13	Pellston	29	11
Denver	60	29	Phoenix	72	48
Detroit	26	18	Pittsburgh	26	14
Duluth	24	19	St. Louis	44	34
Fort Worth	61	40	S. Francisco	60	50
Gr. Rapids	27	14	S. S. Marie	30	17
Houghton	21	18	Trav. City	31	14
Jacksonville	54	27	Washington	44	28
Kansas City	47	31	Seattle	52	46
Los Angeles	76	52	Tampa	59	35

Decision Due on Thompson

Flint Teamster Official May Stand Trial in Dry Cleaners Arson

A decision will be handed down tomorrow morning on whether Flint Teamsters official Jack D. Thompson should stand trial for arson in the mysterious burning of his fellow unionist, Frank Kierdorf, last August.

Flint Municipal Judge Donald R. Freeman, who heard two days of testimony last month during Thompson's preliminary examination, said today he would deliver his opinion from the bench Tuesday.

He has to rule on whether Genesee County Prosecutor Jerome F. O'Rourke presented enough evidence to link Thompson, 41, with the Aug. 3 burning of the Latreille Dry Cleaners just outside of Flint.

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This evidence, according to Thompson's attorney, James E. Haggerty of Detroit, contained "not a scintilla of proof" and "relied upon inference built upon inference" to put Thompson as an accomplice at the fire which cost Kierdorf his life.

Street Signs Display Inspiration to Rectitude

SHULLSBURG, Wis. (UP) — If you need inspiration in this old lead mining town, just look at the street signs.

Street names include: Virtue, Justice, Truth, Judgment, Mercy, Peace, Wisdom, Faith and Charity.

Girl in Car Shot on Expressway

Ex-Boy Friend Arrested After Witness Describes Assault in Detroit

DETROIT (UP)—A Detroit man is being held for investigation of assault with intent to commit murder in the shooting of a woman as she was riding in a car on a Detroit expressway.

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Carolyn Barnett, 21, of Detroit was hospitalized with bullet wounds of the neck and side and head cuts. She was riding along the Edsel Ford Expressway in a car driven by John Martin, 21, of Detroit, police said, when another car raced past and a shot was fired.

The bullet ripped through the car door and struck Miss Barnett in the neck. Police said James Tate, 34, an ex-boy friend of Miss Barnett's, is being held for investigation.

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Police said Martin told them he stopped the car to seek help but ran away when he saw Tate had stopped and was running toward him. Martin said he heard two more shots and saw Tate beat the woman before driving away, police reported.

Tate was arrested about a half hour later.

The Day in Birmingham

'58 City Construction Hits $3,890,623; ½ Is Homes

BIRMINGHAM — The 417 construction permits issued by the City of Birmingham last year amounted to $3,890,623, according to the annual report of Andrew F. Butt, building inspector.

The 61 single-family dwellings accounted for about half of the $2,360,675 spent on new buildings in 1958. Other major items including 15 multiple-family residences, the city's first motel and the new post office service building.

The 500 permits issued the previous year totaled $3,877,647.

December showed a total of 19 permits issued, amounting to $167,975.

Five appointments will be confirmed by city commissioners at tonight's meeting for the newly-formed Bureau for Fire Prevention Board of Appeals.

Asked to serve are Winston T. Kellogg, 1876 Northlawn St., Carl B. Marr, 455 Fairfax Rd., Edward C. Faulkner, 1611 Yorkshire St., Charles B. Kass, 1028 Chestnut St. and Robert L. O-Connell, 2352 E. Dorchester Rd.

Lengths of their terms will be determined by lot, the first man selected to serve a five-year term, the next four years and so on with the last term for one year.

Kappa Delta Alumnae of South Oakland County will hold a dinner-meeting at the home of Mrs. John Clark, 1346 Henrietta St., at 6:30 p.m. tomorrow.

Mrs. Marguerite Hague, regional home economist for the American Lamb Council, will speak on menu planning using the less expensive cuts of lamb.

Plans for the bridge party-fashion show Feb. 25 will be discussed.

The Altrusa Club of Greater Birmingham will have a 7 p.m. dinner and business meeting at the Community House tonight.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Kiefer will show pictures on the World's Fair in Brussels. Kiefer represented the General Motors Corp. at the company's exhibit.

The Ruth Shain International Relations Class will hear Mrs. Grace P. Reilley of the Birmingham Travel Bureau speak on her visit to Russia last November.

Mrs. Reilley was one of the groups chosen by the National Travel Corp. to tour behind the Iron Curtain.

Mrs. Albert Henry

Private service for Mrs. Albert (Mary) Henry, 73, of 663 Ann St. will be at 2 p.m. tomorrow at the Manley Bailey Funeral Home. Cremation will follow at White Chapel Cemetery.

Mrs. Henry was found dead at home by her daughter Saturday. An autopsy is being performed to determine the cause of death.

A native of County Cork, Ireland, she had lived in Birmingham since 1920.

She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Frank Wadsworth of Northville, N. Y. and Mrs. Thomas Haldane of 3075 Maple Rd., Bloomfield Township; a son, John P. of Detroit; four grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Kidnaped Infant Found Alive in Brooklyn Flat

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did not bear a child nine days ago.

He said the woman took "good care" of the baby. "She had plenty of experienced caring for children of her own," he said.

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Officials at St. Peter's said the baby weighed 7 pounds, 1 ounce when it was returned to the hospital. The Chionchio infant weighed 7 pounds at birth.

Leggett said Mrs. Iavarone, a department store employe, had been married twice and had eight children. The youngest is 3. The oldest, a 23-year-old son, died last summer, he said.

Her first marriage, to John Robert Getch, ended in divorce, Leggett said; and her second husband, Peter Morello, died two years ago. The use of the name Iavarone was not immediately explained.

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Police had been working on the theory that the kidnaper was a frustrated mother who took the baby out of a longing for a child of her own.

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Thousands of tips were checked out, hundreds of persons questioned and many square miles of territory searched.

A special telephone was set up by police to receive calls from anyone who thought he had any information about the case.

It was on this phone that the tip was delivered.

H. G. Foster, special agent in charge of the New York FBI office, said it was "a heartwarming experience to see the close cooperation between the Police Department and the FBI."

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He praised newspapers for having "played a very important part in this case."

Newspapers published the formula the baby was supposed to be fed.

Free Press Editor Given New Post

DETROIT (UP) — Pulitzer Prize-winner Lee Hills, executive editor of the Detroit Free Press, has been named executive editor of Knight Newspapers, Inc.

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John S. Knight, president of the newspaper group, announced yesterday Hills would have supervision of the Washington bureau and also will continue as executive editor of the Free Press and the Miami Herald.

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In his new position, Hills succeeds Basil L. Walters, who has become editor of the Chicago Daily News. Knight sold the Daily News to Field Enterprises, Inc., publishers of the Chicago Sun-Times, last week.

Gangster Killing Trial to Open

Accuse Ex-Convict Here in Slaying of Texan After Struggle

The prosecution is expected to open its case tomorrow against Demitrios Tsermengas, accused of the murder of a self-styled Texas gangster prince in a Commerce Township home 13 months ago.

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Chief Oakland County Prosecutor George F. Taylor said he expected the second-degree murder trial to go before Circuit Judge Frank L. Doty on schedule.

Tsermengas, a 39-year-old ex-convict formerly from Galveston, Tex., and now of Ecorse, has admitted shooting George Kean, but said it was accidental.

He said he and two companions from Texas feared for their lives after Kean, following a day of drinking, threatened to kill them with one of three guns he carried.

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Kean, who Texas police said was a known narcotics peddler and involved in several murders, was shot in the head as the three wrestled away the pistols from him.

His body was found in a grave near Alpena last September by Texas Rangers and Michigan State Police detectives acting on a tip given to Rangers in Texas.

U.S. Uses Most Nickel

OTTAWA — An estimated 60 per cent of the free world's 1957 nickel production—which amounted to about 490,000,000 pounds, a new record — was delivered to the United States. The previous record was set in 1956 with 450,000,000 pounds.

Silent Film Actress Murdered by Sadist

CARMEL, Calif. (UPI)—A sex sadist was sought by Monterey County authorities today for the slaying of silent film actress Claire Del Mar.

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The 58-year-old actress, whose real name was Mrs. Clair Mohr, was found stabbed to death Saturday in the bedroom of her fashionable home at the suburb of Haddon Fields.

Two white terrier dogs were found whimpering under the victim's bloodstained bed.

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"It is the most horrible crime I have ever seen in Monterey County," said Chief Inspector Darol Smith of the sheriff's office. "We are looking for a sadist—either male or female."

Turkey has a woman military air pilot. She is the widow of a Turkish air force officer. Her name is Sabiha Gokcen.

County Theft Rate Up But Major Crimes Drop

The crime rate in Oakland County rose for the second consecutive year, according to figures released today by the Oakland County Sheriff's Department.

Bright spots in the department's year-end report were the decrease in serious crimes and the drop in drownings for 1958.

There were 861 theft complaints during 1958 compared to 634 in 1957 and 493 in 1956.

Nineteen persons drowned during the 12-month period, compared to 22 in 1957, paralleling the drop in traffic fatalities from 103 in 1957 to 95 last year.

'RECESSION SPURRED THEFTS'

A growing population and several months of economic recession during the first half of 1958 were the major cause of the increase in thefts, Sheriff Frank W. Irons said.

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"In any year where unemployment is unusually high for any period, we experience a rise in larcenies and break-ins," he said.

The totals were swelled by minor thefts of food and clothing, Irons said.

"Our department handled only two murder cases last year, compared to seven in 1957 and three in 1956."

"The increase in thefts brought a decrease in closed cases mainly because our detective bureau staff is by and large the same size it was in 1957, the sheriff said. "The men have done a good job considering the increased responsibilities."

207 CASES SOLVED

There were 550 break-ins reported last year. Each was investigated and 207 were officially closed by the end of the year, for an average of slightly under 38 per cent solved. Four hundred were reported in 1957.

Federal law enforcement agencies state that 33 per cent is a better than average mark for law enforcers handling theft complaints.

Grand larcenies went from 155 a year ago to 207 in 1958. Of the 207, detectives closed 44 cases.

The number of simple larcenies rose from 80 to 104. Detectives solved about 23 per cent of these cases.

This makes a total of 275 cases solved out of the 861 reported, or approximately 32 per cent closed. In 1957 a total of 227 cases were closed out of the 634 reported, for a mark of 37 per cent.

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Undersheriff Donald Francis said, "Our actual gains may be realized during the next few months."

"Perhaps we will apprehend several suspects this month who will confess to having been responsible for a dozen burglaries last year," Francis said. "Thus we would be adding considerably to our total of cases closed and improving our percentage."

The drowning figures are much better than expected. All of the 22 victims in 1957 drowned between June and September. Authorities were alarmed early last summer by the fact that seven persons had drowned before June 1.

PATROL HELPED

Then the special sheriff's lake patrol went into operation for the first year in the county's history. It patrolled lakes from June through September.

In that period, in which 22 had drowned the preceding year, the toll was cut to 10. Two freak accidents contributed the remaining two victims in October.

Records show that boating accidents accounted for six drownings, while four victims were swimmers ranging in age from 14 to 20.

Nine of the victims were children who fell into water too deep for them. They ranged in age from 19 months to eight years.

In normal years, at least 85 per cent of the drownings occur from June 1 to Sept. 1. The lake patrols nearly reversed this figure, with only 52 per cent occurring in that span, Irons pointed out.

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Rounding out the final report, the department recorded a drop in the number of jail prisoners by 450.

In 1958, 6,350 passed through the Oakland County Jail, compared to 6,800 the year before.

Pythians to Hold Speech Contest for Students

The Pontiac Knights of Pythias Lodge 19 is accepting applications from high school students in Pontiac interested in competing for honors in the 14th Annual Knights of Pythias speaking contest.

Applications may be obtained by students from their speech teacher, and in turn writing to the lodge, 18 W. Huron St.

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Deadline for filing is March 30. The subject for this year's speeches is "My Favorite Character In History."

"The Pontiac lodge winner will be eligible to compete in a district elimination contest with the finalist going on to state and sectional contests.

The finals will be held in Denver, Colo., in August. First prize will be a $1,500 scholarship.

Other prizes will be $750 and $500 scholarships and three for $250.

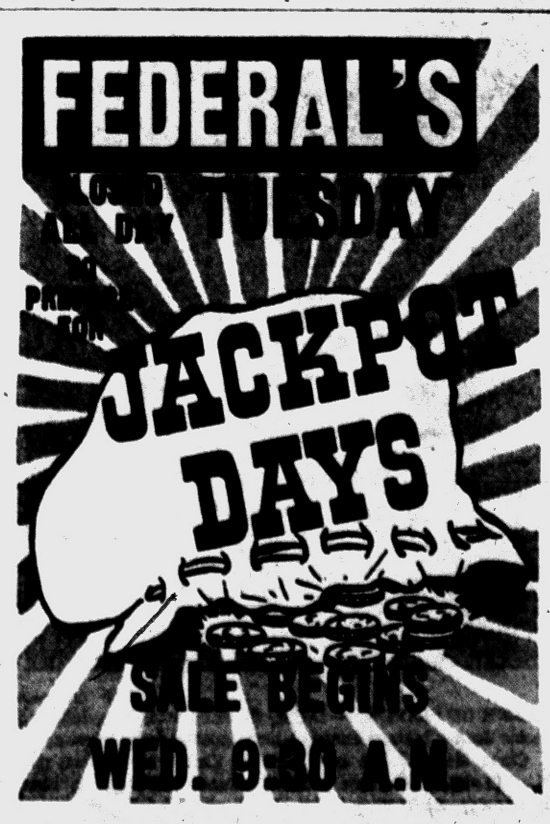
Past commander Sherman Randell has been appointed the chairman for this year's contest at the Pontiac lodge.

Means What He Says

WINOOSKI, Vt. (UPI) —When Joseph Sprano took over as chief of police here, he promised "there will be no partiality or exceptions" for violators of road safety laws. A week later, his son, William, 22, was fined $5 for speeding.







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Ike's Message Faces Issues

President DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER's annual message to Congress on the current state of the union produces a wide variety of reactions just as nearly all Presidential messages do.

Democrats yawned.

Republicans applauded.

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Of course, the Democrats are paid to disparage and the GOP is committed to support. And there's some justification for both. Sharp critics of ANYTHING can stifle an actual physical yawn or do so symbolically on almost anything you do. On the other hand, it's equally true that there is real cause for enthusiasm over some of the President's pronouncements.

He speaks of the fact that we enter 1959 on an upward economic trend and this has not been true for the past few years. This is definite cause for rejoicing, whatever the party. And his present observation is based on the facts and figures and not on faith and trust.

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He asks Congress to "cut the cost of government" which he says will be possible under the budget he will submit shortly. If the Democrats yawn at this, they do so with a clear understanding and full knowledge of their own intent, for they control Congress and this objective can only be achieved with their support.

The taxpayers want it.

That's for sure.

And this applies to the smallest and the largest and includes every last, Tom, Dick and Harriet in between. Ask your best friends — or your worst enemy—and see.

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Once again, the President faces integration in the South. He pledges to uphold the law as promulgated by the Supreme Court and states he will bend every effort to bring about equal and joint schooling for whites and blacks. This will bring a resounding blast from the rock-ribbed Democratic states in the South which have no such intention and which are dedicated to keeping the colored people as isolated and segregated as they can.

Make no mistake about that.

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The President asked for action by the committee on the matter of "corruption, racketeering and abuse of powers and trust" in the administration of union affairs. This committee was controlled by the Democrats in the last Congress and the whole thing was bottled up by those in control. Eisenhower wants the group to become active in 1959.

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The question of inflation was touched upon and again labor and management were asked to hold down price advances. He suggested a committee for "price stability" but this newspaper holds little hope for any definite results unless the Government proposes to institute a freeze of some sort on everything.

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He asks new farm legislation to cut Government outlays in agriculture price supports and this will be a hotly disputed question, whenever and wherever it appears.

The President warns against the frightful costs of an armament race. This SINGLE DIVISION of Government takes more than half of all the tax dollars you pay. In other words, were all defense to be scrapped, income taxes could be cut more than fifty per cent. It's unthinkable, but it shows the tremendous cost that the constant Russian threat is inflicting upon the taxpayers of this country.

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By and large we feel the President has faced the issues of the times squarely. He hasn't avoided the disputatious issues or skirted around the edges of controversial matters. He lived up to the demands of the office.

THE Pilgrims have been thoroughly debunked in a current magazine article, and now one wonders if we haven't been taking that tale about the Plymouth Rock for granite.

A "WOLF" that is probably most obnoxious to girls is the one that has lost his "fangs."

A FAILURE is a person who never works unless he feels like doing so.

The Man About Town

It's a Good Sport

Bird Feeders Report Much Pleasure and Satisfaction

Straight: What the drunk driver goes only when the road curves.

The sunflower seeds and cracked corn at the bird feeder of

Mrs. Carl Anderson

of Sylvan Lake, find daily patrons in a flock of evening grosbeaks. The male is yellow, with black and white wings, and nearly the size of a starling, suggestive of an overgrown goldfinch.

The sparrows outwit the blue jays in a strategic manner at the bird feeding board of

Mrs. Lawrence Predmore

of Birmingham. Of course the jays try to hog the whole menu, and easily drive the sparrows away. But a pair of the latter will pester the jays into flying after them for some distance—while dozens of other sparrows gorge themselves. Then a new pair takes over.

"Our squirrels are thrifty and saving," phones

Mrs. Beverly Arundsen

of Rochester, who says a pair who still have several bushels of nuts and acorns stored under their garage floor, now try to steal all of their food from her bird feeder.

"If you think the robins go south in winter, you should put out something for them to eat when the ground is covered with snow," phones

Mrs. Allen Glass

of Lake Orion, who says she counts 20 or more every day.

A tame canary that escaped from the home of

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Coulter

of Walled Lake last fall, has returned in a badly bedraggled condition — but sings better than ever before.

There's sorrow in the home of

Mr. and Mrs. Kirby Roswell

of Keego Harbor. Their parakeet escaped the other night, and its frozen body was found on their front steps less than an hour later.

A rather unique suggestion comes from

Farrand Fenton

of Waterford, who writes, "Why not drive out this cold weather by starting your baseball contest?"

More Texas weather news comes from

Jim Appleby

who writes that his car radiator was OK until he reached that state, when it froze up.

Letters bring nominations for the oldest twins in Michigan as

Mrs. Charlotte Tamlyn

of Chelsea, and her brother,

James Hart

of Howell, 95 on June 3, last.

Verbal Orchids to—

Edmund Harrison Taylor

of 17 Bellevue Ave.; 87th birthday.

E. F. Tinney

of 749 Owego Drive; 84th birthday.

Mrs. Anna Powers

of Waterford; 89th birthday.

Mrs. Cora McClellan

of Metamora; 89th birthday.

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But Look Who'd Be Holding the Key

David Lawrence Says:

Ike's Message Tells Off Russia

WASHINGTON—The most sensational section of President Eisenhower's address to Congress last Friday seems not to have made the big headlines in many newspapers in this region.


LAWRENCE

Yet the fact that he said what he did, particularly while Anastas Mikoyan is in this country, can hardly be without considerable significance, especially to the men in the Kremlin—if they really care to learn what is actually blocking a Soviet-American understanding today.

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For the President's statement was perhaps the strongest declaration about the Soviet Union made by any President of the United States since the close of World War II. Here are Mr. Eisenhower's exact words:

"We cannot build peace through desire alone. Moreover, we have learned the bitter lesson that international agreements, historically considered by us as sacred, are regarded in Communist doctrine and in practice to be mere scraps of paper. The most recent proof of their disdain of international obligations, solemnly undertaken, is their announced intention to abandon their responsibilities respecting Berlin.

"As a consequence, we can have no confidence in any treaty to which Communists are a party except where such a treaty provides within itself for self-enforcing mechanisms. Indeed, the demonstrated disregard of the Communists of their own pledges is one of the greatest obstacles to success in substituting the rule of law for rule by force."

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This is the most severe indictment of the Communists that any Western government has made in recent years. On top of it has just come nevertheless a grandiose proposal from Moscow that peace talks over the Berlin issue be held with the 28 governments allied in the last war.

It's the same old game of presenting in a spectacular manner to the world the picture of a Soviet government supposedly anxious to talk peace and make peace. But there's no evidence that the Communist regime will respect whatever written agreement may be consummated.

President Eisenhower realizes, of course, that the United States, to satisfy world opinion, must exhibit a constant willingness to talk. He adds, therefore, in his message:

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"Yet, step by step, we must strengthen the institutions of peace —a peace that rests upon justice— a peace that depends upon a deep knowledge and clear understanding by all peoples, including our own, of the causes and possible consequences of failure in this great purpose."

So, with no reliance to be placed on the word of the perfidious Communist regime, the real chance for a change in the whole picture may have to come through economic pressures from western Europe that will eventually cause a successful uprising inside the Soviet Union and the captive countries contiguous to it.

Only when a free government emerges in Moscow, whose word can be trusted, will "the world be made safe for democracy." The principle is as sound today as when President Wilson expounded it in his war message of April 1917.

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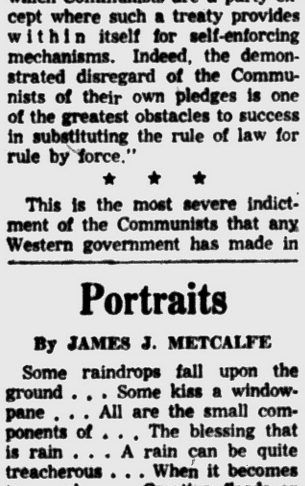
Portraits

By JAMES J. METCALFE

Some raindrops fall upon the ground . . . Some kiss a windowpane . . . All are the small components of . . . The blessing that is rain . . . A rain can be quite treacherous . . . When it becomes too much . . . Creating floods or joining hands . . . With hurricanes and such . . . But little raindrops by themselves . . . Are not a cruel lot . . . They are the sprinklers for a lawn . . . Or for a garden plot . . . And more importantly they quench . . . The thirst of corn and wheat . . . And make thermometers reflect . . . A little less of heat . . . Raindrops are the angel-tears . . . That trickle from above . . . Tears of joy for humans blessed . . . With God's enduring love.

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The Country Parson



"When folks tell me they enjoyed the sermon, I ask God to forgive my ineffectiveness and let me have another chance at them."

Dr. William Brady Says:

To Be Labeled 'Square' Is a Mark of Character

"My friends all think I am a square," writes a Midwest reader, "and tell me pop" (the reader names a popular brand of colored, sweetened carbonated beverage) "will ruin my stomach. Do you consider three bottles a week too much?"


DR. BRADY

The reader's friends think he is a square because he is a teetotaler.

Now there's a line there somewhere beyond which the reader's befuddled friends should not be permitted to go. It may be that they they wouldn't think of going beyond the line when they are not under the influence of the narcotic.

When they call him a square he should either call them nitwits or remove himself from their company.

A good many teenage boys and girls become drinkers because they haven't enough character to say "No, thank you." Especially when they are in the company of older or more adventurous ones who have already learned to drink.

What they need in such situations but rarely have nowadays is the strength one gets by taking the pledge, solemnly promising parent, pastor, teacher or anyone he or she respects not to use alcohol or tobacco before he or she is 21.

A man prominent in public life in Washington necessarily attends many social functions. He says he is an abstainer. But does he say "No, thank you" when he is invited to drink at the party or when the host or an attendant seeks to replenish his glass? No, he fills his glass with pop upon arriving and carries the nearly full glass about with him to indicate that he is drinking.

He hasn't enough character to say "No, thank you," and he feels no concern about the example he makes for young persons who readily believe that any one who doesn't drink is a square."

Drinking people who regard one who doesn't drink as a square belong in the psychopathic category of young punks who call the boy or girl who boggles at any of their horrible adventures "chicken." I don't know just when these terms acquired their present significance but I remember that an earlier generation was actuated by the same principles or lack of them.

"I am 33 and my hair is turning gray. Can you advise me how to keep my hair from getting gray?" (J. F. W.)

Answer — Many readers have reported that the iodin ration has even restored some of the natural color to their hair. For the pamphlet The Iodin Ration send self-addressed, stamped envelope.

Signed letters, not more than one page or 100 words long pertaining to personal health and hygiene, not disease, diagnosis, or treatment, will be answered by Dr. William Brady, if a stamped self-addressed envelope is sent to The Pontiac Press, Pontiac, Michigan.

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Case Records of a Psychologist:

Even Dogs Learn, Transmit Fear

Notice how Fritz developed his intense phobia. And then see how he passed it along by contagion to the other dogs in the neighborhood. We humans tend to foist our negative attitudes, prejudices and fears, upon our children in similar manner, unless we take care and definitely teach them a positive outlook.

By DR. GEORGE W. CRANE

CASE A - 425: Fritz, aged 13, is a collie dog who lives across the road from our farm home in Indiana.


DR. CRANE

He belongs to Uncle Vick and one day the lightning struck a tree beside my uncle's house.

Fritz was lying nearby and apparently felt a shock from the lightning. Ever since then he has been terrified whenever a thunderstorm is brewing.

Long before the lightning begins to flash, he becomes panicky and whines to be let inside the house, though he is an outdoor dog.

Then he tries to hide under my uncle's bed. If he is left outside until the storm actually begins, he will race over to our house and beg to be let indoors.

Fritz thus has a justifiable dread of thunder and lightning, for he once suffered a jolt when struck.

FEARS ARE CONTAGIOUS

But now notice what happens to the other dogs, who haven't been "stung" by lightning at all.

Belle, who lives at the corner and belongs to 96-year-old Grandpa Miller, is also terrified by thunder and lightning.

She also runs inside the house and hides under the bed during a thunderstorm.

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And our two dogs — Sandy and Botch — likewise are scared and demand to be let inside the house when a storm is brewing. They, too, try to jump into my lap if I am seated or tremble and press against my leg when I am standing.

Yet they have never had any unpleasant firsthand experience with lightning.

No, they simply learned to dread a thunderstorm because they caught their fear by contagion from Fritz!

Terror is thus contagious, but so is courage! So it behooves parents to set a POSITIVE example before their children, even if they themselves are secretly scared.

Put up a bold front. At least ACT brave, for the sake of your youngsters, or you may fetter them throughout their entire lives by foisting on them an abnormal phobia of snakes or mice or lightning or water or childbirth or dentists or any other dread that obsesses mama and daddy.

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"Keep your fears to yourself," said Robert Louis Stevenson, "but share your courage with others."

That is psychologically sound! Let your children memorize it as a helpful gem. And you parents should paste it on the bathroom mirror so you are reminded every day to set a good spiritual example.

When Captain Cook first set foot on some of the islands in the Pacific, he found the birds so tame that he and his men could knock them over with sticks.

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But after a few gunshots at the birds, the latter became fearful. Years later, travelers found the birds still afraid of mankind, even though the parent birds had died in the interval.

For the terror that Captain Cook's men originally engendered, had been passed along



from mother bird to her fledgling and thus had served as a cultural heritage.

Many parents likewise pass along a racial or religious or even a political bias to their children which may color the latter's lives for generations.

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Beware about foisting your negative attitudes on your youngsters! Instead, give them a POSITIVE outlook.

Always write to Dr. George W. Crane in care of The Pontiac Press, Pontiac, Michigan, enclosing a long 4c stamped, self-addressed envelope and 20c to cover typing and printing costs when you send for his psychological charts and pamphlets.

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Voice of the People

'Let's Wake Up and Fight for Our Greatest Heritage'

Advocate says we don't need communism in the U.S. but a great dose of socialism would certainly help. I guess he must like high taxes, because that's the only thing socialism can give us. It's just common sense that every time we ask the Government (and that's no one but ourselves) for something, our taxes must go up.

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Besides, when the Government does it, it deprives tax-paying free enterprise from doing it, so we not only spend our tax money foolishly, but deprive ourselves of additional tax money. It's a proven fact free enterprise can usually do the same job for less money.

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Socialism is just one step closer to communism, and that would really make the Russians happy. Let's wake up, Americans, and fight for the one thing that made this country the greatest in the world — FREE ENTERPRISE.

Young, Modern American

Parents Discuss Education Funds

In reply to pay-as-you-go school plan, it would be wonderful if possible, but we never ask if more money will help out!!

We have paid taxes for quite a few years and just now one of our children will soon enter school. Some way should be figured out whereby all families of school children pay taxes. Then the full burden wouldn't rest on just a few families. The greater percentage of property owners don't at present have any interest in schools unless they have little ones in school.

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Another reason taxpayers are against increasing the school system is that the architects seem to dream up such fantastic creations. If schools were built of more simple design and the children taught more fundamentals, the general public would probably be all out for more and better schools.

Taxpayer and Mother of 3

In the near future we in Waterford will be asked to approve another four million for new schools. We realize we must provide proper educational facilities for those of school age and demand we receive full value for our tax dollars.

I suggest we form a citizens committee or league as has been done in other areas with excellent results to work toward better education. We can't sit and let the chips fall where they may. As individuals our suggestions or complaints fall on deaf ears, but as a united organization, we can accomplish many things.

We must take an active interest. Noted educators are appealing to parents to become active in a program for better education. Let's get the ball rolling in Waterford. Can we hear from others?

Concerned Parent

Says to Practice What We Preach

Why doesn't The Press close on legal holidays?

Not a Hypocrite

THOUGHTS FOR TODAY

Ye shall fear every man his mother, and his father, and keep my sabbaths: I am the Lord your God.—Leviticus 19:3.

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As we keep or break the Sabbath, we nobly save or meanly lose the last best hope by which man rises.—Abraham Lincoln.

Raises Questions About Proposal

Despite the singular aspects of his proposal, it's believed Dr. Kevorkian is acting in good faith and is desirous of observing high standards of ethics associated with his profession.

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However, wouldn't a practice of that nature result in a weak link in the golden chain of trust that now exists between physician and patient, who believes a doctor is sworn to support life to the best of his means and ability? God gives life and He takes it. Although only condemned criminals and volunteers would be used, even capital punishment is debatable, so how can the medical profession accept this procedure without some mental reservation?

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Sometimes an innocent victim is condemned. Can the medical profession accept the laws of man which are subject to error and gamble with the possible outright violation of the professional oath and also the Fifth Commandment? Even suicide cannot be justified in the eyes of God.

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This isn't intended to discount the doctor's proposal as being cruel inhuman and ungodly. There is merit to every suggestion that can be applied constructively and ethically. It's believed the proposal can stand a cross census of public opinion and further discussion among members of the medical profession.

Cyril D. Savage

9183 Camelot

Smiles

If you keep the proper check on yourself, you're more likely to cash in.

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At least poor handwriting keeps folks who get your letters from spotting poor spelling.

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A Michigan judge sent a man to jail for being habitually lazy. Gosh, are our jails big enough?

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An Illinois woman sued her husband for divorce and alimony on their 50th anniversary. A golden opportunity?

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It's easy, so we read, to hold an alligator's mouth closed with one hand. But it might be a snap for the 'gator, too.

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In the South police seized a bunch of lottery tickets. They weren't taking any chances.

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We don't care how early a man picks up a friend to go to work, just so he doesn't blow his horn.

Hal Boyle Says:

Today's Roads Are Saltier Than the Food

NEW YORK (AP) — Things a columnist might never know if he didn't open his mail:

This has been a great decade for hypochondriacs. Eighty new viruses affecting the human system were discovered in the last 10 years. And did you know 750 million prescriptions now are filled yearly in the United States?

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In ancient days salt was an expensive luxury. Now more salt is sprinkled on icy roads in America than is used on food.

Ever wonder about the milkman's job?. Well, the average milkman covers 25 miles a day, makes 125 stops, and delivers 500 containers.

Apt definition: "Tact," says Grace Downs, operator of an air hostess school, "is the ability to make a point without making an enemy."

Tip for housewives: if you place a shoebox top in the bottom of your shopping bag, the bag won't tip over every time you set it down.

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During World War II, Americans joked at British fondness for tea breaks. Now more than 60 per cent of U.S. industrial workers have coffee breaks on the job.

Speaking of tea, did you know there are 3,000 varieities of this brew?. Like French wines, they are named for the districts where they are grown.

The high cost of loving: "Few things today," says Shannon Fife, "are more expensive than a girl who is free for dinner."

If your dog has an annoying habit of gnawing your slippers or biting his own nails in public, you can cure him by giving him a new canine chewing gum. The seven-inch-long sticks are beef flavored and won't stick to dog rug, or furniture.

Another new product: a German physician has developed a pill made of yeast and plant extracts which he claims will keep you sober no matter how heavily you drink. Who on earth would want a pill like that?

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Odd ruling: if a member of your family has a bad heart and you buy him a special reclining chair, it is tax deductible—but only if the rest of the family stays out of the chair. If a guy from the Internal Revenue Service calls at your home, don't let him sit in it either!

In some Middle European countries during the 18th century, according to a historical study by the Bon Ami Institute, matrimony held an unusual reward. After marriage a girl no longer had to bathe. Some women today believe a wedding ring gives them the right to show up at breakfast in a sloppy robe and wearing their yesterday's face.

A recent survey of 5,000 American husbands showed that three out of four help their wives with housecleaning chores.

The young generation: "Many a teenager has driving ambition," points out actor Walter Slezak. "That's why their parents have to hide the keys to the family car."

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Life-is-so-unfair-to - men note: a man is considered medically obese if his fat exceeds 20 per cent of his body weight; but a woman isn't regarded as obese unless she is more than 25 per cent fat.

It was Ralph Waldo Emerson who observed: "For every thing you have missed, you have gained something else; and for every thing you gain, you lose something."

Ike Plans Series of Short Talks

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Eisenhower reportedly plans a series of short, fighting fireside talks to appeal directly to the public for support of his legislative program during the next two years.

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Eisenhower has told close associates the battle he will wage for his program will be the most energetic since he was elected.

The President and Vice President Nixon have agreed to the direct appeal, hurdling the heavily Democratic Congress.

Eisenhower's 15-minute television-radio messages, it was disclosed over the weekend, will deal with the cost of living, adequacy of space and defense programs and other key issues as they come up in Congress.

Houston Negro Takes School Board Seat

HOUSTON (AP)—A negro house wife takes her place on the Houston School Board tonight, the first Negro elected to public office here since Reconstruction days.

Mrs. Charles E. White, wife of an optometrist, will be sworn in on the new board composed of four women and three men.

She polled some 36,000 votes to about 29,000 for the white incumbent, Dr. John Glen, in an election last November.

Houston, the largest school system still segregated in the South, has about 160,000 students enrolled.

Freud's Grandson Urged to Get Psychoanalyzed

LONDON (UPI) — A judge has advised the grandson of psychoanalyst Sigmund Freud to get psychoanalyzed.

Magistrate Frank Powell fined Lucien Freud, 36, an artist, five pounds ($14) for careless driving and one pound ($2.80) for failing to give a pedestrian right-of-way at a crossing.

"I think you are temperamentally unfitted to drive a car," Powell told him. "I think you ought to see a psychiatrist. Having regard to your name, I think you will see the point of that."

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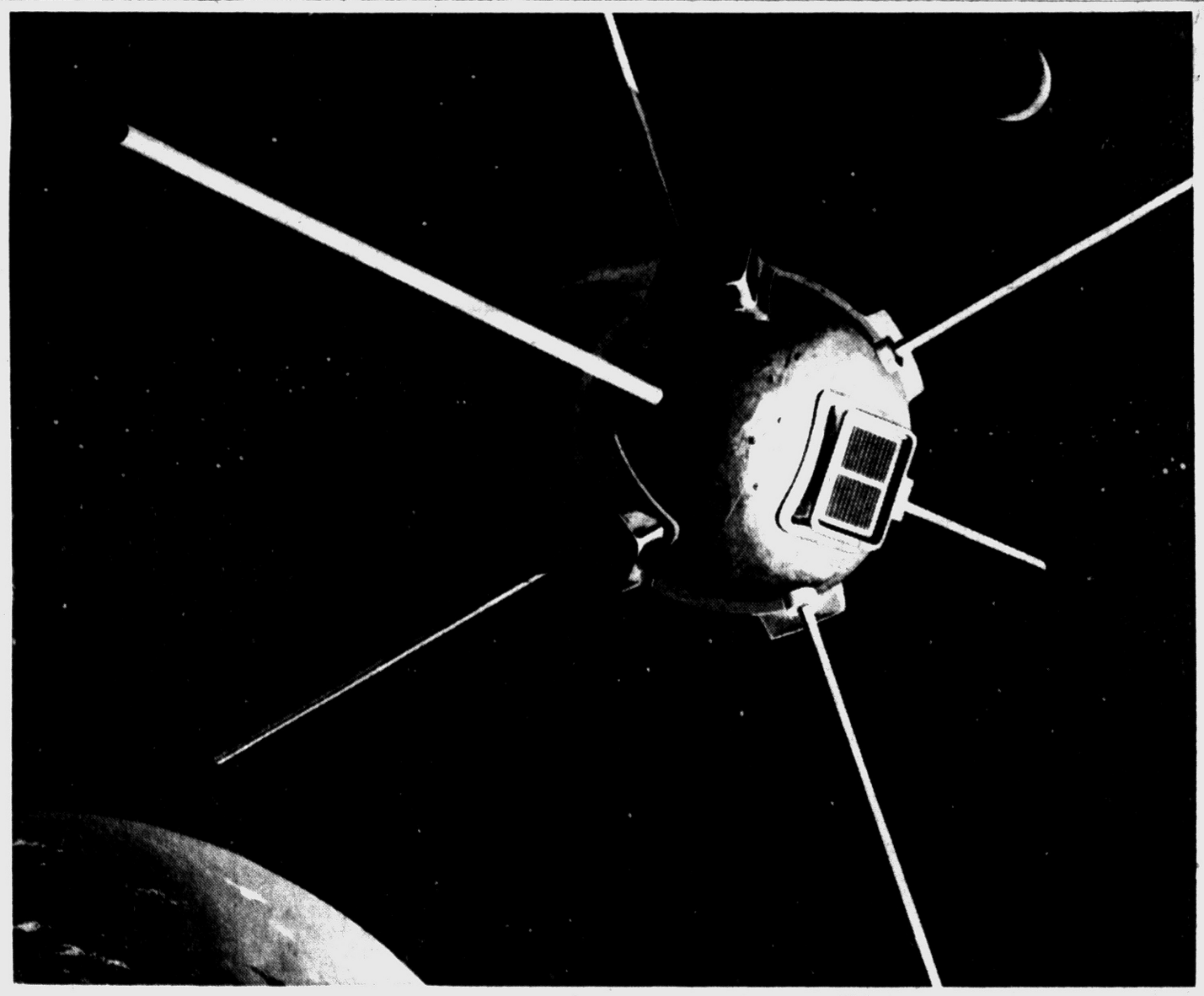
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Legion Men Hail Torre

JERSEY CITY, N.J. (AP)—Three delegates from the Society of American Legion Founders paid a call on columnist Marie Torre in Hudson County Jail Sunday.

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Col. William McIntyre of New York City, president of the group, presented Miss Torre with a letter hailing her for going to jail rather than reveal the ource of an item in her radio-TV column.

McIntyre was accompanied by Maj. Frederick Benham of the advertising post of the Legion and Capt. George Maines of Flint, Mich., of the Legion Press Assn.

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They said the syndicated New York Herald Tribune writer looked well "and had a fine view of the Statue of Liberty."

Miss Torre received a 10 - day jail sentence last week when she refused to divulge the source of an item about Judy Garland.

Michigan Negro to Test Airline

Will Enter Next Class for Pilot Training, May Set Precedent

DENVER (AP) — The Colorado Anti - Discrimination Commission says a Negro aviator from Michigan has advised he intends to enter Continental Airlines' next pilot training class.

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If successful, he would become the airline's first Negro pilot and presumably the first to be employed by a major U.S. airline.

The word came from Marion D. Green, 29, of Lansing, Mich., a former Air Force captain and now a pilot for the Michigan Highway Dept.

The commission ruled last month that the Denver-based airline was "guilty of a discriminatory and unfair employment practice" in its earlier refusal to hire the Negro.

It ordered Continental to process Green's application for acceptance as a co-pilot trainee.

The agency said Green appeared better qualified than any applicant interviewed by Continental at the time Green applied.

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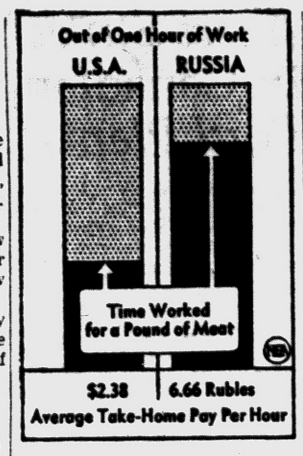
The Michigan man complained to the commission that Continental had refused his application because of his race.

Skilled Operator, at 2, of Junior-Size Tractor

TROY, Ala. (AP) — Dan Thompson is only a little over two years old but he's a skilled opperator of a junior-sized tractor.

Dan's hero is Cecil Parks, Pike County's champion teen-aged tractor driver, so on Dan's second birthday his father, Ira Thompson, gave the lad a little tractor he had made out of a lawn mower engine and scrap metal.

Now Dan's busy practicing for the time when he drive a big one in a contest.



CONTRAST—If Russia's Ivan wants meat for dinner, he has to work twice as long to buy a pound of it as an American worker does. The U. S. worker pays 76 cents—about one-third of his hourly take-home pay, while the Soviet worker pays almost five rubles, about three-quarters of his hour's pay.

At the request of the Japanese Government, 2,000 head of Australian dairy cattle will be shipped to Japan before March 31, 1959. Japan has aready imported 5,600 head of dairy cattle from Australia in recent years.

Next Envoy to Cuba May Be Career Man

WASHINGTON (AP) — The next United States ambassador to Cuba probably will be a career diplomat, diplomatic sources indicated today.

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Earl E. T. Smith, who had been in disfavor with Fidel Castro's revolutionary movement, resigned Saturday as American ambassador to Cuba.

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The resignation came unexpectedly, only a few days after Smith had returned to Havana from a series of State Department consultations here.

West Germany Needs 7,000 More Teachers

BERLIN—West Germany has a serious teacher shortage, with 7,000 teaching positions unfilled. About 224,000 teachers are employed full-time at present, 100,000 of them in private schools, about 40 per cent of the teachers are women. Half the teachers are over age 45.

About 22,000 more classrooms are needed; an average classroom costs $24,000. Since 1954 about $24 000,000 has been spent on classroom construction.

Starlings Cure: Owls, Falcons to Scare 'Em Out

SPRINGFIELD, Ill. — Robert Matthews, engineer and wild life enthusiast, has recommended that the Springfield City Council purchase two dozen hoot owls and a like number of falcons to chase the starlings from downtown roofs.

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The Illinois State Journal, reporting Matthews' idea, said: "At dusk one of the owls would be let out to frighten the starlings away, and the other owl kept in the cage to entice its mate back when its starling elimination job is completed.

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"The falcons would be used by policemen patrolling the streets about an hour before sunset.

"The falcons could be trained, according to Matthews, to sweep down upon the starlings and scare them from the vicinity, after which they could return to their perches upon the officers arms.

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Matthews pointed out that this would eliminate coating the window sills and ledges of buildings with a sticky chemical compound, which was credited with chasing the starlings off the state house.

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Deaths in Pontiac and Nearby Areas

PAUL BERGQUIST

Paul Bergquist, 67, of 3205 Elizabeth Lake Rd., died Sunday in Lake Orion after a two-year illness.

He was a landscape gardener and lived in Pontiac for 30 years.

He is survived by his sisters, Mrs. Anna Swartz and Naomi Bergquist, both of Detroit, and Mrs. Joseph Carlson of Iron River, and a brother, Henry of Stephenson.

Services will be held at 1:30 p.m. Wednesday at Huntoon Funeral Home with burial at White Chapel Cemetery.

HERBERT M. DUDD

Herbert M. Dudd, 74, of 161 N. Johnson Ave., died Sunday at Avon Center Hospital, Rochester, after a long illness.

A resident of Pontiac for 46 years, he served as superintendent of Wilson Foundry and was last employed in Plant Protection at Baldwin Rubber Co.

He was a life member of Roosevelt Lodge 10, F&AM; Oakland Chapter 5 Royal Arch Masons, and a life member of IOOF 261, Port Huron.

He is survived by his sisters, Mrs. Andy Taylor of Pontiac, Mrs. Gail Sturdevant, Mrs. Alma Osborne and Mrs. Joseph Osborne, all of Smith's Creek, and a brother, Benjamin W. of Port Huron.

Mr. Dudd's body will be at Voorhees Siple Funeral Home until 9 p.m. Tuesday when he will be taken to Arthur Smith Funeral Home, Port Huron, for service and burial at Caswells Cemetery, on Thursday.

Masonic graveside services will be conducted by the Smith's Creek Lodge.

LOUIS E. KUENZER

Louis E. Kuenzer, 73 of 852 Melrose St., died at his home Sunday after an illness of several months.

A resident of the Pontiac for 33 years, he was retired from Pontiac Motor Division.

Surviving are his wife Alleda, a daughter, Mrs. Keith Anderson of Walled Lake and a son, Jay of Pontiac. Four sisters and five grandchildren also survive.

Service will be held at 2 p.m. Wednesday at Sparks-Griffin Chapel with burial at Oak Hill cemetery.

WILLIAM A. DREWETT

HOLLY — Service for William A. Drewett, 78, 306 Sherman St., will be held at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday at St. Rita's Catholic Church with burial in Lakeside Cemetery here. Rosary will be read at 7:30 tonight at Bendle Funeral Home.

Mr. Drewett was a member of St. Regis Catholic Church, the Holy Name Society and the Holly Farm Bureau.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Vincent Dennen of Pontiac and Mrs. Wilbur Taylor of Holly; one son, Oliver of Holly; two sisters, Mrs. Clara Taylor of Grand Blanc and Mrs. Anna Bouquet of Grand Blanc; 22 grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

JOHN McCOLLUM

OXFORD — Service for John McCollum, 69, 3090 Baldwin Rd., will be held at 2 p.m. Wednesday at Bossardet and Reid Funeral Home with burial in Mount Pleasant Cemetery, Oakwood. He died Sunday evening at his home following a long illness.

Mr. McCollum was farm manager of the George Bass Farms before his retirement about a year ago.

Surviving are his wife, Lavina; two daughters, Mrs. Beatrice Robertson of Lake Orion and Mrs. Lillian Eagle of Marlette; five sons, Russell of Oakwood, John W. of Oxford, Donald of California, and Herbert and Melvin, both of Oakwood; one brother, Archie of Oxford, and eight grandchildren.

MRS. ISAAC NEWTON

OXFORD — Service for Mrs. Isaac (My G.) Newton, 83, of 9 Hudson Rd., will be held at 2 p.m., Tuesday at Flumerfelt Funeral Home, Oxford, with burial in Oxford Cemetery. She died Saturday in Colonial Convalescent Home after a long illness.

Only survivors are five nieces and three nephews.

MRS. CLYDE L. ROBISON

TROY — Service for Mrs. Clyde L. (Erna) Robison, 64, of 5875 Livernois Rd. will be held at 2 p.m. Wednesday at the Price Funeral Home with burial in White Chapel Memorial Cemetery.

Surviving besides her husband are her father, William Brown of Penna.; two daughters, Mrs. Lyle Fowler of Toledo, Washington and Mrs. Donald Reese of Avon Township; and six sisters.

ORA SUTTON

HOLLY — Service for Ora Sutton, 75, 10261 Milford Rd., will be held 2 p.m. Wednesday at Dryer Funeral Home, with burial in Lakeside Cemetery here. He died at his home Sunday of a heart attack.

Mr. Sutton was born March 1, 1883, in Rose Township on the farm where he died.

Surviving are his wife, Mable; one son, George, of Holly; one daughter, Mrs. Ialene Hallett of Holy; eight grandchildren, 11 great-grandchildren, and one sister, Mrs. Earl Gordon of Holly.

MELVIN J. THROESCH

CLARKSTON—Service for Melvin J. Throesch, one-month-old son of Mrs. Annie Throesch, 9900 Eston Rd., will be held at 2:30 p.m. today at Farmer-Snover Funeral Home, Pontiac, with burial in Oak Hill Cemetery.

He died unexpectedly at his home on Friday.

SILAS RAY WHIMS

WILLIAMSTON — Service for Silas Ray Whims, 68, a retired Free Mthodist minister well-known in Oakland County, will be held at 2 p.m. Wednesday from the Williamston Free Methodist Church under the direction of Gorsline Funeral Home with burial in the Williamston cemetery. He died of a heart attack Friday on a train while en route to California.

Surviving are his wife, Mildred; a son, 5 daghters, and 13 grandchildren. Three brothers; E. Roy and Leslie L. Whims, both of Rochester, and Joseph Whims of Drayton Plains, also survive.

RAY MARTIN WOODWORTH

FERNDALE — Service for Ray Shevlin St., will be held at 2 p.m. Tuesday at Stephenson Funeral Home, with burial in Coleman (Mich.) Cemetery. He died at home Saturday after a long illness.

Surviving are his wife, Myra; two daughters, three brothers and three grandchildren.

Tornado Is Selective

BUXTON, Me. (UPI) — Robert Wormwood, 30, spent nearly a year building a house and was just ready to move in when a small tornado struck. The twister scattered his hard work over a 200-yard area. It didn't touch another dwelling in the neighborhood.

Avert Strike in Canadian Ford Plants

TORONTO, Ont. (AP) — A threatened strike against Ford Motor Co. of Canada was called off last night when bargainers reached agreement after a marathon 32-hour session.

Some 8,500 United Auto Workers had been set to leave their jobs at 10 p.m. at Ford plants in Windsor, Oakville and Toronto. The strike was called off four hours before the deadline.

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UAW Canadian director George Burt said the settlement will be recommended to the membership at meetings today.

He said company and union spokesmen reached agreement on an 18-cent hourly wage increase spread over 39 months. An additional eight cents an hour increase goes to 1,217 skilled workers at Windsor.

The settlement is along the same lines as that signed by General Motors Dec. 6.

A UAW spokesman said negotiations with Chrysler Corp. of Canada will start shortly.

Noted Nurse, Editor Dies at 82 in N.Y.

NEW YORK (AP)—Mary M. Roberts, 82, chief nurse of the Army Nurse Corps in World War I and longtime editor of the American Journal of Nursing, died yesterday following a stroke.

Miss Roberts was stricken Friday at the offices of the Journal, of which she had been editor emeritus since 1949. She was editor of the publication from 1921 until 1949.

A native of Cheboygan, Mich., Miss Roberts was trained at the Jewish Hospital Nursing School in Cincinnati.

Deaths Elsewhere

DETROIT (AP)—A three-week-old Detroit infant suffocated in his crib Sunday. The victim was Thomas Donegan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Donegan.

The child was found dead in his crib by his parents. Efforts by the fire department to revive him were unsuccessful. Firemen said the baby apparently rolled over onto his stomach while asleep and suffocated.

REED CITY (AP) — Funeral service for William F. West, former Osceola County clerk and probate judge, will be held here Monday. West died Friday at the age of 82. He was elected county clerk in 1912 and judge in 1916. He served as judge for 16 years.



DREAM WORLD — Diver is caught up in fisherman's dream in the Miami (Fla.) Sequarium's reef tank.

Campbell to Head '59 Michigan Week

Birnum G. Campbell Jr., a former Pontiac man, has been appointed chairman of the 1959 Michigan Week organization board.

Campbell, vice president of Consumers Power Co. in Jackson, formerly was manager of Consumer's South Oakland County District. A native of Pontiac, Campbell went to Kalamazoo to become assistant division manager there in 1951.

The appointment was announced in Lansing by Paul Carnahan, general chairman of the annual celebration, scheduled this year for May 17 to 23.

Lake Orion Youth Hurt When Auto Hits Tree

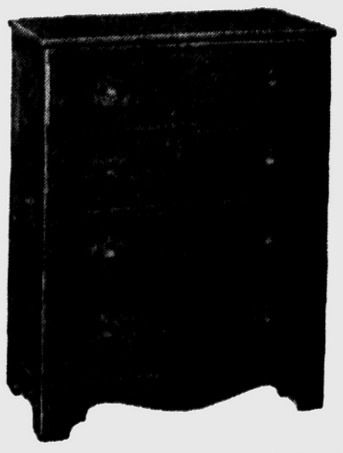
A 16-year-old Lake Orion youth was reported in satisfactory condition after suffering head cuts when a car in which he was riding was involved in an accident shortly after midnight Saturday.

Richard Novak was riding in a car driven by Gregory Donovan, 31, of Lake Orion.

It went out of control, striking a tree along Clintonville road near Clarkston-Orion road in Independence Township, according to Pontiac State Police.

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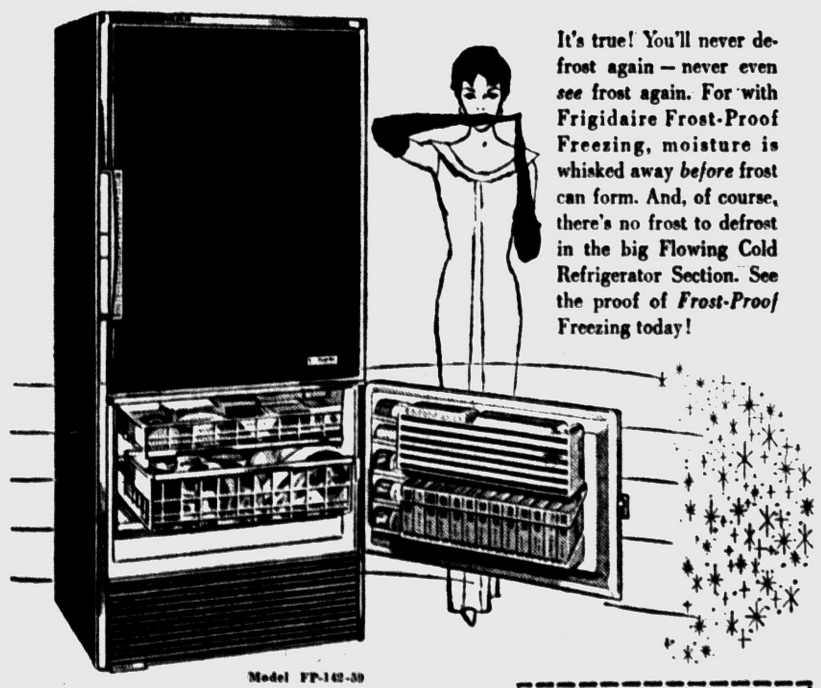
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It's Hard to Use a Razor on Flying Fur

By ABIGAIL VAN BUREN

"DEAR ABBY: My husband's sister (very bossy) told me she was giving our 14-year-old daughter an electric razor for Christmas. I told her I'd rather she didn't because we didn't allow our daughter to shave her legs yet. She said, 'It's high time you did. She looks like a baboon.' I ignored the remark and sure enough at Christmas our daughter received the electric razor. Now she is begging us to let her use it. Do you think it was right of this sister-in-law to give our child a gift she knew we disapproved of?"



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DEAR VERY: Your sister-in-law used very poor judgment. Put the shaver away and don't bring it out (or mention it) unless you want to see the fur fly.

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"DEAR ABBY: Our son, 28, is the heartbreak of our lives. We brought him up in our church, which he never fully accepted. For 10 years he cast around investigating this religion and that. He studied Greek and Hebrew in order to translate the original scriptures. He finally decided to dedicate his life to teaching the religion he calls the only 'true' religion. He has drifted away from his family, and we feel that we have lost our son. Is there any consolation for parents such as we?"

INCONSOLABLE

DEAR INCONSOLABLE: A great philosopher said: "If a man does not keep pace with his companions, perhaps it is because he hears a different drummer. Let him step to the music he hears, however measured, or far away."

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"DEAR ABBY: Have you lost your mind? Say listen, Sister, when an 8-year-old kid uses dirty words you do not IGNORE him—you do what my mother did to me. You wash his mouth out with soap. Now will you retract your advice and print mine instead?"

OLD-TIMER

DEAR OLD: No soap. You're outta lux!

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"DEAR ABBY: First of all I want to say that I am 38 years old and single. I have been going with this future husband of mine for 10 years. Everything that could possibly come up between two people to postpone a marriage has happened to us. Fights, sickness, bills, problems with his family, and even a paternity suit which he won, but it cost him a lot just to prove his innocence. Well, he is 42, and his latest reason for not marrying me is that he thinks we are TOO OLD to get married. He says I'm too old to have my own children and the adoption agencies won't favor us at this age, so without children, what's the sense of getting married? Should I drop him after 10 years or keep going with him, hoping he'll break down?"

TIRED OF WAITING

DEAR TIRED: You will "break down" before he does. This man is allergic to orange blossoms. If it's marriage you're after, lose him while you're still under 40 and look further.

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CONFIDENTIAL TO DIXIE: You were not PATRIOTIC—you were IDIOTIC. Did you at least get his name, rank and serial number?

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For a personal reply, write to ABBY in care of The Pontiac Press. Enclose a self-addressed, stamped envelope.

How to Get Along With That Man

By RUTH MILLETT

To get along with men, a woman has to know at least this much:

Every time she wins an argument with a man she loses a little of his admiration for her as a woman.

There are a few things a man doesn't enjoy being kidded about; his hair if it is receding; his helplessness in the face of a balky car or leaky faucet; and his making a big deal out of a small illness.

The surest way of making a man wonder if he really does love you is to insist he doesn't.

The more a woman talks the less attention a man pays to what she says.

It is just asking for trouble to persuade a man to do something for you and then to stand around giving him directions and offering suggestions and criticisms.

While a man may not be entirely satisfied with his job he doesn't want to have his wife belittle it.

All bad news should be saved for a husband until after he has finished a good dinner and had time to put his mind at rest.

Few men like to be asked what they want for dinner—especially at the breakfast table.

It is as insulting to a man to have a woman question his ability to judge character as it is for a woman to have a man question her taste or her social savvy.

No matter how often she has heard her husband tell a funny story, a wife must laugh as heartily as though she were hearing it for the first time.

If she doesn't intend to take a man's advice she shouldn't ask for it, for it riles a man to have a woman consider his opinion and then overrule his decision.

Every time she says "I" instead of "we" a woman is actually pushing her husband into the background.

DAR Celebrates 59th Anniversary

The 59th anniversary of General Richardson Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, was observed with a luncheon at Ted's Restaurant.

Mrs. Roy V. Barnes of Royal Oak, state regent, spoke on the Walter McCarran laws, "Communism's Top Target."

Honored guests were members of Michigan DAR state board.

Others attending the Thursday gathering were Mrs. Harry N. Deyo, state chaplain; Mrs. Gilbert K. Pulliam, state corresponding secretary; Mrs. William H. DeGraff, state treasurer; Mrs. Bradley D. Scott, state librarian; Mrs. Robert F. Watt, regent of Piety Hill chapter, Birmingham; and Mrs. Lucius Howlett.

Ora Hallenbeck, chairman of the hostess committee, was assisted by Mrs. William Kalwitz, Mrs. Harry Going, Mrs. E. V. Howlett, Ella Smith, Mrs. Frank Gerls and Mrs. E. G. Clark.

TWO NEW MEMBERS

Registrar Sarah VanHoosen Jones announced two new members of the chapter were Judith Eldred and Rosamond Haeberle. Mrs. Lloyd Porter, regent, announced that 10 flags have been presented to area Girl Scout troops.

Miss Hallenbeck told of a trip to the DAR's Kate Duncan Smith School, Guntersville, Ga., where she delivered 300 articles of clothing donated by chapter members.

Delegates elected for the DAR state conference to be held in Detroit in March are Mrs. Lloyd Porter, Mrs. Lisle Echtinaw, Jessie Brewer and Miss Hallenbeck.

Alternates are Mrs. Grant Beardslee, Mrs. Harry Bates, Agnes Nilton, Mrs. E. C. Huthwaite, Alice Serrell, Mrs. Earl McHugh, Grace Clark and Miss Jones.

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Delegates for the April meeting of the DAR National Society are Mrs. Echtinaw and Mrs. Bradley D. Scott. Alternates are Mrs. Allan Monroe, Mrs. E. V. Howlett, Mrs. Going and Mrs. Clark.

At Federation Workshop

Club Chairmen Gather

Chairmen of the 24 member clubs were trained at department workshops when Oakland County Federation of Women's Clubs met Friday at Bethany Baptist Church.

A group of girls from Central Senior High School sang several numbers during the luncheon hour.

In the afternoon session, Mrs. John Ritsema, president of Michigan State Federation of Women's Clubs, spoke on "Club Work and Our Responsibility."

Women's Literary Club with Mrs. Harry Vernon, president, and the Pontiac Woman's Club with Mrs. Clarence Myers, president, were hostesses for the day.

Church Women Given Program

A talk concerning Pontiac General Hospital was given by Mrs. Raymond Rapaport when the Women's Society of Bethany Baptist Church met Thursday at the church.

Also participating in the program were Mrs. Basil Hartt, Mrs. George Shearer, president, and Mrs. Percy Walley who sang a solo, accompanied by Mrs. Lillian Hilton.

Founder's Day Date Is Given

Plans for a Founder's Day celebration to be held Jan. 22 in honor of Sophia Maier Johnson, founder of Sigma Beta Sorority, Inc. in 1923, were discussed when Psi Chapter of Sigma Beta met Thursday. Mrs. Morgan Siple of North Perry street was hostess for the gathering.

A showing of spring fashions will be held at Pontiac Federal Savings and Loan Building Feb. 26 at 8 p.m. with fashions by the DeCor and Margaret Ann Shops.

Nurses Group to Hear Talk

Dr. Vernon Abbott and Dr. David Packard will speak on "Frostbite" when Practical Nurses Association meets at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday in the doctors' classroom at Pontiac General Hospital.

Information on the educational program for licensed practical nurses featuring the course on Materia Medica may be had by calling Mrs. Theodore Fox.

Sorority Plans for May Day Breakfast

The West Longfellow avenue home of Mrs. Robert Angel was the setting for a meeting of Phi Kappa Tau Chapter of Pi Omicron National Sofority Thursday evening.

Irene Wallin, national president, discussed the National Foundation at Fort Wayne, Ind. and explained changes in the constitution.

Pledge, Mrs. Gene Shell, and Mrs. Robert Hausman and Mrs. Maynard Holmes were appointed to begin plans for the May Day Breakfast.

Navy Mothers Vote Donation

Pontiac Navy Mothers Club voted to send a donation to the enshrining of the battleship Arizona at Pearl Harbor and the monument to servicemen who lost their lives on the Arizona and in World War II when the group met Thursday evening at Naval Training station.

The next meeting will be Feb. 5 at the Naval Training Center.

Bagley PTA Holds Workshop Meeting

Members filled out opinionaires and attended workshops on "Studying Michigan Schools" at the Thursday evening meeting of Bagley School PTA.

Discussion leaders were Mrs. Jean Broome, Mrs. Herbert Mullen and John F. Perdue. Mrs. James Overton was in charge of the program.

Gloria Foote Plans to Wed

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Foote of Hazel avenue announce the engagement of their daughter, Gloria to David Putnam of Waterford.

A Jan. 26 wedding is planned.

OES Club Meets

Mrs. Mary Erickson, Mrs. Melva Allen and Mrs. Edward Ziem were appointed as nominating committee for new officers when Griffin Proficiency Club, OES, met at the home of Mrs. Davy Gilpin of Neome drive on Thursday.

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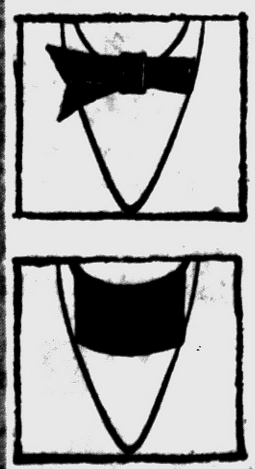
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Probe Chicago Paper Merger

Combining Sun-Times With Daily News May Violate Anti-Trust Laws

CHICAGO (AP)—A multimillion dollar transaction which reduced the number of Chicago daily newspublishing groups from three to two is under routine investigation by the government's Anti-Trust Division.

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Field Enterprises, Inc., headed by Marshall Field Jr., editor and publisher of the Chicago Sun-Times, bought a controlling interest Monday in the Chicago Daily News, headed by John S. Knight.

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The purchase price was not announced, but Field offered to buy minority holdings at $50 a share. At that price purchase of all News stock would cost 24 million dollars.

Earl A. Jinkinson, chief of the Chicago office of the Department of Justice Antitrust Division, said Friday he had requested information on the details of the transaction. He added the request is routine in most cases.

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Purchase details are needed to determine possible violations of Section 7 of the Clayton Act prohibiting "acquisition of one company by another when such acquisition will create a monopoly or tend to lessen competition," Jinkinson said.

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With the transaction, publication of Chicago's four major dailies now is directed by two organizations. The morning Tribune owns the afternoon American. The Sun-Times competes with the Tribune in the morning field and, through The News, with The American in the afternoon.

Pollution Threat Ends as Oil Well Capped

JONESVILLE (AP)—An oil well which ran out of control and threatened to pollute the St. Joseph River was capped over the weekend by conservation officers and drillers.

State Police said they anticipated no further trouble with the well.

The well, on the Fern Housenecht farm north of here, went out of control Friday when a control valve broke. It splattered the countryside for nearly half a mile around the farm with oil, mud and water before it was capped Saturday.

Woman, 2 Sons Drown as Car Falls Into Creek

GUNTERSVILLE, Ala. (UPI)—A woman and her two small sons drowned last night when a blowout sent the family car careening into a creek.

The victims were identified as Mrs. Flora Alice Gentry, 28, and her sons, Dalton N. Jr., 2 and James Davis, 10 months. The woman's husband, Dalton N. Gentry, 31, managed to free himself from the car in 12 feet of water and swim ashore.

Widow Collapses, Dies at Lonely Hearts Party

MIAMI, Fla. (AP) — A blonde widow, waltzing at a lonely hearts party, collapsed in her partner's arms and died minutes later Sunday night.

Mrs. Mary Mieczkowski, 58, of Minneapolis, apparently was the victim of a heart attack. She was in Miami on vacation and had been staying with friends.



AP Wirephoto

DATING ELVIS — Margrit Buergin, 16-year-old Frankfurt salesgirl, has had several dates with American singer Elvis Presley, serving an Army hitch in Germany. The publicity has started her off on a new career as a pin-up girl.

Cleveland Vice Probe Opens

Police, Fire Department, Runaway Girl, 15, Said Linked in Scandal

CLEVELAND, Ohio (UPI)—Police launched an intensive investigation today within their own ranks in a vice scandal allegedly involving the police and fire departments and a 15-year-old runaway girl.

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Police Chief Frank Story said he would consult with the prosecutor regarding the issuance of warrants. He said the investigation of the girl's story might take several days.

He said she was unable to give names in every case, but was able to give accurate descriptions of the places where she allegedly met members of the two departments.

Rookie patrolman James W. Kelly, 24, was stripped of his badge and jailed after signing a statement admitting he had shared a room with the girl last October.

An entire platoon of one fire department engine house was placed in a lineup for identification by the girl. Among those accused were four firemen, three patrolmen, a civilian ambulance driver and a suburban police chief.

The girl, from a suburban Euclid family, and Carl Galipo, 21, whom police said admitted acting as the girl's procurer, told of their activities yesterday.

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The girl's parents said they had spent $6,000 on medical and psychiatric care for their daughter since 1956. They said she had run away before but had not been guilty of such immoral behavior.

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Inspector Michael Blackwell, in charge of the uniformed force, pledged a full investigation, saying, "We don't care who this hurts."

Sad Dane Asks Space Ride to Cure Woes

COPENHAGEN, Denmark (AP) —A lonely, bitter Copenhagen carpenter, brooding over a broken marriage, says he has applied for a seat on the first manned Soviet space rocket because life on earth has no promise for him.

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"Why not try in space?" Boerge L. Jensen, 45, asked.

Jensen said he sent his application to Moscow a year ago. A reply he said was signed by Premier Nikita Khrushchev acknowledged the application but said Soviet citizens would have priority.

Spanish Flood Toll 153, Still Mounting

ZAMORA, Spain (AP)—The toll of dead and missing in the Rivadelago flood has reached 153 and still is not complete. Most of the victims were old men, women and children.

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They lost their lives early Friday when a dam on Lake Sanabria burst and inundated Rivadelago, a village of 500 just north of the Portuguese border.

The survivors voted Sunday to rebuild their mountain village, but on higher ground outside the shadow of the dam.

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Aid funds and supplies are pouring into the area, in northwest Spain. All proceeds from a Spanish-German soccer game in Madrid Wednesday will go to flood relief.

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State Planning Groups to Meet

Great Lakes Industrial Development Council to Confer at U. of M.

ANN ARBOR (AP)—Some 200 midwestern leaders will gather here Wednesday through Friday to discuss further industrial development of Michigan, Indiana, Ohio, Illinois and Wisconsin.

They are coming to the University of Michigan for the seventh annual meeting of the Great Lakes States Industrial Development Council. Delegates include representatives from industry, transportation, utilities, chambers of commerce, banks, industrial realtors and universities.

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Dr. Richard J. Lund, of Battelle Memorial Institute at Columbus, Ohio, will deliver the keynote address.

Speakers and panelists will include:

Harry A. Williams, managing director of the Automobile Manufacturers Assn.; Bert Cremers, vice president of Wyandotte Chemical Corp.; Don G. Mitchell, chairman of Sylvania Electric Products, Inc.; George Hitchings, manager of the Ford Motor Co.'s economic analysis department.

James O. Coates, council president and industrial development engineer for Consumers Power Co.; Paul J. Pfister, vice president of J. B. Pfister Co., Inc., of Terre Haute, Ind.; Carl D. Wilkins, manager of industrial development for the Pennsylvania Railroad; Robert Wolf, director of area development for the Ohio Power Co., and John T. Hay, secretary-manager of the Greater Muskegon (Mich) Chamber of Commerce.

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Subjects to be discussed include: the economic outlook, St. Lawrence Seaway, financing plant location, highway development, favorable industrial climate, and need for regional planning and community zoning to accommodate industry.

Conscientious Store Manager Overdoes It

GOLDEN, Colo. (AP) — Night patrolman Bruce Andrews found a store door open and dutifully called the manager, Ray Starke.

Starke checked the store quickly, found nothing amiss and locked the door.

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Moments after returning home, Starke received another call from the policeman:

"Would you mind coming back," Andrews asked. "You locked me in the store."

Reds Make U.S. Books

LONDON (UPI)—Moscow radio said last night that at least 600 American books have been published in the Soviet Union since World War II, with a total of 50,000,000 copies printed.

Pilot Blamed in Crash

WASHINGTON (UPI)—The Civil Aeronautics Board said today the pilot's failure to maintain altitude during an emergency return to Miami airport caused the crash of a Braniff Airways plane in which nine persons died last March 25.

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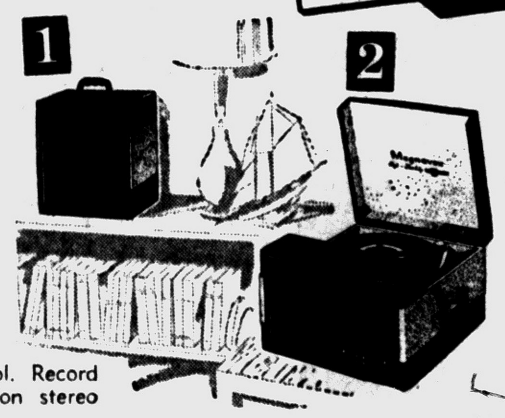


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The switchboard lights up on an average of 1,500 times in each 24-hour period. Most of the calls are received during the day, emergency calls usually coming at night.

This works out to roughly 10,000 or more calls a week for the firm's customers, who number about 200.

The customers can be almost anyone. They cover nearly 30 different classifications, from construction companies to those offering services or repair work, doctors and other professional men.

The answering service, owned and operated by John Engerson, of 17139 Kirkshire St., Birmingham, is set up to fit the customers needs, no matter how simple or how complex.

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Some use the service as a substitute for an expensive rented office and secretarial staff. Their mail is addressed to the office, the operators take all calls as though they were employes of the customer's firm—and in a way they are.

In many cases, operators do more than they're asked or paid to do.

One afternoon a light flashed on a Detroit answering board over a jack marked "elevator." The operator found herself talking to a terrified man who said he was calling from inside a self-service elevator which had stopped between floors in a nearly deserted bridling. Three women were also in the elevator.

"Our men will be there right away," said the operator. She flipped a switch, pulled out a file card before her, and sent mechanics to the rescue.

For the next hour or so in between other calls she continued to talk to the people in the elevator. She offered to relay messages, reported the score of a ballgame in progress at Briggs Stadium, and even told jokes. When the four were freed, they were laughing.

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An area operator answering for Alcoholics Anonymous, a wide user of the service, once held a desperate man on the line until a member of the organization could reach him.

Engerson now has three Detroit offices, as well as offices in Pontiac, Birmingham and Royal Oak. At one time he was a school teacher and real estate man.

His idea wasn't due to a brainstorm as much as a "rainstorm." When, in 1928, a frozen water pipe burst in his Detroit home at 3 a.m., the thought came to him during his frustration of trying to reach a repair man.

The service is made possible through the use of actual extensions of the subscribers' own telephone, whether at work or at home, or both.

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"Our girls are seemingly always between life and death situations," says Engerson. "Doctors are our biggest customers and I'm glad to say we've helped many professional men live longer by relieving the strain of phone calls."

A night operator who was a registered nurse and a mother of three once gave instructions to a frantic husband in Redford as his wife gave birth to a baby.

When the doctor, an ambulance and police arrived moments later there was little for them to do. The baby, mother, husband and operator had survived the ordeal with flying colors.

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An area doctor's son suffered an attack of acute appendicitis at school one day but the doctor couldn't be located as it was his day off. The fast working operator sent an ambulance to the school to transport the lad to a hospital.

She then located another doctor listed by the boy's father, arranging for him to meet the boy at the hospital. After trying several places for the father, she found him at a restaurant where he and his wife frequently dined on his day off.

The boy's father didn't arrive in time to perform the appendectomy, but his alternate handled the operation successfully and he was waiting for his son when they brought him from the operating room.

Operators must use tact and many show moments of good humor that catch their customers by surprise and give them an opportunity to relax.

A fine example of this was an area operator who had handled calls almost constantly all day for an obstetrician who was literally swamped with expectant mothers who all decided to have their babies the same day.

When the operator made her last call to him he was sitting exhausted in his office. She inormed him that another of his patients was on her way to the hospital and he exploded, chiding the operator for having hounded him all day.

"If this goes any further I'll have to hire an assistant," he shouted. The operator's small voice replied, "Why, doctor, it seems you have all the men in the neighborhood working for you already." The doctor was still roaring with laughter when he hung up.

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Operators, too, have "favorite" stories about themselves. They will tell you about one of their fellow workers who took a call for a private family named Smith and was asked, "How is Danny?"

"Oh, he's out right now," she said cheerily, "but can I have him call you?"

"If you can," replied the voice, "it will really be something. Danny is the Smith's cocker spaniel."

In Detroit a woman told an answering operator, "I want the oil burner man who was out here last Friday night." Informed he was unavailable, she persisted. The woman finally explained, "Well, he kissed me and I want him back again tonight."

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In one of Broadway's hits last year, "Bells Are Ringing," which starred Judy Holliday, the plot was built around the telephone answering service idea.

Miss Holliday hits the nail on the head with one of her lines, "Take Romeo and Juliet. If they had had a telephone answering service, those kids would be alive today!"



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CARNIVAL RIDE? — No, it's not a device for entertainment that's pictured above, but rather a new bed at Pontiac Osteopathic Hospital designed to promote the health and comfort of patients. Operated electrically, the new-type bed with its hoop-like frame can adjust itself into virtually any position demanded by the patient's medical condition, said Harry H. Whitlow, hospital administrator. Miss Meebe Terry, a hospital employe, demonstrates how the bed works. The hospital expecter to receive a full supply in the near future.



THE LADIES WITH THE SMILES IN THEIR VOICES—This switchboard and file box looks pretty small when you consider it and three operators take the place of 200 private secretaries.

Pontiac Press Photo

The ladies with the smiles in their voices (from left), Mrs. Carmack Sprouse, Mrs. Norman Mallery and Mrs. Joseph Lorenz, are working on the day shift at Telephone Answering Service, Inc.

But Experts Don't Sneer at Folk Lore

January Thaw May Be Hard to Spot

WASHINGTON (UPI)—You may have to look sharp to spot the January thaw this year.

Old timers are confident that there will be one. Dr. Jerome Namias of the weather bureau thinks they probably are right — but barely.

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Namias, chief of the bureau's extended forecasts section, has predicted bone chilling cold for much of the country during January.

He is not one to sneer at weather folk lore, however, and the lore says to expect a warm spell Jan. 20, give or take a few days. All Namias says by way of keeping science on a par with lore is that this year's January thaw probably will be brief.

Old timers of every generation as far back as weather tales go have believed in the January thaw. It sets in earlier some places than others. But generally speaking you can bank on a bit of melting weather in the month's third week.

The record appears to confirm the old timers, according to Namias. The thaw doesn't come at precisely the same time every year, its duration varies, and there have been years when it was hard to detect.

But it does seem to be a regularly recurring "weather singularity" in the northern hemisphere. Namias said that in a trip abroad he ran across lots of references to the January thaw in the weather lore of Germany.

Some meteorologists pooh-pooh folk tales about weather. Namias, however, thinks there is something to some of them. For example, he said, an examination of New England weather records produced "statistically significant" support for belief in the January thaw.

What's the explanation? One theory is that the January warm spell is associated with temporary decreases in the intensity of the prevailing westerlies — high altitude winds constantly blowing from west to east.

Such subsidences permit air from warmer regions to work its way northward.

What are the scientific prospects for a thaw this January? Well, it just so happens, Namias said, that the velocity of the westerlies has dropped in the past five days in these latitudes from 12 to 10 meters per second.

So Namias thinks there probably will be a thaw, however brief.

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Actually, a long warm spell in January is not to be desired — at least not by farmers. It would stimulate unseasonal plant growth which would be nipped by subsequent cold spells.

The National Geographic Society has looked up some old proverbs on this score and has come up with:

"January awarm, the Lord have mercy!"

And:

"If the January calends be summerly gay, 'twill be winterly weather till the calends of May."

Cars Smash Wreckage in Fog

Truck Flip Causes 2 Deaths

BAKERSFIELD, Calif. (AP)—A big truck and trailer tipped over on fog-shrouded U.S. 99 while trying to make a turn.

Within minutes two persons died and nine others were hurt in this split-second chain of events Sunday.

A second truck-trailer hit the first.

Trucks and cars, blinded by the fog, began smashing into the wreckage and into each other.

Manuel Grancha, a basketball coach from Hayward, Calif., and one of his players, Eugene Gisler, 14, were trapped in a car which caught fire. Both burned to death. Two other boys in the car escaped, but were seriously burned.

Seven other persons were injured as 14 other cars collided in the fog. One bus smashed into a halted car ahead. A second bus beered to one side and had its paint scorched when it braked to a halt next to the burning car. No bus passengers were hurt.

Plays Against Orders

TUCSON, Ariz. (UPI) — Pianist Van Cliburn leaves by plane today for a concert in Atlanta, Ga., despite his dentist's orders against fulfilling the engagement.

French Population Up

PARIS (UPI)—France's population has climbed to 44,788,000 with an increase of 460,000 during 1958, the National Institute of Statistics said today.



ARRESTING—It's questionable whether Irene Glachan, 25, will smile so winningly for clients in her new line of work. The top fashion and photographer's model is first woman police officer in Hamilton, Canada.

Will Hit Small Town Reception

FCC Rules Against TV Relay Amplifiers

WASHINGTON (AP) — Scores of small communities in remote areas soon must decide whether to stop watching television or pay more for new equipment.

The Federal Communications Commission says their current TV set-ups are illegal.

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Here is how the legal snafu came about:

These communities are too small to support their own stations and too far from established stations to get a picture.

To solve the problem, a few years ago they passed the hat, hired people with electronics know-how and set up low-power amplifiers to relay the programs of distant stations into their homes.

These amplifiers, which must be on high ground to pick up the distant station, are known variously as repeaters, boosters and reflectors.

But none of these devices is licensed. They are operated as nonprofit cooperative community enterprises. In most communities, the TV set owners each contribute around $5 a year to maintain the unlicensed amplifiers.

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Last Dec. 31, the FCC said the amplifiers must go before they interfere with licensed operations by using the same VHF channels as the station sending out the program. VHF channels numbered 2 to 13, are sometimes called "long distance channels."

In place of these illegal amplifiers, the FCC suggested use of a system it authorized in May 1956. Under this program, the commission licenses TV translator stations at the top 14 channels of the UHF television band. These are numbered 70 through 83.

The FCC-suggested translators work like amplifiers but never use the same channel as the originating station.

The FCC's Dec. 31 notice said in effect that past transgressions of regulations will be forgiven if amplifier owners file within 90 days applications for a legal operation such as the UHF translator. It indicated that present operations won't be disturbed while these applications are being expedited.

But, the commission said, if these applications are not made, it will start proceedings to halt the illegal operations.

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These could be of three kinds:

(1) An administrative "cease and desist" order.

(2) A civil court action for an injunction which, if violated, could result in contempt of court penalties.

(3) A criminal court action for violation of the Communications Act, punishable by $1,000 fine or one year imprisonment or both.

Need New Notary Law in Michigan--Adams

LANSING (AP) — Attorney General Paul L. Adams says Michigan's notary public law is in need of complete revision.

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Calling the law shocking and disgusting, Adams said Michigan authorities have launched an investigation of cheating by notaries.

The investigation is the result of a probe and prosecution of 23 persons for sales tax evasion, Adams said. He said many notaries notarize documents without the presence of applicants.

In at lease one case, Adams said a notary notarized his own signature on a so-called legal document.

Adams said he became aware of what the notaries were doing during the investigation of new car bootlegging.

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He said auto dealers had evaded the Michigan sales tax by forging documents to show buyers resided out-of-state and did not have to pay the three per cent tax.

"Cheating notaries naturally figure in preparation of these sales documents," said Adams.

His chief criminal assistant, Jerry S. Cohen, said the probe of the notary law would follow the trials of 23 persons accused in Wayne County of sales tax fraud.

Michigan law permits any resident over 21 who received an endorsement from a legislator or a county probate or circuit judge to become a notary. His fee is $1.50 for a notary license and $5 for an insuring bond.

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"No investigation of the applicant is made at any stage and his appointment by the governor is almost automatic," said Adams. "There is no knowledge of his educational qualifications or even if he has a criminal record."

Two Tots Die in House Blaze

Ann Arbor Father Tries in Vain to Rescue Girls From Burning Home

PINCKNEY (AP) — Two young sisters playing in the living room of their home died in a fire over the weekend as their father tried desperately to rescue them.

The victims were Jeanette Bryan, 4, and her sister, Yvonne, 2.

Their father, Lester, 25, an Ann Arbor factory worker, said an oil stove in the living room apparently exploded as his daughters were playing and set the house afire.

Bryan said he was asleep in another room in the one-story frame house five miles south of here when he was awakened by smoke.

The father tried to enter the blazing living room and rescue the girls but was driven back by the flames. He said he then ran outdoors and tried to force his way in through a window but was again driven back.

Plane Will Drop Food to Ice-Stranded Deer

GRAND HAVEN (AP) — An air drop of food was expected to be made today to a deer reported stranded on a Lake Michigan ice floe a quarter of a mile off Ottawa Beach.

Sheriff's men said the deer has been on the floe for three days. A private plane which flew over the area Saturday was unable to find the animal, but deputies said it was reported off Ottawa Beach yesterday.

They said dogs probably chased the deer onto the ice.



Pontiac Press Photo

LAKE PATROL IN TRAINING—The Oakland County Sheriff's Department already is looking ahead and training for next summer. Because the traffic on area lakes became an acute problem, and a new law was put in effect to protect boaters last summer, this group of about 25 men was deputized as a special lake ptarol unit. With the experiment now a decided success, the department is training the lake deputies in advanced skills usually taught to regular deputies. Members of the lake patrol have been learning the art of self defense via judo lessons for the past few months. Shown here, department judo expert Detective Charles Whitlock (not in uniform), demonstrates some basic techniques on Deputy Basal Ewell. Sheriff Frank W. Irons (right) expects the advanced training will enable the deputies to handle any conceivable situation they may encounter on area lakes next summer.

Your PTA Is Planning

To See 'A Desk for Billie'

The showing of "A Desk for Billie," movie film in color, heads the agenda of the Baldwin Elementary School PTA meeting in Goodison at 8 p. m. Wednesday in the school.

Also, the approval of by-law changes will be sought and the election of a nominating committee existing of five persons will be conducted at the meeting.

"A Desk for Billie" depicts how American schools open their doors to children regardless of their financial support.

It is the true story of Mrs. Billie Davis, a successful educator, writer and lecturer who as a migrant fought for an education and found opportunity in various schools across America.

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It tells of the people, including a hobo and her teachers who helped and encouraged Billie until she received her diploma and was prepared to leave the migrant trails.

The Baldwin PTA has announced a square dance they are sponsoring Saturday, Jan. 31st. Details are still in the planning stage.

"Studying Michigan" is the topic chosen for the Brooklands—Avon School District PTA meeting at 8 p. m. Wednesday in the Brooklands School multi-purpose room.

Schedule Church Supper

GOODISON—A roast beef supper will be served at Paint Creek Church here Wednesday beginning at 5:30 p.m. Proceeds will go for church projects. The public is invited.

5 Persons Injured in 2-Car Crack-Up

FARMINGTON TOWNSHIP — Three teenage girls from here and two women from Royal Oak were slightly injured in an automobile accident at the intersection of Inkster and 10-Mile roads at 4 p.m. Sunday, township police reported today.

Ice was blamed for causing a car with the three teenagers in it driven by Mary Oliver, 18, of 33109 Orchard St., to skid into the side of a car driven by Mrs. Lollie Stannard, 70, of 3102 Gilford St., Royal Oak. Her passenger was Mrs. Mary Sullivan, 81, of the same address.

The other two girls in the Oliver car were Mary Keck, 17, of 22591 Tulane St., and Donna Sonnenberg, 17, of 21503 Collingham St.

They were all taken to William Beaumont Hospital, Royal Oak, where they were treated for contusions and lacerations and released.

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Township police are investigating the mishap which almost completely demolished the Oliver car.

Dr. Willis Carrier used well water as a cooling source for the first air conditioned office building in the U. S. That was 1912 in Athol, Mass.

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Home Is Looted in Troy Saturday

Police Shaking Heads Over Odd Assortment Discovered Missing

TROY—Police here are shaking their heads today over the variety of items stolen from a Troy home sometime Saturday night.

The loot included a camera, case and flash, one end table, two table lamps, a clock radio, bedding stripped from two beds, including two foam rubber pillows, a double-barreled shotgun and case, about a dozen bottles of liquor and several bottles of soft drinks, a squirrel cape, a small bank full of pennies, nickels and dimes, and a pound of nut meats.

Mr. and Mrs. William Dalrymple told police they left their home at 405 W. Big Beaver road at about 7:30 p. m. Saturday and returned shortly after midnight to a cold house.

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The thief or thieves had forced the back door to gain entry and left the front door open upon leaving the premises.

Dalrymple estimated the loss at about $935.



AP Wirephoto

WHO'S NOSEY? — Odin Erga, giant 1,000-pound porker from Norway, manages a fat-jowled squint at the end of a five-week journey to Texas. The Landrace prize hog, eight feet long and valued in the five-figure bracket, was flown from New York to Dallas on the final leg of its journey from Norway. Its new owner, Dallas businessman W. L. Bridges will get a bargain in spareribs if Erga ever faces slaughter—the Landrace breed has 32 ribs, four more than the average porker. Oh, yes—the contrasting note is added by Judy Walker, 18.

Dickason-Burt Marriage at Flower-Decked Altar

ORTONVILLE The altar of the ORTONVILLE—The altar of the orated with palms, red and white carnations and mums for the wedding of Barbara Marie Burt, and Allen Dale Dickason. The Rev. Roy Bottruff officiated at the candlelight ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr and Mrs. Howard Burt, 241 Mill St. The bridegroom's parents are Mr and Mrs. A. D. Dickason, 1502 Thayer Rd.

For her wedding the bride chose a ballerina-length gown of white satin faille with an overskirt of lace and net, scoop neckline and long, pointed sleeves. A headpiece of pearls held her fingertip veil, and she carried a bouquet of red and white carnations and mums.

Carol Burt, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Joan Coventry of Waterford and Laura Olson of North Branch.

Serving as best man was Gerald Martin of Davison, and seating the 250 guests were Wayne Dickason and Duane Porter, both of Ortonville.

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The reception was held in the church parlors after the nuptials. Following their honeymoon in northern Michigan, the newlyweds will return to John Brown University in Arkansas where they both attend school.



MRS. ALLEN D. DICKASON

Runaway Boy Is Found in Least Likely Place

ALICE, Tex. (UPI) — When a boy runs away from home, where would be the least likely place to look for him?

Police didn't think to look in the school, but that's where a workman found Raul Vela Jr., 10, Saturday after he ran away Friday because his parents wouldn't let him watch television.

New Design Ancient

WILMINGTON, Del. — A new upholstery style pattern being produced by a Wilmington concern is based on the cuneiform writing of ancient Assyria. One of the world's first alphabets consisted of cuneiform characters formed in clay tablets. The new upholstery design uses the triangular symbols against a background of 12 colors.

1,000 Chinese Freeze

TAIPEI (UPI)—More than 1,000 people have frozen to death in Communist comunes in North China, the Nationalist China central news agency reported from Hong Kong today.

Coal in Freight Car Burns at Lake Orion

LAKE ORION—Local firefighters were called out Sunday afternoon when coal was discovered smoldering in a railroad coal car parked on a siding across Atwater St. from the Lake Orion Lumber Co., Lake Orion Police reported today.

No damage was done to the car, said Howard Christian, police officer on duty at the time the fire was discovered.

Boxing's Top Brass in London for Bout

B JOHN FARROW
Associated Press Sports Writer

LONDON (AP)—The fight men with money and influence have moved in on London — the scene of tonight's title fight between British heavyweight champion Brian London and challenger Henry Cooper.

Truman Gibson, president of the International Boxing Club, is here.

So is Eddie Alvqvist, manager of European champion Ingemar Johansson.

American promoter Bill Rosensohn is expected.

Lew Burston, foreign represen- the battle

tative of the IBC, also has a date at Earl's Court — the scene of

All of them want to see just how good London, second-ranked challenger for Floyd Patterson's world title, and Cooper, seventh-rated challenger, really are. London is a slight favorite.

To Settle Assets in Southfield

New City Expected to Pay $3,000 to $4,000 to Township

SOUTHFIELD — Settlement of all fixed assets with Southfield Township will be made at tonight's regular council meeting, City Clerk Patrick Flannery said this morning.

The new City of Southfield is expected to pay the Township between three and four thousand dollars for cars, equipment, etc. Still to be settled is the division of Water Dept. financial matters because of bonds outstanding.

The 26½ square-mile section in the southern end of Southfield Township became a city last September, leaving four acres of Southfield as a township.

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The appointment of A. R. Wargo to the Parks and Recreation Commission is expected tonight, Flannery said. Mayor Donald L. Swanson has recommended the appointment to fill the unexpired term of Robert Ewart, who resigned recently.

Suggest Quiz of 'Multiple' Fights

SALT LAKE CITY (AP) The sports editor who brought it up and the manager of the fighter involved say they think it's a good idea for the National Boxing Assn. to investigate Lamar Clark's multiple fights.

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But it's about the only point on which they agree.

"I don't see how he can condemn something he's never seen," said Manager Marv Jenson. "He's never attended a Clark fight."

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"I didn't cover them because I didn't acknowledge them as legitimate fights," answered Hack Miller, sports editor of the Deseret News and Salt Lake Telegram.

New Title for Moylan

TAMPA, Fla. (AP)—Eddie Moylan, 36-year-old sporting goods salesman from Trenton, N.J., added the Dixie International tennis championship to his laurels today.

Winter Wheat Expected to Fall Short of '58

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Agriculture Dept. expects the winter wheat crop this year to fall below the record set by the 1958 crop.

In it Jan. 1 outlook, the department said moisture conditions this year are less favorable for winter wheat than they were last year.

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The department also predicted that citrus fruits and winter fresh vegetables would top last year's standards.

In other parts of the report, the department said farm feed supplies were adequate for livestock, milk production was up, and egg production was higher.

The department also raised its winter potato crop forecast 2 per cent from the Dec. 1 prediction.

Farm employment dropped 18 per cent in December, the department said, reflecting the normal low level of winter activity in agriculture.

Jan. 19 Deadline Set on Voter Registration

WEST BLOOMFIELD TOWNSHIP—Residents of West Bloomfield Township have until Jan. 19 to register for the township primary elections to be held Feb. 16, it was announced today by Frank Hallett, township clerk.

Registration of voters is being accomplished in the township hall at 4460 Orchard Lake Rd.

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Registered voters in unincorporated areas of the township also will vote on the controversial zoning question affecting property on the southeast corner of the Green Lake and Commerce roads intersection, Hallett said. If approved the zoning change would make this commercial property, he added.

To Build Educational Wing at Congregational Church

OXFORD — The Board of Trustees of Immanuel Congregational Church here is proceeding with plans to borrow the money needed to start construction of a new $69,000 educational wing early next summer.

A total of $43,000 was raised in cash and pledges in a financial drive to support the proposed project last June. Now the church membership has voted to borrow the remainder of the money needed upon the recommendation of the Board of Trustees.

Faced with the growing need for more space — especially for Sunday School classrooms — the church planning committee began work on an expansion program in the summer of 1957.

The church membership subsequently approved a plan designed by the architectural firm of John Roth and Sons, Inc., Birmingham. It is for a two-story wing, 42' x 72', to be attached to the west end of the church and to extend to the south end of the church property.

The addition will contain a kitchen, all-purpose room, 12 to 14 classrooms and church offices.

The church located at the corner of Dennison and Hovey streets was organized Feb. 27, 1877, and observed its 75th anniversary May 18, 1952.

The Rev. Anthony A. Nelson is the present minister, and at the recent annual meeting, Jack Valentine was elected moderator and Louis B. Coryell, re-elected clerk. Mrs. Maude Becker is financial secretary and Mrs. Don Awrey, treasurer.

May Eliminate Milking Chore

Mobile Unit Traveling From Farm to Farm in Michigan Next?

By United Press International

A trend that is catching on rapidly in Europe may someday spread to Michigan and eliminate the chore of milking for many farmers.

Under the system, a mobile milking unit travels from farm to farm and undertakes the entire milking chore.

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The idea emerged from Holland and Germany and is now being tried on an experimental basis in Sweden.

Each mobile unit is equipped with six milking machines of the overhead suspension type. In addition, each unit has a washing machine, water tank, water heater and three 160-gallon milk tanks.

Two men operate a mobile milking unit and make a trip to each farm in the morning and again in the evening. Each unit can handle about 65 cows daily.

The export publicity department at Gothenburg, Sweden, says experiments have proceeded very smoothly and the farms taking part have been relieved of considerable work.

If the mobile milking system continues to grow in Europe, it likely will be adopted in the United States as well.

Rochester Garden Club to Hear Mrs. Garrison

ROCHESTER — Mrs. Frederick G. Garrison of Pontiac, state chairman of International Cooperation, will be the speaker at tomorrow's meeting of the Rochester Branch of the Woman's National Farm and Garden Assn. to be held at 1:30 p.m. in Avon Public Library.

Hostesses for the afternoon affair will be Mrs. John Plassey and Mrs. Harry Lang.

Tea chairman is Mrs. Norman H'Amada. Members of her committee are Mrs. James Arcure, Mrs. James Headlee, Mrs. Carl Oxford Jr., Mrs. Frank Shepard, Mrs. James Stirling, Mrs. John Rundell, Mrs. George Goble, Mrs. A. N. Miller and Mrs. George Mitchell.

Protest Proves Fatal

OSAKA, Japan (UPI)—Taxi driver Ikuji Kuroda, 28, leaped into a river during the weekend for what he called a "midwinter swimming demonstration for wage increases." He died from a heart attack just before reaching the opposite bank.

The Rio Grande serves as the boundary between Texas and Mexico for 1,210 miles.

Job's Daughters Install Officers in Rochester

ROCHESTER—Job's Daughters Bethel 51 held installation of new officers Saturday evening at the Masonic Temple here.

Judy Anderson of Avondale was installed as honor queen. Other new officers are Marcella Reynolds, senior princess; Winnie Webber, junior princess; Frances Melosh, guide; Janet Mather, marshall; Janet Kelly, chaplain; Wanda Welch, musician; Sandra Morris, recorder; Rose Marie Arnold, treasurer; and Susan Rock, librarian.

Also installed were Judy Arnold, first messenger; Ora O'Brien, second messenger; Karen Sweet, third messenger; Sharon Toussaint, fourth messenger; and Kitty Hubbard, fifth messenger.

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Carolyn Dando is the new senior custodian; Kay Laughlin, junior custodian; Joanna Jones, inner guard; and Donna Lawson, outer guard.

Refreshments were served after the installation by Mrs. Andy Anderson, Mrs. Floyd Reynolds and Mrs. Charles Neff.

To Install Officers in Oxford C. of C.

OXFORD—A dinner to be served at 7 p.m. will precede installation of new officers of the Oxford Chamber of Commerce Saturday evening at the Oxford Veterans Memorial Building.

John Reid will be installed as president; Kerman Whitstack, vice president; Mrs. Robert Langford, secretary; and Robert Dick, treasurer.

Guest speaker of the evening will be John W. Hirlinger, manager of the Pontiac Chamber of Commerce.

Dancing will follow the installation.

India imports about 5,500,000 tons of oil and oil products annually, at a landed cost of about $200,000,000. The cost to the domestic consumer is about twice that much.

Hollywood Headlines

Robert Taylor Signs Up to Make Picture in Africa

By LOUELLA O. PARSONS

HOLLYWOOD—The next of our Hollywood stars to go to Africa to make a picture is Robert Taylor.

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Bob signed a contract late Friday with producers Cubby Broccoli and Irving Allen to do "Adamson," which is based on a novel, "Tales of the African Frontier," by J. A. Hunter and Daniel P. Mannix.

The picture, a Warwick production, will be released by Columbia.

Bob leaves here Feb. 16. He will go to London, then to Mobasa. The film will be shot in Kenya.

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Bob was quite excited at the chance to see far-away places, and he seemed unconcerned at the possibility of having to undergo the rigors which are said to go with picture-making in Africa.

He said he won't be separated long from his wife, Ursula. She is decorating their house now, and will join him as soon as she finishes.

Elizabeth Taylor has indicated to close friends that she will be in Chicago on the first anniversary of Mike Todd's death. In the Jewish religion that is a sacred time when the monument at the tomb is erected.

There have been all sorts of rumors as to what kind of monument will be erected to the memory of the brilliant showman, but certainly it won't be an Oscar as was reported.

The Oscar is copyrighted and cannot be used for purposes other than the specific award, which of course Mike won for "Around the World in 80 Days."

I doubt if any premiere ever generated more excitement than "Compulsion" which took place at Sun Valley, Idaho, when Dick Zanuck showed his picture there to the National Convention of District Attorneys.

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Two of the legal lights suffered injury—one who broke his leg in a skiing mishap, and the other (who shall be nameless) fell from a bar stool in the Sun Valley Lodge and fractured his arm. Well, boys will be boys at convention time, even if they are D.A.'s.

Snapshots of Hollywood collected at random: Gene Tierney has an admirer who has made her forget Aly Khan. She and Aly now are good friends, but no romance.

Paulette Goddard and her husband, Erich Maria Remarque, leave Switzerland in a few days and are due to arrive in New York on the 17th. In a letter to some friends Erich says Paulette is a terrific cook.

Linda Christian, who was reported having herself a ball in Mexico, returns today or tomorrow to start an independent motion picture, "The Devil's Doll." No comment.

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SERIOUS JOB — David Wilson is only four years old but he takes his self-employed position very seriously. The Frankfort, Ind., boy is learning his school traffic safety lessons early and well. Not yet a student himself, the boy stations himself at a street crossing which has no regular guard. Mom made the belt and badge.

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Inflation Is Not a Robin Hood--Ike

By SAM DAWSON
AP Business News Analyst

NEW YORK (AP)—The President's sermon on thrift to the Congress and to the American people is based on the practically unchallenged thesis:

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Only by prudent economy can the nation ward off further inflation. But will it try to?

The rub comes in this: Will the Congress, and the people it represents, care enough about fighting a future and somewhat nebulous inflation to do without the present sugar plums the President's new economy drive proposes to withhold?

Supposing the Congress goes along — and the President points out that Congress alone holds the purse strings — many industries will be cut off from some orders they would get from freer federal spending. The first economy drive some two years ago showed how quickly some industries could be hurt when Uncle Sam tightened up on his spending.

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The President offers the classic indictment of government spending in excess of income, with the end result of whittling away the purchasing power of the dollar:

"Inflation is not a Robin Hood, taking from the rich to give to the poor. Rather, it deals most cruelly with those who can least protect themselves. It strikes hardest those millions of our citizens whose incomes do not quickly rise with the cost of living."

The proposed economy would end the federal deficit financing, which the President lists along with the wage-price spiral as basic causes of inflation.

If Congress fools the experts and approves tight budgeting, what would it do to present business expectations?

A realistic appraisal of most of the predictions of good times in 1959 shows that one of the factors they strongly count upon is a rise in government spending — at the federal, state and local levels — and spending beyond the amounts the President says he will propose to Congress.

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In dollar volume defense spending would be as high as expected — the President approves a slight increase in the coming year. The uncertainty to be dissolved when the detailed budget and defense department programs are spelled out lies in what direction these defense dollars will be channeled.

Switching from one type of weapon to another usually sends the company with the new contract booming and leads to layoffs in the concern whose contract is canceled.

It is in other fields than defense that the President seeks dollar cutbacks. He mentions in general terms the ending of some costly housing, farming and veteran programs.

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Those who supply or work for builders could have some of their hopes dashed. Those who sell to farmers could find some of them less enthusiastic buyers of goods. Veterans benefits have a way of passing quickly through the beneficiary's pockets and out into various trade channels.

A real economy drive would mean cutting back the number of government workers — a total that seems to grow year by year. Their spending boosts retail volume across the nation. This was especially noted last summer when their pay increased.

And a successful economy drive could dampen some of the ardor of the stock market. The bull market has fed on expectations of further inflation from deficit spending and from the wage-price spiral that it often speeds up.

The bulls also have counted strongly on a big upsurge in general business — an upsurge helped along in part by increased government spending.

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Inflation doesn't help the economy really. It only seems to. But the thrift that would thwart the continuing deterioration of the American dollar sometimes tastes like bitter medicine.

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Ann E. Redner, Farmington

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Helen L. Webb, Ferndale

Charles L. Moss, 132 Jackson
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Allen D. Dickason, Ortonville
Barbara M. Burt, Ortonville

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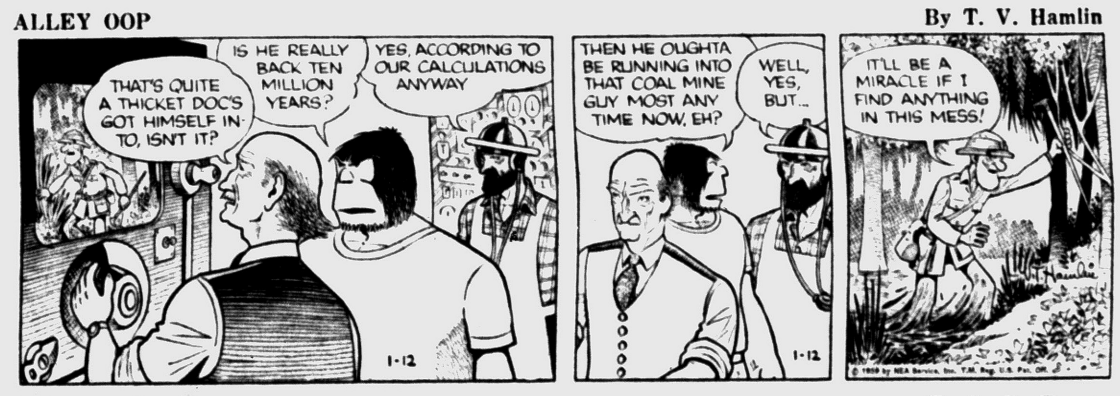
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Business and Finance

Engineers to Hear Atom Scientist Talk

Robert F. Mantey of Detroit, a nuclear engineer for Atomic Power Development Associates, Inc., Detroit, will address the Reciprocal lectrical Association of Oakland County meeting in the Pontiac City Hall at 7:30 Wednesday evening. His topic will be "Atomic Power at Lagoona Beach."

APDA is a nonprofit corporation formed by 43 private companies pooling money and technical know-how to do the research and design work for the Enrico Fermi nuclear power plant on the shore of Lake Erie about 30 miles south of Detroit.

Mantey received a B.S. degree from the United States Military Academy in 1945 and did graduate work at Princeton University earning a M.S. degree in Nuclear Physics in 1950. He was employed by the Philadelphia Electric Company in July 1954 and has been on the staff of APDA since August 1956.

He is presently working in the Shielding and Health Physics Section specializing in shielding design for the Enrico Fermi Atomic Power Plant.

County Real Estate Post Goes to Royal Oak Man

Elmer W. Haack, a Royal Oak realtor, has been installed as 1959 president of the Oakland County Real Estate Appraisers Assn.

Warren J. Beauchamp of Detroit is the new vice president, and William E. Maloney of Farmington, secretary-treasurer. William A. Kennedy and William H. Knudsen, both of Pontiac, and James C. Rogers of Grosse Pointe, were installed as directors.

Grain Prices

CHICAGO GRAIN

CHICAGO, Jan. 12 (AP) — Opening grain

Wheat—		Oats—	
Mar.	1 97⅝	Mar.	66¼
May	1 93⅝	Rye—	
Jly.	1 82	Mar.	1 34⅝
Sep.	1 84⅛	May	1 30
Corn (new)		Jly.	1 20⅝
Mar.	1 13⅜	Sep.	1 21
May	1 15	Lard (drums)	
Jly.	1 16⅝	Mar.	9 83
		May	10 10

A Bridge for a Bridge—From Artist to Dentist

CEDAR RAPIDS, Iowa (AP)—When the late Grant Wood was struggling to get a start as an artist, he went to the office of Dr. B. H. McKeeby, a dentist.

He explained he needed some dental work done but had no cash available. He offered in payment a painting of a brige he had made in Paris. The said he guessed that would do.

"Okay," said Wood, "it's a deal, a bridge for a bridge."

Dr. McKeeby later became model for the farmer in Grant's painting, American Gothic.

Preacher Chases Hat Into Whirling Propeller

HENDERSON Ky. (AP)—The Rev. George Wood, slated to conduct a funeral here, showed up with nine stitches in his nose. He collided with an ariplaine.

The ministers hat blew off earlier while he was at the airport. Mr. Wood darted after it, right into a whirling propeller.

Loss of engineering and science talent at a senior level has reached serious proportions, reports President John T. Rettalita of the Illinois Institute of Technology.

Lodge Calendar

Regular meeting Pontiac Shrine No. 22 will be held Wednesday, January 14th at 8 o'clock at Roosevelt Temple. 22 State St. Drill team practice 6:30. Bernice Cover, scribe.

News in Brief

An unidentified man grabbed $20 from the cash register of the Pontiac Stationers Shop, 4 N. Saginaw St., and fled Saturday afternoon. A clerk had opened the register to make change for the thief whom she thought was purchasing a greeting card.

Two youths, described as being 11 and 14 years old, snatched the purse of Helen Kreher, 2955 Otsego St., Waterford Township, in front of the Greyhound bus station Saturday. It contained $15, a $50 check and miscellaneous papers.

New Speed Limits Set for Wixom

The Oakland County Road Commission has announced that it will post speed limit signs on Pontiac Trail and Wixom road in Wixom.

Acting on orders of Michigan State Police Commissioner Joseph A. Childs, a new speed control zone of 45 miles per hour will be posted between the west city limits of Wixom and Orchard Lake road (M-218). It will become effective Jan. 23, the commission said.

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Also, 25 m.p.h. signs will be installed between M-218 and Theodore street, 35 m.p.h. signs between Theodore street and West Maple road, and 45 m.p.h. signs on West Maple and Potter roads, all in the city of Wixom.

Simmons to Get Service Citation for Agriculture

A Pontiac resident is among the three Michigan agricultural leaders who will be presented a citation for distinguished service to agriculture.

He is Howard F. Simmons of 130 E. Iroquois Rd., recently retired manager of the Michigan Milk Producers Assn.

Andrew G. Lohman, secretary-manager of the Mailton Farm Bureau; Herbert Van Aken, Eaton Rapids dairy and poultry farm operator, and Simmons will receive the citations Feb. 4 at Michigan State University during Farmers' Week.

Man Owns 500 Pipes and Smokes Them All

PONCA CITY, Okla. (AP) — Raymond Brierly, 60-year-old lumber company sales manager, has collected more than 500 pipes — and he smokes them all.

The collection is so large he has cases of pipes in all rooms in his home. And, Brierly notes with pride, he still has the first pipe he used when he started smoking at 15.

Boy Uses City Baths —Has 3 Older Sisters!

JERSEY CITY, N.J. (AP)—A young boy who frequents the city baths says he has no choice.

He has three older sisters at home and by the time it's his turn for the tub, all the hot water is gone. So he pays 15 cents for a bath at the city-run spa.



INVIGORATING, NO? — Broad-bottomed Anatole, polar bear at the Paris Zoo, hauls himself from his private pool after a stimulating dip. The colder the better for Anatole—it reminds him of home.

Market Edges Latest Record

NEW YORK (AP)—The Stock Market edged above its latest record high in heavy trading early today.

Most changes of key stocks were fractional, a few going as high as a point.

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Acme Steel was an exception, jumping 3 points on an opening block.

American Telephone, up a fraction at the start, erased the gain and dropped about a point.

The ticker tape was late in prolonged period of active dealings.

Most steels, motors, coppers, chemicals and airlines went ahead. Oils were unchanged to lower. Rails were mixed.

Wall streeters forecast an early challenge to the 600 level in the Dow Jones Industrial Average which closed Friday at a record 595.72. Meanwhile economic news remained good with steel orders moving at a fast pace and copper demand reported steady.

Phelps Dodge, U.S. Rubber, Eastman Kodak and Allied Chemical advanced about a point each.

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Inland Steel, another wide gainer, rose 5 points on an opening block of 1,500 shares.

Fractional gains were made by such assorted stocks as U.S. Steel, Bethlehem, Ford, General Motors, Goodyear, United Aircraft, Radio Corp., Anaconda, Kennecott, Pennsylvania Railroad, American Airlines and Pfizer.

New York Stocks

(Late Morning Quotations)

Figures after decimal point are eighths

Admiral	18 7	Kelsey Hay	44 4
Air Reduc	35	Kennecott	102 4
Allied Ch	94 6	Kimb Clk	64 7
Allied Strs	51 2	Kresge, SS	32 3
Allis Chal	29 6	Kroger	34 4
Alum Ltd	32	LOF Glass	104 4
Alcoa	39	Libby McN&L	12 5
Am Airlin	26 4	Lockh Aire	63 7
Am Can	50 2	Loew's	21
Am Cyan	50 3	Lone S Gas	42 6
Am M & Pdy	55	Lorillard	87
Am Motors	40 3	Lou & Nash	82 3
Am N Gas	66 6	Mack Trk	22 3
Am News	34 7	Manning	26 6
Am Tel & Tel	230 6	Martin Co	33 3
Anaconda	65 3	May D Str	48
Armco Stl	69 4	Mead CP	46 5
Armour & Co	25 7	Merck	76 1
Atchison	29 4	Mergen Lino	47
Avco Mfg	12 6	Merr Ch&S	21 4
Balt & Ohio	46 5	Mpls Hon	119
Beth Steel	82 3	Minn M&M	116
Boeing Air	44 1	Monsan Ch	39 2
Bohn Alum	73 1	Mont Ward	42 4
Bond Strs	20 6	Motorola	109 2
Borg Warn	40 5	Mueller Brass	30 1
Briggs Mf	9 2	Murray CP	29 6
Brun Balke	53 5	Nat Cash R	75 2
Budd Co	20 3	Nat Dairy	50 4
Burroughs	38 6	Nat Gyps	62
Calum & H	19 1	NY Central	29 4
Campb Soup	51 1	Norf & West	91
Can Dry	20 1	No Am Av	44 7
Cdn Pac	29 4	Nor Pac	49 6
Capital Airl	19 5	Nor Sts Pw	33
Carrier Cp	48 7	Ohio Oil	41
Case, JI	22 3	Owens Cng	63 4
Cater Trac	88 4	Pac G & El	64 7
Ches & Ohio	69 5	Pan A W Air	26 2
Chrysler	53 4	Panh Epl	56 5
Cities Svc	61	Parm Pict	46 4
Clark Equip	58	Parke D	37 7
Coca Cola	126 4	Penney JC	104 4
Colg Palm	92	Pa RR	19
Colum Gas	21 7	Pepsi Cola	29 6
Con Edis	45 5	Pfizer	100
Con N Gas	53 5	Phelps D	63
Consum Pw	57 6	Philco	23
Cont Bak	40 3	Phill Pet	49 2
Cont Can	57 7	Pure Oil	44
Cont COPA&S	12 7	RC A	47 4
Cont Meter	11 4	Repub Stl	75
Cont Oil	63 4	Rex Drug	34 2
Copper Rng	39 4	Reyn Mot	73 6
Corn Pd	54 7	Rey Tob B	94
Curtis Pub	15 3	Royal Dut	47 2
Deere	50 3	Safeway St	41 1
Det Edis	43 2	St Reg Pap	43 6
Dis C Seag	34 3	Scoville Mf	24 6
Doug Aire	57 4	Sears Roeb	40 1
Du Pont	213 6	Shell Oil	84
East Air L	35	Simmons	47 4
East Kod	149 7	Sinclair	61 6
Eaton Mfg	56 5	Socony	48 6
El Auto L	36 7	Sou Pac	66
El & Mus	11 2	Sou Ry	58
Emer Rad	14 7	Sperry Rd	24
Erie RR	13 1	Std Oil Cal	60 3
Ex-Cell-O	40 7	Std Oil Ind	48 4
Ford Mot	55 7	Std Oil NJ	56 5
Frueh Tra	19 3	Std Oil Oh	60
Gen Bak	13 6	Stevens, JP	27 1
Gen Dynam	43 2	Stud Pack	14 7
Gen Elec	78 5	Sun Oil	62 6
Gen Fds	76 4	Suther Pap	41
Gen Mills	42 7	Swift & Co.	35 5
Gen Motors	50 4	Sylv El Pd	60 1
Gen Shoe	30 5	Texas Co	84 4
Gen Tel	61 5	Tex G Sul	22 6
Gen Time	46	Textron	20 6
Gen Tire	46 5	Tim R Bear	48 7
Gerber Prod	64	Trans W Air	18 2
Gillette	47 4	Transamer	11 3
Goebel Br	7 2	Twent Cen	12 3
Goodrich	76 7	Underwd	21 3
Goodyear	119 7	Un Carbide	126 3
Grah Paige	2 7	Un Pac	33 6
Gt A & P	82 1	Unit Air Lin	31 1
Gt No Ry	50 6	Unit Aire	61 2
Greyhound	17 7	Unit Fruit	47 3
Gulf Oil	125 6	Un Gas CP	40 2
Home Stk	41 6	US Lines	31 3
Hooker Ch	36 7	US Rub	49
Indust Ray	23 3	US Steel	98 4
Ing Rand	96 2	US Tob	25 3
Inland Stl	149 4	Van Raal	33
Insur Cop	40 5	Walgreen	48
Interlak Jr	27	Warner Pict	33
Int Bus Mch	532	Westg El	73
Int Harv	41 4	West Un Tel	32 3
Int Nick	38 2	West A Bk	33 6
Int Paper	120 2	Wilson & Co	34 3
Int Shoe	36 4	Woolworth	66 2
Int Silver	40 6	Yale & Tow	31 3
Int Tel & Tel	62 7	Yngst Sh&T	117
Isl Crk Coal	42 1	Zenith Rad	198
Johns Man	54		
Jones & L	62 3		

DETROIT STOCKS

(C. J. Nephler Co.)

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	High	Low	Noon
Allen Elec & Equip Co*	2 1		2 3
Baldwin Rubber Co*	16 4		17 4
Ross Gear Co*	30		31 4
Ot Lk Oil & Chem Co*	1 4		1 6
Howell Elec Motor Co*	6 2		6 4
Pen Met Prod Co*	7 7		8 3
The Prophet Co*	10 4		11 4
Rudy Mfg Co	11 2	11 2	11 2
Toledo Edison Co	16	16	16

*No sale, bid and asked

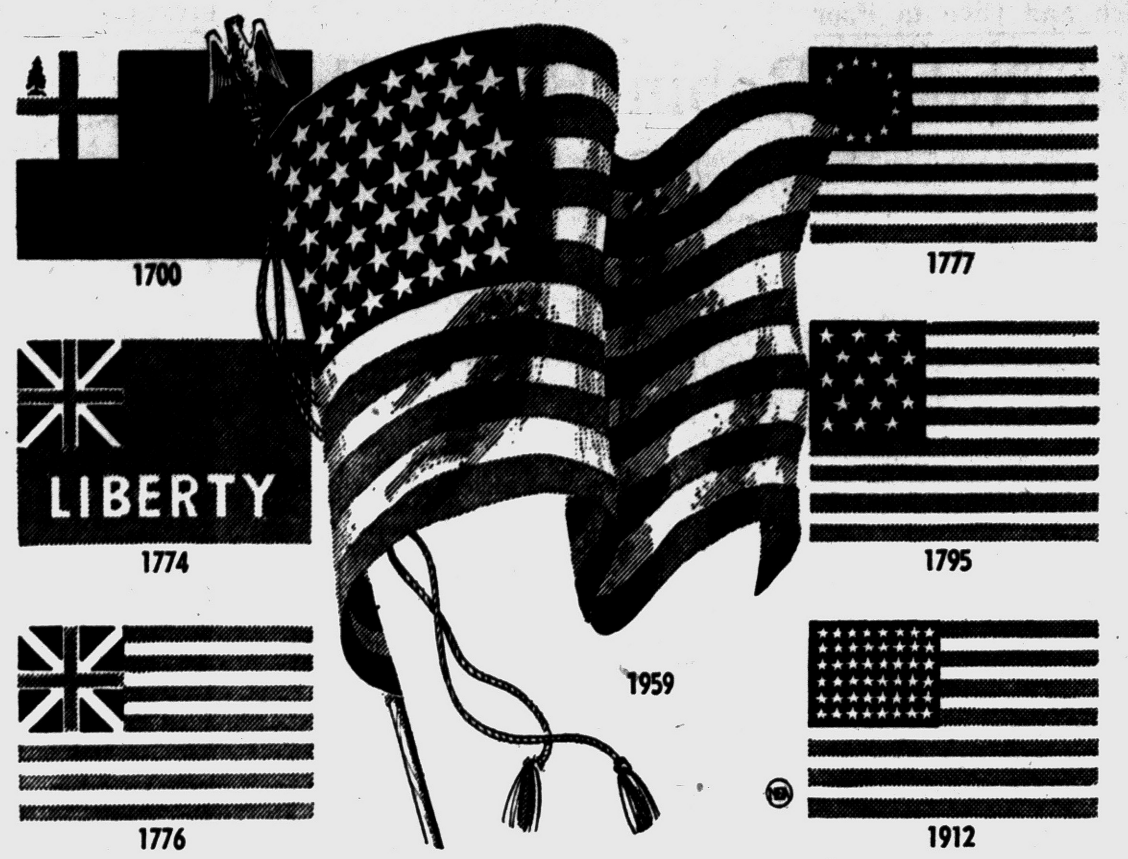
First Commencement Is Held Under 4 Moons

TUCSAN, Ariz. (AP) — College graduates are really going out into a unique world — thanks to the earth satellites.

Addressing the University of Arizonia's 1958 graduating class, Dr. Alan T. Waterman, director of the National Science Foundation, noted:

"It is safe to say this year's commencement is the first to be held beneath four different moons —one placed there by nature and three by man."

Learn from other people's mistakes — you can't possibly live long enough to make them all yourself . . . A tourist is a guy (relates D. J. Zerbe) who travels hundreds of miles in order to get a photo of himself standing by his automoile. — Earl Wilson.



OLD GLORY'S EVOLUTION—The American flag has been studded with pine trees, carried stars in many patterns, and featured variations of the Union Jack. Some of the milestones in the progress of the banner to its present 49-star design are depicted above. The New England flag, upper left, designed around 1700 and carried at the battle of Bunker Hill, featured a pine tree insigne. Predating the Revolution by two years was the Liberty flag, hoisted over the green at Taunton, Mass. The Grand Union flag, featuring 13 red and white stripes, one for each colony, was carried in 1776 by the newly formed Continental army. In 1777, almost a year after the Declaration of Independence, the Continental Congress adopted the "Betsy Ross" banner with its 13 stars and stripes. Honoring the admission of Vermont and Kentucky, two more stripes were added in 1795. The practice of adding stripes was soon discontinued, and the flag reverted to 13 bars. A star continued to be added for each new state. The 48-star field came into being with the admission of Arizona in 1912. It remained unchanged until Alaska's formal entry into the Union this year.

Giant New Oil Tanker Rivals Queens, Forrestal in Weight

NEW YORK (UPI)—The biggest merchant ship ever built in the Western Hemisphere will be a homeless waif in most parts of the world.

The 70,700-deadweight-ton Princess Sophie, a giant oil tanker rivaling great ocean liners in size, will find few deep water ports capable of handling her when fully loaded.

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This behemoth of the seas, scheduled to be launched Nov. 15 at Bethlehem Steel's Quincy (Mass.) shipyard, can carry in one trip the equivalent of one day's crude oil production in Oklahoma.

Her carrying capacity also is equal to approximately 27 million gallons of gasoline, or enough to drive an automobile to the moon and back 1,100 times.

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When fully loaded, the 20 million-dollar vessel will weigh about 100,000 long tons. This will make her heavier than any passenger ship in existence, including Britain's Queen Mary and Queen Elizabeth. The Princess Sophie also will outweigh the super-carrier U.S.S. Forrestal.

The tanker will be christened by Queen Frederika of Greece, after whose oldest daughter the vessel is named. The ship will fly the Greek flag.

A spokesman for the Stavros S. Niarchos fleet, owners of the Princess Sophie, said the tanker will operate between the deep-water ports of the Persian Gulf and California.

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The 12,000-mile run from the Persian Gulf, through the Indian Ocean and across the Pacific to California, is said to be the only route that can accommodate a fully loaded ship this size.

In order to enter major East Coast refining centers, the Princess Sophie would have to pump part of her cargo into barges and lighters before entering. This includes such important refinery areas as New York and Philadelphia.

Since the end of World War II, the oil industry has been going in for bigger and bigger tankers in an effort to combat rising operating costs.

During and immediately after World War II, the tanker fleets of most nations consisted almost solely of 17,000-deadweight-ton T-2 tankers. They had a capacity of about 122,000 barrels of crude oil, compared with more than 625,000 barrels for the Princess Sophie.

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In the last decade, supertankers of more than 30,000 and 40,000-deadweight tons have become commonplace. There presently are two foreign-built tankers of 85,000-deadweight tons in service and one of more than 100,000 tons now building in Japan.

Although many of these giants are limited as to the ports they can use, the oil industry has been forced by economics to replace its smaller tankers with the supers.

Frank R. Markley, vice president in charge of transportation for Sun Oil Co., said the bigger vessels carry more cargo per trip without proportionately increasing costs, such as crew wages, food or port charges. The result is that per barrel costs are reduced.

An official of Transoceanic Marine, Inc., agents for the Niarchos fleet, said the Princess Sophie will deliver Middle East crude oil at the West Coast for less than two cents a gallon. This is half the cost of 10 years ago despite the sharp increase in operating expenses.

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The supertankers not only are big, they also are plush. The Princess Sophie, for example, will have individual staterooms for each of its 60-man crew. The living and recreational quarters will be completely air-conditioned.

Construction of this mighty tanker, according to a Bethlehem Steel spokesman, made work for factories, mines and transportation facilities in some 40 states.

In addition, the vessel will spend another $500,000 a year on the West Coast for supplies and services.

Chairman Conlin Says Tax Plan Not UAW's

LANSING (AP)—An assertion that the United Auto Workers Union dictated a graduated income tax plan urged by the Citizens' Advisory Committee has been labeled "ridiculous," by Rep. Rollo G. Conlin.

Conlin, Republican chairman of a special legislative committee which received the citizens' group recommendations, commented yesterday:

"There were 25 committee members, three of them from the UAW. There were many people from business and industry fully as competent as any from the UAW.

"To say that these three were the tail that wagged the dog is ridiculous."

A Detroit report said the controversial tax proposal was "written in Solidarity House," and emerged as a committee recommedation with little change.

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Under the graduated tax—with rates ranging from three to eight per cent, the heaviest burden would be borne by persons in the $8,000 to $20,000 brackets. Wage earners in the lowest brackets would incur little or no liability.

The report said the UAW offered its plan after spokesmen on the citizens' committee objected to a flat rate tax of 3½ per cent which earlier had ben under consideration.

Asked about the report, Conlin said the story was "possibly an attempt at influence" — presumably to scare away potential non-union support for the proposal.

Without expressly endorsing it, Conlin defended another controversial feature of the citizens' tax package—a recommendation for a $9 a person annual rebate of state sales tax, the estimated portion paid on food purchases.

He said he disagreed with a critic's assertion the device was a lollipop to make the entire tax package more palatable.

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"I am impressed by the fact that under the existing tax structure 20 per cent of a $2,000 income is paid out in taxes, whereas it's only 6 per cent on a $6,000 income."

Conlin said the state deficit last June 30 would have been $60,000,000, instead of $21,000,000, but for fiscal manipulations by the 1958 legislature which cannot be repeated.

With others, he has estimated the state's deficit by mid-year will rise to $100,000,000 or more.

Gray's Anatomy, a textbook known to every English-speaking medical student, was first published 100 years ago.



AP Wirephoto

BLAZE DESTROYS SCHOOL — The Wellford school near Spartanburg, S.C., was consumed by flames yesterday in a blaze of undefermined origin. Damage was estimated at $250,000. No one was injured. Some school equipment was salvaged.

Next Move Up to Dixie Judge

U.S. Civil Rights Agents Arrive With Order for Voter Records

CLAYTON, Ala. (AP)—Renewed rebellion, submission to a federal mandate, or more legal maneuvering?

It was anybody's guess which reaction would greet U.S. Civil Rights Commission agents arriving today for a court - ordered appointment to see voter registration records of Barbour and Bullock counties.

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The records needed in the commission probe into alleged denial of Negro voting rights are in custody of an Alabama judge who once threatened jail for any federal agent attempting to investigate his court.

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Judge George C. Wallace, runnerup in the Alabama governor's race last year, has resisted on grounds of immunity every commission move to examine the registration records impounded in his circuit court.

The agents come today with a federal court order which Wallace must obey or appeal, or risk a possible jail term for contempt. The jurist would give no indication that he would abide by the mandate. An appeal to higher courts was hinted by his lawyers.

Tool and Die Peace After Sunday Talks

DETROIT (AP)—The Detroit Automotive Tool and Die Manufacturers Assn. has reached a new contract agreement with the United Auto Workers Union.

The agreement, made yesterday after a 20½-hour bargaining session, covers 7,500 workers in 75 shops.

Details of the contract will be withheld until ratification by the union membership, said state labor mediator Walter Quillico. A ratification meeting has been scheduled for next Sunday.

Versatile Man Works Both Sides of the Street

SALT LAKE CITY (AP) — Here's a guy working both sides of the street. His classified ad read:

"Private Detective, shadowing, suspicions verified. Also marriage counselor."

Nab 7 for Thefts in Southfield

Police Believe Arrests to Solve Many Cases Over Past Year

SOUTHFIELD — With the arrest this weekend of three adults and four juveniles, Southfield police believe they have broken up a gang that has been stealing from homes in the Southfield area during the past year.

The arrests came after the home of William Bertera, 21751 Midway Rd., was broken into Jan. 4. A 12-gauge shotgun, a 22-gauge rifle, a 38-caliber revolver, a strongbox and a small amount of money were taken while the family was away.

Police are holding Leslie Lahner, 18, 17645 Cooley St., and Frank Thomasich, 18, 15106 Chatham St., both of Detroit, and James Remosier, 18, 20298 Westover Rd., Southfield. The four juveniles are petitioned to appear in Oakland Juvenile Court in the near future, police said.

Detective Sgt. Edward Ritenour said one of the juveniles, in trying to get the gun back to its owner discussed the problem with his counselor at the Lederle Junior High School. The youth took the guns to the school and placed them in the counselor's room. Assistant Principal Joseph Dunham, in checking the rooms at 9:30 that night found the weapons and called the police.

Upon questioning, the boy admitted the burglary and implicated the others.

The three adults were scheduled to appear before Judge Clarence A. Reid in Municipal Court, Southfield, at 11 a.m. today.

New Yorkers now are able to buy peaches picked in California only 24 hours before. They are being shipped from the West Coast by air freight in new-type plastic trays said to minimize the danger of shipping damage.

Charter No. 13739 Reserve District No. 7

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE

Community National Bank

of Pontiac, in the State of Michigan, at the close of business on December 31, 1958. Published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes.

ASSETS

Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection		$16,251,150.29
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed		24,979,950.55
Obligations of States and political subdivisions		19,925,778.35
Other bonds, notes, and debentures		3,495,972.76
Corporate stocks (including $165,000.00 stock of Federal Reserve bank)		165,000.00
Loans and discounts (including $4,162.28 overdrafts)		28,179,782.08
Bank premises owned $1,520,566.54		
furniture and fixtures	265,228.51	1,785,795.05
Real estate owned other than bank premises		182,628.92
Other assets		495,996.96
Total Assets		$95,462,054.96

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	$37,104,044.87
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	35,264,207.17
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	2,221,951.84
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	12,406,978.45
Deposits of banks	5,000.00
Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.)	935,515.17
Total Deposits	$87,937,697.50
Land Contract or other liens $9,698.04	
on bank premises	9,698.04
Other liabilities	1,469,840.26
Total Liabilities	$89,417,235.80

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Capital Stock: Common Stock, total par $2,750,000.00	2,750,000.00
Surplus	2,750,000.00
Undivided profits	200,000.00
Reserves (and retifement account for preferred stock)	344,819.16
Total Capital Accounts	$ 6,044,819.16
Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts	$95,462,054.96

MEMORANDA

Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes	$ 2,600,000.00
Loans as shown above are after deduction of reserves of	545,889.33
Securities as shown above are after deduction of reserves of	303,140.67

I, W. A. Taylor, Vice-President and Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

W. A. TAYLOR,
Vice-President & Cashier

Correct—Attest:
HAROLD E. HOWLETT
L. H. COLE
A. C. GIRARD
Directors

State of Michigan, County of Oakland, ss:

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 8th day of January, 1959, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.

S. TENNEY McGRAW,
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