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# PRESSURE MENACES BURMA ROAD

## Singapore Is Prepared For Jap Assault

British Guns Open Heavy Fire On Japs Across The Strait

By HAROLD GUARD

Singapore, Feb. 5.—(UP)—I watch the British guns blast large caliber Japanese mortar positions across the straits today while the big Japanese force in Singapore's history massed against any Japanese assault at direct attack.

Some of the Japanese guns have been silenced by the British bombardment.

A heavy artillery duel across the narrow Johore waters started shortly after dawn this morning. It still is in progress.

Eight miles north across the island from Singapore city with two British battalions. We found the Japanese rapidly beginning to look like a battle ground.

Singapore Prepared  
Singapore, Feb. 5.—(UP)—The British command has now permitted reinforcements to arrive in some force, possibly including American troops.

Our party came up to a "certain position" within sight of the Johore straits not far from some battery positions. From this position, it was necessary to move constantly under cover. The British troops told me they had "it" getting it pretty thick today.

The morning was misty and visibility across the straits was lowered. But with an artillery's high-powered flashes I was able to pick out the Japanese position. The Japanese were using large caliber mortars whose bark appeared to be worse than the bite of the shells.

One position was manned by a command whose commander was a Japanese rugby player. Our party moved up to the foremost perimeter of the position and I began to wonder what was the total weight of the Japanese laid in the past four days not to mention the digging of positions and the bringing up of supplies.

Behind us we could hear terrific bursts of our own guns in action. A story I could write today if I were permitted by military protocol. But I am permitted to say that Singapore has its biggest garrison in history and possibly has more men than the empire had in the entire Malaya peninsula a few months ago. (British forces at their peak in Malaya were estimated at about 50,000 men.)

Those forces are using every minute day and night to prepare for a fight to the finish.

The heavy guns on this besieged island rained shells of all caliber.

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## High School Gets Ready For Air Raid Alarms

The lowest floor and the auditorium have been designated as air raid shelters in the Kankakee high school building. It was announced today by Principal R. Y. Allison, who is planning for air raid precautions.

Each teacher will serve as a senior warden and one student in each classroom has been designated as a junior warden, there being 45 assigned to such duties at all times.

There are 10 fire hose stations with two boys, a total of 20, to be stationed during each alarm. There have been no air raid drills as yet, but they will be frequent in the future, the principal said.

## W. A. Schneider Talks On Interesting Subject—Money

Having for his subject "Coins—Imagined", William A. Schneider, secretary of the Kankakee Savings and Loan association, gave an interesting informal talk on numismatics before the Business and Professional Women's club last evening at McBroon's cafe.

Mr. Schneider said he began collecting coins because of the historical events he likes to remember and as he displayed the coins gave a brief history of the age in which they were made.

The speaker possesses a fine collection which contains some rare pieces. He told of the origin and first use of metals as coins, which was in the seventh century before Christ, and stated that the Greeks took over coinage of money about 480 B. C. The oldest known age of silver coins. He displayed one of these pieces.



"Pawnee Bill" Dies

Maj. Gordon W. Lillie, above, better known to the world as "Pawnee Bill", is dead at Pawnee, Okla., on the eve of his 82nd birthday. A famed frontiersman he was better associated with Col. William (Buffalo Bill) Cody. Many persons of early middle age today recall the thrills experienced seeing "Buffalo Bill's Wild West and Pawnee Bill's Far Eastern" circuses.

## Aerial Warfare Rages Over The Island Of Java

Japanese bombers start new fires at big Soerabaja Naval Base

Washington, Feb. 5.—(UP)—U. S. army pursuit planes attacked a greatly superior force of Japanese bombers and fighting planes in Java, shooting down one enemy bomber and one enemy pursuit ship. The war department announced today.

One American plane is missing. The American planes were P-40 fighters, and this was the first indication that planes of this type piloted by American army fliers, had reached the Netherlands East Indies.

There was a lull in the fighting on the island in the Philippines in the last 24 hours, the department said, with combat limited to minor patrol actions.

Communique No. 92  
The text of the communique, No. 92 of the war, based on reports received here up to 8:30 a. m., central standard time, today:

1. Philippine theater.  
"There was a lull in the battle of Batan during the past 24 hours. Combat was limited to relatively minor patrol actions, which lacked the savage character of the fighting which has been almost continuous during the past two weeks."

2. Netherlands Indies.  
"Over Java a small formation of American army P-40 fighting planes encountered a greatly superior force of Japanese bombers, escorted by pursuit aircraft. In the ensuing combat one enemy bomber and one enemy pursuit plane were shot down. One of our planes is missing."

3. There is nothing to report from other areas."

New Fires At Soerabaja  
Batavia, N. E. I., Feb. 5.—(UP)—Japanese bombers started new fires today in the second raid in three days on the big Soerabaja naval base, while official silence suddenly cloaked the fate of Ambona, second most important Dutch naval station 1,000 miles away.

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## All Axis Aliens In County Must Be Registered

Germans, Italians, And Japs Will Sign Up At Postoffice

Preparations are being made at the Kankakee postoffice, as well as at the office in Bradley, Mokenca and Manteno to register enemy aliens in this county during Feb. 9-28.

Beginning next Monday, all Axis aliens over 14 years of age are expected to come in voluntarily and register according to instructions received by Postmaster George P. Ravens from the U. S. Department of Justice bureau of immigration and naturalization.

Any person who is a citizen of Germany, Italy or Japan must register by Feb. 28. No other aliens are required to do so at the present time. Alien children under 14 years of age will wait until they attain that age before registering.

Many at Hospitals  
No estimate of the number expected to sign up was available today, but it is known that in 1940 when aliens of all nationalities were required to register, names of more than 3,500 were recorded here. This included several hundred at each of the two state hospitals in the county.

Because of changes made in immigration laws from time to time, a number of people are in doubt as to their citizenship status. For example, women who were American citizens but married foreigners during 1909-22 lost their citizenship in this country. Before the signing of that period the law has not read the same.

Women's Status  
Also, foreign-born women formerly could become American citizens by marrying American men, but this is no longer true. Now each alien adult must obtain his or her own papers.

Foreign-born children whose parents take out citizenship papers here before the youths reach the age of 21 years automatically become citizens in their own right, provided they have resided in this country five years.

Men In Uniform To Be Admitted Free  
All men in any branch of the armed services will be admitted free of charge at any function at the Knights of Columbus hall beginning this Saturday, according to a statement today of Mark C. Larimer, chairman of dances and entertainment, and Albert Tetrault, manager of the K. C. building.

This offer applies when men are in uniform. It was explained, and includes not only functions of the Knights of Columbus but also any event given by any group which rents the hall.

Several months ago the knights threw open their clubrooms and recreational parlors to men in the service and also staged a fall festival for benefit of the armed forces. The K. C. organization sponsors Saturday night dances. On Feb. 14 they are to have a St. Valentine party in connection with the dance.

Deputy Leaves To Get Prisoner  
Deputy Sheriff Walter Bauer left this afternoon by train for Golden, Colo., to bring back Elwood Gray, formerly of Manteno, wanted here for alleged larceny and embezzlement.

Bauer carried a governor's warrant for extradition obtained in Springfield by Deputy Sheriff Gene LaFontaine.

Gray was arrested in Colorado on a radio broadcast from the office of Sheriff Dan Bergan.

The Weather  
(Thursday, Feb. 5, 1942)  
Hourly temperature readings from 1 o'clock Wednesday afternoon to noon today are:

High at 3 p. m. 34, low at 5 a. m. 30.  
A year ago cloudy, high 35, low 29.  
1 p. m. 32 1 a. m. 32  
2 p. m. 34 3 a. m. 31  
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4 p. m. 34 5 a. m. 30  
5 p. m. 33 6 a. m. 30  
6 p. m. 33 7 a. m. 30  
7 p. m. 33 8 a. m. 30  
8 p. m. 33 9 a. m. 31  
9 p. m. 33 10 a. m. 31  
10 p. m. 32 11 a. m. 31  
11 p. m. 32 12 noon 31  
Midnight 30 Noon 31  
Continued mild temperature and showers tonight.

## 8,000 Members Of Jap Organizations In United States

Washington, Feb. 5.—(UP)—The pre-war activities of 8,000 members of five Japanese military organizations in the United States will highlight a "yellow paper" soon to be published by the house committee investigating un-American activities, committee attaches said today.

Chairman Dies (D-TEX) told the house some time ago the committee was working on the Jap report and said at the time, the tragedy of Pearl Harbor might have been averted if the committee had been allowed to disclose the operations of the Japanese espionage system last September.

Hearings to develop the case against the Japs committee members said, were deferred by administration request because peace negotiations were in progress between the United States and Japan at the time.

Local Scouts Observe 23rd Anniversary  
Big Program Tuesday Night To Commemorate "Boy Scout Week"

You'll see a lot of youths in Boy Scout uniforms during the week of Feb. 6-12, for they are observing the 23rd anniversary of the founding of the scout movement in the United States.

Other activities here for scout week were announced today by Don Berg, assistant scout executive of Rainbow council. A court of honor will be held at 7:30 o'clock this evening in the courthouse. Scouts, scouts and friends in the district are invited by Advancement Chairman John H. Becker.

Scouts and cubs of the First Methodist units will attend church Sunday in uniform. Many other troops in the district also expect to participate in Scout Sunday in a similar manner.

At 7:30 o'clock Tuesday evening in the K. G. hall, all scouts of the district will gather to hear a presentation on the advancement program of scouts and also a discussion of recruiting and receiving new members. Glen Shunk, district commissioner, will be in charge.

Three units of St. Patrick church Troop 100, cubs, scouts and explorers, will hold their annual charter night ceremonies next Thursday evening in the auditorium.

The Central Christian church has chosen this week to start a three-meeting training course within the church for formation of the fourth cub pack within the district. Ansley Burkhalter is chairman of attendance committee and is organizing the first meeting for Jan. 13.

This week preparations for the proposed fifth cub pack are expected to get under way at St. Rose church. Lueth and Cooley store has a display window devoted to scouting materials and uniforms.

New Guinea Port Attacked By Jap Bombers  
Melbourne, Australia, Feb. 5.—(UP)—Japanese four engine flying boats attacked Port Moresby on the south coast of New Guinea, before dawn today, dropping 30 bombs and blasting away with cannon and machine gun fire in the second raid there in three days.

A communique said some damage was caused but there were no known casualties in the raid on the city, capital of Papua on southeast New Guinea 300 miles northeast of Cape York, Australia.

Medal Of Honor For MacArthur  
Washington, Feb. 5.—(UP)—A bill directing President Roosevelt to award the congressional medal of honor to General Douglas MacArthur for his heroic fight in the Philippines was introduced today by Rep. Thomas (R-NJ).

List 3 Registered Here Delinquent  
Three registrants of selective service board No. 2 have been listed as "suspected delinquents" by the board for failure to answer correspondence. They are:

Edward Francis Billinger, 200 East Chestnut street, Chicago; Robert Raymond Daniels, Mokenca; Robert Charles Dahler, Mokenca.

IN WATSEKA COURT  
Circuit Judge Luther B. Bratton and Reporter Helen Spitz were in the Iroquois county court at Watseka today.



British Destroy Malayan Rubber Factory

"Clouds of smoke billow skyward as flames destroy a Malayan rubber factory near Kuala Lumpur set afire by the British as they carried out a 'scorched earth' policy." (This photo was sent by radio from London to New York.)

## 2nd Victim Of Collision On 49 Dies

Mrs. Laura Jane Casper, 40, 145 East Chestnut street, injured in an auto-truck crash Monday night near here, died in St. Mary hospital at 8:10 o'clock last night of a fractured skull.

She was the second victim of the accident. Her companion, Albert Longoria, 37, 215 154th place, Calumet City, died in the same hospital at 4:40 o'clock Tuesday morning.

She was employed as an attendant at Manteno state hospital where Longoria's wife, Helen, is a patient.

The accident occurred on highway 49 two and a half miles north of Manteno when an automobile driven by the Calumet City man struck a truck of the Alton Box Board company driven by Paul Riley, of East Alton.

Coroner Ed P. Madison has not yet set the date of the double inquest.

Mrs. Casper's body is at the Hickley funeral home where friends may call in the afternoon from 2 o'clock and in the evenings from 7 to 9 o'clock. Funeral services will be conducted at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon in the Gospel mission, 720 North Wildwood avenue.

She is survived by the widower Theodore, twin children Norman and Alma, 15, and Eugene, 12; brothers Earl Perkins, in the army, Lyman, Linus and Ernest of Kankakee; sisters Mrs. Lulu Ritter of Cheshan, Hazel, Merle, Gladys, Arvelia and Anna Perkins, Kankakee, and her mother Mrs. Mary Perkins.

Vehicles Of The Armed Force To Be Personalized  
Port Knox, Ky., Feb. 5.—(UP)—Vehicles of the armored force are to be personalized.

Maj. Gen. Jacob L. Devers, chief of the armored force, today ordered the tanks, motorcycles, jeeps, peeps and other units of the motorized equipment named.

"Except for objectionable names," the order reads: "Complete freedom of selection will be encouraged." The names selected by the soldiers will be painted in yellow letters on the vehicles.

The only exception will be the general's automobile.

Issue Permits For 12 Tires, 10 Tubes  
Certificates releasing 12 tires and 10 tubes were issued yesterday afternoon by the county tire rationing board to the following:

Monroe Weeks, route 113, two truck tires 650-16, two truck tubes of the same size.  
Ward Baking company, 132 Main street, Bourbonnais, four truck tires 700-20, four truck tubes of the same size.

Nathan Edward Hamilton, Reddick, one tube 450-21, obsolete size. One tire, 450-21, obsolete size, one tube of the same size.  
H. C. & C. E. Moore, Kankakee, two truck tires 32 by 6, two tubes of the same size.

Dr. D. J. Keating, Mokenca, two passenger car tires 625-16 for professional use by a physician.  
Pinkerton Tobacco company, by Glen Vadeboncoeur, 162 North Clinton avenue, Bradley, one truck tire, 600-16.

## Dwight Man Fined After Colliding With 2 Cars Here

Edgar A. Patrick, 23, Dwight, was fined \$10 and costs yesterday by Justice Henry R. Bauer on a charge of reckless driving.

He was arrested in Dwight by Deputy Sheriff Gene LaFontaine on a warrant issued after Patrick had been in two auto accidents here night before last.

At Station street and Seventh avenue in West Kankakee his car struck the auto of Edward Sittig, 51, of Aroma Park, and at Hickory street and Foley avenue the auto of Frank J. Davis, 43, 240 South Osborn avenue.

American Passenger Ship Escaped From Three Submarines  
New York, Feb. 5.—(UP)—The captain of an American passenger liner reported today on his arrival here that the incredibly swift response of three huge patrol bombers to his radio appeal for help frightened away three submarines which had broken the surface close to his ship shortly after leaving a southern port.

"One of the submarines was so close we might have rammed her," said a member of the ship's crew.

The skipper, Capt. Neils Helgesen, said he ordered the radio operator to flash the danger signal "SOS" without waiting for the submarines to take any action.

Then, while passengers and crew waited tensely for the next move, the roar of airplane engines was heard.

From out of the south, he said, a patrol plane began to take form, with two other bombers close behind.

As the steady beap of the airplane engines grew louder, the submarines submerged and by the time the planes arrived, the Caribbean was calm and peaceful as it had been before the U-boats appeared.

The ship's experience was regarded as proof of earlier reports that Nazi submarines were hunting in packs in American waters, where so far 16 vessels have been torpedoed.

Among the passengers who witnessed the encounter with the submarines were 25 survivors of the Canadian National liner Lady Hawkins, which was torpedoed off the Atlantic coast on Jan. 19 with a probable loss of 250 lives.

Nine of the survivors were members of the crew and 16 were passengers.

London, Feb. 5.—(UP)—The British admiralty announced tonight that the submarine Triumph had been lost.

The Triumph was a patrol type submarine with a surface displacement of 1,090 tons (submerged 1,575). Her normal complement was 53 men, and she was armed with 10 torpedo tubes.

MARRIAGE LICENSES  
Marriage licenses were issued here yesterday to Merl T. McCord, 22, and Edwin Goll, 18, both of Bradley; Stanley R. Peck, 23, Peotone, and Alice Christiansen, 19, Kankakee.

## Average Farm Milk Income Here Is \$1,637

District Meeting Of Pure Milk Association Held Here Today

During the past year members of district No. 14 of the Pure Milk Association sold a total of \$3,443,831 pounds of milk with a total value of \$1,295,521.11, or an average income per farm of \$1,637.

This was part of a report given before today's annual meeting of the members of the district by G. H. Ekhoof of Grant Park, president of the association.

His report further showed that the average net price was \$2.11 per hundredweight and that there were 690 herds producing an average of 212 pounds of butterfat per herd.

36.73 Per Cent Increase  
Increases over the previous year of 5.45 per cent in pounds sold, of 29.77 per cent in the total value, of 29.06 per cent in the average net price and 36.73 per cent in the average income per farm from milk sale is also incorporated in Mr. Ekhoof's report.

The annual meeting of the district, which includes Kankakee and Will counties, part of Iroquois county, part of Livingston county and part of Lake county in Indiana, was being held in the Knights of Columbus hall.

Besides Mr. Ekhoof's report, there were talks by A. H. Laterbach, Chicago, general manager of the PMA; R. P. Alexander, Chicago, comp.

Free Cigarettes For Bradley Men  
Joe L. Heinis, 195 North West avenue, Bradley, today asked residents of Bourbonnais township to send him names and addresses of all men in the armed service who reside in that township so that he can mail cigarettes to them.

He has placed boxes in various stores in Bradley for contributions and expects to make the first shipment by Feb. 12. If you live in Bourbonnais township and have a son or brother in the service, Heinis would like you to phone 879 and give him the mailing address.

1,400 Shots To Get 135 Birds! Claim They're Hunters! Phooey!

Three Kankakee hunters say they spent \$50 for shells on a hunting trip to South Dakota early in October of 1940.

At four cents each for shells, they must have shot 1,400 times. They sent home 135 ducks and pheasants. Testimony about the \$50 expenditure for ammunition was given yesterday before County Judge C. D. Henry in a suit by A. L. Hoppe, agency, claims that the primary purpose of a modern hunting trip is recreation and not meat for the table. Therefore, she contends, the hunters have had their fun—bagging 135 birds—and the loss of the birds themselves is of secondary consideration.

Testimony was given before the court yesterday morning and part of the afternoon, after which the case was continued for the appearance of other witnesses.

## British Hope To Hold Rangoon At All Costs

Chief Port For Famous Highway, The Allied Supply Route To China

By DANIEL DELUCE  
Rangoon, Burma, Feb. 5.—(UP)—The British officially acknowledged today that Japanese patrols had crossed the lower Salween river at some points since the invaders occupied Moulmein last Saturday.

The Japanese occupied Paan, 30 miles above Moulmein, several days ago, a British military spokesman said, and the RAP reported it had subjected the town to a heavy bombing attack today.

At the same time British patrols were reported to have penetrated the enemy lines on the east bank of the Salween river.

Held At All Costs  
The military spokesman declared that the British command intends to hold Rangoon "at all costs," he added, "if Rangoon should go, it would not mean the end of Burma, or of the Burma road." Rangoon is the chief port of the Burma road, the allied supply route to China.

Reports from the Salween front said the Japanese still were balked in their attempts to capture Martaban, across the mouth of the river from Moulmein, by the swift flowing Salween river itself and by heavy British artillery fire from the west bank.

Since the first of the week the Japanese have been trying by heavy artillery fire and bombing to break the Indian garrison, but British headquarters said this effort had failed.

Lower Salween Front  
Japanese skirmishers were reported strung out all along the lower Salween front, but they were indications they lacked strength, at least for the present, to handle a full dress assault across the river.

Thousands of Lute, tall Indian riflemen newly from their homeland engaged the invaders along the line from Martaban to Paan.

British and American volunteer group fliers skimming the treetops in strafing and bombing raids, were declared unofficially to be preventing the Japanese from maintaining footholds on islands at the Salween mouth.

The Japanese air force meanwhile (Continued on Page Ten)

Only 3 Injured In 53 Accidents Here During January  
Three persons were injured slightly and no one was killed in the 53 auto crashes occurring in Kankakee during the month of January. This is the best accident record in recent months according to police.

Involved in two minor accidents yesterday were cars of Gene Rommel, 606 South Poplar avenue, and Walter Howe, 219 North Wildwood avenue, at Chestnut and Rosewood avenues; William Smith, 1119 South Seventh avenue, and Robert Hebert, St. Anne, at Sixth and Hawkins streets.

Appeals Suit Over \$82 Telephone Bill  
A suit by the Illinois Bell Telephone company vs. J. H. Lucas and his wife Effie of Kankakee was filed today in the office of Albert Tetrault, clerk of the circuit court.

Lucas from the court of Justice Fred R. Smith who on Dec. 29 entered against her a judgment of \$82.13 based on a telephone service account.







World Prayer Day At Church Near Reddick Feb. 20

World day of prayer will be observed Friday, Feb. 20 at 10 a. m. in the Grand Prairie church near Reddick. Dinner will be served by women of the church.

The cooperating churches are Reddick, Zoar, Grand Prairie, Bondfield, Evangelical, Bondfield, Methodist, Lutheran, and Reddick. All members of the churches are invited to attend. Services will close at about 3:30 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dornberg and daughter Helen and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Scholtz of Union Hill spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Birney.

The Woman's Society of Christian Service will meet next Wednesday with Mrs. M. T. Tavares. Mrs. George Main will be her assistant.

Virgil Bader drove here from Chicago on Saturday evening, returning Sunday. Mrs. Bader and sons returned to Chicago with him after spending the past week with her parents.

Mrs. Jean Castle of Champlain, N. Y., and Mrs. Lloyd Castle of Danville, N. Y., arrived in Kankakee last Tuesday. They will be here for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wright received a letter from their son, St. Wilbur Wright Monday. The letter was written Jan. 2. He reported a safe and successful trip into the war zone.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Oesterle spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Harold Edgington in Dwight.

On Sunday the Rev. J. B. North and Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Linnard went to Morris to see Miss Viola Studley, who is in the hospital.

The Chris Rieker family of Dwight visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lathrop.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Van Voorst and children of Union Hill visited Sunday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Rieker.

M. R. McGinnis of Joliet visited Monday with his brother, L. J. McGinnis.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Hamilton were in Kankakee on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Erickson and Mrs. Benson of Deakin were at the C. K. Linnard home Thursday to see Mrs. Mary Shreffler who was ill.

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Unidentified Man Burned To Death In Auto Collision

Jan. 31, Feb. 3.—An unidentified man burned to death and his car destroyed in a head-on collision on State St. about 19 miles south of Reddick.

Police said the automobile license plates were issued to E. M. May of Chicago.

The car was a 1935 Buick sedan, and the driver was identified as E. M. May.

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Buckingham Man In Chicago Hospital

A W. Scott of Buckingham, entered St. Luke's hospital in Chicago on Sunday for observation. He is recovering from a heart ailment.

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Quits Quakers

Devin, who was not a member of the Quakers, has quit the church. He is now a member of the Methodist church.

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# News of Women's Activities

## Lorraine Stenstrom Is Married In Chicago Jan. 21

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Stenstrom of Chicago announce the marriage of their daughter Lorraine to Carl Bretzman, the son of Mrs. Carl Kunkin, of Kankakee.

Following the ceremony which was held in Chicago on Jan. 21, the couple left for a short honeymoon at St. Louis. Upon their return they will make their home in Kankakee.

The bride is a graduate of Kankakee high school and the groom is employed at the Kankakee Ordnance works.

## Missionary Society Meets On Tuesday Afternoon

The Women's Missionary society held a meeting Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Albert Umbach, 131 South Greenwood avenue.

Mrs. Correll Stone, president, presided over the meeting. The society will meet on Tuesday, Feb. 10, at 2:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Correll Stone, 131 South Greenwood avenue.

## Mrs. Arthur Gohlke Has Meeting Of The 11:30 Club

Mrs. Arthur Gohlke, 894 South Main street, was hostess to the 11:30 club Wednesday evening.

Bridge honors were won by Mrs. Henry Eden and Mrs. Edna Eden. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Henry Eden and Mrs. Edna Eden.

## Episcopal Church Guild And Auxiliary Meet

The St. Paul Episcopal guild and auxiliary met Tuesday afternoon at the church with Mrs. Edna Eden as hostess.

The meeting was opened with the Lord's Prayer, led by Mrs. Edna Eden, senior vice president. It was announced that luncheon to be given at the church will be held during the Lenten season. Mrs. Llewellyn Looker and Mrs. Edna Eden will serve on the luncheon committee.

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## Care Of Waves In Your Hair

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Pompadour effects require skillful handling to produce clear cut cross lines. Some smarties, understanding the quirk of their tresses, are able to give sound suggestions. If you have found a hairdresser whose work is congenial to your own, you should stick to him. Change the hair and you change the face.

Natural curly hair does not need to be discovered. The hair alone will do. If the permanent has been extra good, the hair can be dispensed with. At all times it should be of thin or medium consistency.

## Danforth Couple Is Wed Sunday Afternoon

Miss Ida Benema, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Benema, and Peter Danforth, son of Mrs. Peter Danforth, were married Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the Reformed church in Danforth. The Rev. G. J. Verburg officiated with the double ring ceremony.

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## Menus for the Day

ESCALLOPED APPLES  
SCRAMBLED EGGS  
TOASTED POTATOES  
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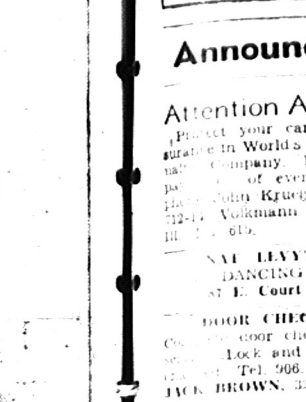
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Mrs. Eldo Regnier, 268 South Fifth avenue, was hostess recently to the Les Bonnes Amies club.

Fifty was the diversion with high honors going to Mrs. Arthur Lambert, Mrs. James Marshall and Mrs. Wayne Schuler.

## Rhythm-ettes Club Is Organized Wednesday

A group of Kankakee high school seniors organized the Rhythm-ettes club Wednesday evening in the home of Miss Juanita Scherzler, 717 South Elm avenue.

Miss Juanita Scherzler was elected president. Miss Leta Riches, secretary and Miss Loretta Scherzler, treasurer.

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## Reds Building For Big Test Late In May

Sir Stafford Cripps Of Great Britain Submits His Views

By SIR STAFFORD CRIPPS (Copyright, 1942, By World) London, Feb. 5.—In the mass of contradictory propaganda which floods the world in these times of war, everyone is doubtful as to what to believe and what to discard. Let me therefore at the commencement give you my view as to the reliability of Russian news.

When fighting is going on along a front of 2000 miles, collection of 100 per cent. reliable news is impossible, but it is unimportant whether there is exact accuracy or not.

What we want to know is the principle that is adopted in giving the news.

It may be the principle of the Nazis to make the news fit the monetary needs of propaganda regardless of the facts—or that of making the news as truthful and unexaggerated as safety of armed forces permits.

This latter method which has been adopted by the British government as its principle may lead to many omissions especially when things are going badly, but it does not lead to exaggeration of success.

It is this latter principle that the Russians have adopted.

If you compare the announcements of the Germans as to the capture of towns, always premature and often false, with those of the Russians, you should have no difficulty deciding upon the comparative reliability of the two.

Germans Still Undeclared The German army is not yet a defeated army, nor has it been routed.

It has, however, had to leave a great number of occupied points and towns that it would very much like to have held through the winter. In leaving those towns, it certainly has not been the cold or Russian winter that has forced the evacuation.

They are leaving because they are being driven out after hard fighting by the Russians and they are leaving behind them a mass of material that they would dearly like to get away if they could stop long enough to take it with them.

The whole question now is one of morale. If the morale of the Germans was to break, the retreat would become a rout.

At present that morale stands, although there are signs it is not as firm as it once was.

When we come to the consideration of what spring will bring forth, then we embark upon prophecy which is even more dangerous in this war than generally.

Spring in central Russia as a rule begins between the middle and end of March. If there are very heavy snows as there have already been this year, then the thaw will last perhaps two months before the land gets dry and hard once again.

This period of thaw is the most difficult time of all for military operations or any movement of transport.

So the time for renewed activities under normal conditions will not come before the beginning of May and perhaps not before the end of that month.

End of March Will Tell The Russians will be as much held up as the Germans and, therefore, the position of the rival forces at the end of March will decide the direction of the summer campaign.

No doubt the Germans will try to gather forces for a fresh push, perhaps before the end of the month.

NOTICE OF SALE BY SPECIAL MASTER IN CHANCERY State of Illinois, County of Kankakee, ss.

In the Circuit Court of said County.

The City National Bank of Kankakee, a Banking Corporation, and C. A. Mueller, as Trustees, Plaintiffs vs. Edward C. Haemker and Florence M. Haemker, Defendants.

No. 25694. IN CHANCERY. PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that in pursuance and by virtue of a decree of sale made, entered and filed in the above entitled cause by the Circuit Court of Kankakee County, Illinois, on the 10th day of January, A. D. 1942, I, E. P. Harney, Special Master in Chancery of said Court, appointed to make said sale, will, on the 21st day of February, A. D. 1942, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the north front door of the court house, in the City of Kankakee, County of Kankakee and State of Illinois, sell at public vendue to the highest and best bidder for cash, all of the following described real estate:

"The East Half (E½) of the Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section Thirteen (13), Township Thirty-one North, Range Fourteen (14) East of the third principal meridian; also, that part of the West Half (W½) of the Southwest Quarter (SW¼) lying South of the right of way of the New York Central Railroad Company (described as Indiana, Illinois & Iowa Railroad Company) in Section Seven (7), Township Thirty-one (31) North, Range Fifteen (15) East of the third principal meridian; also the West Half (W½) of the Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section Eighteen (18), Township Thirty-one (31) North, Range Fifteen (15) East of the third principal meridian, all situated in the County of Kankakee, in the State of Illinois."

TERMS OF SALE: Cash in hand SAID SALE and all my proceedings herein are subject to the approval of said Circuit Court of Kankakee County, Illinois, and the said Court is to inspect and consult the record in said cause from which all authority is derived.

DATED at Momence, Illinois this 1st day of January, A. D. 1942. E. P. HARNEY, Special Master in Chancery.

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happens in the south against the Caucasus. But by that time the Russians will have still more fresh armies, and all factories they have moved to the east should by then be again in operation.

They have not as great manufacturing resources as the Germans with all the occupied regions of Europe to assist them, but nevertheless, Russian production will have gone up very considerably by spring.

But it is just here that America and Great Britain come right into the picture. We have between us huge manufacturing capacity and must give to the Russians enough armaments to make certain that when the new clash comes in the spring, they are not at a disadvantage.

### Food Class Meets At Momence High

The foods for defense class met at Momence High school Monday evening. About 60 women were present. Due to illness the guest speaker was unable to be present.

The meeting was conducted by Mrs. Eleanor Hall, home economics teacher. There was a general discussion on how to economize in cooking food. Movies were shown on safety in the home. Many helpful household hints were given.

There will be another class next Monday evening. The topic will be "How to buy meat and prepare it at a low cost." All interested are invited to attend.

Family Night

The Esther Circle members entertained their families at a pot luck supper Tuesday evening at the Methodist church. Mrs. Ed Chipman and Mrs. Martin Klassen were hostesses. The evening was spent playing games and singing.

Martha Circle

The Martha circle of the Methodist church met at the home of Mrs. Floyd Brouillette. Mrs. Paul Lapedahl was assisting hostess. The business meeting was followed by a social evening and refreshments.

Mt. Airy Club

The Mt. Airy club met Tuesday with Mrs. Larry Beasley. Mrs. Beasley was a special lunch was served by the hostess.

Notes

The funeral of Peter Brink was held from St. Patrick's church Wednesday morning. The Rev. T. U. Chamberlain

Demarais officiated and burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery. His grandparents Lyle Arnold and Darrell Brink, Joe Demack Jr. Victor Leinen and Virgil Schlotthorst were pallbearers.

Mrs. Lloyd Langdoe was called to St. Asde by the death of her father Thomas Soule.

Mrs. Clarence Lampert, a daughter of Thomas Soule, visited Mrs. George Grant and Mrs. George Goodill and Mrs. Andrew Buckfield at Grant Park on Tuesday.

James Shane and Clarence Casperson were at Beaverville on Wednesday.

Mrs. W. H. Hewitt and S. H. Hewitt and daughter Frances of Chicago were recent guests of Mrs. Frank

Funeral services were held Wednesday from the Canadian chapel. Mrs. Mariah Snow, widow of George Snow, who died at the Baptist Peoples home at Maywood, was the guest of honor. The Rev. Klopfer of the Baptist church officiated and burial was in the family lot in the Momence cemetery.

Beid, Ore.—(INS)—Proof of belief that proboscidea once roamed over the state of Oregon was given by the Deschutes Geology recently with the announcement of the discovery of a massive elephant tusk, found near Beid. Similar remains have been found in other parts of the state, club members report.



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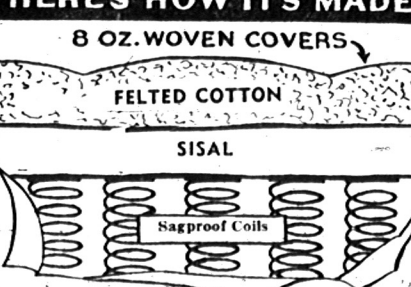
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