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SLAIN MAN'S BODY FOUND AT CRETE

G. A. R. VETERAN MARCHES ROUTE IN PARADE HERE

Wm. P. Lockwood, 92, Walks Entire Distance
1 OTHER RIDES

(Pictures on Pages 1 and 2)
A schedule of memorial services that has become almost traditional was followed in Kankakee yesterday.

For the climactic exercises at the courthouse, two veterans of the civil war appeared. One of them, William P. Lockwood, 92, of Kankakee and Chicago, marched the 12 blocks of the parade. The other, Charles P. Livingston, 94, of Chicago, marched the 12 blocks of the parade. The other, Charles P. Livingston, 94, of Chicago, marched the 12 blocks of the parade. The other, Charles P. Livingston, 94, of Chicago, marched the 12 blocks of the parade.

The memorial services actually began Sunday morning with a special ceremony at First Methodist church. The Rev. E. E. Atherton, the pastor, struck the keynote for the observances that were to follow when he said:

"Our gathering here is more than a commemoration. It is a joining of hands with those we hold in reverent memory in an ever-continuing struggle for that precious liberty which represents the ideal of our American democracy."

Darce Memorial
Sunday afternoon a monument to the Rev. H. A. Darce, former pastor of St. Joseph church of Bradley and former national commander of the American Legion, was dedicated on the campus of St. Viator college.

Yesterday's ceremonies began early in the morning with the decoration of soldiers' graves in Mound Grove. St. Rose, Mt. Calvary and Memorial Park cemeteries, this being done by patriotic organizations assisted by Boy Scouts.

At 8:30 o'clock, ceremonies were conducted simultaneously in Mound Grove and Mt. Calvary cemeteries. In Mound Grove, the service was conducted at the grave of the unknown soldier by the Sons of Veterans, assisted by the W. R. C. and the American Legion auxiliary.

G. A. R. Ritual
The G. A. R. ritual was conducted by M. W. Desens, commander of the Sons of Veterans camp, there was a short address by the Rev. E. E. Atherton, a firing squad volleyed a salute and a bugler blew taps.

At the same time, the memorial service of Spanish war veterans was conducted at the grave of Corporal (Continued on page seven)

Church Observes 50th Anniversary

Paul Lutheran church was crowded to capacity Sunday morning for special services commemorating the 50th anniversary of the congregation's laying of the building.

The program included divine worship, special music by school children, organ numbers and a sermon by the Rev. Carl Haller, the pastor.

Rev. Haller recounted the long history of the congregation and the several churches it has built in Kankakee, pointed out that the blaze which destroyed a previous church in 1887 was, in fact, a blessing, since the present site purchased after that fire is much more desirable than the previous one.

Most Jobless in Kankakee Between Ages of 25 and 35

Washington, May 31—(RN Special)—More unemployment is found in Kankakee among persons between the ages of 25 and 35 than in any other age group, the unemployment census reported today. Large numbers also were found in the groups from 15 to 19 and from 20 to 25.

Considering that these last two age groups cover fewer years, unemployment in the city would seem to increase as the age goes down. Those having only part-time employment, however, in the city were more numerous in the middle-age groups.

Age and Sex	Total	Unemployed	Fe.	Male	Fe.	Male
KANKAKEE						
Total	1,003	756	247	234	301	33
15 to 19	156	111	45	33	1	42
20 to 24	204	163	41	22	18	4
25 to 34	251	181	70	37	32	5
35 to 44	137	87	40	38	31	7
45 to 54	125	84	41	64	52	12
55 to 64	91	63	8	39	34	4
65 to 74	35	34	1	1	1	1
Not reported	4	3	1	1	1	1



Old Grad Talks

Dr. Earl Emme, professor of psychology at Morningside college, Sioux City, Ia., (above), a member of Kankakee high school's graduating class of 1912, will deliver the commencement address at the school Friday evening. Dr. Emme won the district oratory contest here his senior year and placed second in the state declamation finals.

147 GRADUATES GET DIPLOMAS ON THURSDAY

Public School 8th Grade Exercises and Awards

Graduates of Kankakee public grade schools, 147 in number, will receive their promotion certificates in the annual exercises Thursday evening at 8 o'clock in the high school auditorium. The program is as follows:

Invocation and benediction by the Rev. D. N. Ester of First Evangelical church, instrumental duet by Richard Piersol and Leslie Gates accompanied by Miss Elsie Bunney; presentation of American Legion awards by Attorney John Hollen; acceptance by L. E. Changnon, principal of Departmental school; cantata, "Rosamunde" directed by Miss Rachel Brandt, accompanied by Miss Bunney.

Address by the Rev. E. E. Atherton, pastor of the First Methodist church; presentation of the class by Principal Changnon, presentation of certificates by Superintendent of Schools Irving Munson, singing of "America" by the audience.

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No Hookey Players in This Family

There are no "hookey" players among the five children of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Magruder, residing on a Bourbonnais rural route, who attend the District 63 school at Alton. Not one of the children was either absent or tardy during the school year just closed.

The children are: Patrick 15, Elaine 13, Doris 12, Jean 9 and Edward 7.

FATHER D'ARCHE EULOGIZED AT VIATOR SUNDAY

Legionnaires of Chicago in Memorial to Priest

WAR CHAPLAIN

(Picture on Page 3)
In a drizzle of rain, a huge throng stood on the campus of St. Viator college Sunday afternoon to witness the dedication of a monument to the memory of the Rev. H. A. Darce.

The monument, a three-ton red granite rock fitted with a bronze plate, was presented by Marine post No. 273 of the American Legion, Chicago, of which Father Darce was life chaplain, and was accepted by the college administration.

On the plate is a short history of the life of Father Harris Anthony Darce, native of Bourbonnais, graduate of St. Viator, pastor of St. Joseph church of Bradley, hero of the world war overseas, who, after the war, rose by swift stages in the American Legion to become its national chaplain.

Also there are these words in tribute, "A priest of God, a servant of man, our comrade."

Those in Charge
The speaking preceding the unveiling of the monument took place on the steps of the monument.

Frank W. Bloom, commander of Marine post, opened the ceremonies and Arthur J. Murphy, past commander of the post and chairman of the committee in charge of arrangements, conducted the program. The Rev. W. J. Cracknell of St. Viator college gave the invocation.

The principal addresses before the dedication were by the Rev. J. W. R. Maguire, former president of the college; Leonard Applequist of Aurora, state commander of the American Legion; and the Rev. Robert F. Chapler of Hawarden, Ia., formerly of Bradley, national chaplain of the 40 & 8 society, an initiation.

(Continued on page seven)

Boy, Beaten by Step-Dad, Disappears

Watseka, May 31—(RN Special)—Trial of Arthur Wilkey, 53, Onarga man accused of "horsewhipping" his stepson Wilfred Murray, 14, was postponed by County Judge Jessie Sumner today because the boy had disappeared. Mrs. Wilkey came into court this morning, leaving her son to come to Watseka with Supervisor Frank Hockersmith of Onarga. The boy didn't show up. A checkup revealed he didn't attend school. Sheriff Phil Brown and deputies were asked to aid in the search for the boy who, it is said, is afraid to testify against his stepfather, fearing the consequences later.

Wilkey has been a prisoner in the county jail here since Friday. He is said to have used a large hickory stick on the boy, leaving several welts and bruises on his body. The case will be called to trial tomorrow, if the boy can be found.

Boy Writes Check Against Legacy Due in 3 Years

Because John Allen Dixon of Waukegan is only 18 years of age, he must wait until he is 21 to inherit a small estate left to him by relatives.

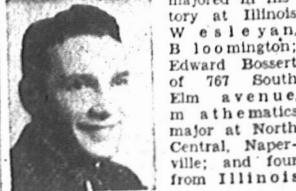
The fact that he had the money coming for him to write a check for \$25, signing the name of "John Mayhew" and cashing it Dec. 1, 1936 at Hattenburg's pharmacy. Payment was refused on the check but the pharmacy held it "just in case."

Saturday evening he was arrested in the Arcade building by Officer Don Bieleau on a charge of issuing a worthless check. No one had seen or heard from him until he returned to hunt up Attorney Mayhew who, he said, was his guardian.

Dixon admitted drawing and cashing the check but said he thought he had a right to since it was his money that was being held for him. Restitution was made for the amount covering the check, prosecution was dropped and Dixon was ordered out of town.

Kankakeeans To Graduate In Colleges

Three Illinois colleges announced their lists of graduates residing in Kankakee county today. Among them are Kenneth Chittum, who majored in history at Illinois Wesleyan, B. S. in 1937; Edward Bossert of 767 South Elm avenue, major in mathematics at North Central, Naperville; and four from Illinois.



Chittum

The latter include Velma Clement and Darwin Cooper of St. Anne, John Hansing of Bonfield and Kenneth McAllister of Kankakee. Six others at I. S. N. U. will receive teaching diplomas on completion of the two-year course—Eunice Cyriel of St. Anne, William Dittus of Essex, Grace Jensen, Yvonne Humbert, Mary McGinnis and Elda Rieke of Reddick.

Wesleyan commencement will be June 7. The other two colleges will hold theirs on June 6. While at Wesleyan, Chittum earned a statewide reputation for his athletic prowess in football, basketball and track.

Ross-Armstrong Bout is Scheduled in N. Y. Tonight

New York, May 31—(UP)—Barney Ross, defending champion from Chicago, held an 8 1/2 pound weight advantage over Henry Armstrong, Negro challenger from St. Louis, when they stepped upon the athletic commission scales at noon for their welterweight title fight in Madison Square Garden bowl tonight.

Ross weighed 142; Armstrong 133 1/2. Although the weather was moderately chilly, there was no hint of rain that twice postponed the fight from last Thursday to Friday and then to tonight.

Ross came in only 1/4 pound over the figure he carried at the first weigh-in Thursday. Armstrong took advantage of the postponement to work off 2 1/2 pounds from his original weight of 136 1/2. Both men appeared to have retained their fighting edge.

4 Injured in Auto, Motorcycle Crash

Clifton, May 31—(RN Special)—Four persons were injured, but not seriously, in an automobile-motorcycle accident here yesterday afternoon. They were taken to St. Mary hospital at Kankakee for first aid.

One motorcycle, ridden by Mr. and Mrs. John Bernier, 1022 North Neva street, Chicago, struck an automobile of Marcelle Laurent, Clifton. The other motorcycle, ridden by F. Van Holten and Carroll Scott of Champaign, ran the curb in order to avoid automobile.

Woman Fined \$53 for Running 'House'

Ann Pemberton, operator of a house of ill fame in the 200 block on South East avenue, upstairs, was arrested by city police this morning. No inmates were found.

She pled guilty in police court and was fined \$53.25 by Magistrate Edward Hoenicke.

THE WEATHER

(Tuesday, May 31, 1938)
Hourly temperature readings from 1 o'clock Monday afternoon to noon today are:
High at 3 p. m., 83, low at 5 a. m., 62.
A year ago fair, high 95, low 71.
1 p. m. — 78 1 a. m. — 63
2 p. m. — 78 2 a. m. — 64
3 p. m. — 79 3 a. m. — 64
4 p. m. — 79 4 a. m. — 63
5 p. m. — 77 5 a. m. — 62
6 p. m. — 76 6 a. m. — 64
7 p. m. — 75 7 a. m. — 69
8 p. m. — 72 8 a. m. — 71
9 p. m. — 70 9 a. m. — 73
10 p. m. — 69 10 a. m. — 74
11 p. m. — 67 11 a. m. — 73
Midnight — 66 Noon — 73
Sunset today at 7:18, sunrise Wednesday at 4:16, sunset at 7:19, moon sets at 9:30 p. m. today.

Partly cloudy to cloudy tonight and Wednesday, probably local thundershowers in south and extreme west portions; not much change in temperature.

FIVE-YEAR-OLD FLORIDA YOUTH KIDNAP VICTIM

Father Pays Ransom of \$10,000 But No Results

FEARS GROWING

Princeton, Fla., May 31—(AP)—A packet of \$10,000 in small bills was dropped in a country road today in an effort to ransom five-year-old James Bailey Cash, Jr., from kidnapers who seized him in his sleep Saturday night.

The senior Cash, who keeps a general store and filling station in this farming community, tossed the currency from his car on a solitary drive before dawn at sight of blinking headlights and a hail from the side of the road—signals specified in a ransom note.

He returned in high hopes of regaining his son by noon but as the hour passed apparently without a sign from the abductors, grave fear was felt for the lad's safety. The mother was reported prostrated.

Poses Formed
A crowd of some 300 persons, mostly overalled truck farmers and citrus growers, gathered outside the frame two-story Cash apartment building and filling station on the main highway and discussed forming posses to search the region.

W. P. Cash, uncle of the boy, expressed the view the kidnap was a local resident. The belief was strengthened by the circumstances that the ransom notes contained maps reflecting an intimate knowledge of the countryside. They were drawn to direct the father in determining the ransom.

Agents of the federal bureau of investigation withdrew from the scene along with sheriff's deputies and the local police. All declined to discuss their strategy.

The tow-headed youngster was stolen from his bed while his mother went next door to help her husband close the grocery for the night. The kidnaper slit a screen, unlatched the back door and took the pajama-clad boy.

Note Threatened Death
A note, one of three in the case, threatened death to the lad, known in the neighborhood as "Skeegie," if the father called authorities but Cash notified the federal bureau of investigation at Miami, 25 miles north of here, and J. Edgar Hoover at Washington assigned a squad of inspectors who flew here Sunday. Then early today, while G-men (Continued on page seven)

Only One Injured in Accidents Here

In spite of the double holiday and consequent heavy highway traffic in this vicinity, no serious auto accidents were reported to local authorities.

Of the five crashes occurring in the city, in only one was anyone injured. Daniel Schlarlach, 78, of 861 South Main street, suffered head and knee injuries when struck by an auto while walking across the intersection at Hickory and Washington avenues at 8:05 o'clock last evening.

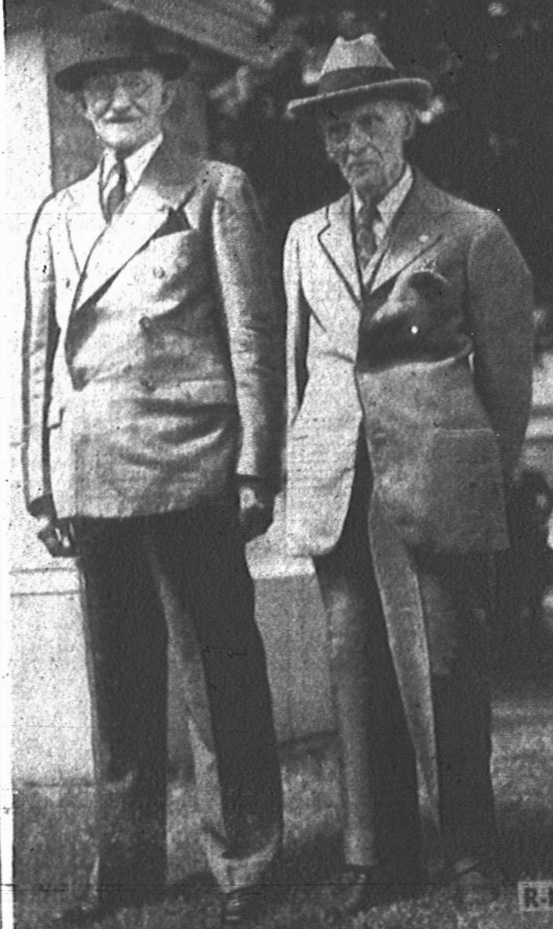
The driver of the car was Edwin Schette, 29, of Bonfield. Schlarlach was removed to St. Mary hospital by Don and Stanley Randel of 1293 South Fourth avenue.

Other crashes and drivers involved included: John Costello of Chicago Heights and N. L. Litchfield of Chicago in the 700 block on North Indiana avenue; Clark Skinner, 130 South Rosewood avenue and Ed Woodrich, West Kankakee truckman, at Indiana and Chestnut streets; Rev. V. V. Hackley of South Bend and Raymond Kunde of 380 West River street, Oak and Dearborn avenues; and Donald Spillane, 819 South Main street and John Riordan of the South Schuyler avenue in the 400 block on Hickory street.

Starts Fight at Dance; Fined \$25

Henry Perry of 431 North Greenwood avenue was arrested Saturday night at Dreamland (formerly known as the Parkway) six miles west of town on highway 17. He was brought to the county jail by Albert Goodknecht, special police officer, on charges of disorderly conduct.

Yesterday, in Justice Fred R. Smith's court, Perry was fined \$25 and costs. It was said that he started a fight.



Last 2 G. A. R. Vets in Parade

William P. Lockwood, 92, of Kankakee and Chicago; Charles P. Livingston, 94, of 464 South Harrison avenue; veterans of the Civil war, attended Memorial day services yesterday at the court house. Comrade Lockwood marched the 12 blocks of the parade.

There's Place for Each Grad, Pastor Says

Citing illustrations from biblical and secular history, the Rev. Theodore B. Buchmueller, pastor of St. John Evangelical church, told the graduating class of Kankakee high school at baccalaureate services Sunday evening that "there is much work to be done and there is a place in the world for each graduate."

The services were held in the auditorium of the school under auspices of the Kankakee Ministers' association. The Rev. Grover C. Whitsett, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, presided. The girls' grade club sang two anthems.

Graduates occupied seats in the front of the auditorium, following a procession led by Florence Green-mah, valedictorian, and Herbert See, president of the senior class.

Fine 4 Motorists Over the Holidays

Four motorists were arrested over the week-end for speeding and parking violations.

Robert Palmer of 227 West Court street was nabbed for speeding and his trial was set for today. Jack Damler of 184 North Wabash avenue, Bradley, and Harold Hoernman of 866 South East avenue paid \$6.25 in police court on similar charges.

John Smith of Dwight was assessed \$3.25 for double parking and leaving his auto unattended with the motor running.

Pope Observes 81st Birthday; Castle Gandolfo

Castel Gandolfo, May 31—(AP)—Letters, telegrams and flowers poured into Pope Pius' summer villa today, congratulating him upon his 81st birthday.

Among the messages was one from Eugenio Cardinal Pacelli, papal secretary of state, on behalf of the papal delegation to the eucharistic congress at Budapest.

REPUBLICAN MEETING

There will be a meeting of the Fifth Ward Republican club Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock at St. Joseph hall. After the business session there will be bunco and refreshments.

APPARENTLY A "RIDE" VICTIM FROM CHICAGO

Hands and Feet Tied and Body Pierced with Bullets

FRED VANUCCI

Chicago, May 31—(AP)—Shot eleven times, the body of a man identified from personal effects as that of Fred Vanucci, of Chicago, was found today on a lonely country road three miles east of Crete. Hands and feet bound with sack cord, the body was found by Fred Paul, a farmer, who notified Will county authorities. Five miles from the scene of the killing police found Vanucci's automobile, the lights of which were still burning.

Victim of "Ride"
Coroner Landon Brannon of Will county said it was apparent the man had been the victim of an old fashioned gangland "ride." The coroner said he believed the victim had been tossed from an automobile and shot repeatedly as he hobbled away from the car. Brannon said one or more 38 caliber revolvers were used in the killing.

The man was about 35 years old. He was about five feet seven inches tall and weighed 160 pounds.

Coroner Brannon said Vanucci's relatives reported he was missing. A member of the family was taken to Crete to attempt to identify the body.

Lieutenant Otto Erlanson of the Chicago police homicide squad sent detectives to a West Harrison street address listed in the victim's papers. Neighbors said two men had been occupying Vanucci's apartment. He hurriedly left a half hour before the coroner's arrival.

Erlanson asked for fingerprints of the victim to aid in identification. He said a police index showed a man named Fred Vanucci had been arrested three times in 1930 on disorderly conduct charges and each time was freed in court.

At the first arrest, Feb. 20, 1930, he gave his age as 23 and his occupation as laborer. On Nov. 9 he gave his age as 25 and on December 13 as 24. The third entry listed his occupation as a gasoline station attendant.

Identify Established
Tentative identity was established through a silver ring bearing the initials "F. V." and registration papers found in a 1937 Dodge coupe (Continued on page seven)

Kankakee County Farmers Buy Bull

Sixteen people from Kankakee county attended the Royal Brentwood Holstein sale at Oconomowoc, Wis., Monday. Over 1,000 people attended the sale with the top price being \$1,225 for the champion Holstein cow.

The Kankakee Bull association procured an excellent grandson of Springbank Snow Countess, world's champion long distance producer of the Holstein breed. He will be at the W. W. Holmes farm west of Kankakee. A sire from the Faber herd was purchased by Philip Surprenant of Limestone township. He is a double grandson of the great Carnation Sensation.

Those attending the sale were: Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Bug; Mr. and Mrs. Philip Surprenant; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Holmes; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Speckman; Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Swalm; Willard Dickman, Oliver Rasmussen, P. D. Bailey, Marjorie Tallman, Lillian Hennings and Miss Larsen.

Insurgent Air Raids Near Barcelona Kill 430 People

Barcelona, May 31—(AP)—At least 430 persons were killed today in an insurgent air raid on the town of Granollers, 16 miles north of Barcelona. That many bodies were taken from the ruins and authorities believed 100 more still were buried.

Forty bombs were dropped by five jet-engine bombers, 12 of them plunging into the market square at its most crowded hour.

Early reports indicated most of the victims were women and children.

Other bombs fell in Granollers potato distribution district. The entire Red Cross service of the district has been mobilized. (Granollers, on a main highway from Barcelona to the French border, had a pre-war population of about 7,000.)

Insurgent warplanes also rained bombs on Valencia in a combined land and air offensive against the former provisional capital of the Spanish government.

Reports to the frontier said the insurgent bombers first appeared over the Mediterranean port city last night and continued their attack until early this morning.

Supreme Court Decision Is Favorable To Relations Bd.

Washington, May 31.—(AP)—The Supreme Court ruled today that the National Labor Relations board may without delay, in the event of an appeal from a decision of the board, order an employer to reinstate a discharged employee.

The court's decision in the case of *NLRB v. Jones & Laughlin Steel Corp.*, 301 U.S. 1, was a 5-4 decision. The majority opinion was written by Chief Justice Charles E. Hughes.

The case arose from a decision of the NLRB ordering the company to reinstate a discharged employee, John L. Lewis, and to pay him back wages. The company appealed the decision to the Supreme Court.

The court held that the NLRB's decision was valid and that the company must comply with the order. The court stated that the NLRB has the authority to order reinstatement and back wages in cases where the discharge was found to be unfair.

The decision is a significant victory for the labor movement and is expected to encourage other employees who have been unfairly discharged to seek reinstatement through the NLRB.

Commencement for 20 at Kempton High

Kempton, May 31.—(RN Special)—Twenty students were graduated from Kempton high school at commencement exercises in the school auditorium Friday evening.

The exercises were presided over by the Rev. C. L. Shultz of the Methodist church, who pronounced the invocation and the salutatory address was given by Frank Meents of Ashkum. Florence Hunter was valedictorian.

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Lorenzo Rockwell of Kempton Dead

Kempton, May 31.—(RN Special)—Lorenzo Rockwell, 92, of Kempton, died Sunday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. F. W. Loe at Rockwell, after an illness of two weeks with kidney ailments and complications.

Funeral services were held this afternoon from the Kempton Methodist church with the Rev. Ralph Hahn of Tarkenton, former Kempton minister, officiating. Interment was in Clayton cemetery.

Mr. Rockwell was born in St. Albans, Vt. He came to Illinois at the age of 15 and worked on the farm. He was a member of the Kempton Methodist church and was a well-known citizen of the community.

Kempton School Head on the Radio

Kempton, May 31.—(RN Special)—Thursday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock, the Kempton school principal, Ralph Hahn, gave a radio address on the state-wide radio program from the radio station WLLP, Kempton.

Mr. Hahn discussed the school's progress and the importance of education in the community. He also mentioned the upcoming graduation exercises and the school's participation in various sports and activities.

AUTO ACCIDENT PROVES FATAL; DEAN MUMFORD Famous Agricultural Leader Dies Early This Morning AT CHAMPAIGN

Champaign, Ill., May 31.—(AP)—Dean Mumford, 67, of Champaign, died today of a heart ailment after a long illness.

Mr. Mumford was a prominent agricultural leader and had been in poor health for some time. He was a member of the National Association of Agricultural Experiment Stations and had served in various capacities for the organization.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Mumford, and several children. Funeral services will be held in Champaign.

Justice Shaw to be Chief of the Illinois Courts

Springfield, Ill., May 31.—(AP)—The task of guiding the Illinois supreme court for a year will fall upon the shoulders of Justice Elwyn R. Shaw of Freeport, as chief justice when the high tribunal convenes its first term a week from today.

Justice Shaw was appointed to the position by the Illinois Judicial Conference. He is a well-respected jurist and has served on the court for many years.

UNION HILL The Meyers Christensen family of Dwight were Sunday visitors at the Russell Schott home

The Meyers Christensen family of Dwight were Sunday visitors at the Russell Schott home.

Mr. and Mrs. Christensen were accompanied by their children and grandchildren. They enjoyed a pleasant visit with the Schott family.

ST. ANNE Birthday Surprise Mrs. Harold Franklin was surprised Monday evening when friends and relatives came to her home to celebrate her birthday. Cards were sent from all over the city.

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The celebration was a joyous occasion with many guests and a large cake. Mrs. Franklin expressed her appreciation for the surprise.

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BREAKS RECORD IN ANNUAL RACE

By CHARLES DUNKLEY
Indianapolis, May 31—(AP)—Checks that probably will total between \$35,000 and \$38,000 were being signed and sealed today for delivery to brawny, 38-year-old Floyd Roberts, former Sunday school teacher from Van Nuys, Calif., who rode to a record-breaking victory yesterday in

The annual 500-mile Indianapolis Speedway race.

The payoff will come tonight when the 33 drivers who staged the contest gather for the annual post-race dinner.

As the roar of 11 other racing motors and cheers of upward of 135,000 fans sounded in his ears, Roberts sped down the mile straightaway shortly after 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon to get the checkered flag of victory with an average of 117.20 miles an hour.

His speed wiped out the old record of 113.580 miles an hour set last year by Wilbur Shaw of Indianapolis. Shaw finished second yesterday, about five miles behind.

Spectator Killed

The day's only fatality came when a wheel flew from the car driven by 27-year-old Emil Andrus of Chicago and killed a spectator.

The victim was Everett Spence, 33, Terre Haute (Ind.) probation officer who had been watching the race

The car went through a fence on a curve and sustained three times. Andres was taken to a hospital with a broken collarbone, two broken ribs, a bruised lung and a slight fracture of his upper jaw. His condition was reported fairly good today.

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Only the first five drivers completed the 500 miles. Rain which began just after Roberts finished caused Speedway officials to flag the other seven off the track. The other five to share in prize money, in the order in which they placed, were Herb Ardinger of Pittsburgh, Harry MacQuinn of Milwaukee, Billy Devore of St. John, Kas., Joel Thorne of Tucson, Ariz., and Frank Wearne of Pasadena, Calif. Duke Nalon of Chicago,

Miller Barely Misses 2nd
Miller's third-place finish was heart-breaking. Driving about five miles behind Roberts and a short distance ahead of Shaw, he had to stop on his next-to-last lap for gasoline. That stop cost him \$5,000. Shaw passed him and grabbed the \$10,000 second prize. Miller will get \$5,000.

Roberts, who quit his job in a

Van Nuys aviation factory to race here, drove a red-and-black speedster owned by Lou Moore of Los Angeles, former driver.

Never worse than fourth after the first 50 miles, Roberts led momentarily, dropped back after a 30-second pit stop for gasoline and a new tire, and grabbed the lead again at 400 miles for good.

Mechanical difficulties put three of the four former winners out of the race. They were Bill Gum-



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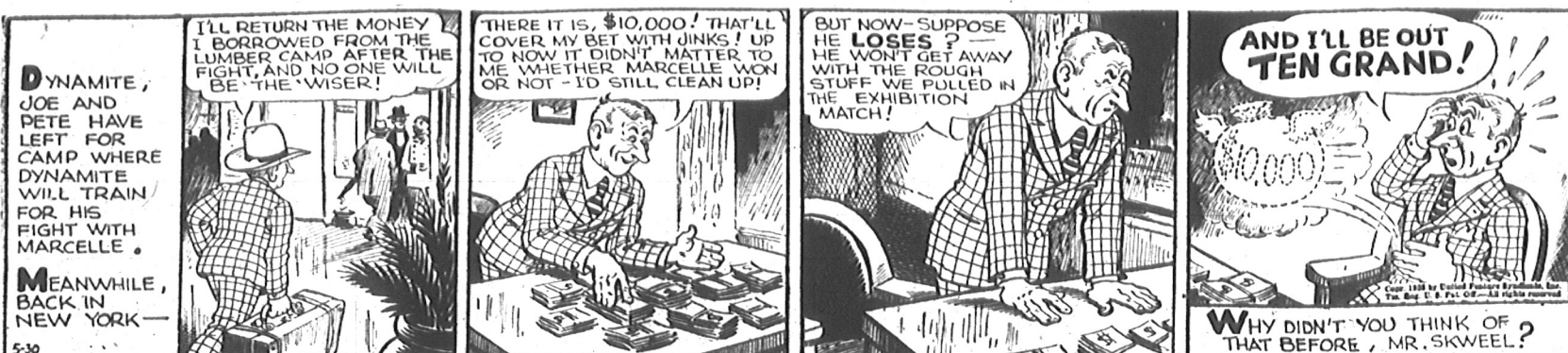
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FAINT HOPE OF FINDING CLUES IN LEVINE CASE

Medical Experts To Seek Traces of Poison

A "LOCAL JOB?"

New Rochelle, N. Y., May 31—(AP)—The investigation of the Peter Levine kidnapping moved forward today on three fronts—in the laboratory, outside and in the realm of deduction.

Medical experts pursued a painstaking microscopic examination of the boy's organs in the faint hope of finding some clue, such as poison traces, to the manner in which he was killed.

For miles around this suburban community, officers explored the countryside, searched the Long Island sound shore line and questioned scores of persons in a hunt for other leads—the possibility of finding missing parts of the body or other clues, tracing the thin wire which bound the body; determining how the body got into the sound.

Disappeared February 24. The Levine boy, 12-year-old son of a moderately well-to-do New York lawyer, disappeared February 24. His body, lacking head, legs and arms, was washed ashore in the sound Sunday, many weeks after three ransom notes had been received.

In the field of deduction, a high investigating authority offered the theory that the crime was a "local job." His reasons:

1. Levine was not prominent outside the community, and a hardy person, an outside criminal would have selected for an extortion attempt.

2. Placement of the ransom notes indicated a detailed knowledge of the community. The first appeared in a vacant house near the Levine home; the second appeared in a vacant lot next to a synagogue, the rabbi of which was approached by the kidnappers as an intermediary; the third note appeared in a vacant lot four blocks away.

3. The condition of the body and the wire indicated it had been submerged with a heavy weight; under the circumstances, the hideout from which it was carried must have been near New Rochelle.

Hope to Locate Boat
Much of the questioning of shore residents was directed toward locating the boat from which the body presumably was dumped—thought to have been a small one, because all the large craft in the vicinity were laid up for the winter.

The wire seemed a poor clue, because it apparently was common radio aerial wire.

"The first day of the investigation produced no arrests, although there was talk that several persons were under vague suspicion and scrutiny. Two youths already held as ransom 'chislers' in the case were questioned further to no apparent avail.

Two youths, among the eight who tried to "chisel" the ransom from Murray Levine, the boy's father, were questioned exhaustively again today by G-men who were not convinced that they had had no part in the actual kidnapping. They were Werner P. Luck, 23, a whopper-jawed, German-born chauffeur who resembles Bruno Hauptmann, executed kidnaper of the Lindbergh baby, and Edward J. Penn, 18, high school pupil.

Hearing Postponed
They have been in jail since March 24 and were to have been put on trial today for writing a letter to collect the ransom from Levine. Because of the finding of the body, District Attorney W. A. Fer-

ris planned to ask a postponement so that they could be questioned more thoroughly. In a raid on their rooms, police found guns, masks, adhesive tape, lengths of copper wire and a toy typewriter. The Levine boy's body was looped twice with a piece of copper wire when it came ashore. His kidnappers left ransom notes for the Levines written on a toy typewriter.

Luck once worked at an ice cream store that Peter Levine frequented. G-men and New Rochelle police were out in boats today, searching the waters off Davenport, a mile from the Levine home, where the body was found. They hoped to recover the head and learn from it how the boy died. The body was in such condition that it could not be determined whether the boy had been assaulted.

Head Severed Purposely?
Dr. Amos A. Squire, county medical examiner, believed that the head had been severed purposely. The strand of wire, which fastened one arm to the body, and which Dr. Squire believes, had been attached to a weight, was sent to the federal bureau of investigation laboratory in Washington for scientific examination. It was the best clue in the case, one that G-men hoped to develop as they had traced the wood in the ladder that Hauptmann used at the Lindbergh home.

Los Angeles Flier Claims Record in Pacific Air Races

Oakland, Calif., May 31—(AP)—World record status was sought today for the performance of Earl Ortman, Los Angeles speed flier, who averaged 265.539 miles an hour in streaking to victory in the major event of the Pacific international air races.

The mark was forwarded to Washington, aeronautical officials for recognition as a new world's record in closed course speed flying. William R. Enyart, secretary of the national contest board of the National Aeronautical association, said both Ortman and Col. Roscoe Turner of Chicago, barely 50 yards behind the Los Angeles flier most of the way, bettered the old mark of 264 miles an hour set by Michel Destrat of France in the 1936 Thompson trophy dash at Los Angeles.

The race yesterday, climax of three days of racing and stunt flying which had claimed two lives the previous days, was a free-for-all affair over 150 miles—18 laps with four pylons per lap.

The race, from a still start, was timed in 33 minutes and 61-100 seconds.

Jas. E. Bennett Co. Forecasts Record Wheat Crop, 1938

Chicago, May 31—(UP)—James E. Bennett & Co. today forecast a record total U. S. wheat crop of 1,655,000,000 bushels which is 46,000,000 bushels greater than the all-time record crop of 1,609,000,000 bushels harvested in 1915.

C. M. Galvin, statistician of Bennett & Co., compiled the estimate which indicates that the favorable crop weather of the past month has increased considerably prospective crop yields, despite scattered damage reports from rust and other sources.

The report estimated a winter wheat production of 804,688,000 bushels which compares with their estimate on May 1st of 755,190,000 bushels and the government estimate of 754,153,000 bushels.

A probable yield of 15.9 bushels of winter wheat per acre was expected based on a condition of 81 percent of normal on June 1st against the 10 year average of 79.3 percent.

The estimated spring wheat crop was 251,000,000 bushels on an estimated acreage of 22,315,000 acres. Production in 1937 was 188,891,000 bushels, and the long time average is 241,312,000 bushels.

NEWS REPORTS FROM BRADLEY

Thursday the senior class of the high school distributed the Bradley year book for May. All the material was prepared by the following seniors: Doris M. Hasemeyer, Frank L. Lusk, Marjorie G. Heinze, Leonard L. Delonals, Raymond J. Janssen, Marvin Lambert, Nellie F. McCleary, Arthur G. Marlaire, Frederick W. Meyers and Bernice R. Toliusis.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Brickle and son Elden, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brickle Sr. and granddaughter Maxine Hayes motored to Chicago on Sunday.

The five seniors who have the highest average for their four years of high school are: Frank Coyer, Marjorie Heinze, Frank Lustig, Bernice Toliusis and Eugene Mayotte.

Mr. and Mrs. William Knox and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Beland motored to Palatine on Sunday.

Baccalaureate services were held Sunday in the high school gymnasium. Rev. R. B. Bernau of the St. Joseph church delivered the address.

Rev. George McCrea of the Methodist church the invocation and scripture reading. Rev. Longenbaugh of the United Brethren the benediction. The girls glee club, directed by Miss Brock, sang.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey McCleary returned Monday from a motor trip to Muscatine, Iowa, where they spent several days. They were accompanied home by the former's mother, Mrs. M. McCleary who will spend some time here.

Four leading scores during the track season were: Art Marlaire, Len DeLons, Charles Voorhes and Bob Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lavoie of Chicago and Miss Merle Dugan of Kankakee were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Miller.

A children's day pageant and program will be presented Sunday evening at 7:30 in the United Brethren church.

Mrs. F. Carlson went to Chicago on Friday for a week's visit.

Delbert Mulligan returned to his home in Muskegon, Mich., Monday after a week's visit here. His wife and son Jackie remained for a longer visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Rantz went to Indianapolis on Sunday where they attended the auto races.

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Mrs. Frank Erickson returned Saturday from Chicago where she had a week's visit. She was accompanied here by Miss Mildred Erickson, Mr. and Mrs. Forest Erickson and son Elwood and Arvid Erickson who remained here until Monday evening.

Mrs. Emil Gonderman spent Memorial day with her son Earl of Kankakee.

Mrs. William Martin will be hostess Thursday evening to the Oriental club.

Mrs. Mathild Atkins and Miss Molly Pritz of Chicago were guests of their parents Mr. and Mrs. John Pritz the past several days.

Members of the high school graduating class are: Kenneth W. Atkins, Eugene J. Mayotte, Frank B. Coyer, Leonard L. DeLons, Doris M. Hasemeyer, Marjorie G. Heinze, Ray J. Janssen, Marvin Lambert, Frank L. Lusk, Arthur G. Marlaire, Nellie F. McCleary, Robert M. Menard, Frederick W. Meyers, Harold W. Nelson and Bernice R. Toliusis.

Class sponsors are teachers Edith Liddle and Donald Arthur. Commencement exercises will be held Friday.

The annual commencement exercises of the eighth grade of the public school will be Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

Valedictorian is Anna Allstrom and salutatorian Lloyd McCleary. Fifty-six will be graduated.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tolson of Kankakee were visitors Memorial day of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Miller.

John Rogers returned to Manteno on Monday to resume his duties at Our Lady academy after several days' visit with his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. John Pritz.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Kuhns motored to Watseka on Sunday and visited the latter's brother.

Mrs. Mathild Drasser of Chicago spent the holidays with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Frank Drasser.

Joseph Moens Dies Sunday in Bradley

Joseph Moens, 82, died Sunday morning at his home at 384 North Washington avenue, Bradley, after an illness of two years.

The body will be removed from the Hickey funeral home this evening to the home where friends may call until the hour of the services which will be held Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock in St. Joseph church in Bradley. Interment will be in the family lot in Mt. Calvary cemetery.

He was born in Hengon, Belgium, in 1855 and came to this country in 1902. He was a resident of Bradley for 29 years and was employed by the Bradley Manufacturing company.

Surviving, besides the widow, are two sons Raymond and Joseph both of Bradley.

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C. D. A. Initiation and Installation
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The new members are Mrs. S. N. Hubert, Mrs. Steve Hubert, Mrs. Josephine Bertrand, Mrs. Carl Meents, Mrs. Leonie Rabideau, Mrs. Amy Blamont and Mrs. Glen Raymond.

District Deputy Mrs. Smith of Manteno assisted by Mrs. Messier of Kankakee installed the following officers—Grand regent, Sadie Menigatz; vice grand regent, C. Reynolds; prophetess, Alice Peterson; lecturer, Pearl Nephew; monitor, Albertha Patnaude; historian, Mayme Boskin.

Notes
Ashkum has several students graduating from four-year high schools. Those finishing St. Anne high school are Earl Voigt, Donald Trudeau, Joseph Poskin, Melvin Karsgaard, Wayne Raboin, Evelyn Meents, Eleanor Meier and Beryl Prew. Those graduating at Kempton are—Evelyn Ziehr and Frank Meents, the latter having been

sentinel, Irene Lanoue; financial secretary, Angela Burns; treasurer, Helen Phillips; organist, Ethel Rohr; trustees, Margaret Fruin and Anna Gray.

Visitors from Kankakee were Mrs. Robert Fruin, Mrs. John Hickey, Mrs. Hagerty, Mrs. Brouillette, Mrs. Snyder, Mrs. Lebeau and Mrs. Zoph. The court will give a party in honor of the new members June 2 at the town hall.

The West Side Friendship club met Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Sefer Brinkman. Bunco was the diversion with honors being awarded to Mrs. Roy Brinkman and Mrs. Lester Warmbir and guest honors went to Mrs. Leslie Beland and Miss Verna Beland. The club will meet June 16 at the home of Mrs. Wilbur Dexter.

A. C. Silties was called to Allentown, Penn., on Tuesday because of the death of his father Chester Silties.

Alva Mason and his helpers have been busy remodeling the old bakery building on Main street which

awarded salutatorian honors. Felicitas Bushman graduates from Herscher high school, where she will give the class will, prophecy and history in verse. She has also been awarded a medal for typing.

Mrs. Mary Dieter returned home Saturday from a two weeks' trip to North Dakota and Minnesota where she visited relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Green Sr. are enjoying a vacation with relatives in Iowa.

Mrs. John Phillips Sr. is slowly recovering from a recent illness.

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