

Former Local Man Takes New Position With New York Firm

Frank Seaver, newly-appointed sales manager for Translin, Incorporated, counsellors to industry on training and public relations programs involving motion pictures, slide films and other visual media, will head sales and contact departments, according to an announcement by William Missogean, president of the New York corporation.

A former account executive with the Jan Handy Organization and public relations associate at Campbell-Ewald, Detroit, Mr. Seaver has been closely associated with national business organizations in the development of visual tools to meet specific industrial needs.

Prior to his identification with visual media, Mr. Seaver was a reporter, writer and department editor with Scripps-Howard newspapers and the United Press in Denver, Akron and New York City. He is a graduate of Yale University and a member of Beta Theta Pi.

The Conservation Commission in 1931 adopted the policy of giving, without charge, a limited amount of seedling pine nursery stock to be planted on land owned by a public agency such as a school district, township, village, city or county.

Local Boy Tells of Friendly Denmark

Cpl. Richard A. McKinley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Victor J. McKinley, 360 Hamilton street, is working in the signal center of the office of Military Government for Germany, in Berlin. Recently, Cpl. McKinley spent a ten day leave in Denmark and was so impressed with the friendliness of the Danish people that he wrote home and asked that mention be made of it.

Following is part of the letter in which he describes his trip: "Dearest Mother, I have just returned to Berlin from my ten-day leave to Denmark and I had a very nice time. It was a trip that I shall never forget as long as I live. I will try my best to tell you all about it and I guess the best place to start is at the beginning.

"We left Berlin Sunday morning, October 7, and arrived at the Bremen leave center in the afternoon. We got our papers all fixed up and our money changed into Danish cash. We spent the evening there and in the morning we boarded buses for Denmark.

"We took the autobahn from Bremen to Haarburg and then by-passed the city and started toward the Danish border. We reached the border in the afternoon and at 4:30 we arrived at our first stop, Kallund, where we spent two nights and three days there.

Danish food and, boy, what a meal. You may not believe this, but I drank so much milk while we were on the trip that it was coming out of my ears. In the morning we had fresh fried eggs with ham, bread and all the butter we could eat, milk and coffee.

"After breakfast we left there and we arrived in Aarhus, the second largest city in Denmark, where we spent the afternoon and evening. We were served a wonderful meal and then we went on a tour of the city. Even after five years of occupation there is still a large assortment of things in all the stores. Of course I had to have some Danish cream puffs and boys, were they ever good.

"In the morning we again boarded the buses and we were off to our next stop which was Svendborg, a beautiful little city located on the Svendborg Sound. We stayed at a very nice hotel overlooking the sea.

"In the morning we left Svendborg, boarded a ferry, and we were on our way to Copenhagen. We arrived in the afternoon. We spent four nights and three days there.

"The army has taken over a complete cafe for American troops to eat at and it was very beautiful inside. All we had to do was go in, take a seat and the waiters did the rest. The food there was very good and we had all we wanted to eat. Most of the time I drank milk with my meals, but sometimes I did have a bottle of beer. By the way, it is a national custom in Denmark to drink beer with your meals. They never serve the coffee until after you have finished eating. There was plenty to drink and Danish beer is very good.

"We ate breakfast in our hotel and every morning they had eggs, all you wanted, bacon, bread, butter, coffee and milk. One morning I had four fried eggs.

"The first day three of us went on a shopping tour and I got my own watch. All the stores in Copenhagen have a full stock of almost everything and it seemed good to be able to see those things again.

"The people are crazy for American soldiers and they will do anything for them. We were invited out to a Danish home that night and, of course, we went. We had a wonderful time and the people were very nice. They had a very lovely apartment in the best section of the city. We sat down to lunch at 10:30 p.m. and we were still eating at 11:30. I've never seen so much food in all my life.

"The next day we did some more shopping and I bought some things for the family. Sunday we went to dinner at those people's home and what a dinner. Mom, it was the first Sunday in almost two years that really seemed like Sunday. Before dinner we went for a walk along the Langelinie, the city's delightful cruising promenade which looks out over the harbor.

"Monday morning we left Copenhagen and we arrived at Bremen home in the evening. Tuesday afternoon we arrived back in Denmark and the trip was over. The trip couldn't get down on paper what I would like to, so you will have to wait until I get home and then I will tell you all about it."

Cpl. McKinley also was awarded the Good Conduct Medal.

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