

### 200 GALLONS OF FUEL OIL STOLEN

R. B. Mitchell, 1708 25th Ave., reported to police yesterday that 200 gallons of oil had been stolen from the reserve tank of a new home he is building at 5516 39th Ave. N. E. Mitchell discovered the loss about 5:45 o'clock in the afternoon.

**Demos to Hear Tom Smith**  
County Commissioner Tom Smith will speak on civilian defense at 8 o'clock Friday night at the meeting of the 46th District Democratic Club at the Victory Heights clubhouse, East 107th Street and 20th Avenue Northeast.

### 25,000,000 to Be In War Jobs, Club Told

Present war-production employment of 5,000,000 persons will increase to 25,000,000 by the end in 1943. W. Walter Williams, chairman of the Washington State Defense Council, said yesterday in Portland, Or., the Associated Press reported.

Williams spoke at a meeting of the Portland Rotary Club, attended by a delegation of Seattle Rotarians.

### Larne New Jewelers' Head

Charles H. Larne will head the Seattle Jewelers' Club for the ensuing year as president, it was announced yesterday. Other officers include Simon Burnett, Jr., first vice president; John Stusser, second vice president; Wallace Calderhead, secretary; Arthur Polachek, treasurer, and Ben Bridge, Dwight Benton and Harry A. Arold, trustees.

### Committee To Consider Art Safeguarding

Safeguarding of state, local and privately owned records, museum objects, works of art, manuscripts and library holdings will be undertaken by a new committee on Conservation of Cultural Resources, the Washington State Defense Council announced today.

The committee survey includes finding institutions in Eastern Washington which would be willing to store holdings.

### MORTON SCOUT, HERO, HONORED

MORTON, Lewis County, Wednesday, Jan. 28.—(UP)—Residents of Morton, headed by Mayor Ray Sprague, last night honored William Little, 16-year-old Boy Scout who saved the life of his friend, David Meyers, 15.

Harry T. Martie, Olympia, president of the Tumwater Scout Council, presented Little with a gold life-saving medal.

Meyers was knocked unconscious when his head struck a submerged rock in diving. Little was able to reach Meyers in deep water, bring him to shore and apply artificial respiration.

### McCloud to Lecture On Christian Science

Earl McCloud of San Antonio, Tex., will deliver a free public lecture entitled "Christian Science: Its Restorative Mission," at 8 o'clock tomorrow night in the Seventh Church of Christ, Scientist, at Eighth Avenue West and West Halladay Street. Mr. McCloud is a member of the Board of Lectureship of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.

### Radio Engineers to Meet

Lieut. Comdr. James E. Parrott, United States Naval Reserve, will discuss "Personnel Problems Confronting the Naval Communication Service" at a meeting of the Seattle section, Institute of Radio Engineers, at 8 o'clock Friday evening in Daniel Bagley Hall on the University of Washington campus.

### Big Firms Add 12,900 Dimes To Drive Here

Contributions from large firms lengthened the Mile o' Dimes by 12,900 dimes today, as finishing touches were applied to the one-hour floor show that will highlight Seattle's President's Birthday Ball Friday night.

With only four days remaining in the drive, the Mile o' Dimes for infantile paralysis relief neared its 90,000-dime goal.

"Because Seattle will have only one birthday dance, instead of several as in the past, the best entertainment in the Northwest is being recruited for this main event at the Trianon Ballroom," declared Vic Gauntlett, vice chairman of the dance.

### Japanese, Ill, Hangs Self in Basement

Torizo Sawada, 56 years old, Japanese, hanged himself in the basement of his home, 435 23rd Ave. S., yesterday afternoon.

Deputy Coroner C. L. (Ted) Harris and John P. Brill, Jr., said Sawada's son, Henry, told them his father had been ill, and recently had returned from a hospital. Sawada left a note asking that his friends attend his funeral.

The body was taken to the Home Undertaking Company mortuary.

### Rock Breaks Man's Leg

David Fleetwood, 60 years old, 1206 1/2 Howell St., a landscaper, suffered a compound fracture of his left leg when a large rock rolled on him while he was working at 1025 46th Ave. S. W., yesterday afternoon. He was admitted to Harborview County Hospital.

### MAN JAILED AS SERVICE DODGER

Jerrold Hurley, 35 years old, was held today in the King County jail on charges of failure to register under the Selective Service Act.

Hurley, a transient, was arrested by authorities at Anacortes and turned over to the Seattle office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation when he could not produce a Selective Service registration card. He was arraigned before a United States commissioner in Mount Vernon and bound over to the federal grand jury. His bond was set at \$1,500.

The British government's expenditures now average \$53,600,000 a day.

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