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George W. Johnston now is fore-
man in charge of Centralia and
Nepco lake, succeeding W. J. Mc-
Grogan at Centralia, who retired
this fall after continuous duty at
the Centralia plant since it was
started 31 years ago. Johnson, who
has been with the company since
1923, has had charge of Nepco lake
operation since it was created in
1925.

C. J. Baumel Named Head of Machinists

C. J. Baumel was elected presi-
dent of International Association of
Machinists Local 655, American
Federation of Labor, during a meet-
ing Thursday night. Other officers
elected include: Fayette Skinner,
vice president; Henry Van de Loop,
recording secretary; Don Dittburner,
financial secretary; Edward
Stensberg, treasurer; Clarence
Mras, conductor; Leonard Sabota,
sentinel, and Elmer Johnson, trustee.

Legion Memorial Service To be at 3 O'clock Sunday

This community, in conjunction
with Charles Hagerstrom post, No.
9, of the American Legion, will
unite to honor servicemen who have
thus far given their lives in World
War 2 at a memorial service in
the music room of Lincoln high
school Sunday afternoon at 3
o'clock.

Fred Burt, chaplain of the Amer-
ican Legion, announced that the
service will be broadcast over radio
station WFHR. Families of service-
men to be eulogized will be seated
in the front rows of the music room
and each will have a Legionnaire
as escort. Those families who feel
that they cannot attend will be
sent a folder containing the names

Stevens Point, Wis.—(P)—The
Stevens Point Journal admitted,
with some embarrassment today
that a story it carried recently of
the death of Sgt. Glen Johnson, for-
merly of this city, was in error.

Sgt. Johnson wrote to the news-
paper from an army base at Tem-
ple, Tex., that he was "quite sur-
prised to read about my death in
France, "I have never been to
France," he wrote, "and I'm still
very much alive."

The newspaper said it received
the report of Sgt. Johnson's death
from a theater manager who said
he read it in a theater bulletin.

Sgt. Anthony Martin Missing In Action

Sgt. Anthony B. Martin, son of
Mr. and Mrs. Anton Martin, Route
3, city, has been missing in action
over Germany since November 21,
according to word received by his
parents Thursday.

Sgt. Martin's wife, the former
Shirley Nelson of Port Edwards,
now lives in Chicago. Sgt. Martin
is with the AAF.

tionwide talent search, conducted
by Science Service. These students,
Mary Ellen Bennett, Robert Bren-
ner, Richard Corey, Duaine Smith,
and Robert Kingdon, have accord-
ing to Mr. Hornigold, shown them-
selves to possess not only an
aptitude for scientific study but also
have ventured into the field of indi-
vidual research.

The five students took a three and
one half hour preliminary examina-
tion this afternoon and their tests
will be judged along with other en-
tries throughout the county. Forty
students who lead in the primary ex-
aminations will be given all-expense
trips to Washington to attend the
Science Talent Institute for five
days where they will take final ex-
aminations for the science scholar-
ships.

Two contestants, one boy and one
girl, will be selected by the board of
judges to receive the Westinghouse
Grand Science scholarships of \$2,400
each (\$600 per year for four years)
and eight more contestants will re-
ceive scholarships for \$400 (\$100 a
year for four years). Three thou-
sand dollars in additional scholar-
ships will be awarded. The purpose
of this talent search, now in its
fourth year is for the purpose of dis-
covering and helping to develop sci-
entific talent which will be of value
to the nation in war and peace, Mr.
Hornigold stated.

Swensen Pleads Guilty To Homicide Charge

Gerald Swensen, Marshfield,
pleaded guilty in the court of Judge
Frank W. Calkins Thursday to a
charge of negligent homicide
brought by County Traffic Officer
Tony Hansen.

Swensen was sentenced to not
less than 14 months and not more
than one year in the Wood county
jail but was released on probation
upon payment of costs.

The defendant was involved in a
traffic accident near Hewitt, Wis.
last July, which resulted in the
death of William Kohel of Hewitt.