chains can be used with radial tires without concern for sidewall damage. In a recent test program in which chains were driven at a sustained speed of 35 mph on dry, bare pavement, USAC found no evidence of sidewall or tread gouging on any of the radials tested, even after 150 miles of this unusually severe punishment.

ed, and all Elks are urged to attend and bring their family.

It was a medieval saint, St. Bernard (NOT the one the dogs are named after), who first used the expression "love me, love my dog." It occurred in his first sermon.

Robert L. Croonquist

WOODGATE — Robert L. Croonquist, 75, of Route 28, a retired lieutenant in the Teaneck, N.J. Police Department, died Monday, Nov. 24, in St. Luke's Memorial Hospital Center, New Hartford, after a one-month illness.

He was born in Burlington, Vt., Feb. 12, 1900, son of Nils and Elsa Croonquist. He retired in 1952 and came to Woodgate in 1958.

At one time, he was a carpenter. He served in the Army during World War I.

He and Gladys Namm were married in Bogata, N.J., June 30, 1928. He ws a member of the New Jersey Police Benevolent Association and the Bergen County Mutual Aid Society.

Besides his wife, he leaves a son, Robert A. Croonquist, Teaneck; a daughter, Grace Amicucci, Woodgate; a brother, Perry T. Croonquist, Jacksonville, Ark., and 10 grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 8 p.m. last Wednesday at the Trainor Funeral Home, Boonville, where the Rev. Roy Sommers officiated. Cremation was in Waterville.

Hospital Center, New Hartford, after a long illness.

He was born May 2, 1924, in Port Leyden, son of Earl and Anna McDermott Chaufty. He attended Port Leyden area schools and was graduated from Port Leyden High School.

During World War II, Mr. Chaufty served with the Army in the European Theater. He was the recipient of a Purple Heart.

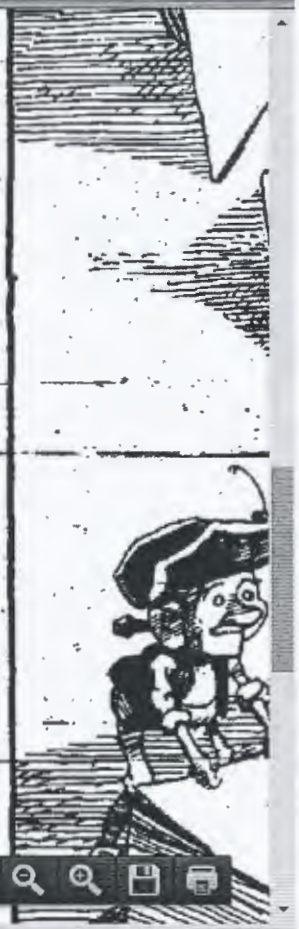
On Dec. 20, 1968, he married Helen Meus in the Town of Deerfield.

Mr. Chaufty was a member of St. Stanislaus Church, Utica; the Carpenters Union, Utica; the Copper Creek Association, and the Boonville Chapter, Veterans of Foreign Wars.

Besides his wife, he is survived by three step-daughters, Mrs. Michael (Charlotte) Menge, Boonville; Mrs. Walter (Sylvia) Lott, Oneonta, and Mrs. George (Kathleen) Salinas, Fort Worth, Tex., a brother, Lt. Col. (Ret.) Joseph Chaufty, Elberta, Ala., and seven grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 10:15 a.m. Monday at the Field Funeral Home, Port Leyden, and at 10:30 a.m. in St. Martin's Church, Port Leyden. Burial was in [illegible] Cemetery, Port Leyden.

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