Probate Judges Seek 2 Juvenile Facilities For Upper Michigan

Upper Peninsula probate judges, meeting in Marquette Friday, adopted a resolution urging the construction "with great urgency" of facilities in the U.P. for the care of emotionally disturbed and psychotic children.

The U.P. Probate Judges Association, in session at the Hotel Northland, also endorsed a resolution adopted by the Marquette County Board of Supervisors that appropriations be made for the construction of a detention, diagnostic and treatment facility in the Peninsula for delinquents, "pursuant to authorized planning."

Both actions ask that the facilities be located at central points in the Peninsula, with respect to population and geographic area.

Michael F. DeFant, Marquette County judge of probate and president of the U.P. Probate Judges Association, pointed out that both facilities are "sorely needed" in the region.

The nearest facility for detention purposes is in the Lower Peninsula, and the consensus is that a facility of this kind is imperative for Upper Michigan where, in recent months, "there were times when we couldn't place juveniles in detention, because available facilities were filled up," according to DeFant.

Psychotic and emotionally disturbed children were formerly accepted for treatment at Newberry State Hospital, but this is no longer the case, and the Michigan Department of Mental Health has said it does not plan to establish a facility there.

Treatment centers for such children have been established in Lower Michigan, and the recent actions by Marquette County supervisors and U.P. probate judges urge the state to construct a similar center in the Peninsula, whose children, it felt, are entitled to the same treatment.

Seminar Slated

In other action at Friday's meeting here, a seminar for probate judges and probate court staff members was scheduled for April 4 at Northern Michigan University.

DeFant said the topic for discussion will be revision of juvenile court rules specified by the supreme court administrative office in Lansing.

Officers of the U.P. Probate Judges Association, besides DeFant, are John Pater, Munising, vice president; and Robert Payant, Iron Mountain, secretary-treasurer.

54-Degree Temperature Brings Touch Of Spring Here

Temperatures soared in the Marquette area Friday, with the years' highest reading, 54 degrees, recorded in the city. The touch of spring cut the snow depth, created vast puddles and, in particular, hit the city's six skating rinks. This shows the west side rink, with the Sandy Knoll School in the background. Although the big snowbank in front will take some time to disappear, the rink itself was practically all melted. The city's previous high temperature was 45 on March 3. Cooler weather, however, is in the offing for the next few days.—(Mining Journal photo.)

McClellan Case Mediator Delays Entering Case Here Pending Filing Of Lawsuit

Action by the Michigan Labor Mediation Board in the case of Dr. Robert F. McClellan, dismissed Northern Michigan University professor, is being delayed because of the probability of a lawsuit.

So announced today Robert G. Howlett, Grand Rapids, chairman of the State Labor Mediation Board.

Howlett, reached by The Mining Journal by phone, said his office had contacted American Civil Liberties Union attorneys in Detroit Friday afternoon and were informed that final preparations were being made to have the lawsuit filed "early next week."

McClellan was notified last July 28 that his contract would be terminated June 30, 1968 because, according to the NMU administration, McClellan had interfered with university practices and policies.

Supported Harden's Action

McClellan has denied the charges and has sought to reverse the dismissal.

The NMU Board of Control and the university's interim president, Ogden E. Johnson, backed up the dismissal, made by the then president (now retired from NMU), Dr. Edgar L. Harden.

The ACLU entered the case on behalf of McClellan, with the NMU Committee for Defense of Academic Freedom raising money for the lawsuit, which the ACLU says will be filed in federal court.

Reluctant To Interfere

"We were told a week ago it was to be filed right away in federal court," Howlett said of the ACLU's lawsuit on behalf of McClellan, "and of course it hasn't been filed yet."

Howlett said that while the lawsuit actually was to have been filed two weeks ago, according to the ACLU, the State Labor Mediation Service is reluctant to enter into the situation while this action is pending.

"It would not be proper for us to interfere with judiciary proceedings in any way," he said. "However, if the suit is not filed next week, we'll step in."

Mason Appointed

The mediation board has named Robert G. Mason of Grand Rapids as mediator in the grievance, filed by McClellan.

McClellan's petition, also signed by 117 other instructors at NMU, constitutes a majority of the 183 full-time members of the faculty of the NMU School of Arts and Science, including 14 department heads who teach half-time and eight faculty on leave.

Recommendations Not Binding

The mediation board will, if no lawsuit is filed, proceed to fact finding in which both parties are ordered to attend a hearing, with witnesses and cross-examination.

The fact finder then writes a report and makes recommendations.

However, acceptance of the recommendations is not mandatory.

Department Appointments For St. Mary's Announced

Committee and department head appointments for St. Mary's Hospital for 1968 were announced today by Dr. Archie S. Narotzky, Ishpeming, president of the St. Mary's staff.

Dr. John C. Morris is vice president of the medical staff and Dr. Edward F. Kronschnabel is secretary-treasurer. Both are from Marquette, as are the other physicians listed below.

Dr. Narotzky listed the names of a 31-member active medical staff, the two-member associate staff; the five-member courtesy staff; the three-member consulting staff and 11-member dental staff.

Named to the medical library committee were Drs. Filmoz Emami and Eric T. Lincke.

The utilization committee consists of Drs. E. R. Huffman, temporary advisor, and Robert Bujard, Emami and F. Ann Pillote.

Members of the executive committee are Drs. Narotzky, Morris, Kronschnabel, Lincke, R. F. Berry and Donald R. Elzinga.

The audit committee includes Drs. Berry, Bujard, Emami, Narotzky and Ann Pillote.

Drs. Berry, Elzinga and George M. Wilson compose the disaster committee.

The infection committee is made up of Drs. Matthew C. Bennett, Huffman and Warren C. Lambert.

Department Heads

Department heads are as follows: Drs. Lucian Celori, anesthesiology; Kronschnabel, earnose and throat; John English, internal medicine; Donal Conley, obstetrics and gynecology; Fred C. Dohn, ophthalmology; J. W. Lyons, orthopedics; Robert L. Carefoot, pathology; Ann Pillote, pediatrics; Wilbur L. Meier, psychiatry; John Pillote, radiology; Lincke, surgery, and David R. Wall, psychiatry.

"The objective of hospital and physician is to aid each other in providing the best possible medical care," said Dr. Narotzky.

"To attain this objective requires full cooperation among the medical staff, governing body and administration."

First Aid Classes Set For Firemen

Twenty-seven members of the Marquette Fire Department will begin courses in first aid training Monday, Fire Chief John W. Myers announced today.

The 27—including nine members of ambulance crews—will be working initially toward standard first aid cards issued by the American Red Cross and then toward advanced cards.

Two Instructors

Their instructors will be Alethea Rossi and Joy Bur. Both are certified Red Cross first aid instructors with considerable experience.

Classes will be taught three hours a day at the No. 2 fire station on the corner of Front and—Prospect Sts. About 16 hours of instruction are required for each Red Cross card in first aid.

Some of the firemen have had first aid cards previously but they have lapsed. The Red Cross requires that refresher courses be taken every three years to keep a card current, so some of the firemen will, in effect, be renewing their cards.

Department Policy

Others — mostly newer firemen — have never had first aid, either standard or advanced, and are taking the course in line with department policy making it mandatory that every fireman and ambulance driver obtain a first aid card and keep it current.

The Marquette County chapter of the American Red Cross issues the cards certifying that an individual has successfully completed training in first aid, both at the standard (initial) and advanced levels.

Armed Forces

Airman Gary E. Glover, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas M. Glover of Herman has completed basic training at Amarillo AFB, Texas. He has been assigned to the Air Force Technical Training Center at Lackland AFB, Texas, for special schooling as a communications equipment specialist. Glover is a 1967 graduate of L'Anse High School.

Pvt. Roger J. Kinnunen, son of Mrs. Walter Laitinen of Champion, is spending 20 days with his family after completing nine weeks of training at Fort Polk, La. He has been assigned to the 1st Infantry Division and will report March 20 at Oakland, Calif., enroute to duty in Vietnam.

Guild Opens Last-Ditch Fund Drive

Keweenaw Playhouse Guild, Inc., Calumet, launched its 10th annual membership drive with a benefit concert this week in Fisher Hall on the campus of Michigan Technological University.

Fletcher Johnson, executive director, said "It is the intention of the guild to double its present membership, in order to meet the rising costs of theatre operations."

The guild must raise $15,000 through memberships and business advertisement in the theatre playbill, according to spokesmen. If it cannot do so by mid-April, money raised will be returned, and plans for operation of the Keweenaw Playhouse in Calumet will be abandoned.

Groups participating in the concert included the Copper Country Chorale and the MTU chamber trio, jazz band, and Little Theater. Zach Little sang folk songs and doubled as emcee for the evening.

Alaskan Legislators Object To Terms

JUNEAU, Alaska (AP) — The Alaska House Resources Committee has introduced a resolution asking Congress not to use the terms "salmonella" or "salmonellosis" in referring to a bacteria that causes food poisoning.

The bacteria doesn't originate in a salmon, the resolution points out. But, it says, the use of those words causes some people to think if does, and that "drastically" reduces public consumption of the fish—a major industry in Alaska.

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Lasich Completes Training In Operating Breathalyzer

Marquette Police Chief George G. Johnson reported today that Cpl. William G. Lasich recently completed a week-long breathalyzer training program at Michigan State University's Highway Traffic Safety Center and is now fully qualified to administer the breath test to persons arrested locally for drunk driving.

Lasich is the first member of the Marquette Police Department trained in the use of the breathalyzer. Although the city department currently shares a breathalyzer with the Marquette post of the Michigan State Police, it expects to have its own machine soon, the chief reported.

Michigan's new "implied consent" law is now in effect. Simply stated, this means that a driver has given his consent (when licensed) to take a chemical test for alcohol, if arrested for driving while under the influence of intoxicating liquor.

Refusal to take a chemical test could result in the automatic suspension or revocation of the driver's license.

Director Comments

William E. Barber, course director at the Highway Traffic Safety Center, said that the successful completion of classroom and laboratory course work by Lasich has given Marquette the capability of effectively enforcing the law against drunk drivers.

Barber also complimented Marquette for being prepared to take action against the driver who, by his excessive drinking, shows little regard for other drivers and pedestrians.

3 Common Tests

The three most common chemical tests for alcohol now being given analyze the driver's blood, breath or urine. However, the new law states that a driver has the option to demand that only a breath test be given. The test findings are admissible as court evidence and could work either for or against the defendant, depending upon the test results.

Since it is assumed that a high percentage of drunk driving suspects will demand the breath test, it is essential that breathalyzer test instruments and qualified police operators be available throughout the state.

Mammoth Program

To meet this need, the Michigan Law Enforcement Officers' Training Council, the Michigan Department of Health, Michigan State Police and MSU's Highway Traffic Safety Center have teamed together to conduct a mammoth training program in East Lansing.

Early estimates indicate that 175 breathalyzers, a proven instrument for measuring alcohol content of the blood through analysis of the breath, will be needed, along with 750 trained police operators.

The new law also brings Michigan into substantial conformity with the federal highway safety standard regarding alcohol and highway safety.

UPHA Elects Slate, Sets Show Dates

Theron Peterson, Ironwood, has been named president of the Upper Peninsula Horsemen's Association, succeeding Nap Sharkey, Perkins.

The election was one item of business at this week's meeting of the association — first for 1968 — in Iron River.

10 Shows Slated

Elected to serve with Peterson were Mark Angeli, Iron River, vice president, and Tom Leemon, L'Anse, secretary-treasurer.

Shows on the following dates will be sanctioned by the UPHA this summer: June 9, Ishpeming; June 23, Houghton; June 29, Champion; July 7, Conover, Wis.; July 14, Ironwood; July 21, Marquette (second annual horse show sponsored by St. Luke's Hospital Auxiliary); Aug. 17, Escanaba (during U.P. State Fair); Aug. 25, Iron River; Sept. 8, Marquette (sponsored by 4-H Club); and Sept. 15, Gladstone.

Any riding club may apply for a UPHA sanctioned show by contacting the county directors.

April 1 Deadline

Show programs must be in the hands of Leemon or the county directors by April 1.

Jack Elkins and Jerry Oberbind ware Marquette County's directors. Every other county represented in the UPHA also has two directors.

C. C. Smith Dies At 53 In Hospital

Claude C. Smith Sr., 53, Wayne, Mich., a Marquette County native, died Friday morning in Wayne County Hospital, Detroit.

Mr. Smith was born June 7, 1914, in Big Bay, and had lived there until 1923, when he moved to Marquette. He was a resident of Wayne for 25 years.

Survivors are his wife, Dorothy M.; three sons, Charles and Wayne M., of Wayne, and Claude C. Jr., Marquette; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. LaRouche, Marquette, and four grandchildren.

Services On Monday

Services will be held at 9 Monday morning in St. Michael's Church, Burial will be in the Big Bay Cemetery.

The body is in the Fassbender-Funeral Home here, where friends may call beginning at 2 Sunday afternoon. Liturgical rites will be conducted in the funeral home at 8 Sundayevening.

Pallbearers will be David and Philip DePetro, Ernest Bourgeois, Robert Feltner, Alfred Feltner Jr. and Gerald Beerman.

Peninsula Pharmacists Plan Parley

Election of officers and a two-part continuing education series will highlight the mid-winter meeting of the Upper Peninsula Division, Michigan State Pharmaceutical Association, on Sunday, March 17, in the Dickinson Hotel of Iron Mountain.

The conference will begin with registration and a coffee hour at 9:30 a.m.

City Man President

Thomas Bell, Marquette registered pharmacist who is president of the U.P. division, will preside at the business meeting, which is scheduled to begin at 1:30 p.m. New officers will be elected at that time.

Two Key Speeches

From 10:30 to 12:30 part one of a continuing education series will be presented by Ben B. Durian, Ph. D., associate professor of biology at Ferris State College, Big Rapids.

Durian will speak on "Survey of the Anatomy and Physiology of the Central Nervous System."

Part two, scheduled for 2:30 to 4:30 p.m., will be a discussion of "Pharmacology of Psychotropic Agents," by Richard K. Mulvey, Ph. D., associate professor of pharmacology at the Wayne State University College of Pharmacy, Detroit.

A social hour will follow at 4:30, and the conference will conclude with a 5:30 p.m. dinner. The registration fee will cover luncheon, social hour and dinner. Further information is available from the Upper Peninsula to the Michigan Department of Mental Health and Michigan Mental Health Association.

Dr. George Carnahan, assistant professor of economics and industry at NMU, will be the moderator.

Questions from the audience will be encouraged following introductory remarks by members of the panel.

Refreshments will be served after the meeting, under the direction of Mr. Robert Aikala.

Kingsford Man Charged In Ring Case

A young Kingsford man, charged with grand larceny in the theft of about 300 high school class rings, was being held in the Marquette County jail today, in default of bond.

Stephen F. Tippett, 21, was arrested by city police here Friday and later in the day appeared in Marquette City Court before Judge Edward H. Dembowski.

He demanded preliminary examination on the charge, and the judge set Monday, March 18, as the date of examination. Tippett was remanded to the county jail when he could not post the $250 bond ordered by Dembowski.

The grand larceny charge grew out of the theft of about $8,000 worth of class rings from a shipment car in Marquette the morning of Jan. 25. The car had been taken from its parking place on S. Front St. earlier the same day and, when found abandoned some hours later on Spring St., it had been rifled and one of several display cases of rings was missing. Most of the rings were dated 1973.

There are now almost twice as many motels as there are hotels in the United States, according to the Encyclopaedia Britannica.

'Fun Day' Set March 17 At Mt. Mesnard

Marquette's parks and recreation department will sponsor a fun day at Mt. Mesnard, the municipally-operated ski hill off County Road 553, on Sunday, March 17.

James C. Engle, superintendent of the department, said costumes will be required for all events, and the theme will be "Mardi Gras."

Since March 17 is St. Patrick's Day, many of the contestants are expected to show up wearing green.

Slalom, Obstacle Events

Prizes will be awarded in both of the half-fun, half-serious events scheduled: slalom racing, and obstacle courses. Competition will be conducted for five age groups: skiers 5 to 7, 8 to 10, 11 to 14, 15 and 16, and 17 and over.

A schedule of events will be posted at Mt. Mesnard next week, Engle said, listing times of activities for the various age groups.

An entry fee will be charged each person participating in the fun day, in addition to the Mt. Mesnard booster buttons that are required for any skier using the facilities.

Advance entries are sought and should be made at the hill by 5 p.m. Saturday, March 16, Engle said.

He added that charcoal grills will be provided at the hill, and he encouraged contestants and their families to brink their own lunches and "stay all day."

Alethea Rossi, supervisor and ski patrol director at Mt. Mesnard, will be in charge of the activities. She will be assisted by Marlene Grobar, who works with her at the hill.

Teen Problems Topic For PTA Panel Discussion

REPUBLIC — Teen-age problems will be the topic of a panel discussion slated by the Republic Parent-Teacher Association at its meeting Monday.

The 7:30 p.m. session will be held in the multi-purpose room of the Republic School.

Audience participation and discussion will follow the panel, which is to focus on presenday teen-age problems stemming from the home.

Hostesses for the evening will be, Mrs. Ilmari Matilla, Mrs. Clifford Laabs, Mrs. John Sullivan and Mrs. Oscar Anttila.

Panel On Sex Education Set By PTA

A panel discussion on sex education will highlight a meeting of the John D. Pierce Parent-Teacher Association Monday evening at 7:30.

The meeting will be held in room P-206 of the J. D. Pierce building.

Participants in the panel discussion, which will consider sex education for children and how it applies to Pierce, will be William Sundberg, junior high English instructor at Pierce; Mrs. Mary Carl, family life sex education consultant at Northern Michigan University, and Mrs. Thomas Mudge, representative from the Upper Peninsula to the Michigan Department of Mental Health and Michigan Mental Health Association.

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