

U. S. Navy carrier pilots shot down 6,484 enemy planes in World War II, while U. S. losses were 462.

The first U. S. Naval officer to become an Admiral was David Glasgow Farragut, who was appointed to that rank July 25, 1869.

BIRMINGHAM VETERANEWS

from the Office of Veterans' Affairs Lansing

The Sister Kenny Foundation of Michigan has offered the services of its technicians and institutes free of charge to Michigan veterans and dependent members of their families stricken with infantile paralysis.

This is the only offer of its kind in the United States. To be eligible for this care, a Michigan veteran has been defined by the Foundation to be a veteran residing in Michigan.

The Sister Kenny Foundation is in the process of establishing permanent committees throughout the state to aid veterans in securing this assistance. The Office of Veterans' Affairs, following conferences with the Foundation, has informed local veterans' counselors of the availability of this service and to procure it.

Veterans desiring to avail themselves of this service should contact their nearest counseling center, or application may be made by letter or telephone to William G. Baxter, or E. J. Rollings, Sister Kenny Foundation of Michigan, 606 Washington Boulevard Building, Detroit 26, Michigan.

December 31, is the deadline for picking up a lapsed government insurance policy. It can be reinstated by payment of a two-month premium. It is now possible to obtain lump sum payments, if requested by the veteran, and in record.

Many veterans have not applied for their Michigan bonus or terminal leave. It is suggested they do so.

It is not necessary for beneficiaries to be dependents in order to apply for the Michigan bonus.



Our famous Check-Mate... the striking box pattern is done with contrasting piping. The trim neckline and flattering cap sleeves make this the perfect suit blouse. In fine rayon crepe... all the loveliest Fall tones; in sizes 32 to 38. Come in today while selections are still large. \$5.95



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By Kay Knowlton

Verne Pennell of the Pennell Donut Shop, 497 S. Woodward, who is a new member of Lincoln Patter, asked me to tell you how much he appreciates your patronage. I was astounded to learn that you Villagers consume almost astronomical numbers of donuts with your coffee, and what's more, take a special leave to Verne's Donut Sundae, which consists of a doughnut filled with ice cream and covered with your favorite topping. Verne has recently added Miss Dorothy North to his staff and Dorothy, Verne wants you to know, specializes in all kinds of sandwiches. And what's Hallows'-'en without Pennell donuts? I ask you.

Almost everyone has his own ideas about style and comfort in upholstered furniture, and it's seldom easy to find exactly the piece you want for a given room. That is, unless you have upholstered furniture custom built, to your exact specifications, at Wieland's Fine Furniture, 823 Woodward. Only the finest quality materials are used, from a sturdy hand built frame to the fabric that selects from Wieland's splendid collection. The net result of superior workmanship and fine materials is furniture that will grace your home for many years.

Skirts that have that flattering new look—more pleats, more fullness, and more length, of course—are on parade this week at the Maxwell Shop, 164 W. Maple. And to go with the new skirts, you select you'll want one of those "twisted-down" 11-cup twin sweater sets with their short sleeved pullovers and their matching or blending cardigans. You'll have your choice of a variety of weaves in simply luscious colors. And the Maxwell Shop has some sporty hooded jackets with half belts or flared backs that will be the thing to make your outfit complete.

Had a letter from a friend in England recently and he told me it was virtually impossible to obtain sheets and pillow cases in Britain at any price. Then when I saw the stock of the fine linens Mulholland's have right now, it made me realize how fortunate we really are. There are long wearing Pequot sheets in full and twin bed sizes, and luxurious Bates sheets and cases made of the very finest combed percale with either plain or scalloped hems. For gifts, Mulholland's have boxed pillow sets with beautifully embroidered wide hems that are lovely.

It's fireplace time at Brass Unlimited—and it's soon going to be fireplace time at home. So before your fireplace fixtures are in more or less constant use during the fall social season, it's a good time to take them to Brass Unlimited, Woodward Ave. at Fourteen Mile Rd., to be refinished and put in perfect condition. Experienced metal craftsmen will polish your fireplace fixtures, buff them to a smooth finish and then cover them with a hard clear lacquer—so they look just like new. The store is open every day, except Monday, from noon to 7:00.

Marguery, Inc., 250 N. Woodward, which has become one of my very favorite shops, is now having a S-A-L-E that will simply take your breath away. You'll agree that a Jane Engel classic coat in green gabardine, reduced from \$69.95 to \$35 is a super-buy, but when I saw shorties coats going at half price and daytime dresses (there are plenty of larger sizes) marked down to \$10, I dashed for the E'm Nat'l Bk to float a loan. And for your dancing daughters there are formal from \$10 up. Blouses, P. J.'s, and nighties are included in this unusual clearance.

Of course you remember what Dorothy Parker said about "girls who wear glasses," but she simply couldn't have been talking about glasses with frames fitted by Dr. Norman L. Becker, Dr. Becker, you know, was formerly associated with Square Deal Miller, Detroit, in the Optical Department, where he was Manager and Optometrist, and now has offices at 29 E. Maple, right here our village. Dr. Miller keeps frames of all shapes, sizes, and types in stock, and can help you select the ones that will really improve your appearance. You can phone for appointment at 2328.

Michigan farmers applied 250,000 tons of marl to their soils during 1946. This is about four times as much as any other state and almost half of all the marl used in the United States.

Clerence W. Bloman, Atty., 207 Wabek Bldg., Birmingham, Mich.

STATE OF MICHIGAN — The Probate Court for the County of Oakland.

In a session of said Court held at the Probate Office in the City of Detroit, on the 21st day of October A. D. 1947.

Present, Honorable Arthur E. Moore, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Jennie Fernan, Deceased.

Thomas H. Cobb, administrator of said estate having filed with said Court his Final Account and petition praying for determination of the residue thereof, and the discharge of said administrator, and the discharge of said estate, and the discharge of said estate.

It is Ordered, that the 24th day of November, A. D. 1947 at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, he and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once each week, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Birmingham Eclectic, a newspaper published and circulated in said County.

Commander Keane Will Speak at Scouters Banquet

At the annual dinner for Scouters and their wives to be held on Thursday, Nov. 6, in the Lincoln High School cafeteria in Ferndale



Cmdr. Thomas J. Keane

At 6:45 p. m., the featured speaker will be Commander Thomas J. Keane, U.S.N.R., veteran of both World Wars.

Commander Keane was an officer in the navy of World War I. He was a Lieutenant and Port officer at Belfast, Northern Ireland, in World War II. At the close of the European campaign, he became commanding officer of the Naval Base at Melbourne, Australia. He was awarded the commendation ribbon by the United States Navy.

The Order of the British Empire was conferred upon him by King George VI for distinguished service to the Allied cause.

He is now director of Civic Relationships for the Boy Scouts of America. Prior to World War II, Commander Keane served as the first National Director of Sea Scouting and then as Director of Senior Scouting. Recently he served on the Central staff of the Boy Scouts of America contingent at the International Jamboree.

Varied Program Commander Keane, an able and distinguished speaker, has devoted his life to the service of boyhood and his country.

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All leaders of Boy Scout, Cub Scout, and Senior Scout Units and their wives are invited to this meeting and interested parents. Tickets are available through the Boy Scout Office, 61 West Warren, Detroit 1, or through community commissioner Robert Fowler at 1240 Lake Park, Birmingham.

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Oliver H. Krah, Atty., Birmingham, Mich. No. 51138

STATE OF MICHIGAN — The Probate Court for the County of Oakland.

In a session of said Court held at the Probate Office in the City of Pontiac, on the 11th day of October A. D. 1947.

Present, Honorable Arthur E. Moore, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Daryl L. Broadway, Deceased.

Betty R. Matlock, administratrix of said estate having filed with said Court her Final Account and petition praying for determination of the residue thereof, and the discharge of said administratrix, and the discharge of said estate, and the discharge of said estate.

It is Ordered, that the 17th day of November, A. D. 1947 at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, he and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once each week, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Birmingham Eclectic, a newspaper published and circulated in said County.

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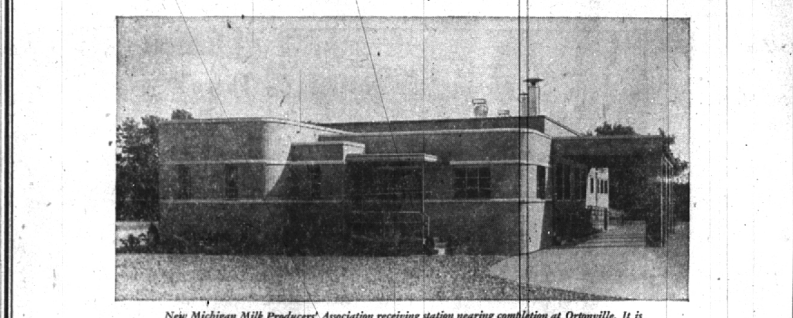
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From its inception—31 years ago—this organization has operated on a true cooperative basis—the principles of Democracy being carried out to the fullest degree.

On Thursday, November 6th, some 500 delegates selected by the 16,000 members will meet in East Lansing for their annual meeting to hear reports on the past year's activities and formulate plans for future operation of the dairy farmer's organization.

In shaping the policies and program of the Michigan Milk Producers' Association, a majority vote of the delegates elected by the membership is necessary. Majorities are seldom wrong in their decision. To this policy, adopted by the farsighted founders of the organization, may be attributed its constant growth and record of achievements.

Every activity of the Association is guided by the sound principle that the interests of the consuming public must always be given equal consideration with the interests of the milk producer. That is the Democratic way and this is a Democratic body of men.

Providing the highest quality of products, efficiently produced and transported to markets, at prices which are equitable, demands sound planning in order that the public be assured of an adequate supply of nature's most nearly perfect food.

The modern receiving station (pictured above), equipped with the most sanitary machinery obtainable, is a part of the program of progress now being carried out by members serving the Detroit market. This entire program is designed to provide consumers in the area with the purest, best quality milk and dairy products it is possible to produce, always remembering that milk is vital to the public health and welfare and its cost is of paramount consideration.

The experience of the past 31 years together with our cooperative method of operation leads us to look to the future with confidence in our ability to continually better serve both the public and our own members.

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