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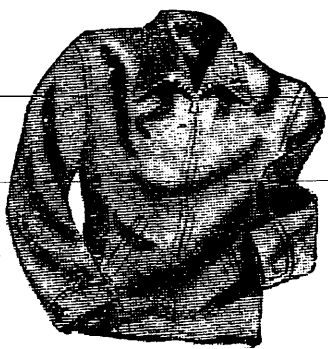
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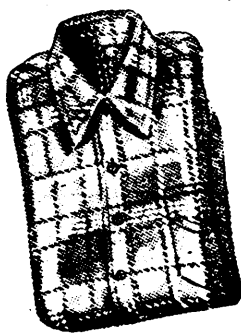
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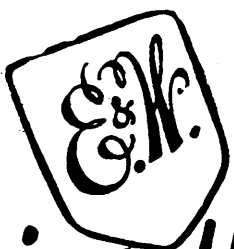
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ARMY WILL TEST NEW COURT PLAN

Washington, Dec. 26—(AP)—The army, seeking a substitute for court martial to enforce discipline in its proposed universal military training (UMT) program, will experiment with a trainee court and code of conduct.

The test will be conducted in a unit of 18 and 19-year-old regular army recruits who will begin UMT-type training at Fort Knox, Ky., next month. About 600 men are in the unit set up to find out how UMT should operate if congress approves the program.

Gen. Jacob L. Devers, army ground force commander, announced the disciplinary experiment in a statement today. A demerit system with extra duty for infractions of regulations will be the base of the experimental system. Because UMT trainees would be civilians and not members of the armed forces, they could neither be tried by court martial nor sentenced to military prisons.

Each demerit over 10 in one month will call for an hour of extra fatigue duty. A trainee court composed of seven men from his own company will sit in judgment on a violator accused of such things as brief A.W.O.L. shirking duty or disorderly conduct.

47, pastor of St. George's Catholic church near Bourbonnais, Kankakee county.

The ship first struck one wing against a truck used by Herbert R. Cairns, 26, the electrician, which was parked alongside the runway. The craft swung around, and the propeller blades gashed Cairns' right side, nearly amputating his right arm.

Policeman Daniel H. Turczynski said the priest told him that he had been blinded temporarily by the sunlight in landing and did not see the truck or the man. Father Cousineau was coming in from a pleasure flight, he said.

Order Father Held In Death Of Infant

St. Louis, Dec. 26—(AP)—A verdict of homicide was returned today by a coroner's jury investigating the death of Patricia Jean Mansker, 4-months-old baby. Her father, Clarence Mansker, who testified he slapped the baby in anger at her persistent crying, was ordered held for the grand jury.

Mansker, 24, a bus driver, testified the child had been subject to strangling and vomiting attacks, and, on several occasions, he had patted her on the back to provide relief. He became "very irritated" at the child's crying last Monday night, he said, and struck her several times.

The baby died at a hospital early Tuesday.

Caught In Airplane Propeller; Killed

Chicago, Dec. 26—(AP)—A city electrician working on municipal airport runways was caught in the whirling blades of a propeller and killed today.

The plane was a single-engine two-seater Vultee PT 13 owned and piloted by the Rev. Emil Cousineau.

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Last Air Survivors Rescued From River

Montreal, Dec. 26—(UP)—A small boat weaved through dangerous, drifting icecacks in the St. Lawrence river in a blinding snowstorm today, and rescued two survivors of a plane crash from the ice floe, where they had spent four freezing days.

The men were the fifth and sixth saved from the crash of the Quebec Airways plane in the ice-choked St. Lawrence Monday morning. A seventh man, who was last seen trying to pick his way to shore

across the bobbing, slippery cakes of ice, was believed to have drowned. The last two survivors were in danger of drifting out to sea when the rescue boat reached them. They were taken to Petite Vallee, a little village on the coast of the Gaspé peninsula.

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