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MISSING MAN'S BODY IN RIVER

Kankakee On Proposed New Air Line

Plan 2-Motored
Ships To Carry Mail
And Passengers

Kankakee is one of 71 cities in eight states on the proposed route of Southwest Feeder Airlines, Inc., which has made application to the civil aeronautics board in Washington, D. C., for permission to establish air mail and transport service.

This was learned today when Tom Haden, president of the firm which has headquarters in Fort Worth, Tex., wrote to Secretary Ron Henneken of the Kankakee chamber of commerce for economic data.

A pre-hearing was held before the civil aeronautics board this week in Washington and the board is expected to set a date for a formal hearing within a few days.

Haden said that a survey recently made indicated that Kankakee should be provided with air service Southwest Feeder Airlines propose to provide a feeder type of service with twin-engine Lockheed equipment, which will make the best possible connections at the nearest trunk line air terminal.

The company is reported adequately financed and possessing experienced personnel in air transportation. In order to prove the convenience and necessity of this service for Kankakee, considerable economic data must be compiled, it was indicated.

Passengers and Mail
Proposed routes would more or less parallel existing airlines rather than parallel them, thus feeding air passenger, mail and property service to the established systems.

A map of the proposed feeder lines indicates air service between St. Louis and Chicago through such points as Centralia, Springfield, Decatur, Urbana, Bloomington, Peoria and Kankakee.

The system also would connect with many routes through Texas, Oklahoma, Kansas, Missouri, Iowa, Arkansas and Louisiana.

Average Cost Of New Homes Here Is \$6,800 Each

The six new homes on which construction was begun in the city last month have a value of \$40,800, or an average cost in excess of \$6,800 each.

They constituted the bulk of building activities during November, according to records of Building Inspector Allen J. Cooper who issued 21 permits for work totaling \$47,825 during the period.

The total number of new homes for which permits were issued in the 11 months of 1941 to date is 84. This is only one short of the entire number issued during 1940.

Erwin Grey Heads Speakers Club

A speakers' club was organized in a meeting last evening of graduates of the class in speech and personality development conducted by the Y. M. C. A. last winter.

Officers are Erwin Grey, president; Clifford Williams, vice president; Miss Helen Huffman, secretary; Miss Mildred Durig, treasurer. Dr. and Mrs. Laurence H. Howe of the speech department of Olivet college are honorary members.

The committee on constitution and by-laws will report at the next meeting Jan. 27 when each member will respond to roll call with a two-minute speech giving a suggestion for the club's permanent name.

President Grey said the organization will hold regular meetings devoted to the development of speech arts, book reviews, discussions and parliamentary practice.

Bus Driver, Indicted For Manslaughter, Sued For \$20,000

Edmund Jarvis, 24, Harvey bus driver, former Kankakeean, today was named the defendant in a circuit court suit for damages totaling \$20,000.

The suit is by John Henricks of Roberts, Ill., administrator of the estate of his wife Ruth. She was killed in an auto accident last Sept. 7 on the Dixie highway between Kankakee and Mokena.

The complaint filed in behalf of Mr. Henricks by Attorney Eva L. Minor, accuses Jarvis, alleged to be the driver of one of three automo-

Britain Calls Men to Posts at Singapore



Open House Sunday

Members of the council of St. John Evangelical church, shown above, and Sunday school teachers will serve as guides at an "open house" from 3 to 6 o'clock Sunday afternoon in the church. The public is invited. Work done by Sunday school students will be displayed, refreshments served and souvenir folders distributed. From the "singing tower," a chime concert will be played during the 4 to 5 o'clock resper hour. During the past year the sanctuary and Sunday school rooms have been redecorated and new heating equipment installed.

Estimate City Population Is Now 22,600

Represents Gain Of 349 People Since Census Of Year Ago

Washington, D. C., Dec. 6.—(RN Special)—Kankakee is growing fast that census takers have stopped trying to estimate its population.

Defense industries and army mobilization have been factors in a nationwide trend away from rural areas toward metropolitan centers, and the net effect on Kankakee can no longer be even approximated.

The census bureau has a formula for computing population changes, balancing births against deaths and accounting for normal population movements.

According to this formula, Kankakee's population as of April 1 of this year works out to 22,436, a gain of 185 over the official 1940 census population of 22,251. But this figure is wrong, census experts admit, for at least two reasons.

Change Rapidly
First, the formula takes no account of present unusual conditions. Second, trends in population movement are developing so fast that even a figureless out of date today.

As of Dec. 1, 1941, Kankakee's population was certainly in excess of 22,600, the experts declare. But they go no further, claiming that the exact amount of the excess could be determined only by a new census. And by the time new census figures had been compiled, they would be out of date, too. Kankakee is growing that fast!

Magazine Editor Talks Here Monday

Merton Hols, editor of Kiwanis International magazine, is the speaker for the club's meeting Monday noon in McCrumb's cafe.

Wilbur Marshall, general chairman for the Kiwanis Christmas party for underprivileged children, has called a conference of all committee heads for the party after the club session.

Far Eastern Crisis Hangs In Balance

Rapid-Fire Developments Pace The Darkening Situation

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Great Britain suddenly recalled all fighting men to their posts at Singapore today as the far east crisis hung in delicate balance and a British broadcast reported that Australia had arranged to send tank troops to help defend the Dutch East Indies in the event of war.

Officers and men of all services—fleet, air and army—were told to report immediately at Singapore, completing a state of readiness at Britain's "Gibraltar of the Orient."

Trucks and other vehicles were dispatched to downtown points in central Singapore to transport the men to their ships, flying fields and army posts.

There was no explanation whether the order meant a sudden new emergency.

Immediate evacuation of all "non-essential" civilians from Manila and other areas in the Philippines also was requested today.

The Philippine cabinet, a special session at which President Manuel Quezon presided, indicated also that compulsory evacuation might follow.

Areas besides Manila to be evacuated are to be fixed by the civilian emergency administration after consultation with General Douglas MacArthur, commander of the U. S. forces in the far east.

Jap Press Hostile

The Japanese press sharpened its hostility against the United States, with the prominent newspaper Kokumin declaring that in the event of "American aggression a billion people of East Asia would become bombs" against Britain and the United States.

The newspaper Nichi Nichi asserted that the United States was playing to "gain time" in the crisis, but Asahi's foreign commentator warned that it would be dangerous to think the United States was sticking to a policy of appeasement.

Simultaneously, all non-Britons were forbidden to leave British Malaya without special government permission. Japanese waiting to sail for Thailand were forced to disembark and their baggage was brought ashore.

Far East Developments
Other rapid-fire developments paced the darkening situation:

1. The big Japanese steamship company, Nippon Yusen Kaisha, called home the chiefs of its Singapore and Bombay offices.

2. Without explanation, Japan recalled two attaches of the Japanese embassy in Washington. (The German radio identified them as military attaches, Col. Tadamura and Lieut.-Col. Ariu Uchida.)

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3 Divorce Suits Based On Desertion Filed Here Today

Three divorces, all founded on charges of desertion, were granted this morning by Circuit Judge Luther B. Bratton.

Hector Contois, Mokena, represented by Attorney E. P. Harney, charged desertion on the part of Priscilla Contois of Elgin. He testified that the marriage took place in Elgin on May 29, 1916, and the separation Nov. 15, 1923.

In his suit against Nellie Maxwell, Waynesville, Ill., Ezra Maxwell of Kankakee was represented by Attorney Victor N. Cardosi. Maxwell testified that the marriage was 41 years ago in Waynesville and that their four sons and daughters are all adults.

Mrs. Hazel Booker of Kankakee said that Archie Booker, now in Arkansas, left her on June 4, 1940-15 years after their marriage in Decatur. There are no children. She was represented by Attorney Vernon C. Butz.

State Police Nab 3 Law Violators

Three motorists arrested by state police were fined yesterday in the court of Justice Henry R. Bauer.

Fred Rogers, 998 North Bourbonnais Road, apprehended by Officer Ralph Mann for failure to have a state license on a two-wheel trailer, was fined \$5. Adam Pekala of Chicago, arrested by Officer Ed. McCarroll for failure to transport a through highway sign on route 49, Cecil James of Waco, Tex., also nabbed by Officer McGraw, was fined \$4.

Christmas Party For Kids Dec. 17

With the cooperation of Public Great States Theaters, Inc. and the Projectionists' union, the Kiwanis club's annual Christmas party for underprivileged children will be held in the Paramount theater the morning of Dec. 17 at 10 o'clock.

As in the past, the children will see a specially arranged film program and receive gifts of toys, candy and fruit. Names of the children who are to attend will be furnished the Kiwanians by school teachers.

Roy Strasma, Kiwanis president, has appointed Wilbur Marshall as general chairman of the party and John H. Beckers as vice chairman. Committees are:

Toys—W. R. Hickox, Fred Hefter, Ben Nordgren, Howard Moore, Harold Champion, Gilbert Hertz, Earl Phillips and A. C. Willman.

Candy—Cyril Close, C. A. Rollison, Arthur L. Beckman, Maurice Halloran, Paul Laird, Paul Hansen, H. A. Hartman and Clermont Deselm.

Apples and oranges—Donald Gray, Lyle Everist and F. W. Bevan. School arrangements—R. Y. Allison, Irwin Grey and M. L. Clancy. Theater—Larry McCabe, Sidney Fousie and C. F. Koehler.

As in the past, the theater corporation will donate the use of the theater and film while members of the theater staff will contribute their services.

Soviets Pierce Nazi Lines In Kalinin Sector

Reds Also Claim Extensive Victories In Southern Areas

BULLETIN
New York, Dec. 6.—(AP)—The Italian radio declared today that "one and a half million men, 8,000 tanks and 1,000 guns are moving toward Moscow in the most terrific offensive of all times." NBC recorded the announcement.

BULLETIN
London, Dec. 6.—(AP)—The admiralty announced tonight that the British cruiser Dorsetshire had caught and sunk a German commerce raider in the South Atlantic. It said the raider tried to escape, leaving behind five boats laden with oil and provisions which had been observed alongside her.

The communiqué did not identify the German vessel, describing her only as a converted merchantman of about 10,000 tons.

London, Dec. 6.—(AP)—A Reuters dispatch said today that Red army forces on the counter offensive broke through the German lines yesterday in the Kalinin sector, one of the anchors of Moscow's defenses 90 miles northwest of the Red capital.

The agency, quoting the Moscow radio, said a village had been taken by the Soviet forces and their drive still was continuing.

In an offensive southeast of Kalinin, the Red army was said also to have inflicted a heavy blow on two German infantry divisions and to have captured an important point.

Bombard Retreating Units

A sweeping Russian maneuver intended to outflank any Mius river line established by the axis was indicated today in Soviet dispatches.

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The Weather

(Saturday, Dec. 6, 1941)

Hourly temperature readings from 1 o'clock Friday afternoon to noon today are:

High at 1 p. m. 42, low at 8 a. m. 26.

A year ago fair, high 50, low 22.
1 p. m. 42, 1 a. m. 33.
2 p. m. 42, 2 a. m. 31.
3 p. m. 41, 3 a. m. 30.
4 p. m. 41, 4 a. m. 29.
5 p. m. 40, 5 a. m. 28.
6 p. m. 40, 6 a. m. 27.
7 p. m. 39, 7 a. m. 27.
8 p. m. 38, 8 a. m. 26.
9 p. m. 38, 9 a. m. 26.
10 p. m. 37, 10 a. m. 27.
11 p. m. 35, 11 a. m. 28.
Midnight 33, Noon 28.

Sunset today at 4:19, sunrise Sunday at 7:04, sunset at 4:19, moon rises at 8 p. m. tomorrow.

Fair through Sunday; colder with hard freeze in north portion tonight.



Flames Damage Flying Warship

Fire seriously damaged the Navy's big flying warship "Mars" at Baltimore, Md. Glenn L. Martin Company's Chief Test Pilot Ken Ebel said one motor went dead as he taxied out for a water test. He turned on

a reversible pitch propeller on a second motor. The propeller broke, a sliver piercing the cabin. That motor caught fire, dropping in the water as Ebel grounded the "Mars."

Fine Lang \$50 For Ignoring Chief's Order

County Judge C. D. Henry today assessed a fine of \$50, the maximum provided by law for the offense involved, against Sam Lang, 842 Main street, junk dealer.

Lang recently was found guilty by a county court jury of failure to heed a notice by Roy Marquart, fire chief, to make repairs to Lang's building at the above address.

The fine was assessed by the court when there was no motion for arrest of judgment, as is usual in the case when an appeal is contemplated to a higher court.

State's Attorney Joseph J. Tolson was the prosecutor and Noel A. Diamond the defense attorney.

Children To Share Walker Estate

The will of Mrs. Georgie Walker, Mokena, today was filed in the office of Hector J. LeBeau, clerk of the county court, by Attorney William J. Parish.

The will divides her estate among daughters Mrs. Livonia Council and Mrs. Genovia Walker and sons Harold and Dale. The son Harold is named executor.

Outline Route Of Santa Claus Parade Monday

The route of the Broadway balloon parade to be held in the Kankakee business district at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon was announced today by the sponsor, the retail trade division of the chamber of commerce.

Santa Claus will be here with the Kankakee high school band and the huge comic and grotesque balloon figures which have proved so popular in New York City Christmas parades.

The parade will form on Court street near Greenwood avenue and proceed to East avenue, south to Hickory, east to Schuyler, north to Oak and east to Harrison.

Many persons are coming from surrounding towns to witness these unusual balloons. A number of schools will close for the occasion.

15 SHOPPING DAYS to Christmas

Also GIVE U.S. Defense Savings BONDS and STAMPS at STORES-BANKS POST OFFICES

5 More Firms Win Gold Star Awards In Chest Drive

Five more firms were presented with gold star awards today as a result of all employees and executives contributing 100 per cent to the community chest drive.

Those added to the previously published list, announced by Anthony Yonke, chairman of the auditing committee, include Baird-Swannell Inc., Ray J. Benoit, Kroger Stores, Hausmann Paint company and the salvaging department of Florence Stove company.

General Chairman Eugene Anderson issued a bulletin to all workers this morning, urging maximum efforts in bringing in reports at the official meeting of the entire campaign organization Monday night in the Hotel Kankakee. This meeting will be at 6:10 p. m.

The auditing committee members, in addition to Chairman Yonke, include Edward Stewig, W. I. Holcomb, Delmer Allain, Raymond Nourie, Merle Throne, Leonard McIntyre, R. G. Drolet and A. E. Eufinger. Additional members will join this committee Monday night.

Man Arrested For Indecent Exposure

Fred Lee Gray, 24, 291 South Harrison avenue, was arrested by Officers Wallace Flannery and Jay Cahoon at 9:40 o'clock Friday night in the 500 block on East Hickory street on an accusation of indecent exposure.

An employee of the Wilmington munitions plant, he posted \$10 bond guaranteeing his appearance in police court this evening for a hearing.

Ruth Foster, 19, of Normal, who has been staying at the Y.W.C.A. recently, was held by police today for investigation. The young woman formerly resided at an orphan's home in Normal.

No Identification On 2 Trucks

Watseka, Dec. 6.—(RN Special)—August Wockner of Watseka, arrested Friday by State Highway Officer Edward Götztler for failure to have a license on his trailer and no identification on his truck, was fined \$12 by Police Magistrate Harry Little.

Kenneth Hershberger of Watseka, arrested by Highway Officer Ralph Mann for failure to have identification on his truck, was assessed \$5 by the magistrate.

Will Enroll Boys For CCC On Dec. 11

There will be an enrollment for the CCC on Dec. 11, it was announced today by Everett B. Holscher, CCC selecting agent, and those interested are to apply in his office, 501 Volkmann building, no later than Wednesday.

Those eligible are boys between the ages of 17 and 23, 2 years, unemployed and not in school attendance.

Jury Decides Seller "Stuck" For Horse's Keep

Decision Reverses Ruling Of Manteno Justice Of Peace

A county court jury decided last night that Joe O'Reilly, Rockville farmer, is not indebted to E. W. (Bud) Lawrence of Manteno for the purchase price of a horse nor for the cost of feeding the animal.

The case was an appeal from the court of Justice A. J. McNeil, Manteno, who last April 17 gave Lawrence a judgment of \$100, the price of the horse, plus 35 cents a day as the cost of feeding since last Feb. 28. The suit yesterday was heard by County Judge Stephen C. Malo, Watseka.

The jury of seven men and five women, fortified by such farm sale auction talk as "knocked down" (at an auction sale) "to wind and work," "puffs" and "spavins," took the case at 8 o'clock last night and reached a verdict at 9:10 o'clock.

The sealed verdict was opened this morning by Judge C. D. Henry.

The 5-year-old, 1,700-pound bay mare, not called by name in the testimony, was the subject of the suit. Formerly O'Reilly's, it was "knocked down" or sold to Edmund P. Smith, Manteno sale barn proprietor, at a farm auction conducted by Lawrence last Feb. 28. The price was \$100.

The buyer was not satisfied with the mare, however, refused to pay Lawrence for it and the day after the sale returned the animal to Lawrence, who already had paid O'Reilly. The latter subsequently refused to take the animal back from Lawrence.

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Boat Club Members Going In For Fancy Hats—And Stuff

Members of the Kankakee Valley Boat club, who now have their craft laid up and whose thoughts are turning to social events during the winter, are a pretty informal lot.

Organized into a club only a couple of seasons ago, the boatmen have been too interested in learning their boats and exploring the river to be much concerned with the frills of formal club activities.

Besides, what rules of mere dignity would restrain a couple of irrepressible who hold that an accidental ducking or two in the course of a Sunday afternoon's outing is no more than good clean fun?

They're Getting Fancy

One of these days, however, the boatmen may get around to the fanciness of uniforms, salutes to officers, club burgees (flags), private flags and so on. If they do, what traditions of yachting will apply?

First of all, the head officer, now Commodore Ralph Farmer, is entitled to a uniform with sleeve markings consisting of five bands with the upper one brought into the shape of a knot containing the

Arthur Peno Disappeared On Oct. 26

Find Body Floating In Stream Near Hieland Golf Course

The body of Arthur Peno, 44, of Manteno, missing since Oct. 26, was recovered late yesterday from the Kankakee river.

Taken from the water near Hieland lodge, southeast of Kankakee, the body bore no marks of violence and the assumption of Coroner Ed P. Madison and Deputy Sheriffs Gene LaFontaine and Walter Bauer, who were present when the body was recovered, was that death was by accidental drowning.

Peno's disappearance was reported to the office of Sheriff Dan Bergan on Nov. 27 by Ben Blanchette, farmer east of Kankakee, and subsequently by Peno's father Peter of Manteno. Investigation by the sheriff of Peno's movements just before his disappearance proved fruitless.

Had The Wage Coming
Blanchette said that when Peno, who was employed by him as a farm hand, left his place he supposed that he had had some errand of his own. The farmer said Peno left his personal effects and had \$35 in wages coming when he left. Blanchette's place is near the river and near the tavern known as "River Rest" which Peno had visited.

The body was taken to the Clancy funeral home. It was decomposed to such an extent as to require burial today in the St. George cemetery.

Early yesterday afternoon the coroner and deputy sheriffs had been searching, by motor boat, another section of the river in search of the body of Edward Kubisty, Dixon youth, who drowned in the river near the Buckman resort between Kankakee and Mokena the evening of Nov. 12.

The officers did so in response to a report from Eagle Island resort, northeast of Kankakee, that a body had been seen floating.

Discover Body
The Peno body was discovered by Joe Glasford, Aroma Park, who saw it floating, and it was brought to shore by Tom Davis, Aroma Park, truck driver employed in Kankakee, assisted by the deputies.

Coroner Madison was holding the inquest at the courthouse today.

Besides Peno, the named, Peno is survived by brothers Wilbur and Alvey of Manteno; sisters Mrs. Edna Sours and Mrs. Agnes Soule of Manteno; Mrs. Louise Wright of Kankakee rural route and Mrs. Mamie Loveland of Whitaker.

H. P. Rehr Funeral Largely Attended

Funeral services for Harry P. Rehr, 54, Kankakee funeral director who died Tuesday afternoon at his home, were conducted Friday afternoon from Rehr's with the Rev. Theodore B. Buchmiller, pastor of the St. John Evangelical church, officiating and burial in the family plot in Mount Grove.

Many friends in all walks of life paid their last respects. Floral tributes were profuse and of exceptional beauty.

Palbearers were Elmer Neumann, Charles Ebel, Herman Hansen, Henry Kamman, Harry Topping, Esquire Lee, Harry Mang and Ernest Blakely.

GETS MARKSMANSHIP MEDAL

Howard Williams, 22, son of Mr. and Mrs. Idolphus Williams of West Kankakee, who was included into the army last September, has been awarded a rifle marksmanship medal at Fort Riley, Kas., for hitting 250 bull's eyes in 300 shots.

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News of Women's Activities

J. O. Y. Meets For Annual Christmas Party

The J. O. Y. class of the First Baptist church met Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Patricia McIntyre for their annual Christmas party and gift exchange.

After the business session, games were played with honors going to Dorothy Y. and Frances Shout.

Refreshments were served at 7:30 p. m. and the class will meet in the home of Miss Frances Shout in January.

"K"ettes Club Holds Meeting Tuesday Eve

The "K"ettes club met Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Dorothy Foster, 668 North Dearborn avenue.

After the business session, a Christmas dance was given with Miss Helen LeBoeuf winning honors.

The next meeting will be with Miss Jackie Jaffe, 919 South Myrtle avenue in January.

David Marceau, St. Anne Has His 83rd Birthday

David Marceau of St. Anne observed his 83rd birthday Sunday morning at his home.

His wife, Mrs. Marceau, and daughter, Miss LeBoeuf, were present.

True Pals Meeting Is Held With Mrs. Caciulli

True Pals met with Mrs. Alice Caciulli, 263 North Ninth avenue, Thursday evening.

The meeting was the division with Mrs. Caciulli, Mrs. James Hollywood and Mrs. Fred West.

Woman's Relief Corps Holds Annual Bazaar

Woman's Relief Corps met Friday morning for quilting. In the afternoon, the annual bazaar was held and luncheon and supper were served to the public.

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Informal Club Meeting Is Held On Friday

The Informal club was entertained at the home of Mrs. W. W. Morrow, 100 East Jeffery street.

The meeting was the division with Mrs. Caciulli, Mrs. James Hollywood and Mrs. Fred West.

Millicent Leutloff Heads Girl Reserves

The Millicent Leutloff Girl Reserves held installation of officers Friday evening at the home of Mrs. W. C. A. Jode.

The officers for the year are: president, Jackie Wilson, vice president, Vivienne Lucas, secretary, Helen Larson, representative, Dorothy Kuntz, and chairman, Millicent Leutloff.

Miss Jean Burrell Entertains Rho Chapter

Rho chapter of Sigma Alpha Sigma met Tuesday afternoon with Miss Jean Burrell, 100 East Jeffery street.

The meeting was the division with Mrs. Caciulli, Mrs. James Hollywood and Mrs. Fred West.

Mrs. A. J. Collins Is Tendered A Shower

Mrs. A. J. Collins, 609 South Neil, was tendered a shower Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. C. A. Jode.

The shower was given by the Rho chapter of Sigma Alpha Sigma.

Announcements

The Round Table club will meet Monday evening with Mrs. M. Goss and Mrs. W. C. A. Jode.

The meeting was the division with Mrs. Caciulli, Mrs. James Hollywood and Mrs. Fred West.

Hermides Boudreau Dies Here Friday

Hermides Boudreau, 74, died yesterday at his home, 494 West 10th street, after an illness of several months.

Funeral services will be conducted at 9:30 o'clock with burial in St. Rose cemetery. The body is at the home of Mrs. Boudreau.

Mrs. Monty Hostess To Bradley Club

Mrs. Monty Hostess of Bradley club will be the guest of honor at the Christmas party of the club.

The party will be held at the home of Mrs. Hostess.

Mrs. Cora Dearth Dies At Watseka

Mrs. Cora Dearth, 66, died at Watseka, Ill., Tuesday.

Funeral services will be conducted at 9:30 o'clock with burial in St. Rose cemetery.

Barnett Rites Held At Chebanse

Funeral services for Mrs. Louisa Barnett, 68, were held at Chebanse, Ill., Tuesday.

The services were conducted by Rev. J. H. Johnson.

Hold Shower At Ashkum For Bride

A bride shower was held at Ashkum, Ill., Tuesday.

The shower was given by the friends of the bride.

County Court Docket

The County Court docket for Tuesday, December 3, 1941, is as follows:

1. **BEAR-TIGER RUGS** vs. **BEAR-TIGER RUGS**, 100 East Jeffery street.

It's About Time

It's about time to display figures in this way. Make two square figures in this way.

The figures are: 1. 100 East Jeffery street. 2. 100 East Jeffery street.

For a Merry Christmas

For a merry Christmas, give a gift to the family.

The gift is: 100 East Jeffery street.

Order Your Christmas Gifts Now

Order your Christmas gifts now at Labeau Bros.

The gifts are: 100 East Jeffery street.

One of the easiest, simplest ways to prepare for Christmas gift expenses

One of the easiest, simplest ways to prepare for Christmas gift expenses is to save a small sum each week the year 'round.

The sum is: 100 East Jeffery street.

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Kankakee's Bargain Counter—Many Useful Articles Advertised on This Page at a Fraction of Their Original Cost—Read and Save!

Wendell Fleisher Named Court House Janitor At Watseka

Wendell Fleisher of Watseka has been named janitor of the court house at Watseka.

The appointment was made by the board of directors.

Classified Advertising Rates

Words	1 Day	2 Days	3 Days	4 Days	5 Days	6 Days
Up to 24	60	96	132	168	204	240
25 to 29	73	116	160	203	247	290
30 to 34	85	136	187	238	289	340
35 to 39	98	156	215	273	332	390
40 to 44	110	176	242	308	374	440
45 to 49	123	196	270	343	417	490

Personal Loans

Personal loans are available at a low rate of interest.

The loans are: 100 East Jeffery street.

Public Sale

A public sale will be held at the home of Mrs. J. H. Johnson.

The sale is: 100 East Jeffery street.

Cash For Your December Needs

Cash for your December needs is available at a low rate of interest.

The cash is: 100 East Jeffery street.

Real Estate

Real estate is available at a low rate of interest.

The real estate is: 100 East Jeffery street.

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For Xmas For Xmas

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Tyrone Power Stars In New Air Thriller

The first motion picture of Britain's fighting R. A. F. will zoom across the screen of the Paramount theater when 20th Century-Fox's new production, "A Yank in the R. A. F.," opens Sunday.

With Tyrone Power as the yank and Betty Grable as the yank's sweetheart, this story of England's men of the skies follows them as they live, love and laugh on land and perform deeds of heroism in the air as part of their everyday job.

Production chief Darryl F. Zanuck received the full consent and cooperation of the British government to show many of the exciting events of the war—flights over Germany, the evacuation at Dunkirk, forced landings in enemy country; and on the lighter side, the pilots' relaxation.

The story follows Tyrone, an American flyer in Britain who joins the R. A. F. to get some action. Bored by the instructions he must take and the routine of his duties, he does not get along well with his fellow pilots or his commanding officer, played by John Sutton. His romance with Betty Grable, an American dancer in London, receives a setback when Sutton proposes marriage to her.

Although this is Betty's most dramatic role to date, she is featured in two musical numbers especially created for her. The top song-writing team of Leo Robin and Ralph Rainger wrote two new songs, "Hi-Ya Love" and "Another Little Dream Won't Do Us Any Harm," for these musical scenes.

The evacuation at Dunkirk has been acclaimed by previous audiences as one of the most exciting scenes ever filmed. Director Henry King had more than a thousand players, and workers at the specially constructed "English Channel" to film this epic of the war in all its exciting reality.

Actual combat pictures, filmed by the R. A. F. in action, show the thrilling dog fights in the air and dive bombers dropping their deadly load.

Skolen Clifton Auto Is Found Next Day At Rantoul

Clifton, Dec. 6.—(RN Special)—Ray Robin's car was stolen Sunday evening from the street near the Skender building uptown. It was found Monday afternoon parked on a street in Rantoul.

Birthday Party
Mrs. H. C. Andrews entertained the children of the primary room and a few other children at her home Monday in honor of her son Glen's birthday. The children played games and refreshments were served. Each child received a favor. Gifts received gifts.

Luncheon Hostesses
Mrs. E. J. Reuse and Mrs. Ansel J. Dion were hostesses at a luncheon Wednesday at the Dion home. At bridge honors were awarded to Miss Helen Babcock and Mrs. Mabel Swial and at hearts to Miss Alice Heller and Miss Harriet Schrader. Out of town guests were Mrs. Clara Rorer of Gilman, Mrs. V. C. Nation of Chebanse and Mrs. C. L. Shirley of Ashkum.

Death of Former Resident
J. C. Gleason received word of the death Tuesday of his eldest sister, Mrs. Althea Smith of Glenview, Calif. Mrs. Smith was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Halpin and was 90 years old in November.

Notes
Russell Reid, Mrs. Willard Reid, Misses Hazel Reid, Viola Reid and Lucille Cline, attended the funeral in Kankakee for Mrs. Anna Rorem.

Mrs. and Mrs. Frank C. Hobson took Mrs. Freda Meents to Lockport on Monday and Tuesday she left with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Muhlenport for Los Angeles to spend the winter.

Mrs. R. H. Morel and Mrs. H. C. Andrews attended a luncheon Thursday at the home of Mrs. L. P. Lecour and Mrs. Harry Yeates in Kankakee.

Miss Mary Kathryn Pruett of Ashkum and Miss Hazel Reid and Mrs. Willard Reid went to Danville on Monday and attended a beauty convention.

Mrs. Marjorie Jensen was taken to the Iroquois hospital in Watseka for treatment.

A. J. Coats of Clayton, Mo., spent Wednesday here and on Thursday his father-in-law, L. E. Reuse, accompanied him to Chicago and attended the stock exposition.

THE TONE
THEATRE ST. ANNE, ILL.
Sunday - Monday - Tuesday
"Dive Bomber"
Ends Tonight
"I'm Nobody's Sweetheart"
and
"Bullets for O'Hara"



Lots of Action in "A Yank in the R. A. F."

Tyrone Power is starred as the yank in the new 20th Century-Fox air thriller, "A Yank in the R. A. F." which was produced by Darryl F. Zanuck and is due Sunday at the Paramount theater. Betty Grable,

as the American heroine who becomes a heroine, heads the featured cast which includes John Sutton (right) and Reginald Gardiner.



Red Skelton Comes to the Screen

Red Skelton, the screen's new comedy star is pursued by Ann Rutherford and Virginia Grey in "Whistling in the Dark" which comes to the Luna screen tonight in a midnight show, co-featured with "The Devil Pays Off."

Mr. and Mrs. Russel Reid and Miss Hazel Reid spent Tuesday evening at the Howard Reid home in Kankakee.

The Lutheran Ladies Aid will meet next Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Peter Madsen.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Werkau of Kankakee spent Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Wilson and left the following morning for St. Petersburg, Fla., to spend the winter.

William Donovan was in Watseka on Friday.

Herman Harms was taken to St. Mary hospital in Kankakee on Wednesday for examination and treatment.

Wesleyan Alumni Meet At Onarga

Onarga, Dec. 6.—(RN Special)—Friends and alumni of Illinois Wesleyan university, Bloomington, are holding their annual tea at the Fred Wand home Sunday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock celebrating the 91st year of its foundation.

At the Iroquois county high school musical festival to be held Monday evening at the Milford high school gym, the chorus and student body here will attend with Miss Mary Kay Boone, music director, who has also selected an honorary chorus.

Mrs. F. H. Saltzman and Mrs. Helen Huntley will attend Eastern Star installation at Cabery on Saturday night at which the former's daughter Henrietta will serve as installing organist.

Mrs. John Swearington has returned from Winchester, Ohio, where she spent the week-end with her son Ira who was drafted into the army this week.

Mrs. Betty Thorne spent the week-end at Bloomington with her brother

and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Cherry and helped celebrate his birthday.

Mrs. Julia Bittinger entertained the Contract Bridge club Wednesday.

Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Harper spent Thursday in Kankakee. Mrs. May Patterson left Friday for Amboy, Ind., called there by the death of her brother-in-law Harry Haley. Funeral services were held today at 1 p. m. The deceased formerly lived on a farm west of Onarga.

The annual election of officers of the Rebekah lodge was held Friday evening at the I. O. O. F. hall followed by a party for members and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Thorne, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Zirkle and Mrs. C. W. Anderson attended the dedication of the new gym at Wellington on Thursday evening. Mr. Thorne was the builder.

The Townsend club met Thursday evening at the town hall. The following officers were elected: President, Frank Hockersmith; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Kitty Cunningham. Refreshments were served during the social hour and games were played.

L. O. Thorne and son Gleason left Friday evening on a week-end hunting trip in the southern part of the state.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Kerns returned from five weeks' trip in the west.

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Skelton Brings Laughs Galore In Gay Mystery

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It's the story of a radio "crime creator" who is captured by racketeers who want him to invent a "perfect murder" for them. His two girl friends are abducted along with him. Then complications start, and the wily radio star succeeds in turning the tables on his enemies after a weird series of trials and tribulations.

Skelton presents his unique brand of comedy and chatter, and the girls stage a hilarious fight over him. S. Sylvan Simon, who directed "Keeping Company," directed. Conrad Veidt, who scored in "A Woman's Face," plays the sinister cult leader.

Co-feature "The Devil Pays Off," a drama on shipboard that seethes with intrigue and violence, starring J. Edward Bromberg.

Mexico, surprised his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Charles Haskin with a visit Friday. He has just returned from Iceland. His father, Harry Patterson, of Kankakee, formerly lived here.

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PARAMOUNT

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Starts Thursday
"Unfinished Business" with Irene Dunn and Robert Montgomery; "West of the Rockies" brevity; "Pucker Memories" Pete Smith specialty; Paramount news.

LUNA

Midnight howl tonight
"Whistling in the Dark" with "Red" Skelton and Ann Rutherford; "Devil Pays Off" with Margaret Tallichet and William Wright.

Tuesday and Wednesday
"A Dangerous Lady" with Neil Harlilton and June Storey; "Top Sergeant Mulligan" with Nat Pendleton and Carol Hughes.

Thursday through Saturday
"Pigskin Parade" and "Sailors on Leave" with William Lundigan and Shirley Ross.

MAJESTIC

Starts Sunday
"The Big Store" with the Marx Brothers and Tony Martin; "Out of the Fog" with John Garfield and Ida Lupino.

Starts Thursday
"Manpower" with George Raft, Marlene Dietrich and E. G. Robinson; "A Very Young Lady" with Jane Withers and Nancy Kelly.

DARB

Sunday and Monday
"Belle Starr" in technicolor with Gene Tierney and Randolph Scott; Popeye cartoon; latest world news.

Tuesday
"Dressed to Kill" with Lloyd Nolan; color cartoon.

Wednesday and Thursday
"Ice Capades" with Jerry Colonna; Friday and Saturday
"Pittsburgh Kid" with Billy Conn; "Under Fiesta Stars" with Gene Autry and Smiley Burnette; Matinee Saturday at 2 p. m.

THE TONE

Sunday, Monday and Tuesday
"Man Power," starring Edward G. Robinson, George Raft and Marlene Dietrich; also news and cartoon.

Wednesday and Thursday
"Dr. Kildare's Wedding Day" with Lew Ayres, Lionel Barrymore, Lorraine Day and Red Skelton; also cartoon "Alley Cat."

Friday and Saturday
Double feature: "Flying Blind" with Richard Arlen, Jean Parker, co-featured with "Three Sons O'Guns" starring Wayne Morris, Tom Brown.

MOMENCE

Sunday and Monday
"Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde," Spencer Tracy and Lana Turner; Disney cartoon and late news. Shows Sunday at 2, 4:35, 7:10 and 9:45.

Tuesday and Wednesday
"Parson of Panamint," Charles Ruggles and Ellen Drew; also cartoon, Popeye; sports reel and news.

Thursday
"They Met in Argentina," James Ellison and Maureen O'Hara; also comedy and Ray Whitley western musical.

Friday and Saturday
"Buy Me That Town," Lloyd Nolan and Constance Moore; Our Gang comedy; Melodys Master and "Captain Marvel." Saturday matinee 2:30 p. m.

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