

What I Think and Have a Right to Say

By Eason R. Eaton
THEY SOLD THEIR SOULS
To those who followed closely the evidence presented at the trials of the state legislators indicted for graft by Judge Carr's grand jury, there wasn't much doubt as to what the verdict would be.

JOBS FOR 'OUR BOYS' WHEN THEY COME HOME

We have been reading where some of the high up officials of the labor movement have been making rules under which 'OUR BOYS' are fighting to save the country, can get jobs and seniority rights when they come home from the battlefronts of the world.

THE HON. CHASE S. OSBORN

Recently it was the pleasure of the writer to spend a few brief moments with the Hon. Chase S. Osborn, one of the most progressive governors this or any other state ever had.

A GLANCE AT OUR POST-WAR MARKET

Here is the estimated demand for goods, according to the United States Chamber of Commerce, which will exist when the war ends:

COMPULSORY VOTING

We have often thought that it would be a benefit to America if we had a law which required every person who possessed a grade school education and was of voting age to vote at every election.

Ferndale School Principal Is Rotary Speaker

Albert Wiitanen, principal of Ferndale schools, spoke before local Rotarians last Friday on the subject of vocations, using specifically education as a vocation.

School Board Sets Tuition Rate For Coming Year

At its August meeting the Board of Education adopted the rate of \$30.00 in addition to the state allowance of \$106.50 for the year of 1944-45.

Water Demand Great As Heat Wave Continues

Hot, wasn't it? What about now!!!!????? Oh, yes it was. Whether you knew it or not, Plymouth suffered along with the rest of the nation during the past week.

Baptist Minister Resigns Pastorate

Rev. George W. Rothery, pastor of the First Baptist Church, has resigned the pastorate. The resignation becomes effective August 31, 1944.

WAC Recruiting Drive Started

Under the capable direction of Mrs. Milton Liable, plans are forming for an extensive recruiting campaign here in Plymouth for the Woman's Army Auxiliary Corp.

acted thus? With freedom dead in many parts of the world, what an astonishing state of mind! Here we have about as much freedom as any nation engaged in a great war can have—surely we have some peanuts and petty tyrants with some power, but that always happens; we also have an attorney general who claims that the president has tyrannical power over the populace engaged in the pursuits of peace, but it is in high places is nothing new.

Jaycees Award War Bond Queen, Contest Prizes

A fitting climax to the Fifth war loan drive took place last Thursday evening in the Masonic temple when members of the Plymouth Junior Chamber of Commerce awarded prizes to 14 Plymouth girls who participated in the successful "war bond queen" contest, staged by the hustling members of the Jaycees.

State Approves City's Request For Future Work

The city commission has received from the state planning commission approval for the installation of water mains and sanitary sewers throughout the south section of the city.

Recreational Program Ends

Work of the Plymouth Summer Recreational program ended last week and a total of 13,542 hours of amusement for local children was reported by playground director Mrs. J. R. Witwer.

City To Pave New Street Near P. M. Depot

The city has received from the Pere Marquette railway an easement of thirty feet of property at the southerly edge of the company's holdings in Plymouth, between Mill street and Starkweather avenue for the purpose of constructing a street.

Celebrate Fifty-Third Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Peter A. Miller celebrated their fifty-third wedding anniversary Sunday, by entertaining twenty-six of their relatives at a supper lawn party.

Announce Classes Of Flower Show

Every thing is in readiness for the Women's National Farm and Garden Association Flower Show at the high school next Thursday afternoon.

Three Die In Sunday Crash On Lee Curve

Three people were killed and three others injured when two motorcycles collided head on to a car on the curve in front of the Harry Lee residence on Ann Arbor Trail late last Sunday afternoon.

Superintendent Urges Youth To Return To School

As stated elsewhere in this edition, Plymouth Public Schools open Tuesday afternoon, September 5, 1944.

Rodeo Brings Old West To Northville

Bringing a touch of the Old West, with its stirring atmosphere of cow-boys and cattle rustlers, to the door step of Plymouth, the Saddle Ridge Rodeo and Carnival is now in full swing at the Northville Fairgrounds at Northville.

New Dress Shop Opens Here Today

An announcement elsewhere in this issue of the Plymouth Mail tells of the formal opening today of Plymouth's newest ladies' apparel store, The Barbara Ann Shoppe, owned and operated by Joseph Lippson, the proprietor of the Sam & Son store on Penniman avenue.

Celebrates Her 98th Birthday

Mrs. Mariette Hough of 173 North Main street celebrated her 98th birthday on Thursday, August 17th.

Legionnaires To Install At Big Public Meeting

Three Posts To Combine Ceremony On August 25th
One of the most elaborate installation ceremonies ever held in Plymouth will take place at the American Legion Hall at Newburg on Friday, August 25th.

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The affair will take place at 8:30 in the evening and the public is invited to attend. The officers of the Myron H. Beals post to be installed are Commander, John M. McCollough; vice-commander, Andrew McDonald; second vice-commander, Roy Lawson; Adjutant, Dean Saxton; chaplain, Charles Cushman; finance officer, Chauncey Evans; historian, Sevn Ecklund and sergeant-at-arms, Fred McAninch.

Show At Fairgrounds All This Weekend

Some of the country's top riders and rodeo performers are being featured in the steer-dogging, bronc-busting and roping events—handling—rough steers, untamed western horses and Brahma bulls.

Church News

Hours of services and notices of church organization meetings.

PRESBYTERIAN-METHODIST CHURCHES, Henry Walsh and T. Leonard Sanders, ministers. Sunday, August 28, 1944, 10 o'clock Church School in each church with classes for all. 11 o'clock Union Worship Service in the Presbyterian church.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, Geo. W. Rothery, pastor, telephone 1045. Morning worship, 11:00 a. m. Sunday School (all ages), 10:00 a. m. Evening service, 7:30 p. m. Mid-week Sermon, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.; Choir practice, Wednesday, 8:30 p. m.

SALEM FEDERATED CHURCH, C. M. Pennell, Pastor. Sunday morning worship, 10:30 o'clock. Sermon theme: "Our Father's World."

ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH, Maple and S. Harvey Sts. Sunday morning services, morning prayer with sermon at 11 a. m.

NEWBURG METHODIST CHURCH, minister, Verle J. Carson. 861 1/2 Newburg Rd., Plymouth 860-W4.

to Mind the glory, honor, dominion, and power everlastingly due its holy name."
OUR LADY OF GOOD COUNSEL - Rev. William P. Mooney, pastor. Masses, 6:00, 8:00, 10:00 and 12:00 noon.

SALVATION ARMY - Sunday services: Sunday school, 10 a.m.; Sunday holiness meeting, 11 a.m.; open air, 7:30 p.m.; inside meeting, 8 p.m.; Tuesday jail meeting, 8 p.m.; Thursday, 2 p.m.; Home league meeting; Thursday night, Torchbearers, 7:30 p.m.

ST. PETER'S LUTHERAN - Edgar Hoeneke, pastor. Sunday services, 10:30 a.m.; Sunday school, 9:30 a.m.
CHURCH OF CHRIST - 188 West Liberty street. Bible school, 10:15 a.m.; worship, 11 a.m.; preaching and song service, 7:30 p.m.

CHURCH OF GOD - 333 North Main street; Rev. R. W. Struthers, pastor. Unified service, 10 a.m.; evangelistic service, 7:30 p.m.; praise and prayer service, Wednesday, 7:30.

FREE METHODIST MISSION - 1058 South Main street; Fred Highfield in charge. Sunday school, 2:30 p.m.; preaching, 3:30 p.m.; prayer meeting, Tuesday, 7:45 p.m. Welcome to all to worship with us.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE, Holbrook at Pearl, Robert A. North, Pastor. Bible School 10:00 A. M. M. P. Clark in charge. Morning Worship 11:00 A. M. Evening Service 7:45 P. M. Prayer Meeting 7:30 P. M. Wed. All are welcome to come and worship with us.

ST. MICHAEL'S CATHOLIC - Rosedale Gardens; Father Conway, pastor. Masses at 5:45 a.m., 8 a.m., 10 a.m. and 12 noon.

Garden Hose Holds Fire Under Control. Severe loss from fire was averted last week through the quick action of August Schultz, who lives on Hanford road, nine miles southwest of Plymouth.

The house caught fire from an oil heater in the basement, according to a report made by the Plymouth fire department. As soon as the danger of the fire became evident, the Plymouth fire department was called. They

arrived in fifteen minutes, which is exceptionally good time for the distance involved, but fifteen minutes is a long time when a house is on fire. During the fifteen minutes, Mr. Schultz had used his garden hose to good advantage, and had the fire well under control.

Very little work was needed on the part of the Plymouth department, but it might have been a serious loss.

Surprised By Birthday Party. It's something to work in one place for 33 years but it's really something when you work in that place all those years and then have a birthday and find that all

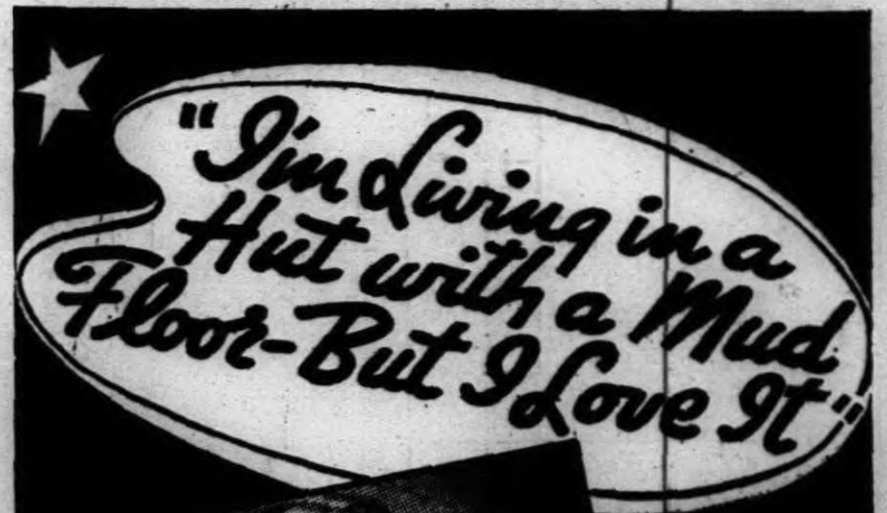
your associates want to help you celebrate it. Well, that's what happened to John Stroll last Saturday noon. An employee of the Pere Marquette Railroad since 1911, John celebrated his 64th birthday last Saturday. At noon John and eleven of his associates gathered in the office at the railroad yard where they usually meet and lunch together and after the usual noontime meal was over John's associates presented him with a beautiful birthday cake. Not that the cake was enough, they also had the ice cream and all the trimmings to make it "extra special". Needless to say, John was pleasantly surprised and a good time was had by all.

No bird soars too high if he soars with his own wings.-William Blake.

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"GI Joe's Best Girl" is one of many excellent features exclusively in This Week Magazine. in Sunday's DETROIT NEWS. Order Your Copy From H. W. PRIESTAF 232 S. Main St. Phone Wayne 7236-F21.

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THIS WEEK'S WOLF'S FOOD NEWS. Super Suds. Large Box 23c. P & G SOAP. Giant Size Bar 3 for 14c. Laundry Starch. 3 lb. Box 15c. Dill Pickles. Quart Jars 21c. Sweet Pickles. 16 oz. Jar 20c. Campbell's Pork & Beans. Per Can 9c. Sunblest Pork & Beans. No. 2 Can 9c. Fruit Jars. 2 doz. Pints \$1.00. Quarts. Per Doz. 55c. Kerr Jar Covers. Per Doz. 23c. Jar Lids. Per Doz. 10c. Certo-For Jellies. 2 lb. Bottle 21c. Cane Sugar. Per 5 lbs. 33c. Giant Corn Flakes. Per Pkg. 12c. Bancroft Peas. No. 2 can 11c. Gold Medal Flour. 25 lb. Bag \$1.19. Pillsbury's Flour. 5 lb. Bag 30c. Swans Down Cake Flour. Reg. size Box 28c.

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Community Pharmacy

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The Plymouth Mail Want Ads Bring Results

Outing Proves Best Club Ever Held

Some 50 members of the Wayne County Conservation Association gathered for their annual outing Sunday afternoon at the Jack Taylor cottage at Base Lake. A buffet lunch was served both at noon and in the evening and those who attended agreed it was one of the best affairs of its kind ever held.

Sporting contests were the feature attraction for the afternoon and between tall stories of sporting experiences Hugh Horton won first place in both bait and fly casting contest. Leo Wallace took first honors in the horse shoe pitching meet and William Shaundry won the sharp shooting event. An unscheduled exhibition of how not to change boats in the water provided one of the most interesting amusements of the afternoon program. The unrehearsed act was provided by Wm. Garrett when he attempted to change seats from a speed boat into a canoe and of course one of the first lessons every good sportsman learns, the one changing seats in a boat, was vividly demonstrated.

Jaycees Award

(Continued from Page 1) macy, Moderne Beauty Shop, Goodales, Sam & Son, Jack & Judy, Taylor & Blyton, Davis & Lent, Norma Cassady, Herrick Jewelry, Fisher Shoe Store, The Plymouth Mail. Chairman Lent saw to it that Harry Lush, owner of the Penn theatre who donated the use of his theatre for a night's show, was not overlooked for the interest he displayed in helping to make the Fifth war loan drive so successful. Mr. Lush offered as an inducement to purchasers of war bonds with \$50 or more maturity

value, a free ticket for one of the best motion pictures of the year. As a result of his offer, sufficient bonds were sold to fill every seat in the theatre. As an additional interesting feature for the evening's program, the Jaycees brought to the city a number of juvenile dancers who entertained the guests at the prize-awarding event. The youngsters presented a 30 minute program that would do justice to veteran dancers. Following the dinner and the brief program, the remainder of the evening was spent in dancing.

Members of the Jaycees rightly feel proud of the part they played in helping to make the Fifth war loan drive a success. Chairman Lent devoted a good portion of his time to the work of the Jaycee drive, as did many other members of the organization. The war bond queen contest was their most successful activity and the girls who took part in it were rightly rewarded for their good work.

Plymouth Mail Want Ads Bring Results.

Goldstein's Department Store is holding a clearance on entire stock of Ladies' Wash Dresses.

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College Gives Canning Hints

Get your winter supply of health-promoting vitamin C from canned Michigan-grown tomatoes, picked at their prime, says Roberta Hershey, extension specialist in foods and nutrition, Michigan State college. From 20 to 30 quarts of tomatoes or tomato juice should be planned for each member of the family.

that it does not boil. Put the hot tomatoes through a fine sieve and reheat the juice just to boiling before pouring into sterilized, hot jars. Salt in the proportion of 1 level teaspoonful to each quart of juice may be added. Partially seal the jars and process in boiling water bath for 15 minutes. Spices are best added just before serving the juice rather than during the preparation stage to avoid darkening the juice, Miss Hershey suggests.

Detailed directions on canning Victory products are contained in Extension Bulletin 132, "War-time Canning" and its supplementary sheet, "Using War-time Canning Equipment". Copies may be obtained from your county extension office or from the Michigan State college bulletin office, East Lansing.

How Lumber Orders Apply To Farmers

New government restrictions on lumber, made effective August 1, will benefit essential users, including Michigan farmers, believes Richard C. Johnson of the Michigan State college forestry department.

Most farm uses of lumber are considered essential and carry a high priority rating, Johnson says. The new orders, by restricting non-essential use, will help farmers get lumber faster for necessary construction, Johnson lists ways in which farmers may obtain lumber:

1. In each 3-month period, starting July 1, a farmer may buy up to 300 board feet of lumber for essential farm uses from a lumberyard by signing a form at the lumberyard.
2. If more than 300 board feet are required in any 3-month per-

iod, the farmer should apply on WPB form PL-200 to his agriculture agent or county war board. 3. If the structure for which lumber is needed will cost more than \$1,000, the farmer should apply directly to his nearest War Production Board on WPB form 617.

4. In the event of fire, tornado, or flood, applications should be made to the county war board or to the nearest War Production Board. Emergency lumber to protect buildings from further damage might be available at the local lumberyard.

5. Farmers may take their

chances with other consumers to get part of the five to eight thousand board feet of lumber allotted lumberyards priority-free for non-essential use.

The new orders also apply to custom sawing of lumber only if the mill cuts more than 100,000 board feet annually. To get logs sawed at those mills, the farmer must follow the procedure outlined above as if he were buying the lumber at a yard, Johnson explains. Further information on buying lumber or arranging for custom sawing may be obtained from your county agriculture agent.

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Legals

NOTICE OF HEARING CLAIMS STATE OF MICHIGAN THE PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF WAYNE No. 315,751
In the Matter of the Estate of GRANT HILL, Deceased.
Notice is hereby given that all creditors of said decedent are required to present their claims, in writing and under oath, to said Court at the Probate Office in the City of Detroit, in said County, and to serve a copy thereof upon BENJAMIN D. BURDICK, Administrator with the will annexed of said estate, at 1933 Dime Building, Detroit, Michigan, on or before the 11th day of Oct., A. D. 1944, and that such claims will be heard by said Court, before Judge Thomas C. Murphy in Court Room No. 303, Wayne County Building in the City of Detroit, in said County, on the 11th day of Oct., A. D. 1944, at two o'clock in the afternoon.
Dated July 31, A. D. 1944.
THOMAS C. MURPHY, Judge of Probate.

STATE OF MICHIGAN ss 309,494
County of Wayne.
At a session of the Probate Court for said County of Wayne, held at the Probate Court Room in the City of Detroit, on the Twenty-fourth day of July, in the year one thousand nine hundred and forty-four.
Present Joseph A. Murphy, Judge of Probate.
In the Matter of the Estate of LETTIE O'LEARY, Deceased.
Dorothy M. O'Leary, Administratrix of said estate, having rendered to said Court her first and final account in said matter.
It is ordered, That the Twenty-ninth day of August, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Court Room be appointed for examining and allowing said account.
And it is further Ordered, That a copy of this order be published once in each week for three weeks consecutively previous to said time of hearing, in The Plymouth Mail, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Wayne.
JOSEPH A. MURPHY, Judge of Probate.

STATE OF MICHIGAN ss 321,344
County of Wayne.
At a session of the Probate Court for said County of Wayne, held at the Probate Court Room in the City of Detroit, on the Twenty-eighth day of July, in the year one thousand nine hundred and forty-four.
Present Joseph A. Murphy, Judge of Probate.
In the Matter of the Estate of ARCHIE D. H. JOHNSON, Deceased.
On reading and filing the petition of George W. Houk praying that administration of said estate be granted to Fred J. Cochran or some other suitable person:
It is ordered, That the Fifth day of September, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at said Court Room be appointed for hearing said petition.
And it is further Ordered, That a copy of this order be published once in each week for three weeks consecutively previous to said time of hearing, in The Plymouth Mail, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Wayne.
JOSEPH A. MURPHY, Judge of Probate.

NOTICE OF HEARING CLAIMS STATE OF MICHIGAN THE PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF WAYNE No. 319,793
In the Matter of the Estate of WILLIAM BAKEWELL, Deceased.
Notice is hereby given that all creditors of said decedent are required to present their claims, in writing and under oath, to said Court at the Probate Office in the City of Detroit, in said County, and to serve a copy thereof upon Nelson Bakewell, Executor of said estate, at 137 Caster St., Plymouth, Michigan, on or before the 18th day of Oct., A. D. 1944, and that such claims will be heard by said Court, before Judge Thomas C. Murphy in Court Room No. 303, Wayne County Building in the City of Detroit, in said County, on the 18th day of Oct., A. D. 1944, at two o'clock in the afternoon.
Dated Aug. 7, A. D. 1944.
THOMAS C. MURPHY, Judge of Probate.

STATE OF MICHIGAN ss 321-195
County of Wayne.
At a session of Probate Court for said County of Wayne, held at the Probate Court Room in the City of Detroit, on the Twenty-seventh day of July, in the year one thousand nine hundred and forty-four.
Present Joseph A. Murphy, Judge of Probate.
In the Matter of the Estate of WILLIAM C. MINEHART, Deceased.
An instrument in writing purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased having been delivered into this Court for Probate.
It is ordered, That the Twenty-ninth day of August, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at said Court Room be appointed for proving said instrument.
And it is further Ordered, That a copy of this order be published once in each week for three weeks consecutively previous to said time of hearing, in The Plymouth Mail, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Wayne.
JOSEPH A. MURPHY, Judge of Probate.


STATE OF MICHIGAN ss 321,049
County of Wayne.
At a session of the Probate Court for said County of Wayne, held at the Probate Court Room in the City of Detroit, on the Twenty-first day of July, in the year one thousand nine hundred and forty-four.
Present Patrick H. O'Brien, Judge of Probate.
In the Matter of the Estate of MINNIE GAYDE, Deceased.
An instrument in writing purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased having been delivered into this Court for Probate.
It is ordered, That the Twenty-eighth day of August, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at said Court Room be appointed for proving said instrument.
And it is further Ordered, That a copy of this order be published once in each week for three weeks consecutively previous to said hearing, in The Plymouth Mail, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Wayne.
PATRICK H. O'BRIEN, Judge of Probate.

NOTICE OF HEARING CLAIMS STATE OF MICHIGAN THE PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF WAYNE No. 319,202
In the Matter of the Estate of GEORGE JAMES PROKOPF, Deceased.
Notice is hereby given that all creditors of said decedent are required to present their claims, in writing and under oath, to said Court at the Probate Office in the City of Detroit, in said County, and to serve a copy thereof upon BENJAMIN J. PROKOPF, Administrator of said estate, at 5561 Lovett, Detroit, Michigan, on or before the 10th day of Oct., A. D. 1944, and that such claims will be heard by said Court, before Judge Patrick H. O'Brien in Court Room No. 303, Wayne County Building in the City of Detroit, in said County, on the 10th day of Oct., A. D. 1944, at two o'clock in the afternoon.
Dated July 31, A. D. 1944.

JUDGE JOSEPH A. MURPHY, Judge of Probate.
Published in The Plymouth Mail once each week for three weeks successively, within thirty days from the date hereof.
Aug. 4-11-18-1944

In the Matter of the Estate of NETTIE L. DIBBLE, Deceased.
Notice is hereby given that all creditors of said decedent are required to present their claims, in writing and under oath, to said Court at the Probate Office in the City of Detroit, in said County, and to serve a copy thereof upon DOROTHY DIBBLE GALLAGHER, Administratrix of said estate at Plymouth, Michigan on or before the 10th day of Oct., A. D. 1944, and that such claims will be heard by said court, before Judge Patrick H. O'Brien in Court Room 303, Wayne County Building in the City of Detroit, in said County, on the 10th day of Oct., A. D. 1944, at two o'clock in the afternoon.
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The Superintendent's office will be open from 9 to 12 and 1 to 4 P. M., each school day.

The Principal's office will be open for classifying pupils who have not attended Plymouth High School, from 1 to 4:30 P. M., Tuesday, August 29th to Friday, September 1st.

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HOW HAROLD LEACH MET FATE IN THE SOUTH PACIFIC.
Mrs. Frank Arnold Leach, 774 Starkweather avenue, has just received from Commander A. C. Jacobs of the U. S. Navy, the following letter pertaining to the fate of her son Harold, who was reported missing in action in the South Pacific late last winter.
"An amplifying report concerning the loss of the plane of which your son, Harold Frank Leach, Aviation Radioman first class, United States Navy, was an occupant has been received by this bureau.
"During the afternoon of the first day of the bombing of Truk, 16 February 1944, your son was rear gunner of a plane piloted by Lieutenant Paul Edmond Tepas, United States Naval Reserve, and was flying with other planes on a mission involving a search for Japanese ships that might have escaped. A convoy of enemy cargo ships was sighted, and during the ensuing attack, the Japanese ship was sunk.
"The attack completed, the flight of planes proceeded back to the task force. Lieutenant Tepas signalled that it was his intention to notify you of the location of the enemy. As the task force was approached, he broke away from formation and headed for one of the surface vessels. Witnesses report that about 100 yards from the ship, two or three puffs of smoke were seen and a brilliant flash was noticed on the wing tip of your son's plane. The plane nosed down, struck the water and disappeared almost instantly.
"It is most regrettable that an accident of this nature should occur, and it is hoped that you can understand that due to the operations of war, such an accident is unavoidable.
"The circumstances of the loss of your son's plane hold no hope for his survival. He will, however, be carried on the rolls of the Navy Department as missing until a conclusive determination of his fate has been made."

ENSIGN BAKEWELL NOW LOCATED AT ROANOKE, VIRGINIA.
Ensign Eugene L. Bakewell, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Bakewell of 38105 Plymouth road, has reported to the naval transitional training school at Roanoke, Virginia, conducted by Pennsylvania Central Airlines for an intensive course in transport pilot training.
Prior to entering the service in February, 1943, Ensign Bakewell was employed at the Kelsey-Hayes machine gun plant in Plymouth.
A graduate of Plymouth high school, he attended Ohio Wesleyan University where he was a member of Alpha Tau Omega fraternity.
Ensign Bakewell is married to former Miss Vera Johnson who is with him at the Hotel Roanoke.

LIKES NEW LOCATION AT SAN PEDRO U. S. NAVAL BASE.
In a brief letter, C. C. Cooley, former Plymouth teacher, says he has been transferred from Great Lakes to San Pedro, California.
His letter in part follows: "It's been nearly a year since I've written you, but have received the paper every week regularly, and many, many thanks.
"After nearly a year at Great Lakes I was transferred out here to San Pedro. Have only been here a few days, but like it quite well. Of course, a new station is very confusing for a time.
"The weather out here seems a fixed routine: fog in the morning, sun in the afternoon, cool nights, and a steady ocean breeze.
"My work here is a little different, but it is still a branch of classification. I am operating a device for testing visual acuity.
"Again, many thanks for the Plymouth Mail. I certainly enjoy it."

MORRIS MCCONNELL SEEING PLENTY OF THIS OLD WORLD.
There's no question but what Morris McConnell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee McConnell, is seeing plenty of this old world, and seeing it fast. In a recent letter Morris, who is a member of the U. S. air transport service, said he was in North Africa. Within the past month he has written from the Virgin Islands and from various places in Italy.
"I am fine and I hope everybody at home is the same way. As you can see from my letters, I have covered quite a little ground during the past month. Have seen enough over here to write a book about it, some of which would be hard to believe," he said in a recent letter.
"I wish my mail would be catching up with me, as I sure would like to be hearing from home."

HENRY CUMMINS HAS BEEN AWARDED OAK LEAF CLUSTER.
An Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of an additional Air Medal was awarded on July 24, to Staff Sergeant Henry A. Cummins of Plymouth, as aerial radio gunner from May 4 to May 13, 1944, serving with army forces in the south Pacific.
The award, announced by Headquarters, U. S. Army Forces in the South Pacific, was for flights with the 13th AAF.
The cluster is awarded for meritorious achievement while participating in sustained combat or transport missions over areas where antiaircraft fire is effective, where enemy patrols are habitually encountered or where enemy opposition is actually encountered.

GLENN FORD GETS PROMOTION IN ITALY—ON MANY LONG MISSIONS.
Glenn Ford, 21 year old ball turret gunner on a B-17 Flying Fortress 42405, Hamill, has recently been promoted from sergeant to the grade of staff sergeant, according to information sent The Plymouth Mail by the 15th AAF command in Italy.
Sgt. Ford joined the army on February 27, 1943 and received his gunner's wings on September 4, 1943 at Las Vegas, Nevada. He flew his first combat mission over Verona, Italy, on March 22, 1944, and has participated in 33 long distance bombing missions. He is also a graduate of Lowry Field Armament School, Illinois.
He attended the Plymouth High School. While in school, he was a member of the tennis team. In civilian life he was employed by the Daisy Air Rifle Co. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Ford, live at the Plymouth address.

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since I'll be a gunner on the B-29 a great ship. She is a streamlined job. She would even give a girl a run for her money. Hope that statement doesn't offend the girls too much, a nice laugh anyway. "We are having hot weather here in Denver, too."

"I'm a lover of baseball, maybe it would interest the baseball fans to know that Bean Bell and Bob Uhle are playing here. Jack Knott and Porter Vaughn, former athletic pitchers, pitch a good game of baseball here, too. "The next time I write I'll be with my super-fortress crew I'm hoping. I wish to say hello to all my buddies and pals in the Service and at home, lots of good luck to all of you."

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HOWARD WALBRIDGE
NOW IN WISCONSIN.

A note from Howard Walbridge states that he has been transfer-

red from Camp Blanding, in Florida to Camp McCoy in Wisconsin.

"While I expect my stay here to be brief, I will certainly appreciate it if you can change my address. Words cannot tell you how much the home town paper means to me and how much I have enjoyed it during the past year," wrote Howard.

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IT'S HOTTER THAN HADES WHERE LIEUT. SCHRADER IS LOCATED.

In a brief, breezy letter, Lieut. Edwin Schrader declares that folks back home don't know much about hot weather, even though it gets pretty hot here at times.

"Today is the Sabbath day and a day of rest for some of the striking folks back home in good old U. S. A. But we are busy this hot Sunday morning with chipping hammers and paint brushes. We are chipping and scraping with wire brushes, the bottom of our ship and then we're painting it. And the boys don't have any 'rest periods'. Maybe late in the afternoon they'll get a chance to write some letters home," wrote Lieut. Edwin Schrader the other

day from somewhere down in the western Pacific.

"The boys don't strike down here. Neither do they complain. They're real.

"We've been moving about pretty vigorously until right now when we had to do some extra work."

"Vaughan Smith finally crashed through with a letter—and it was good to read it.

"It is hotter than Hades here—and when I say hot I mean it is twice as hot as it ever got back home."

"Passed another milestone the other day. It made me realize

that I had better get home and do some living or there will not be much of it left to live. It's tough being away from your family and friends, but we've got to do it. Give my regards to every one and tell 'em I'll be glad when the day comes when I can greet each one personally."

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Use of the new printed letter forms, which have been prepared for writing to prisoners of war, is being urged by the American Red Cross in order to speed delivery of mail to American prisoners in Europe.

What Brown Says About Rate Case

Prentiss M. Brown, chairman of the board of Detroit Edison, has made the following statement regarding the Edison rate case, which will be of interest to all Edison customers in this locality.

"The temporary earning of corporations due to war activity which the Congress takes to feed, equip and supply weapons to our soldiers and sailors, have long been a temptation to our local taxing authorities.

"Two attempts have been made by the city of Detroit to capture these so-called excess profits taxes from The Detroit Edison Company. One is by a rate reduction, the other by a tax known as an excise tax, designed to take these profits (85 1/2% of which go to the Federal Government). Herebefore the Michigan Public Service Commission allowed taxes as an expense of doing business."

"Neither the ratepayers nor the city can get this federal money without taking from Edison a part of the funds we desire to retain to carry us over the postwar period of adjustment. This is a serious concern to our Company, our employees and our customers.

"As it now stands by reason of the Commission's decision, the City and the taxpayers both take the money, some ten million dollars each unless the city tax is declared invalid. The Commission must have assumed the tax was invalid. We do not know what the courts will do with it."

"Simply stated, we have this ten million dollars and there are three claimants for it—the ratepayers get it or the city gets it, the Federal Government will not, but although there is only one ten million dollars as it now stands, the ratepayers get it as a refund and the City demands it by an excise tax. This is an intolerable situation and Detroit Edison will use every means to prevent this injury to its property and consequent damage to its service to customers.

"The authorities speak of this Federal tax as an avoidable tax. We do not think that sound logic. We need and need badly the 1/7 of our profits we are permitted to keep. We know of no way to get the money necessary to run our business and pay our investors by avoiding Federal taxes. In the first place somebody has to pay for the war and, second, neither the city, the Commission, nor the courts can take the 6/7 of these profits that go to the Federal Government without taking the 1/7 that was to be left to us and which Congress decided we were entitled to keep and use for the uncertain postwar period.

"We are confident that the Commission (which originally held our rates to be fair and all-taxes a proper deduction as an expense), our customers and the general public will eventually see the justice of our position and enable us to continue the service we have always rendered."

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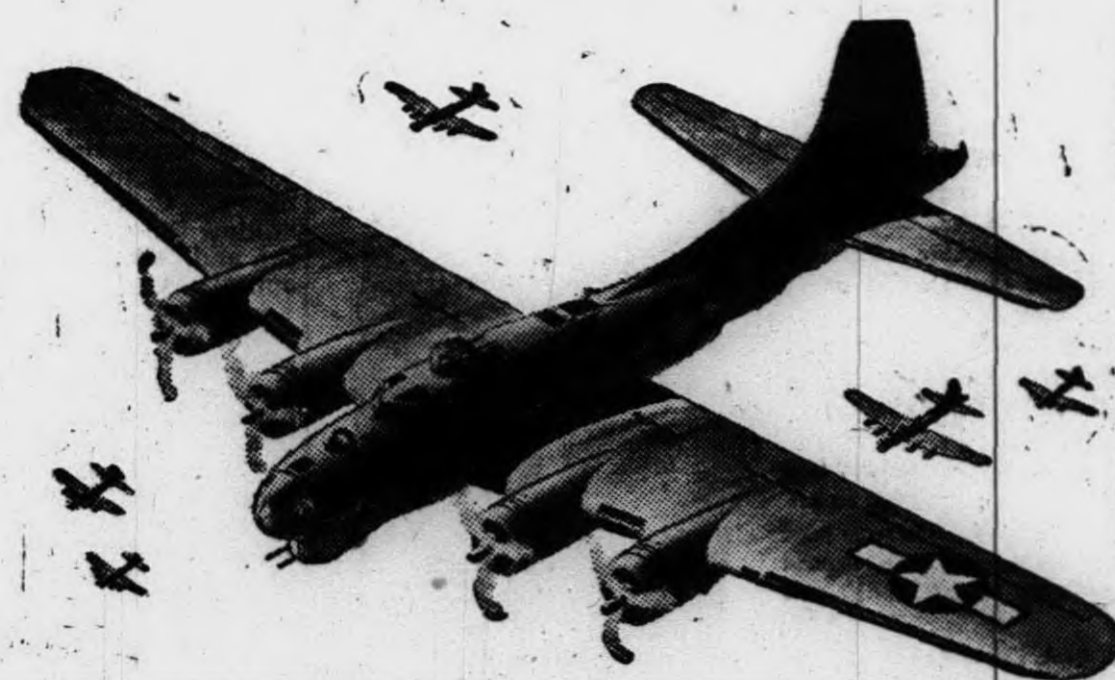
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