

## Furlough Here Cut Short By Attack on Hawaii Sun.

Alfons A. Wiesner, who has been enlisted in the United States Navy for the past 13 years, with his wife arrived here on Wednesday evening of last week to spend a few days of his furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Anton J. Wiesner, and his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Jac. Koenen. As a result of the sudden attack on Hawaii by Japan Sunday Wiesner left the same day to report for immediate duty. He heard the report over the radio and left before being ordered back for duty by a telegram from the navy department, which arrived shortly after he had gone. Navy men on leave are instructed to keep tuned in to the radio as much as possible in case of an emergency, when they are ordered to report back.

Wiesner is chief machinist mate on the submarine R-18 stationed in New London, Conn. Previous to this duty Mr. and Mrs. Wiesner spent three years on duty in the Canal Zone. Due to the above attack by Japan and the declaration of war by the United States on Japan, Germany and Italy, Mrs. Wiesner, a former navy nurse, is also subject to recall.

## Kewaskum Man on Duty at Scene of Japan Air Raids

Gustav C. Werner, better known as Clarence, his middle name, here, son of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Werner of this village, is one of the men of the U. S. army, navy and marine corps who are believed to have participated in the naval and air battles which raged on Sunday when Japanese planes bombed Honolulu, Pearl Harbor and Hickam and Wheeler fields, Hawaii. Werner, who is stationed with the 19th Pursuit Squadron of the army, is at Wheeler field. He enlisted a couple of years ago and has been stationed in Hawaii most of the time since.

No word has been received from Werner by his parents or friends here for some time but it is believed that he is still at the same field as no notice of a transfer has been reported. Fortunately he must not have been one of the many men killed or injured otherwise word concerning him should have been received by this time. Werner graduated from the Kewaskum High school a few years ago.

## LEAD THE AIR

Surviving the deceased are his widow, four sons and four daughters, namely Orrin, Mrs. William Hausinger, Mrs. Albert Deloria and Miss Clara Brinkman of Milwaukee, Herbert and Mrs. John Engman of Lomira, Pvt. Harvey Brinkman of Fort Francis E. Warren, Wyoming, and Pvt. Alvin Brinkman of Fort Warden, Washington. He also leaves seven grandchildren. Two children died in infancy.

Funeral services were held at 1 p. m. Friday from the residence and at 2 p. m. at the Salem Reformed church at Wayne, the Rev. C. Flueckinger officiating. Burial took place in the church cemetery. The body lay in state at the residence from 1 p. m. Thursday until the time of the services.

## BROTHER, SISTER OF LOCAL WOMAN DIE 16 DAYS APART

Mrs. Henry Friebershauer, 40, of the town of Lyndon, Sheboygan county, sister of Mrs. Leonard Meyer of Kewaskum, whose husband operates the former Kohls Curve tavern two miles north of the village, died at 6 a. m. Monday, Dec. 8, at the Plymouth hospital, where she was removed on Sunday following an illness since the previous Tuesday. Her death occurred only 16 days after that of Alfred A. 'muntow, brother of the deceased and Mrs. Meyer, who passed away on Nov. 22.

Mrs. Friebershauer was born in the town of Forest, Fond du Lac county, June 6, 1901, the daughter of William and Amelia Guntow. She was married to Henry Friebershauer in Plymouth March 18, 1920, and they made their home in the town of Lyndon.

Besides the widower and one son, Raymond, at home, she is survived by six brothers, John and George Guntow of Richland, Mich., Fred of Batavia, Mich., Otto of Montfort and August of Glenbeulah; five sisters, Mrs. Meyer of Kewaskum, Mrs. Arno Meyer of Waldo route, Mrs. Wm. Summecht of Cascade, Mrs. Henry Grossheim of Plymouth and Mrs. Almond Koltin of the town of Plymouth; one brother-in-law, Chas. Friebershauer of the town of Lyndon, and two sisters-in-law, Mrs. Wm. Hahn of the town of Mitchell and Miss Bertie Friebershauer of Milwaukee.

The funeral was held at the Wittkopff funeral home, Plymouth, Wednesday, Dec. 10, at 1:30 p. m. The Rev. Martin Schmidt officiating. Interment was made in the Greenbush cemetery.

## Santa Claus Coming Saturday With Gifts For All Kiddies

### Business Places and Homes Beautified in Decorating Contest

Saturday, Dec. 13, is the big day for the kiddies of Kewaskum and surrounding community. This is the date on which good old Santa Claus is coming to town for a grand Christmas party. Santa will arrive in the village at 2 p. m. He will come via sleigh if the snow of the past week and that falling at this writing is deep enough to permit. Otherwise the local fire truck will go out to welcome him.

The Kewaskum High school band will also be on hand to give Santa a rousing greeting and escort him to the village hall. Upon arriving there the band is expected to render several selections and then Santa will greet all the kiddies and present them with gifts of goodies. All parents in the vicinity are urged by the Kewaskum Businessmen's association, sponsors of the event, to bring their children to the party and the children are urged to insist that their parents do. Show the kiddies a real good time through the courtesy of the businessmen and give them a little additional Christmas cheer. After all have received their gifts Santa will remain on the street, to mingle with the many boys and girls he hopes to meet and hear of their Christmas wishes.

While the children are having their fun with Santa, parents are invited to do their shopping in Kewaskum. The shelves and counters of local business places are packed with up-to-the-minute Christmas gifts and merchandise so shop early and avoid the rush. A good selection of gifts will be found in Kewaskum. Read the advertisements of Kewaskum's leading businessmen in the Statesman and then shop at their places for the finest in Christmas merchandise.

To make Kewaskum a town of real Christmas appearance and to show that they have the right holiday spirit, the businessmen are offering \$60.00 in cash prizes for the best decorated places of business and residence in the village. Three prizes of \$15, \$10 and \$5 will be given for the best decorated business places and three equal prizes will go to the best decorated places of residence. Many shop windows, business and residence fronts, windows, doors, yards and shrubs have already been beautifully decorated and by next week the village should have one of the finest Christmas appearances of any town its size in this section. Let your home and business place decorate and beautify for the holidays and radiate Christmas cheer. Mutual judges will decide the winners, who will be named sometime between the holidays.

## Lucille Hansen Awarded College Diploma, Award

Miss Lucille Hansen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Hansen of this village, was one of 70 young people awarded diplomas at the seventh annual commencement exercises of the Fond du Lac Commercial College, Fond du Lac, Friday night. Miss Hansen was also one of 13 of the graduates who received honor awards. Mrs. La Velle Thompson Maza, president of the college, presented diplomas and Mrs. Anona Teska, head of the secretarial division, gave the honor awards.

The Rev. T. P. Jones of Sheboygan was the principal speaker. The Rev. E. H. Koster of Plymouth Congregational church, Fond du Lac, gave the invocation and benediction. Leslie R. Mazzy played opening and closing piano selections. Robert Radke, class vice president, gave the class address and Edward Spilker, the new president, responded. New officers headed the student body in procession. Mrs. R. E. Ricklafs sang and Alfred Ziegler read an original poem. B. A. Wiffler and Miss Alice Jones acted as receptionists. About 500 persons attended the exercises.

## HOSPITAL NEWS

Miss Marcella Schelf, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schelf of this village, submitted to an emergency appendectomy at St. Agnes hospital, Fond du Lac, at about 7 a. m. last Friday. She is recovering nicely.

Mrs. Wm. Dogns of Kewaskum has been receiving medical treatment at St. Joseph's Community hospital, West Bend, since Wednesday of last week. Mrs. Louis Heisler returned to her home in the village Saturday from St. Joseph's Community hospital, where she was confined two and one-half days to undergo medical treatment and observation.

## PEACE EVANGELICAL CHURCH

Sunday school at 8:45 a. m. on Dec. 14. English church services at 9:45 a. m. A minister from Mission House, Plymouth, will conduct the services.

### Businessmen to Give Christmas Shoppers \$278 in Free Prizes

Besides sponsoring Santa Claus Christmas party and a decorating contest, the Kewaskum businessmen are showing that they rate second to none in having the real Christmas spirit and a willingness to spread good cheer by holding a Christmas gift-giving contest, in which they will give away 29 valuable prizes valued at \$278.44 to shoppers who do their buying in Kewaskum. We do not believe there is another city or village in this section of the state in which the merchants are offering shoppers such an opportunity.

All that is necessary is to trade in Kewaskum to have a chance to receive a valuable Christmas present free. With every 50¢ purchase that is made at the business places sponsoring the event, the shopper receives one ticket on the prizes. For instance if

you spend \$10 you get 20 tickets. The more you shop the more chances you obtain to get a winning ticket. Holders of the lucky numbers have a chance to win one of the 29 prizes. The contest began last week Saturday and continues until Saturday afternoon, Dec. 20, when the drawing will take place at 3 p. m.

The prizes were purchased with money contributed by the members of the organization. Thus far the contest has aroused keen interest and customers are finding good merchandise at low prices. You can't lose by buying in Kewaskum. You will shop somewhere anyway and by shopping here you may win a big prize. Some of the prizes can now be seen in the respective places of business. All prizes will be assembled for display in Miller's Main street furniture store window the early part of next week.

It will not be necessary to be present at the drawing. Winning numbers will be mentioned in the Statesman the week following the contest as well as being posted in several store windows. Holders of the winning numbers will receive their gift if presented on or before 6 p. m. Wednesday, Dec. 31. If not claimed by that time same will be turned over to the businessmen's association for their disposition.

A list of the valuable prizes to be awarded follows:

1. General Electric Washing Machine, value \$69.
2. Cylinder-type Vacuum Cleaner, \$59.
3. Vogue Pullman Kitchenette, \$22.50.
4. Smoking Stand, \$13.50.
5. Pushing Tackle, \$1.50.
6. Guest Time, \$10.
7. Automobile Tire Electric Coffee Set, \$10.
8. Auto Battery, \$7.50.
9. Twin Lawn Chair, \$6.50.
10. Bag of Sugar, \$5.95.
11. Caster Wagon, \$5.42.
12. Basket of Groceries, \$5.00.
13. Globe Ham, \$2.00.
14. 100-lb. Bag of Flour, \$4.50.
15. One Premium Smoked Ham, \$4.50.
16. One Longhorn American Cheese, \$4.00.
17. 5 Gallons of Oil, \$4.00.
18. 20 Gallons of Gas, \$4.00.
19. Summer Sausage, \$3.50.
20. One Draft of a Will and Last Testament, \$3.00.
21. One Quart Old Quaker, \$2.50.
22. Gallon of Wine, \$2.50.
23. One Case of Red, White and Blue Beer, \$2.25.
24. Lawn Chair, \$2.25.
25. Box of Cigars, \$2.25.
26. Box of Cigars, \$2.25.
27. Bottle of Wine, \$2.00.
28. Medicine Cabinet, \$1.50.
29. One-year Statesman Subscription, \$1.50.

OPEN EVENINGS  
Starting Monday, Dec. 15, the stores and other business places will be open every evening until Christmas to accommodate shoppers. Make use of this opportunity.

## Holy Trinity Church Fall Festival Sunday

The various committees in charge of the Holy Trinity congregation have completed arrangements to provide entertainment for all at the fall festival to be sponsored by the parish in the church school hall this Sunday afternoon and evening, Dec. 14. The party begins at 2 p. m. and all are invited to come and have a real good time. The event has been advertised by posters, postcards and tickets as well as in this paper and a large attendance is expected.

The festival will be featured by all kinds of entertainment and amusement for young and old alike. Bingo and other games of skill and pleasure will be played for prizes. Lunch and refreshments of all kinds will be served. Two beautiful quilts made by the ladies and young ladies will be raffled at the festival.

In the evening at 10:30 p. m. the drawing for the awarding of 49 valuable cash and merchandise prizes will be held. The prizes were donated by village houses. Tickets were sold in advance. A total of 10,800 tickets were printed and nearly all of this number have been sold. All congregation members who have not returned their tickets and stubs are urged to do so before Sunday and as many as possible of the tickets not sold will be disposed of at the festival.

A list of the prizes follows:

1. \$2.00 Cash; 2. Ham (\$4.00); 3. Box Cigars; 4. \$2.00 Cash; 5. 6. 7. 8. 49-lb. Bag Flour; 9. Car Battery (\$6.25); 10. \$5.00 Cash; 11. Shaving Cream (\$1); 12. \$2.00 Trade; 13. Machineless Permanent (\$5.00); 14. Subscription to Statesman; 15. Box Cigars; 16. 17. 18. 19. 5 qts Shell Motor Oil; 20. \$2.50 Cash; 21. Table Lamp; 22. 5-lb. Brick Cheese; 23. 5 qts. Wadhams Oil; 24. Clothes Drier; 25. Gallon Wine.
26. \$5.00 Cash; 27. 28. Hams; 29. Groceries (\$4.00); 30. \$3.00 Cash; 31. Elec. Flat Iron (\$4.00); 32. Pipe; 33. Elec. Lamp; 34. Box Cigars; 35. Cass Beer; 36. 10 gal. gas; 37. Blanket; 38. Case Isoviv Oil; 39. Aluminum Ware (\$7); 40. 41. 42. \$5.00 Cash; 43. 44. 45. Cases Beer; 46. \$3.00 Cash; 47. \$5.00 Cash; 48. \$1.00 Cash; 49. Case Beer.

## Decrease in Relief Rolls, WPA, Other Aids of County

The Washington County Public Welfare dept. announced today that the number of cases receiving direct relief in Washington county in 1941 is the smallest since the recent depression became intense. During October, 1941, 65 cases received direct relief at a cost of \$1,548.00 as compared with 101 cases in Oct., 1940, at a cost of \$3,417.00. The case load reached a low point of 52 cases at a cost of \$1,353.00 in August, 1941, after constantly declining for 9 consecutive months. The total costs for the first ten months of 1941 were \$25,096.00, a decrease of \$12,344.00 from the \$37,440.00 expended during the same period last year.

While the case load has tended to increase since August of this year this is a natural seasonal trend and the increase is not as rapid as in former years. With but scattered exceptions those now on relief are unemployable. The exceptions are persons who are employed but whose earnings are not sufficient to meet the needs of a large family and therefore require supplementary aid.

The WPA work program also shows a contraction from a year ago. In October, 1941, only 65 persons were employed on this program as compared with 154 persons so employed in October, 1940. This program has shown an almost constant monthly decline from a total of 188 workers in March of 1940.

AID TO THE BLIND  
Costs of blind pensions in Washington county decreased in 1941 for the fifth consecutive year. In 1937 the total expenditures for this program was \$6,781.00 including a direct cost to the county of \$7,874. For this year 1941, the total expenditures will be approximately \$4,203.00, including a cost to the county of only \$325.00.

AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN  
Expenditures for aid to dependent children will probably show a slight decrease this year when final figures are available. Present indications are that total expenditures will not exceed \$32,000.00 with the direct county cost not reaching \$10,000.00 as against an expenditure of \$34,417.00 in 1940 of which the county's share was \$10,081.00.

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE  
The public assistance program least affected by general economic conditions is old age assistance. The increased ability of children to aid their needy parents brought about by improved employment conditions will probably not be felt until an extended period of prosperity has enabled the children to recoup their own losses and satisfy their own wants held in obedience because of the depression. The rather heavy volume of public opinion promoting the various schemes

## Schaefer Re-Elected Fire Chief For 5-Year Period

Harry Schaefer was re-elected chief of the Kewaskum fire department for a five-year period when the annual election of officers was held at the regular monthly meeting of the department in the firemen headquarters in the village hall last Thursday night. His election must now be confirmed by the village board. Chief Schaefer has been a member of the local fire department 25 years and has served as chief the past 10 years. He was first elected to the office in 1931.

All other officers were also re-elected with the exception of the assistant foreman, Leander Honeck, who was replaced by Clifford Stautz. Honeck was unable to be present at the meeting. Other officers are as follows: Assistant chief, Arnold Martin; foreman, A. P. Schaefer; secretary, J. H. H. Martin; treasurer, Bernard Sell.

## 71 Teachers at Annual County-Wide Institute

The annual county-wide teachers institute for elementary and secondary teachers was held in the West Bend High school on Saturday, Dec. 6. Eleven high school teachers and sixty elementary teachers took advantage of the opportunity to hear two leading authorities on the social studies, an area of interest that now concerns every teacher of American children. The high point of the institute was set by Miss Laura M. Johnson, supervisor of grades of the South Milwaukee schools. Miss Johnson brought to her presentation a long number of years of study and experience and during the hour that she spoke she indicated many challenges that concern not only the teachers of social studies in our schools but teachers of all subjects and adults outside of school as well.

Miss Johnson then presented some very excellent suggestions relative to the teaching of the social studies that the objectives which are important may be realized. She advocated very strongly democracy in the classroom, self discipline for everybody, and a strong appeal for the tools needed to teach social studies and the need for an integration of civics, history and geography.

Dr. E. T. McSwain of Northwestern university discussed the social study trends and emphasized the need of adjustment much along the line indicated by Miss Johnson.

Prin. M. G. Batho of West Bend High school made a report upon the national conference of social studies at the recent convention in Indianapolis and Miss Edith Heisler discussed the question of local history in its relation to social study teaching.

for larger old age pensions also must necessarily affect the present program. It is hopeful to note, however, that for the second consecutive year the rate of increase in this program has declined. The direct cost to the county for old age assistance in 1939 was \$1,754.00 greater than the cost for 1938. The county cost for 1940 was \$1,638.00 greater than for 1939, and the cost for 1941 will not increase more than \$1,200.00 over the 1940 cost. Total 1941 expenditures for this type of aid in the county will approximate \$71,000.00, of which the county's share will be about \$14,000.00.

ADMINISTRATION  
The direct cost to the county for administering the county welfare department shows a decrease for the fourth consecutive year from \$5,921.00 in 1938 to \$4,271.00 in 1941.

MARRIAGE BANNNS ANNOUNCED  
Banns of marriage were announced for the first time Sunday morning in Holy Trinity church for Sylvester Harter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jac. Harter of the town of Auburn, and Anna Schoofs, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Schoofs of the town of Kewaskum; also for Alfred Kissinger of West Bend and Mary Ann Schmidt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schmidt of Kewaskum. Mr. Harter, priest of Kewaskum Frozen Foods, and Miss Schoofs will be wed on December 27.

FRIZE SCHAFFSKOPF TOURNEY  
Another prize senarskopt tournament at Louis Heisler's tavern next Thursday night, Dec. 18. Play starts at 8 p. m. Admission 50¢, lunch included. All are cordially invited. Prize winners at last week's tourney were: 1. Clemens Kudek, 36-2-34; 2. Arnold Prost, 36-4-32; 3. Henry Ramthin, 36-6-30; 4. Ray Klein, 22-10-22.

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH  
Mass on Sunday, Dec. 14, at 10 a. m. Confessions on Saturday afternoon and evening. Communion at 6:30 a. m. Mass at St. Bridget's at 8 o'clock.

## Accident Involves 7 Local Young Men

Seven Kewaskum young men escaped injury, except for a few cuts and bruises, when an auto driven by Arnold Zeimet in which all were passengers left the highway and turned over on County Trunk D, 1 1/2 miles east of New Fane, near the Paul Liernann farm at about 2:30 a. m. Sunday morning.

Passengers with Zeimet in the car were Bob Romaine, Fred Siegel, Ralph Marx, Tony Uelman, Raymond Smith and Paul Kral. The group was traveling west, on their way home from Round Lake, where they had spent one of the regular Saturday evenings bowling at "Shorty's." The car, a Dodge sedan, "came out of control on a curve and swerved into the ditch, where it tipped over. The machine made a three-quarters turn and came to rest on its side. It plunged through a fence and was prevented from rolling more by a guide cable bracing a pole.

The only injuries were suffered by Romaine, who received a cut on one ear, and Smith, who cut and bruised one hand in smashing one of the car windows through which the occupants crawled to get out of the wreckage. The car was badly damaged. The top was smashed in and the windows, doors and other parts of the auto body were damaged.

## \$3,100 War Fund Asked of Red Cross Chapter

The West Bend Red Cross chapter, which includes Kewaskum, has been called upon to take part in a nation wide appeal for a \$50,000,000 American war fund. This will be used to finance relief of men, women and children who must be evacuated or who suffer distress due to enemy action, as well as to help finance Red Cross operations with our army and navy and for defense training of civilians during our country's war against Japan, Germany and Italy.

Norman H. Davis of Washington, D. C. chairman of the American Red Cross, informed AME. Henry O. Schowalter, chairman of the West Bend chapter, that the quota of that chapter is \$3,100. Of this amount 15 per cent will be retained locally to be used for local war relief expenditures. The executive board of the West Bend chapter met Tuesday evening and appointed William G. Gadow, West Bend, chairman of the campaign committee. Plans were laid for a voluntary contribution campaign.

Voluntary donations may be mailed or taken directly to the office of the West Bend chapter at the library building, Elm st., in that city. Contribution boxes will also be provided throughout the city, villages and towns of the chapter. Chairman Gadow has asked Mrs. Ervin Koch to act as chairman of the appeal in Kewaskum and she has accepted. Mrs. Koch will have charge of the distribution of the contribution boxes throughout the village.

Contributions have already started to come in, the first dollar being contributed by a radio listener before the chapter had been notified of the drive. The Latin club of the West Bend High school has already contributed \$10. This campaign should not be confused with the membership drive just completed by the Red Cross. This is a special appeal for American war relief funds and is being made because the United States has been declared to be in a state of war. President Roosevelt issued a proclamation Friday supporting this appeal, which is to all for their utmost assistance during this present crisis.

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE APPROPRIATION  
At the recent meeting of the Washington county board of supervisors, appropriations totaling \$45,500.00 were made to cover Washington county's share of the county's public assistance costs for 1942. This is the same amount as was appropriated to the department for 1941.

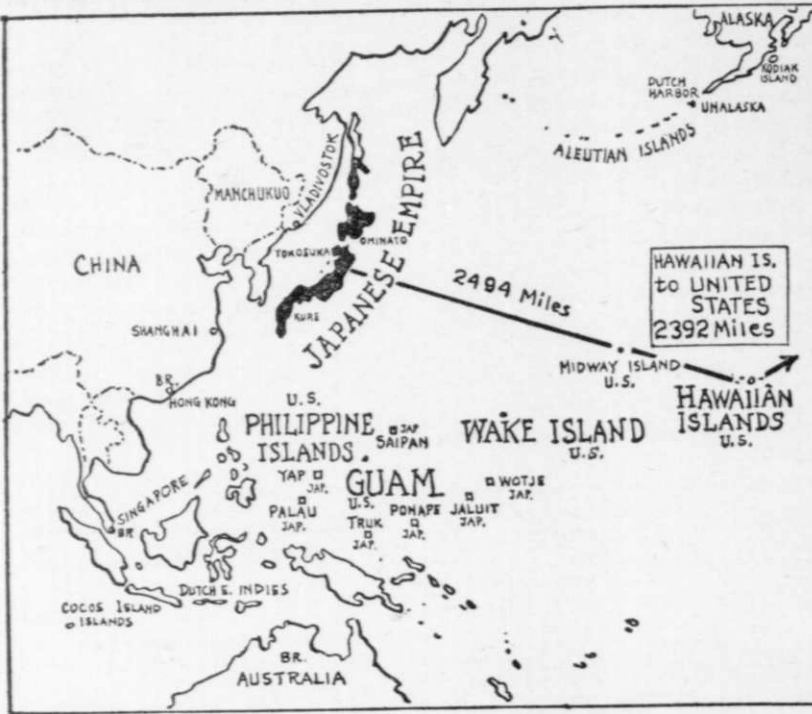
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TO GET JUNIOR A WATCH  
BUY CHRISTMAS SEALS



WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS By Edward C. Wayne

Japanese Follow Axis War Strategy Of Attack on American Possessions While Diplomatic Envoys Talk Peace; Nation Unites in All-Out War Effort

(EDITOR'S NOTE—When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of the news analyst and not necessarily of this newspaper.) (Released by Western Newspaper Union.)



With the opening of the Japanese blitz on the United States the spotlight of news swung to this section of the world. Above are shown the battle stations of the Pacific. First blow, a bombing attack, was aimed at the chief naval base of Pearl Harbor in the Hawaiian Islands. Several points in the Philippines were bombed. Guam was attacked by planes. The British port of Singapore was bombed and Japanese troops made a landing on the Malay peninsula north of Singapore.

WAR: Sudden Attack

When war came to the United States it came with a sudden fury that startled the entire nation. First news of Japan's attack on the great U. S. air and naval base at Pearl Harbor, Hawaii, came from the White House in Washington. Later reports told of the attacks on the Philippines and on the island outpost of Guam.

Though the nation was startled it was suddenly united. From former "isolationist" leaders and newspapers came pledges of support to the government in dealing with an unprovoked attack upon the United States.

Invoking the Nazi blitzkrieg tactic of striking with great surprise, Japanese bombers swooped over the city of Honolulu, the stronghold at Pearl Harbor and on the army's nearby flying base, Hickam field, even as the Japanese envoys in the United States were talking "peace" to state department officials in Washington.

Though the immediate attack came without warning the strong defense forces in Pearl Harbor went into quick action and heavy anti-aircraft fire shook the Pearl Harbor sector as the battle got under way.

After news of the attacks had reached Washington, radio listening outposts picked up word that Japan had declared war on the United States and Great Britain. By this time President Roosevelt had ordered U. S. army and naval forces in the Far East to execute "all previously prepared" orders. This order was carried out by U. S. aviators taking to the air and the fleet steaming out of Pearl Harbor to battle the enemy.

President Roosevelt called an immediate conference with cabinet members and legislative leaders to prepare plans for leading the nation through the crisis. As this conference was being held a report came in from Lieut. Gen. Douglas MacArthur, U. S. army commander in the Far East, telling of the several attacks on U. S. bases in the Philippines.

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New Role



When the Japanese started their attack on U. S. outposts, President Roosevelt faced the biggest of the many tough jobs he has had since he began his tenure in the White House. Shortly before news of the surprise attack by the Japanese was made the President had addressed Emperor Hirohito of Japan with a moving appeal for peace. But when bombs blasted loose over Pearl Harbor his job became not one of peace but of leading a nation at war.

PRESSURE: In Libya

The British trap in Libya had remained closed, and the war which had been confusing and swift-moving had changed to a "pressure battle" in which the British contented themselves with slowly closing the ring instead of attempting head-and-head battles with small German formations.

A partial totaling of German-Italian prisoners taken up to this point had been 5,000 in "rear camps" and 2,500 in temporary camps nearer the front.

The 5,000 were divided 3,000 Italians and 2,000 Germans and the other group was split into 1,500 Italians and 1,000 Germans. In addition the British claimed huge amounts of material captured or destroyed.

In the most recent fighting, one day's toll at Ed Duda included 15 Italian tanks destroyed, 130 vehicles and 50,000 gallons of fuel oil taken, 400 men captured, two batteries of medium artillery, five anti-tank guns, 50 supply trucks and a big quantity of ammunition.

Amusing stories abounded. The best was the German prisoner who said he was, at the time of his capture, escorting a score of British prisoners to the rear.

The men kept spreading out, he said, and finally, two of them made a break to escape. They fled toward an emplacement of Italian machine-guns. The German said the Italians, 11 in number, surrendered at once to the two fleeing Englishmen, who then grabbed the Italian guns and captured the German sentry, the whole group of one German and 11 Italians being taken back to the British lines.

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FIRST-AID to the AILING HOUSE

Cleaning Paint Brushes. FOR a really good paint job, the brushes should be of top quality, with long and flexible bristles. Quality paint brushes cost money, however, and I see many home owners making use of cheaper brushes with which first class paint work cannot be done. It is well worth while to start with good quality paint brushes, for with care and attention they will last almost indefinitely. When a paint job is interrupted, the brush should be wiped off, the brush rinsed with turpentine, and then wrapped in waxed paper. The paint can, incidentally, should be tightly closed to prevent the formation of a skin. At the end of the job the brush should be well wiped out, washed with turpentine, and protected against dust. One good plan is to suspend it in a can containing turpentine, deep enough to cover the bristles, the bristle tips being out of contact with the bottom of the can. Paint will drain out, and the brush will be left in perfect condition. The can should be covered of course, to prevent the evaporation of the turpentine, a wad of waxed paper will serve. At the end of two or three days, all the paint will have drained out, and the brush can be wrapped and laid away. A brush should never be allowed to stand on its bristles, for these would be bent out of shape.

New House Problem. One trouble that is likely to come when a house is new is the forming of a crack between the edge of a built-in bathtub and the wall behind it. This is due to the shrinking of the timbers on which the bathtub is supported. With the splashing of water through the crack, the ceiling below may become spotted. The problem is to fill the crack with something that will make a water-tight joint. One method is to pack the crack deeply with caulking compound, which resembles putty, but never becomes quite hard; it remains sufficiently soft to keep the crack filled, should settlement continue. The surface of the filling should be shaped by running the finger along it, and stickiness can be taken out by dusting with talcum powder. Another method is to cover the crack with a strip of material somewhat resembling rubber, that is made for the purpose and is on sale by dealers in linoleum. That is put on with a special waterproof cement. The effect is permanent.

Taking Out a Wall. Question: We wish to remove a partition from between a large and a small room. We are told that it must be replaced by a support for overhead beams. Because of the different sizes of the two rooms, the girder will not be in the middle, which we think would look bad. What do you suggest? Answer: Have an examination made by a competent carpenter or builder to find out whether the ends of the floor beams above are supported by the present wall. If they are, the girder must be in a position to support them, regardless of appearance. You might be able to show a steel girder that would not show as much as a wood girder having the same strength.

Rough Patch. Question: In an old farmhouse the woodwork has had layer after layer of paint, so that the surface is ugly and very uneven. Can the depressions be filled with a filler, or should the paint be removed? Answer: I think that your best move will be to smooth the surface with sandpaper, which for convenience, can be wrapped around a block of wood. Old paint in many coats is difficult to remove. If it must be taken off, have it done by burning, but be sure that this job is given to somebody who is really expert in it. The job would be done with a blowtorch, and in inexperienced hands there is danger of fire.

Spiders. Question: My basement windows are always full of spider webs, in spite of continued cleaning. What should I do to get rid of them? Answer: As soon as the webs appear, pull them down with a vacuum cleaner. This will remove many of the eggs. Other eggs are developing in cracks and crannies around the windows. Spray with any insect liquid, being sure that it penetrates these places of concealment.

Oil and Asphalt Roofing. Question: The mineral surfaced asphalt shingles on my roof are very dry. Would it be correct to soften it with crankcase oil? Answer: It would not; for the oil would dissolve the asphalt, and all the surfacing would come off. The makers of the shingles should be able to supply you with a liquid asphalt coating, intended for the purpose.

Grease-Trap. Question: How can I make a grease-trap for my cesspool? Answer: It is hardly possible to make one, but a grease-trap can be bought at no great expense. It looks somewhat like a section of large sewer-pipe. Go to a dealer in building materials.

Perfume Odor. Question: How can I eliminate the odor of perfume from a bottle, so that new perfume can be used in it? Answer: Rinse the bottle with ammonia, which will "kill" all perfume odor.

WHO'S NEWS THIS WEEK

By LEMUEL F. PARTON (Consolidated Features—WNU Service.)

NEW YORK—Air Vice Marshal Arthur Coningham, commanding the air arm of the British offensive in Libya, probably could find his way around the fighting terrain without a map or a compass. For many years, off and on, he has been scouting this sun-burnt waste of jagged rock and sand, with the British air force, based in Egypt.

He is a husky and good-looking 46-year-old Australian, a group captain in the Calshot R.A.F. station in 1929, upped rapidly in rank since the start of the war, a veteran of every kind of air fighting and an air buccaroo who has ridden every kind of plane. His success and responsibility, however, is not all due to technical skill. It is a personality success as well, and it just now happens that personality resources in air wars is being authoritatively examined.

Dr. Robert Dick Gillespie, distinguished British neurologist, now lecturing in this country, held forth at the New York Academy of Medicine the other night, on the lack of neuroses in the R.A.F., as compared to other arms of the fighting forces. The doctor's theory, which he says has been convincingly demonstrated, is that air training and fighting makes for individuality which greatly strengthens personality resistance to the devastating nerve shocks of modern war.

Marshal Coningham would make a fine laboratory sample. In all this department's gleanings about his career, from various sources, it is emphasized that his every relationship in his fighting command is personal. He has a prodigious memory and he likes persons, rather than people. He has a keen wit and ready humor. But he's a hard-boiled disciplinarian.

He entered the world war from his native Brisbane, Australia, at the age of 19, serving first in Samoa and then in Egypt. Coming to England, he joined the Royal Flying corps, where he knocked about in all sorts of primitive planes. He won the military cross and the distinguished service order.

When Nebuchadnezzar married a country girl, the daughter of Cyaxares, she was homesick and wanted a bit of foliage around the house. The king put in a few boxes of window boxes at first, then got really interested and built his famous hanging gardens.

Rockefeller Center went botanical for an entirely different reason, and will, if it hasn't already done so, anything Babylon could show in the line of aerial agriculture. The genius of the gardens in the sky is A. M. Van Den Hoek, horticulturist for the center, whose wizardry with growing things he successfully transplanted from his native Netherlands lowlands to the Sixth Avenue highlands.

We were checking with him on that chestnut tree he planted recently. It has a mate and hive of bees ready for the job of pollenization at the first signal of spring. These trees were brought from China.

Weather-wise and earthwise, the sky-high farmer might have come out of Vergil's Georgics, but there's nothing rural about his smart tailoring, or his red-leather, push-button office. But this setting is mostly for winter farming. In the summer, he wears overalls on his 50-1-acre, ground-level farm near Flemington, N. J.

After studying horticulture in several continental countries, he went to England, in 1905, at the age of 21. There he worked in the famous Rose Gardens of Hampton and tended the ancient grape vine, the fruit of which goes annually to the king. After 14 months in England, he removed to this country.

He worked for two years in a nursery at Morrisville, Pa., then got a job with a Netherlands horticultural firm. Advancing steadily in his profession, he became the horticulturist for Rockefeller Center in 1933.

The skyscraper onion crop was exceptionally good this year—also the cabbages, tomatoes, mint, kohlrabi, spinach and carrots. The espallier pear and apple trees are getting on famously as are the 150 plane trees and the eight 50-foot elms that were planted around the center.

Mr. Van Den Hoek just recently planted 25,000 tulip bulbs, of Holland ancestry, via England. He says that these tulips are extraordinarily varied and beautiful, and seems to see in each of them a choice of hope for his native homeland.

Rockefeller Center is sitting pretty, with both a 99-year lease and a century plant. The century plant bloomed last year. Mr. Van Den Hoek seems to be demonstrating that the machine age can come to terms with Mother Earth, in spite of past disagreements. He is a wise and faithful liaison officer.

He still has eight brothers and sisters in Holland. His father was a breeder of Holstein cattle in a suburb of Rotterdam. During the World War, he went to Holland and was mobilized, but returned to this country in 1917.

British Libyan Campaign Tests New U. S. Tanks

Superior Type of Mechanized Units Developed; 'Sea Otter,' Powered by Auto Engines, To Be Used as Cargo Vessels.

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Is this statement true or false? "A popular military song now being widely sung has in it a line to the triumphs of American soldiers in Africa." The answer is "true." But do not be alarmed, the song is the hymn of the United States marines and the line is: "From the halls of Montezuma to the shores of Tripoli." It refers to our fight with the Barbary pirates in 1801. Nevertheless, the United States army is now celebrating another American triumph of arms in Africa—not human arms but tanks. Whether the British can drive those tanks to victory against one of Germany's foremost generals is another matter, but the superiority of our little 13-ton iron wagons in the early engagements of this British offensive is evidence, military experts say, that the United States still has the mechanical genius that can outmatch any in the world.

I have just talked with a high officer who has served with America's new first armored division. He says that America has a mechanized army in the making that will be superior to any Hitler can produce. This officer credits our success to an old American characteristic which some people were afraid had run to seed in this push-button age; the ability to do things with our hands.

The new army," said the officer, "is developing the finest set of mechanical experts I ever saw. Americans are natural mechanics and it is coming out as a result of the training of our motorized units."

When the army laid aside "May West," the heavy tank the United States built first, and concentrated on the smaller and far more mobile 13-ton unit mounted with a 37-mm. gun, many people wondered if it could stand up against the heavier German tanks with their much higher caliber weapons. In the first week's fighting in the present offensive in Libya the American creation proved superior. The anti-tank guns it carries because of their high muzzle velocity have a greater penetrating quality than the Germans' heavier guns.

But the superior mechanical integrity, the greater speed, and the other qualities that go into the American product are only half the battle. Just as horses have to be watered and fed, so tanks must be cared for. Maintenance is a vital factor. And this is where the mechanical genius of the individual is important. When a tank division rolls out, tools, spare parts, machinery must follow after. And the American ordnance unit really is rolling machine shops which moves in the wake of the mobile units, is able to make any repairs short of those requiring the equipment of an arsenal.

At home, American motorized units have been submitted to all practical endurance tests in the field that they would have to meet in battle except being shot at in action. Now, thanks to the fact that the British in Africa are using American tanks, they are getting the necessary final test without risking American lives.

That is one reason why army officers are celebrating America's bloodless battle of Africa. Perhaps somebody will write a song about it.

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MISCELLANY:

Baltimore: Commendation went to Private Colas, selectee who was set to watch traffic at a street intersection while 12,000 troops passed through. He was to be picked up by a truck, which missed him. He remained on duty in the rain for 28 hours until M.P.'s picked him up. His commanding officer told him, "You understand that an order is truly an order."

Nashville: TVA areas to be covered by water required the destruction of bridges and other flooded structures. Army engineers were called in to test new explosives by blowing up the actual bridges—rare opportunity.

Danville, Ill.: Ren Britman died at 97, having spent most of his life trying vainly to establish his true identity. He was lost from his parents during a parade in New York in 1852 and never saw them again. The name under which he died was given him by a New York orphanage.

BRIEFS . . . By Baukhaze

A group of thrifty Colorado farm families made up their minds that it was downright waste to feed a lot of non-laying hens. On the advice of the Farm Security administration home management supervisor, they banded together and hired a first-rate poultry specialist to cut the flock. Out of 3,200, the poultryman found 900 not worth their feed. They were sold for cash.

A crisis faces organizations whose members wear their insignia in form of a "rosette" in their button-holes. The reason: The patent for these chic little indications of membership in some honorable society is held in France. What the well-rossetted gentleman will wear when present stocks give out is a question.

A new subject in the college curriculum is flying. More than 500 colleges give regular credit toward a degree for successful completion of flight courses sponsored by the Civil Aeronautics administration.

The increase in the number of young women in the labor market is one of the most significant features of this century, according to a report of this bureau. In 1900 a total of 30 per cent of every 100 females were 20 to 24 years old were working. In 1930 the number exceeded 40 per cent; and by 1940 more than 45 per cent every 100 young women were in the labor force.

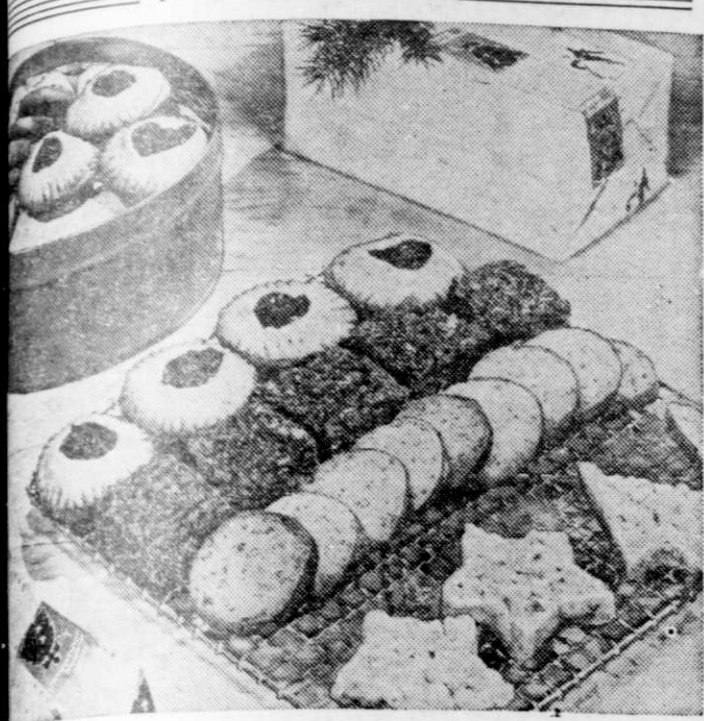
The bureau of entirely for once thought of entirely for once "budgeting" activities, but since transfer to the Executive Office has become recognized as mandatory, the bureau is now preparing a coordinating plan. Only two of five divisions are now preparing a budget. Almost every governmental activity is concerned with national budgeting. Almost every governmental activity is concerned with national budgeting.

American food has been going to England recently at the rate of 250,000 tons a month, according to the department of agriculture.



# Household News

by Lynn Chambers



Make Merry With Cookies and Candies!  
(See Recipes Below)

### Kmas Gift Boxes

It is the time for giving! The time to refrain during this festive season. And what could be more appropriate, more welcome than gaily wrapped boxes packed right in your own kitchen with your own sweet, crunchy cookies warm and fresh from the oven.

tempting tidbits of steel plates used in shipping have been plates can be used in the heart of that boy you sent to camp, your daughter at school, or a neighbor.

Combine sugar with cream and stir over low heat until sugar is dissolved. Cook until the soft ball stage (238 degrees) or until it forms a soft ball in cold water. Remove from heat and let stand in cold water until cool. Add butter, popcorn, and vanilla. Beat until creamy. Pour into buttered plate and cut.

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## Green and Gray Brighten Old Room

Elizabeth MacLae Boykin... that includes answering some more-than-usually interesting letters. Mrs. L.B.B. writes: "For our living room, we just bought a solid colored mauve rug with a self tone design woven through it. We are having the furniture recovered but don't know what colors would be best for the mauve rug. All that comes into my mind is light green. I would like the three pieces in different colors. Both sofa and chairs are quite large. The walls are figured with background of very light gray, deeper shades of gray and a touch of tan and a little rose. There's an arch between living and dining rooms. The walls and rug are the same in both rooms. What would you suggest for furniture covers and curtains?"

## LEAVES from Uncle Sam's Notebook

WNU Service by HARRIET MAY WILSON

### Sheets, Blankets, Towels

Unless finances make it necessary for you to consider the price alone when replenishing your stock of bed linen, there are a number of other factors which should be taken into account. Sheets are obtainable in five general grades: muslins in light, medium and heavy weights, fine counts, and percales. The percales provide the extreme of softness and fineness, and make the most beautiful appearance. If, however, you are buying, as most housewives do, for durability, the sheet of heavy muslin is the best selection.

Good sheets are of a firm weave and should be practically free from sizing, which is the starch or other material used in the manufacture of the article to give it a smooth finish. If a sheet is heavily sized it means that the extra sizing has been used to fill up the looseness of a poor weave. Such an article, after it has been laundered, will be sleazy and of poor wearing quality.

Sheets sized to "linen-finished" may either be made of mercerized yarns, in which case the finish is permanent and adds greatly to the appearance of the sheet, or they may have been given just a temporary gloss. Ask, when you buy, whether or not the sheet is made of mercerized stock.

In buying, you should remember that the length labeled on a sheet indicates the length before hemming, and buy accordingly. Sheets to give real satisfaction, should be from 99 to 103 inches, the longer length being preferred. It is important to know, also, whether the label on the sheet specifies "torn" length or not. If the sheet was torn from the bolt, it will keep its shape after laundering and will have flat hems. If it was not torn off, it will launder crooked and probably with puckered hems.

In the matter of pillow-cases, the same requirements as for sheets hold good. If your pillows measure 21 by 27 inches you may buy cases either 42 by 36 or 42 by 38 1/2; if the pillows are 22 by 28, the cases should be either 45 by 36 or 45 by 38 1/2. The case should be a little larger than the pillow, but not too loose.

### BUYING BLANKETS

Every housewife desires both warmth and durability in her blankets. Warmth depends on the ability of the fabric to keep out cold drafts and to keep in the body heat of the sleeper; this, in turn, depends upon the kind and quality of the fabric, its nap, and the closeness of its weave. In 1932 a group of blanket manufacturers agreed to certain rules for labeling all-wool and part-wool blankets. Under this agreement, blankets must contain a minimum of 5 per cent wool before the word "wool" can be used in labeling them.

When buying for warmth, choose a blanket containing as much wool as you can afford, notice whether it is well napped or not, since napping increases warmth by increasing the number of air pockets. If the blanket is to be used out of doors, it should not be napped, because napping increases wind permeability.

### SIZE OF BLANKET

Blankets should be long enough to tuck in well at the foot and to come up well over the shoulders of the sleeper; they should be wide enough to hang down over the sides of the mattress, covering it completely. It is usually preferable to buy single blankets rather than those which are woven double. Single ones are much easier to launder and with them the desired warmth of bed covering is more easily adjusted.

## A CHRISTMAS EVE STORY

by Elizabeth Alden  
(McClure Syndicate—WNU Service.)

DAVIE stood at the camp window and looked out over the great frozen lake. "Do you think he'll come right across the ice?"

"He?" Mother answered from the kitchen. "Oh, Santa Claus? Why, perhaps, darling. But not this morning, funny boy; not before evening."

Such unquestioning five-year-old faith, and she must watch its betrayal. Because there weren't going to be any presents. There wasn't any money.

Suddenly Davie screamed with excitement and his mother went running to look out too. "Why, it's a deer, Davie."

"Reindeer," said Davie, without any question at all. "One of Santa's, you think? Maybe the sleigh tipped over and all the presents spilled! Isn't that too bad?"

They watched the graceful creature until it disappeared into the woods on the other side. Then mother returned to her baking and Davie followed.

"It's a shame for it to happen just the day before Christmas when there won't be time to make any more. How disappointed all the children in the world will be! But you won't mind so much, will you, Davie darling, because you'll know what happened. Just think, you saw the deer! And wasn't he beautiful?"

"Yes," Davie drew a long sigh of rapture and memory. He fell silent, then: "May I go out and play?" The eleven o'clock sun was warm and she bundled him out. Suddenly it was one o'clock and time for lunch. And she had heard no sound from Davie for an hour!

## Santa's Troubles



Our mechanized age certainly puts Santa at a disadvantage, because his reindeer never had trouble like this. Several inches of snow prove too much for his modern carriage, so Santa Claus has to wield a snow shovel in front of a New York store to free it. (Editor's note: Wonder what he does at the North pole where the snow is really deep.)

## Christmas Marked In Early Colonies

By Jollity, Feasting

Early American colonies along the Atlantic seaboard could have been located on different continents, so far as their Christmas celebrations were concerned.

Many of the customs of England were followed by the southern colonies of Georgia, Carolina, Maryland and Virginia. Here the Christmas season was a holiday in the true sense of the word. Feasting and merrymaking were common, but religious worship and prayer were not forgotten.

In sharp contrast to this happy celebration was the manner in which Christmas was marked in New England. Puritan leaders did their best to create a different conception of the day. Celebrations were declared pagan in origin, and it was believed such rites were out of keeping with the true spirit of the day.

As time went on, Christmas in the various sections of the colonies became fused until there is today a considerable similarity of practices throughout the United States.

## St. Nicholas Loved For Piety, Grace

The name of Santa Claus is merely slurring the Dutch San Nicholas, which is, of course, Saint Nicholas. American children are probably the only ones who say it exactly that way.

Nicholas was an actual person. He was Bishop of Myra, in Lycia, Asia Minor, in the first part of the Fourth century, A. D. He was also the youngest bishop in the history of the church.

## TO YOUR Good Health

by DR. NATHAN S. DAVIS, III

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In 1886, David Bruce found the organism that caused a disease that was quite common on the island of Malta and on the shores of the Mediterranean, which some 20 years later, was found to result from the drinking of raw goat's milk.

This disease, which only a few years ago was considered rare and limited to the Mediterranean area and a few districts elsewhere where raw goat's milk was used, has now been found to be one of the most widespread of all the infectious diseases. It has an incubation period of from 5 to more than 30 days and a gradual onset in most instances though it may start with a sharp chill and rapid rise of temperature.

Varied Symptoms. In the acute form the signs and symptoms are quite characteristic though the diagnosis can not be made definite without the help of laboratory tests. Less than 10 per cent of the chronic cases have had any manifestations of the acute disease and some of the ordinary laboratory tests may be negative though the more delicate ones are positive. In many of these cases, the patient is only partially disabled for work and complains chiefly of weakness and exhaustion, with or without mild fever, loss of weight, headache and muscular and joint pains.

Man seems to be most susceptible to the variety of Brucella causing the disease of goats, next to that affecting swine and least to that affecting cattle. Nevertheless the disease in man is most commonly due to drinking raw milk from cows with Bang's disease.

The widespread distribution of the Bang's disease in cattle makes it difficult to control the disease at the source. A cow may appear perfectly healthy and yet eliminate large numbers of Brucella in the milk. Bang's disease is so contagious in cattle that it is impractical to test them often enough.

As Brucellosis is generally a milk-borne disease, the logical method for its prevention is the pasteurization of all milk and milk products. Those handling fresh killed pork must also be careful to avoid infection through any cuts or abrasions.

Of course Brucellosis is only one of many diseases that may be transmitted to man through the use of dairy and unpasteurized milk and dairy products even when certified. Complete pasteurization (143-145 degrees F.) for 30 minutes will destroy these organisms. The requirement by various boards of health that all milk sold in the area over which they have jurisdiction, must be pasteurized under strict supervision is amply justified. Home pasteurization should be the rule for those who live on farms or in small communities that do not as yet require pasteurization. This may be carried out by placing the milk in an aluminum vessel and heating it to 155 degrees F. (68.3 C.), stirring constantly, then immediately setting the vessel in cold water and continuing the stirring until cool.

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**AROUND THE TOWN**

Friday Dec. 12, 1941

—For eye service—see Endlich's. Mr. Ed. Bassil was a Milwaukee visitor on Saturday.

—It pays to do your Christmas shopping at Endlich's—adv.

—Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Martin spent Saturday at Milwaukee.

—Make it a Merry Christmas with gifts from Endlich's—adv.

—Misses Harriet Backhaus and Lillian Werner spent Friday in Milwaukee.

—Mrs. Roman Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Armond Smith were Fond du Lac visitors Saturday.

—Mrs. Henry Becker visited with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wilke in the town of Scott Sunday.

—Mrs. Ella Schierhorst of Chicago spent from Friday to Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. August Buss.

—Albert Schultz and daughter Corolla of Milwaukee were visitors with Mrs. Wm. F. Schultz Sunday.

—Mrs. Lorinda Schaefer had as guests Sunday her son, John L. Schaefer, and family of Milwaukee.

—Herman Groeschel of Fillmore called Saturday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Groeschel.

—August Hanst and family of Milwaukee were Sunday afternoon visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Koch.

—Visitors last Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Tillie Zelmert and sons were Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Miller of Milwaukee.

—For quality home furnishings at most reasonable prices—visit Miller's Furniture Stores—adv. If

—Mrs. Earl Landvater and daughter of West Bend visited over the week end with her mother, Mrs. Amelia Butzlaff.

—Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stange and son Bobby of Batavia were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Otto Backhaus and family.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Schlosser of Richmond, Ill., were week end guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jac. Schlosser.

—Mr. and Mrs. Jac. Becker were Sunday afternoon visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Tony Schrauth and son at Fond du Lac.

—Mr. and Mrs. Theo. R. Schmidt were to Milwaukee on Wednesday where the former attended an insurance meeting.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Westphal of Milwaukee were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Ramthun and daughter Sandra.

—Mrs. Emil Backhaus and daughter Viola spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Gritzmacher and Mrs. Chas. Gerdel at West Bend.

—American Red Cross War Relief campaign now on. Watch for your local contribution boxes. Mrs. Ervin Koch, chairman.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sempel and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Graffenius of Milwaukee visited their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Otto B. Graf, Sunday.

—Mrs. Amelia Groeschel of Boltonville and Mrs. Milda Gerner of Cheesville visited one day last week with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Groeschel.

—Wish them a Merry Christmas with a watch from Endlich's—adv.

—Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Winkelmann, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wegner and daughter Audrey of Milwaukee were Sunday guests at the John H. Martin home.

—Mr. and Mrs. Carl Malschke and daughter Helen of Wauwatosa and Ralph Marx of Horicon spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. John Marx.

—Ben Breeman of Denver, Colo., a former resident of Kewaskum, is spending a month with relatives and friends in Kewaskum, West Bend and Milwaukee.

—Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sommerfeld spent the week end at Fond du Lac. On Sunday Mrs. Sommerfeld accompanied her sister to Wisconsin Rapids to visit relatives.

—Christmas Card Assortment—20 distinctly different cards with envelopes—complete with gift box at 19c.—Gamble Dealer, Kewaskum.—adv.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Buss and Mr. and Mrs. August Buss accompanied Walter Buss of West Bend to Sheboygan Sunday where they spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Buss.

—Carpenters the past two weeks completed work on the erection of a new garage at the rear of the Bath estate home on Second st., occupied by Mr. and Mrs. John Klein and son Harold.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Prost, Mrs. Chas. Prost and son were guests of the Arnold Prost family in the town of Kewaskum Sunday where they helped celebrate the birthday of Mrs. Prost.

—Miss Norma Simon of Barton spent from Saturday until Monday evening at the home of Clara Simon. On Monday evening Herbert Wolf and Mrs. Catherine Simon of Barton called to take her home.

—Make her happy with a diamond from Endlich's—adv.

—Mr. and Mrs. Pete Bies and Miss Dorothy Mae Thom were Milwaukee visitors on Wednesday. They were accompanied by the Bies children as far as Merton, where they spent the day with their grandparents.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Herziger of Milwaukee visited at the home of Mrs. Louis Brandt and family Sunday. Accompanying them was Mrs. Brandt who returned home after spending the past four weeks at the Herziger home.

—Local people attending the golden wedding celebration of Mr. and Mrs. John Techtman in the town of Barton held Saturday evening and Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. William Techtman and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Schaefer.

—Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Brandt visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Backhaus and Herbert Brandt in the town of Kewaskum. The latter returned from St. Joseph's Community hospital, West Bend, last Thursday evening where he was confined some time.

—Complete sheet music for a brand new song hit, never before published, FREE with this Sunday's Milwaukee Sentinel, "I'm Glad There is You," selected by Jimmy Dorsey, eighth of a series of weekly song hits being published every Sunday in the Milwaukee Sentinel—adv.

—Reuben Naumann of Clintonville, who is employed at the Al Naumann tavern, Miss LaVerne Terlinden and Harry Koch, accompanied by Miss Rose Yearling of Clintonville, motored to Clintonville on Sunday. Miss Yearling remained here to spend Monday with Miss Terlinden.

—See Field's Furniture Mart at West Bend before you buy your furniture, rugs, and household appliances. You can buy for less at Field's. Why pay more? Field's Furniture Mart, West Bend, Wis. Telephone 999. Open Wednesday and Saturday evenings, other evenings by appointment. Free delivery. 4-19tf

—Mrs. Harold Petri, daughter Fayann of West Bend and son Russell of the U. S. Navy, visited Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Guenther. Russell, home on a 11 day furlough, has been stationed on the U. S. S. Melville at Bermuda, Cuba and other parts of the southern seas. He will go back on duty Saturday and expects to be sent to Asia.

**EAST VALLE:**

Julius Reysen had a butchering bee Friday and Saturday.

Marcellus Strobel was a West Bend caller Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Rinzel were Fond du Lac callers Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sell of Cascado called on relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Schladweiler were Kewaskum callers Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Kaas spent several days last week with friends at Chicago.

Mrs. Joe Schiltz spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. John Riden near St. Michaels.

Art Naumann and son Roland of West Bend spent Thursday evening with Julius Reysen.

Mrs. Mike Schladweiler, Mrs. Julius Reysen and daughter Ruth were Sheboygan callers Tuesday.

Mrs. Anna Hammes returned home last week after spending several weeks with relatives at Chicago.

Raymond Schladweiler and Alma Puestow were dinner guests at the Julius Reysen home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Guldan and sons moved to Lomira Friday where they will spend the winter months.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Rinzel spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Jac. Schneider and family at St. Michaels.

The following neighbors and relatives surprised Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Rinzel at a koush-warming party Monday evening: Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Matenaer and son of Barton, Mr. and Mrs. Math. Rinzel of West Bend, Mr. and Mrs. Al Reif, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Schmitz, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Kaas and Marcellus Strobel, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Schladweiler, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Reysen and daughter Ruth, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Schiltz and Mildred Hansen, Mr. and Mrs. John Hammes, Mrs. Elroy Pesch, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gross and son. The evening was spent in playing cards and at midnight a lunch was served.

**NEW PROSPECT**

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Kuculawski spent Saturday at Fond du Lac.

Miss Jeanette Meyr spent Saturday with the Dr. Leo J. Uelmen family at Campbellsport.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Trapp and daughter Marilyn spent Wednesday with relatives at Fond du Lac.

A number of friends surprised Mrs. Henry Becker Saturday evening in honor of her birthday anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Moikentbine and son Walter entertained friends from Milwaukee Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Becker and daughter Gladys visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Pecker and family at Milwaukee.

Mr. and Mrs. Math. Klumpany of Dundee and Mr. and Mrs. Stoffel of Campbellsport visited relatives here village Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Uelmen and Mrs. Augusta Krueger visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Roland Krueger and family at Watertown.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Meyer, daughters Jeanette, Bernice and Edith, visited Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Norbert Uelmen and family at Campbellsport.

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**CLUB CHRISTMAS PARTY**  
The annual Christmas party of the Kewaskum Evening Women's club will be held on Monday, Dec. 15, at the home of Miss Grace Ganske. Each member is requested to bring a fifty-cent gift to be exchanged among the members.

**KEWASKUM WOMAN'S CLUB**  
Mrs. D. M. Rosenheimer will be hostess to the Woman's club on Dec. 12. The topic, "Education for Civic Responsibility," will be given by Mrs. M. W. Rosenheimer. Each member is asked to bring a gift to be donated to charity.

**CLUB AT DEMONSTRATION**  
Eight ladies of the local contract bridge club attended a demonstration given by the Wisconsin Gas & Electric company in their new recreation parlors at West Bend last Thursday. Members witnessing the demonstration included Meses. Henry Rosenheimer, Carl P. Schaefer, Wm. Guenther, M. W. Rosenheimer, Paul Landmann, John Van Blarcom, Louis Opgenorth and Theo. R. Schmidt.

**CHURCH GROUP TO MILWAUKEE**  
Eighteen members of the Peace Evangelical congregation attended the Christmas candlelight service given by the Ascension Lutheran church at Milwaukee Sunday afternoon. The group included Mrs. Leo Brauchle and daughters Patricia and Rachel, Adeline Doms, Irene Jaehrig, Lois Koch, Mr. and Mrs. Elwyn Romane, daughter Charlotte and son Richard, Florence Schultz, Virginia Schmidt, Ione Terlinden, Mrs. D. M. Rosenheimer, Clifford Stautz, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rosenheimer and Fred Buss. Roy Jandre accompanied the group.

**CELEBRATE SECOND WEDDING ANNIVERSARY**  
The following were guests at the Vorpahl brothers home to celebrate the second wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. John Baithazard: Mr. and Mrs. John Vorpahl and family, Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Vorpahl and family, Allen Kertscher, Charles Hafeman, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Schiltz, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Schiltz, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Meinecke, Paul Kurth and family and Mr. and Mrs. Art. Ramthun of Kewaskum, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Plaum of Random Lake, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Witt, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Daxstadter, Frank Schmidt, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Koshulek and Ewald Vorpahl of Milwaukee, George and Wm. Vorpahl and families of Beechwood, Walter Vorpahl and Mrs. M. Slater of Batavia, Mr. and Mrs. John Gross and family.



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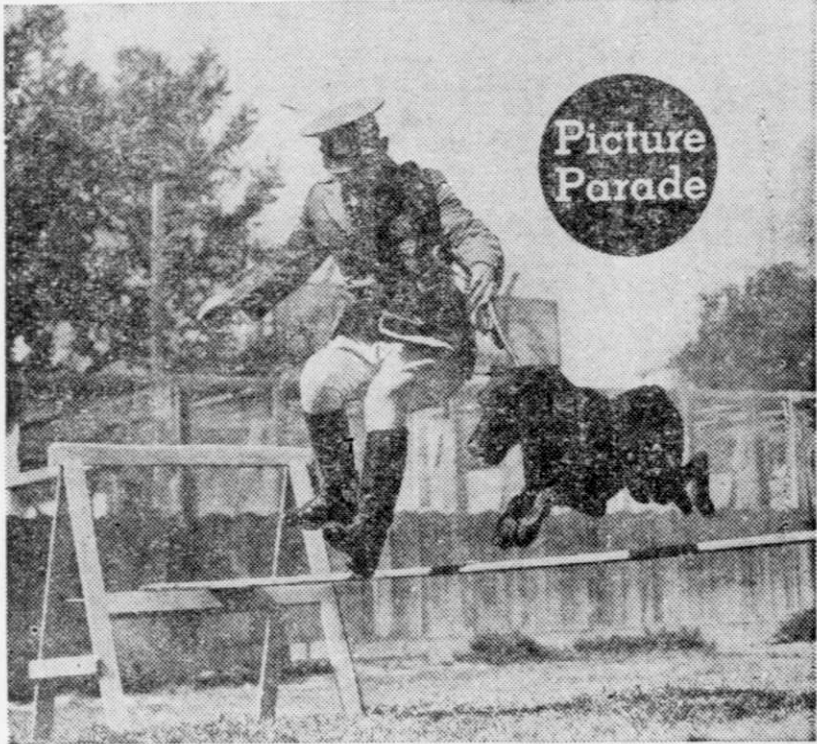
Mr. and Mrs. Louis Gross and family. The evening was spent in dancing and card playing. Music was furnished by Art. Ramthun and Stanley Daxstadter. All enjoyed the evening and at midnight a delicious lunch was served. All joined in wishing Mr. and Mrs. Balthazard many more such happy wedding anniversaries.

**READ THE ADS**

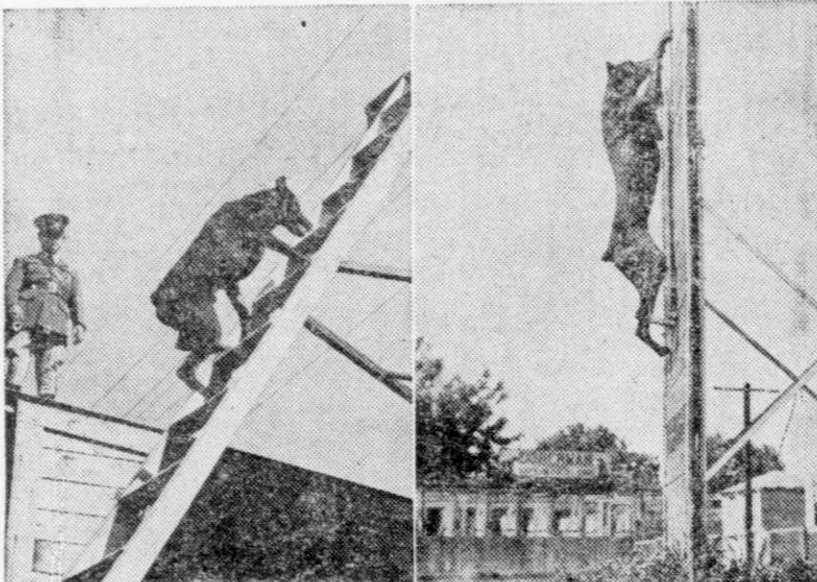


### Coaching Canine Cops

Although trained dogs have been in use as assistants to police officers in European countries for many years, the idea has taken hold in the United States only recently. Berkeley, Calif., was one of the first cities in this country to put dogs on regular police duty. Their dogs are Doberman Pinschers from the Palanka Kennels at Richmond, Calif., where Capt. C. A. Roy, former Canadian police officer, turns out canine cops. These photos show some of the most important stages in the development of dogs for this work.



The captain here takes a hurdle with one of the dogs he is training for police work. The trainer always wears a uniform, the idea being to teach the dog that the man in uniform is his friend and master.



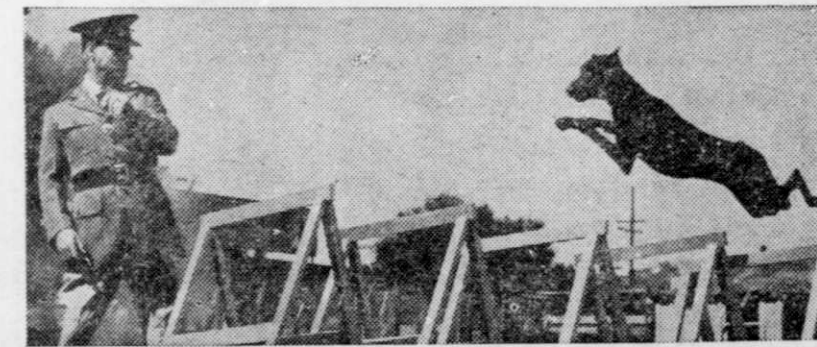
The Doberman goes up the step ladder in pursuit of a mythical criminal. This is one of the hardest lessons for the dog. The dog must get over the plank wall, in which there is scarcely a foothold, but he does it. Height of the barrier is gradually increased.



Assigned to a radio patrol car, this Doberman is the pal of Sgt. Coffey of the Berkeley police department. Dogs are taught to grab for dropped pistols, and to bring them to the nearest policeman, or to where the criminal cannot get them.



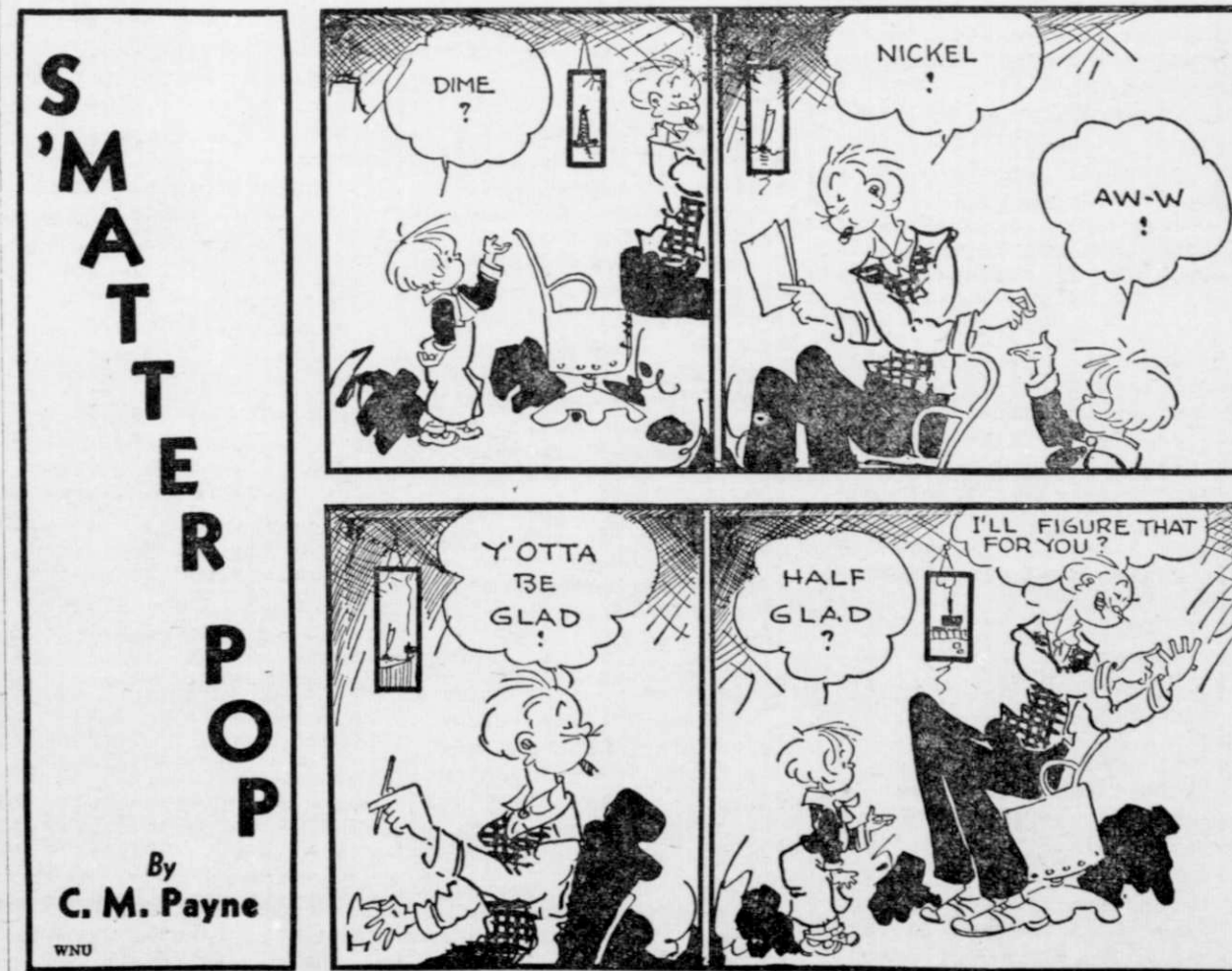
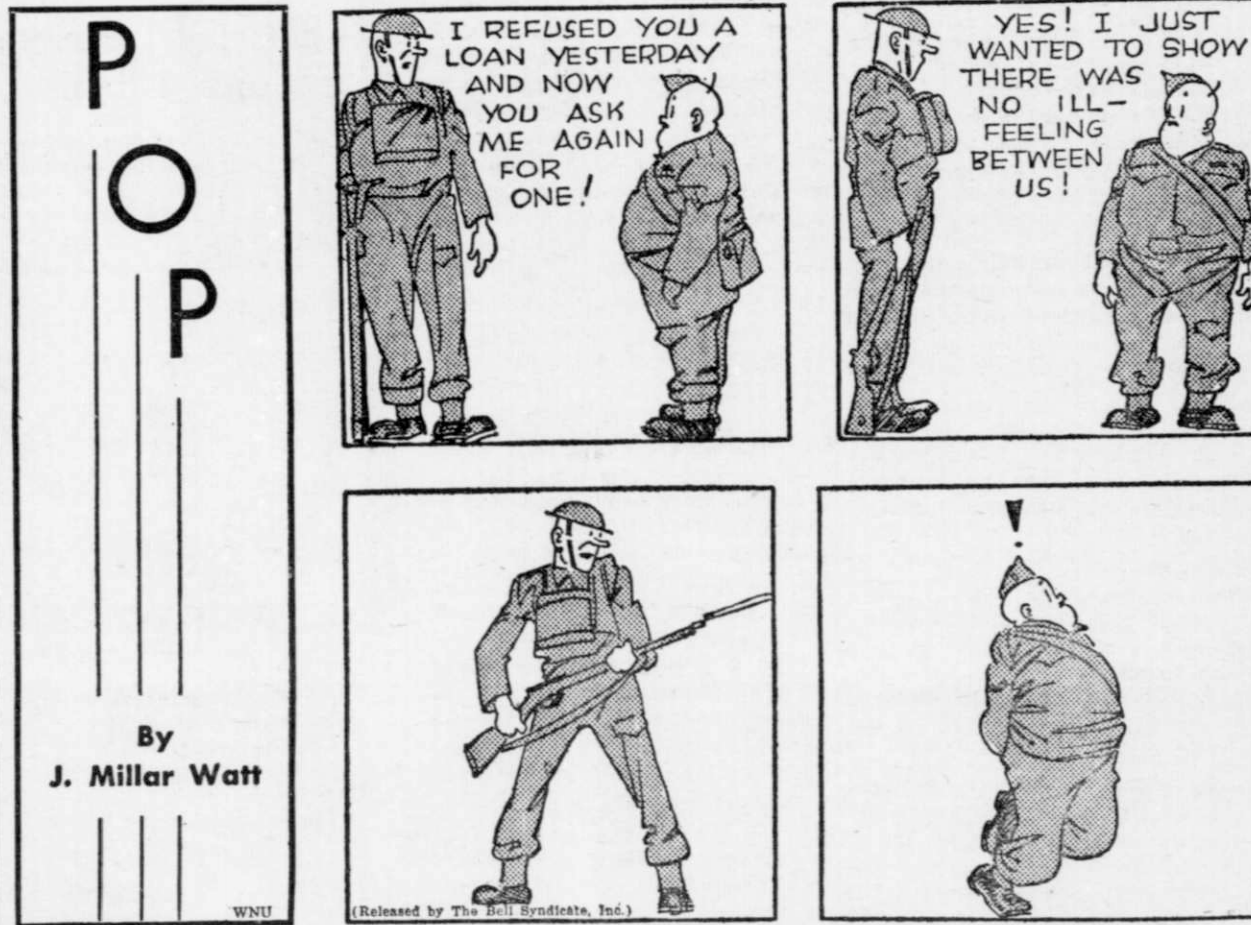
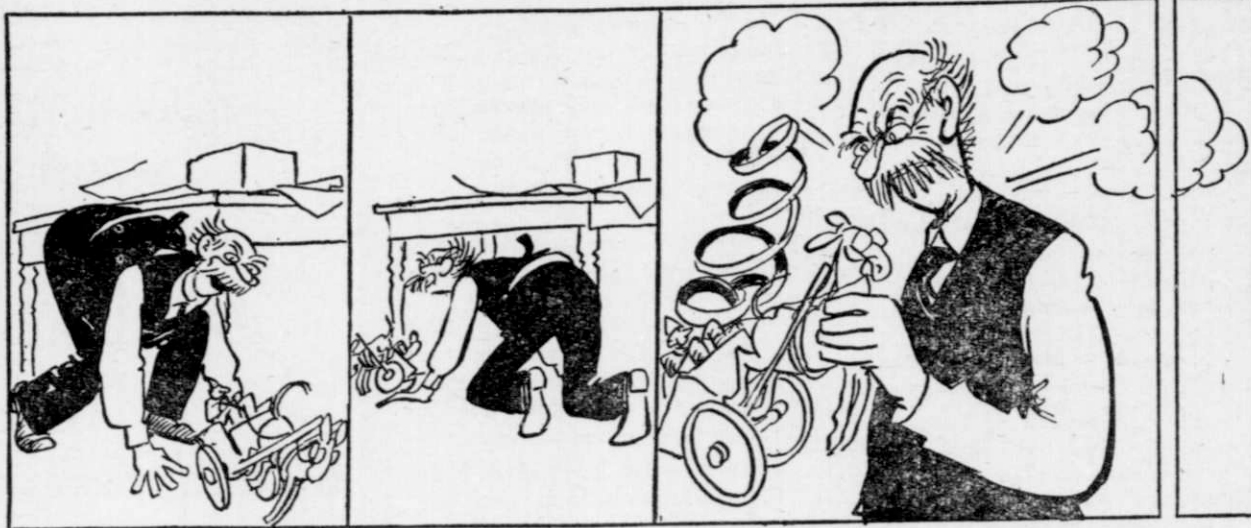
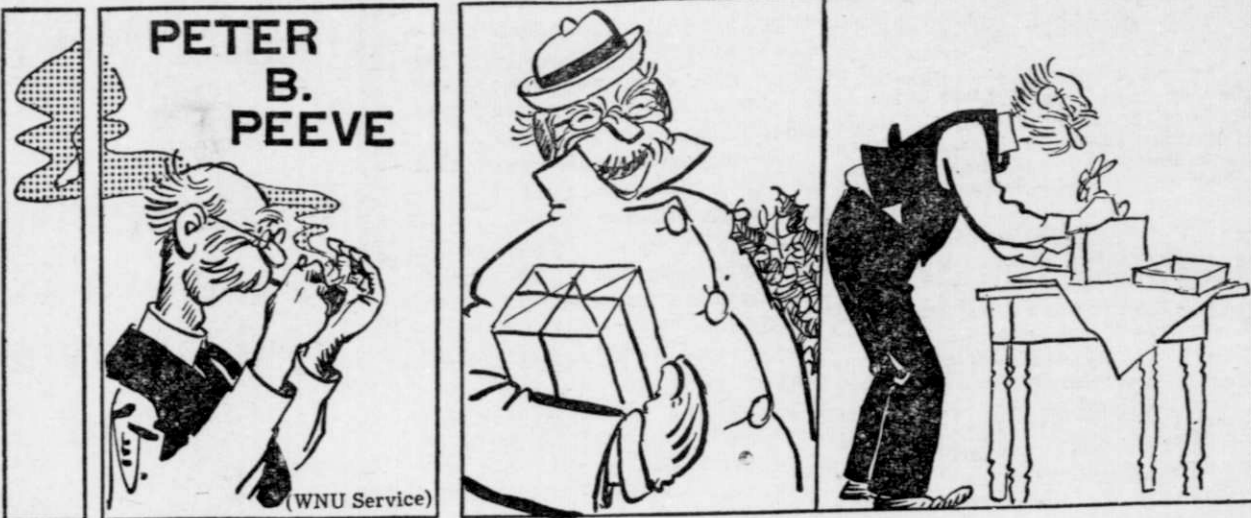
Here the dog has grabbed a "criminal" making off with a suitcase. This dog is almost completely trained.



**Calclimined Walls**  
If a wall has been calclimined and there is a tendency for the calclimine to peel from the wall, it is recommended that the old calclimine be scraped and washed from the wall before any other finish is applied. After the wall has thoroughly dried the plaster may then be painted with an oil paint, if so desired, or the wall may again be decorated with the calclimine or cold water paint.

**Sleeping Before Midnight**  
It is a good thing to get sleep before midnight, but not because it is deeper or influenced in some way by the moon or stars. When people go to bed before midnight they usually get more hours of sleep than if they retired later, and the benefit comes from getting more sleep, not necessarily better sleep. The first two hours of sleep are of about the same quality, or depth, whether one goes to bed at 10, midnight or later.

## OUR COMIC SECTION



**WRONG PARTY**  
An enthusiastic gardener was proud of his crop of monster red currants. Several of his friends, after admiring the fruit, advised him to send an exhibit to the local horticultural show. He took their advice.  
On judging being completed and the awards announced, the entrant was disappointed to learn that his currants had won only third prize.  
He discovered afterward that a mistake had been made. They had been placed in the tomato class.

**No Spinach?**  
"I wish to complain," said the bride haughtily, "about the flour you sold me. It was tough."  
"Tough, ma'am?" asked the grocer.  
"Yes, tough. I made a pie with it, and my husband could hardly cut it."

**SAFETY FIRST**  
"Pa," said Jimmy, "my Sunday school teacher says if I am a good boy I'll go to Heaven."  
"Well?" asked his father.  
"And you said if I was good I would go to the circus. Now, I want to know who is telling the truth, you or the teacher?"

**Slow Up!**  
"I want to see some canes," said Swanker to the shop proprietor, "and I'm in a hurry."  
"Yes, sir, very good, sir," responded the shopman in a fluster.  
"Here, Williams," (to his assistant), "show the young gentleman some hurricanes."  
**True Tail**  
"I shot a tiger out in India. It was a case of me or the tiger."  
"Well, the tiger certainly makes the better rug."

**Not the Hook**  
Game Warden—Are the fish biting today?  
Weary Angler—I don't know. If they are, they're biting each other.

**Right Angle**  
He—Don't you know her? She lives in your square.  
She—Possibly so, but she doesn't go in my circle.

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# Vanished Men

By GEORGE MARSH

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THE STORY SO FAR: Bound for the... six men lost on the Nottaway river. Red... brother of one... half-breed guide... Blaise, half-breed guide... Blaise, half-breed guide...

## INSTALLMENT FOURTEEN

"I don't think you'll come back," Constable Malone, good man as you... "It's too bad—too bad! Poor... "I wanted to be honest with you... "Thank you, my self! I know you're... "Thanks, my good eyes. We'll shake... "I'm sober with his fears as... "But the only door for a broken... "She'll never see you again, Constable Malone."

to investigate. Murder is suspected. It is thought that Isadore, rich fur man, has made a gold strike and aims to keep prospectors out. On the way to the Hudson's Bay post they visit Isadore in his palatial home, and meet...

denly where he lay. Back in the forest rose the guttural "craack-craack" of the northern raven. Red's eyes snapped as he nodded his head. Shortly the croaking was followed by a dismal "kooer-kooer!"

"Montagnais, say your prayers!" chuckled Malone! "There's a carajou hunting you! That was no raven! That was Blaise's signal!"

Again Red inched his way through young fir and hardwood. But he saw nothing. How many Indians were waiting for him to make a false move he could not guess. His quick eyes stabbed the circling bush as he held his breath.

Once more the "kooer-kooer!" of the raven startled the forest—much nearer now and followed by a metallic "klunk!"

But Red could not answer. He was too close to deceive Indian ears. So he waited. Shortly the "ca-ca-ca!" of a whiskey-jack rose directly in front of him to be answered from a short distance.

"They're growing nervous! They don't like that old raven moving in on their rear. He's got them guessing. If I could only get a shot, I'd start a stampede. But Red's eyes, lancing the undergrowth, found no target.

Then, from deep in the forest drifted the familiar yelp of the aire-dale on a rabbit trail. Flame and Garry! Sweat burst from Red's brow. They must be warned!

There was a sudden movement in the bush. Red lifted his head to catch the fluttering of young fir tops as a dark shape moved through. Once, twice, the 45 roared. Two rifles crashed back in reply. Twigs flew from the saplings where Malone had knelt. But he was already yards away under new cover.

"Thank God! That will stop Garry!" he panted. "There're three of them, at least, but they're worried. When Flame shows up there'll be a circus."

Again the "craack-craack!" of the raven bludgeoned the silence. Nearer now. For a space the stillness beat painfully on Malone's eardrums as he lay nursing his pistol. Then, in the soundless forest lifted a scream that was cut off short as if steel jaws had clamped on a throat.

Red heard a movement in the brush and, rising, saw a disappearing shape. He fired, fired again. There was the "bang!" of a Lee-Enfield, the savage snarl of Flame, then the muffled snarl of a dog closing with his enemy; frightened cries mingling with Garry's commands: "No, Flame! Let him up! Let go, Flame!"

Malone thrashed back into the bush to find Finlay holding the maddened aire-dale away from a young Indian sprawled on the ground.

"You're all right, Red? They did hit you?" cried Garry. "Flame had this boy down when I reached him!"

Nursing his bitten arm, the young Montagnais lifted frightened eyes to the giant who glared down at him. "It's all right!" soothed Garry. "We won't hurt you!"

"Where's Blaise?" demanded Red. "I didn't get a clean shot but I was afraid you'd walk into them, so I fired anyway to warn you. How many were there?"

"This one and two others, I think," replied Finlay, lashing Flame to a tree and starting to examine the shaking boy who watched him with the eyes of a dog.

"Where are you, Blaise?" called Malone. "What was that yell?" Red found Blaise beside a limp shape in the brush.

"Ah-hah!" Brassard was studying the grimacing face from which glazed eyes stared at the sunlit tree tops.

"Recognize him?" "Ah-hah! We see hem at de island' at head of lake."

"He'll drink no more of Tete-Blanche's whiskey. What was that scream?"

Brassard opened and closed his steel fingers in a significant gesture. "Dat fallar run into de old raven." The slits of eyes in his granite face glittered. "De raven squeeze him wid his claw."

"Pity it wasn't Batoche or Tete-Blanche!"

"Some day, mebbe!"

Garry bandaged the boy's lacerated arm while Blaise assured him in Cree that he was safe. Slowly recovering from his terror the fifteen year old lad told Brassard his story

Lise, his stepdaughter. Answering an appeal from Lise, Finlay is ambushed. It develops that they are Mounted Police officers. The party visits McNab, Hudson's Bay trader. Red falls in love with Thistle, McNab's daughter.

in Montagnais. He had been forced by his older brothers to join the party Tete-Blanche had sent to block the Quiet Water. They had decided that it was a bank breaker they had heard the night they fired on the Peterboro but Isadore had returned from Matagami the day before and had doubled the night guard on the river. He, Joe Patamish, and the two men lying there in the scrub had packed the canoe to the lake that morning to hunt moose. When they saw freshly cut birch on the shore, they had landed and found Brassard's bags and footprints. So they had decided to ambush the next man over the trail. Patamish had no gun. They had brought him to help carry the meat and the canoe. He had nothing against these white men and wanted to run away. But his companions had threatened to shoot him if he didn't stay. When the firing began he had started to run but the dog had pulled him down.

"Ask him if he believes we've sickened the children with the evil eye as Kinebik says," suggested Garry.

The boy's black eyes glanced at his carefully bandaged arm, then lifted to the faces of the white men and his keen face lighted in a smile. "No," he said to Blaise, "this white man saved me from his dog and bound my arm. He would not sicken children."

"That's the lad, Joe Patamish!" applauded Finlay. "There are brains under that mop of hair. Tell him, Blaise, he's going with us but until we're sure he won't run away, we'll have to tie him up. This kid is going to be useful."

"He'll be very useful," he added. "Now let's get the canoe and the rest of our stuff across this carry."

But the boy had not finished his story. As he talked the furrows cut deep into Blaise's face.

He made a clicking sound with his tongue as he gravely shook his head. "What does he say?" demanded Garry.

"Der was big fight at de island! Chief Wabistan kech Kinebik and Tete-Blanche wid whiskey for Montagnais. Michel Wabistan and two odders was shot. Der is moch trouble for Chief Wabistan."

"Poor Michel!" said Finlay. "He was a good boy! Well, Mr. Isadore, you're rolling up the score against yourself!"

"Joe Patamish say, al-so," continued Blaise, "dat Kinebik make big medicine wen de August moon is round."

"Red, we'll be there! Now, men, let's get going!"

Through the following night three silent men pushed the Peterboro up Waswanipi bound for their rendezvous with Chief Wabistan.

Malone, whose invincible optimism tolerated no thought of defeat, was deep in dreams of a red-gold head and a pair of laughing eyes back at Matagami.

But as their maple blades put mile after mile of the sleeping lake behind them, in the harassed brains of Finlay and Blaise there was small hope of winning out as only through some miracle of chance could they hope to checkmate the red hunters and Kinebik's magic.

Joe Patamish had told them that most of the young men had left the fishing camps and joined Kinebik's crusade to save the children. Only a handful of Wabistan's relatives and friends had rallied around the chief. And Finlay realized, bitterly, that if he should manage to hang on until the arrival of the police plane, he would be no nearer his goal. He had come to find the men responsible for the disappearance of Bob Finlay and the others. He had found them but he still had no legal proof of their guilt. And how, with the Montagnais out of control, could he hope to arrest and hold Isadore and Tete-Blanche even for breach of the Indian whiskey law? They'd laugh at him, wipe out his party and disappear, as McNab said, into the muskge of the Bitter Water. In his message to headquarters he had asked for a police plane by September first to carry his prisoners south. That plane would arrive too late. Sergeant Garrett Finlay and Constable Malone would then be beyond need of help. And Lise! What would happen to the girl he had promised to see safe at Matagami—who had stormed into his heart that day on the beach? He choked back a groan as he thought of the love that had come so strangely into his life. What would become of Lise?

They slept all day hidden in the timber of the point where Wabistan was to meet them. That night a canoe slid into the beach. Finlay took the old man's bony hand. "You have lost your son. I am sad," Garry said.

"My son and my people have left me! The heart of Wabistan is sick. Now his knife is sharp like an eagle's beak. His gun is loaded."

"You must eat first," said Finlay, "then let us talk over our pipes beside the fire which is hidden from the lake."

As they ate Moise Wabistan and his father gave to Blaise in their native tongue the story of their finding Tete-Blanche and Kinebik at a Montagnais camp and of the fight that followed.

"De Montagnais was drunk and would not listen wen dey tell dem Kinebik was a false shaman and work for Isadore. De ole chief start for Kinebik wid his knife! Tete-Blanche shoot Michel and dere was ver' bad time. Dere was too many man for Wabistan and his trea' to fight and dey leave."

TO BE CONTINUED



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Boss—You say you might take a job with? Applicant—I think so. What is the pay? Boss—It's fifty minus.

Applicant—Minus what? Boss—Minus what the government doesn't take out of your envelope.

Applicant—I'd have to get more money than that? Boss—More money than what? Applicant—More than there wouldn't be left out of what I don't get.

Boss—Let's be practical. How much money do you want? Applicant—Well, on my last job I got \$55.

Boss—If what? Applicant—If the government didn't get there first. And I know right now where I can go to work on a salary of sixty provided.

Boss—Provided? Applicant—Yes, provided not too much is extracted.

Boss—Come, come, exactly how much do you want to go to work for me? Applicant—I'll take fifty-eight E.U.

Boss—What's E.U. stand for? Applicant—Envelope untouched!

Boss—I can't do that. The best I can do is to put you on at a salary of fifty-seven S.F.A.W.K.

Applicant—S.F.A.W.K.? Boss—Yeah. That stands for So-Far-As-We-Know.

Applicant—That means my salary is S.T.W.W. or Subject To Washington Weekly Whims. I can't run my house according to whims. I've got to know how much I am going to get each week.

Boss—You can solve that by buying groceries and paying rent on the Federal I.Y.H.A.L., or If-You-Have-Anything-Left plan.

Applicant—No. You see, what I want is to know how I stand at the end of each week.

Boss—I have the same dream, mister. There's nothing in it. Applicant—But ain't a man entitled to know from week to week how he stands financially?

Boss—Don't talk like a reactionary! Listen, this is my last proposition. I'll give you fifty-seven dollars and a half S.T.R. & M.

Applicant—S.T.R. & M.? Boss—Subject to Roosevelt and Morgenthau.

Applicant—No, thanks. But I know a fellow who might work for you. He's a beginner. What do you pay a beginner?

Boss—We pay ten dollars minus to begin with. At the end of a year if he makes good we advance him to fifteen dollars minus.

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Applicant—I can see there's no future in working. Boss—Nonsense. One of our best men here started with us on one dollar a week and worked it up to a mere pittance.

Applicant—That's an exceptional case. Boss—Not at all. Look at me. When I began here I worked for nothing. Now my salary has grown to such proportions that everything I get goes to the government.

Applicant—In other words, you still get nothing. Boss—Yes, but if I work hard I can double it. (Curtain with a thud.)

## NOT BAD

This department never knew Chief Justice Hughes was much of a wit until it read "Pulitzer," which tells of the time when Mr. Hughes ordered lobster and got one with a claw missing.

"Where's the other claw?" he asked. "Well, I'll tell you," explained the waiter. "They are shipped alive in barrels and they get into fights. Now at then one loses a claw."

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## TAKING NO CHANCES

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## VIEWPOINT

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We know a man whose doctor says he must take a long rest, so he has planned to spend the winter in Wall Street.

"Italy Orders 10 O'Clock Curfew."—headline. Mussolini doesn't want the folks to see things any darker.

LIFE—1941 I pay my FHA and my I.O.U.'s; Then add my C.O.D.'s and P.D.Q.'s; Then if I find I have two-bits I buy what OPM permits.

—Carl Holmquist.

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## ASK ME ANOTHER?

### A General Quiz

#### The Questions

- 1. In what sport do the participants wear bathing suits but try to keep out of the water? 2. What is the largest railroad tunnel in the Western hemisphere? 3. What is another name for the Suomi? 4. What country ranks next to the United States in the number of miles of railroads? 5. In what year did Joe Louis win the world's heavyweight championship? 6. The trident is the symbol of authority of what god? 7. The massive bronze statue known as Christ of the Andes is on the border between what countries? 8. What is the highest military decoration offered by the United States? 9. In what state are the Finger Lakes?

#### The Answers

- 1. Surf-board riding. 2. Cascade tunnel in Washington (7.79 miles long). 3. Finns. 4. Russia. 5. In 1937. 6. Neptune. 7. Chile and Argentina. 8. The Congressional Medal of Honor. 9. New York (western part).

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Not receiving an answer, Kipling penned another note threatening legal action. This scathing letter the driver also ignored—and sold.

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Wednesday and Thursday, December 17-18—Henry Fonda and Dorothy Lamour in "Chad Hanna" with Linda Darnell.

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Sun. and Mon., Dec. 14-15—Double Feature—Jane Frazee, Merry Macs in "Moonlight in Hawaii" with Leon Errol and Mischa Auer.

ALSO—  
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### TRI-COUNTY STANDINGS

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Rosendale	4	0	1.000
Lomira	3	1	.750
North Fond du Lac	2	1	.667
Brandon	1	2	.333
Kewaskum	1	3	.250
Campbellsport	1	3	.250
Oakfield	0	3	.000

### RESULTS FRIDAY

Kewaskum 28, Brandon 20; North Fond du Lac 28, Oakfield 13; Rosendale 32, Lomira 17.

### RESULTS TUESDAY

Campbellsport 22, Kewaskum 21; Rosendale 19, Brandon 18; Lomira 32, Oakfield 20.

Kewaskum High broke even in two 21-County basketball games the past week. The team won its first league game on the home floor Friday night over Brandon, 28 to 20 but on Tuesday was edged out again by one point at Campbellsport, 22 to 21. Kewaskum's setback by the Belles was the latter's first win. These two now are tied above the Oaks, guarding the cellar.

Kewaskum held the upper hand throughout the game with Brandon. Tassar was high scorer for the locals with 12 points. Bullette was high man for Brandon with 9. The defeat at Campbellsport Tuesday was the team's third of the season. It marked the second one point loss for the locals and brought the total number of points by which they have lost in 3 games to 4. North Fondy defeated Kewaskum by 2 points, Lomira by 1 point and now the Belles by 1 point. The tragic part of the defeats is that K. H. S. outplayed all three teams by which they were upset.

Campbellsport started fast to create a 6-0 lead and held the lead 8-4 at the first quarter. In the second quarter the 'Kums brought their score up to a 12-12 tie at halftime. In this quarter Kewaskum missed enough pot shots and under the basket shots to put the game on ice. The third quarter found the High's luck worse than in the second quarter when they missed shot after shot right down under the basket while the Belles were able to make them from any place on the floor. The fourth period found the game nip and tuck until the final whistle. Kewaskum missed 14 out of 19 free throws during the game, a very poor average. A Baumhardt led the scorers with 9 points while Tassar again paced the losers with 8.

The B team of Kewaskum came back after being on the short end of a 12-4 score at the half to nearly close the gap, but finally lost 16-13. Box scores:

BRANDON	FG	FT	PF
Bullette, f.	3	3	2
Bartow, f.	0	3	1
Kenas, f.	0	0	0
Dahl, f.	0	1	1
Hess, c.	1	0	2
Luger, g.	0	0	3
Preb, g.	0	0	0
Klepe, g.	2	1	0

KEWASKUM	FG	FT	PF
Tassar, f.	6	8	2
Schultz, f.	2	1	2
O. Petermann, f.	0	0	0
Brauchle, c.	3	0	2
L. Petermann, g.	1	0	1
Manthel, g.	0	1	3
Schmidt, g.	1	0	2

KEWASKUM	FG	FT	PF
Tassar, f.	3	2	4
Schultz, f.	0	1	3
O. Petermann, f.	0	0	0
Brauchle, c.	3	1	0
L. Petermann, g.	1	1	1
Schmidt, g.	1	0	0
Schaub, g.	0	0	0
Manthel, g.	0	0	1

CAMPBELLSPORT	FG	FT	PF
A. Baumhardt, f.	4	1	3
E. Baumhardt, f.	3	0	0
Hasler, c.	1	1	2
Cole, g.	0	0	2
Heldt, g.	1	0	4
Hall, g.	0	0	2
Bocott, g.	1	0	2

## WAYNE

Gilbert Schmitt of Milwaukee was a Wayne caller Friday.

Wm. Foerster was a business caller in Milwaukee Thursday.

Earl Hamand of Kewaskum is employed at the Schmidt sisters farm.

Ben Breseman of Denver, Colorado, called on Lucy and Alice Schmidt Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Hawig and Bill Ditty visited relatives in Milwaukee Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Borchert of West Bend called on Lucy and Alice Schmidt Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Jaeger called on Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Toifer and family at Milwaukee Thursday.

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## FOUR CORNERS

Elsworth Long was a Kewaskum caller Monday.

Wm. Odekirik, Jr. was a Fond du Lac caller Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bowen spent Tuesday at Fond du Lac.

Melvin Purlong was a caller at the Henry Ketter home Monday.

Mrs. Alvin Seefeld spent Wednesday with her mother, Mrs. Weasler.

Miss Lila Hintz spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hintz.

Mr. and Mrs. Elton Schultz entertained company from Clintonville last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Butzke were callers at the Wilson Opperman home one day last week.

The card club gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. Weasler Thursday. One hundred was played.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ketter and son Edwin spent Wednesday at Oshkosh. Edwin stayed several days.

Mrs. Wm. Odekirik returned home from a few days' stay at the home of Mrs. Jane Odekirik at Campbellsport.

Mr. and Mrs. John Plittter and Jack Murphy of West Bend were callers at the M. Weasler home Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Elton Schultz of here and Mr. and Mrs. Redke and son of Clintonville spent Sunday with relatives near Madison.

About 25 neighbors gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. Weasler to help celebrate Mr. Weasler's 64th birthday. Mr. and Mrs. John Plittter, Miss Lucille Stoffel, Miss Lila Hintz, Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Weasler also attended. Playing cards was the pastime of the evening. At 11 o'clock lunch was served.

## WAUCOUSTA

Mrs. Donald Narges visited her parents in Madison recently.

Otto Heyner of Milwaukee spent the week end with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Voltz and family of Campbellsport visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Narges and Mrs. Donald Narges spent Thursday in Milwaukee.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Narges visited at the home of Albert Baumhardt in Eden Sunday.

Mrs. Melvin Hankwitz and son Robert visited her sister, Miss Betty Stubbie, here Saturday.

Mrs. Minnie Ludwig of Milwaukee and her daughter, Mrs. Caroline Carry, visited friends here Friday.

Miss Mary Duffeck and Roland Busloff of Waukesha visited relatives and friends here Sunday.

## ARMSTRONG

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Guell are visiting relatives in Minnesota.

Leo Shea of St. Norbert's spent the week end at his home here.

Francis Baker of Madison spent the week end at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Shea, Jr. have gone to housekeeping on the groom's farm.

Masses on Monday morning, the feast of the Immaculate Conception, were at 8 and 10 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Shea of Fond du Lac are spending the winter at the home of their son, Miles.

Dennis Schockmel has been chosen president of the Sheboygan County Cheesemakers' association.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Twhog of here, Mr. and Mrs. N. Pabler and daughter Kay of Empire spent Thursday in Appleton.

Mrs. John Loyd, who has been ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. M. J. Timblin, was removed to St. Agnes hospital, Fond du Lac.

Mrs. Agnes Oestreicher, who injured her arm in a fall, is spending some time at the home of her sister, Mrs.

Elizabeth Goebel, in Fond du Lac.

Miss Laura May Twhog of Fond du Lac, Miss Margaret Twhog of Mayville and John Twhog of Appleton spent Sunday at the George Twhog's home.

The Altar society chose the following officers at their meeting Wednesday afternoon: Mrs. James Scannell, president; Mrs. George Burns, vice-president; Mrs. Eldon Havey, secretary; and Mrs. Jos. Shea, Jr., treasurer.

**MRS. KOHLMAN FUNERAL HELD**

The funeral of the late Mrs. Josephine Ditter Kohlman was held Friday at 9:30 from the house and 10:00 from Our Lady of Angels church, Rev. Joseph Peiron singing the requiem high mass. Interment was made in the cemetery adjoining the church. The Altar society, of which she was a member, attended in a body. The funeral was very largely attended, many relatives and friends from away attending, from Milwaukee, Campbellsport, Fond du Lac, Plymouth, St. Peter, Mt. Calvary, St. Cloud and the surrounding towns. The floral offering was beautiful and there were many spiritual bouquets attesting to the esteem in which she was held.

## Auction of Farm and Personal Property

On the Chas. Weinreich Estate, located 3/4 mile south of Fillmore on County Highway M, Washington county on

Tuesday, Dec. 16th, at 9:30 a. m. sharp

Farm consists of 180 acres of land, good house, large basement barn, silo, machinery sheds, double garage. All buildings in good shape. Electricity. This farm must be seen to be appreciated. Farm will be offered in parcels as there are two sets of buildings. 29 high grade Holsteins, 18 milk cows, 10 heifers, 1 herd sire (all cattle TB and Bang's tested, no reactors, no suspects); 6 horses, 100 chickens, 5 brood sows, 1 boar, 8 little pigs, 22 shoats. 10 20 tractor, 2-bottom plow, 3-sec. springtooth, 2 seeders, 1 new 3 sec. drag, 2-sec. drag, land crusher, corn planter, new Prime milking machine complete with motor compressor and piping, double unit; 2 steel wagons, 1 truck wagon, rubber tire wagon, etc. Also a quantity of feed.

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## Auction of Farm and Personal Property

On the Carl Bertschinger Farm, formerly Teuscher farm, 1 1/2 mile west of Dutch Mill on Hy. 57, Town of Fredonia, 2 1/2 miles north of Fredonia. Follow auction arrows

Saturday, Dec. 20th, at 10 A. M. sharp

Farm consists of 120 acres excellent land, remodeled house, good barn with new stanchions, milk house, machinery shed, etc. (Electricity) 16 Holsteins, 13 milk cows, 2 heifers, 1 herd sire (all cattle TB and Bang's tested, no reactors, no suspects); 1 team good heavy horses, 4 brood sows (bred), 60 pullets, 30 laying hens, 4 shoats. New Empire milking machine, W. 30 McCormick-Deering tractor, new Case 2-bottom tractor plow, grain binder, mower on rubber, riding cultivator, 2-wheel trailer, 2 sets heavy harness, 1 set light harness, cutter, stove, new corn binder, new electric brooder, etc. Also a quantity of feed.

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