



Church Cagers Neil Dougherty, of the Knight Memorial quint, shown shooting in a recent Church league game with Latter Day Saints. The Congregationalists won, 32-15. Gordon Hall of the L.D.S. team is behind Dougherty and resting on his posterior is Kelly Conover, of Knight Memorial. Kent Brown looks on from the right.

New Housing Project Broke

Seattle, March 9 (AP)—A government-guaranteed 544-apartment project south of Seattle was reported on the financial rocks today.

It appeared to be heading, at least temporarily, into government hands.

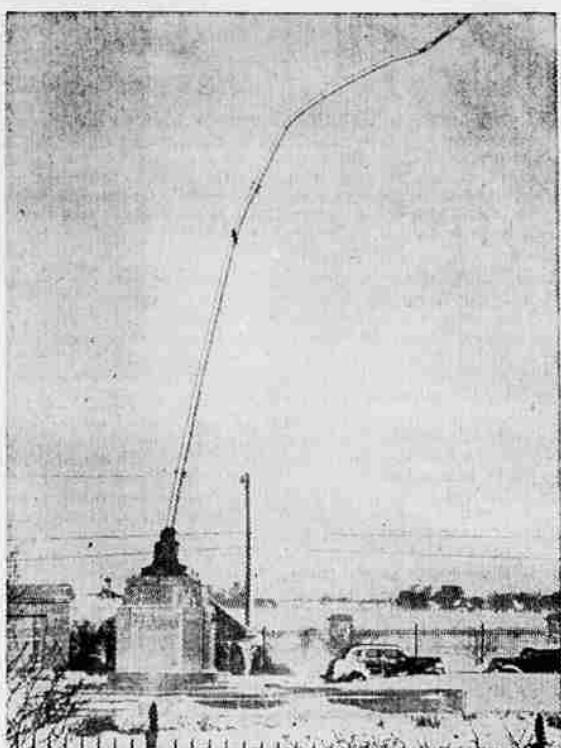
A representative of the Sun Life Assurance Company of Canada said the firm is planning to foreclose on its \$4,101,000 mortgage on the Lake Burien Heights project.

The project was built during the post-war housing shortage, when the government guarantee against mortgage losses was started. The government agency is obligated to give the assurance company government housing debentures covering 99 percent of the amount of the mortgage.

The 35-acre development includes 44 two-story buildings. It is near the Boeing Aircraft company's main plant. A decrease in jobs and a drop in the population of the area from the wartime peak was blamed by mortgage men for the financial setback.

Ground was broken for the project in 1947. It was the first of many built in Seattle and the surrounding area under the mortgage guarantee provision of the federal housing act.

Attorney DeWitt Williams said the effect of the foreclosure suit, if successful, would be to give the title to the project to the government.



Factor in Plane Crash—Northwest Airlines officials said that the passenger plane which crashed into three Minneapolis, Minn., residences with a loss of fifteen lives struck this flagpole which towers over graves in the Fort Snelling national cemetery. A section of the plane's wing was found near the pole which was approximately four miles from the scene of the crash. (AP Wirephoto)

Lampert, Walker File for the Senate

Senator Fred Lampert of Marion county and Senator Dean Walker of Independence filed Thursday for the republican nominations for the senate.

Sen. Lampert has served by appointment in the senate for two terms, having last been appointed to fill the unexpired term of Governor McKay, following the latter's election in November, 1948.

Senator Walker has served Polk and Benton counties in the state senate since 1935 and has been chairman of either the senate ways and means or taxation committees at most of the sessions. He served in the house in 1933. Sen. Walker is engaged in the hop business. He is regarded as one of the best posted men on taxation in the state senate.

Elfstrom Refuses To Run for Senate

Mayor Robert L. Elfstrom today stood by his decision not to be a candidate for the state senate.

A report got about Wednesday that he might file as a candidate, and persons representing various groups, including labor, farm and business, continued to urge him. But Elfstrom said Thurs-

day he would not be a candidate.

A desire to give more attention to his own business was the main consideration in his decision, he said.

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Manager Claims Detroit Is One of Teams to Beat

By LEO PETERSEN (United Press Sports Editor)

Lakeland, Fla., March 9 (U.P.)—Robert (Red) Rolfe, in his sophomore season as a major league manager, today saw his Detroit Tigers as one of the clubs to beat for the 1950 American league pennant.

"If we get the breaks we could take it," he said as he directed his club through a hard three-hour workout at its spring training base here.

"We are in a lot better shape than a year ago and if we get a fast break, like the Yankees did a year ago, we could be mighty tough to beat."

He is particularly happy that he has Gerry Priddy to play second base.

"That was our weak point last year," he explained. "We had the fielding there, but not the hitting. Priddy will take care of that so if Dick Kryhoski comes through at first base for us, we should have no infield worries. Weakness in that inner defense kept us from finishing any higher than fourth last year."

"Now we believe we have corrected our weaknesses. And our outfield of Hoot Evers, Johnny

Groth and Vic Wertz is a year older and should be among the best in the league. And, of course, we have outstanding pitchers with Hal Newhouser, Art Houtteman, Virgil Trucks, Ted Gray and Freddie Hutchinson as our starters. That means that if Paul Calvert, Hal White or Dizzy Trout come through for us in relief we have no pitching worries.

He classed the Red Sox and the Yankees as the outstanding clubs in the league and the "ones we have to beat."

"Ranking right behind them he listed his own team Cleveland and Philadelphia.

"I expect the Yankees to make a deal with Washington whereby they will get either first baseman Eddie Robinson or pitcher Ray Scarborough," he said. "If they do, boy, will they be strong! And if the Red Sox get off to a good start, they'll be plenty tough to beat."

"But we have a chance along with Cleveland and Philadelphia. You can't sell any club short which has three pitchers like Bob Lemon, Mike Garcia and Bob Feller. And the Athletics will be tougher this year, too."

Veteran Ump Scoffs at Sissy View of Base Rule

Tucson, Ariz., Mar. 9 (AP)—Bill Summers, veteran of the American league umpiring staff, wants it understood that there is no danger of big league baseball going sissy through the act of its rules committee.

"Don't worry too much, he advises, about this year's new regulation which many students think will prevent a base runner from 'taking out' the pivot man on a double play at second.

The play, one of the most spectacular of the game, will still be used within reason, Bill says. A runner will have to be guilty of "obvious unsportsmanship" before he incurs the prescribed penalty.

"All the new rule does is give us umpires the power to stop some fellows from chasing the second baseman or shortstop clear out on the grass in trying to break up a double play," Summers explains.

"As long as the runner stays within reach of the bag either with a foot or a hand we'll let him go into second as hard as he wants to. That's part of the game.

"But when he clearly isn't trying to do anything but knock a man down we'll call it on him, and the batter going to first will be called out, no matter whether he might have beaten the relay."

Manager Lou Boudreau of the Cleveland Indians asked Bill if he didn't think enforcement of the rule might create many a ruckus during the season.

"Not at all, Lou," he replied. "And I can tell you why. For about the first or second time we call it on your team, you're going to holler plenty. And then you're going to get thinking what it's cost you, and the next time you'll tell that runner of yours to be careful how he goes in to second."

"Not only that, but the batter, finding himself called out without a chance to reach first, is going to notice that all he got out of it was a time at

bat on his record. He's likely to say something to the runner, too. Oh, no, it'll straighten itself out."

"Bill," said Lou, "I believe you've got something there."

Parachute Jumps at 60,000 Feet Planned

El Centro, Calif., March 9 (AP) Parachute jumps at altitudes up to 60,000 feet—just under the height where blood boils in your veins—will be attempted this summer at White Sands, N. M., proving grounds.

The leaps will be made from F-80 jets by navy and air force 'chutists, says Lt. Com. J. A. Morrison. Morrison's parachute experimental unit demonstrated new types of 'chute-releasing equipment at low altitudes here yesterday.

Morrison said fliers could survive above 60,000 feet only in pressurized, insulated capsules such as those recently developed by the navy. These cockpit capsules can be ejected from the plane in emergencies and are lowered to earth by large parachutes.

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The death toll in the blizzard which whipped across Nebraska mounted to four yesterday. Scores were injured in Nebraska and other parts of the midwest by the storm. Property damage was unofficially estimated at more than \$1,000,000 in Nebraska, the Northwestern Bell Telephone company estimated the blizzard caused more than \$750,000 damage to its properties.

3.8 Billions Paid To Vet Survivors

Washington, March 9 (AP)—The 430,000 World War II dead left their beneficiaries \$3,872,543,648 in National Service Life Insurance through last Nov. 30.

The veterans administration said today, that of the total, 81.3 per cent was paid by congressional appropriations for deaths "traceable to the extra hazard of military or naval service," the remainder from insurance premium funds.

Winter Blasts Chilling East

A late winter season storm blew cold air over a wide portion of the eastern half of the nation today.

The strong winds which hammered the midwest for two days diminished but they still carried much force as they moved into the northeastern states.

A cold belt extended over the Great Lakes region southward to the gulf and eastward to the Atlantic states. Temperatures also remained chilly over the northern plain states and the upper and middle Mississippi and Missouri valleys. Generally normal weather was reported from west of the Rockies to the Pacific coast. Some rain fell in the Pacific northwest.

Temperatures dropped to below freezing in parts of the Carolinas, Georgia and Mississippi. They were below zero again today in parts of Minnesota, the Dakotas, Michigan and Wisconsin. A low of 12 below zero was reported at International Falls, Minn.

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National 4-H Week Intensifies Work in City

National 4-H club week, March 4-12, marks an intensification of 4-H work inside the city limits of Salem.

At this time a year ago, there was no 4-H activity whatsoever within the city limits. Then last September, the city council paved the way for organization of city clubs. There are now 22 4-H clubs in the city, under the supervision of James Bishop, city 4-H extension agent.

The city clubs, now beyond their organizational stage, will soon get into the full swing of their projects. Up until now, they have concentrated on knitting, cooking, health, woodworking, etc. With spring and summer coming on, they will feature projects dealing with Gardening, canning, frozen foods, etc.

Meanwhile, the 224 Marion county clubs outside Salem are experiencing their most successful year since before the war. About 2200 members in 224 rural clubs are now actively participating in a wide variety of farm and home projects. Anthol Riney is county extension agent.

Most of the clubs are confined to 5 or 10 members, in order that the 4-H policy of working with the individual might be carried out. Each club has an adult leader to guide club activities and advise youth on their projects.

During 4-H week, an automatic slide projector, showing pictures of 4-H activities, is on display at the First National bank.

Future public service programs now being planned by 4-H clubs of Marion county include tree planting and reforestation work in an area in eastern Marion county. The 4-H clubbers will camp out while performing this work.

Bishop has urged all young people in Salem who are interested in becoming 4-H members to contact him for information in how to organize a 4-H club.

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