

THE BREMERTON COURIER

Weather and Tides
Fair and cool. Tides for Thursday:
7:14 a.m., 12.0 ft.; 12:36 p.m., 7.9 ft.; 5:12 p.m., 9.8 ft.

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THANKSGIVING DAY SERVICES SLATED HERE

City Ready to Mark Holiday; Football Contest Set

Thanksgiving Day, a holiday proclaimed by the Pilgrim settlers, will be observed wholeheartedly tomorrow in Bremerton.

In homes throughout the county, families will feast on a traditional Thanksgiving Day "turkey" and it will be a day of leisure for everyone except the housewives. With turkey prices this year at their customary level of 28 to 35 cents per pound, most market operators reported the sale of birds had been unusually brisk.

Special Thanksgiving services will be held in several Bremerton churches, a union service being planned for 10 o'clock at the First Baptist church, 5th st. and Warren ave. The Rev. Lewis McKeown of the Free Methodist church will deliver the sermon. "We Thank Thee, God."

The First Church of Christ, Scientist, will hold a service at 11 o'clock, and mass will be said at the Star of the Sea Catholic church at 8:30 o'clock. Rev. The Hokenstad of the First Lutheran church announced a service at 10 o'clock, with special music to be provided by Frederick Dano, tenor soloist from Seattle, and Mrs. Nell Schuch of Bremerton, soprano.

The navy yard, public offices, schools and banks, as well as all business houses, will be closed for the day. The navy yard force will return to work Friday, but schools will remain closed until Monday.

A football game will attract interest of numerous Bremerton "folks" during the afternoon. The game will be played between the Bremerton High school team and the Edmonds high school at 2:15 o'clock at Rosefield stadium.

Sun Will Present Stores' Messages

Bringing the Christmas Opening announcements to many Bremerton merchants, the Sun will be published as usual tomorrow, Thanksgiving Day.

The annual Christmas Opening, sponsored by the retail bureau of the Chamber of Commerce, will be held at 7:30 o'clock Friday evening. Downtown stores will be open for inspection of holiday merchandise, but no sales will be made.

At Home

Most recent disabreting discovery was the president's device for taking the advice of an old-fashioned democrat who proffered the post-election suggestion that Mr. Farley be reinstated in his administration as acting general and Mr. Hopkins be relegated to the WPA mess room.

But the president told of the incident and it hurt.

BALANCED-The American-British-Canadian trade treaty was hammered into shape in the closing hours of negotiation with hammer out of two trouble-making nations in Central Europe - Germany and Poland. It is Hitler of world markets for products grown and manufactured in his new countries, and he will be hegemony - the Balkans. It will kill the thriving Polish ham sales in Great Britain has accorded the U. S. exceptional privileges on numerous farm products, especially hams, corn, fruits and vegetables - also on low-priced automobiles. We have given the British sharp reductions in tariffs on certain dyes and cattle interests, confirm New England in its recent return to Republicanism. That's why we're not signed and published until after election day, although its political effect will probably be \$50.

WITNESSES HIT AGAINST STORY OF MRS. BERRY

An Inside Picture of Financial and Political America

From the Washington, D. C., Bureau of The Sun

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WASHINGTON - Farley has confided to friends that he will probably resign as postmaster before the end of the year. He has been asked to step down for a job yet, but he doesn't anticipate any difficulty in landing something. Besides being a senator, he is the general national chairman of the National Association of Manufacturers, which has the reputation of knowing its own business.

His relations with his old friend Pennsylvania are still friendly. "Jim" is hurt at the White House refusal to accept his political advice. He is big and thin. He can't help but see—true both before and since the Nov. 8th storm. The president prefers the advice and association of the big and thin. He is a young leftist headed by Harry Hopkins. "Jim" senses, too, that President Roosevelt is not popular in Capitol Hill during the next session. For him to fight the president is to fight the view of the late "purple" would be a happy or comfortable assignment.

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This Day...

Nov. 23 - To Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lillie, Port Orchard, a daughter, Olympic hospital, No. 22.

Nov. 23 - Licensed to marry Luther Norwood, 31, Bremerton, and Yvonne Gray, 29, Olympia.

Nov. 23 - Edward McNamara, 47, Wenatchee.

Nov. 23 - Bertie E. Brantner, 24, Bremerton, and Bertie Marie Gibbs, 18, Bremerton.

Nov. 23 - Yes in Port U.S.S. Lexington, until Dec. 6, Pennsylvania, until Dec. 10, U.S.S. Tennessee, until Jan. 23, U.S.S. Bolshoi, until Jan. 23, U.S.S. Wright, until Dec. 20, U.S.C.G.C. Onondaga, indefinite day.

Nov. 23 - CONFIRMS (UP)—Deputy Sheriff Bert Gunn and his wife today confirmed allegations that Roy Wright, 18-year-old force cook in a CCC camp, has confessed the murder of John D. Moore, Yakima automobile salesman.

Her Heels Kicked Up a Fuss

City Forced to Seek New Refuse Dump

The city of Bremerton was faced today with the problem of finding a new dumping ground for refuse collected by the municipal garbage department, after the city commissioners toured the present refuse dump and considered a letter from the county prosecuting attorney promising to abate his nuisance charges against the city unless the west end dump is abandoned by Monday.

The Constitution Avenue dumping ground, established only recently, first became a bone of public contention last Saturday when 71 residents of the vicinity filed a protest petition with the city commissioners. The commissioners referred the matter to the city attorney, whereupon the protesting citizens carried their issue to Prosecutor Ralph Purves.

After Purves had toured the site, he dictated to the city fathers a letter warning them that the city was liable to charges of creating a public nuisance.

Warren Commission

Purves' letter said, in part: "This is to advise that unless the practice of the city dumping garbage at the location is terminated on or before Monday, Nov. 28, 1938, an information will be filed against the city of Bremerton and a warrant issued to cause the city to remove the same."

Conviction on charges of creating a public nuisance carries a maximum fine of \$1,000, which would be levied against the city, Purves said.

Four Dumping Sites

The letter was read and filed this morning at the city commissioners' meeting, after which City Commissioner Carl Halstrom and C. C. Casal, City Attorney W. A. Boskey, Garbage Department Supervisor Boris Carter and City Health Officer Dr. D. H. Polk visited the site of the proposed dump.

Pointing out that the experience of the city in the past has been that garbage dumping grounds later covered—paid to a valuable means of reclaiming property, Commissioner Casal said he believed the same could be true of the Constitution Avenue dump. A great deal of the refuse filed with garbage, and which has a bulker on duty at the dump to cover refuse and attempt to prevent objectionable odors.

Property Reclaimed

Casal said that he had reclaimed the site of the Warren Ave. playground and Roosevelt athletic field, and had acquired the beach property at Evergreen park by means of making fills with garbage.

The city at present is awaiting word of Public Works Administration rejection of an application for \$22,500 with which to partially finance the erection of a \$50,000 garbage incinerator.

Jury Term Nears Finish; Peightel Case Ends Today

With the decision of the jury on the \$32,450 damage suit of R. S. Peightel, the case against four defendants, the winter jury term of Kitsap county superior court will close today.

The Peightel case, arising out of an automobile wreck July 1, 1937, was argued by Peightel today following summation by five attorneys concerned in the case.

All other civil cases which were originally scheduled for the current term have been postponed until the spring session of court.

ALASKA SEEN AS HAVEN FOR JEWS

WASHINGTON, Nov. 23.—(UP)—Secretary of Interior Ickes today suggested the possibility of considering Alaska as a haven for refugees Jews from Germany or other European nations.

Ickes pointed out that Alaska is the only U. S. possession which has been fully developed. He added that he favors doing everything possible to assist refugees.

At a press conference, Ickes was asked whether he would recommend consideration of Alaska as a haven to President Roosevelt.

"Well, I wouldn't go that far," he said.

The Roosevelt administration has used Alaska as a site for an experimental settlement in the Matanuska valley. Families who were drafted to find adequate living conditions in the U. S. were transported to the valley.

Ickes said that in event of further agricultural development of the valley by refugees, naturally industrial and professional development would follow. Alaska is subject to the same immigration laws which apply to continental U. S. territory.

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Red Cross Drive Nearing Goal; to Close Tomorrow

The \$2,400 quota of the Kitsap county chapter of the American Red Cross for 1938-39 appeared missing as workers today were making tabulations for the close of the drive—Thanksgiving day.

J. C. Beer, chairman of the city membership drive, has been making unusual cooperation from business houses. All reports will be tallied tonight. Charles Klinefelter, chairman of the county, has had the cooperation of workers in the outlying districts and although reports were not available from any cities other than Bangor, which made a record showing with its members, he believes each community will fill its quota.

The county quota, exclusive of Bremerton and embracing Annapolis, Bachel, Brownsville, Colby, Colby, Crosby, Cresate, Fernhill, Kinga, Keyport, Kingston, Kirk, Manchester, Olla, Pearson, Port Blakely, Port Canby, Port Madison, Port Orchard, Poulsbo, Retail, Rollingbay, Seabeck, Silverdale, Squamish, South, Calby, Waterman, Tracyton, Winsla, Zagelale and Bangor, is 685.

Yesterday and today Red Cross members were established in three Bremerton banks, the Seattle First National, Bremerton National and Savings, and the National Bank of Commerce—with secretaries on hand to solicit memberships.

Returns from the navy yard, according to Lt. Comdr. T. V. McCarry, who has been making Rear Admiral E. B. Fennor, commander, to be in charge of solicitation, it has been indicated in the past that the navy yard and commissioned personnel and employees in the shops and offices, had been forthcoming Friday or early next week. Some 1,500 memberships will be added to the membership drive.

Solicitations of the outlying districts captained by Klinefelter have been made by Mrs. Selma Stanton, Mrs. Katherine Anderson, Mrs. Carl Norman, Mrs. Clara Ketchum, Mrs. Pennington, Mrs.

Contract on Span Given 3 Companies

OLYMPIA, Nov. 23.—(UP)—The \$6,400,000 Tacoma Narrows bridge today after the State Toll Bridge Authority Tuesday made tentative award of the contract for its construction to a combination of three companies.

The award will be made official upon receipt of formal notes of grant from the PWA, which is furnishing 45 per cent of the cost.

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\$500 FIRE LOSS AT LLOYD HOME

Bloomington ave. caused an estimated \$500 damage to the interior of the dwelling owned and occupied by Mrs. Clara K. Lloyd, who was in Tacoma at the time of the blaze.

Fire Chief Ernest Yett said he believed the fire started in a kitchen wall beside an oil stove.

HUGE FINES ARE LEVIED ON JEWS

BERLIN, Nov. 23.—(UP)—The government today levied a fine of 20 per cent on all Jewish property holdings of more than \$2,000. It was believed the means whereby the government will collect its \$400,000,000 fine on the Jewish community at large.

Foreign Jews were exempt. The law will be taxed. But those who are either German subjects or who are under citizenship.

The decree also provided that insurance claims on property damaged in the Nazi rioting, which normally would have been paid to the Jews, were to be immediately turned over to the government as part of the levy.

In cases of mixed marriages only the property of the Jewish partner may be taxed. But for non-Jew must stand surety for payment by the Jew.

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Funds for Manette Boy's Chicago Trip Are Being Donated

The East Bremerton Improvement club has almost attained its goal of \$40 for Martin Urey of Manette, a two-month-old boy, senior who will leave Thursday for Chicago to attend the national convention of the Y.M.C.B.C. Transportation for the youth is being provided, but the \$40 is needed for meals and hotel accommodations. Earl Harkins, secretary of the Y.M.C.B.C., said today that he had been through the necessary sum had been pledged, including funds from the Get-together club of Tracyton, the Chamber of Commerce, Kitsap Dairyman's Association, Active Men's Club, Le G. I. C., and interested individuals.

Harkins said additional support may be made through him at Manette. Urey has been active in 4-H work for eight years and was awarded the first recognition of his achievements.

John Glud Elected To Honorary Group

John Glud, of Manette, was elected to membership in Phi Sigma, national biology honor society, at the University of Washington this week. Glud is a senior in University college.

MAYOR KNABB'S AUTO IN WRECK

An automobile driven by Mayor Jesse A. Knabb was involved in a minor collision yesterday at the intersection of Fifth st. and Park ave.

The mayor's car, proceeding south on Park ave., collided with a machine driven by Theodore Kindred, 2605 Burwell st. The car was heading east on Fifth st., and the cars came together in the middle of the intersection.

Hawaii Calls Local Youths

Hawaii, the "Pearl of the Pacific," is beckoning to several young men from Bremerton, seeking fame and fortune.

Two Bremerton boys—Bob Ebert and Ted Donning—left today for Honolulu, B. C. headed for Honolulu, planning to remain there for an indefinite period.

Donning, the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Donning, 924 Washington ave., was accompanied on the trip by Jim Miller of Minnetonka, Ebert, the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Ebert, 1211 11th st. They embarked on the S. S. Aorangi.

Hawaii has previously beckoned to several local men who are, at the present time, making their homes and employed on the islands. They include Roy Cole, Robert and Jack Drossoff and Chuck Rutledge.

12,000 PLANES MAY BE BUILT WITHIN 5 YRS.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 23.—(UP)—The War Relocation Authority today reported that it is planning to build 12,000 planes in three to five years.

Representatives of manufacturers of military aircraft and parts were attempting to coordinate a construction program reportedly designed to give the U. S. an unduplicated air supremacy in five years. There was no official confirmation of the private meetings which began here Monday. Today's meeting was the third conference of the week.

5,000 Planes Now

The U. S. at present has about 5,000 first line planes, including both army and navy armadas. The cost of building the additional 5,000 planes, it was indicated in several private meetings which would not exceed \$650,000,000. It was pointed out, however, that the government would be forced to make loans to private companies to increase production facilities.

In addition to such expenditures, large outlays would be necessary for increasing both army and navy aircraft production, greatly augmenting ground forces and extending naval and military aircraft production.

\$100 DONATED TO BUCK FUND

Presentations of a check for \$100 of the Milk Fund dance held last night at Perl building, last night was presented by Mrs. E. C. Green-Trautman, president of the Parent-Teacher club of the University of Washington.

The presentation was made by Mrs. Green-Trautman, president of the Y.M.C.B.C. club, president, and regular members of the Y.M.C.B.C. at the annual dinner, Mrs. Greenwood, Mrs. Harry Frichard and Mrs. W. L. Larson, members of the P.T.A. a welfare committee which will direct the collection of money to provide hot lunches for needy Bremerton school children.

Guests at last night's presentation included Tom Sawyer, president of the state Y.M.C.B.C. association, and several members of the Pay-club club, Mrs. Starla Orey, executive secretary of the Kitsap county Tuberculosis League, and several films on prevention of tuberculosis and spoke briefly. Entertainment was provided by Miss June Clifford, accompanist.

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DOUGHERD—Four men with (Continued on Page 6, Col. 3)

PARIS HOME—Duke and Duchess of Windsor recently returned home to Paris for two years. Here they are shown leaving their new residence in the Bois de Boulogne in Louis XVI style, was designed and is owned by the Duke and Duchess. They took it unadorned.