

Tommy and His Heroine



COMFORTED AT HOSPITAL—Little Tommy Ryerson is comforted in his hospital bed by 15-year-old Nancy Monetta who yesterday saved his life after he had fallen through the ice in Ox Bow Lake, White Lake Township. The

four-year-old boy was playing with friends and had gone onto the thin ice to retrieve a ball when he fell through. The girl, who was passing by at the time, rushed to his aid, holding him above water until help came.

Pontiac Press Photo

Plunges Into Icy Water

White Lake Girl Saves Boy

Four-year-old Tommy Ryerson of White Lake Township owes his life to a heroic teenage girl who rescued him from the icy waters of Ox Bow Lake yesterday afternoon.

Tommy was with two companions along the shoreline when

suddenly he dashed onto thin ice to retrieve a ball with which the youngsters had been playing.

A thin layer of snow and ice partly covered the water and the boy crashed through it about 12 feet from shore.

His two companions screamed for help. At this moment, Nancy Monetta, 15, and her sister, Sally, 16, were passing by on their way to a nearby skating rink.

SHE HELD ON

Nancy dashed to edge of the open water and grabbed the struggling boy. She broke through the ice but was able to stand up and hold him until two teenage boys were attracted to the scene. The water was over Tommy's head.

Willard Lighthall 17, of 3033 Glenbrook St., Keego Harbor, and Steven Jewett, 18, of 125 E. Walled Lake Dr., Walled Lake, found a 12-foot pipe and pushed it towards the two water-soaked children.

Tommy clung to the pipe and was hauled ashore. The two boys then pulled Nancy out of the water onto thicker ice and she and Tommy were rushed into the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arlon Partello at 130 Hulbert St.

Suffering from shock, Tommy was taken to the Pontiac Osteopathic Hospital where doctors report his condition as satisfactory today. Nancy was taken home.

Tommy is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Ryerson of 3830 Elizabeth Lake Rd. Nancy lives with her parents, the A. J. Monettas at 10161 Elizabeth Lake Rd.

Frosty Welcome in Store for 1960

New Year's Eve will be cold and fair with the temperature dipping again to a low 20 degrees, the weatherman predicts.

Friday will be partly cloudy with little temperature change, the high 30-34. The outlook for Saturday is cloudy, occasional snow or snow flurries.

Winds northwest to north at 8-14 miles an hour at 10:15 a.m. will become light and variable tonight.

Eighteen was the lowest recording in downtown Pontiac preceding 8 a.m. The mercury had climbed to 30 at 1 p.m.

Holiday Spirits!

BIRMINGHAM, Ala. (UPI)—A feud over a boundary line ended yesterday after 21 years of legal battle. The Alabama By-Products Co. simply agreed to exchange deeds with Phillips McCarty and K.O. Youngblood.

Plans One Edition

So that its employees will be able to spend most of the New Year's Day holiday with their families, The Press will publish a single, early edition tomorrow. Regular editions will be resumed Saturday.

Problem Is Immediate

ROCKY HILL, Conn. (UPI)—Residents here have been digging themselves out of a heavy snowfall without thought of summer.

They braved a storm Tuesday night to attend a town meeting and tabled a motion to buy lawn mowing equipment.

Arthur's Woman's Apparel—kimono and receiving blanket.

Cygnus Center—case of baby food, diaper pail, diaper bag, pair of baby shoes.

Clooman's Drugs—baby scale.

Jacobsen's Flowers—flowers for mother.

Kuhn's Auto Wash—five auto washes.

Kroger's Miracle Mile—case of baby food.

Lee Sales and Service—auto oil change, lubrication and 10 gallons of gas.

Lewis Fine Furniture—high chair.

McNally's Men's Store—hat for father.

Nye Dairy—ten 1/2-gallon bottles of milk.

Kresge's Downtown—layette set.

Pearce Floral Co.—flowers for mother.

Pontiac Retail Store—auto wash and polish.

R & R Motors, Inc.—ten auto lubrications.

Todd's Shoe Store—slippers for mother.

Toytown—nursery lamp.

Waite's, Inc.—baby sweater, cap and booties.

Stapp's Juvenile Booterie—baby shoes.

Took RO Twp. Charity Funds

Police Chief Convicted

Told to Write Commandments for Next 2 Years

Has No Comment on Court Action; Lawyer Plans Appeal

Royal Oak Township's former acting police chief, Capt. William Ware, will learn a lesson well because he stole from the poor.

The 43-year-old law enforcement official was convicted yesterday in the Justice Court of Lonnie C. Cash on charges he kept money he collected for the Goodfellow Fund.

Cash sentenced Ware to 90 days in jail, suspended if he pays a \$100 fine.

Ware will long have missed the pinch of the fine before he forgets the Ten Commandments, especially the eighth... "Thou Shalt Not Steal."

He had been ordered also to write out the Ten Commandments each week for the next two years and mail them to his probation officer.

Cash announced the verdict to an overflow crowd of 150 persons at the end of a four-day trial.

Ware was called by telephone early today for his reaction to the sentence. "I," he started to speak softly, and then his wife broke in on an extension. "No comment, no comment, no comment."

The former police chief, ousted from the position after his arrest on Dec. 14, then said, "I don't have anything to say about it."

WILL APPEAL

His attorney said the conviction will be appealed in Oakland County Circuit Court.

Ware was among eight policemen and firemen arrested by State Police who passed out \$57 in marked money in buying Goodfellow newspapers, the proceeds from which were to be used as Christmas charity for needy families.

Police said only \$6 of the marked bills were turned in, all of it from one man.

The township's trustees fired all the accused policemen and firemen, including police Sgt. James (Continued on Page 2, Col. 8)



SWEARING-IN CEREMONY—With State Supreme Court Justice George Edwards (right) administering their oaths of office, Oakland County's five circuit judges for the next six years are sworn in during a ceremony in the Courthouse yesterday.

From left are Judges Frederick C. Ziem, Clark J. Adams, H. Russell Holland, William J. Beer, and Stanton G. Dondoro. With his back to the camera and holding the Bible is Clerk-Register Daniel T. Murphy Jr.

Souris Named 5 Judges Take Oaths, Straley Asking to Voelker Post Doty Says Farewell a 'Free Hand'

Wayne County Judge Will Have High Court Seat Till November

By GEORGE T. TRUMBULL JR.
With the pounding of the court officer's gavel, a new chapter in Oakland County's judicial history opened yesterday as a great era came to an end.

Immediate Return Is Unlikely, However, as Discussions Continue

LANSING (UPI)—Wayne County Circuit Judge Theodore Souris today was named to the Michigan Supreme Court to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of best-selling author and justice John Voelker.

G. Mennen Williams said Voelker's resignation would be accepted effective Jan. 4. Souris, also a former member of the state board of canvassers, will take office when he is sworn in by the Supreme Court.

Souris was appointed Wayne County circuit judge only last Feb. 6 to fill the unexpired term of the late Judge Joseph A. Moynihan, which ended today.

Moynihan died after the filing date for the next term and Souris had no chance to run for the post. Souris said a few days ago he would return to private practice. The 34-year-old judge lives in Grosse Pointe Farms, is married and has two sons and a daughter.

The appointment does not require Senate confirmation but Souris will have to run for the office in the election next November to keep his spot on the high court bench.

The announcement today ended speculation that Atty. Gen. Paul L. Adams or Muskegon County Circuit Judge Noel P. Fox would be appointed to the post.

Despite the talk that Fox might be appointed, he said he would not take the job. Adams had made little indication about his feelings.

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To Arraign Girl on Check Charge

Young Wife Is Accused of Passing \$2,000 in Bogus Drafts

A pretty 17-year-old housewife faced prosecution today after being arrested while attempting to cash a bogus check for \$485 at the Perry Street Branch of the Community National Bank.

Mrs. Nancy Harper, 1639 Avalon St., Auburn Heights, was to appear in Municipal Court today. She is charged with uttering and publishing.

Detectives said she admitted cashing more than \$2,000 in bad checks at the bank since Dec. 7.

Her husband, David, 26, was picked up by police a block away from the bank. He is on probation for an uttering and publishing conviction in Oakland County Circuit Court.

Police said the stolen car Harper was driving was taken from Birmingham. He was to be turned over to Birmingham police today. The notes Mrs. Harper passed were written on blank checks and drawn from the account of Clarence H. Smith, local distributor for a patent medicine company. His office is at 150 N. Perry St.

See Photo Review

The year of 1959 was one filled with many newsworthy events—some pleasant and some unpleasant. Graphically illustrating many of the top stories of the year were photos by The Pontiac Press cameramen. Recalling some of the highlights of 1959, The Press today is running a picture page illustrating some of these news highlights. Turn to page 17.

It's That Time, Again

Be Careful, Even If You Haven't Drunk

Area law enforcement authorities today issued warnings to New Year's Eve revelers to drive carefully tonight.

The Pontiac State Police Post will have every available trooper patrolling in an effort to prevent death on Oakland County's highways. State Police will be assisted by National Guardsmen.

"If you must drink and drive, drink coffee and tea," was the

advice of State Police Sgt. Lorenz Ahlgrim. "If you drink anything heavier, don't drive—drink it at home."

Sheriff Frank Irons urged motorists to drive slowly on the highways.

Just because you haven't taken a drink doesn't mean that the other fellow hasn't, Irons warned. "This is certainly one night where

every driver must proceed with caution.

State, county and Pontiac police warned motorists that all drunk drivers will be arrested.

They were watching the skies anxiously in the hope that there would be no repetition of last year's New Year's Eve storm which covered all major roads with a thick coating of ice, causing hundreds of accidents and a stranding of thousands of motorists.

BULLETIN

The Michigan Auto Club issued this highway bulletin: "Holiday traffic will be the most dangerous from 4 p.m. New Year's Eve until 4 p.m. New Year's Day."

Highway traffic will be generally light over the weekend as most people will stay close to home.

The heaviest traffic will come Sunday afternoon, partly due to college students returning to classes.

It was noted that Straley will not lose any pay during the time elapsing before he returns to work.

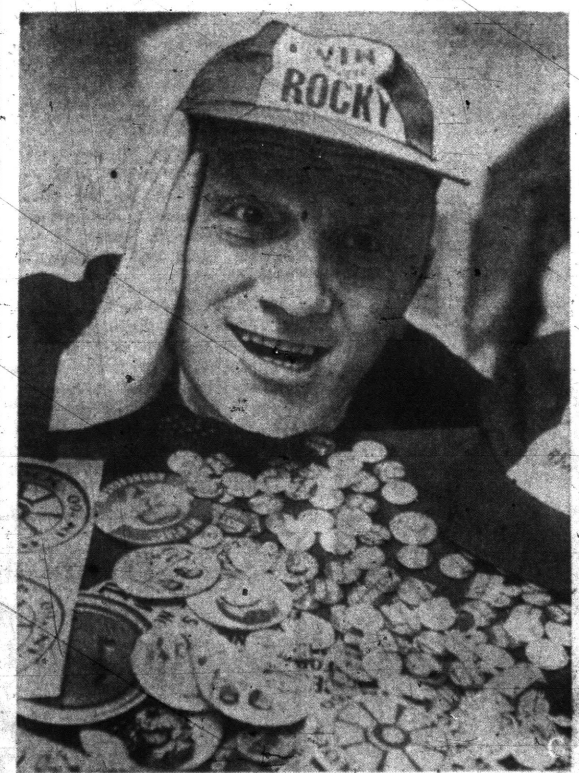
Circuit Judge Morris K. Davis of Tonia ordered the city to give Straley all of his back pay up to the time he is actually on the payroll again.

This was a provision of an order which Judge Davis signed yesterday, telling the city to put Straley back on the job.

Straley was fired by the Civil Service Commission in April on charges brought by City Manager Walter J. Wilman. Judge Davis earlier this month held the ouster invalid on technical grounds.

A Gift He Didn't Want

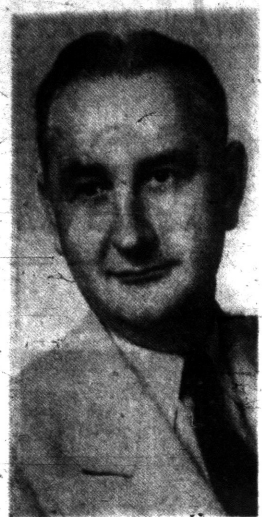
WATSONVILLE, Calif. (UPI)—Alderman Cecil Smith Jr. returned home from a Christmas trip to Nevada this week and found his lawn piled with old pine and fir trees. Someone had posted a sign reading: "Wanted—used Christmas trees."



AP Wirephoto

BUTTONS ANYONE?—Emmanuel Ress has 100,000 buttons carrying slogans—"Win With Rockefeller," "Roll With Rock," and "Who Else but Nelse?" Yet the campaign button manufacturer isn't too worried. "Buttons aren't perishable," said Ress. "They'll store nicely for about four years."

Two Judge Hughes Term Now State History



THEODORE F. HUGHES

Oakland County's and probably the state's one and only elected half-year-term circuit judge leaves the bench today the same way he came in — quietly.

Termination of his unprecedented six-months term doesn't seem to bother Judge Theodore F. Hughes much.

"I don't think there's a bit of difference in being a judge or an attorney," the judge said. Hughes said he'll return to his private law practice in Berkeley on Jan. 4.

But the ambition of sometimes returning to the bench — maybe as the county's proposed second probate judge — remains, he said in reviewing the past six months and looking ahead.

Asked whether he'd be a judicial candidate again, the silver-haired former Republican state representative was slow in answering.

"You make those decisions when the proper time comes," he finally replied.

Not so slow was Hughes' answer to a question whether he had aspirations to return to the Legislature, either as a representative or senator.

"Nope," he said unhesitatingly.

Proxmire May Face Humphrey

Welcomes Him Into '60 Wisconsin Primary as Possible Opposition

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sen. William Proxmire (D-Wis.) today welcomed the entry of Sen. Hubert H. Humphrey (D-Minn.) into Wisconsin's presidential primary, but said Humphrey will not win by default.

Unless Humphrey has other opposition, Proxmire said, he himself will run as a favorite son candidate to provide a test of sentiment in the April 5 primary.

Proxmire in effect thus invited Sen. John F. Kennedy (D-Mass.) to make Wisconsin a principal battleground in his expected bid for the Democratic presidential nomination.

Humphrey announced his candidacy Wednesday, and Kennedy is expected to do the same on Saturday.

"I certainly welcome Sen. Humphrey to Wisconsin," Proxmire said. "He will make an extremely attractive candidate, a splendid spokesman for Democratic principles and, if elected, a great president."

Proxmire said, however, that contender enters the state contest he will run as a favorite unless Kennedy or some other son.

"But I won't make the race as long as the voters have a choice," Proxmire said in an interview. That seemed to refer to Kennedy. Among the others prominently mentioned for the nomination, Adlai E. Stevenson, Senate Democratic Leader Lyndon B. Johnson of Texas and Sen. Stuart Symington (D-Mo.) all have made it clear they will not willingly let their names go into any primaries.

All may find themselves on the ballot in Oregon's May 20 primary, with or without their consent. Humphrey said he is going into that state, as well as into tests in the District of Columbia May 3 and South Dakota June 7.

MSU Representative to Head Speech Assn.

WASHINGTON (AP) — Kenneth G. Hance of Michigan State University today has been advanced to president of the Speech Assn. of America.

Samuel Selden of the University of California at Los Angeles became president of the American Educational Theatre Assn. meeting with the Speech Assn. in annual convention yesterday.

The Weather

Full U.S. Weather Bureau Report: PONTIAC AND VICINITY: Partly cloudy and a little warmer today with a few snow flurries this morning. High 32. Fair and cold tonight, low 20. Tomorrow partly cloudy, not much temperature change, high 34. Winds north-west to north 8-14 miles becoming light tonight.

Today in Pontiac: Lowest temperature preceding 8 a.m. 18. At 8 a.m. Wind velocity 3 m.p.h. Direction—Northwest. Sun sets Thursday at 5:09 p.m. Sun rises Friday at 8:31 a.m. Moon sets Thursday at 7:48 p.m. Moon rises Friday at 9:56 a.m.

Downtown Temperatures: 4 a.m. 20 11 a.m. 26 7 a.m. 19 12 m. 28 1 p.m. 18 3 p.m. 30 10 a.m. 21

Wednesday in Pontiac (As recorded downtown): Highest temperature 27 Lowest temperature 12 Mean temperature 23.5 Weather—Snow.

One Year Ago in Pontiac: Highest temperature 29 Lowest temperature 12 Mean temperature 21 Weather—Ice storm.

Highest and Lowest Temperatures for Same Date in 94 Years: 1865 to 1890

Wednesday's Temperature Chart	High	Low
Albany	28	18
Baltimore	28	18
Birmingham	28	18
Boston	28	18
Buffalo	28	18
Chicago	28	18
Cincinnati	28	18
Cleveland	28	18
Denver	28	18
Des Moines	28	18
Detroit	28	18
Indianapolis	28	18
Los Angeles	28	18
London	28	18
Los Angeles	28	18



JUDGES ROBED — After they took their oaths of office yesterday, the county's five circuit judges were helped into their black robes by five past presidents of the Oakland County Bar Assn., which put on the special ceremony. They also received engraved

Marches Confidently Into New Decade

Trade Up, Europe Happy

By COLIN FROST

LONDON (AP)—Fashion-conscious French girls look to Italy for their shoes and sweaters. Car-crazy Britons take the road in snazzy Citroens from France. Christmas tables in Germany

are piled with the products of a dozen countries. That's a representative picture as booming Western Europe marches confidently into the new decade, more than ever a family despite occasional squabbles.

From country after country the year-end report is one of boom, with more prosperity expected.

Except in Italy, unemployment is negligible. For Italy it is an old, old problem, and the government is enticing northern industry to the impoverished south to help matters.

Only in Belgium, over-dependent on coal exports which few countries now want to buy, was the past year less than booming. Even there the recovery prospects are bright.

Paradoxically, the rival trade blocs which threaten to split Western Europe's economy may actually help to unite it.

The year saw West Germany, France, Belgium, the Netherlands, Italy and Luxembourg unite in a common market with tariffs reduced on trade between each other.

Britain and six other countries—Switzerland, Austria, Portugal, Norway, Sweden and Denmark—replied with a tariff cutting scheme of their own. It comes into effect in 1960.

Soon the two groups start talking together. If all goes well, the result will be lower tariffs everywhere.

Britain has taken a stake in the Italian auto industry and is building toys in Germany. France builds cars in Britain. Germany assembles radios in Britain.

American subsidiaries in a dozen industries are booming in countries of both European trade groups.

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Nixon's Stumped on Steel as His Mediation Fails

NEW YORK (AP) — Vice President Richard M. Nixon said today he and Secretary of Labor Mitchell have met with leaders on both sides in the steel dispute but that no agreement had been reached between the parties.

Said the Vice President: "As for what progress has been made, all I can say is that the parties are still meeting and have not reached an agreement."

"As for the prospects of a settlement, I cannot anticipate at this time what the outcome will be."

Nixon said the last meetings were held in Washington yesterday.

Asked whether he is reporting to the President on the situation, Nixon replied:

"The President is, of course, always kept informed on meetings in which members of the Cabinet participate."

Nixon was questioned at Idlewild Airport before he took a plane for Pasadena, Calif., where he is to be grand marshal of the Tournament of Roses Parade tomorrow.

Nixon said he had delayed his flight to California in order to take part in the talks yesterday.

Members of the United Steelworkers Union are back at work in the nation's basic steel industry under a Taft-Hartley Law injunction. The injunction expires Jan. 26.

However, the government is mapping legislative proposals to deal with the emergency if the steel strike is resumed at the end of the injunction period.

Leslie Mary Ingraham, 14-year-old daughter of Birmingham city commissioner and former mayor Carl F. Ingraham, died yesterday of leukemia at William Beaumont Hospital, Royal Oak.

She was a freshman at Martin High School, Birmingham, and a member of Holy Name Catholic Church in Birmingham.

Surviving are her parents, two sisters, Elizabeth of New Haven, Conn., and Sarah at home; two brothers, Philip and Douglas, also at home at 940 Harmon St., Birmingham; and grandmothers Mrs. Henry W. Ingraham of Peaks Island, Maine, and Mrs. Howard G. Philbrook of Gorham, N.H.

The Rosary will be recited 8:30 p.m. Friday at Manley Bailey Funeral Home. Funeral services will be held at 9:30 a.m. Saturday at Holy Name Church with burial at Greenwood Cemetery.

HUGHES RECOGNIZED — Besides welcoming Ziem and Dondero to the judicial circuit, and congratulating Holland, Adams and Beer on their continuing service, Edwards paid special recognition to Doty and Judge Theodore F. Hughes. Hughes completes his six-month term of the fifth judgeship tonight.

In his remarks, the justice said, "The American judiciary has stood calm and courageous in the realization of the maintenance of fundamental liberties of our people in times when others shrink away from these duties."

From a prayer he recalled from his days as a circuit judge, the visiting jurist ended his remarks with the Biblical reminder to the judges to "Do justly, love mercy, and walk humbly in the spirit of our Lord."

Elected in April, the five will start their new terms Jan. 4. They run through 1965. With Doty's retirement, Judge Holland becomes the Sixth Judicial Circuit's senior judge.

Following the ceremony a steady line of attorneys, friends and relatives filed past the five judges to shake hands. Some of the judges, and their families visited the courtrooms they will occupy Monday.

The organization of attorneys served coffee during a reception after the ceremony.

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County Home for 11 Children

Avon Parents Charged With Child Neglect for Rearing Them in 'Filth'

Eleven children taken from their Avon Township home, described as "filthy" and "unfit" by sheriff's deputies, will remain at the Oakland County Children's Home pending a Juvenile Court hearing next month.

The decision to keep the children at the home was made by James Van Leuven, Juvenile Court referee. The hearing will be held before Probate Judge Arthur E. Moore.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Barrett, 2621 Weaverly St., called the home "better than anything we've ever seen."

The parents have been accused of child neglect. A complaint was filed by Deputy Charles G. Rahn after he was taken to the home by the mother, Mrs. Helen Barrett, 40. She had called deputies to the home Monday to report that her husband was beating her.

Eleven of the children slept on the floor in one bedroom covered by a single blanket, deputies said. The eleven children range from 10 months to 16 years of age.

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The Day in Birmingham

Start Scholarship Fund for Advanced Teachers

BIRMINGHAM — Nearly \$1,000 has been contributed to a scholarship grant fund set up by four doctors to assist in advancing the education of teachers in the Bloomfield Hills school system.

Supporting the fund are Dr. Mark Dale, Dr. Harry Liebowitz, Dr. Jack Hertzler and Dr. Ralph M. Fox.

Explaining the purpose of the fund, Dr. Dale said, "The money will assist teachers to advance their own training, which in turn will benefit students."

"The grants are also expected to attract the highest caliber of teachers to the school system," he added.

Each grant will be \$500, and the number of grants will depend on the amount raised by subscription.

"It is hoped that \$3,000 to \$5,000 will be contributed annually," Dr. Dale said.

Teachers will be selected on the merits of the project for which the grant is intended, he said. "Applicants will submit letters outlining the research, course of study, or travel for which the money will be used," Dr. Dale explained.

"The program fills a definite need in education."

"Although there are grants for research in industry and science, there are few grants for advanced teacher training. This is especially true in the case of high school and elementary teachers," he said.

Construction of the Birmingham Eccentric's new newspaper office and printing plant at 1225 Bowers Ave. is expected to begin this week. H. F. Campbell Construction Co., contractor for the one-story building, announced today.

Completion of the \$250,000 building is expected in early July, and will provide 22,800 square feet to accommodate editorial, display advertising, composing room and stock room activities.

Mrs. David H. Ladd

Service for Mrs. David H. Ladd, 75, of 843 Wallace St., will be held at 1 p.m. Saturday at Manley Bailey Funeral Home. Burial will be at Oak Grove Cemetery.

Mrs. Ladd died yesterday at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital, Pontiac, after a short illness.

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Probe for Cause of Fatal Fire

Midland Blaze Kills One and Injures Three; Only Minor Damage

MIDLAND (AP) — Dow Chemical officials sought today to determine what set off a flash fire that killed one employee and injured three others in the company's phenol plant.

The fire yesterday noon spread through the open installation of pipes and tanks but caused only minor damage. It was under control within three hours.

Dow refused to identify the casualties for more than two hours after the accident.

Robert Guettler, 32, of Bay City, who had been a Dow employee for 11 years, was killed by a sudden burst of flame from a large cylinder used for processing phenol.

Arthur Schroeder, 40, of Midland, suffered extensive burns of the face, chest, arms and legs and a broken left leg. His condition was listed as fair at Midland Hospital.

Casper Scharick, 37, of Midland, and Otto Sparsam, 58, of Bay City, were treated at the Dow medical building and released. Sparsam suffered minor facial burns. Scharick was treated for shock.

The four men were members of a construction crew. They were using a mobile crane to remove the cylinder. Guettler and Schroeder were standing on a raised platform 30 feet above the ground, steadying the cylinder. Benzene ran out the bottom of the cylinder and ignited. The sudden flames enveloped Guettler and he died at the scene. Schroeder jumped aside.

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New Year Fun Tabs Will Climb

Plushy Bistros to Ask
\$20-\$50 Per Couple for
Only a Moderate Fling

By United Press International
It will cost more to ring in 1960 than it did to welcome 1959, a nationwide survey of New Year's Eve nightclub prices showed Thursday.

Tabs at the better bistros will range from \$20 to \$50 a couple and could go a lot higher. This would depend, as a Chicago nightclub manager said, "on how wild you want to get."

Prices in the plushiest places include a dinner, a floor show and one drink. Other drinks are extra.

The survey also confirmed there is a growing trend to seeing in the New Year with parties at home.

The home-type celebrations also varied. There was the host in suburban New York who plans to spend \$32 a head for a houseful of revelers and the non-drinking hostess in Salt Lake City, Utah, who said, "When people leave our houses, I know they're sober."

At least two supper clubs are counting on a "package deal" to help the New Year's Eve celebration.

EVEN FILET MIGNON

The Empire Room in Chicago's Palmer House will offer a \$25 per person package that includes a filet mignon dinner, all state and federal taxes and a 13 per cent tip to the waiter. All drinks after the first are not included in the package.

Larue's in Indianapolis, Ind., package covers a steak dinner and three drinks.

In New Orleans where New Year's Eve takes a back seat only to Mardi Gras festivals, Bourbon and Canal streets will be roped off to give the revelers elbow room.

S-P President Predicts Firm Will Gain in '60

SOUTH BEND, Ind. (UPI)—Harold E. Churchill, president of Studebaker-Packard Corp., predicted Wednesday his firm will increase its share of the automobile market in 1960.

The firm's share of the market reached 3 per cent in November, Churchill said, largest since the compact Lark was introduced last year.

Churchill estimated S-P's corporate earnings for the present calendar year will be more than 25 million dollars with sales nearing 400 million dollars.

"Market studies indicate that during the next five years at least, one-third of domestic-built new car registrations will represent Lark-size cars," Churchill said.

"We predict Studebaker's share of the market as increasing, in terms of units, by at least 30 per cent during this period over the 1959 level," he said.

Churchill also estimated that earnings from imported Mercedes automobiles would increase about 50 per cent in the same period.

Say Ike Considers South American Trip

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Eisenhower was reported today considering a good will trip late in February to Brazil and possibly to Argentina, Chile and Uruguay.

Brazilian Ambassador Walthor Moreira Salles was summoned to the State Department Wednesday for an unusual conference, but declined to answer questions about reports the President is considering such a trip.



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Top Walker Wants Baby at 100

'At 150 My Charms Will Fade'

FRIMLEY, England (UPI)—Mrs. Barbara Moore, 56, a "superwoman" who claims she can outwalk anybody in England—and has—feels that her charms will not begin to fade till she reaches the ripe old age of 150.

And while she's enjoying semi-eternal youth she plans to have a baby when she is 100.

Mrs. Moore, a dietitian who has lived for 26 years on fruit and vegetable juices, nuts, water and honey, says the diet is the success of her walking feats which have outdone the army, the air force, the marines and the navy.

Now she would like to go to America and embark on a 500-mile marathon walk. She already has set a record for a 110-mile march in England and recently walked the 373 miles from Birmingham to London to prove the efficiency of her diet.

Her husband, who is not a talkative man, does agree that his wife is a superwoman.

"Perhaps I will sculpt a piece showing her with winged feet," said sculptor Harry Moore, 47, no relation to famous sculptor Henry Moore.

"Will you be the father of the baby she has at 100?" he was asked. "I intend to, yes."

"Are you a superman?" "Well, I'm going to be fit enough to see that she has it."



SHE WANTS BABY AT 100 — Dr. Barbara Moore, 56, shown on a recent 373-mile hike from Edinburgh, Scotland, to London, says her charms won't begin to fade until she's 150. And she wants to produce a baby at 100. Asked if he would be the father, her sculptor husband said, "I intend to, yes." She claims to be a superwoman, but her spouse is slightly more reticent.

Indian Graveyard Found in Downtown Soo Site

SAULT STE. MARIE (AP)—There's a graveyard in downtown Sault Ste. Marie. But it was discovered only yesterday.

Only two feet under the pavement in front of the federal building here workmen excavating for new sewer lines dug into a whole group of skeletons.

Police Chief Willard Welsh said the spot undoubtedly had been an Indian burial ground. Beside one skeleton, workmen found several arrows, what apparently had been a bag containing paint and a rusted metal axe.

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Seek Top Stars for 'Cheap' Epic

Producer Thinks He Can
Avoid Tiffs and Get
Audience to Stay Put

By VERNON SCOTT
HOLLYWOOD (UPI)—"The Ten Commandments" began the current super colossal spree which includes "Ben-Hur," "Solomon and Sheba" and "Spartacus" — and now comes still another, "William the Conqueror."

The newest entry, however, might be considered a "cheapie" epic. It will cost a paltry seven million dollars and require only 35 weeks filming.

"Spartacus" — which still is shooting — and "Ben-Hur" were before the cameras more than a year and topped the 10 million dollar mark.

Other than its stingy budget,

"William the Conqueror" promises to fulfill all other requirements necessary to qualify as an epic. The picture will be made in Yugoslavia, France, Germany, and England. And it producer Claude Heilman gets lucky, he will have Marion Brand playing the title role, costarred with Maria Schell.

To add to the movie's distinction, Sir Laurence Olivier is all but signed to direct the wide-screen pageant.

The question is: Is the public ready for another four hours of sitting in the dark watching horses and humans thunder across the screen?

Second question: Can the three most volatile, temperamental personalities in movies work together without committing mayhem?

"Yes, yes," is Heilman's answer to both.

Venezuela has been one of the largest export markets for U. S. motor vehicles, and in one year about 40,000 vehicles of American manufacture were shipped to that country.

'Untouchables' TV Show Sued for Million Dollars

CHICAGO (UPI)—The prize-winning television show, "The Untouchables" has been sued for one million dollars on grounds that "intermingled" fact and fiction in telling the story of Chicago gang lord Al Capone.

Capone's sister, Mrs. Mafalda

Maritote of Chicago, filed the suit, asking \$500,000 from Desilu Productions Inc., and \$250,000 each from the Columbia Broadcasting System and the sponsor, Westinghouse Electric Corp.

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