

High School Principal Resigns to Take Highland Park Job

PART ONE

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President Roosevelt claims to be a protector of the "Four freedoms" of speech and press. He says he doesn't like some newspapers, and that of late seldom fails to launch a tirade, in so doing he proves himself intolerant. He demands the "right" of free, intelligently, by no doing.

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By G. R. A.
"Greater Love Hath No Man Than That He Lay Down His Life for His Friend"
There are times in the lives of people when personal grief, over the loss of some loved one, is so overwhelming, so overpowering, that hardly a single day extended by other human beings can bring current solace and comfort. In intervals of peace this solemn presence haunts the body, at some time in his or her life; in times of war, however, it is more of a constant. It is the battle front, the receipt of the brief telegram from the War Dept. or the Navy Dept. desecrating a family with the impact and kind of terror of an avalanche.

At such times I am reminded of a statement Lincoln made, when asked how he solved many perplexing problems. "Many times I have gone down on my knees—place to go." That was his answer. Such an answer always has been true; always will be true.

Olden relatives, friends and neighbors may endeavor to assuage the grief of a parent, a brother, sister, or sweetheart, or the loss of one whose life pays the supreme sacrifice on the current fields of battle; the best they can do is but feeble in solacing the grief.

The griever one, finally, must depend upon an inner strength that comes from a faith and understanding and dependence upon his concept of God. So it seems to me, true, the words and the presence of others at such times, their beneficial effects; it's wonderful even to receive the mere clasp of another's hand, to feel the sympathy thus extended, to know that such aids are just the means to bring us comfort; but nothing can take the place of our own inner strength. God's means to bring us comfort; but nothing can take the place of our own inner strength.

Wings Awarded to Lt. W. C. Forester

Six Michigan men were among the aviators who were graduated this week in formal ceremonies at the Bytheville Army Air Field, Bytheville, Pa. Lt. Warren Forester, of the 35th Army Air Corps, was one of the recipients. He is a member of the 35th Army Air Corps, and was a member of the 35th Army Air Corps. He is a member of the 35th Army Air Corps.

Navy Honors Dead Flier Friday Night

USS Uhlmann, A Destroyer, To Be Set Afloat

The memory of a young American naval officer who died in defense of Pearl Harbor will be honored Friday evening when the destroyer, the USS Uhlmann, is launched in the Staten Island yard of the Bethlehem Steel Corp.

Another son of Mrs. Uhlmann, Lt. (j. g.) Roy Charles Uhlmann, service in a United States submarine, is expected to attend the launching ceremonies, as well as Uhlmann.

The late Ensign Robert Uhlmann, posthumously cited by the Commander-in-Chief of the Pacific Fleet, will be sponsored by the officer's mother, Mrs. C. F. Uhlmann, of 2636 Montgomery, Lathrup Townsite, near Birmingham.

Two weeks ago the family received a decoration, the Order of the Purple Heart, awarded their son, who died in the Hawaiian Islands. He was a member of the 35th Army Air Corps, and was a member of the 35th Army Air Corps.

As a member of the armed forces, he was on a great adventure. He was, for the most part, cheerful and happy; his thoughts of home and relatives and friends must have been cheerful, happy recollections of them; his waking hours (even his dreams) must have been leavened with a grim determination to do his part to protect and to defend, and thus make better, the destiny of his country and its people.

Neither Team Gets a Hit in Unusual Ball Game

An unusual baseball game was played in the Class A League last week when both pitchers turned in no-hit games.

The scheduled game between the Yankees who triumphed over the Tigers because of errors, despite Jim Watt's no-hit performance, the fielding highlight occurred when both pitchers turned in no-hit games.

Birmingham Pilot Tells of Harrowing Plight After Crash

In one of the most moving stories to be told by any Michigan participant in the war, Lt. (j. g.) J. Reneau Sprague, USNR pilot, described this week the manner in which he escaped from a plane crash in the South Pacific.

Although badly hurt when his plane crashed 10 miles from shore, Lt. Sprague and his gunner made their way to land and then, in a terrible ordeal, struggled to a native village.

"Before I was able to get out of the 13th I was restless and the feeling of life was going on the strike (raid). Sure, it would scare me, but although I'm inside, and actually made me feel good. I longed to jump ship and kill the Japs; I had changed and have forgotten how to enjoy

the simple things. True, many of our squadron have gone down and friendship is mostly on the surface. Sure, we stick together but when a fellow is lost we merely quit talking of him, for to mourn a loss loses our morale, and I've swam together for 24 hours. I finally I could see out of one eye. My mouth seemed full of hamburger—I couldn't blow my top. I would see the surface of the water and I would see the surface of the water and I would see the surface of the water.

weather was so bad we couldn't see our wing tips (after the crash). I got out under water and bobbed to the surface 10 miles from shore; I couldn't see, but I found my gunner and he saw, and I swam together for 24 hours. I finally I could see out of one eye. My mouth seemed full of hamburger—I couldn't blow my top. I would see the surface of the water and I would see the surface of the water.

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City Fathers Approve Downfall of Mussolini

The resignation of Mussolini is a well-known fact. The Birmingham City Commission thoroughly approved of it and passed a resolution Monday night which General Dwight Eisenhower will be asked to deliver to King Victor Emanuel when the American Army marches into Rome.

Liquor Ration Cards Arriving

Those in the Birmingham Area Interested in the New Ration Cards

Those in the Birmingham area interested in the new ration cards for liquor were advised Wednesday by Norman Fisher, State store manager here, that the cards will be distributed to the public.

Ceiling Prices on Vegetables Are Confusing

New Low Ceiling Prices in Detroit for Certain Fresh Vegetables

New low ceiling prices in Detroit for certain fresh vegetables are causing considerable confusion among the ranks of consumers here. The Economic Council of Detroit, which is handling the ceiling prices in Detroit, is handling the ceiling prices in Detroit.

Expect Big Crowd at Theatre Party For Boys and Girls

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59 Men Called for Next Induction on August 3

Fifty-nine men have been called to report for induction on August 3, 1943, at the Birmingham Ordnance Plant.

Broken Street Lights Described at Meeting

An epidemic of broken street lights came to the attention of the City Commission Monday night when Commissioner Milton F. Mendenhall reported.

Will Crack Down on \$5 Use Tax

Starting Monday, August 2, the Internal Revenue Department will tag all automobiles that do not have the current use tax license stamp on their windshields.

4 College Girls Direct Activities

Four college girls are supervising this year on Birmingham's playgrounds. They are Barbara Holland, Barbara Lohr, Barbara Lohr, and Barbara Lohr.

Resigns Principal Ouits to Take Another Job

D. L. Pyle Resigns After Year Heading Baldwin High

Dennis L. Pyle, principal at Baldwin High School the past year, resigned this week to become principal at Highland Park High and the Junior College. He starts work there Monday.

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JENKIN QUITS

Dr. Irvin Jenkins, teacher of social studies, had asked to be relieved of his job with the Detroit school.

Vice President Is in Condition!

Vice President Henry A. Wallace possesses something of an ailment which has been announced by an announcement from the stage.

COMMENT ON SPEECH

John H. Harwood, managing editor, comments on Mr. Wallace's speech in his column on the editorial page.

Blood Bank to Come to Birmingham Again

The next American Red Cross Blood Bank will be held Friday, August 16, Saturday, 17, Sunday 18, and Monday, 19, at the Community House from 2:30 to 7:30.

Playground Supervisors

Four Birmingham playground supervisors are uniformed, too, in a distinctly different uniform, Mrs. Robert F. Watt, 1215 Yorkshire.

Hefferan Named Employment Aide

William H. Hefferan, of 698 Lakeside, has been appointed to the position of employment aide of the Birmingham Selective Service Board.

There's Still a RUBBER SHORTAGE

Tires are still a critical commodity. So, drive at 35 or less. Your driver's license should be in the hands of the Transportation Dept. in the Classified Ads.

Boys and Girls Don't Miss The Salvage-for-Victory Theatre Party Saturday Morning at 10 o'clock