

Penalty Is Added To School Taxes

Monday was the last day to pay Dunkirk school taxes without penalty. Among those who waited until the final day was Niagara-Mohawk Power corporation, which turned in its payment for \$792,773.02.

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WASHINGTON (UPI)—British Prime Minister Harold Wilson is expected to visit President Nixon Dec. 8 and 9, according to White House sources. It would mark the first time the two leaders have met in Washington. They have met twice previously since Nixon has been president, both times in Britain.

Abell House Being Considered For Registry As Landmark

Efforts are now under way for the preservation of an historic community landmark in Dunkirk. The 19th century residence located at 429 Central avenue and known to Dunkirkers as the "Abell House" is under consideration by the National Registry of Historic Buildings, an agency of the Department of the Interior in Washington, D. C., for permanent registration.

This registration indicates the importance of a building in the architectural history of the country and it must meet rigorous qualifications to be included. Nelson J. Palmer, Dunkirk architect who is leading the campaign for the preservation of the house as an historical site, stated that officials of the New York State Historic Trust in Albany have been encouraging in their preliminary investigations.

In a letter from them to Mayor Joseph J. Steger of Dunkirk, the Trust stated it hopes that the "Italian-Tuscan" Revival style of architecture can be preserved and used for appropriate local purposes.

The brick structure represents an excellent example of a dwelling built by a successful resident of the community in the decade of the 1850s. Its cube shape, low-pitched roof and arched doors and windows are characteristics of a style of design popular in that period. The cupola is a distinctive addition, and the impressive wood porches resemble an Italian Renaissance loggia. The fine condition of the house and the few changes that have been made all indicate the care and attention that have been given the site since its construction in 1855.

Locked Cars Are Looted Monday

Two reports of parked, locked automobiles being broken into were received by Dunkirk police almost simultaneously Monday night.

John Evans, 13 Highland drive, East Aurora, came to police headquarters at 9:01 o'clock. He stated that someone had broken into his 1962 automobile between 1 and 9 p.m., while it was parked at the rear of the Hotel Dunkirk. A blue canvas overnight bag, containing clothes, an electric razor, and a transistor radio, was taken. Patrolmen Donald Rafinski and James Heiderman, who investigated, said the car was locked and entry was made by breaking a front vent window.

Mrs. Casimer Kuziora, 67 Ounce street, Dunkirk, telephoned police at 9 o'clock. She said someone had broken into her car and slashed the seats while the 1965 vehicle was parked in the Dunkirk High school lot on the north side of West Sixth street between 7 and 8:45 o'clock. Patrolmen Anthony Dubiel and William Valone investigated. They said the car was locked and entry was made by breaking the front vent window. The glove compartment was opened, and a check revealed that \$1.50 in change was taken.

Tree Damaged
Patrolman Charles Graves reported at 7:16 a.m. today that a small tree in front of 516 Central avenue had been broken off.

John M. Dominiak Died Here Today

After a short illness, John M. Dominiak, 134 South Jerboa street, Dunkirk died this morning at Brooks hospital.

Born in Poland 66 years ago, he had resided in Dunkirk most of his life. He was a retired inspector for Allegheny Ludlum Steel corporation, and was a member of St. Hyacinth's church.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Victoria Dominiak; a daughter, Mrs. Judith Hollander of Dunkirk; two stepdaughters, Mrs. Audrey Marzec of Hamburg and Mrs. Barbara Barberich of Dunkirk; a brother, Felix Dominiak, and a sister, Mrs. Bernice Kujawa, both of Dunkirk; seven grandchildren; three nieces and a nephew.

The 10,400-acre preserve, Corkscrew Swamp Sanctuary, is the only breeding place of the stork— or wood ibis— in America.

High Rise Construction Moving Well

Construction is going at near full speed at the 11-story high rise apartment complex in North Main street, Dunkirk.

The building, which will be the tallest in the county when completed next year, will contain 104 apartments for the housing of Dunkirk's elderly citizens. The project is the first step in urban renewal for the city.

The second floor has been completed and work is now concentrated on the columns to the third floor. Decking for the third floor is expected to be installed by next week. Each floor is expected to take three weeks to construct.

Work will continue on the building as long as weather permits and is expected to continue off and on all winter.

The \$2.4 million project is being financed entirely by the federal government. The elderly citizens who will be displaced by the urban renewal in Dunkirk will be given first priority on the apartments.

Joseph Anderson of Fredonia is the clerk of the works. His duties include inspecting the construction and making reports to the architect and to the Housing and Urban Development (HUD).

Shore Shaft Of Sewer Will Be Finished Soon

The shore shaft of Dunkirk's outfall sewer project at the sewage disposal plant near Wright park is expected to be completed next week.

The shaft goes down 37 feet below ground level. Treated waste water will flow into the shaft and enter a pipeline at its base. The pipe line will carry the waste water 2,300 feet out into Lake Erie for dispersion.

Construction of the pipe line will require dynamite blasting due to the hard rock. A crew from Dunbar and Sullivan Dredging company is working on a 40-foot "drill boat" at Dunkirk harbor. This boat will be used for the offshore blasting operation. However, it can only be used in calm waters.

A Dunbar and Sullivan official hopes 450 feet of the pipe line can be installed before weather shuts down the project until next spring. So far 64 feet of the pipe line has been installed.

The pipe line will be some 15 feet underground on shore and about 12 feet under the lake bottom. The pipe line will be angled so the treated water will flow to the northwest. The present dispersion pipe goes out 1,100 feet into the lake and is not angled. The new pipe will disperse the waste water about 29 feet under the lake's surface.

Crucial Elections

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Democratic city councilman Lee Alexander.

Utica: It took personal help from the late Sen. Robert F. Kennedy to elect Dominick Asaro mayor of Utica four years ago. Charges of corruption have shaken his administration but the Democratic incumbent is still favored over Republican Robert Lynch and Independent-Liberal Thomas Carville.

Binghamton: In one of the closest mayoral races in the state, Republican Alfred J. Libous is running against Democrat William P. Burns for mayor of Binghamton. Burns is the brother of state Democratic Chairman John J. Burns.

Voting Today Is Reported "Brisk"

Voting was reported "brisk" today in local elections in the Dunkirk area with ideal weather prevailing. The polls opened at 6 a.m. and will remain open until 9 o'clock tonight.

Dunkirk voters are going to the polls today to elect a mayor, council and other city officials and four supervisors.

Pomfret voters today will elect a supervisor and two councilmen. The town clerk and superintendent of highways are running unopposed.

Other area elections also include balloting for supervisors, councilmen and other town officials.

Also being elected today are county officers, including sheriff, district attorney, treasurer, and clerk. Other offices to be voted on include associated judge of the Court of Appeals and two Supreme court justices. There are four state constitutional amendments also listed on the ballot.

Longest Bridges

The four longest bridges in the United States are the Verrazano-Narrows, New York; the Golden Gate, San Francisco; the Mackinac, Michigan; and the George Washington, New York, in that order.



A PLAQUE honoring Briggs Dairy for its part in helping to celebrate the American Legion's 50th anniversary was given to Gary Crayton, official of the dairy, at a recent county meeting held at Frank Acquavia Post 1334 rooms.

Swanson, past department commander; John Catalano, dairy sales manager; Mr. Crayton; Charles Anderson, 50-year member of the American Legion from Mayville; Roger Lamkin, Chautauque county commander.

Youth Agencies Benefit From The UF Drive

(This is the fourth of a series of articles describing the 12 agencies which are members of the Dunkirk-Fredonia United Fund).

The United Fund does not forget the youth of the community in its annual drive. Among the agencies receiving financial aid through the United Fund are the Boy Scout Council of Chautauque County, the Chautauque Area Girl Scout council, and the Fredonia Youth council.

Last year 918 of the 2,280 boys in the community aged 8 through 18 were active members of Scouting. This included 55 per cent ages 8 through 10 in Cub Scouts and 46 per cent of ages 11 to 18 in Boy Scouts and Explorers.

The Scouting program in the Dunkirk-Fredonia area is made available to the boys through 17 churches, PTAs, and fraternal and service clubs which sponsor 24 Cub Scout packs, Boy Scout troops, and Explorer posts. About 275 adults provide active leadership.

The Boy Scouts have been allocated \$17,000 through the United Fund.

Girl Scouts
Last year 980 girls in the Dunkirk-Fredonia area took part in Girl Scout activities. There were 253 adults involved in leadership.

The Girl Scouts provide service to the Margaret Anthony nursing home, the Gerry home,

MID-DAY STOCK REPORT

NEW YORK (UPI)—Stocks dropped sharply today as disappointment over President Nixon's Vietnam address swept Wall Street. Trading was brisk. Shortly before noon, the UPI marketwide indicator showed a loss of 0.53 per cent on 1,429 issues crossing the tape. There were 823 declines and 353 advances.

The Dow Jones average of 30 blue chip industrials fell 7.06 to 847.46.

Prices also worked lower on the American Stock Exchange, with volume approaching 3,000,000 shares after almost two hours.

Among the most active Amex issues were National Health Enterprises about steady on more than 65,000 shares, Syntex fractionally lower on 30,000 shares, and Tyco Laboratories slightly lower on about 25,000 shares.

Boating accidents took 1,300 U. S. lives last year.

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Nurse Director Is Appointed For Hospital

Leander D. Adams Jr., has been named administrative assistant-nursing director at Brooks hospital in Dunkirk, according to an announcement made today by hospital administrator, L. William Coon.

Mr. Adams, who began his new duties Monday, succeeds Mrs. Regina Richards who retired earlier this year. He comes to Dunkirk from Crouse-Ing Memorial hospital in Syracuse where he was administrative assistant.

Other experience came at Syracuse Memorial hospital, House of the Good Samaritan hospital in Watertown, and Danemora State hospital in Danemora, N. Y.