

Seattle Sanitarium Fire Fatal To 30

Elderly Patients Victims Of Fire

Seattle, Feb. 1. (UPI)—A fire which started in the basement of the Lakeside Sanitarium, has taken the lives of 30 elderly patients.

Authorities say that a workman accidentally dropped a lighted match into a pan of oil on the floor. The entire two-story building was engulfed in two or three minutes.

Many of the victims were happy in their beds.

The building was owned and operated by Mrs. Marjorie Westberg. It formerly was a home structure but had been converted into a sanitarium.

Three fire companies fought the blaze for two hours before fire was brought under control.

A house across the street was burned down, a fire station and fire apparatus were taken to a hospital.

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country throughout the Libyan coast.

The command says the British

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PUBLIC SALE

Real Estate and Household Furniture

The Heirs of the late Dallas M. Hower, in order to settle estate, will sell at public auction on the premises, the following described real estate and personal property, on

FRIDAY, February 12, 1943

Sale of Personal Property to begin at 12:30 P. M. Prompt.

Sale of Real Estate will begin at 2:30 P. M. Prompt.

THE RESIDENCE PROPERTY, will sell at 2:30 P. M. Located at 517 West Monroe St., Decatur, Ind. This is a 10 room completely modern home, 5 rooms down and 5 rooms up. Basement, Stream heating plant. This house is in good state of repair and is arranged for two apartment residence of five rooms each. Extra large lot. Garage. Any one looking for a fine home or income property should investigate this property and see it today. No other location.

THREE INCOME BUSINESS PROPERTIES, will sell immediately following sale of the residence. The business at 241 West Monroe St. formerly occupied by the West End Restaurant and the building adjoining, now occupied by Frank Carroll's barber shop, also brick building now occupied by the Maple Hills & Fur Co. These are all three excellent income properties. They are in good repair and will be a splendid, safe, well paying investment for the purchaser.

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, will be sold on the premises of the residence 517 West Monroe street at 12:30 p. m. Consisting of Dining room suite, three piece mahogany living room suite, 3 piece cane upholstered suite, 3 piece wicker dining suite, Electric radio, three 8x12 rug, small rug, electric lamp, library table, gas range, drop leaf table and chairs, for box, large punch bowl, two porch chairs and three lounge. Single bed, Hospital bed, 3 dressers, chairs, Singer sewing machine, wicker bed complete and dresser, 4 burner gas hot plate, garden hose and other miscellaneous articles.

TERMS—On Real Estate, 15% cash on day of sale, balance cash on delivery of deed and merchandise abstract. Possession of residence property will be arranged for immediately. Landlord's possession of business properties, upon full payment of purchase price.

Terms of Personal Property—Cash.

Heirs of Dallas M. Hower, Estate

By A. P. Hower, Authorized agent for heirs.

ROY S. JOHNSON—Auctioneer.

CHRIST BOHNKE—Auctioneer.

PUBLIC SALE

I have sold my farm and will sell at public auction 5 1/2 miles East of Decatur, Ind. One mile South of road No. 224. One mile North and 1/2 mile East of Bobo, 1/2 mile West of the Calvary Church.

MONDAY, February 8, 1943

Commencing at 10:30 A. M.

3—HEAD OF HORSES—3

Sorrel Mare 4 yrs. old, wt. 1450; Dark Bay mare, 6 yrs. old, wt. 1500; Light Bay mare 8 yrs. old, weight 1500. These horses are sound and well broke.

4—HEAD OF CATTLE—4

Guernsey & Holstein cow, was fresh with first calf in November; Two Holstein cows, 5 & 7 yrs. old, milking good full; Holstein & Durham cow, 8 yrs. old, be fresh middle of February.

HOGS AND SHEEP

3 White Sows farrow first of April; 24 feeder hogs; 18 Good Ewes, 2 to 5 yrs. old, lamb last of February.

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400 bu. Good yellow corn; 275 bu. oats; 75 bu. soy beans good for seed; 43 shocks corn in field; 6 ton mixed hay; large mow straw. Will have hay and straw baled if possible. 36 large shocks corn fodder.

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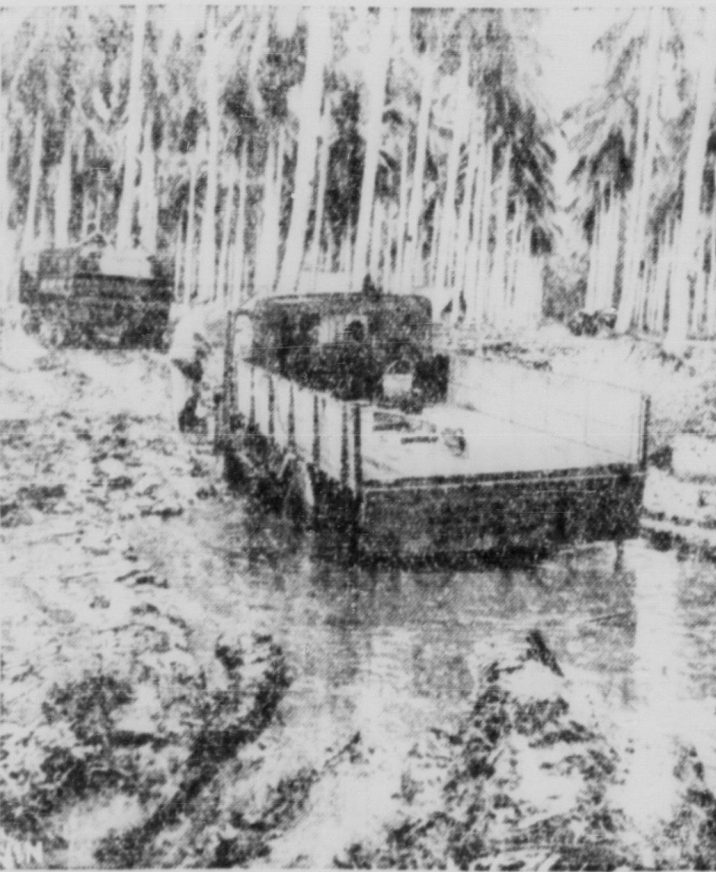
TERMS—CASH.

Roy S. Johnson—Auct.

JACOB ALT, Owner

Decatur Lutheran church will serve lunch.

Mud Slows Guadalcanal Moves



ENGAGED IN MOVING supplies toward the front lines on Guadalcanal, these Army trucks encounter mud and plenty of it, slowing their progress. Army units have relieved the Marine garrison.

are pursuing the enemy to the west, and unofficial dispatches say eighth army vanguards already have crossed the Tanian frontier at two points along the coastal road.

In the Mediterranean, a British corvette has sunk an Italian submarine, torpedo-carrier. Allied planes have scored direct hits on an enemy destroyer, and American heavy bombers have pounded the Italian base at Messina, on the island of Sicily.

SEEK SALARY BOOST

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under discussion include an increase from the \$3,000 paid the state superintendent of public instruction. Proponents of the wage increase call attention to the fact that the superintendent now receives more than most city superintendents and \$2,500 less than the director of the state school.

sounded by an observer who pointed out that the plane almost cleared the peak a few more yards to the east and it never would have crashed.

FEBRUARY WAR BOND

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ly filled war stamp albums into bonds will also reach a climax during the month, under the slogan "A half-filled stamp book is like a half-equipped soldier."

Farm quotas already have been assigned for February. The quota for Adams county is \$54,000, 10 percent of the annual farm income of the county. With the exception of four counties—Lake, LaPorte, Porter and St. Joseph—all county farm quotas are based on the 19 percent standard. In these four counties the February quotas are 9 percent of the annual quota.

Indiana, approximately 100,000 acres of oak plantations are being increased at a rate of about 5,000 acres a year.

Second Hi Light Issue Published

Catholic School Issue Is Released

The second of four issues of the Hi Light, published yearly by the Decatur Catholic high school, was released today.

The issue is complete with a resume of school activities and athletics and contains a number of photographs, including those of the basketball team and the yell leaders.

The publication also announces the fact that Theodore "Ted" Zayner, Commodore basketball coach and physical education instructor, has been classified in 1-A in selective service and is subject to call at an early date.

Two students, Maurice Colchin, senior and Donald Miller, junior, have also been classified in 1-A.

according to the publication. It is reported that a number of other youths in the junior and senior classes are of military age.

The publication lists 17 graduates of the school who are either in service or have enlisted and are awaiting call.

SECRETARY KNOX

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next day. The Japs say three of our planes were shot down and that to Jap planes were lost.

But, we repeat, the navy at Washington has declined any comment on the report, and Jap claims in the past have been wide of the truth. A delayed report from United Press correspondent Walter Briggs, who is with Field Marshal Wavell's army in Burma, says the British are closing in on the port of Akyab in three columns. The most advanced British force is an Indian column that forced its way 70 miles through the jungles to seize Kyauktaw and now is attacking the Japs on a triangle of only 15 square miles with its point only 13 miles from Akyab. The two other British columns are advancing on two sides of the Mayu river and mountain ranges.

Briggs said the steady pounding of Allied airpower is telling on the Japs in Burma.

Execute 13 Spies In North Africa

Constantine, Algeria, Feb. 1. (UPI)—Thirteen men have paid with their lives for spying behind the Allied lines in North Africa. The French announced the execution of five Germans, three Frenchmen and three Arabs, all dropped by parachute and wearing civilian clothes. Two Arabs who sheltered them also were shot.

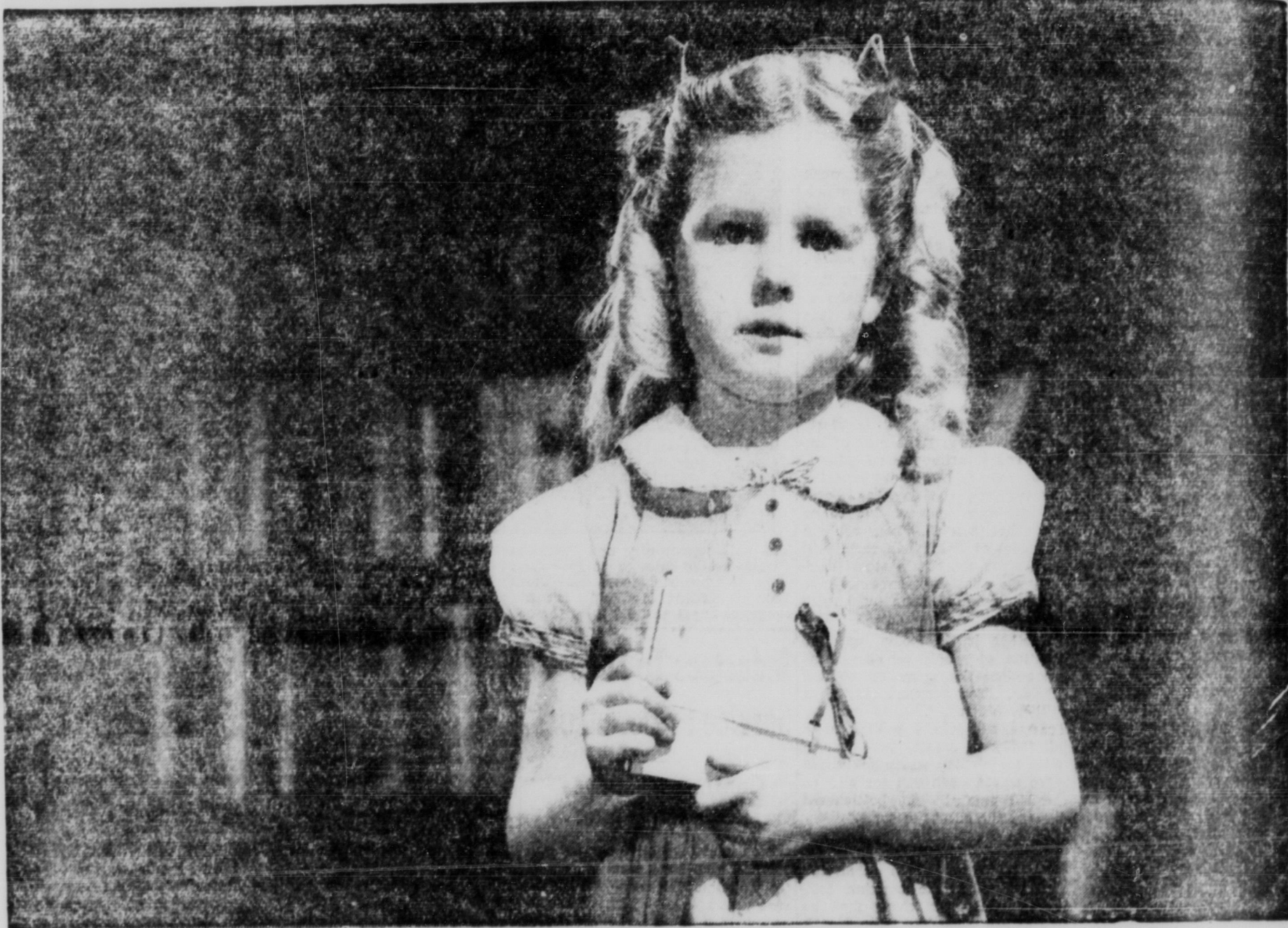
According to the announcement, the parachutists were executed at Bliska on January 30 after a summary court martial. Their accomplices were shot elsewhere. The announcement adds, for some reason, that parachutists when captured in uniform are considered prisoners of war and treated as such.

Lost His Card in Solomon
Oakland, Cal. (UPI)—Clifford dieman-Will, 31, of 1115 E. 12th, returned from his tour of duty in the Solomon Islands, has asked the local police department to issue him a new driver's license. He stated that he lost his license card during combat duty in the islands and that since he has had to leave the state, he has no way of getting a new one.

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"A setting-out like that will cost at least \$400! We'll only pay \$500. Because, you see, we're buying War Bonds for her. And for every \$3 worth we buy we get \$4 back in 10 years. So every single month we buy a \$25 War Bond which costs us only \$18.75.

Buying freedom

"And there's something else you can't help but think about when you buy War Bonds. We're doing more than saving money and making a good investment for the future. We're buying the guns and planes and tanks to defend our home. If we don't help our country now to

defend our little girl's future, she won't have any future. Except a short and terrible life of slavery to a Jap or Nazi master."

This little girl's father is putting every spare cent of cash into War Bonds, through the Pay-Roll Savings Plan. So are the great majority of Americans.

But there are still some Americans who ought to be buying War Bonds through the Pay-Roll Savings Plan . . . and aren't.

Others are in, but haven't hit their 10 percent yet. Some could stretch it to 12 percent or 15 percent, just as thousands of other hard-working people are doing.

Everybody—every pay day—10 percent or more Uncle Sam hopes that every person on a pay roll will be in the Pay-Roll Savings Plan.

And that we'll top the 10 percent goal. Yes, top it . . . because we know now it's going to take more than 10 percent to win!

Your comforts and your fun must wait. Your Bonds will buy them all some day . . . more of them than you can ever buy now.

If you are in, be sure you're putting not 6 percent or 7 percent or 8 percent, but at least 10 percent into War Bonds every pay day.

If you aren't in the Pay-Roll Savings Plan . . . sign up tomorrow!

WHAT YOU SHOULD DO

If you are . . .

1. Already setting aside 10 percent of your pay for War Bonds through the Pay-Roll Savings Plan—boost that 10 percent if you can.
2. Working in a plant where the Plan is installed, but haven't signed up yet—sign up tomorrow!
3. Working in a plant where the Pay-Roll Savings Plan hasn't been installed, talk to your union head, foreman, or plant manager, and see if it can't be installed right away. The local bank will be glad to help.
4. Unable to get in on the Pay-Roll Savings Plan for any reason, go to see your local bank, or other issuing agent. They will be glad to help you start a plan of your own.



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Bought 4 Dead Japs

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location.

A member of the searching party says the big seaplane had attempted to pass through a canyon so narrow that both wing tips were sheared off. The plane apparently hit a 2,000-foot peak and exploded. The most tragic post mortem was

