



Former St. Mark's Lutheran School in New Role

Amvets Buy Former School For First Permanent Home

Niagara Frontier Post 26, Amvets, will meet at 1 p.m. tomorrow for the last time at 748 Oliver St. Commander Joseph Moskal Jr. explains later this month the post of World War II veterans will move into the first home of their own at 71 Washington St. Bought for \$10,000, the new Amvet home is the former St. Mark's Evangelical Lutheran School. Since it was organized Nov. 28, 1949 by 16 charter members, the post was in private homes or in rented quarters. Anthony Koszelak served as first post commander through 1950, a period when the Amvets met in members' homes, later in rented quarters in a 14th Ave. store. Edward Rusin became commander in 1951. In that year, the Amvets rented their first club rooms at 958 Oliver St. They conducted their first annual field day and supported the United Veterans Council. Commander in 1952 was Joseph Hojnowski. The post moved to the 748 Oliver St. location while he was in office. The Amvets Auxiliary was formed that year. He was succeeded by Stanley Kuczkowski in 1953. During his command, Amvets began service to orphans and hospitalized veterans.

Marion Koszelak was commander in 1954. The post started a yearly sports program and for the first time its membership was more than 100. Richard J. Malis was commander last year. The post, with 147 members, was third largest in the state. It continued projects of all previous years, formed an eight-man color guard, presented its first life membership to Felix Wrazin. It began a search for larger quarters and the search ended with purchase of the former school building. Five motorists who appeared in North Tonawanda City Court last night lost a total of \$95 in fines. Two who failed to appear lost \$10 each in bail. Roland Dean, 18, of 505 Euclid Ave., charged with ignoring a traffic signal, and Kenneth Janowski, 48, of 118 Felton St., charged with speeding. Charged with ignoring traffic signals, Harold F. McGraw, 51, of 39 Argonne Drive, Kenmore, and Frank Martin, 44, of 2311 13th St., Niagara Falls, were fined \$10 each. Judge Fred C. Root fined three others charged with speeding: Charles Schear, 32, of 57 Porter Ave., \$35; Charles Barone, 17, of North Tonawanda Route 2, Nash Rd., \$25, and Charles Stover, 21, same Nash Rd. address in the Town of Wheatfield, \$15.

Mother Abandons Year-Old Child

North Tonawanda police today were seeking a Goundry St. mother who abandoned her year-old daughter late yesterday. At 6:57 p.m. yesterday police received an anonymous telephone call to inspect a third floor rear flat of the mother, Mrs. Shirley Cone, at 341 Goundry St., North Tonawanda. Patrolmen Delton H. Osmann and Joseph F. Rybacki found Mrs. Cone's blond baby girl, Linda, in tears. Chief Grimaldi, Det. LA Emil Grzenkowski and Det. Jerome Kalota said a note was found. It indicated the child's mother no longer could take care of the girl. The officers cited the mother as writing that she had no money and being separated from her husband and she found herself compelled to forsake her child. Contacted by police, Mrs. Helen Jones, Niagara County Welfare Department representative, found place for the little girl in a North Tonawanda foster home. Police said Linda is receiving "excellent care" this morning. Meanwhile, they are continuing their search for the girl's mother.

Obituaries

AXCEL — Frank H. Axcel of Sour Home Rd., Pendleton, Feb. 10, 1956. Son of the late August and Wilhelmina Axcel. Brother of Edward and Ben Axcel. Uncle of Max and Otis Axcel. Friends may call at the Bury Funeral Home, 3070 Delaware Ave., Kenmore. Funeral services at 11 a.m. Monday. Friends invited. (10-11)

WORLD — Charles World, 84, of 237 Division St., North Tonawanda, Friday (Feb. 10, 1956) in DeGraff Memorial Hospital after a brief illness. Born in Cambria, N. Y., he had lived in North Tonawanda 60 years. He was the husband of the late Jenny Jeeves World. Survivors include a son, Floyd, and a daughter, Louise, both of the Tonawandas. Friends may call at the Wattengel Funeral Home, 306 Oliver St., where services will be at 2 p.m. Monday. Michael Godrick officiating. Burial will be in St. Peter's Lutheran Cemetery, North Ridge.

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Falls Man Sentenced For Unlawful Entry

Charles T. Hooper, 25, of 1244 Pine Ave., Niagara Falls, has been sentenced to Erie County Penitentiary for one year for unlawful entry into First Presbyterian Church, Broad and Clinton Sts., June 25, 1955, Tonawanda police said. Police said Hooper also was fined \$500 on the charge. He pleaded guilty in Supreme Court, Buffalo, Feb. 1. Hooper was apprehended by Patrolman Richard Winters Aug. 5, 1955 in Seymour St., while police were investigating the entry of three Tonawanda churches. No money was taken from the churches, police said.

FIREMEN'S MEETING

A special meeting of the Niagara County Volunteer Firemen's Association is scheduled at 8 p.m. Wednesday in South Lockport Fire Hall, Transit Rd. All delegates and officers of fire companies are urged to attend.

DR. DOLL MOVES

Dr. L. J. Doll, formerly of 300 Wheatfield St., now is practicing at 309 Goundry St. He was located eight years at the Wheatfield St. location.

PAYS \$10 FINE

Harold F. McGraw, 51, of 39 Argonne Drive, Kenmore, last night was fined \$10 in North Tonawanda City Court for ignoring a traffic signal.

Community News

Boy Scout Drive Set for Sunday

The "Friends of Scouting" enrollment drive is set for the Twin Cities tomorrow. Tabulations will be made between 2 and 10 p.m. tomorrow in North Presbyterian Church. Recruiters will be served coffee and other refreshments as they make their reports. Recruiters were busy this afternoon making last minute calls on "Friends of Scouting" membership prospects. William Haeseler Jr., drive chairman in the Twin Cities, today said captains and other workers hope to enroll more than 740 "Friends of Scouting" members and to increase the Boy Scouts of America friends' contributions beyond the \$1,200 mark. That was the total reached in the 1955 drive. "The fact is, we hope to go well beyond the 1955 record," Mr. Haeseler said. "In fact, we'll have to increase our 'Friends of Scouting' ranks considerably if we want to keep pace with the increased number of boys we expect to serve this year. We need more adults whom we can call for service when new Scout troops, Cub packs or Explorer units are formed."

T-NT Delegates To Vet Dinner

The Twin Cities delegation at the American Legion's annual state legislative dinner Monday in Albany will be Ralph J. DeGillo, Herbert W. Hamann and J. Norman Mackenzie. State legislators will be dinner guests. Mr. DeGillo is Niagara County Legion commander and chemist in Niagara County Voiture 388 of the Society of the 40 & 8. Mr. Mackenzie is grand correspondent in Voiture 388. Mr. Hamann is a director for Legionnaires of the Eighth District of New York of the American Legion's state mountain camp. Tomorrow Mr. DeGillo plans to attend the Legion's district oratorical contest in Lockport High School. Bruce Gordon of Middleport will represent Niagara County schools in competitions for placement in the Legion's western zone oratorical competitions.

Students Protest Baghdad Treaty

CAIRO (UP) — Two hundred shouting students stormed the gates of the Jordanian Embassy here today in a demonstration against the pro-Western Baghdad Pact. Visiting Premier of Jordan Samir El Rifai watched the demonstration, which was staged by young Jordanians studying in Cairo. The demonstrators invaded the embassy's compound, shouting "down with the Baghdad Pact," "down with the friends of imperialism" and "we want Arab unity." Police blocked the entrance to the embassy and prevented the clamoring students from rushing inside. The students then dispersed peacefully.

3 Teenagers Die In 100 mph Crash

CHICAGO (UP) — Two teenage boys and a girl died in the crash of their automobile early today after it left the highway at a speed police estimated at 100 miles an hour and catapulted 300 feet. The automobile went out of control near O'Hare International Airport on the western outskirts of Chicago, knocked down two telephone poles, ripped off 14 fence posts and shot 300 feet. It rolled to a stop in flames. The dead were Richard Eggleston, 19; Joan Wehman, 18; and Kenneth J. Urban, 17, all of suburban Bensenville. Mrs. Margery Hartung, en route home to Des Plaines, witnessed the accident. "That car took off like a jet," she said.

Girl, 14, Admits Bomb Threat Note

BUFFALO (UP) — A 14-year-old eighth grade girl student admitted Friday night writing a bomb threat note just before police were to begin evacuating 80 New Ariel Theater patrons. The note, found on the floor of the theater and turned over to the management, said the bomb was going to explode at 9 p. m. and that everyone should be out of the building 10 minutes before that hour. It was signed "Amateur Scientist."

DRIVER IS KILLED

BUFFALO (UP) — Thomas R. Franclemont, 21, Eggertsville, was killed today when his car crashed into the rear of a tractor trailer.

Men in Service

Pvt. Homer C. Lum Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Homer C. Lum, 855 Payne Ave., is attending a special training course with the 1st Infantry Regiment at the Marine Corps Base, Camp Lejeune, N. C. The four-week course includes all phases of combat training coordinated with the training taught in "boot" camp. Graduates will be transferred to permanent duty stations.

Owner Plans to Sell Hotel in Buffalo

NIAGARA FALLS (UP) — The owner of the Hotel Royal James in downtown Buffalo disclosed Friday that negotiations were under way to sell the property for about \$250,000. James T. Sandonato, Niagara Falls real estate operator, said the six-story, 57-room hotel was being sold to Louis Levine of New York City. The establishment, he said, will in turn be leased or sold to Branchini, Rapport and Klein, real estate brokers in Buffalo. Sandonato said he understood Elks' Lodge 23, from which he purchased the building a few years ago, planned to take over some space in the hotel for use as offices and banquet rooms.

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Jury Convicts 3 In Clothing Theft

BUFFALO (UP) — Three men linked to a \$10,000 clothing store robbery by a fingerprint were convicted here Friday. Convicted of third degree burglary and first degree grand larceny by a Supreme Court jury was Thomas J. Robinson Jr., 20, whose fingerprint Asst. Dist. Atty. Merrill C. Windelberg said was discovered on a cash box in the Squire Shop in suburban Snyder. Two other defendants were found guilty of felony counts of criminally receiving stolen property in the clothing theft last May 20. Justice William H. Munson remanded the defendants to jail pending sentencing Feb. 17.

Leukemia Victim Leaves for Home

LOURDES, France (UP) — A four-year-old American boy leaves tonight for his home in Steubenville, Ohio, after one last visit to the grotto of Our Lady of Lourdes. Craig Giannamore was brought here by his parents in hope that the waters of the famed shrine might preserve for him the life doctors say leukemia will shortly snatch away. Today, he and his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Giannamore, take part in solemn services marking the 98th anniversary of the appearance of the Blessed Virgin to Bernadette Soubirous, a Lourdes farm girl. Then they will board a train for Paris on the way home. The robust-looking, brown-haired boy has bathed all week in the chill waters of the shrine. Each day his father bathed beside him to lend him courage.

Escaped Killer Blocks Extradition to East

SAN FRANCISCO (UP) — Leslie (Mad Dog) Irvin, escaped Indiana mass murderer who was captured in a pawnshop here, blocked efforts Friday to send him East to the electric chair. Irvin, condemned to death for one of six holdup murders in Indiana and Kentucky, refused to waive extradition and won a postponement until Tuesday. The 31-year-old prisoner broke out of an "escape proof" jail in Princeton, Ind., on Jan. 19 and eluded police in ten states. He was finally picked up by two San Francisco patrolmen Thursday when he tried to pawn two rings stolen in a Los Angeles robbery.

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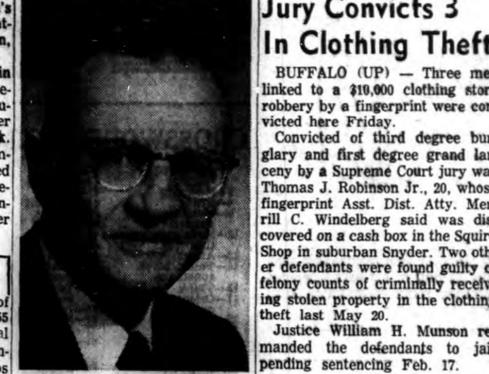
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APPOINTMENT: Merrill C. Windelberg has been named advertising manager of Wales-Stripit Corp., it was announced today by Homer C. Gray Jr., vice president-director of sales. He joined Wales-Stripit about a year ago and formerly was with R. C. Neal Company, Inc., Buffalo.

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THIS HONOR SOCIETY: Thirty-one new members were accepted into the Tonawanda High School Honor Society this week. This raises the number of Honor Society members in THS to 41. Eleven of the members are shown with the society's emblem.

Seated from left, are Roy Lamm, Joan Lafferty, Suzanne Harter, Ruth Huyett. Standing, from left, are Marshall Boyler, Faith Karas, Linda Homeyer, Mary Lou Kage, president; Mary Ruth Hewitt, Dean Rech and Douglas Rothenberg.

