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NO. 59

Expect Defeat Of Army Service Extension Bill In House; To Vote Monday

Ex-Governor Of Michigan Speaks Here

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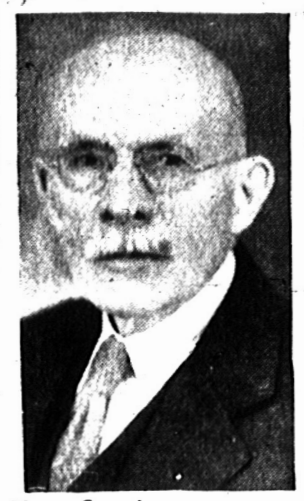
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Democrats Seek To Line Up Vote, GOP Against It

Washington, Aug. 8.—(UP)—House Anti-Interventionists' Leader Hamilton Fish R-N.Y. charged today that the administration's military service extension resolution was part of a grandiose conspiracy to involve America in European, Asiatic and African wars without the consent of Congress or the people.

Fish asserted that the United States needs no larger army. He said the administration's policy of the administration to go on looking for wars all over the world. He noted the army now has 1,500,000 men.

This tremendous armed force is all we need for defense, he said, adding that the nation would need an army three or four times as large to serve a expeditionary force to support the interventionist and war policies of Secretary Henry L. Stimson.

For Foreign Service Fish charged that the legislation would enable Stimson to raise an army of 5,000,000 soldiers or more not for defense but for foreign wars.

"We are incomparably stronger than a year ago," he said. "Our army and navy and air forces are much bigger and better equipped than a year ago. England now claims control of both the seas and skies, and every day is getting stronger. Germany has squandered the flower of her army and equipment on the vast steppes of Russia and is in no position to attack England this year and naturally not North or South America."

Washington, Aug. 8.—(UP)—Leaders thought today that the army extension legislation is in greater danger of being defeated in the house than any major administration measure since the outbreak of the European war.

The senate approved the measure 45 to 39 last night, extending the service of selectees, national guardsmen and reservists.

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Contract For Station St. To Triangle Co.

Local Firm's Bid Of \$88,516 Accepted By State; Start Soon

The Triangle Construction company of Kankakee today was awarded an \$88,516 contract to repair West Station street from the bridge to the Florence Stone company.

Work will start as soon as public utilities adjust their mains. Two mains must be lowered by the Triangle Construction company and one by the Kankakee Water company to meet the new pavement grade.

The state division of highways in Springfield awarded the contract. It will include repaving of the present narrow street with a new and wider concrete highway with 20-foot parking lanes on each side. The work will be completed by September 1.

Owners Put In Curb Curb of property fronting the street was altered to meet the cost of construction. The curb was brought in 10 feet and the sidewalk was widened to 10 feet.

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Treasury Head Demands An "All Out" Tax Bill To Tap Additional Money Sources

Says Exemptions Must Be Lowered To The Minimum

Washington, Aug. 8.—(UP)—The administration today renewed its appeal to lower individual exemptions on income taxes to a minimum of 11 percent of the total taxable income.

Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Joseph L. Starnes urged the Senate Finance Committee to reduce the exemptions to the minimum.

Starnes said before the committee that the exemptions for a family of four should be reduced to \$100 for the head of the family and \$50 for each dependent.

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Father Comforts Son at Tragedy

Gerhard Stoll comforts his six-year-old son, Charles, in Chicago after Charles was found wandering near an automobile in a forest preserve west of Chicago. In the car were the bodies of the boy's mother, Mrs. Florence Stoll, 50, and of Frank Ross, 42, who had been missing from their Chicago homes for three days. One investigator expressed the opinion that the victims of the tragedy had been slain.

Motorist To Pay Bills For Injured Tots

Luther Stowe, 270 East Erie street, Bradley, was served with a warrant Thursday night by Deputies Walter Bauer and Hamilton Wheeler as a result of an accident at Fifth and Stone streets last Friday evening when his car struck two small children.

The latter signed a complaint charging Stowe with careless driving. In police court Magistrate Edward Hoenneke assessed a fine of \$16.65 and Stowe agreed to pay hospital and doctor bills totaling \$35.

Kenneth Fox, 16 268 North Myrtle avenue, apprehended for careless driving on complaint of A. B. Cahoon, 276 North Hunter avenue and Arthur Reinhardt, 1555 East Chestnut street, was fined \$2.25.

House Committee Gives Okay To Seaway Project

Washington, Aug. 8.—(UP)—The House committee on commerce today approved the \$285,000,000 St. Lawrence seaway and the \$150,000,000 Florida ship canal for inclusion in an omnibus rivers and harbors bill soon to be submitted to Congress.

Committee members reported the vote on the controversial seaway, advocated by President Roosevelt as a national defense project, was 17 to 8 and on the Florida ship canal 14 to 10.

The committee adopted a provision calling for tolls on the Florida canal but rejected suggestions that tolls be provided for in the seaway development.

Chairman Nansfield (D-Texas) said that under treaties with Canada Congress could not enact legislation requiring tolls on the St. Lawrence waterway.

Partly cloudy tonight and Saturday, scattered thunder-showers south and west Saturday afternoon or night; rather warm Saturday.

Conrad Float Wins First At Glad Festival

Thousands Of Colorful Blooms Grown In This County Exhibited

Thousands and thousands of the world's finest gladiolus blooms grown in Kankakee county adorned floats in the parade Thursday afternoon as the fourth annual Memento "glad" festival got under way.

People of Memento prepared to welcome visitors from many cities and from neighboring states before the festival closes Saturday night with a boat pageant, Junior Legion drum and bugle corps competition and the awarding of an automobile.

Tonight the Kankakee high school concert band will play at the festival grounds at 8 p. m. Following other evening entertainment features, a fireworks display will be held at 10 p. m.

Queen Rides In Float In the parade yesterday, the float of the queen, Miss Evelyn Graves of Lowell, Ind., was beautifully made of pastel colors of gladiolus blossoms. The queen was attired in white and her attendants wore pastel colors. The children's division headed the procession, some riding bicycles, some on ponies and other sorts of conveyances.

The bands of Kankakee, Bradley and Memento were in the procession along with the Memento-Ganeer post of American Legion, floats of some of the "glad" growers and many commercial numbers.

A committee of four judges awarded parade prizes as follows: Floral class—Conrad bakery, first; Richard Blankenship, second; and Pure Milk association, third; commercial floats—Orange Kid, first; and B. L. Tabler and Son.

Judges included Ruel Hall, Bradley; Rudolph Cheffer, St. Anne; W. F. Hentschel, Chicago Heights; and L. D. Durni, North Brook.

In the softball tournament games yesterday at Memento high school diamond, scores were as follows: Fortier Grocers, Kankakee, 13, Morter of Kankakee, 4; Pembroke, 8, St. Anne, 6; Cedar Lake, 9, Orange Kid of Memento, 6; Budweiser of Memento, 5, Trinity of Herscher, 2 (extra innings).

Three games will be played tonight, beginning at 5:30 p. m. when Budweiser faces Pembroke. Immediately afterward, Cedar Lake will play Fortier Grocers and the winners will meet in the third contest, competing for a \$50 prize.

Saturday has been designated as Legion day, Commander E. J. Reisinger of Memento-Ganeer post announces that Junior Legion drum and bugle corps are expected from

Fire Destroys Shed On East Avenue

Firemen were summoned at 9:45 o'clock Thursday evening to extinguish a shed fire at the residence of Joe Sarafini, 828 South East avenue. The blaze, apparently started by rubbish, had advanced too much to save the shed when firemen arrived. Damage was estimated at \$75.

Fire Chief Roy Marquardt today appealed to residents to try to be more specific in reporting fire calls. Frequently the wrong street is given. It is not necessary to give the exact number but firemen can save valuable minutes by knowing the block number. The first five minutes are the most important in fighting fires.

Questionnaires To 1st 50 New Registrants

21-Year-Olds Who Registered July 1 To Be Called Soon

Questionnaires have been mailed to the first 50 of the 11-year-olds who registered last July 1 with local draft board No. 2.

To date this board has sent out 1,650 questionnaires to the first group of registrants and the order number of the last mailed was 919. From that number on to the second list of registrants is to be mailed at intervals of every 15th number.

For local board No. 1, this ratio is 11 to 1.

The sequence numbers and names of the first 50 of the 21-year-olds to receive papers from board No. 2 follows:

From Rural Areas: 1. George Vasek, 2. Robert J. Vasek, 3. Clarence J. Vasek, 4. Leo Tondre, 5. Arona Park, 6. Markwood Hendrix, 7. Joseph Hager, 8. Ario Grob, 9. Herscher, 10. Joseph Hager, 11. Bradley, 12. Francis W. Wiant, 13. Memento, 14. Russell Shear, 15. Manteno, 16. James Elliot, 17. Kankakee.

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Father Goes To Court To Get Son Into Navy

Chicago, Aug. 8.—(UP)—A father went to court today to get his son into the navy. Kenneth Mullins is eager to enlist. His father, Captain Chester L. Mullins, wants him to, but his son is opposed to it. The father is willing to give his consent.

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Rotarians Display Their Wares At Weekly Luncheon

Kankakee Rotarians enjoyed an annual program yesterday when members brought products or commodities to represent their businesses to the weekly meeting at the Hotel Kankakee. Each Rotarian then called on to display his wares and explain their uses in business.

Products ranged from a dozen baby chicks, brought by Waldo Roth, to the valves, brought by Ray Hanks. Even businesses not represented in the Rotary club, such as bakers, bakers and others, sent their products.

Some of the other products and their bearers were: a thermometer, brought by Dr. Charles Allison; a glass shurt, brought by Gene Anderson; a rare old money, brought by Louis Beckman Sr.; a warranty for several acres of swamp land, brought by Louis Beckman.

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Arrest Co. L Man Who Comes Home Without Leave

James E. Chambers, 22 of Kankakee, a member of Co. L, 129th Infantry at Camp Forrest, Tenn., was arrested early today in the 800 block on South East avenue for being absent without leave from his station.

Sgt. Fred Eitch, military police officer, is holding him at the county jail pending orders from his station as to his disposition. Chambers' unit was scheduled to depart Wednesday for maneuvers at Camp Robinson, Ark. Chambers, who said he was promised a 10-day leave but didn't get it, took "French leave" just before the troops headed for Arkansas.

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44,076 More Passenger Cars Are Registered

Springfield, Ill., Aug. 8.—(AP)—Secretary of State Edward J. Hughes reported today that 44,076 more passenger cars were registered during the first seven months of 1941 in Illinois than for the entire 12 months of 1940.

On July 31, registrations for the year totaled 1,751,588, compared with 1,643,034 on July 31, 1940. Registrations totaled 222,440 for the first seven months of 1941, compared with 217,382 for the same period in 1940.

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Old Plates May Be Down Payment On New Licenses

Washington, Aug. 8.—(AP)—Motorists may be required to turn in their 1941 license plates in order to obtain 1942 tags because of the shortage of sheet steel.

The office of price administration and civilian supply today requested states to impose such a requirement, and said that steel was being allocated for the 1942 plates only because the time was too short to enable states to find substitutes.

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Manon Brings Piersol

Other products and their bearers were: a pair of glasses, brought by Dr. Charles Allison; a bottle of emulsion, brought by Ben Lockwood; corn brought by Lawrence Lowe; a bottle of Coca Cola, brought by Bert Gunter; a plywood board and samples of grain, brought by Jerald Mark; a gun used as exhibit "A" in a murder trial, brought by John Mayhew; a bottle of water, brought by Lynn Minor; a penny bank, brought by Howard McCracken; a model house,

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NORTHEAST LEAGUE LEADER PLAYS HERE SUNDAY

St. Anne Faces Lehig Nine At Waterman Park

STANDINGS

Team	W	L	Pct.
St. Anne	9	2	.818
Reddick-Union Hill	9	3	.750
Pittwood	9	3	.750
St. William	6	4	.600
Essex	4	6	.400
Ashtabula	4	7	.364
Lehigh	3	7	.300
Clifton	2	7	.222
Custer Park	1	10	.100

St. Anne, who took over the Northeastern Illinois baseball league by defeating Pittwood last Sunday 5 to 4, will display its baseball wares for the benefit of Kankakee fans at Waterman park Sunday when it plays the Lehig nine. Lehig lost to Clifton last Sunday, 4 to 1 but its recent acquisition of four new players should strengthen the team Sunday's game with the waterman-leaders. Added to the Lehig roster are Glad and Schipper, who were loaned from the St. Anne team and have been obtained from the State Hospital team for the final big league game. The game will be played at 2 o'clock Sunday, 1941, at Waterman park. The game will be a doubleheader with the St. Anne team to play the first game and the Clifton team to play the second game. The game will be a doubleheader with the St. Anne team to play the first game and the Clifton team to play the second game.

Pittwood, loser of the league last because of its loss to St. Anne last Sunday, plays here to the fall-end of the league. In a big effort to escape the league cellar, Manager Frank Calk has been looking for a way to plug some of the weak spots in the Custer Park lineup, and has secured a pitcher from the St. Anne team. The game will be played at 2 o'clock Sunday, 1941, at Waterman park. The game will be a doubleheader with the St. Anne team to play the first game and the Clifton team to play the second game.

Still in the Fight
Reddick-Union Hill, still a strong contender for the pennant, will play a half a game of the pace, taking on Clifton at Union Hill. Hamilton's Hilltoppers, last Sunday, took the measure of Custer Park by a 6 to 0 count, while Ashtabula took the measure of South Wilmington in a wild time inning rally that netted the Miners nine runs for a 16 to 7 final score.

Baseball Talent
Not Promising, Doc Prothro Discovers
Philadelphia, Aug. 8.—(AP)—Doc Prothro, back from his eight-day safari through the baseball bushes, has a little discouragement at the caliber of the new crop of players—not only for the sake of his own Phillies but for the big leagues in general. "The stock," said Doc, "is not so hot, and I'm not alone in that opinion, either. Look around at the Phil party manager covered a considerable section of the southern states on his vory-hunting tour. He was most of the clubs in the Southern Association and the Cotton States league—and he came back home shaking his head. "I don't see much of the future play any more," observed Prothro. "I wonder where he went?"

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Cardinals Back on Top in National League

Cooper Hurls, Bats Red Birds To 3-2 Victory

CATCHING A FEW OFF FIRST:
By ORRIN ALLAIN.
It was the last in a series of two stories concerning Doug Mills, recently appointed University of Illinois athletic director, written by this staff. The first story, "The Cardinals' Back on Top," was published last Sunday. The second story, "The Cardinals' Back on Top," was published last Sunday.

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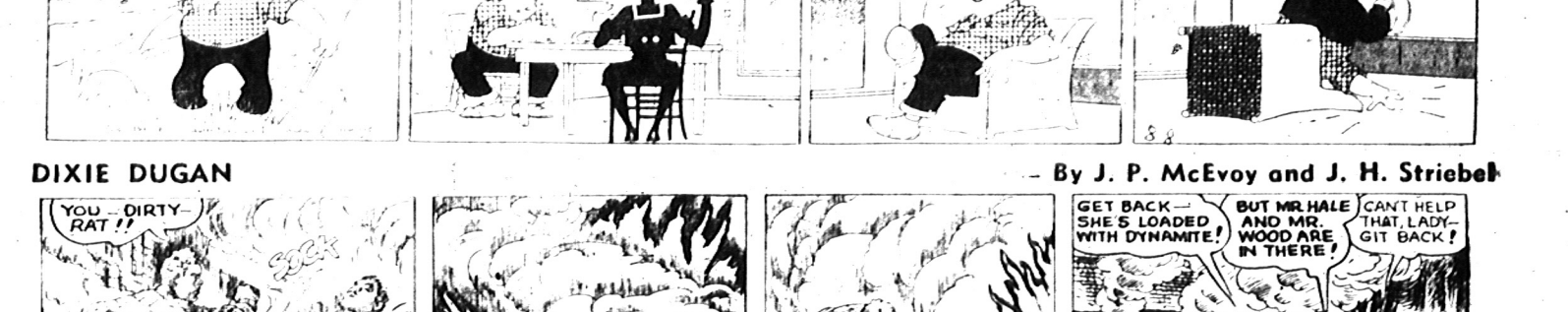
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