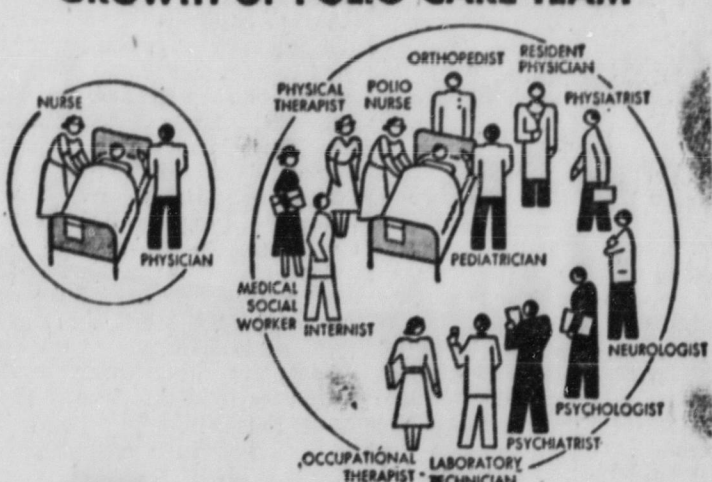


# Is Farmer's State Fair Close Friday

Indianapolis, Sept. 8. — (UP) — Farmers, mainstay of the state fair, settled back to their "day" at the big agricultural exposition today. The events of "farmers' organization day" were the annual parade, with 36 organizations sponsoring floats or bands; a contest for \$1,000 in prizes; a contest for trotters; a contest for evening horse shows, and the State Fair Follies. The fair went into its last two days today. Officials announced Tuesday that the fair had been reported

erroneously and total attendance for the first week of the fair actually was 483,540. The crowd yesterday totaled 80,514, 27,000 less than the all-time Wednesday record of 107,529 set in 1948. Fair officials predicted that this year's fair, because of its extra day, would top last year's attendance of \$48,926, but they said they doubted if it would equal or surpass the all-time record of more than 67,000, set at the first postwar fair in 1946. The Odon-Madison township band from Daviess county won the annual high school marching band competition yesterday. Runners-up included Gary Froebel, Morton of Knightstown, Alexandria, Lebanon and Bunkerhill. Port Wayne South and Hammond Clark took top honors in the 19th annual school newspaper contest, sponsored by the Indiana University Sigma Delta Chi chapter. South Side was named winner of the printed paper division, and

## GROWTH OF POLIO CARE TEAM



1938

1949

Medical care for polio patients is costing the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis more money than ever before—because better treatment is available today than formerly, as the accompanying chart reveals. Until 1938 when the National Foundation was formed, a physician and a nurse usually comprised the best available care. Today, modern polio treatment may include 13 specialized services, provided by an entire TEAM of professional workers. This expanded care has cost National Foundation Chapters millions in March of Dimes funds. More money is needed immediately to continue these services. Support the POLIO EPIDEMIC EMERGENCY DRIVE to help care for today's polio patients. Send your contribution now to POLIO, care of your local Post Office.

Clark won the mimeographed competition. First division winners included three Indianapolis schools, Manual, Tech and Broad Ripple, and Evansville Central, Columbia City, Jasper, Paoli, and Fort Wayne North and Central.

## Legs Badly Slashed In Ensilage Cutter

Berne, Sept. 8.—Frederick Burke, 11, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Burke of near Berne escaped a horrible death in an ensilage cutter. He was helping unload a wagon of corn into the cutter at the Jacob Sommer farm near here when he lost his balance and fell into the machine. He was pulled feet first into the knife and both legs were badly slashed. Walter Lehman, who was operating the machine, quickly put it out of gear or the lad might have been cut to pieces. A local doctor dressed the leg wounds, many stitches being required to close them.

The faces of Washington, Jefferson, Theodore Roosevelt and Lincoln, sculptured into the rock of Mount Rushmore in South Dakota's Black Hills, are visible from the air at a distance of 60 miles, the National Geographic Society says.

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## Hong Kong Struck By Severe Typhoon

### British Colony Is Hard Hit By Storm

Hong Kong, Sept. 8. — (UP) — A typhoon smashed this British crown colony today and the city started digging itself out of the debris as the storm roared off to the south.

Fifteen thousand British troops who left their tents and moved into barracks, mess halls and cookhouses started setting up their tent cities again.

Meantime, authorities announced that 14 Chinese crewmen still were missing in the explosion and sinking of the 1,931 ton British ship Chaksang in Hong Kong harbor.

Fifty two persons, including European officers and crewmen, were rescued.

The typhoon also drove the British steamer Inchmull aground. All British navy ships, except the Amethyst of Yangtze river fame, put to sea before the storm struck.

The little Amethyst, which ran a gantlet of communist guns to escape from the Yangtze, rode out the typhoon tied to a buoy.

Rescue vessels seeking survivors of the Chaksang blast were driven into shelter by the storm.

The Chaksang, operated by the Jardine Matheson Co., was slated to sail for Korea with a cargo of potassium chlorate. It exploded in an area one mile off shore reserved for ships with explosive cargoes.

The explosion rocked the city and sent a column of flame 200 feet into the air. Police said the cause had not been determined.

## Nine Million Vets Seeking Dividends

### Apply For Dividend On Life Insurance

Washington, Sept. 8. — (UP) — Some 9,000,000 World War II veterans already have applied for their life insurance dividend, veterans administration sources estimated today.

By the end of the month, they said, almost 16,000,000 ex-GIs are expected to have staked their claim for a share of the \$2,800,000,000 National Service Life Insurance dividend.

Veterans administrator Carl R. Gray, Jr., has said that because of the mechanical difficulties involved, payments cannot begin until early next year.

"We feel that most everyone who is entitled to a dividend payment on the basis of his World War II life insurance will have filed by the end of September," a VA source said.

This source said central headquarters is concerned over the problem of the veteran who feels that he has filled in his insurance application form incorrectly.

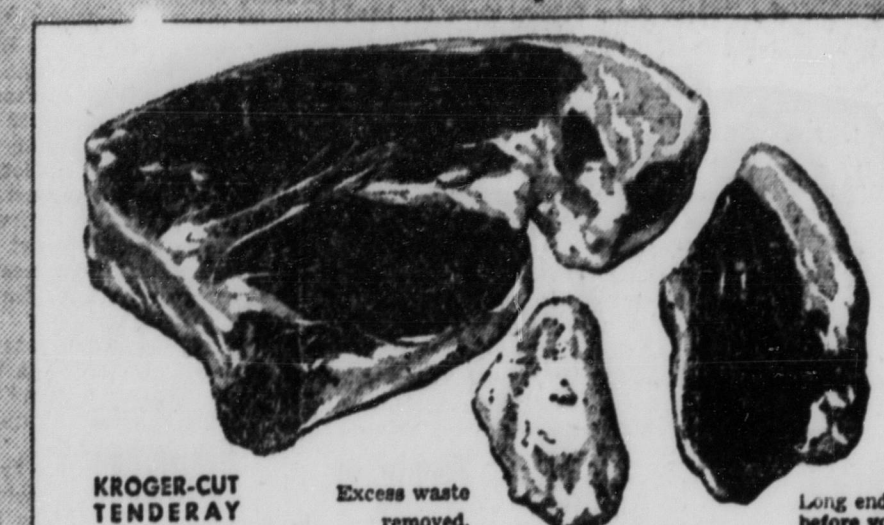
"If a veteran has sent in his insurance application and later feels that it was filled out incorrectly, let him sit tight," the VA spokesman said. "He will be queried by VA on his incorrect or missing data. But he should not send in a new application, because that just slows up the whole works."

The amount of the dividends will vary. Some veterans may get checks for as much as \$250. Others may receive no more than a few dollars. The average check will amount to about \$175.

The dividends were declared after the government found that men in service in World War II were charged too high a premium for the risk involved.

Pennsylvania was named in honor of Admiral William Penn, father of William Penn, founder.

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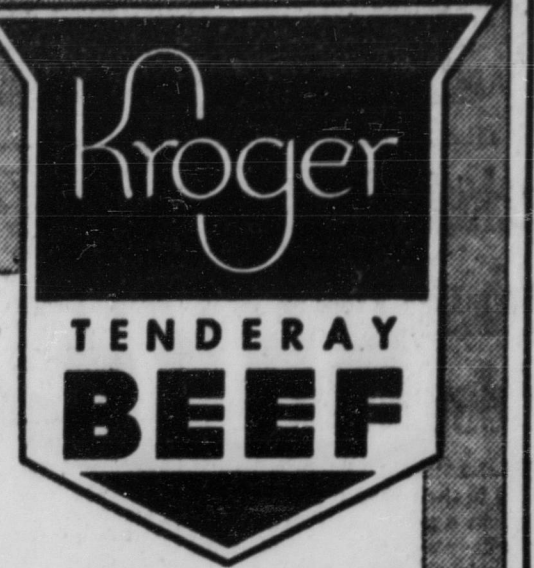


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