

LINER SUNK OFF COAST; 5 DIE, 245 MISSING

Late News Bulletins

Agency to Go to New York, Not Chicago
The Employees' Compensation Commission will be moved to New York instead of Chicago...

Nazis Ready to 'Welcome' A. E. F.
BERLIN (German Broadcast) (AP)—A Berlin broadcast said today that any American soldiers who reached Northern Ireland...

Americans in Hong Kong Reported Safe
All American nationals caught in Hong Kong when that city was taken by the Japanese were reported by the State Department today to be safe and well.

Georgetown Prep Beats Devitt, 38-22
Georgetown Prep defeated Devitt, 38-22, in their basketball game at Garrett Park today.

Senate Passes Army Supply Bill
The Senate late today passed the \$12,500,000,000 Army supplemental appropriation bill, designed mainly to provide for construction of 33,000 warplanes.

War Powers Measure, With Free Mail for Troops, Passes Senate

Agencies Given Fourteen Grants of Authority To Aid Effectiveness

The Senate late today passed and sent to the House the second war powers bill, with a last-minute amendment giving all members of the armed forces the right of free postage.

The bill contains 14 specific grants of new authority to enable various Government agencies to prosecute the war more successfully, including penalties for violations of priorities, the right to take over machine tools in a factory not working on defense...

Several Senators expressed fear the Federal Reserve feature might lead to inflation, but the Senate rejected an amendment by Senator Taft, Republican of Ohio, to limit such bond purchases by the Federal Reserve Banks to 30-day notes and to \$2,000,000,000 at any one time.

Bull Players Traded

NEWARK, N. J., Jan. 28 (AP)—The Newark International League baseball club announced today the trade of veteran outfielder Leo Nonne-kamp, who hit .303 last season, to Kansas City of the American Association for Arthur (Bud) Metheny.

Ulster Legislator Would Like 'To Throw U. S. Troops Out'

(Earlier Story on Page A-2.) BELFAST, Jan. 28.—Patrick Maxwell, nationalist member of the Northern Ireland Parliament, declared in an interview today that "there is nothing we can do physically to throw the American troops out of Northern Ireland, or we would do so. So far as we are concerned," he added, "it is the same thing as the landing of the Germans in Norway."

Maxwell, who represents the Foyle division of Londonderry, said he was "wholeheartedly" in sympathy with Premier Eamon De Valera of Eire, who has protested the United States troop landing across the border from Eire.

Hurban Tells of Czech Dumping Molten Metal, Killing 14 Nazis

The story of how a munitions worker named Vacek in Czechoslovakia recently killed 14 German Army officers by dumping molten metal on them from a crane, then committed suicide by jumping to the ground was related today by Col. Vladimir Hurban, Czech Minister.

Tokio Threatens Bolivian Blockade For Axis Break

LA PAZ, Bolivia, Jan. 28.—Information sources said today that Fuyituro Irie, Japanese Charge D'Affaires, had delivered a note to the Bolivian foreign office hinting that Japan might blockade the South American coast and halt Bolivia's overseas trade if she severed relations with the Axis.

Cox, Seeking F.C.C. Probe, Says Fly Runs 'Gestapo'

Acousting Chairman James Lawrence Fly of the Federal Communications Commission of maintaining "an active and ambitious gestapo," Representative Cox, Democrat, of Georgia, proposed on the House floor today that Congress investigate the F. C. C.

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Civil Populace Evacuated From North Singapore

Mile-Deep Strip On Malay Side of Island Is Cleared

(Earlier Story on Page A-1.) SINGAPORE, Jan. 28.—Orders were issued today for the evacuation by noon Friday of all civilians and livestock from a strip one mile deep on the northern shore of Singapore Island which faces the Malay mainland across the narrow Johore Strait.

The edict came as the fighting lines swayed about 50 miles above the water hurdle which the Japanese must cross in any land-based attempt to invade this British Pacific bastion.

The nearest enemy approach apparently was along the Malacca Strait, on the west coast of the peninsula, where the night war bulletin said heavy fighting was taking place at Rengit, south of Seng-garang, which is 48 miles from Singapore.

As the battle drew closer suburban Singapore underwent another bombing from 27 Japanese planes which quickly dropped their cargoes and disappeared.

The night communique indicated that the front, at least for the moment, was holding firm.

It said there was no change in the situation in the sector between Ayer Hitam and Kluang, the railroad center 50 miles to the north, and that there were no reports of further enemy landings at Endau, where the Japanese put reinforcements ashore yesterday.

"Enemy air activity," it said, "has been slight."

"A considerable number of British and Indian troops who were cut off in the Batu Pahat area have now rejoined the main bodies," the communique added.

Soviet Envoy to Britain Ill

LONDON, Jan. 28 (AP)—The Russian Embassy disclosed today that Ivan M. Malsky, Soviet ambassador to Britain, is ill with malaria.

Late Races

Earlier Results, Rosvans's, Other Selections and Entries for Tomorrow, Page 2-X.

Hialeah Park

FIFTH RACE—Purse, \$1,500; Grade C. Handicap; 3-year-olds and up; 6 1/2 furlongs.

SIXTH RACE—Purse, \$1,000; Grade B. Handicap; 3-year-olds and up; 6 1/2 furlongs.

SEVENTH RACE—Purse, \$1,500; Grade C. Handicap; 3-year-olds and up; 6 1/2 furlongs.

THIRD RACE—Purse, \$600; maiden 3-year-olds; 6 furlongs.

FOURTH RACE—Purse, \$600; allowance; 3-year-olds and up; 6 furlongs.

FIFTH RACE—Purse, \$800; allowance; 3-year-olds and up; 6 furlongs.



RALPH TOWNSEND.



FREDERICK V. WILLIAMS.

Federal agents here announced this afternoon the arrests of two Americans, indicted by a District grand jury earlier today with four other persons as unregistered propagandists for the Japanese government.

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A Bolivian development corporation is to be set up with a \$10,000,000 credit from the Export-Import Bank at Washington.

The first big project of the development corporation is expected to be construction of a 225-mile highway from Conchabama to Santa Cruz, linking Bolivia's agricultural and mining centers.

The announcement said plans for such a development were under way and that a United States economic mission already was in Bolivia.

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Ordered to stand, the boy answered "guilty" in a loud, clear voice to the charges of shooting to death Edward Johnson, 42; his wife, Sadie, and their 15-year-old daughter, Ethel, in the robbery of the Johnsons' general store at Huntley and the post office in it last May 29.

Despite expert testimony that the boy had epileptic tendencies, and was retarded mentally and physically, Judge Alexander held he was "legally responsible for his acts."

The diminutive defendant, whose development was compared to that of a boy 10 years old, was sentenced to serve in the penitentiary for life on each of the three indictments.

He will be taken to the State penitentiary at Richmond to start his term in a few days.

Defense Attorney William C. Armstrong of Front Royal, who was appointed by the court, said he did not plan an appeal from the sentence.

The boy's father, Thomas Dewey Cameron, sr., an orchard worker, testified at the trial that his son was subject to fits, convulsions and

Knox Says Navy Is Busy Fighting Foe in All Seas

Secretary Regards Japanese, Nazis As One Enemy

(By the Associated Press.) CHICAGO, Jan. 28.—Secretary Knox today pictured the Navy as engaged in a gigantic job of protecting and fighting "in all the seas and all the oceans" against "one indivisible, total enemy."

It is "an immense assignment," he said, but "your Navy is doing the job."

The Secretary in a speech at a Chicago Association of Commerce luncheon, said that if some persons misunderstood his remarks of January 12 to the effect that Hitler is the principal enemy, "the Navy didn't."

He said he wished to make it "emphatically clear" that he regarded the war in the Pacific, the Atlantic, Russia, China, Malaya, Libya as "all one war, one world revolution, one bid for world mastery."

Hitler "hatched this ghastly conspiracy on the whole world, but the enemy is one enemy," he said.

The Secretary discussed "the vexations and misunderstandings of business and security and the public information policy generally," reminding Americans wondering what the Asiatic fleet is doing that the Japs "are more curious than you are."

The Secretary's uncertainty over what our feet is doing or where it is going, he said, is one such as "has caused every one of you to ask 'What is Hitler going to do next?'"

He said it had manifest strategic value because "not knowing what your enemy is doing, you have to disperse your forces and attempt to be ready for anything."

Japanese Are Jittery. Mr. Knox said a study of what Axis short wave stations call "news" indicated the Japs "are jittery because they can't determine just where the American fleet is and what its objects may be."

For example, on January 1 they announced that they had sunk seven of our battleships, no less. But by the 15th a spirit of prudence had crept over them and they magnanimously changed the figure to four, thus restoring three to the surface, where others may follow in due course.

"On the 21st, curiously enough, their compilation omitted any mention of a seaplane carrier whose demise had been solemnly chronicled the week before."

He said he often was asked why he wished to keep something secret when the public already knew it and had been talking about it.

"My answer is that our enemies—being past masters at such tactics themselves—deliberately plant and circulate rumors in order to confuse us."

"It is not the circulation but the confirmation of so-called facts that is important. If official confirmation is given these inside stories that always circulate in wartime, if some responsible member of the Government publicly backs them up, the element of uncertainty is destroyed, and our enemies are then free to make their plans and carry out their counter-measures with a far greater degree of precision and certainty."

Press, Radio Co-operate. The press and radio, Mr. Knox said, have co-operated perfectly. "And as a newspaperman, it is my duty for me to be counseling restrictions, silence and faith, but as knowledge and understanding of the problems spreads, skepticism and con-

(See KNOX, Page 2-X.)



WON'T ALIBI IF PROGRAM FAILS—War Production Chief Donald M. Nelson, pictured as he listened to questions by members of the Truman Senate Defense Committee today, said he will offer no alibi if his program does not succeed.

He told the committee he was not interested in the political phases of the war production effort and offered to shoulder full responsibility and, if necessary, be the "goat." (Story on Page A-1.)

Brother Is Indicted In Kansas City Girl's Mutilation Slaying

Action by Grand Jury Climaxes Long Inquiry Into Baffling Murder (Picture on Page 2-X.)

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 28.—George W. Welsh II, 28, was indicted by a county grand jury today on a charge of slaying and mutilating his pretty 24-year-old sister, Leila Adele Welsh, in her bedroom last March.

The indictment—climaxing weeks of investigation—was drawn by the attorney general's office at Jefferson City and returned to Circuit Judge Marion D. Waltner.

Her brother was summoned before the jury for questioning when he returned here from California for the Christmas holidays.

Slept Near Murder Scene. Soon after the slaying he had told officers that he slept on a divan in the living room near his sister's bedroom the night of the murder.

The Welsh slaying has been one of Kansas City's most baffling mysteries. An abundance of clues led investigators through a maze of conflicting channels.

It was shortly after 9 o'clock the morning of last March 9 that Mrs. Marie F. Welsh ran screaming from her home in a quiet Southside residential district to the home of a neighbor. There she told of finding her daughter slain in her bed.

Police found that the girl's throat had been slashed from ear to ear. Her skull had been smashed by three terrific blows. Her pajamas were cut and torn. From her right hip a piece of flesh had been cut.

Chief Found Near Bed. On the floor near the bed was a track chisel, a kind of hammer used by railroad men. From the throat wound police took a man's white shirt, later identified as one a neighbor had discarded near his garage.

In an open window of the girl's bedroom, half a pair of draperies lay on the sill, hanging partly outside. L. B. Reed, then chief of police, said the curtain had been deliberately placed there as a sort of "flag of victory" by the slayer.

The mother told police that when she went to awaken her daughter for Sunday school she found a chair tilted against the inside of the bedroom door.

Butcher clues—cigarette butts, a bumpy knife stuck nearby to the hilt in the earth outside of the bedroom window, footprints of what police believed to be a small man, bits of paper and string—were found. They were checked and rechecked.

West Point's Trainer Released to Aid Navy (By the Associated Press.) WEST POINT, N. Y., Jan. 28.—The Army Athletic Association announced today that Roland Logan had been released from his contract as West Point team trainer, effective immediately, to serve in the naval aviation physical training program.

A graduate of Kansas University in 1930, Logan was on the training staffs of Kansas, George Washington and Pittsburgh Universities and the Boston Red Sox baseball club before coming to West Point in 1939.

U-Boat Sighted In Gulf; Hunted By Planes, Ships

Naval Commandant Believes Second Sub Is Off Texas Shore

(By the Associated Press.) Axis submarines, ranging the eastern American coast from the gulf of Mexico to northern Canadian waters, have sunk at least 14 American and Allied ships since the undersea raiders appeared off Nova Scotia January 12.

Latest announced blow was the torpedoing of a large Allied passenger liner carrying 321 passengers and crew from Bermuda to an Eastern port. Only 71 have been saved, five bodies recovered and 245 persons are missing from the liner. The position of the attack was not given.

Among the survivors were 17 Americans, 12 of them from St. Joseph, Mo.

As this blow was announced, the Navy at Corpus Christi, Tex., said that a submarine "doubtlessly German" had been sighted 15 miles from nearby Port Aransas and that probably another U-boat was in the vicinity. Planes and ships from the station are now seeking the craft, said Capt. Alva Bernhard, commandant of the naval air station at Corpus Christi.

The torpedoing of the liner was reported by Capt. Helgesen of the rescue ship, the New York-to-Puerto Rico steamer Coamo, on his arrival in San Juan. He said he picked up the submarine on Friday night, five days after the liner had been struck twice by torpedoes and sunk.

Two Attacked Yesterday. These announcements followed last night's report of a U-boat's sinking the 7,096-ton American Tanker Francis E. Powell off Lewis, Del., with an indicated loss of three lives.

The fate of another American tanker, the Pan-Main 7,227 tons, remained in doubt following a radio report yesterday afternoon that she was being attacked. The Pan-Main carried 38 men.

Thirty-three survivors from a Greek freighter and a Norwegian tanker arrived at Eastern Canadian port last night and reported that 51 men were missing or dead in successful attacks on their vessels.

Five Dead in Lifeboat. Capt. Helgesen said all the survivors were taken from a single lifeboat intended to accommodate 63 persons. In all 76 had crowded into the boat, but five died during their five days drift.

The steamer was said to have been attacked without warning, the first torpedo striking No. 2 hatch on the port side just forward of the bridge. The second wrecked the engine room, putting out all lights.

The steamer was said to have gone down so quickly there was no time to send out the lifeboats.

The fate of any other survivors was not known. Those Capt. Helgesen rescued said their lifeboat drifted apart from the others.

Sub Sent Up Smoke Bomb. The sub sighted in the Gulf of Mexico, probably sneaked in during the night with the intention of attacking oil tankers, Capt. Bernhard said.

The submarine was sighted by a naval plane on patrol.

"It is possible that the second submarine is also in the vicinity since it is known that they have been operating in pairs elsewhere, and shortly after the submarine was sighted a smoke bomb appeared out of the water four miles south of it," Capt. Bernhard said.

Smoke bombs, released by submarines, are in the air similar to a rocket before exploding on the water. They frequently are used by submarines as a distress signal.

The captain was unable to account for the smoke bomb other than through the possibility of its indicating a second craft.

Patrol planes from the station, he disclosed, are patrolling an area extending 250 miles north of the border east of Corpus Christi.

Plane Told to Maintain Contact. Capt. Bernhard said after the plane reported the submarine he directed it to "maintain contact" with the undersea vessel. The Navy plane reported the submarine was "evidently frightened the submarine because it submerged," Capt. Bernhard said.

Crew members of the tanker Powell, brought ashore at Norfolk (See SUBS, Page 2-X.)

Yankee Flyers Hit 21 of 37 Jap Raiders

(Earlier Story on Page A-4.) RANGOON, Jan. 28.—Yankee volunteer flyers achieved another air-fighting miracle east of Rangoon today when in a daylight dogfight they destroyed six Japanese fighter planes by unofficial count, probably destroyed six more and damaged nine others of a disrupted formation of 37.

The American fighters returned to their base without suffering any casualties.

Unofficial reports said that a formation of R. A. F. bombers inflicted heavy damage in a raid last night on Bangkok, capital of Japanese-occupied Thailand.

25,000 to 30,000 Japs Reported Drowned In Macassar Battle

(Earlier Stories on Page A-1 and A-2.) (By the Associated Press.) NEW YORK, Jan. 28.—The British radio, heard today by C. B. S., reported that "25,000 to 30,000 Japanese are said to have been drowned already" in the United Nations air and sea attacks on Japanese troop transports and warships in the Strait of Macassar.

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## U. S. Planes Sink Jap Transport And Hit Cruiser In Continuing Battle in Straits of Macassar

### Foe Landing More Troops in Subic Bay District

Eight American Army bombers sank a large Japanese transport in the river at Balikpapan, an oil port in East Borneo, and scored a direct hit on a cruiser outside the harbor, a War Department communique reported today in a further disclosure of the running naval and air action in the Macassar Straits.

One of the eight heavy American bombers was lost in the attack, the communique added.

Whether this action was separate from a similar one recounted by the United Nations high command at Batavia, in the Netherlands East Indies, was not definitely known.

War Department officials said that because of time differentials, and variance in wording of the reports, they could not be sure. One authority who based his position on timing of previous announcements gathered here antedated the one told of at Batavia, but he would not say so officially.

The Batavia report was that an undisclosed number of four-motored American bombers had sunk a Japanese transport, set a second one afire, shot down two Japanese fighter planes which sought to interfere, straddled an enemy cruiser with bombs, and returned to base without the loss of a single bomber.

In a previous attack in the Netherlands Indies, American Army planes sank one Japanese transport and set another afire during the engagement in the Macassar Straits on January 26.

### Land in Subic Bay Area.

Meanwhile the Japanese were reported landing small detachments of reinforcements in the Subic Bay area in the Philippines. Fighting in the Batan Peninsula, where Gen. Douglas MacArthur's war-weary forces have been holding off a huge Japanese Army for weeks, was comparatively at a standstill yesterday.

The Japanese limited their air activity to reconnaissance flights along the Batan line.

The communique reported no other activities in other areas.

War Department communique No. 80, outlining military situation as of 9:30 a. m. today, follows:

"1. Philippine theater:

"There was practically no ground activity on the Batan Peninsula yesterday. The enemy's bomber force consisted of a few numbers in the Subic Bay area.

"Enemy air activity was limited to reconnaissance flights.

"2. Netherlands Indies:

"Further reports of the action in the Macassar Straits disclosed that eight heavy American Army bombers sank a large Japanese transport in the river at Balikpapan and scored a direct hit on a cruiser outside of the harbor. During this attack, one of our bombers was lost. In a previous attack by our planes in this action, one enemy transport was sunk and another set afire, as reported on January 26.

"3. There is nothing to report from other areas.

### Toll Boosted to 36.

Pounding home Japan's greatest naval disaster of the war, United States flyers thus boosted to at least 36 the toll of Japanese ships.

### Biddle Lauds War Work Of Atlanta Prisoners

By the Associated Press.  
ATLANTA, Jan. 28.—Attorney General Biddle lauded prisoners in the Atlanta Federal Penitentiary today as they are making a vital contribution to the "unity of purpose that makes America invincible."

The cabinet member presented awards of merit to a group of prisoners who have labored night and day in a voluntary speed-up production-for-defense program.

"You have not been driven to your tasks," Mr. Biddle told the serious workmen. "You have been moved by the sincere belief that the defense of your country demands the unstinted effort of every one of its sons."

Newspaper and newsreel cameras clicked as the Attorney General presented the special awards in the prison auditorium.

Last April approximately 1,000 prisoners who run the wheels of industry in the plant asked that their work week be advanced from 40 to 62 hours.

### Blind 14 Years, Mother May See Her Triplets, 11

By the Associated Press.  
SEATTLE, Jan. 28.—Sightless 14 years, Mrs. Margaret Beedle never has seen her 11-year-old triplets. The Newport, Wash., woman consulted Dr. P. H. Dorman, Seattle eye specialist.

He began looking for a healthy cornea.

Recently he was consulted by another woman, Mrs. John Hewitson of Bellingham. She had a malignant tumor on a part of one eye.

There was a double operation. Mrs. Hewitson's eye was removed. The healthy cornea was transplanted.

Dr. Dorman said it will not be known for more than a week whether the operation was successful. Mrs. Beedle is the mother of 13 children.



Arrow points to Macassar Straits, where American flying fortresses today again reported successes against Japanese warships and aircraft.

### Hurley Named First American Minister To New Zealand

### Former War Secretary Believed Now at Post; Generalship Pending

By JOHN C. HENRY.  
President Roosevelt today nominated Patrick J. Hurley, Secretary of War under President Hoover, to be this Government's first Minister to New Zealand.

The appointment came as the United States was believed speeding all kinds of military assistance to the Southwest Pacific, where lie the British dominions of Australia and New Zealand, two of the most valued outposts of the United Nations.

Col. Hurley, who was recently nominated to be brigadier general, is believed already to have arrived at his new post, or at least to be well on his way. The White House had announced more than a week ago that the former cabinet officer was undertaking a special mission for this Government.

New Zealand's recently named Walter Nash as its first Minister to the United States.

The White House announced simultaneously today that Harry A. McBride, a veteran State Department officer who has recently been administrator of the National Gallery of Art, also is about to undertake a special mission abroad for President Roosevelt.

Mr. McBride was to see the Chief Executive at the White House early this afternoon.

In another matter dealing with the diplomatic service, the President was scheduled to confer today with Assistant Secretary of State Breckinridge Long. Mr. Long has been directing efforts at this end for exchange of diplomatic missions with nations with which we are now at war. The White House said particular efforts were being made to obtain the release of Joseph C. Grew, Ambassador to Japan.

Anglo-U. S. Session Called.  
Ranking American and British war officers were called to the White House this afternoon for a conference believed to be preliminary to new joint operations of the two governments.

Summoned to meet with President Roosevelt were Secretary of War Stimson, Gen. George C. Marshall, Army chief of staff, Gen. Henry H. Arnold, deputy chief of staff for air; Admiral Harold R. Stark, chief of naval operations, and Admiral Ernest J. King, commander in chief of the United States Fleet.

British officers also called in were Gen. Sir John Dill, Gen. Colville Wemyss, Air Marshal A. T. Harris and Admiral Sir Charles Little.

Col. Hurley takes to his New Zealand post a varied knowledge of military matters and administrative government.

Was Attorney for Choctaws.  
Born in Indian Territory, now Oklahoma, in 1883, he obtained his law degree at the Oklahoma National University in this city. He was admitted to the Oklahoma bar in 1908, and from 1912 to 1917 served as national attorney for the Choctaw Nation.

After serving in the volunteer militia of the Indian Territory and as a captain in the Oklahoma National Guard, he was made a major in the American Expeditionary Force in France. He had the rank of lieutenant colonel at the close of the First World War and in the intervening years has been a colonel in the Reserves.

Col. Hurley entered national politics in the 1920's and served as an Oklahoma delegate to the Republican National Convention in 1924.

## New Assaults Hit Faltering British Lines in Malaya

### Two Crack Japanese Divisions Pace Fresh Smashes

By the Associated Press.  
SINGAPORE, Jan. 28.—Paced by two crack divisions, the Japanese invaders of Malaya hurried fresh assaults today at a wavering British defense line which in some places was less than 50 miles from Singapore.

The heaviest fighting was under way on the west coast of the narrow peninsula, where the Japanese imperial guards sought to crack new positions established by British, Australian and Indian troops near Senggarang, 48 miles from this great naval base, after a 12-mile retreat from Batu Pahat.

Middle of Line Hammered, Too.  
The Japanese 5th Division, composed of veteran shock troops, hammered meanwhile at the middle of the line between Ayer Hitam and Kluang, railway center about 60 miles north of here.

(British forces in Central Malaya have made another slight withdrawal and very heavy fighting is now going on south of Kluang, a London military commentator said today. He said the Japanese forces thrusting southward in the central area had made the closest approach of any of the invasion troops to Singapore. The exact distance was not given, however.)

Action on the east coast was reported less intense, but here, too, a major battle appeared to be in the making as the Japanese moved up reinforcements landed yesterday at Sunda from transports which lost a heavy battering from the R. A. F.

The British lines in that sector were anchored at Jemaluang, about 55 miles above Singapore and 10 miles south of the Mersing River, where the Japanese were held up for a week by concentrated artillery fire.

To Straighten Lines.  
The withdrawal along the east coast, a British military spokesman said, was ordered to straighten out the lines after they had been bent back in the central and western sectors.

Advanced Japanese patrols which crossed the Mersing River following their withdrawal were encountered by British patrols yesterday on the coastal road above Jemaluang. Aerial activity was reported heavy along the entire front, with Japanese dive-bombers attempting to blast a path for advancing infantry and mechanized forces, while the R. A. F. struck back at the invaders' lines of communication.

27 Bombers Raid Singapore.  
Twenty-seven Japanese bombers, flying in a tight "V" formation, bombed a suburban area of Singapore today, then veered and disappeared in the clouds.

It was the Japanese 5th Division, headquarters at Aurang, that the invaders in Thailand just above the Malay border at the outset of the war.

The Imperial Guards first saw action in Malaya in the Muar River sector on the west coast, where they cut off portions of Australian and Indian battalions holding the British left flank and forced the Singapore defenders to fall back from their positions in Central Johore.

Dutch Are Confident  
Singapore Can Be Held  
BATAVIA, Jan. 28.—Aneta reported today that Netherlands Indies officers who had returned from Malaya, where they served as official observers, said Allied troops now were fighting the Japanese along a defense line which could be held more easily against infiltration.

They expressed confidence that the Japanese could be halted short of Singapore.

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## Justice Miller Quits Church Post As Result of Domicile Ruling

### High Court Reversal Of His Tax Decision Cited by Jurist

The Supreme Court decision overruling the Court of Appeals on the domiciliary status of Federal employees resident here has caused Justice Justin Miller of the appellate tribunal to resign as a vestryman of All Souls' Memorial Episcopal Church and terminate his membership there to strengthen his claim for retention of domicile in Los Angeles.

In bowing to higher authority, Justice Miller, who wrote the decision in the De Hart and Murphy District income tax cases which the Supreme Court reversed, said that his resignation from the vestry, of which he had been a member for several years, eliminated the community connection that he had here, and that while the step was taken regretfully, no other course appeared open in the light of the high court opinion.

He and Mrs. Miller are transferring their membership back to St. James' Church, Los Angeles.

Associate Justice Roberts of the Supreme Court, who did not take part in the two income tax cases—his senior warden at St. John's Church, and former Chief Justice Alfred A. Wood, who recently retired from District Court, is senior warden at St. Thomas'. No other members of

## Ballou Charges U. S. Plans to Take New Kramer School

### Superintendent Says He Wasn't Consulted On Proposal

Supt. of Schools Frank W. Ballou today told a House subcommittee that plans were made without his knowledge to complete the new Kramer Junior High School in Anacostia and convert it into a Federal office building.

His statement before the Education Subcommittee of the House Districts Committee charged that O. P. M. discriminated against Washington in its program allowing materials for schools in defense areas, and said that failure to obtain priorities had held up 27 school projects.

Unless some of these projects are resumed, he said, he will be forced to ask emergency appropriations totaling hundreds of thousands of dollars for temporary accommodations for Washington's swelling number of war-workers' children.

First Disclosure.  
This was the first disclosure that the Federal Government planned to convert the Kramer Junior High School into a Federal office building.

At the District Building, Commissioner Young said he did not want to comment on the matter at the moment, but declared the step had the approval of the Commissioners. The plan involves priority of materials for completion of the buildings to be used by the Federal Government.

The new junior high school is being built at Seventeenth and Q streets S.E. to relieve the overcrowded Anacostia Junior-Senior High School, which has been operating on double shifts for many months. The Anacostia-Benning area has a population of 100,000, the city most affected by the influx of new Federal workers.

Dr. Ballou declared there is an actual need for 12 of the schools, particularly in Anacostia and other sections of Southeast Washington.

"I want to know what is essential to get a priority rating for a school building," Dr. Ballou demanded.

Urges Stripping of Plans.  
Frank W. Maxton, chief of the project section, Government requirement branch, of the War Production Administration, promised "stripping" of plans to eliminate critical materials was one of the chief factors.

"We don't want to be brutal in our decisions," he declared. "We try to be fair. We don't defer anything. We just defer it."

After a prolonged discussion of the school problems, Mr. Maxton, at the request of Chairman Randolph of the District Committee and Representative Macdonald, Democrat, of Connecticut, head of the Education Subcommittee, promised to review the priority schedule which stopped work on Washington schools.

H. F. Alves of the Federal Office of Education told the subcommittee that certificates of necessity had been approved by that office for 11 schools. He added that completion of a six-classroom addition to the Woodrow Wilson Senior High School.

Six of the schools, Mr. Alves disclosed, were under construction.

Gas Concentration in Sewer  
Imperils Downtown Akron

By the Associated Press.  
AKRON, Ohio, Jan. 28.—A concentration of gas in an interceptor sewer led to a gas explosion, which caused police to close down 40 business places in downtown Akron that they could operate only at their own risk.

The hazardous area contains a large department store and several restaurants.

A motion picture theater, warned of the danger yesterday, funded admittances to 1,000 patrons and closed temporarily. Two stores posted signs cautioning customers.

The condition was discovered by State inspectors investigating an explosion which killed three persons and injured 25 on December 28, 1941, in a restaurant in another area.

Mayor George J. Harter requested help of the Federal Bureau of Mines and said that "if it appears necessary, we will order the evacuation of all the buildings in that area."

Dutch Foreign Minister  
En Route to Washington

By the Associated Press.  
LONDON, Jan. 28.—The Netherlands government—in exile—announced today that its foreign minister, Eelco van Kleffens, was en route to Washington for a month of conferences on Pacific war problems.

While the announcement said Van Kleffens' visit would last a month, informed sources said he would be prepared to stay longer and probably would be the Netherlands' representative on any war council which may be set up by the United Nations.

## Explosion Kills 34 Trapped in Coal Mine; Four Escape Alive

### Deadly Gas Impedes Work Of Rescue Crews in Colorado Disaster

By the Associated Press.  
MOUNT HARRIS, Colo., Jan. 28.—Thirty-four miners perished in an explosion in the Victor American Fuel Co. coal mine late last night. Only four men escaped alive.

Black damp, deadly carbon dioxide gas, filled the shaft after the blast and impeded the work of rescue crews, unable to reach the victims for nearly six hours.

Bill Fickle, one of the men rescued, said the four heard a "dull thud" from way back in the hole. In a second he smelled smoke and ran for the air shaft.

Thirty volunteer workers set up an improvised morgue at Liberty Hall, the old opera house at Mount Harris, to receive the bodies after they are brought to the snow-covered surface.

Nearly every family in this small mining community 200 miles north-west of Denver had relatives employed in the mine.

Trapped 5,500 Feet Down.  
Mine Supt. Henry Johnson said the 34 men were trapped about 5,500 feet inside the tunnel of the mine, which slopes at an angle of about 10 degrees into Mount Harris.

The four who escaped were working nearer the entrance. They heard the blast and fled.

Rescue crews fought the suffocating gas with high blowers, forcing air into the mine and sucking the fumes out.

Families Rush to Pit.  
The miners' families rushed to the pit from their homes in the surrounding towns of Craig, Hayden and Steamboat Springs, but were advised to return to their homes.

Ambulances and hearses were called from all surrounding towns, and State Mine Inspector Thomas Allen left for the scene from Denver immediately.

The four who were rescued alive were Joe Gall, Bill Fickle, Elmer Everson and Mike Antosoff.

Australia Records Quake

By the Associated Press.  
SYDNEY, Australia, Jan. 28.—Strong earth shocks, believed centering in the Arafura Sea between New Guinea and Australia were recorded here at 12:36 p. m. today. The force of the shocks dismounted two of eight seismographs at River-view Observatory.

## 6 Indicted Here As Propaganda Agents of Japan

### Americans, Nipponese Accused of Spending \$175,000 in Plot

Three Americans and three Japanese, who allegedly conducted a propaganda agency in this country for Japan previous to the war, were indicted by the District grand jury today on a charge of conspiracy to violate the Foreign Agents Registration Act.

The Americans named in the indictment are: Ralph Townsend, associated with Scribner's Commentaries, a publication which has figured in the inquiry into Nazi propaganda; David Warren Ryder, publisher and publicity man in San Francisco, and Frederick Vincent Williams, former newspaperman and publicity agent in San Francisco.

The Japanese named are: Tsutomu Ohana, secretary of the Japanese Chamber of Commerce in San Francisco; K. Takahashi, former manager of the Y. K. steamship line in San Francisco, who is now in Japan, and S. Takeuchi, former manager of the Mitsubishi Co., Japanese importers.

\$175,000 Fund Charged.  
The indictment charges that the men were associated with the distribution of propaganda in this country on behalf of Japan and that their activities were financed by the Japanese government. It was charged that the propaganda organization had used more than \$175,000 in its effort—a major part of which was furnished directly by the Consulate General of Japan in San Francisco.

For this reason, two former Japanese Consuls General—Kanzo Shiosaki and Toshio Sato—were named in the indictment as co-conspirators, but were not indicted. Both have returned to Japan.

The central propaganda agency, according to the indictment, was the Japanese Committee on Trade and Information, "Jikyoku Tinkai," which had headquarters in San Francisco and was subsidized directly and indirectly by the Japanese government.

This committee, it was charged, was organized by Takahashi, Takeuchi, Shiosaki and other Japanese nationals residing in this country.

Propaganda Plan Outlined.  
The grand jurors said that Mr. Williams employed by the committee as a public relations counsel. In that capacity, he delivered lectures, wrote articles, arranged radio programs and otherwise spread propaganda favorable to the Japanese.

Numerous pamphlets were written and edited in the names of Mr. Townsend and Mr. Ryder. It was charged, containing propaganda favorable to the Japanese. These were distributed in this country through the Y. K. liner, which concealed the foreign political and financial interests responsible," it was charged.

Among these were "America Has No Enemies in Asia," "The High Cost of Hate," "There Is No Half-Way Neutrality," and a monthly pamphlet, "Far Eastern Affairs."

The indictments declare that the Consulate General of Japan in San Francisco supplied a major part of the \$175,000 spent in the effort and that the balance came from Japanese corporations and individuals. The whole activity, it was charged, was under direction of the Japanese government.

16 Counts in Indictment.  
There are 16 counts in the indictment, which was returned as a result of a month's investigation on the West Coast by Special Assistants to the Attorney General Arthur B. Calwell and Albert E. Arant.

All six of the Americans and Japanese were named as conspirators. In addition, the three Americans were charged with violation of the Foreign Agents Registration Act—because they had not made known to the State Department that they were distributing Japanese propaganda.

It was charged that Mr. Ryder and Mr. Townsend had failed to register with the State Department as agents of the Japanese Committee on Trade and Information.

Mr. Williams, it was charged, registered with the State Department as a correspondent of the Japan Times and Mail—but failed to disclose that his real job was the spreading of Japanese propaganda or that he obtained his salary—\$350 (See INDICTMENTS, Page A-6).

Aussies Cripple 4 of 11  
Jap Ships at Rabaul

By the Associated Press.  
MELBOURNE, Jan. 28.—Four of 11 Japanese transport ships in the harbor at Japanese-seized Rabaul on New Britain Island have been rendered useless by two Australian air attacks, Army Minister Francis Forde announced today.

He said several of the other ships had been damaged.

Three transports were said to have been put out of action in the R. A. F. attack Monday and one was seen wrecked by a previous bombing.

There was no word from Australian militia reported holding out against the Japanese in the hills which jut up south of the port.

Brest, Boulogne Docks  
Again Bombed by R. A. F.

By the Associated Press.  
LONDON, Jan. 28.—British air raiders blasted the oft-bombed docks at Brest and Boulogne on the German-occupied French coast again last night, the Air Ministry announced today.

The raids were carried out without the loss of a single aircraft, said a terse communique.

Press Right to Radio Ownership Defended By Illinois U. Dean

F. C. C. Told That Papers 'Have Same Privileges As Other Citizens'

By the Associated Press. Dr. Frederick S. Siebert, director of the University of Illinois School of Journalism, told the Federal Communications Commission today that newspapers "should have the same privileges as other citizens" in the ownership of radio stations.

Testifying in the commission's investigation of newspaper-radio relationship, Dr. Siebert said newspapers "deserve to be considered" because of their long training in the coverage of news and opinion.

He added that he did not feel ownership of a radio station by one newspaper would give it "an undue advantage over competitor not operating a station."

Tracing history over several hundred years, Dr. Siebert said newspapers of the United States and Great Britain were the most independent and most respected because advertising had been developed to a greater extent in those countries.

While favoring many newspapers as possible, the witness said he would rather have one paper that was financially independent than "six scrabbling to get along and subject to outside influence."



GEORGE W. WELSH II.



LEILA ADELE WELSH.

KANSAS CITY.—SLAIN GIRL'S BROTHER ACCUSED.—George W. Welsh, 28, was indicted today on a charge of slaying and mutilating his 24-year-old sister, Leila Adele, last March. Soon after the slaying he had told police that he was asleep on a divan in the living room near his sister's bedroom the night of the murder.

Randolph to Resume Quiz On Transportation Problem.—Chairman Randolph late today called another special meeting of the House District Committee Friday at 10:30 a. m. to resume consideration of Washington's wartime transportation problem.

Churchill Downs Gives \$50,000 to Red Cross.—The directors voted the gift following a recommendation by Col. Matt J. Winn, president of Churchill Downs-Latonia, Inc.

America to Recruit Army Of 7 Million, Winant Says.—LONDON, Jan. 28.—United States Ambassador John G. Winant today called a national defense luncheon today that the United States plans to recruit an army of 7,000,000 men.

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D. C. Officer Commands Rodman, New Destroyer.—A Washington man is in command of the Navy's newest destroyer, the U. S. S. Rodman, commissioned yesterday at the Brooklyn Navy Yard. He is Lt. Comdr. William G. Micolet, son of Simon Micolet, attorney, 1636 Argonne place N. W.

New York Bank Stocks.—NEW YORK, Jan. 28.—National Association of Securities Dealers, Inc. (Closes quotations.)

24 Nurses Accompanied A. E. F. To Ireland, Army Discloses.—The names of the nurses and their home addresses follow by States: Ohio: Mary Armstrong, Beverly; Katherine Wellman, Defiance; Vera Eberly, Toledo; Janet Harrington, Lyndhurst; Agnes R. Cassery, Columbus; Dorothy Dibble, Youngstown; Maureen Martin, Bellefontaine; Florence McBride, Youngstown; Frances Crane, Ashland; Antonette D'Orto, Canton; Juanita Brown, Bucyrus; Freda Tehell, Lowellville.

Fishbein Asks Experts On Nutrition to Use War to Correct Diets

A. M. A. Editor Calls for Single Document Outlining Minimum Food Needs

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS. CHICAGO, Jan. 28.—Dr. Morris Fishbein said today now, if ever, "is the time for leaders in scientific nutrition to establish for the American public eating habits which may be of immense benefit to the Nation's health."

The editor of the Journal of the American Medical Association, in an address to the National Food Distributors Association, recalled the World War "Eat More Meat" and "Eat More Wheat" campaigns, and said: "People at war may be led into national habits in a manner which can never be duplicated in times of peace."

Shortages in Certain Vitamins.—Dr. Fishbein said his one important recommendation was that representatives of the many agencies concerned with the supply of food and nutrition draft a single, complete document representing the minimum essentials of information regarding foods and nutrition.

He said that if there were any deficiencies clearly apparent in the American diet they were in shortages primarily of certain vitamins and minerals, but "the answer to these problems is not, however, the eating of great quantities of vitamin pills. We must learn to eat foods and not vitamins."

Most average person knows little about calories except that too many of them make one fat. The average person probably knows still less about the significance of the figures given for protein, calcium or the vitamins.

Citizens Need Knowledge.—Improvement of the national nutrition on a large scale requires, he said, a fairly good general knowledge by the citizen of how much of each of the essential ingredients he requires each day.

It is already clear that a daily diet containing a quart of milk, a reasonably good serving of one or two leafy green vegetables, some enriched bread, some butter, one egg, one fresh fruit and a reasonably good serving of meat or fish would give most of the essentials.

It would then be necessary merely to vary the diet by a proper choice of foods and by cooking these foods so as to make them appetizing. Seventeen more men of the Powell were brought to Lewes, after spending seven hours in a lifeboat before being picked up by a ship that saw their flares. The tanker carried 32 men.

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after rescue by the Coast Guard, said the enemy submarine that sank their ship trailed their lifeboat for hours and then attempted to follow their rescue ship. The Coast Guard vessel, however, easily outmaneuvered the submarine.

Unable to See Sub Well.—Because of the darkness off the Delaware coast, he was unable to see whether the sub was a big one or a motor-range raider, possibly operating from a mother ship.

"We rowed west about four hours. We rested then about 12 hours and then the Coast Guard picked us up. The sub had been trailing us and when the rescue vessel picked us up," the radio operator said, the sub trailed the Coast Guard boat for about 15 minutes before the submersible was left behind.

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Just Made Boat.—Fireman J. A. Ortiz, 22, at sea only nine months, considered himself one of the luckiest sailors now looking for a new berth. He was asleep when the explosive struck, and "just made the boat," he said.

One seaman, identified only as Alexson by his comrades, disappeared after getting into the lifeboat.

Attack Ship Loosed Subs, Attack Survivors Held.—AN EASTERN CANADIAN PORT, Jan. 28 (AP)—Belief that a German submarine mother ship had released a pack of U-boats off the North American east coast was expressed today by survivors of a Norwegian tanker and a Greek freighter, sunk in the Western Atlantic with a possible loss of 51 lives.

The chief officer of the freighter said the undersea boat which attacked his ship was not a long-range submarine. "It must be operating," he said, "from a mother ship in the Western Atlantic."

Two hours after the attack the submarine came to the surface and approached the lifeboat.

Low Father and Son Are Sergeants in North Ireland A. E. F.

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS. WITH THE A. E. F. IN NORTHERN IRELAND, Jan. 28.—Papa David Meskimen and son Frank—both sergeants in the same outfit—are among the United States troops here.

"I just came over to keep an eye on the boys," said the father, casting a paternal glance at 27-year-old Frank. The Meskimens come from Waterloo, Iowa.

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"And where do you suppose Japan could get if Britain, Russia and the United States were not occupied with Hitler in the west and were free to join the gallant, long-suffering Chinese and hurl their collective weight on Japan?"

Embarrassed by Hitler's successes and disappointed in China, the ambitious Japanese struck us in the Pacific. The Axis chose the time and the Pacific as the place for our entry in the war. It is there that our feet has been attacked; there that American territory has been invaded; there that Americans are fighting epic battles against enormous odds.

"Why? Because Hitler wants us to throw all our growing strength into the Pacific, to stop supplying the British and the Russians. He has suffered losses this winter. He has to gather his strength for another great offensive. He knows what our arsenal can deliver, so he wants to divert our attention to the more spectacular war in the Pacific. Won't Fall Into Trap.

"But this is what I propose not to do; we will not fall into Hitler's trap. "We know, as I say, that this is all one war. Attacked in the Pacific and the Atlantic we have to fight and win in the Pacific and the Atlantic and the Pacific and the Atlantic to either front. These criminals are too good with daggers. We must not confuse history with strategy.

"The main enemy historically may not be the first enemy strategically. We cannot concentrate on defeating one enemy at a time when they're coming two at a time.

"But if some people thought I was in favor of forgetting the Pacific; if some people misunderstood my reminder that the German monster was still at large and unsubdued, the Navy didn't.

Racing News Entries and Selections for Tomorrow

Rosson's Comment Selections for a Fast Track at Hialeah Park

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Connally Believes Navy Is Busy Sinking U-Boats

Chairman Connally of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee told a press conference today that he had no doubts that the American Navy had "sunk or destroyed a number of submarines" which had attacked shipping off the Atlantic coast.

"I feel sure that our naval vessels are watching the submarine operations off the coast and are taking the best possible measures to protect our commerce," he said.

Senator Connally said the attacks apparently had been launched by the Axis powers in an attempt to weaken the morale of the American people. He added "there is nothing about the situation to generate alarm."

100 Million Defense Fund Is Approved by Roosevelt

President Roosevelt approved today an act authorizing a \$100,000,000 civilian defense fund with which Fiorello H. La Guardia, C. C. D. director, may provide facilities, services and supplies for protection from bombing attacks, sabotage or other war hazards.

The act makes it unlawful to wear insignia, arm bands or other badges of air wardens, special police or other aides of civilian defense unless authorized, with a penalty of \$100 or 30 days in jail.

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Louise Suggs Wins Way To Tourney Semifinals

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Miss Dill, who yesterday eliminated Medalist Mary Jane Garman of Hammond, Ind., had no chance today against the Georgia star.

Two other favorites, Georgia Tainter of Fargo, N. Dak., and Dorothy Kirby of Atlanta, also won handily. Miss Tainter ousted Mrs. Charles Harting of Coral Gables, 4 and 3, and Miss Kirby advanced, 5 and 4, over Sally Sessions of Muskogee, Mich.

Mrs. George Wilcox, Jr., of Miami, went into the semi-finals by defeating Mrs. E. G. Livensy of Miami, 5 and 4.

Eicher Slated to Go On Bench February 16

Former Chairman Edward C. Eicher of the Securities and Exchange Commission, confirmed by the Senate as the new chief justice of District Court, will take his seat on the bench February 16 under tentative arrangements learned today.

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### Improvement Found In Relations of U. S. and Chile

#### American Ex-Professor Notes Prevalence of Interchange Students

Mr. Rogers is one of a number of American newspapermen now visiting Chile as guests of Chilean newspapers. This visit returns the visit of Chilean newspapermen last year who were guests of American newspapers, including The Star. The interchange of journalists was arranged by United States Ambassador to Chile Claude Bowers.

By HAROLD B. ROGERS, Star Staff Correspondent.  
SANTIAGO, Chile (By Mail).—Marked improvement in the relationship between Chile and the United States over the last half century is seen by Dr. Isaac Joel Cox of Chicago, Ill., who is in Santiago to give a series of lectures in the summer session of the University of Chile on "Development of Democracy in the United States."

Prof. Cox, who recently retired as professor of Latin American history at Northwestern University, has a rich background of both knowledge and experience in Latin American affairs. He has been studying the countries in Central and South America since he was a young teacher in the San Antonio Academy at San Antonio, Tex. He has made four trips to South America, each time visiting Chile. He made his first trip south of the American border in 1898, and also has traveled extensively in Spain.

More Students from U. S.  
"One of the main things that mark this particular trip," he said, "is the growing number of students from the United States. They seem to be everywhere, and from my experience for the last two years, the same thing is true of South American students in North America."

This interchange is in itself one of the best lines of understanding, but at the same time in both regions more care should be exercised in the selection of students who are to visit the respective countries.

"In the first place, they should be students who have had a sincere purpose, not merely a desire to travel or to have some adventure. They should have some knowledge of the language, enough at least to bridge over the early days of introduction, and in a short time to acquire reasonable facility in exchanging ideas."

"Students should likewise not lose their good judgment on finding that people of other lands do things in different ways. Doubtless they have as good a reason for their methods as do the people back home. And one should give them the benefit of good judgment in such matters."

Should Learn Background.  
"Another point is that students should, if possible, have some familiarity with the historical background of the country visited and of its economic and social development. They should be prepared to give credit for the really wonderful history that these countries present—a history that surpasses that of the United States in length. These countries, it is true, borrowed much from our political, social and economic experience, but their borrowings have been adapted to their own needs and to the psychology of their people. We also have something to learn from them."

"In visiting these countries, one should learn to discriminate between life as shown in the larger cities, and the country life. Naturally in the latter, there has been less change than in the former, and the conditions more definitely show the path of development than does city life. During the last 20 years in the advance in the larger cities in respect to public buildings, municipal improvements, methods of communication, and social customs in general, has brought about considerable unity in external features; so that as between the capital of one country and another one detects fewer differences than would have been the case 20 years ago. This change has tended to bring about an external unity that after all is only a surface manifestation. During the same period there has been an intensification of national life in each of the Latin American countries that must be taken into consideration. One must grant a great deal to this national feeling which respects to appreciate the people he is visiting, their intimate problems and the general trend in their development."

Advance in Education.  
"In Chile I find there has been what I would call a really wonderful advance in education during the last 20 years, despite the lack of means since the depression began. There has also been an important advance in means of communication throughout the nation. The Transandino has been put out of commission by a landslide. Nevertheless I find more Argentine visitors in Chile, and doubtless one would find more Chileans in Argentina than was the case earlier. One can now cross the Andes by autobus as well as by train, and the highway from north to south, and the highways are being steadily improved."

"The scenery of the country is very much more available than before. Of course, I personally have enjoyed the week's visit in the lake region in the summertime, because all my other three visits here have been in the Chilean winter. It was the delightful experience to wish our Chilean friends 'happy new year' at Puerto Varas."  
"Half a century ago during my boyhood days, an unfortunate incident turned the attention of the American people toward Chile. As a schoolboy I took part in a debate on the attitude of our country then assumed, and without forgetting my own devotion to my own country, then expressed some criticism of the attitude of the United States Government. Fortunately during the succeeding half century, those incidents have become fewer in number, while events that call for good neighborliness have correspondingly increased. It is gratifying in the midst of a Chilean summer to look back on 50 years that have marked this growing sense of appreciation."

British Coal Strike Settled  
LONDON, Jan. 28 (AP).—The 19-day strike in the Kent collieries was settled today by a negotiated agreement.



U. S. ARMY COMMANDERS IN BRITISH ISLES—Maj. Gen. James Chaney (left), newly named to command all American forces in the British Isles, greets Maj. Gen. Russell P. Hartle on his arrival at a North Ireland port with a contingent of American troops.

—A. P. Wirephoto by Cable From London Today.

### British Air Marshal Calls Single Aviation Force Vital to Successful Conduct of War

By VISCOUNT TRENCHARD, Air Marshal, 1945, by the Daily Telegraph, London.

LONDON, Jan. 28.—Far be it from me to add to the controversy that seems always to rage when any matters of how to use air power are debated. I cannot help remembering that a great general remarked to me in the last war about these controversies:

"Why do you deplete the fight over air between the services? As long as there is air there will always be an air crisis due to the extraordinary speed and range of aircraft."

In recent months a great deal has been written in the American press elsewhere to prove that the British system of an autonomous air force is a disastrous failure, that each and every reverse that has befallen British arms from Norway to Crete has been due to the existence of the third service and that even our successes, such as the sinking of the Bismarck and the improvement in the battle of the Atlantic and in the battle of Britain were for some mystical reason in spite of and not due to our organization.

Shouldn't Officers Charge?  
The moral is drawn that the present system in the United States, where there are three or four separate air forces, should be perpetuated to the British Empire. It is further, perhaps, than to express the hope that they will not permit themselves to be deluded by inexact and biased criticism into making wrong judgments on premises fantastically incorrect.

The first point to remember as a subject to all consideration is the lessons of this war up to date is that we started the war in a shocking condition of weakness. For years we had been spending annually about eight times as much on the older services as we spent on the air force.

Air Force Needs Minimized.  
The lessons and portents of the last war were not generally understood and after that war most responsible officers in the Navy and Army minimized the accomplishments of the air forces in the war and failed to foresee what should have been plain for all to see, the potentialities of air power 20 years ahead.

Fifteen years later we failed to profit by the unmistakable warnings we received in 1934 or even in 1938 to take our aircraft production seriously in hand, and no one can look back today on the air situation in September, 1939, without a shudder at our sheer audacity in going to war at all with the air force and the aircraft industry in the state they were in at that time.

Even 20 months later, at the time of Crete, we had still had to concentrate our resources on providing for the vital needs of defense at home and in the Atlantic to an extent that may be measured by the fact that at the time of Crete we had barely 50 serviceable fighters in the Middle East command and a few obsolescent American fighters at Singapore.

Urged Malaya as Air Base.  
Fifteen years ago I, as chief of the air staff, was advocating that Malaya should be made a great air base and that our limited allotment of money should be spent on bombers and torpedo aircraft instead of on the huge guns that are there now.

The situation is very different today. But the significant fact is that in only two major operations have we had anything approaching the necessary air strength, namely, the operations in Libya, and we were only able to secure that strength by a ruthless adherence to the one great principle of air warfare, the principle that in itself not only justifies but imperatively demands a single autonomous air force, the principle of concentration of the greatest available force on the task that is decisive at the time.

statesman who has to justify his actions and maintain his position in a legally constituted representative assembly, representative of the people, whose knowledge of military matters is nonexistent and whose judgment is frequently wrong.

It is therefore all the more important that advice on the application of air power should be the responsibility of a single head of a centralized service, working as the chief of an expert staff who have made a life study of air power and its problems and that the decisions of the political authority, the Prime Minister and the war cabinet, should be capable of being translated into action with that promptitude and administrative efficiency which would be impossible under divided control.

Concentration Is Decisive.  
The principle of concentration on the decisive point is indeed the essence of air power. No serious exponent of air power or of the system of the Bismarck and the improvement in the battle of the Atlantic and in the battle of Britain were for some mystical reason in spite of and not due to our organization.

Admiral Yarnell Refuted.  
If for major strategic reasons we cannot concentrate adequate air power in any place or on any task, then the operations of our naval and land forces must be adjusted accordingly. It may, for political reasons, be considered necessary to fight on land or at sea without adequate air support. We had to do in Norway, and we had to do in Greece and Crete, because there were not the air forces available, nor were there adequate airbases if they had been.

Admiral Yarnell, who in a recent article in Collier's Magazine makes the extraordinary assumption that the loss of Crete was due to some arbitrary and one-sided decision on the part of the Royal Air Force to withdraw air support, is not alone in his failure to understand the profound influence of geographic conditions on the conduct of the war.

He would not suggest, for instance, that the United States Fleet should be told to operate in Japanese waters without a base in the Far East or a reasonably secure line of supply for its tankers and auxiliaries.

Yet an air force without bases and without a secure system of supply for fuel, bombs and spare parts is just as helpless as that fleet would be.

A fleet at sea, operating beyond the range of shore-based air support, must take its own air power with it in the form of ship-borne aircraft and these may be and in the British system are part of the fleet.

Ship-borne fighters, however, are not always available and the loss of the British carrier would be a disaster. There is a great deal of egregious nonsense talked about the need for specialized training for air operations in support of armies and navies. The uninitiated would almost be led to believe that it is necessary to breed a special type of

man to recognize a ship at sea or an enemy tank in the desert.

Specialization is obviously necessary, but it is surely equally obvious that after the first few months of a war the long and intimate experience and highly specialized training that is so often claimed as essential for effective air support of land or sea forces simply is not available. Replacements would have to come, as they do now, from keen young volunteers from civil life with no specialized naval or military knowledge.

The Royal Air Force crews of the coastal command, though they persistently decline to call their beds a cabin or a service motor car a liberty boat, have given and are giving service that could not be excelled by the smartest subaltern who ever passed top out of Dartmouth.

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### Ulster's Premier Says De Valera Has No Right To Protest A. E. F.

#### Andrews Declares Eire Already Has Cost 'Many Thousands of Lives'

By The Associated Press.  
BELFAST, Northern Ireland, Jan. 28.—Prime Minister John M. Andrews told Parliament here today that Eamon de Valera, Prime Minister of Eire, had no right to protest the arrival of United States troops in Ulster (Northern Ireland).

(De Valera contended that the debarcation of United States on the northern side of the border emphasized the split which led to the partition of Ireland in 1921; was carried out "despite the express will of the Irish people," and his government was not consulted.)

"As head of the government of a neighboring neutral state," Mr. Andrews said, "the (De Valera) evidently protests the arrival of American troops here. No doubt he would have presented it if he could, just as he has denied to Britain and the United States use of naval bases in Eire."

"This folly has meant the sacrifice of many thousands of gallant lives in the battle of the Atlantic. Eire is in no less danger of invasion by Germany than Britain and Northern Ireland, and an attack here would be the people of Eire would be glad of any help they could secure, whether British or American."

"It is our duty and our privilege not only to welcome the American troops, but to facilitate them to the utmost in the task in which they are engaged," Andrews continued.

"Northern Ireland is in the fight for freedom and intends to see it through."

"With a check for \$1,000,000 as a first move, United States Army authorities have opened an account in a Northern Ireland bank to pay for the needs of the force landed here this week."

### De Valera Says Eire Was Not Consulted

DUBLIN, Jan. 28 (AP).—Eamon de Valera, the Brooklyn-born Prime Minister of neutral Eire, vigorously protested last night the landing of United States troops across the border in Northern Ireland and the refusal of the British to place on the rift between Eire and the six counties of the north.

(Washington displayed scant sympathy for Mr. de Valera's protest. There was no official comment, but President Roosevelt made it plain that he regarded the protest as inconsequential.)

Mr. de Valera based his protest on the fact that Irish government was "not consulted either by the British government or the American Government" on the arrival of the troops.

Simultaneously Minister of Supplies Sean Lemass, in a speech here last night, declared Eire's independence and neutrality faced increasing danger and might have their supreme test in the coming year. He made no further elaboration on that statement.

### Churchill Asked to Seek Naval Bases in Eire

LONDON, Jan. 28 (AP).—Prime Minister Churchill was urged in the House of Commons today to consult with President Roosevelt on making joint representations to Premier Eamon de Valera of Eire for the use of Eire's seaports and bases for the duration of the war.

The request came from the Rev. Dr. James Little, Conservative, who argued that the Allies needed these bases "urgently."

In a written reply, Clement Attlee, lord privy seal, said the Prime Minister "does not wish to make any further statement on this subject at the present time."

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U. S. and Britain Map Long-Range Strategy For Army Expeditions

Official statements indicated today that the United States and Britain have worked out a long-term land-sea victory plan for surprise expeditions of field army size to strike suddenly across any ocean.

Disclosures of President Roosevelt, Prime Minister Churchill and congressional leaders gave broad outlines of the plan and Congress rushed legislation to carry it out. The House passed, 388 to 0, and sent to the Senate last night the \$17,722,565,474 naval appropriations bill, including a special emergency provision for developing amphibious strategy.

### U. S. Bombers Sink Jap Transport, Hit Cruiser

#### War Department communique No. 80, outlining military situation as of 9:30 a. m. today, follows:

1. Philippine theater: There was practically no ground activity on the Bataan Peninsula yesterday. The enemy landed relatively few numbers in the Subic Bay area.

Enemy air activity was limited to reconnaissance flights. 2. Netherlands Indies: Further reports of the action in the Macassar Straits disclosed that eight heavy American Army bombers sank a large Japanese transport in the river at Balikpapan and scored a direct hit on a cruiser outside of the harbor. During this attack, one of our bombers was lost. In a previous action, one plane in this action, one enemy transport was sunk and another set afire, as reported on January 26.

3. There is nothing to report from other areas.

The bill provides \$3,900,000,000 for emergency construction of 1,799 special vessels. The House Naval Affairs Committee disclosed in a report that this provision would give "the necessary ships with which to conduct the amphibious operations which it is contemplated may be necessary to prosecute the present war to a successful conclusion."

Depends on U. S. For Ships.  
Mr. Churchill, meanwhile, had told Parliament that the United States was being depended on for transport and supply ships. When they are ready, he said, "we shall be able to move across the ocean next year two, three and even four times as large an army as the considerable forces we are able to handle at present."

Although Mr. Churchill said that a swift redistribution of Allied forces was indicated on December 12, there was no indication of what may have been involved beyond President Roosevelt's assertion in a press conference late yesterday that America was sending all the help it could to the Southwest Pacific area and that six to ten American expeditionary forces are in various localities of the world.

The redistribution was regarded as a short-range, holding action to strengthen United Nations' lines in the Pacific and bolster outposts against sudden Axis thrusts. Beyond this immediate defensive action was the broader, long-term strategy of deploying land-sea forces over the whole world.

The Naval Committee report said there were "many confidential details" about the special type vessels being built under the emergency program, and there was speculation that they would include substantial numbers of ships for landing operations on hostile shores.

Proble Scope of Plan.  
Increasing amphibious raids on the Axis-held coasts of Europe, possibly building up to full-dress operations in the Mediterranean, and the British Isles and the Northern Mediterranean shore from the British-held bulge of Cyrenaica, were considered likely parts of the long-range plan.

In the Pacific, the thinly-spread Japanese Army and Navy would be particularly vulnerable to amphibious blows by a powerful amphibious force. Japan itself, with its 12 main islands and 4,000 smaller islands, offers a tempting target to such an expedition, especially if the United Nations are able to gain Pacific air superiority.

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### Japanese Sea Losses Thus Far Are Put at 148 Ships and Subs

#### Most Are Naval Vessels; 2 Battleship Sinkings, Damage to 2 Included

By The Associated Press.  
An unofficial compilation of ship sinking claims by American, British, Dutch and Australian naval and air forces, and of Japanese admissions, showed today that the Allies had sunk or damaged 148 Japanese naval and merchant ships and submarines since December 7.

Revision of the score is possible, however, because of possible duplication of claims by the Allies and inability of commanders of ships and planes always to ascertain immediately the success of their blows.

Before the battle of Macassar Strait began January 23, the unofficial figures on Japanese maritime losses were: Naval ships sunk—57 (10 destroyers; 1 battleship; 2 cruisers; 32 transports; 1 submarine; 1 gunboat; 4 minesweepers; 5 naval supply ships and 1 naval sloop).

Merchant ships sunk—17 (7 freighters; 4 unidentified; 1 schooner; 2 tankers; 3 heavy lighters; 1 passenger vessel which the Japanese said was a hospital ship; 2 17,000-ton transport; 1 seaplane tender; 1 minesweeper; 1 unidentified).

Submarines sunk—9. Total—118 (85 sunk; 33 damaged). Since the battle of Macassar began, the unofficial figures on Japanese losses in sinking or damaging warships (including ship tentatively identified as a battleship, sunk).

Transports—19. Total at Macassar—30. Total to date—148.

### Valuable Papers Stolen From Officer's Auto

Theft of "valuable government papers" from his automobile parked in the 1000 block of Sixteenth street N.W., between 8 p.m. and midnight last night, was reported to police today by Col. Kenneth Buchanan, U. S. A. 2727 Devonshire place N.W.

Col. Buchanan described the papers as important and asked the police to exert every effort to recover them.

### Congress in Brief

Senate: Resumes debate on war powers bill; may take up \$12,555,000,000 supplemental defense bill. Defense Investigating Committee questions Donald Nelson on use of dollar-a-year men.

House: Considers minor bills. Military Committee studies Air Corps officers promotion bill.

### Congressional Probers Start Coal Region Tour

By The Associated Press.  
SILVER SPRING, Pa., Jan. 28.—Possibilities of bringing new business to the anthracite region—hard hit by unemployment in recent years—were attracted a special congressional commission today to the heart of Pennsylvania's hard coal fields.

### Weather Report

(Published by the United States Weather Bureau.)  
District of Columbia—Light rain and snow mixed, ending early tonight; somewhat colder, fresh winds. Virginia—Rain in southeast portion, rain or snow in north portion early tonight; colder tonight.

Maryland—Rain on the coast, rain or snow in central portion and snow in extreme west portion; slightly colder tonight.

Report for Last 24 Hours.  
Temperature: Yesterday—41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100.

Record for Last 24 Hours.  
(From noon yesterday to noon today.)  
Highest, 41, at 4 p.m. yesterday. Year to date, 41, at 4 p.m. today. Year ago, 35.

Record Temperatures This Year.  
Highest, 85, on January 18. Lowest, 6, on January 11.

Humidity for Last 24 Hours.  
(From noon yesterday to noon today.)  
Highest, 90 per cent, at 7:30 a.m. today. Lowest, 82 per cent, at 1:30 p.m. yesterday.

Tide Tables.  
(Published by United States Coast and Geodetic Survey.)  
Today: High 5:09 a.m., 5:57 a.m., 6:45 a.m., 7:33 p.m., 8:21 p.m., 9:09 p.m. Low 11:51 a.m., 12:31 p.m., 1:11 p.m., 1:51 p.m., 2:31 p.m., 3:11 p.m., 3:51 p.m., 4:31 p.m., 5:11 p.m., 5:51 p.m., 6:31 p.m., 7:11 p.m., 7:51 p.m., 8:31 p.m., 9:11 p.m., 9:51 p.m., 10:31 p.m., 11:11 p.m., 11:51 p.m.

The Sun and Moon.  
Sun, today: 7:19, 5:24. New York, N. Y.: 7:18, 5:23. Moon, today: 10:26 p.m., 4:09 a.m.

Automobile lights must be turned on one-half hour after sunset.

Potomac and Shenandoah Rivers cloudy at Harpers Ferry; Potomac cloudy at Great Falls.

Precipitation.  
Monthly precipitation in inches in the Capital (current month to date): 1942: Average. Record: January 1.77, 3.55, 7.93, 37. February 2.27, 4.14, 8.44, 34. March 3.75, 8.84, 9.1. April 3.27, 9.13, 8.9. May 4.70, 10.69, 8.9. June 4.17, 10.94, 9.0. July 4.99, 10.63, 8.9. August 4.49, 14.41, 9.2. September 3.37, 8.69, 8.0. October 3.84, 8.81, 9.7. November 3.27, 8.69, 8.0. December 3.32, 7.56, 9.1.

Temperatures in Other Cities.  
Albuquerque, N. Mex. 60, 34. Boston, Mass. 44, 35. Buffalo, N. Y. 44, 35. Chicago, Ill. 37, 33. Cleveland, Ohio. 39, 35. Detroit, Mich. 38, 31. Fort Worth, Tex. 46, 27. Kansas City, Mo. 50, 25. Louisville, Ky. 45, 27. Memphis, Tenn. 51, 34. Milwaukee, Wis. 44, 33. Minneapolis, Minn. 34, 23. New York, N. Y. 44, 35. Philadelphia, Pa. 40, 35. Pittsburgh, Pa. 41, 37. St. Louis, Mo. 41, 31. Washington, D. C. 41, 35.

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### Spanish Ship Sunk By Axis Subs to Stir Trouble, British Say

#### Navemar 'Outrage' Held Part of 'Ruthless' Policy Toward Iberian Traffic

LONDON, Jan. 28.—The admiralty asserted today the 5,473-ton Spanish freighter Navemar had been sunk by Axis submarines and "as is their practice the Axis have put out broadcasts asserting the ship was torpedoed by a British submarine" in order to stir up trouble between Britain and Spain.

Lisbon dispatches reported the sinking of the ship on Monday and said German and Italian news dispatches claimed the ship had been sunk by a British submarine.

The admiralty said in its statement that it "previously pointed out in connection with the sinking of the Spanish ship Badalona that the object of the Axis in making these lying allegations is to create trouble between Britain and Spain."

"In view of the long record of attacks by Axis U-boats upon neutral merchant ships, it is obvious where to look for the authors of this latest outrage. Nevertheless, the admiralty state that no British or Allied submarine was at the time anywhere near the scene of the incident."

The Navemar was the vessel with passenger accommodations for 15, which carried more than 1,000 Jewish refugees from Lisbon to New York last summer.

The admiralty's statement added: "Circumstances of the sinking of the Portuguese ship Corte Real and the Spanish ships Badalona and Castillo Oropesa make it plain it is the deliberate policy of the Axis to deal ruthlessly with shipping of the Iberian Peninsula."

"This new attack on a ship carrying supplies to Spain across the Atlantic may indicate they are now hoping to cut off Spain from all trade with the outside world."

It said that two British warships were diverted to search the area where the Navemar was attacked, but the majority of the crew was reported saved by a Spanish vessel.



LEWES, DEL.—SURVIVORS OF TORPEDOED OIL TANKER—Fourteen of the 17 rescued crew members of the torpedoed American oil tanker Francis E. Powell are shown at the Coast Guard station here last night after their dramatic rescue at sea by the W. C. Fairbanks, another oil tanker. Among the missing after the submarine attack off the Atlantic coast is Capt. T. J. Harrington of Baltimore. The tanker's normal complement was listed in ship registers as 32 men.



These three crewmen (left to right), Firemen Joseph Ortiz and James Aylor and Cook Theodoro Contreras, toast their rescue with steaming coffee after arriving at the Coast Guard station. —A. P. Wirephotos.

### Heriot Clarkson Dies; North Carolina Jurist

CHARLOTTE, N. C., Jan. 28.—Heriot Clarkson, 78, since 1923 an associate justice of the North Carolina Supreme Court, died yesterday at the home of his son, Francis O. Clarkson.

He was stricken ill shortly after his arrival here with Mrs. Clarkson Friday from their summer home at Little Switzerland.

Death was attributed to heart trouble. Funeral services were to be held today at St. Peter's Episcopal Church.

Survivors include the widow, who before her marriage December 10, 1889, was Miss Mary Lloyd Osborne of Charlotte, three sons and a daughter, Francis O. Clarkson and Edwin O. Clarkson of Charlotte, the Rev. Thomas Simmons Clarkson of Tupelo, Miss., and Mrs. John Garland Pollard of Washington.

### 11 on Torpedoed Steamer Land on Island in Pacific

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 28.—Capt. G. H. Boy of the U. S. S. Albatross, commanding the steamer Prusa, torpedoed December 18, have landed at a Pacific island, the Tampa Intercoast Steamship Co. announced here today.

Steamship company officials said several lives were lost in the torpedoing and that a number of survivors previously had been rescued.

In addition to the captain the other rescued men were listed as: James H. Darlin, Houston, Tex.; Bernard Baker, Jefferson, Iowa; Floyd McWilliams, Smyrna, Ga.; Karl Knece, Hammond, Ind.; Thomas Bartlett, Elizabeth City, N. C.; J. P. Higgins, Philadelphia; Frank Stewart, Wilmington, Del.; George Bercy, New Orleans; Alfred A. Smith, New York and Eric J. Williams, New York.

### \$175,000 Paid for Renoir By Patient Connoisseur

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 28.—Dr. Albert C. Barnes has realized a 30-year ambition—ownership of Renoir's painting "Mussel Fishers at Berneval"—for \$175,000.

The art collector said he believed this was the second highest price ever paid for a Renoir canvas. He tried to purchase it before the first World War from the late Pierre Durand-Ruel, friend of the artist, who, Dr. Barnes said, "I'm sure didn't pay more than \$100 for it."

Just before the present conflict, the picture was sent to New York, and last week was placed on sale, where "I snapped it up at once."

### Gas Rationing Forecast By Dealers' Counsel

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 28.—Sol A. Herzog of New York, counsel for the Eastern States Gasoline Dealers Conference, predicts that gasoline rationing is "just around the corner," because of tanker-torpedoings and military requirements.

He told about 400 delegates from 14 States yesterday that the fuel may be one of the first commodities rationed by Leon Henderson under his new powers.

The dealers, in a series of resolutions, proposed a mandatory closing of stations between 7 p. m. and 7 a. m. and a dealers' margin of five cents a gallon on sales instead of four cents.

### Widow Gets Estate

ROCKVILLE, Md., Jan. 28 (Special).—Under the will of Joseph W. Meade of Silver Spring, which was admitted to probate here yesterday, widow, Mrs. Ada Lois Meade, receives the entire estate, value of which was not disclosed.

### Revision of Tactics Expected Following Wavell's Burma Visit

Lessons Learned in Malay Fighting to Be Turned To Good Advantage

By RODERICK MACDONALD, Foreign Correspondent of The Star and North American Newspaper Alliance.

RANGOON, Jan. 29 (by wireless).—Gen. Sir Archibald Wavell's talks here with Burma civil and military officials is expected to result in application of special tactics to counter the Japanese offensive.

News of the visit of the commander in chief of the United Nations in the Southwest Pacific was released after he was on his way back to his new headquarters in the Netherlands Indies last night.

There have been many lessons learned in the fighting still underway in Malaya and it is believed that these lessons will be turned to good advantage in Burma where a major campaign is developing.

According to a very reliable source here Gen. Wavell pointed out the necessity of maintaining the offensive wherever possible. He reportedly insisted that the utmost judgment must be used to avoid the error of overestimating the Japanese numerical superiority.

Some reports here indicate that the Japanese practice of infiltrating along the flanks of British Empire forces often gives the impression that they are present in greater numbers than actually is the case. The counterattacks, according to informed quarters here—and this is believed to be one of the Malaya lessons Gen. Wavell emphasized—are for empire forces to advance.

The air force of the United Nations definitely has the upper hand in Burma. In view of this, empire land forces are not going to be hampered by the lack of air support as they were in Malaya.

It is likely that Gen. Wavell's visit will result in a major readjustment in the defense plans against the Japanese and Siamese troops which now are reportedly being held by the empire forces along the Salween River line.

Maps for the training of R. A. F. pilots and observers are now being prepared by air students of colleges throughout Britain.

Many parts of London have been made more beautiful by the removal of iron railings for munitions.

### Officer, Back on Duty Here, Lauds Pearl Harbor Heroes

Men Stuck to Burning Decks Despite Order To Save Selves, Capt. Leland Lovette Says

By CLAUDE A. MAHONEY.

Capt. Leland P. Lovette, who commanded a destroyer division at Pearl Harbor, was back on duty at the Navy Department today with additional tales of the Japs' December 7 attack and enthusiastic praise for defenders who got anti-aircraft guns on our ships into action "faster than in target practice" and who stuck to burning decks despite orders to save themselves.

Discussing the Japanese attack informally yesterday, Capt. Lovette said "every man did beyond duty." A British officer told him, he said, that he, a veteran of Dunquerque and Crete, had never seen the equal of the resistance put up by the American fighters.

Capt. Lovette, who goes on duty as assistant to Admiral A. J. Heppburn in the Office of Public Relations, explained the well-planned Japanese attack by saying that "those folks lived for years in the hills overlooking Pearl Harbor, and the Americans never did anything to prevent it. They had visitors, and they undoubtedly photographed everything. We captured Japanese charts of the harbor as good as our own."

Didn't Know Planes Weren't Up. Emphasizing the fact that his entire attention in advance had been in seeing that the ships were prepared for any emergency, he admitted that "as a surface officer, I didn't know the aerial patrols were not out to warn us in advance."

New tales of heroism related by Capt. Lovette included that of a "little doctor" who carried a 275-pound medical chest down two ships' ladders. He had praise also for the entire medical unit, including pharmacists' mates who applied emergency dressings and who literally had to be ordered out of straining gunfire.

The officer spoke of the cruel efficiency of the Japanese plans for the attack.

"They planned it for a quiet Sunday morning when the religious services were about to be held. In fact, the Catholic boys were ashore at church at the time. The Japs strafed even the small boats the boys were going back and forth in."

Japanese and American aviators were compared in the following comment by Capt. Lovette: "Our average flyers can equal their best."

He expressed the opinion that the planes approached the harbor from at least three aircraft carriers. Speaking guardedly and avoiding any conflict with or comment on the Roberts report, Capt. Lovette was unwilling to discuss casualties suffered by our forces or the Japanese.

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### Police Press Inquiry In Mystery Death Of D. C. Woman

#### Laurel Probe Continued, Despite Report She Died Of Natural Causes

An investigation into the mysterious death of a woman tentatively identified as Mary Scott Burke, 28, a waitress, of the 1900 block of Eighteenth Street N.W., was continued today by Maryland State police, although a medical examiner said her death was due to natural causes.

The body was found yesterday under a tree near a bridge on a road leading to the Laurel race track. Her maroon waitress uniform had been partially torn from her body. Her clothing was blood-stained.

In Baltimore last night, Col. Beverly S. Ober, State police superintendent, said: "We're working on the case from every possible angle. We're checking the circumstances that led to her death."

He said the "case is not closed" even though Dr. James I. Boyd, Prince Georges County medical examiner, issued a certificate of "death due to natural causes."

Dr. Boyd said the woman died from a hemorrhage. He said an examination revealed no bruises or other injuries.

Col. Ober said tentative identification had been made from a Social Security card and from letters in her purse.

Police Chief Edward Brown, who has been working with State and District police on the case, said Miss Burke left Washington Saturday afternoon to bring Dolores L. Dain, 9, a pupil at St. Mildred's Academy, back to Washington, where her father, Sefanio Lindain, lives at the Eighteenth street address. When his daughter did not arrive, Mr. Lindain checked Sunday morning with academy officials, who said Miss Burke had not been there since an earlier trip on a similar errand two weeks ago.

Chief Brown said Miss Burke's movements from the time she left Washington were being carefully investigated. Up to the time she left, she had worked for a drug store near her home, he said.

The body was discovered by Ralph Rector, 14; Lee Wiley, 19, and Robert Mitchell, 17, all of Laurel, as they emerged from a thicket along the Patuxent River where they had set muskrat traps.

Dr. Boyd said the woman had been dead from 12 to 20 hours.



LT. EDWARD G. DE LONG.



MRS. DE LONG.

SANTA CRUZ, CALIF.—PROUD OF HER HUSBAND—"I'm very excited and so very, very proud of him," said Mrs. Edward Grover De Long here when told that her husband, Lt. De Long, was squadron engineer on a mosquito boat attack in Subic Bay in which a 5,000-ton Japanese ship was sunk.

—A. P. Wirephoto.

BLACK LEATHER WALLET—Contains travel identification and other articles which are of value to the owner only. Call DU 9390.

BOSTON TERRIER, male, from Rollingwood, Chevy Chase, Md. Reward. Phone Wisconsin 4994.

BRIEF CASE, in taxi about 5:45 p.m. Monday, between 1710 Conn. ave. Latimer's Market, opposite and 2428 Tracy pl. n.w. Reward. ME 9592.

COCKER SPANIEL—Black, 8 months old. Dog, bundle and white, male, lost in vic. of Leppan and 20th sts. n.w. Reward. EM 4283.

DIAMOND EARRING, a Constitution Hall, Sunday, January 28, Reward, J. Bullman, NA 1348.

DOG—Wire-haired terrier pup, male, 4 months old, vicinity Woodmoor, Silver Spring, had collar. Reward. SH 9437.

DOG—Black and white, male, lost in vic. of Leppan and 20th sts. n.w. Reward. EM 4283.

GERMAN POLICE DOG, Chevy Chase, Phone EM 6885.

IRISH TERRIER, tan female, vic of Bethesda, named "Spooks", tan collar. Reward. WI 1412.

JACKET, black, brocade, zipper, label "Garhneke". Reward. Phone Ordway 9447.

PAIR GLASSES, light blue case, Initials D. J. H. Box 28-S. Star.

PURSE, black, with handles on each side, containing valuable papers, real estate broker's license, car keys, etc. Reward if returned. Found Wednesday morning, 14th st. n.w. owner, identify. Phone Oxford 6035.

TERRIER, small, black, male, answers to name of "Patsy", vicinity Mt. Rainier. Please call WA 7487. Reward.

WALLET, brown leather, containing identification papers, money, key, vicinity 13th and N. Y. ave. Reward. TR 4200. Ext. 1107. 28.

WRIST WATCH, lady's, light, white gold, narrow leather bracelet. Reward. Wisconsin 6035 after 6 p.m.

FOUND.

DOG, small, black, found Tuesday, January 27. Owner please call CO 3682.

GERMAN SHEPHERD, black and gray male. Call Mrs. Kibbey, Shepherd 5365-M.

KEY CASE containing 3 keys, tag with numbers, found Wednesday morning, 14th st. n.w. owner, identify. Phone Oxford 6035.

KEYS (10) in red leather zipper holder, found at Union Station, 1819 G st. n.w. Reward. Call 7487.

POLICE DOG, vic. 16th and M sts. n.w. ME 4390.

WRIST WATCH, lady's, gold, in P. O. Building, 1st floor, Dec. 1st. Call MI 0350 after 5:30.

### 2 Men Slain, Woman Shot In Barber Shop Affray

By the Associated Press.

HARRISBURG, Pa., Jan. 28.—Chief of Police Oscar Blough today formally charged Nick N. Galvan, 40, with murder in the death of two men, and assisted with intent to kill a woman, after a barber shop shooting affray.

The dead men were James Anderson, 60, barber, and George Wharton, retired railroad man celebrating his 58th birthday anniversary when he was slain. Mr. Anderson's wife, Alice, 55, was wounded but discharged from the hospital a few hours later.

City Patrolman Gilbert Sandanna said Galvan told him that persons in the barber shop had tormented him.

### Army Pilot Dies as Plane Crashes and Burns

By the Associated Press.

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### Red Cross Seeks Funds for War

The District Red Cross is appealing for \$750,000 as its quota of the American Red Cross War Fund Campaign for \$50,000,000 to provide relief for American war victims and to carry on rapidly expanding Red Cross services for the armed forces.

Today the District fund stands at \$232,474.62.

Checks should be made payable to the American Red Cross and envelopes marked "For the War Fund."

Any bank will accept your contribution and forward it to District Red Cross headquarters, 2020 Massachusetts avenue N.W. There are also booths in leading hotels, department stores and at Union Station.

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### Non-Essential Uses Of Brass, Copper And Nickel Curbed

#### W. P. B. Orders Sharp Cut In Employment of Metals In Decorative Bulbs

Tightening restrictions on non-essential uses of nickel, brass and copper, the War Production Board today ordered sharp curtailment in consumption of those materials in incandescent lamps designed chiefly for Christmas trees, advertising or decorative purposes.

In February, March and April, the W. P. B. directed, use of the metals must be reduced 50 per cent under consumption during comparable months of 1940. After February 1 no manufacturer may use any materials obtained with preference ratings in production of such lamps.

Further affecting the bulb industry, the order provides that the use of nickel in all lamps must be cut 25 per cent under 1940 consumption during the next three months and the use of brass and copper reduced 20 per cent.

W. P. B. officials said the restrictions probably would be absorbed in elimination of non-essential lamps and that the industry undoubtedly could meet all essential needs through substitution of less critical materials and strict conservation.

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### 2 Jap Warships Hit During Night Attack On Midway Dec. 7

#### U. S. Still Holds Island; Belated Report Reveals Heroism of 2 Marines

United States Marine gunners, still holding Midway Island, taught the Japs that their guns could shoot just as straight in the dark as the guns on Wake shot in the dawn.

The first enemy attack on the Midway post was made the night of December 7, the Navy disclosed in a belated report yesterday.

The marine artillerymen awarded under a 20-minute emergency bombardment until the Jap warships ventured within 4,500 yards of the shore—virtually point-blank range for the island's batteries—before opening fire.

Then shore searchlights flashed on the two approaching ships—a cruiser and a destroyer. The marine batteries roared. Within the first minutes, three hits were scored on one enemy ship, two on the superstructure which put the forward gun out of commission, and a third near the waterline. The second ship got two square hits near the waterline.

The Jap warships immediately broke off the attack and fled out of range, one of them trailing clouds of black smoke from the shellholes in her side.

Midway, an island group at the northwestern tip of the long Hawaiian chain, is still held by United States forces.

According to the report, the two Japanese warships opened fire on an outlying island of the Midway group at 9:30 p. m., local time. It was a moonlight night, ideal for the attack.

Two officers were named in the report for especially heroic action. One of them, First Lt. George H. Cannon, 26, son of Mrs. B. B. Cannon, 3d, Ann Arbor, Mich., died from loss of blood apparently caused by the fact that he refused to be removed from his command post after he had been badly wounded.

The other was Corporal Harold R. Hazelwood, 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard F. Hazelwood of Stark City, Mo., switchboard operator at the same command post. In spite of shock and a compound leg fracture which was his, Hazelwood set up his damaged switchboard and re-established communications.

### House Unit to Study Bill On Parking Lot Fees

Chairman Randolph announced today the House District Committee would give serious consideration to a bill designed to give the Public Utilities Commission authority to regulate the operation and fees charged by commercial garages and parking lots when it resumes consideration the latter part of this week of Washington's wartime mass transportation problems.

The measure was introduced yesterday by Representative Dirksen of Illinois, ranking minority member of the committee.

Mr. Randolph said the proposed legislation "fits" into the transportation picture because its objective is to protect automobile owners against excessive parking fees.

Mr. Dirksen said he introduced the bill its primary purpose is to prevent "proffiteering" by garage and parking lot operators.

Broad in scope, the measure would give the commission authority to classify garages and parking lots and to fix "fair and reasonable charges" for each type of accommodations. Further, it would require parking lot operators and garage owners to be licensed and to make a bond or other security of \$1,000 for payment of any judgment for damage to motor vehicles while in storage.

The annual license fee prescribed in the bill is \$10 for each capacity of 25 vehicles or less, and \$5 for each additional capacity of 25 vehicles or more fraction thereof.

Penalty for violation of regulations promulgated by the P. U. C. would be a maximum fine of \$300 or imprisonment for not more than 90 days.

### Schools (Continued From First Page.)

closed, are in the Southeast section, three in the Northeast and one in the Southwest. The other would be a vocational school.

Dr. Ballou said completion of the Kramer School is essential to the welfare of children in Anacostia. The building was 15 per cent completed when work was halted.

The superintendent announced that steps were taken December 24 to pave the way for completion of the school so it could be used as a Federal office building during the war, but he was not officially advised of the move until last Friday.

"It looks to me that the lack of co-ordination in the District government," remarked Representative Randolph. "In this case there was a six weeks' lapse with no meeting of the minds."

"I want to know, too," Dr. Ballou continued, "what it is proposed to do with the boys and girls in Anacostia?"

Mr. Maxton explained that in granting priorities, efforts are being made to provide for school buildings that are "slow burnings," rather than fireproof structures. He pointed out that Federal workers in Washington are housed in temporary "paste-board buildings" which he said would "blow away" in five years.

"There's a lot of difference between adults and children," Dr. Ballou commented. "We have the responsibility for the lives of thousands of children five hours a day."

The superintendent also stressed that in denying Washington adequate school facilities an imposition was being made on its young people.

"We school people have got to help train men," he declared.

The Education Subcommittee was asked to give special consideration to school problems here at the request of Representative Randolph. He reported out at the outset of the meeting, which was attended by a group of school, Federal and District



LT. GEORGE H. CANNON.



CORPL. HAROLD R. HAZELWOOD.

### Man, Pulled 253 Feet By Streetcar, Suffers Serious Injuries

#### Five Others Are Hurt In Street Accidents Of Night and Morning

#### D. C. Traffic Toll

Killed in 1942	8
Killed in same period of 1941	13
Toll for all of 1941	95

A southbound streetcar knocked down a pedestrian, William Wells, 67, of 1319 Spring road N.W., at Fourteenth street and Spring road shortly before 7 a. m. today and dragged him 253 feet, according to police measurements, before it was brought to a stop.

Mr. Wells' clothing was caught in the undercarriage of the streetcar's front step. He was not dislocated until Roy Vernon Davis, 23, of 5719 Fourth street N.W., the motorman, heard his cries and applied the brakes.

Rushed to Emergency Hospital by ambulance, Mr. Wells was found to have suffered a fractured left shoulder and several broken ribs. His condition was described as serious, but not critical.

Vapor Obscured Victim. Pvt. E. Shipman of the police accident prevention unit said the motorman explained he did not see Mr. Wells at the right side of the track because steam vapor, caused by the early morning rain on the outside and heat inside the streetcar, covered the window except for the space cleared by the front window windshield wipers.

Mr. Wells, according to the motorman, did not come within the range of his vision through the clear portion of the window.

Mr. Davis told police he didn't know Mr. Wells had been struck until he heard the right front wheel guard of the streetcar drop, followed by Mr. Wells' cries for help. The streetcar, meanwhile, had traveled down hill over wet tracks for an estimated two-thirds of a city block before it was stopped.

Police said Mr. Davis had been a motorman for eight months. They attributed Mr. Wells' survival to the fact the streetcar was one of the old models with a higher undercarriage than the new streamlined cars brought into service in recent years.

A number of other accidents occurred during the night and early morning on streets wetted by an overnight rain that turned to snow in the morning rush hour.

May Have Fractured Skull. James R. Norfolk, Jr., 22, of 1314 Massachusetts avenue S.E., was in critical condition at Casualty Hospital from a possible skull fracture suffered when his motorcycle struck an automobile at Third and E streets S.W., shortly before midnight. Edna Kellas, 23, of 2903 Calton avenue N.E., passenger in the car, was treated at Providence Hospital for facial lacerations. Her condition was not serious. Police said the automobile was driven by Mildred A. Glahn of the Calton avenue address who was not injured.

Two Hurt In Collision. Two cars collided at Illinois avenue and Farragut street N.W. at 10 o'clock last night, resulting in injuries to two young women. They were Louise Miller, 17, of 4703 Georgia street N.W., who suffered lacerations of the head and knee, and Maxine Marcus, 19, of 811 Decatur street N.W., possible fractured ribs, internal injuries and wounds of both legs. The injured were rushed to Casualty Hospital.

Theodore Del Borrell, 23, of 8700 block of Fairfax road, Bethesda, Md., was injured when his car crashed into the center abutment of the viaduct on New Jersey avenue S.E., just south of E street. The ambulance from No. 1 rescue squad took him to Emergency Hospital where he was treated for a broken leg and throat injuries.

Officials, that the situation "is serious," and that "the matter of priorities should be looked into carefully."

"We are face to face with a condition that is serious," he added. "We have 250,000 new people coming here and that means more children. We can't let our educational system break down."

Mr. Randolph said if all 27 of the schools either projected or under construction could be completed, it might be possible to allow Government defense agencies to use 18 of them during the war.

### Vargas Signs Decree Breaking Off Brazilian Relations With Axis

#### Peru-Ecuador Dispute Hits Eleventh-Hour Snag, Periling Rio Harmony

RIO DE JANEIRO, Jan. 28.—President Getulio Vargas today signed a decree breaking Brazil's diplomatic and commercial relations with Germany, Italy and Japan.

The decree cited the fact that Brazil, "faithful to the Pan-American tradition, never has failed in immediate fulfillment of continental decisions" and therefore was following the unanimous recommendation of the conference of American foreign ministers recommending the 21 republics break with the Axis.

The 100-year-old boundary dispute between Peru and Ecuador, which was believed last night to have been settled, stumbled on 11th-hour obstacles once again, threatening hopes for a harmonious adjournment of the 12-day war conference.

Announcement of a settlement, made yesterday by Brazilian Foreign Minister Oswaldo Aranha, and the Brazilian break with the Axis had been foreseen for a festive wind-up today.

Delegates of the mediator nations still tried to keep the agreement, achieved in countless parleys with the disputing nations, from falling apart.

United States Undersecretary of State Sumner Welles held an early morning meeting at his hotel with Ecuadorian Foreign Minister Julio Tobar Donoso and then rushed to a meeting with Alfredo Soliz y Muro, Premier of Peru.

The difficulties were said to have arisen because of Ecuador's dissatisfaction with the text of a settlement protocol drafted last night.

Stolen Car Recovered—But Tires Are Missing

The wave of automobile tire thefts, started by the rationing program, continued last night with Donald B. Driscoll, 3534 Quesada street N.W., as the victim.

Mr. Driscoll's automobile was reported stolen from in front of his home and was found a few hours later by police at Twenty-eighth and Jenifer streets N.W. Four new sidewall tires were missing.

### Why Not Smith or Jones?

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 28 (AP).—Bernard William Butynski is tired of being ribbed about his name. He asked the Superior Court to change it to Bernard William De Groot.

Besides, he added, his present name is hard to pronounce and spell correctly.

### Central Labor Union's Fund To Set Up Four Blood Banks

Immediate development of four blood banks in Washington hospitals for victims of wartime incidents was planned today by District civilian defense officials as a first use to be made of a civilian defense fund of \$70,000 or more being raised among members of the Central Labor Union, A. P. L. affiliate.

Shortly after the fund campaign was announced by President John Locher of the C. L. U. representatives of the union presented to Commissioner John Russell Young, civilian defense co-ordinator for the National Capital Metropolitan Area, a check for \$5,000 from Local Union No. 26, International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, as a first payment toward the \$70,000 promised.

Speaking of the fund campaign generally, Commissioner Young declared: "This is one of the finest evidences of public support that yet

has come to our attention. We can make very good use of the money."

Other Supplies Needed. The money as it comes in will be spent for a wide variety of supplies and services which District O. C. D. officials say are urgently needed in the defense program.

While the new blood banks will be reserved for wartime emergency service, whatever remains after the emergency will be turned over to ordinary public use, it was emphasized by Commissioner Young. Dr. John Reed, chief of emergency medical service and civilian defense, and Col. Lemuel Bolles, civilian defense director for this area.

At least \$3,000 of the special fund being donated by C. L. U. workers will be spent to buy equipment and to hire technicians for development of the blood banks, but Commissioner Young said perhaps this service might need \$8,000.

Thorough Investigations. No appointment shall be made except after a thorough investigation of the proposed appointee and one of the investigatory agencies of the Government.

"All things being equal," Mr. Nelson said, "these men ought to be brought in to serve on a regular Government salary basis."

Mr. Nelson pointed out that the type of men needed have been earning more in private industry than the Government could pay them, and have, therefore, incurred financial obligations—life insurance or mortgages, etc.—on the basis of that income.

"Furthermore," Mr. Nelson continued, "when we bring these men in for this war effort, we are not offering permanent careers to them. In the very nature of things we are offering them temporary jobs. So, if we did not have any provision for dollar-a-year men, we should make an 'unconscious' effort to see men to sever their old connections entirely to take a temporary job at salaries which might not enable them to meet their fixed obligations."

Choice Would Be Limited. "In practice, then, we would usually get from industry only older men with some independently wealthy and who could therefore afford to make the break, or those who have already retired. I do not think the Congress could approve the principle of such an arrangement, and I do not think the Congress would like to limit the War Production Board to the ranks of the very wealthy in the selection of personnel."

Mr. Nelson said every one of the 300 dollar-a-year men now with his board came at the request of the War Production Board after careful investigation by the Federal Bureau of Investigation or some other investigating agency.

down by the Supreme Court, it was indicated that Justice Miller is still convinced that he and his brethren of the appellate court were right on the domiciliary issue even if they did have the last say.

The literal construction Justice Miller put on the decision also raised a question as to whether other members of the judiciary might not examine their affiliations here to determine whether their claims of domicile elsewhere might not be prejudiced.

Justice Miller was appointed to the Court of Appeals in 1937, three years after entering the Justice Department as special assistant to the Attorney General. In the interim he also had brief service as a member of the United States Board of Tax Appeals.

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Read also were out of the case), said, however, that a Federal employee could not escape the tax merely by claiming another domicile. Among the controlling factors that could determine domiciliary status, Justice Jackson said, was the relationship of the individual to "church, clubs, lodges and investments that identify him with the District."

Conversely, Justice Jackson said, "a migration with the professional, religious and fraternal life of the community" from which he came must be considered in determining "what bridges have been kept and what have been burned."

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### Celler Bill to Allow Wartime Tapping Of Telephone Wires

#### Cutting In on Japanese Might Have Halted Attack, Says Legislator

The Federal Bureau of Investigation and the intelligence services of the State, War and Navy Departments would be given authority to tap wires in the interest of the war program under provisions of a resolution introduced yesterday by Representative Celler, Democrat, of New York.

At the same time he issued a statement declaring the F. B. I. could not effectively combat espionage in Hawaii prior to the Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor because wire tapping was prohibited.

Mr. Celler's resolution was referred to the House Judiciary Committee.

"The Roberts report gives as one of the reasons for the tragedy at Pearl Harbor the inability of the Army and Navy intelligence services and the F. B. I. to tap wires, effectively used by the Japanese, particularly by the Japanese Consul and consular agencies," said Representative Celler. "In order to detect subversive activities and saboteurs, the tapping of wires and telephones as well as cables between Hawaii and Japan should have been permitted. The prohibition against such privilege was scandalous."

"Undoubtedly, valuable information would have been obtained had it been legal to tap wires, cables and telephones. Fifth column activities might have been scotched and the debacle at Pearl Harbor prevented."

"In December, after Pearl Harbor, we passed the amendment to the Overman Act which permitted interception of international telegrams and wires, but the prohibition still obtains against the tapping of domestic wires and wireless communications. These restrictions against wire tapping have now been shown to be absurd and dangerous restrictions on 'effective counter-espionage.'"

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### Gunman Hunted Here And in Nearby Area After \$1,239 Holdup

#### Express Truck Driver One of Five Victims Of Robbers

A lookout was broadcast today by the Maryland and the District for the gunman who yesterday held up and robbed Homer Smith, 29, of 1245 Neal street N.E., a driver for the American Express Co., in nearby Maryland.

Mr. Smith had made a delivery on Elm street in Takoma Park and was getting into his truck when the man got into the car and fired him at the point of a gun, to drive on. When they reached the Agar road near Hyattsville, the robber forced him to stop and hand over his collections. Mr. Smith told Prince Georges County police. After directing Mr. Smith to drive on, the man got out and was picked up in a car, which drove away toward Washington, police were told.

Darrell P. Aub, District manager of the company, estimated the loss at \$1,239.

Four robberies were reported to police from Northwest Washington. Adolph Reiman, Capitol Park, Md., night manager at a service station at Ninth and I streets N.W., was held up by two youths early today. One of them had a pistol, Mr. Reiman told police.

The bandits took about \$12,000. Mr. Reiman in a room and escaped. He later forced the door open.

Woman's Purse Snatched. Mrs. Charles Fitzgerald, 83 H street N.W., whose purse containing \$875 was snatched by a young colored man as she walked in the 700 block of First street N.W.

Thomas E. Sullivan, 933 Massachusetts avenue N.W., who was grabbed from behind by two men on his front steps at 12:30 a. m., knocked to the ground and robbed of his wallet containing \$6. The assailants escaped.

Suele Mungo, 32, colored, 615 N street N.W., who was attacked by five colored men in the 600 block of M street N.W., struck over the head and robbed of \$35. He was treated at Freedmen's Hospital for head injuries.

### British, Burmese Engage Japs Near Salween River

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#### Meetings Trouble United Nations' Diplomats, Even Younger Group Within State Department

By HELEN LOMBARD. When Ambassador Gaston Henry-Haye calls at the State Department the rumor spreads throughout the diplomatic corps and causes a flurry of uneasiness in many quarters.

Cordell Hull lately has been receiving the Vichy envoy more frequently, both officially and informally at his residence.

Knowledge in the State Department has given rise to a speculation among the diplomats representing the United Nations.

These countries whose interests are directly involved in the Far Eastern phase of the war feel particularly bitter towards the present French regime which turned over Indo-China to the Japanese at Nazi Germany's request and without the art of compromise that Mr. Hull thus furnished the vital base for the five-pronged attack in the Pacific.

It is well understood, of course, that the Secretary of State must be courteous to all diplomatic representatives. Both he and Mrs. Hull were careful to preserve the amenities in their contacts with the ambassadors of Emporer Hirohito.

The fact that Mr. Hull was patient to the last caused neither surprise nor criticism. But his violent reaction to the apology which Vichy thus furnished when he found out that the Nipponese had been using the conversations as a screen, was startling to seasoned diplomats. It denoted a Chamberlain-like trust which bordered on naivete.

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### Maestri Is Re-elected New Orleans Mayor; Long Machine Wins

#### Heavy Plurality Over Opponent Seen Blow At Gov. Jones

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 28.—The once riddled Huey P. Long political machine in Louisiana fought its way back to power in New Orleans yesterday with a sweeping re-election victory for Mayor Robert S. Maestri, former Long lieutenant.

The clearcut majority given Mr. Maestri by the city's Democrats challenged Gov. Sam H. Jones, chosen just two years ago on a "reform" platform. Gov. Jones' administration has been seriously crippled by political sniping at laws he sponsored, many of which have been found unconstitutional.

Gov. Jones had entered the city campaign to speak against "dictatorship" and to urge the voters to unseat Mayor Maestri, who is serving out his sixth year in the office he won in 1936.

Swept back into office with Mr. Maestri was his entire city ticket of Commission Council, judicial and other officials.

The victory was a triumph for the all-powerful old regular Democratic organization in the city and for former Gov. Huey P. Long, once a Huey Long intimate, who broke with the machine in 1936. In 1940, Mr. Noe threw his support to Gov. Jones, after being defeated in the first primary for Governor, to help elect the chief executive over Earl K. Long, Huey's brother, who was backed by Mayor Maestri.

The Jones-Noe combination broke down some months ago with Mr. Noe denouncing Gov. Jones in the current campaign.

The complete unofficial vote from the city's 262 precincts gave Mayor Maestri 75,655 votes to 49,527 for Herve Ravitch, around whom the Jones forces rallied. Shirley Wilberly polled 10,914 votes and John T. Knoop 789.

Voters used voting machines for the first time, and the election was noteworthy for its lack of violence.

### Horthy's Son Reported Slated to Succeed Him

STOCKHOLM, Jan. 28.—Newspaper reports from Berlin said yesterday that Stephan Horthy, 40-year-old son of Admiral Miklos Horthy, regent of Hungary, has been selected as the next ruler of Hungary.

They said that after the admiral's death, his 16-year-old son, now chief of the Hungarian State Railways, will be made chief of state of Hungary.

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### Lease-Lend Begins To Function in Favor Of The United States

#### Multiple A. E. F.s Draw Supplies From Nations Previously Assisted

By the Associated Press. Lease-Lend has gone into reverse, it was learned officially today, and America's "6, 8 or 10" expeditionary forces are now drawing some supplies from nations previously on the receiving end of the United States aid program.

In Northern Ireland and in the South Pacific particularly, officials said, the British have been lease-lending food, housing and some military supplies to the United States forces. The other locations are military secrets, but President Roosevelt said yesterday that the United States has 6, 8 or 10 such expeditions.

The process was explained to amount to a pooling of the resources of some of the United Nations, particularly the United States and Great Britain. But legally the transactions are all lease-lend in both directions.

It answers in part, an official said, the frequent question of how lease-lend articles were going to be paid back. From the first President Roosevelt proposed that repayment be in kind rather than in money. Whether the return payments will come near balancing the books, however, is something the officials don't know.

Lease-lend cash expenditures announced thus far amount to about \$1,200,

### Fierce Battle Raging In South China With Japs on Defensive

#### Chungking Also Reports Its Forces Increase Pressure, Kill 700 Men

By the Associated Press. SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 28.—A Chungking radio report of a severe battle developing over a wide area in South China was recorded by the Columbia Broadcasting System's short-wave listening station here.

C. B. S. quoted the daily broadcast from Chungking of the Chinese war communique: "Today's Chinese war communique, as released by the official news agency here, indicates that a severe battle is developing in South China in a wide area on the north bank of the East River."

"The Japanese brought up some 5,000 fresh troops from Canton to Sheklung and Tseng Cheng in the course of last week. An expert drive in two columns was launched upon these two points on Sunday morning."

"By Monday evening the enemy troops reached Bok Lo, to the northwest of the East River Tan. The defenders offered stiff resistance at every point, taking a heavy toll of the invader, both in men and equipment."

"Following the arrival of strong reinforcements from the rear, the Chinese command commenced a violent counterattack, forcing the enemy to retreat along the entire front by 8 o'clock yesterday morning. This fierce fighting has been continuing unabated in the Bok Lo sector."

"Up north, the Chinese operating on the east Hionan front are increasing their pressure on the beleaguered enemy garrisons at Kwaiyang. Last Saturday afternoon the Chinese recaptured two new points in Kwaiyang's southern outskirts, wiping out an enemy detachment of some 700 men."

"Yesterday afternoon seven enemy planes flew over Chengkiang in south Hionan, near the Indo-China border. The raiders dropped no bombs, but machine-gunned briefly the open fields outside Mengtze, before returning to their base in the French colony."

### A. F. L. Jurisdictional Strike Delays Plant for Navy

By the Associated Press. PONTIAC, Mich., Jan. 28.—A. F. L. building trades mechanics today halted work on the new naval ordnance plant of the Pontiac Motor Co., now 90 per cent completed.

Victor C. Swearingen, state labor conciliator, said he planned conferences later today to seek a settlement.

The same group returned to the job last Thursday after a two-day strike. That stoppage resulted from a dispute over who was to handle the installation of machinery, which is being set up as fast as the actions of the building are completed.

The A. F. L. Riggers' Union and Millwrights of the A. F. L. Carpenters' Union both claim the right to install the machinery. The company has been using its own employees, who are members of the rival United Automobile Workers-C. I. O., to do the work.

Other A. F. L. unions sided in the dispute, and today A. F. L. truck drivers also refused to enter the plant.

### Mississippi Blue Laws Upheld Despite Army Plea

By the Associated Press. JACKSON, Miss., Jan. 28.—Despite an Army plea, Mississippi's 120-year-old Sunday blue laws remained on the books today.

The House of Representatives yesterday voted 66-63 against a bill to legalize Sunday movies, pictures and ball games. The action killed the move for this biennial session.

Proponents read the legislators a letter from Maj. Gen. Dan I. Sultan, division commander at Camp Shelby, urging passage as an aid to soldier morale.

Opponents' arguments closed with a plea by a minister-member, Representative D. Holder of Lee County, to vote negatively "for just one reason—it violates the law of Almighty God; it's morally wrong."

### Stacey R. Woodward, Film Producer, Dies

By the Associated Press. NEW YORK, Jan. 28.—Stacey R. Woodward, 39, an independent motion picture producer, died yesterday of a heart attack.

### Churchill Defended By Son in Parliament Debate on War

By the Associated Press. LONDON, Jan. 28.—Amid the voices raised in criticism against Prime Minister Churchill in the House of Commons today was one in his defense, that of his son, Randolph.

After listening to the long chorus of criticism of his father's war leadership, Randolph asked the House, "although this might not be a very good government, ought we not ask ourselves is it a very good House of Commons?" Young Churchill, a major in the army, is on leave from the Middle East. He is a Conservative.



CIVIL ENGINEERS HOLD ANNUAL DINNER—Shown last night at the Washington Hotel dinner of the American Society of Civil Engineers are (left to right) E. B. Black, national president; Maj. Gen. Eugene Reybold, U. S. A., speaker; G. A. Hathaway, president of the District Branch, and Capt. Lewis B. Combs, U. S. N., another speaker.

### U. S. Must Mobilize All Its Resources to Win War, Engineers Told

#### Army and Navy Officers Speak at Annual Dinner of District Society

Expressing the view that too much emphasis has been laid on our successes, and not enough on our reverses, Capt. Lewis B. Combs, assistant chief of the Navy Bureau of Yards and Docks, warned last night that the United States must not underestimate the strength of its enemies. In addressing a dinner of the District of Columbia section of the American Society of Civil Engineers at the Washington Hotel, he said that a "complete, all-out mobilization" will be necessary to win victory.

Pointing out that this is an "engineers' war," Maj. Gen. Eugene Reybold, chief of Army engineers, declared that one of the reasons why "ultimate victory will be ours is that our engineering profession is stronger, more progressive, more vigorous than that of our enemies."

Gen. A. Hathaway, president of the section, presided at last night's dinner, which was attended by about 300 persons. T. Keith Legare, executive secretary of the National Council of State Boards of Engineering Examiners, was another speaker. "Representing the Rough Element" was his topic.

Engineers' Role Discussed. "We may as well face the fact, that, for a long time to come, there will be no 'engineering as usual' in this country," Gen. Reybold declared in discussing the role of the engineer in the war. "The demands of the war effort have taken, and must continue to take, precedence over everything else."

Priorities are with us for the duration. There is also a priority on engineering talent, and the engineering talent of America is one of the greatest of our resources." Capt. Combs outlined the functions of the Civil Engineer Corps in the Navy and reviewed the part that it had played in the development of the Navy.

### Henrietta Roelofs, Peace Leader, Dies

By the Associated Press. NEW HAVEN, Conn., Jan. 28.—Henrietta Roelofs, 62, president of the National Peace Council, member of the Y. W. C. A.'s national board and writer-lecturer, died yesterday while she slept.

Miss Roelofs, for 25 years a New Canaan resident, recently had returned from speaking engagements in Buffalo, N. Y. Born in Grand Rapids, Mich., she attended Lake Erie College and in 1906 was employed by the Y. W. C. A. national board. During the last war, she helped direct Y. W. C. A. work in France. For some time after the war she headed the board's rural communities department.

She had been a director of the League of Nations Association, and helped organize the Peace and Disarmament Committee of the Women's International Organization in 1931 in Geneva. She is survived by two sisters, Irene Roelofs, Ashville, N. C., and Elbertha Roelofs, Dallas, Tex., and a brother, Howard Roelofs, Glendale, Ohio.

In 1941 the phonograph record industry sold 110,000,000 platters, an all-time record.

### Nazi Libyan Drive Now at Impasse, British Declare

#### Gen. Rommel's Columns Stopped for Two Days, Cairo Command Says

By the Associated Press. CAIRO, Jan. 28.—Gen. Erwin Rommel's armored columns, which shoved the British back 150 miles in three days, have been stopped for two days and, apparently, have come to an impasse in their Libyan counter-drive, British headquarters reported today.

The communique placed the British defenders on a 50-mile line from Soluch, near the eastern shore of the Gulf of Sirte, to a point just north of Msus.

This was the same zone as the British announced Sunday, when the communique said the Germans had pushed north and northeast of Msus in a 40-mile advance from the Angelat-Agedaban-Sannu triangle, where a heavy tank battle was fought over the week end.

Clear picture of the line, the communique said, and R. A. F. bomber and fighter forces are inflicting "great havoc" on Gen. Rommel's troops and equipment in day and night assaults.

"The situation generally remains unaltered and with the conclusion of what may be the first phase of the present operation it is now possible to give a clear picture of the fighting which has taken place during the past week," the communique said.

"For seven days highly mobile German columns have operated with skill and determination over a wide area from El Aghella to Msus, the main axis of the advance being along a road joining these places."

"During this phase, the heavy going of the road caused by abnormal rain, together with the fluid character of the fighting made it impossible for us to concentrate in any one area and the operations resolved themselves into a series of engagements between the enemy's columns and our own, which have fought with equal tenacity."

"Exploiting his initial success on January 21-22, when strong columns penetrated our light screen and re-occupied Agedaba, the enemy regained local initiative in this area."

"Air Force Co-operating. "Enemy troops are in Msus and our mobile columns and patrols are in touch with the enemy on a general line from Soluch to just northeast of Msus with patrols well forward to the south."

"Throughout the operations the co-operation of our air forces has been magnificent, day after day and also at night a heavy toll has been taken of enemy vehicles."

"January 26 was a particularly successful day for our bombers and fighters, both of which returned again and again to the attack."

"Great havoc was observed among enemy mechanized transport between Antelat and Msus, where

### Mass Production of '105' Howitzer Announced

The Army announced yesterday that its 105-millimeter howitzer, in the process of development for several years to replace the familiar World War type 75's, is now in mass production.

Possessing characteristics of both a gun and a howitzer, the 105 was designed as a divisional light artillery weapon. Mounted on a pneumatic-tired carriage, it is highly mobile, and its firing range is approximately one-third greater than the old 75.

Some of the new howitzers have been in service for some time, but this was the first announcement that quantity production had been achieved.

### British Retreat Continues In Libya, Italians Say

#### ROME (from Italian broadcast), Jan. 28 (P).—British forces are continuing to retreat eastward across Libya before counterattacking Axis forces, the Italian high command said today.

"The German high command made mention of further Axis advances."

Contact with the British rear-guard was maintained all day yesterday by German and Italian armored units while Axis planes supported the advance with continuous machine-gunning and bombing assaults, the daily war bulletin said.

### Enlisted Man Saves and Buys \$1,000 Bond

#### PORT BLISS, Tex., Jan. 28.—Oscar A. Elizondo of San Antonio has a \$1,000 Defense Savings Bond to prove what a thrifty fellow can do with his Army pay.

When Mr. Elizondo entered the service he decided to salt away part of his earnings. His father agreed to match those savings, dollar for dollar. During each of his first four months Mr. Elizondo received \$21, but managed to put \$10 of it in the sock. He was made a sergeant. His salary was increased to \$70. He banked most of it.

In due time he had \$375. His dad contributed a similar sum. Mr. Elizondo bought a bond with a \$1,000 maturity value for \$750.

His new goal: Another bond seven or eight months hence.

### Death Held Suicide

A certificate of suicide has been issued by Coroner A. Magruder MacDonald in the death of Angelo E. Robertello, 40, Census Bureau clerk, who was found dead in his gas-filled bedroom at 1019 E street N.E. yesterday.

### Drive Opens Tonight To Raise \$100,000 For Police Boys' Club

#### Gen. Hershey, Maj. Kelly And Ernest W. Brown Among Speakers

An address by Brig. Gen. Lewis B. Hershey, director of selective service, at the Willard Hotel tonight will mark the opening of the annual drive to collect \$100,000 for the Metropolitan Police Boys' Club.

The District Commissioners issued a proclamation today urging public support of the campaign. It read in part: "The club gives to thousands of boys of the city an opportunity for development, mentally, morally and physically, and tends to create in them the fullest values of citizenship."

"It is a civic endeavor worthy of the support of every resident of Washington, and we urge our residents to contribute to the Boys' Club to the end that this service to the youth of our community may be continued."

Appearing with Gen. Hershey at tonight's rally will be Maj. Edward J. Kelly, superintendent of police; Ernest W. Brown, former police chief and leader in the boys' club movement; and James E. Colliflower, former club president.

Morris Cafritz, president of the club, will preside. Details of the campaign will be outlined by Ralph Goldsmith, chairman of the campaign committee, and L. Gordon Leech, campaign director.

### Finnish Shipowners Protest Confiscation

HELSINKI, Jan. 28.—Finnish shipowners, who have lost 42 per cent of their total tonnage during the war, have appealed to the Government to protest the confiscation of Finnish vessels by the United States and Britain, it was announced today.

### Lost and Found

Lost Ads and Death Notices may be placed in The Star up to 12 noon—Lost and Found Ads are on page 3 every day.

### Henderson Is Granted Authority to Ration Retail Commodities

#### Price-Control Measure Passed, Goes to President; Signature Expected

Everything that Americans buy at the stores became liable to rationing today, and legal price fixing was only one short step away.

The War Production Board delegated to Acting Price Administrator Leon Henderson full power to ration retail commodities, only a short time before the Senate completed congressional action yesterday on a much-amended price-control bill and sent it to President Roosevelt.

Democratic leaders said they expected the Chief Executive to sign the measure, although some of its farm price sections were known to be distasteful to him. He had asked for the legislation more than six months ago, as a check against inflation.

Living costs have risen more than 11 per cent since September, 1939. Government economists say, and parallel price rises have added several billion dollars to the cost of the Nation's armament program.

Henderson Retention Conceded. The Capital generally conceded that Mr. Henderson would be retained in the price administration post, he now holds by virtue of an executive order. The added rationing authority given him by Mr. Roosevelt's approval, virtually guaranteed that the name of Henderson in the next few weeks would become a by-word in the kitchens, corner stores and offices of America.

Further rationing, the W. P. B. observed, "seems inevitable." Signature of the price fixing measure will not necessarily mean an immediate flood of price-fixing orders, said one of Mr. Henderson's lieutenants, who declared that situations will be met as they arise.

Relying almost entirely up to now on voluntary arrangements and orders without the specific support of law, the O. P. A. has fixed price ceilings on 72 commodities ranging from washed cattle-tail hair to steel.

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### Number of Agencies Increase Gifts to Mile o' Dimes

Total So Far Is Behind Last Year; Campaign To Close Friday

Hosts of new workers brought forth by the war effort have added their dimes to swell the contributions of many Government agencies to this year's Mile o' Dimes campaign.

The total amount of money collected in this phase of the drive against infantile paralysis, however, is somewhat below that recorded for the same period last year, when inauguration crowds were among those who passed the stand at Fourteenth street and New York avenue to drop their dimes on the line.

Already the Navy Department, one agency which has seen a considerable increase in personnel since the war effort was started, has sent Lt. Robert Montgomery, the movie star turned naval officer, to the stands with \$1,020. Last year Navy's contribution was \$768.

Justice Sides More. The Justice Department, too, has made a considerably increased contribution to the Mile o' Dimes. The department, including the Federal Bureau of Investigation, has added \$22,520 to the infantile paralysis fund this year, a sizable increase over last year's \$494.40.

The Interior Department's \$357 marks an increase of \$110 over the same agency's contribution of last year and officials said this was incomplete and more dimes would be added.

Perhaps the most spectacular of all the increases from a percentage standpoint, however, is that of the employees of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co. Last year their contribution to Mile o' Dimes was \$4,453; this year it was \$80.

Then there is the Southern Railway, whose employees sent \$22 last year and \$104 this year, with more promised.

Today a number of notables were scheduled to appear at the red, white and blue Mile o' Dimes stand, bringing further contributions to the fund. Among them was Edward Arnold, in town for the President's Birthday Ball, who appeared for the 12-15 broadcast over WMAL, impartingly dropping a dime in each state bottle, adding a dollar bill for California, his home state now.

Secretary of Commerce Jesse Jones will appear on the afternoon broadcast, scheduled for 7:30. In place of the usual 4-45, presenting the contribution of the Federal Loan Agency. On the same program, Gen. Albert L. Cox will present the War Department's contribution and Rear Admiral Emory S. Land will bring that of the Maritime Commission.

Yesterday's visitors at the Mile o' Dimes stand included a group of young children from Whittier School, who brought \$10.60 in dimes to be added to the fund. Speaking for them, Wilson Davis, sixth-grade pupil, said:

"I'm glad I can use my arms and legs to help those who can't."

Other groups bring funds. Other contributions were received on the 12-15 broadcast over WMAL from the Civil Service Commission, \$258.80; the Chesapeake & Potomac Telephone Co., \$106.10, and Lansburgh & Brothers, \$82. Ten dimes for each year the store has been in business. Also adding to the Mile o' Dimes fund were the Gallinger Hospital nurses, the Federation of Women's Clubs, the Navy Yard unit of the Federal Welders' Association and the Ladies' Auxiliary of the District Hebrew Beneficial Association.

On the afternoon broadcast at 4:45 o'clock yesterday there appeared representatives of a group of nurses who have cared for infantile paralysis victims at Children's Hospital, the sixth grade at Ketchum School, the Reconciliation and Clearance Division of the General Accounting Office, Bethel No. 1 of the National Labor Relations Board, the National Resources and Planning Board and the National Radio Institute.

A portion of the proceeds from the ticket sale for tomorrow's wrestling show at Turner's Arena, featuring the match between Eric Dusek and "The Angel," will be turned over to Mile o' Dimes.



YOUNG STUDENTS HELP, TOO—Nancy Adkins, 13, of 7542 Twelfth street N.W. (in rear) and Kathryn Adams, 13, of 823 Madison street N.W. (in front) are shown contributing the \$7.20 they collected from their fellow eighth-grade pupils at Paul Junior High School for the Mile o' Dimes. —Star Staff Photo.

### McCoach Raised to Brigadier; Was District Engineer Head

Named by Roosevelt For Promotion in List of 28 Officers

Col. David McCoach, Corps of Engineers, U. S. A., former Engineer Commissioner for the District, was nominated today by President Roosevelt to the rank of brigadier general.

Col. McCoach was included in a list of 20 colonels given similar promotions. At the same time, the President nominated four Brigadier Generals to be Major Generals. Among them was Gen. Brehon B. Somervell, also of the Army Engineers, who has been in charge of much of the War Department's construction program around Washington.

The other nominations to major general were Brig. Gen. Thomas M. Robbins, Carl Spaatz and Sherman Miles, Chief of Army Intelligence and son of the late Spanish-American War General, Nelson A. Miles.

Served Till Last June. Col. McCoach was Engineer Commissioner of the District from September 1938 to June of 1941, succeeding Brig. Gen. Dan I. Sultan. He was largely responsible for the handling of the District's \$18,000,000 Public Works program and was author of a plan saving the District thousands of dollars in interest on P. W. A. loans. When he was transferred last June, the community paid tribute to him with a large dinner in his honor.

Gen. Somervell in 1926 was put in charge of the Washington aqueduct and is responsible for some of the development of the city water supply system. More recently he has been in charge of Quartermaster Corps construction of barracks and cantonments, and it was he who sold the President on the mammoth War Department building.

Macassar Strait, the roadway to Java, headquarters of Gen. Sir Archibald P. Wavell's United Nations command, lies between Dutch East Borneo and Celebes Island.

A Netherlands Indies communiqué acknowledged that the Japanese had apparently occupied the burned-out oil center of Balikpapan.

Invaders Lured Into Trap. It was apparent, however, that the invaders had been lured into a deadly trap, set by the Dutch more than a week ago when they announced that Balikpapan's great oil fields had been destroyed and implied that land defenses had been withdrawn.

In accepting the "invitation" the Japanese armada unwarily sailed into a hornet's nest of Allied submarines, bombers and surface warfare. No immediate estimate was available on the loss of Japanese lives, which presumably ran into the thousands.

While the Dutch listed only 30 Japanese troopships and warships sunk or badly damaged, American accounts put the five-day toll at 36, including a battleship.

Dispatches from Batavia did not disclose whether the battle in the shark-infested strait still continued after yesterday's smashing blows by United States bombers.

Sumatra Coast Raided. Japanese bombers made a heavy raid today on Emmahaven, on the west coast of Sumatra, setting fire to the town and inflicting a third, it was announced in Batavia.

Some casualties were announced as a result of a new attack in the region of Ambon, on Ambonia Island between the Celebes and New Guinea.

There has been no decrease in enemy air activity; the Netherlands Indies command said. Bombs were dropped on several undefended places, causing little material damage. Here and there in the south-east of Borneo bombs were dropped and machine-gunning took place.

Reporting no news from Balikpapan, Borneo port on the Macassar Strait, the Indies communiqué said "there is reason to assume the Jap-

anese have occupied the completely destroyed and burned-out establishments. Strong resistance was reported against the invaders at Kendari, but loss of communication with that city was acknowledged.

### Russians Reported Battering 250-Mile Nazi Defense Line

Recapture of 79 More Towns Is Claimed; Rzhev in Danger

Russia's armies, pressing their great winter counteroffensive, were reported surging forward unchecked today on the threshold of a 250-mile German defense line northwest and southwest of Moscow.

Soviet dispatches reported the recapture of 79 more towns and indicated that Adolf Hitler's retreating invaders were falling back on a double row defense system, a mile and a half in depth, extending from Velikie Luki to Vyazma to Bryansk. Velikie Luki is only 80 miles from the Russian frontier.

Crimea Nearly Cleared, Nazis Say. On the Crimean front a German war bulletin asserted that Russian reinforcements landed on the southern coast of the Black Sea peninsula had been beaten off and almost completely wiped out in several days of hard fighting.

The Red Army newspaper Red Star said assault troops were at the approaches of important centers of German resistance in that snow-swept area and of these Rzhev, a railroad center on the upper Volga miles from the capital, is outstanding.

Rzhev was reported encircled after Russian spearheads had driven to the Dno-Velikie Luki area. Nazis Forces "Blockaded." "Soviet troops are blocking the enemy with small forces and have cut his communications," Red Star said. "The bulk of the Red Army troops are pursuing the retreating fascists, splitting them into isolated groups and annihilating them."

The British radio said the Russian had blown up a hotel in which 150 officers were billeted in Orel, a railway city 200 miles south of the capital which is reported to be the objective of a land drive. The Soviet Information Bureau said Ukrainian guerrillas killed two German officers.

Nazis Prepare Berlin Defense. Germany is building a series of defense lines on the eastern front stretching all the way back to the approaches to Berlin, Prof. Mikhail Gavrillov declared yesterday in a lecture before the Kubysshev Communist Club. Gavrillov, a well-known party spokesman, told his 500 listeners that the Germans were creating one line along the 1939 Russian-Polish border, another along the previous Russian-Polish frontier further east and a third along the length of the Oder River in Germany.

"In the near future," he said, "all Soviet territory will again become Russian."

### Indictment Charges Nazis Pay Propaganda Cost With War Loot

Federal Jury in New York Accuses Firm and Four Officials of Plot

NEW YORK, Jan. 28.—The German high command and their agents in New York City were accused in a Federal indictment today of dumping plundered loot and spoils of war in United States markets, the proceeds to be used to finance propaganda work in North and South America.

A New York corporation, its president and three other individuals were named in the conspiracy indictment. Those indicted were the Pioneer Import Corp.; Werner von Clemm, its president, said by Federal agents to be a cousin of the wife of German Foreign Minister von Ribbentrop; Carl von Clemm, Werner's twin brother, said by authorities to be a German emissary in Italy; Ernest Cremer, manager of the Diamond Control Office, a regulatory body established by the Nazis in the Low Countries following their occupation, and Carlos Hoepfner, European vice president of Pioneer Corp. and believed to be now in Germany.

Named as co-conspirators, but not as defendants, were "persons constituting the high command of the German Army"; members and partners of the International Mortgage Handlungsgesellschaft G. M. B. H., European purchasing agency for Pioneer Corp.; and "persons constituting the Diamond Control Office of the German Army in Antwerp."

The indictment said the alleged spoils included millions of dollars worth of diamonds seized in Belgium and the Netherlands when German troops occupied those countries in the spring of 1940.

Assistant United States Attorney Bruno Schachner said Treasury Department agents had in their possession \$100,000 worth of diamonds allegedly shipped from Germany to the Pioneer Import Corp. and had traced to the same corporation the sale of an additional \$50,000 worth of diamonds from the same source.

Seamen's Pay Protected. The Maritime War Emergency Board announced yesterday that seamen on American merchant ships would receive their usual pay while interned abroad or absent from the United States because of loss of their vessel through enemy action.

The decision is retroactive to December 7 and will remain in effect until three months after the end of the war.

### Indictments

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a month, in cash—from the Japanese consulate. Charge Against Obama. The indictment declared that Obama, the secretary of the Japanese Chamber of Commerce, filed a registration statement with the Department of Justice on behalf of the Trade and Information Committee which failed to state that the committee was getting money from the Japanese consulate in San Francisco.

The indictment was handed up to Justice by Alan Goldsborough in District Court this morning and the Department of Justice lawyers immediately asked Justice Goldsborough to issue bench warrants for the arrest of the defendants still in this country. The Government is anxious to proceed against them as quickly as possible, it was explained.

State Department records show that Mr. Townsend resigned from the American foreign service in February, 1933, after a year's duty in China. He was appointed to the foreign service December 16, 1930, serving first as vice consul in Montreal and being assigned to Foochow, China, January 9, 1932.

He was detailed temporarily to Shanghai for a time, returning to Foochow in April of 1932. He still was assigned there when he resigned.

### Gen. Knudsen Confirmed

The Senate confirmed late yesterday the nomination of William S. Knudsen, former director of the O. P. M., as lieutenant general in charge of production and procurement for the Army.

### Soviet Paper Laughs At Jap Boasts of How They Will Rule Asia

MOSCOW, Jan. 28.—Under the headline "He Who Laughs Last" the Communist Party newspaper Pravda reported today that Japanese journalists are predicting the establishment of a vast economic arc from Australia to eastern Siberia under Japanese control.

Since there is rigid censorship in Japan, Pravda added, such articles must be published with the full knowledge of the authorities.

"We consider it necessary to warn them against this kind of senseless writing," continued the Communist paper, advising the Japanese writers to learn from the early boasting of the German press over what the Nazi army would do in Russia.



SAFE IN PHILIPPINES—Arthur MacArthur, 4th son of Gen. Douglas MacArthur, is safe in the Philippines with his mother, Mrs. Marie Beard Glenn of Louisville (Ky.), aunt of Mrs. MacArthur, revealed yesterday she had been notified of their safety by Secretary of State Hull. Their exact location was not given. —A. P. Wirephoto.

### Hull Congratulates Rio Conference for Aid to 'Solidarity'

Ministers' Collaboration To Safeguard Americas Praised by Secretary

Secretary of State Hull today extended congratulations to the Conference of American Foreign Ministers at Rio de Janeiro for its "notable contribution" to the "progressive development of inter-American co-operation and solidarity."

In a message to Dr. Oswaldo Aranha, Brazilian Foreign Minister, who is presiding at the conference, Mr. Hull expressed "my profound admiration for your leadership and the outstanding statesmanship of our colleagues."

The Rio de Janeiro meeting, the Secretary said in his message to the Brazilian Foreign Minister, climaxed a series of pan-American conferences in which the American republics "have collaborated to make the Americas a secure and impregnable stronghold of free and liberty-loving nations."

The Secretary's message was in reply to one from Dr. Aranha in which the Brazilian Foreign Minister expressed regret that Mr. Hull could not attend the conference personally and emphasizing that all the Americas had demonstrated that now, more than ever before, they are "disposed to transform into reality the ideal of American solidarity."

### Japs' Loss at Changsha 56,944 Men, Chinese Say

CHUNGKING, Jan. 28.—An official Chinese tabulation today placed at 56,944 the Japanese losses in dead and prisoners in the invaders' third losing battle of Changsha.

### Soldier Gets Ten Years As Drinking Bout Slayer

CAMP ROBERTS, Calif., Jan. 28.—Master Sgt. Charles T. Lanham, 49, of Martinsburg, W. Va., was sentenced to 10 years in prison yesterday by a court-martial which convicted him of manslaughter in the shooting of Sgt. Robert W. Alexander during a drinking bout December 17.

Sgt. Alexander, 27, of McDowell, Va., came here with Sgt. Lanham last October from Fort Monroe, Va.

### F. B. I. to Hold Police War Traffic School

The Federal Bureau of Investigation will open a war traffic school here February 9 for the instruction of local police officers and members of the auxiliary police in handling traffic problems arising out of emergency conditions.

The course, lasting six days, will deal with conditions during blackouts, bombing raids, troop movements and other phases of war.

The instruction will be given in 120 cities and will continue through the first week in April.

### Compulsory Payment of Part Of Wages in War Bonds Seen

Compulsory part payment of salaries and wages in Defense bonds, and even higher taxes, were foreseen today by the National Resources Planning Board in an analysis of the trends of war needs and post-war policy.

The board, a Federal agency, scouted any theory that a post-war depression was inevitable.

With respect to the war period, the agency, in a special pamphlet prepared by Alvin H. Hansen, Harvard economics professor and special adviser to the Federal Reserve Board, said the following policies were indicated:

1. High corporate-income and excess profits taxes. 2. Sharply progressive estate taxes. 3. Broadening of individual income tax base together with steeply graduated surtax rates. 4. Sharp increase in excise taxes on commodities competing with the war program. 5. Part payment of wages and salaries in defense bonds. 6. "Qualitative shift in the components of consumption."

Treasury and congressional tax experts now are studying potential new tax sources. Capitol Hill has heard some talk of a possible Federal tax on retail sales.

Turning to the post-war era, Dr. Hansen wrote: "We shall have, when the war is over, the technical equipment, the trained and efficient labor, and the natural resources required to produce a substantially higher real income for civilian needs than has ever achieved before in our history. Whether or not we shall, in fact, achieve that level of income will depend upon our intelligence and capacity for co-operative action."

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### Churchill Assured Of Confidence, but Regime Is Accused

Government Misdemeanor On Security in Pacific, Commons Critics Charge

LONDON, Jan. 28.—The government was accused today of misleading the country with "childish promises of security in the Pacific war area but, in almost the same breath, Prime Minister Churchill's critics in the House of Commons accused him of the vote of confidence that he demands.

Starting the second day of debate over the government's war leadership, launched yesterday with the Prime Minister's accounting to Parliament and the motion, Clement R. Attlee, his lieutenant in the House, formally proposed the vote of confidence.

Some May Abstain. Labor members decided by a large majority to support it, but there were signs that some might abstain and that a few might even vote against the government. Liberals were reported also to have decided to support him.

Any shred of doubt over the outcome was dispelled when Mr. Churchill's own Conservative party announced after a meeting in his afternoon that it supported him overwhelmingly. The vote is expected tomorrow, at the end of the three-day debate.

Sir John Wardlaw Milne, an influential Conservative who led the critics' attack, announced, nevertheless, that he also would vote confidence because an adverse vote "would be disaster." He accused the Prime Minister of seeking the vote primarily for the sake of his assailed colleagues.

Reverses Pivots of Attack. As was foreseen, Britain's reverses in the battle for Singapore and the trend of the war in North Africa were two pivots of the attack, and prospective United States help was cited on the credit side of the government's ledger.

"We are entitled to look to the United States for naval control in the Pacific," Sir John declared, "and I have no doubt that in the end we shall not be disappointed. "It would be valueless to discuss Pearl Harbor. They at least had the excuse that they weren't at war. We were, and we were caught equally napping."

That the United States agreed at a time when she was attacked by a formidable enemy to pool her resources and let them be sent where they are most needed "will stand high among the great transactions of these days," said Henry Graham White, a Liberal.

### Vichy Rushes Food To End Disorders In South France

Demonstrations Assumed Political Aspect, Says Interior Official

VICHY, Unoccupied France, Jan. 28.—Hundreds of tons of foodstuffs have been rushed to the departments of Hérault and Gard, in Southern France, to put an end to food demonstrations which have broken out throughout that region, Raymond Grimal, an official of the Interior Ministry, said today.

The demonstrations began about mid-January in Montpellier, Sete, Nîmes, Arles, Ales and Agde, resulting in police measures such as arrests and house-to-house searches, M. Grimal disclosed.

Some of the demonstrations, he asserted, have "taken on a political aspect" (presumably have become demonstrations against the Vichy regime). In case of recurrences "order will be maintained energetically," he declared.

Some of those arrested, as in Sete, where dock workers went on strike, were released the same day and the demonstration continued.

M. Grimal announced that an extra meat ration had been granted to each person in the two departments of the last two weeks in January, with an extra 750 grams (26 ounces) of spaghetti and noodles in special trouble spots and 500 grams (17½ ounces) in the rest of the area.

M. Grimal warned of drastic measures if "certain disturbers try to provoke new incidents." He attributed the food shortage to three factors: The fact that the region is a one-crop area dependent on imports, the sinking of the steamship La Moricière which was bringing food from North Africa, and the cold wave which has hampered land transportation.

Among the foodstuffs sent into the two departments were 200 tons of potatoes, Jerusalem artichokes and Swedish turnips from Limoges, and tons more brought from Algeria.

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### Famine in Athens Kills 2,000 in Day; Bread \$15 a Loaf

BERN, Switzerland, Jan. 28.—Famine conditions in Greece are so acute that 2,000 perished in Athens alone in a single day and bread sells for \$15 a loaf, the Journal de Geneve reported today.

The paper quoted an anonymous letter dated December 9, 1941, from a writer in Greece as the source of its information.

"People of the streets all are like skeletons and on every corner people are lying down," the letter said. "The winter is especially intense and there is no wood."

"Only the richest can afford available food, with bread selling at \$15 a loaf."

### Trailer Camp Rent Posed To Cogswell

Administrator Robert F. Cogswell, who has dealt with many baffling questions since the District rent-control law became effective, was confronted with a new problem today—the matter of rents in an automobile trailer camp.

A man called Mr. Cogswell and said his trailer was parked just outside of Alexandria. The owner, he said, wanted more rent for the spot.

The administrator sighed with relief and explained that his jurisdiction extends only to the boundaries of the District. He commented later that the trailer camp problem was a new one to him and that he had not decided whether or not the law gives him authority to control rents at camps in the District.

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## Archibald MacLeish's Statement on War, No. 6

### VII.

#### The Labor Front

On the world's labor front the contrast between the Fascist system and our own is sharply and dramatically drawn. The first conquest of the Nazis was the conquest of their own people. As a consequence, many Reich factories that are turning out guns meant for the enslavement of other people are themselves run by slaves. And workers of countries overrun by the Axis have been wrenched from their homes and shipped into the Reich as forced labor.

In this country we have placed our reliance on what President Wilson called "the highest and best form of efficiency . . . the spontaneous co-operation of a free people."

We are fighting our battle of production confident that free labor will outproduce slave labor. Five million workers have already been drawn into America's tremendous war production program. But that is only a beginning. Five million more will be required in the next six months. By the end of the year labor's army of men and women in war industries will be tripled—and it will be quadrupled in 1943.

During the first year and a half of our defense program disputes between labor and management were allowed to interfere with production. From June 1, 1940, to December 1, 1941, O. P. M.'s labor division tallied 160 defense strikes of "primary significance" involving 280,100 workers, causing the loss of 2,687,900 man-days. On March 19, 1941, the National Defense Mediation Board was created by executive order to mediate labor controversies and avoid strikes, stoppages and lockouts. In roughly 10 months of its existence 114 cases, affecting nearly 2,000,000 workers, were certified to the board. In 61 of these cases strikes were in progress and defense production interrupted when the board was called in. Ninety-two disputes, affecting more than 1,000,000 workers, were settled.

#### Board Rarely Disregarded.

One of the board's major objectives was to keep workers on the job while controversies were being mediated. Progress in attaining this objective is shown by the fact that in the 22 cases still pending before the board early in January the 98,000 workers affected remained at work in the factories.

Other conciliation agencies of the Government settled 583 disputes in plants working on Army, Navy and Maritime Commission contracts before they could develop into strikes. These disputes involved more than 2,000,000 workers.

The recommendations of the mediation board had no legal force, but they rarely were disregarded. In three cases, when strikes were in progress and the board's recommendations were rejected, the President ordered seizure of the plants.

Japan's attack on Pearl Harbor brought a swift and almost unanimous response from labor. Threatened strikes were called off. Unions circularized their members urging them to buy Defense bonds. Others asked to be allowed to give blood for Army and Navy blood banks. Unions whose membership was largely Italian-American and German-American affirmed that "we are Americans above all."

The President's appeal to all war industries to work 168 hours a week produced pledges of support. Hundreds of thousands of workers volunteered for overtime until the additional Sunday and night work could be spread out through the recruiting of additional shifts.

This spontaneous rallying of labor reached a climax on December 17, when representatives of the C. I. O. and A. F. L. met with representatives of industry to draft voluntarily a formula to insure industrial peace and prevent interruptions in production. This conference reached a unanimous agreement on a three-point formula which was immediately adopted by the President:

1. There shall be no strikes or lockouts.
2. All disputes shall be settled by peaceful means.
3. The President shall set up a proper war labor board to handle these disputes.

#### To Need Another 10,000,000.

On January 12 the President created the War Labor Board, superseding the National Defense Mediation Board. The new board consists of 12 members, with representatives for the public, for labor and for management. In the maritime field, labor and management representatives agreed unanimously on the creation of a similar Maritime Labor Board to settle all disputes. The United States Maritime Commission said this agreement assures uninterrupted shipping service for the length of the war.

War industries are expected to need another 10,000,000 workers before the end of 1942. Shortages

of some skills cannot be avoided. However, great as are our labor needs, they can be filled from the vast reservoir of man power that lies in our population of 133,000,000. Where in 1918 only 286 men and 266 women in every thousand were of normal working age, today in every thousand we have 296 men and 293 women of working age.

We are prepared to tap this vast reservoir of man power. When industry began tooling up for defense the W. P. A. estimated the number of unemployed at 9,000,000. About 5,200,000 now have been absorbed. It is expected that one-half of those still unemployed will be at work before next December.

Since the early summer of 1940 the greatest worker training program we have ever known has been under way. Nearly 2,500,000 workers have received training in 1,200 vocational schools, 155 colleges and universities, and in 10,000 public school shops. More than 600 schools are operat-

ing on a 24-hour basis. In addition, several hundred thousand youths have been given work experience and defense training under N. Y. A. and C. C. C. Workers in 1,800 plants have been reached by training within industry itself.

To offset the serious shortage of "lead men," particular emphasis has been laid on the training of foremen and supervisors. Since August about 12,000 supervisors have been trained in 700 plants. The goal is to turn out 350,000 such supervisors, 200,000 of them in the next six months.

#### Short Cuts in Training.

For some skills, three to four years are required to train workers. The emergency demands short cuts. They have been found in such devices as "upgrading," by which workers are moved up through the higher skills within a plant and new workers are hired to fill their places. One aircraft factory was able to expand its labor force

from 1,200 to 7,500 in a few months. Employees who had done nothing more complicated than handle a wheelbarrow were "upgraded" to semi-technical operations on the assembly line.

Labor unions in the skilled and semi-skilled trades have been searching for former members from the stores and filling stations to which they went during the depression. A more intensified recruiting of such workers will be launched immediately after the new draft registration.

The 1,500 State employment offices scattered throughout the country are being centralized under the United States Employment Service. The employment service will operate on the basis of regional labor markets and clear requests without regard to State boundaries.

#### Help Wanted on Farms.

The employment service, too, is trying to place every available farm worker. With record crops in prospect, an acute shortage of agricultural labor threatens. Farmers on family-sized farms have been unable to pay wages high enough to compete with industry. Hundreds of thousands of young farmers are going into the armed forces. To fight this

shortage, farm families, women and children as well as men, will have to work longer and harder. City youths probably will be organized to go out to the farms for seasonal jobs. A woman's "land army" may be recruited.

Determined to end raiding, O. P. M.'s labor division has been arranging industry-wide agreements between workers and employers, stabilizing rates of pay in plants doing similar work. Agreements already have been worked out in the shipbuilding, aviation and construction industries. Without such agreements, shipyards, aircraft plants, and construction projects would compete in paying higher wages, the Government would have to pay more for munitions, and production schedules would be disrupted by needless migrations of workers.

A Committee on Fair Employment Practice in O. P. M. has been working to eliminate color, creed and national prejudices in the hiring of workers. Efforts are being made to level the barriers against older workers. In the railroad industry the age limit for hiring skilled labor has been raised from 45 to 51; for unskilled workers, from 45 to 60. Beginnings, too, have been

made in the recruiting of women for war work. During the last war, nearly one-fourth of all the employees in aircraft plants were women. Before this war ends, one-third of our aircraft workers may be women. In some plants women already are doing light sheet-metal work, riveting, welding, spray painting, pasting and gluing. Women have been found particularly adaptable to small-arms ammunition work, and in the Frankford Arsenal in Philadelphia nearly 40 per cent of the workers are women. Other women are making gas masks and working as bench hands, solderers and inspectors in arms and munitions factories. It is estimated more than 500,000 women now are employed in war work. But today only 4 women in every 1,000 are working in war industries, while in 1918 there were 21 such workers in every 1,000.

#### Watch Efficiency and Morale.

In shipyards, hours of work have been lengthened to 48 a week, while in some of the critical war industries, such as machine tools, overtime has extended the working day to 9 and 10 hours. The various labor

agencies of the Government are keeping tabs to see that this lengthening of hours is not pushed to the point where the efficiency or morale of labor suffers, or where health and safety standards built up during the years are broken down.

As a further source of labor, several million workers are expected to be freed for war jobs as less essential industries are curtailed. Workers will turn from making automobiles to making tanks, from compactos to ammunition, from sewing machines to rifle parts, from fountain pens to fuses, from pipe fittings to hand grenades, from lawn mowers to shrapnel, from women's lingerie to mosquito nets.

The same process, however, will produce some temporary unemployment. To minimize hardships, labor defense committees have been established in all industries likely to be affected. Labor and management have come to agreement on certain basic principles in handling problems arising out of curtailments. In the rubber industry, for example, the program calls for protection of seniority rights, trans-

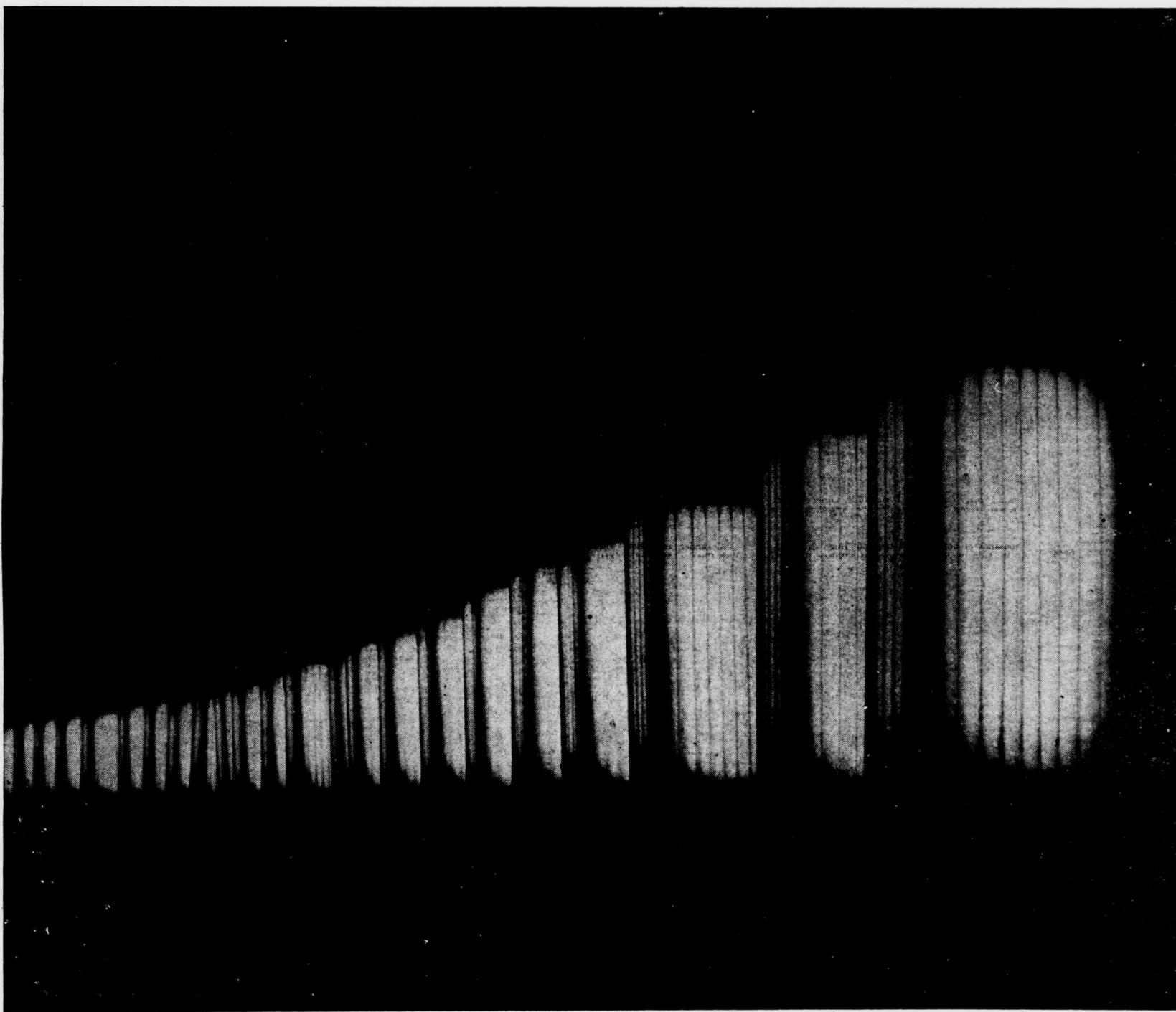
fer of employes from non-war to war jobs within plants, preferential hiring of displaced workers, recall of workers for war tasks, and retention of seniority rights by workers in training for new war jobs.

Surveys have been made of more than 100 communities where serious curtailment of civilian industries seemed likely and 15 cities, particularly hard hit by unemployment, have been certified for special consideration in the awarding of war contracts. About \$20,000,000 worth of contracts have already been placed in these cities.

Statisticians estimate that our ultimate war effort may require 50,000,000 man-years of work.

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### District Red Cross Raises \$223,000 in \$750,000 Drive

Chapter Membership  
Reaches 190,000; Officers  
Are Re-elected

A total of \$223,000 has been received toward the District's \$750,000 goal in the Red Cross war fund campaign. Bruce Baird, drive chairman, reported yesterday to members of the chapter's Executive Committee. Mr. Baird expressed confidence the full amount would be subscribed.

At the same time officials learned that membership in the District chapter had reached 190,000, figures submitted by Edgar Morris, Red Cross roll call chairman, revealed.

The Executive Committee re-elected the following officers for the year: Brig. Gen. Frank R. Keefe, chairman; Victor Deyber, first vice chairman; Miss Mabel T. Boardman, second vice chairman; Frederick P. H. Siddons, treasurer, and John Flannery Spalding, counselor.

An operations budget of \$222,761.12 was approved by the committee after agreeing that war activities had greatly expanded the work of the chapter. In addition a contingency budget of \$70,260 was set aside for further expansion on completion of the war fund drive.

Rear Admiral Charles Conard was reappointed chairman of the Finance Committee and Miss Boardman chairman of the Volunteer Special Services Committee. Other committee heads include Col. Philip W. Huntington, home service; Earl A. Nash, public relations; Mr. Baird, War Fund Committee; John F. Brougher, Junior Red Cross, and Miss Marjorie G. Russell, blood donor service.

### Boy Gets \$1,330 Verdict In Shooting by Policeman

A District Court jury yesterday returned a verdict of \$1,330.50 as the aftermath of the shooting of an 11-year-old colored boy, Fred Walker, jr., 912 Fifth street N.W., by Capitol Police Sgt. Vernon N. Deus on June 24, 1940 in the guard room of the Senate Office Building.

The jury rendered a verdict of \$250 as punishment against the policeman, for negligent use of his service revolver when threatening young Walker and his companions, after they had been caught swimming in a nearby fountain. The jurors gave \$1,000 actual damages to the boy and awarded his father \$80.50 for medical expenses incurred as the result of the boy's injury.

The case was heard before Justice Jesse C. Adkins. The Walkers were represented by Attorneys Charles H. Houston and Joseph C. Waddy.

### Library Lecture Tomorrow

Miss Jean K. White will speak on "The Frontier in American Literature" at 7:45 p.m. tomorrow at the Public Library at Eighth and K streets N.W. This is the third of a series of book talks on American life which the library staff is presenting.

### Where To Go What To Do

#### MUSIC.

Organ musicale, Washington Chapel, Church of Jesus Christ of the Latter Day Saints, Sixteenth street and Columbia road N.W., 8 o'clock tonight.

Concert, Guild String Quartet, Almas Temple, 1315 K street N.W., 8:45 o'clock tonight.

Concert, Marine Band Symphony Orchestra, Marine Barracks Auditorium, Eighth and I streets S.E., 8:15 o'clock tonight.

#### FORUM.

Town Hall of the Air, Jewish Community Center, Sixteenth and Q streets N.W., 8:30 o'clock tonight.

#### DINNER.

Turkey dinner, Women's Guild of Grace Lutheran Church, Sixteenth and Varnum streets N.W., 5 to 7 o'clock tonight.

#### DANCE.

All States Club, Washington Hotel, 9:30 o'clock tonight.

#### MEETINGS.

Argo Lodge, B'nai B'rith, Jewish Community Center, 8:15 o'clock tonight.

National Lawyers' Guild, District of Columbia Chapter, Annapolis Hotel, 8:30 o'clock tonight.

Master Barbers' Association, Hamilton Hotel, 5 o'clock today.

Syrian Americans' Club, Willard Hotel, 8 o'clock tonight.

#### LUNCHEONS.

Junior Chamber of Commerce, Annapolis Hotel, 12:30 p.m. tomorrow.

Kiwanis Club, Mayflower Hotel, 12:30 p.m. tomorrow.

Washington Institute of Public Accountants, Matrimon Restaurant, 12:30 p.m. tomorrow.

Cosmopolitan Club, Hay-Adams House, 12:30 p.m. tomorrow.

Federal Bar Association, Harrington Hotel, 12:30 p.m. tomorrow.

Beta Theta Pi Alumni Association of Washington, 12:30 p.m. tomorrow.

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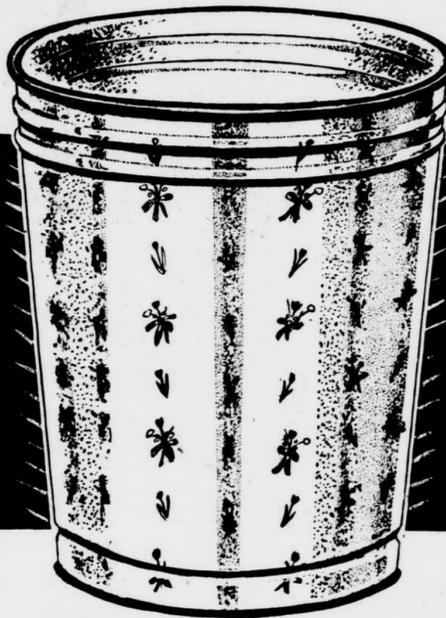
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### Two Men Indicted On Second-Degree Murder Charges

54 True Bills Returned To Justice Goldsborough In District Court

Two charges of second-degree murder were among 54 indictments handed up yesterday by the District grand jury to Justice T. Alan Goldsborough in District Court.

Rayfield Falson, 34, colored, was indicted on a charge of second-degree murder in the shooting of his wife, Mrs. Vastie Falson, 23, colored, November 19 on the street in front of 14 G street N.W.

Clifton Parkes, 37, colored, was indicted on a charge of second-degree murder in the shooting of Daniel Shanklin, 36, colored, on November 22 in front of 311 Delaware avenue S.W.

Others indicted and the charges against them are: James O. Long, Theron Austin, Leonard Cooper and Manassa Tyner, housebreaking and larceny; William F. Harmon, grand larceny, embezzlement and larceny after trust; John A. Lee, grand larceny; Harry G. Neumann and Robert L. Richards, joyriding and grand larceny; Roosevelt Bell, James White, Albert Beatty, Robert C. Thomas, Charles Finley, Jerry Eugene Robinson, Norman Parham, Leroy Bundy, joyriding; John E. Jacob, assault with a dangerous weapon and robbery; John Graves and William A. Jackson, assault with a dangerous weapon; Harry G. Neumann and Robert L. Richards, assault with intent to commit robbery; William F. Webb, McKinley H. Davis, Pleasant B. Burke, Jr.; George G. Jackson, Edward O. Williams, Willie Ritter and George Dunn, robbery; Raymond F. Marlin and Carlton F. Howell, forgery and uttering; Francis L. Washington, violation of the Numbers Act; Joseph H. Switzer, setting up a gambling table; John S. McCawley, forgery and passing a United States money order; Charles R. Finley, Robert G. Thomas, Jerry Eugene Robinson, Leroy Bundy, Norman Parham, robbery; Norman Parham and Leroy Bundy, assault with intent to commit robbery and assault with a dangerous weapon; Melville Prosser, forgery and uttering; Eliza V. Marcresano, abortion; Howard R. Russell, assault with intent to commit carnal knowledge; John L. McDonough and Aeste Nettles, carnal knowledge.

### Ex-Fireman Charges Illegal Action by Commissioners

An amended complaint was on file today in District Court in which Keith L. Bell, former District fireman, now on duty with the Army at the Orlando (Fla.) Air Base, asks the court for a ruling holding that the District Commissioners were not authorized to make any entry upon his service record after his induction into the service.

Mr. Bell complains that the municipality owes him \$108.68 back pay and says the Commissioners illegally made an entry of "unsatisfactory" upon his record after he was inducted into the Army last August 7, unjustly depriving him of a \$100 annual salary increase due 10 days later.

Filed by Mr. Bell's attorneys, Paul E. Jamieson and Thomas H. Patterson, the amended complaint urges the court to grant him a declaratory judgment, setting forth that the Commissioners lacked power to declare or suggest that his services as a member of the Fire Department were had or had not been satisfactory. Mr. Bell particularly objects to the entry he says the Commissioners made and wants this decreed null and void.

The District Commissioners are represented in the litigation by Corporation Counsel Richmond E. Keech, his principal assistant, Vernon E. West, and Assistant Corporation Counsel John Nesbitt.

### District Clamps Down On Waste of Stationery

Orders that correspondence by District agencies be held to a minimum were issued yesterday by the Commissioners in a move to conserve paper.

Wood pulp rather than rag bond, paper will be the rule, even for correspondence on letterhead paper.

The city heads directed that inter-office correspondence requiring full letter-size sheets be placed on plain sulphite paper and that whenever possible; that all papers transmitted by messenger be delivered flat, without envelopes, except for confidential matters; that all letterheads be printed on sulphite bond paper instead of 25 per cent rag bond paper, and all departments be directed to use three standard sizes of letterheads.

Also, they directed that mimeographing be done on both sides of the sheet, using narrow margins, wherever practicable.

### Y. M. C. A. Unit to Hold 'Argentina Night'

Senior Don Guillermo Uriburu, Second Secretary of the Argentine Embassy, will be guest of honor and speaker at an "Argentina night" celebration of the Pan-American Club of the Central Young Men's Christian Association at 8:15 o'clock tonight at 1736 G street N.W.

The celebration will include a program of music and dancing. The list of entertainers includes Ann Friedman, pianist; Senior Hector de la Garza, vocal soloist; Edward Goldberger and Lillian Gagnon, accompanists, and a dance team of Edward and Argelia from the Phil Hayden Studios. The speaker will be introduced by Judge George D. Neilson of Police Court.

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Bad Legislation

Congress finally has passed a so-called price-control bill, but the descriptive title is a misnomer. Senator Clark of Missouri, in agreeing reluctantly to vote for it, aptly characterized the measure as "lame, halting and incomplete."

The bill, as has been pointed out repeatedly in these columns and elsewhere, is lame, halting and incomplete because it contains concessions to special privilege groups that are bound to make the legislation ineffective as a price-control instrument. Instead of clamping a lid on all factors which enter into the price structure, the bill deliberately places an elevated floor under farm prices and applies no lid at all on wages—yet these are major elements in any successful price-regulation program.

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Special legislation is needed because Washington has been excluded so far from participation in the Federal housing program under the Lanham Act. That law limits its scope to relief of housing conditions resulting from activities at military and naval stations.

Macassar Strait

The scene of Japan's first great naval defeat is one of the most beautiful pictures in the world. A broad expanse of blue-green water, very clear, reflects a tropic sky illuminated by a golden sun by day and millions of diamond stars by night.

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temporarily absent from their home kampongs; and last, men of Holland in whites, sitting in the cool of the Harmonie Club or Oranje Hotel.

Especially in recent years, the prosperity of Macassar has been phenomenal. The potential wealth of Celebes, however, is the magnet which draws the Japanese invader.

But the prize must be reached through a channel costly to negotiate. Thirty-four Jap vessels are believed to have been hit by Dutch and American planes, surface craft and submarines. Of these, eleven have been listed as sunk, six probably sunk, seventeen damaged.

Housing Relief

Defense Housing Co-ordinator Charles F. Palmer, evidencing justifiable concern over the increasing gravity of the wartime housing crisis in Washington, has lost little time in taking advantage of the suggestion in congressional quarters that special legislation dealing with the problem be prepared.

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Churchill Stands Pat

Prime Minister Winston Churchill's report to the House of Commons came under favorable auspices. All Britain was thrilling to the news of a large American troop landing in Northern Ireland, which Mr. Churchill assured his hearers was merely the vanguard of larger forces.

Mr. Churchill certainly did not sidestep. His comprehensive report touched every important issue, sometimes with surprisingly frank disclosures. He admitted that mistakes and miscalculations had been made, but he boldly took upon himself full responsibility, refusing to shift the blame to subordinates and make "scapegoats" to still the criticisms of the British and Australian press.

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the income from future issues be made subject to taxation, as has been done in the case of Federal securities. This is a proposal which is equitable and sound, and it merits full support.

These outstanding securities were sold on the express condition that the interest on them was not to be subject to taxation. It was possible to market them at a very low rate of interest because the purchasers relied on that assurance.

Churchill Stands Pat

Prime Minister Winston Churchill's report to the House of Commons came under favorable auspices. All Britain was thrilling to the news of a large American troop landing in Northern Ireland, which Mr. Churchill assured his hearers was merely the vanguard of larger forces.

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Tells Canada's Part In War Effort

Journalist Expresses Belief That Dominion Record Is Not 'Unworthy'

By W. R. Givens. (Mr. Givens for 20 years was the owner and editor of the Kingston, Ontario, Daily Standard and, thereafter, for five years, until his retirement as president of the Kingston White-Standard.)

Now that the United States is an active participant in the war, it is but natural that her people, untiedly supporting the magnificent efforts of their Government, should turn toward their next-door neighbor, Canada, the largest of the British Dominions, to learn exactly what the Canadian Dominion has done in the more than two years since she entered the war of her own volition.

Compulsory military service was put into effect in Canada in June, 1940, to include all men aged 19 to 45, who were single, widowers or divorced at the time of national registration. At present the Dominion is calling up the 21-24 age group.

Letters to the Editor

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THIS AND THAT

By Charles E. Tracewell.

"SPRING ROAD. "Dear Sir: "Now that the leaves are off the trees is a good time to observe birds' nests. And in my amateur way, this is what I notice:

"I see practically none in the trees in Rock Creek Park, but many in the trees on upper Sixteenth street. Why do the birds build in trees (and small trees) along a much traveled street in preference to the comparative seclusion of the park?"

"I feel sure also that many of their young are devoured by cats when they build near the houses of men. "These nests, I am sure, from the manner of their construction, are not those of English sparrows, but are of the native American birds, such as robins, catbirds, mockingbirds, etc.

"Is it because more food is to be found around our yards? "With many thanks for any explanation of this mystery, I am "Yours truly, J. M. J."

When the leaves are off the trees is a mighty good time to study them. Then the symmetry and pattern of their branches are seen in all their beauty. There is too much tendency to speak of winter trees as "bare." Properly looked at, they are alive with beauty, just as they are in summer.

There can be little question of this. Even the wood thrush, so named because of its original habitat, has come over bodily to the towns and suburbs. You will find far more wood thrushes in suburban Maryland and Virginia than in the deep woods of Rock Creek Park.

It is probable that the very best time to study trees, to learn to distinguish them, is now, for the real tree is best discerned now. In a manner of thought, the leaves merely confuse the student.

In winter, he is able to grasp the real difference in the construction, the architecture, of the various species. Every one who is at all interested in these mightiest of plants, at some time or other has been confused by the leaves.

Persons brought up in the country commonly know their trees, but city persons often are very much confused by the different species, and do not know an oak from an elm. This is partly because they cannot see the tree for the leaves!

Probably too much accent has been placed, in the study of trees, upon the shape of the leaves. This is good in formation, but it is only a part of a tree. The skeleton, the framework, is more important.

The student of winter trees will find that overcast gray skies of the season make it possible to really see the silhouette. In spring and summer, the beauty of leaves and blossoms obscures the fundamental construction.

In the cold, the specimen stands out for what it is. There is no doubt at all of its beauty, though some persons, not used to really looking at trees in this way, might think it "bare" and forelorn.

It takes experience, undoubtedly, to look at trees and shrubs in this way. Sometimes an occasional person will have to work hard at it, in order to overcome the old romantic attitude. He or she is so used to thinking of the tree and shrub as "alive" in summer, and "dead" in winter, that time is necessary to realize that they are very much alive the year around.

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Haskin's Answers To Questions

By Frederic J. Haskin.

A reader can get the answer to any question of fact by writing The Evening Star Information Bureau, Frederic J. Haskin, director, Washington, D. C. Please inclose stamp for reply.

Q. Please tell me what mosquito boats are.—B. A. Mosquito boats are small, fast torpedo boats about 65 feet long and capable of speeds in excess of 50 miles per hour.

Q. Is there a road that follows the boundary between the United States and Canada?—M. J. K. A. No road follows the boundary, but a 20-foot vista is cut through wooded sections 10 feet on each side.

Q. Can you tell me when the earth is nearest the sun this year?—F. P. G. A. The earth reaches perihelion, or the point nearest the sun, on January 2, at 2 p.m.

Q. Are the cloves that are used as condiments, the flowers of the tree or the fruits?—A. U. F. A. The cloves of commerce are the unopened flower buds of the clove tree, which grows largely in the Malay Peninsula.

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Q. Is it possible to manufacture paper from cornstalks?—A. E. A. Paper has been made from cornstalks, wheat straw and a number of other farm wastes in the laboratory, but there is no commercial production from any of these products at the present time.

Q. Please advise whether or not the composer, Edward Grieg, was of Scottish descent.—A. B. A. The Grieg family (formerly Greig) was of Scottish origin. The composer's grandfather was a merchant of Aberdeen who emigrated to Norway in 1746.

Q. What is the significance of the palms on the Croix de Guerre?—M. E. L. A. In the awarding of the Croix de Guerre, a decoration instituted by France during the World War, the cross without palms was awarded for the first conspicuous act which was deemed to merit the distinction. For additional citations, bronze palms were attached to the ribbon. In the case of five citations, the four palms already attached were removed and a silver palm was substituted.

Q. Please let me know where the highest point of land in Rhode Island is.—G. M. S. A. The highest point in the State of Rhode Island is Durfee Hill in Providence County, which has an elevation of 805 feet.

Q. Is it true that Oklahoma University was invited to participate in the Cotton Bowl Game January 1, 1940, but refused?—H. C. G. A. Oklahoma was invited to participate in the Cotton Bowl football game January 1, 1940, but refused because her key players were injured.

Q. What was the extent of the Roman Empire?—B. L. A. At its greatest extent, the Roman Empire included what later became in whole or in part, Spain, Portugal, France, Italy, Switzerland, Germany, Belgium, Netherlands, Yugoslavia, Rumania, Hungary, Bulgaria, Greece, Turkey, Arabia, Syria, a bit of Russia, Egypt, Libya and Algeria.

Q. Will you please tell me the origin of the expression, "feet of clay"?—F. O'B. A. The term "feet of clay" is taken from the Bible—Daniel, 11:33, where the king in describing his dream speaks of a mighty image, the upper part of gold and silver, the feet being partly of iron and partly of clay. In its modern sense the term "feet of clay" is generally used in reference to the earthly or baser part of human nature.

Q. When and where did the Government establish its first bird sanctuary?—L. D. A. The first United States Government bird reservation by executive order of March 14, 1903, was Pelican Island, Indian River, Fla.

Q. Did Indians serve in the Army during the last war?—T. M. A. At the time of the first World War Indians were not citizens and therefore not included in the draft. More than 8,000, however, entered the military services.

Q. Could you inform me of the origin of the following lines: "Just for a handful of silver he left us, Just for a ribbon to pin on his coat"?—F. M. K. A. The lines are from the poem "The Lost Leader," by Robert Browning.

Boy With Flintlock

He lifts it from the cupboard rack With careful fingers that caress; This weapon, wrought with craftsman's grace, Seems made not for destructive-ness, But for a symbol of the brave— The valiant heart, courageous soul, Of the pioneer who stanchly gave His strength to keep his home life whole; The barrel yet sights straight and true— As he grasps the stock old hands have worn, There, by the hearth his fathers knew, The man in the boy is born. JESSIE M. DOWLIN.

Pearl Harbor Vindicates Taussig Plea

Admiral Was Rebuked in 1940 for Urging Philippine Protection

By DAVID LAWRENCE.

Although the Roberts report carefully refrained from commenting on what might be called our naval policy in the Pacific, the official records of hearings in Congress and a article written by naval officers familiar with the Far East show that advice given repeatedly has been ignored by the highest officials of our Government.

Thus, for example, Admiral Joseph K. Taussig was reprimanded and denounced for his outspoken views before the Senate Naval Affairs Committee in April, 1940. He has now been retired and is one of the few men of virile physique who have not been called to active service. He bids fair to become another Billy Mitchell in the military annals of America for his point of view has been vindicated by the story of inefficiency and lack of preparedness revealed in the Roberts report.

Admiral Taussig advocated that if our battleships were based in Hawaii, a strong scouting fleet should always be maintained in the Philippines. Had this been done the Japanese Navy, it is now argued, would never have dared to venture so far from the Japanese mainland with its aircraft carriers and fleet units as was the case on December 7 and the days immediately preceding.

Begged for Sound Naval Policy.

A rereading of Admiral Taussig's testimony before the Senate Naval Affairs Committee showed that he begged for a sound naval policy and fleet protection for the Philippines. He has for many years been a member of the staff at the Naval War College and served not only as chief of staff to the commander in chief of the Pacific Fleet but as assistant chief of naval operations in Washington. His blunt statement to the Senate committee on April 22, 1940, which caused a sensation, was as follows:

"We need be under no delusions as to the aims and policies of Japan. The pronouncements of her statesmen in answer to protests against violations of rights of other nations are of course worthless. The real policies of Japan are embodied in the declarations of her militarists during past years and it is these policies that are being carried out. . . . The first step in their plan is the domination of the Far East. This is under way at present, with the subjugation of China, the Philippines, Netherlands Indies, French Indo-China and Malaya will be taken over in due course of time. Russia is to be driven westward of Lake Balkal.

"The above is a very grandiose plan and much may happen to interfere with its accomplishment. The fact remains, however, that it is a plan which is under way in the hands of a determined, warlike people, armed with modern weapons, with little or no effective opposition. Past treaties, rights of neutrals, rules of civilized warfare as we understand them, are brushed aside and ignored in the furtherance of the plan."

Urged Fortifying Guam.

Admiral Taussig urged not only the immediate enlargement of the fleet but the building of "an impregnable base in the Philippines and the fortification of Guam so as to make its capture impossible." He advocated an immediate agreement with Britain, France and the Netherlands for the use of their bases in the Far East. At that time France had not yet been subjected to the blitzkrieg.

The admiral did not think a two-ocean Navy would be built right away but argued instead for an alertness and proper preparedness on the part of the fleet units that we did have. His theory was that prompt co-operation with France, Britain and the Dutch would have furnished a sufficiently large force to take care of any immediate situation in and around the Philippines.

It is Admiral Taussig's views on the proper distribution of the Navy, however, and what he terms the organization of the fleet that will stand out as lessons which, if accepted, might have averted the tragedy at Pearl Harbor.

Incidentally, the son of Admiral Taussig was seriously wounded in the attack on Hawaii.

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Boys' Club Will Hold Birthday Dance Friday

Bernard Morse, 10-year-old Washington boy, whose picture will be on the official program for the President's birthday celebration, will be held of honor at a dance to be held Friday night by the Central Branch of the Boys' Club of Washington, of which he is a member.

The dance will be held in the club's headquarters at 230 C street N.W. from 7:30 to 9:30 in honor of the President. Entire proceeds will go to the Infantile Paralysis Fund.

Service Men to Be Honored

A "social" for Army, Navy and Marine Corps officers will be held at 8:30 o'clock tonight at the Washington Hebrew Congregation, 816 Eighth street N.W., under the auspices of the Service Guild, Brotherhood and Sisterhood of the Washington Hebrew Congregation and the Council of Jewish women. Three hundred officers and their wives have been invited.

On the Record

America Denounced for 'Fatuous Optimism' In Analysis of Pearl Harbor Report

By DOROTHY THOMPSON.

The report on Pearl Harbor is a report on the greatest single military and naval disaster in American history. It has furnished the American slogan of the war: Remember Pearl Harbor! But what shall we remember about Pearl Harbor? Shall we remember how the Japanese acted or how we acted? If we remember how we acted and stop acting that way, then "Remember Pearl Harbor" will be like the cry "Remember the Alamo!" a slogan for us. If not, the Japs and the Germans can cry the same slogan.

It is ridiculous to think of Pearl Harbor as an isolated phenomenon. Yes, Lt. Gen. Walter C. Short and Admiral Husband E. Kimmel were grossly negligent. Maybe they will be court-martialed. But that won't finish the lesson of Pearl Harbor. Too much is revealed in this report; too much that throws light on the whole mentality of the American nation. Fatuous optimism has not been confined to the general and the admiral. The same sloppiness of thinking and performance is to be observed in every walk of life. And the same lack of co-operation.

Did the attack really take us by surprise?

Obviously not. How we would be attacked was uncertain. But that war was imminent; that the Japanese would follow the Axis ritual; that the attack would be a blitz move was certain. It was, for instance, a great deal more certain than the German attack on Russia.

Russia Attack Foreseen.

The possibility of a blitz on the naval base of the Pacific fleet was foreseen in a letter from the Secretary of the Navy to the Secretary of War on January 24, 1941, over a year ago, and in this letter every form of the attack was foreseen—air bombing and air torpedoes, sabotage, and submarines.

So we cannot say that the disaster was due to a lack of imagination!

But now how did we behave—because I insist on encompassing a whole pattern of American behavior in the behavior of the commanding authorities?

The prophecy of the Army and Navy Department was a prophecy made by many people—journalists, for instance—for many years. And therefore if we ask, "Why didn't the authorities at Pearl Harbor act?" we must also ask, "Why didn't the entire Nation act?"

The commanding generals acted like nearly everybody. They saw and still didn't believe. They were thoroughly "unhysterical."

Seven Warnings to Leaders.

Seven times they were warned. For a crisis three stages of mobilization had been planned: Alert 1, 2 and 3. When the last warning arrived and a crisis was breaking all over our heads, discussed throughout the globe, the commanding general took the

Axis Faces 'Frightful Surprises,' Jouett Says

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Jan. 28.—"Frightful surprises" for Germany and Japan in the form of new devices for destruction are forecast by the spokesman of America's aviation industry.

"The aviation that we have heard about thus far during this war is nothing to what we should see in the near future," Col. John H. Jouett, president of the Aeronautical Chamber of Commerce, told the Economic Club last night.

"I know there are some technical developments of great magnitude. I know that we are not lacking in that respect. There are better airplanes even now going into mass production. There are many new devices of destruction, not for some problematical date, but now. They are being produced in quantity now."

Although he called Axis air power "the greatest threat to our security in this war and our security here," he asserted that modern United



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minimum precautions—alert 1, which was only a defense against internal sabotage and rebellion. Though there hasn't been a case during the whole war when an internal rising has not coincided with external aggression. There was an aircraft warning system. It was never put on a 24-hour basis. It worked from 4 to 7 a.m., perhaps on trade union rules. By the merest chance a non-com remained at his post two minutes beyond the clock and heard what he thought was a large flight of planes approaching. (The patrol system wasn't working either.)

He reported to a lieutenant, who again had calm nerves, like the general. So nothing happened. Fifty-three minutes later—nearly an hour—the blitz hit. The submarine net—which was also closed only part time—was open when the Japs struck.

The idea was, let's have a good time as long as possible. And what that attitude of mind has cost us is not yet measured. Japs Knew Our Attitude. The complacency rose out of conviction that we could adequately defend Pearl Harbor and that the enemy must know this—therefore, wouldn't act. But the Japanese knew something else, something more important than the defenses—the attitude of our mind—therefore, did act.

And, of course, we weren't conducting counterespionage because we are a noble people and don't spy on nations with whom we have "peaceful" relations. Thus, we still live in the 19th century and therefore in fictions. We wouldn't spy on cables from 200 consular officials, even if they were sitting on our most important naval base.

And finally we learn that the admiral and the general were treating each other politely, but weren't quite on speaking terms. There are no miracles in history. The fall of France was no miracle; the resistance of Britain none; the comeback of Russia none; the blitz of the Japanese none. There is such a thing as morale and efficiency, and there is such a thing as the lack of them, and national characteristics always show in a crisis.

O. C. D. Reorganization Urged.

The characteristics that produced Pearl Harbor are still in the civilian defense and are still in the warring agencies in Washington, where men engaged in branches of the same work also hardly speak to one another. There is nothing to be gained by blaming any one. But we can pray for an awakening of the Nation, so that our immense strength can be used. We can help create that kind of reaction that after Alamo gave us San Jacinto.

We can demand a reorganization in the Office of Civilian Defense; a siren and a thorough blackout system for New York, and all important industrial areas; the elimination of petty quarreling, the streamlining of programs, the reduction of paper work and the end of apathetic optimism.

In such a rejuvenation, the motto, "Remember Pearl Harbor" would indeed mean the releasing of the American Prometheus.

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The Great Game of Politics

La Guardia, Wanting to Leave O. C. D. Post, Unable to Find Good 'Exit Line'

By FRANK R. KENT.

In Washington last Friday Mayor La Guardia made it clear three separate times in a single speech that he expects to quit his directorship of the Office of Civilian Defense.

There can no longer be any doubt of his intention. But he did not say when. The trouble seems to be that the Mayor cannot find what in theatricals is referred to as a good "exit line."

Obviously, he has made up his mind to go out and wants to get out, but he naturally does not want to see forced out by the criticism. Quite clearly he is searching for the exit line and his early withdrawal from a post to which he never should have been named or, named, never should have accepted, is certain.

This being established, the question remains as to whether Mrs. Roosevelt, whom he appointed as associate director and who has been subjected to the same criticism for much the same reasons, will retire with him.

The belief here is that she will not. For one thing it is asserted that, unlike the Mayor, she does not want to get out, but does want to stay in. She greatly enjoys what she is doing, as is evidenced almost daily by her comment in her column upon her own activity. For another, despite a large volume of opinion to the contrary, she is entirely convinced that she is doing a fine job. The confusion to which she adds and the resentment she has created altogether escape her. Her feeling is that she is needed in this position. And the other day she said that she would stay "as long as they want me."

Can't Be Told to Quit.

It has been pointed out by various commentators that no one in the organization is in a position to tell the wife of the President that she is not wanted, and all printed suggestions to that effect are ignored by her as inspired by prejudice or written by unworthy persons. Certainly, her recent effort to have her young friend, Mr. Joseph Lash, made an officer in the United States Navy and her speech critical of the segregation of white from colored women in the Red Cross first-aid classes, have not increased the desire to have her remain. However, remain she likely will, as it is even more difficult for her to find a good exit line than for the Mayor.

Mr. Landis, the recently appointed O. C. D. executive, naturally can do nothing except laud the services of the Mayor and Mrs. Roosevelt and express the hope that they will not retire. Nevertheless, it is too clear a dispute that he will be able to do a better job if there is no one over him who can give him orders and no one under him to whom he cannot give orders. He is not the ideal man for the job, but he is under the same handicap in his present position that Mr. Donald Nelson was as executive secretary of the S. P. A. B. Clear recognition of who is boss and freedom from restrictions, either personal or official, are what is needed here. The withdrawal of the Mayor will help a lot.

This Changing World

Arrival of American Troops Credited With Saving Churchill's Political Life

By CONSTANTINE BROWN.

Although it may have been a coincidence, the arrival of American troops in North Ireland tallied perfectly with Prime Minister Churchill's defense of his war policies and his bold announcement that he would ask the House of Commons for a vote of confidence at the end of the debate.

Informed Washington diplomatic quarters, which have kept in close touch with political developments in Great Britain, say that the American brigades unquestionably saved Mr. Churchill's political life. The British, worried over the unfortunate developments in most theaters of war, were heartened by the first arrival of the Yanks, who the Prime Minister said, were a small advance guard of more troops, planes and warships to come to assist in the defense of the British Isles.

The Libyan campaign in particular has come under heavy fire from various political quarters in the United Kingdom. The British people had been told by their propaganda ministry that this campaign was of the utmost importance. They also had been led to believe that a repetition of the unfortunate occurrence of last year, when Gen. Sir Archibald P. Wavell was rolled back to the Egyptian border after spectacular initial successes, would not occur again.

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threat to the rubber and oil sources in the Netherlands Indies created a deep impression in the United Kingdom.

Since the relatively weak forces of Gen. Rommel could not be definitely annihilated, was it worth while risking such an important stake like the South Pacific and the Indian Ocean for the sake of paper victories?

There were feelings in British political and newspaper circles that the imperial and British forces in North Africa had achieved temporary "political victories," that far-seeing strategy was being sacrificed for political expediency.

Bad news from Burma, Singapore and Australia, coupled with unpleasant news about unrest in India, followed Mr. Churchill's splendid political victory in the United States, and the situation became more unfavorable as far as war reports were concerned after his return to Britain.

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McLemore Buys Sporty Model Tennessee Horse

By HENRY McLEMORE.

FRANKLIN, TENN.—I bought a one-horse power vehicle today. A horse. Let the automobile go. Let the tires go. Let the use of civilian gasoline be restricted to removing spots from vests.

I am snug. I am secure, and I am going to be able to get wherever I am able to go. My horse is a Tennessee walking horse. If you

Henry McLemore, read yesterday's column (and who in this country was silly enough not to have read it?). I explained why that breed of horse is superior to all natural means of transportation. He can be ridden by any one with a pair of legs, no matter how young or how old. He is—well, let me tell you about the horse I bought and that'll explain everything.

I got him at the Harlinsdale Farm near here. I told Alex Harlin that my automobile was in its fifth year, that my tires were so thin I could look at them and tell the pressure, and that what I wanted was a horse as near like an automobile as I could get.

So Alex showed me his latest models in Tennessee walkers. Honestly, you can come pretty close to duplicating your automobile in these horses.

"What color do you prefer?" Alex inquired.

Having driven a sorrel sedan for years, I felt it was time for a change; a change to something brighter and gayer. I told Alex this.

"What about something in a two-tone job?" he asked. He brought out a piebald number in black and white, and another in beige and white.

I liked them, but my past experience with light-colored automobiles made me shy off. I'd have been washing them or having them silicidized all the time.

"I think I know what you want," Alex said. "I have a model here that is smart enough in daytime and ultra-smart at night. A sort of limousine horse. A coal black."

He brought him out. It was all I could do to down force of habit and not jump up and down on what should have been his running board, examine his dashboard, and question the arrangement of gadgets around the steering wheel.

This Tennessee walker nearly got me. I could see myself in evening clothes, riding him up to the Stork Club, his coat matching my dinner jacket.

Still, he didn't quite capture my fancy. "There was something lacking."

"Perhaps you want a sports model," Alex said. "A horse that will take the place of a convertible car."

That was really what I wanted. A horse with his top down so to speak; a horse that urged you toward the open road, with windshield down, crotch open, and colors that would cause pedestrians to gape.

Alex brought one out. So help me, this was something that a Beale street blade would have picked out in a blackout.

Most of him was chestnut, but his accessories were brilliant, his hood—pardon, his mane—was flaxen, so was his rumber seat—pardon, again—I mean his tail. He even had the automobile counterpart of white-wall tires. He had white socks on all four legs.

My walking horse has three gait just as a car has three gears. His high is canter, low is the flat-footed walk, and his second is the running walk. He'll cost me about \$7 a month to operate. He'll never need his oil changed. He won't have to have seat covers in the summer. He'll never freeze up in the winter. He can be parked by freepugs without getting a ticket. He has no room for back-seat drivers. His battery never runs down. He doesn't have to have his valves ground.

He's good for anywhere between 15 and 30 years. And, the models don't change. And, best of all,

Cards of Thanks

HICKSON, NAOMI I wish to express my appreciation to the kind friends who have shown me so much sympathy and interest since the passing of my dear husband, CHARLES HICKSON.

Deaths

ALMUND, JULIA OVERTON. On Tuesday, January 27, 1942, at her residence, 4744 14th St. N.W., Mrs. Julia Overton Almund, nee Lewis, died at 10:30 p.m. after a long illness.

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GOLDSBOROUGH, BENJAMIN F. On Wednesday, January 28, 1942, at his residence, 1111 14th St. N.W., Mr. Benjamin F. Goldsborough, aged 78, died at 10:30 p.m. after a long illness.

Edward S. Brashears, Prominent Attorney, Dies; Rites Tomorrow

Leader in Civic, Fraternal, Church Work to Be Buried in Arlington Cemetery

Edward S. Brashears, 59, prominent Washington attorney, died yesterday at Doctors' Hospital.

Services will be held at 1:30 p.m. tomorrow at Hamline Methodist Church, Sixteenth and Allison streets N.W., with burial in Arlington National Cemetery.

Active pallbearers will be Paul B. Cromelin, Walter L. Fowler, William E. Humphreys, J. Edward Davley, F. Frank Kimmel and Albert F. Beasley.

Honorary pallbearers will include Justice James M. Proctor, Joseph B. Eastman, John L. Rogers, Shelton T. Cameron, Matthew H. O'Brien, Ted V. Rogers, Dr. D. C. Davis, Dr. Grant S. Barnhart, E. S. Wheaton, J. A. Stark, Jr.; Rush Young, William N. Payne, Jr.; John R. Turney, Max Vollberg, Robert B. Montgomerie, H. E. C. Rainey, Leo P. Kitchen, Harry Haven, Russell E. Singer, James P. Rowan, Wilson L. Townsend, Rudolph Jose, James R. Skinner, Merle Fullerton, Walter M. Bastian, Godfrey L. Munter and Howard P. Foley.

Mr. Brashears, senior partner of the firm of Brashears, O'Brien and Beasley, who offices in the Investment Building, was born in Sanborn, Iowa. After receiving his elementary education, he came to the District in 1900 and accepted a position with the Y. M. C. A., where he served for five years.

He entered the insurance business in 1906, for a long time was general agent for the Union Central Life Insurance Co. and founded the District Agency Co. After establishing himself in insurance, he studied law at National University, where he was graduated with the degree of bachelor and master of laws.

Mr. Brashears practiced for a short time before the entrance of this country into the World War, in which he served as captain in the Judge Advocate General's Department of the Army. He was assigned to the War Risk Bureau, which he helped to organize and for which he later served as legal adviser.

After the war, he formed a law firm with James M. Proctor, who is now associate justice of the District Court. Mr. Wilson L. Townsend joined the firm, which was continued for many years under the name of Proctor, Brashears and Townsend.

During the National Recovery Administration, Mr. Brashears was general counsel for the Trucking Code Authority. He took part in the organization of the American Trucking Associations, Inc., serving for many years as general counsel.

A certified life underwriter, he was a member of the American Bar Association, District Bar Association, member of the Board of Trustees of the Liberty National Bank, National Capital Insurance Co. and the American Automobile Association. He was also treasurer of the District and treasurer and manager of the National Recovery Administration.

Mr. Brashears was a member of the League of American Pen Women. Besides her husband she leaves a son, Arthur Y. Casanova, Jr.; two grandchildren; her sister, Mrs. Laura M. Smithers, and a brother, Dr. John M. McCausland of Washington.

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Survivors include a son, John N. Garner, and a daughter, Mrs. Tate Taylor of Houston.

Mrs. Casanova Dies; D. C. Club Leader And Genealogist

Organizer of Daughters Of Colonists Also Was Active Church Worker

Mrs. Jessie McCausland Casanova, club woman and genealogist, died yesterday at her home, 7915 Thirteenth street N.W., after an illness of several months.

She was born in December, 1869, in Philadelphia, Pa., where she was educated. In 1892 she married Arthur Y. Casanova, a lawyer of New York City. After the Spanish-American war she made numerous trips to Cuba.

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Mr. Wardlaw was born in Brooklyn in 1870 and graduated from the engineering school at Cornell University in 1893. He was a veteran of the Spanish-American war and editor for 10 years of the Transactions of the Institute of Electrical Engineers of New York City and editor of the Electrical Record.

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Capt. James H. Cook, Paleontologist, Dies In Nebraska at 84

Descendant of Discoverer Of Hawaii Fought Indians and Outlaws

By the Associated Press. AGATE, Neb., Jan. 28.—Capt. James H. Cook, 84, survivor of attacks by wild animals, wild Indians, cattle rustlers and outlaws, died of pneumonia yesterday on the 13,000-acre ranch where he became a paleontologist whose fossil finds are displayed in museums of the world.

The great grandson of the Capt. James Cook who discovered the Hawaiian Islands, "Capt. Jim" also started out to be a sailor, but a big storm on his first voyage changed his mind and he became a cowboy in Texas.

In the 1870s Capt. Cook herded longhorn steers north on the old Chisholm Trail and in 1877 became a market hunter in the Rockies, helping supply meat for construction crews of the Union Pacific Railroad.

Capt. Cook learned the Indian sign language and for a time headed a special police force organized by New Mexico and Arizona ranchers to stop depredations of Indians and rustlers. In one year, Capt. Cook and his men put 50 men in jail and shot a number of others who resisted.

He guided United States troops in the Apache Indian wars and during the campaign against Geronimo. In 1891 Capt. Cook was a scout under Gen. Nelson A. Miles when the Battle of Wounded Knee took place.

His ranch, near the old Fort Laramie-Fort Robinson trail, was the site of rich fossil deposits. Many scientists visited them and some rare paleontological finds were made.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. tomorrow at St. Patrick's Episcopal Chapel, 4465 Greenview parkway, with burial in Arlington National Cemetery.

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## Wage-Hour Law Held Free Press Threat in Supreme Court Brief

Lowell Sun Opposes Demand for Data on Pay of Its Workers

Application of the Federal wage-hour law to newspapers is a violation of the constitutional guarantee of freedom of the press, *Ellis Hanson*, counsel for the *Lowell Sun*, declared yesterday in a brief filed in the Supreme Court in opposition to the demand of the wage-hour administrator for data from the newspaper bearing on wages and hours of labor.

The litigation is to determine, specifically, whether the administrator may delegate to subordinate

the power to issue subpoenas or whether he must issue them himself.

Mr. Hanson said that if Congress had regulatory power over the press it "could determine who might or might not engage in the newspaper publishing business and limit the extent of their activities therein; where and when a newspaper might circulate; how many copies it might distribute; who might or might not write for it; what it should or should not publish; who might or might not advertise in it; what it should charge for its publications; what it should charge its advertisers for the service rendered therein; the conditions under which it might receive its news reports; the amount of space that it might devote to such reports."

"Further," the brief added, "if it had the power to regulate the press, Congress could compel reports of such frequency as it might determine concerning every operation of the press."

"Merely to mention these few items is to demonstrate that Congress lacks the power to regulate the press."

Mr. Hanson also asserted that "if ever the expression 'fishing expedition' aptly described the nature of the asserted power of investigation, this is such a case."

## Post-War Guidance Plan for Pupils Now Leaving School Urged

Must Be Evolved, Child Welfare Committee Is Told at Meeting

Need for an adult guidance program at the close of war to handle problems of young people now leaving school to take defense jobs was stressed at a meeting yesterday of the Child Welfare Committee of the Council of Social Agencies.

Miss Leona Buchwald, child guidance official of the Baltimore public schools, pointed out the necessity of such a program to child welfare workers meeting in the Y. W. C. A. building.

"These young people leaving school for jobs in our war industries are going to be out of jobs when the war is over," she said, "and we must face the fact an adult guidance program will have to be evolved for them."

School Setup Explained.

Mrs. Mildred S. Percy, director of child guidance in the Washington schools, explained that while the District's program began only last year, it is now an integral part of the school system. She termed it a "student personal service" and added it was based on the belief that "the boy is more important than the book."

District schools heads, Mrs. Percy stressed, felt that the school should take a leading part in fitting pupils for jobs in the business world.

Urges Mutual Understanding.

Miss Buchwald pointed out that the whole problem of child adjustment has to be understood by all parties concerned "even though the social worker can't always understand the intricacies of the school system or the teacher the intricacies of the case worker."

Mrs. T. C. Alexander, child guidance co-ordinator for school divisions 10 to 13, invited the social workers to assist school authorities in their program.

Presiding at the luncheon meeting was Miss A. Patricia Morse, director of child welfare division of the Board of Public Welfare.

## War Labor Board to Meet With Roosevelt Feb. 5

Three representatives each of the C. I. O. and the A. F. L. selected at the instance of President Roosevelt to try to settle inter-labor controversies which may arise in wartime, are to meet with the Chief Executive February 5.

Mr. Roosevelt expressed his satisfaction yesterday with the personnel chosen by the two major labor organizations. They were the type of men, he said, who could be brought together to call one another by their first names, to take off their coats and talk things over.

A. F. L. representatives are President William Green, Secretary-Treasurer George Meany and Daniel J. Tobin, sixth vice president. Representatives of the C. I. O. are President Philip Murray, R. J. Thomas, president of the United Auto Workers, and Julius Emspack, secretary-treasurer of the United Electrical, Radio and Machine Workers.

## Campaigning Suspended To Honor Roosevelt

SAN JOSE, Costa Rica, Jan. 28.—A national holiday marked by suspension of electioneering in honor of the birthday anniversary of President Roosevelt.

San Jose plans to rename one of its leading streets "Avenida Roosevelt."

## Prince Georges Schools Collect Victory Books

Each of the more than 100 elementary and secondary schools in Prince Georges County, Md., will be a collection point for the books being collected during the victory book campaign, according to Mrs. Catherine T. Reed, co-ordinator of defense activities for the county school system.

According to Carl W. Hintz, county chairman of the campaign, Prince Georges anticipates no difficulty in reaching its goal of 7,000 books.

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## Your Income Tax—No. 24—Items Exempt From Tax

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issued prior to March 1, 1941, of a corporation organized under act of Congress if such corporation is an instrumentality of the United States; amounts received through accident or health insurance or under workmen's compensation acts for personal injury or sickness, and damages received on account of such injuries or sickness.

Pensions and compensation received by veterans from the United States for services in time of war are exempt, and pensions received from the United States by the family of a veteran for services rendered by the veteran in time of war are exempt.

There is also exempt from the Federal income tax the rental value of a dwelling house and appurtenances thereof furnished to a minister of the gospel as part of his compensation.

Other items excluded from gross income are alimony and an allowance based on a separation agreement.

## Petworth Boy Patrols Honored at Luncheon

Boy patrols of the Petworth School were guests yesterday at a luncheon given in their honor by the school's Parent-Teacher Association.

Twenty-five of the boys, who have watched street intersections near the school during the past semester, were feted. Bernard Day, captain of the patrols, and William Raymond and Robert Allen, lieutenants, were in charge of the program.

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## Duffy, Baseball's All-time High Batter, to Be Rewarded After 47-Year Wait

### Win, Lose or Draw

By FRANCIS E. STAN.

#### Happy Birthday on the Tanbark

Jumping spirited steeds is not for the panty-waist, but it is one of the few sports—don't ask us to name another—in which women stand an equal chance with men. On this theory is predicated the feature of the President's Birthday Horse Show, opening tonight at Fort Myer's riding hall, and Miss Margaret Cotter was saying that she had an idea this would be the year for the girls.

Naturally you know of Miss Cotter, a daring little lady who weighs 108 pounds and who shares with her famous Rockie, the national open jumping champion. She is one of the quartet of lady riders who will form The Star's team in the two-night jousting with a picked male team.

If you don't happen to have a ticket for tonight you will have to have no less than presidential pull to get into Myer's hosiery arena, but you may want to know something more of what the best hunters and jumpers and riders in the East are going to do as their contributions to warfare against infantile paralysis. They are going to ride and jump and prance for silverware and blue ribbons and somewhere along the line Miss Cotter, Mrs. Fred Hughes, Jr.; Miss Sara Bosley and Mrs. W. Haggin Perry are going to try to prove they can outstride the men.

Now these men aren't just four Johnnies who know how to find their way into saddles. They are four of the best riders in the business—L. P. Fred Hughes, Jr. of Fort Myer; Gordon Wright of Scarborough, N. Y.; Sam Bosley and Maj. C. B. McClelland of Myer, captain of the team. Any quartet able to outstride these fellows is a real team, male or female.

#### Calling for the Best in Humans and Horses

Of course, much will depend on the mounts, too. Horses have off-nights, same as humans. We recall a day last summer when we talked with Miss Cotter at the Meadowbrook Horse Show, shortly after Rockie had lifted his mistress 6 feet 6 inches in the air for a new amateur record. Miss Cotter was getting ready to charge onto the tanbark in another of her dramatic duels but long before the bar was placed at 6 feet Rockie was eliminated. It just wasn't his day. Miss Cotter thought that he simply was careless. This could be so because not long after this incredible mount and his more incredible rider soared over a bar 6 feet 7 1/2 inches high.

These people who are riding to stamp out infantile paralysis tonight and tomorrow aren't going to be mounted on any hobby horses. Although his coat is long and shaggy and he hasn't been schooled since being turned to pasture following the heroics at Madison Square Garden late last year, Rockie will be handled by Miss Cotter. Prince Tex, most impressive of all in schooling lately, will be ridden by Miss Bosley. Mrs. Hughes will be up on Hi Ho, who needs no introduction in this neck of the woods, and Mrs. Perry, who is a mite of a person, will hop aboard a giant called Thunder Boy, a beast of 18 hands.

Those won't be goats the man will ride, either. Even the casual reader knows of Smacko and Black Caddy. He may even have heard of Ringmaster and Lew Dunbar. These are jumping critters, folks. It will take the best riding and the best jumping in humans and horses to bring a decision.

#### Both Sets of Rules Called Fair for All

Miss Cotter thinks the women have an equal chance. "We may have just the tiniest bit of an edge in horses," she said, gallantly, "but there's really no way of predicting anything. I'll say this for the committee that arranged the event—it's one of the best jobs of matchmaking I've ever heard of in the horse show world."

What part does a horse play? What part does a rider play? We put these questions to Miss Cotter and she seemed to think it was a 50-50 matter, like marriage. "The horse has to have confidence in his rider," she said, "and the rider must get all he can from the horse. Really, it's too involved to be boiled down as, say, baseball or boxing." (Miss Cotter is not an admitted all-around sports authority and, of course, baseball and boxing can't be doped, either, but notwithstanding, the lady has a point there.)

It seems that, among other things, certain rules can help one horse and hurt another. Tonight, for instance, the two teams will use American Horse Show Association rules. If a horse ticks a bar, even without knocking it off, the horse suffers. Tomorrow the Federation Equestre Internationale rules will be in effect. Under these a horse may tick without penalty.

"Some horses tick but never knock down a bar," explained Miss Cotter. "Others either go clear or knock down the whole works." She pondered for a few moments, weighing the peculiarities of Hi Ho, Black Caddy, Rockie, Prince Tex, Smacko, Ringmaster, Lew Dunbar and Thunder Boy, and then said: "As far as I can figure, it's about even as long as we use both sets of rules."

#### How About the Arena Washington Needs?

This is the second straight year the women have met the men, and 12 months ago the men won with ease. Maj. R. B. (Larry) Lawrence, one of the gents behind the guns, insists the women can win this year, and Larry, along with others, points to last year's box score for verification. It seems that Miss Cotter, unable to ride after a serious fall in 1940, served as a substitute in her first comeback appearance and helped the women to defeat the men in the final day of competition. The margin of victory wasn't sufficient to overcome the men's lead, but it was whittled down and tonight the guys and gals will have to start from scratch, so to speak.

It's quite a show and it's a sad commentary on the sporting facilities of the National Capital that it will be held in an arena capable of seating only some 1,700. The people who would like to see it undoubtedly would fill an army many times as large.

Remind us to write something blistering on the state of such things. There hasn't been an editorial in behalf of a decent stadium or arena in the last 36 hours.

### Cuban Yacht Annexes First Race in Star Class Competition

By the Associated Press.

HAVANA, Jan. 28.—The Cuban yacht Kurush II, manned by Charles De Cardenas, won the first race of the series of three for the mid-winter Challenge Trophy of Cuba in the international star class regatta.

Cardenas' boat took the lead on the last lap of the 10-mile 2-lap leeward-windward course after trailing the first half of the race in fourth place.

With a moderate sea and north-easterly wind, Kurush sailed the course in 1 hour 39 minutes and 11 seconds to finish 2 minutes and 24 seconds before Harry Nye's Gale, the defending champion from the South Lake Michigan fleet.

Nye made a remarkable showing with Gale, moving up to second place after holding what appeared to be a hopeless sixth place position when he rounded the second marker.

### Service Fives Are Added To Hoya Frosh Card

Georgetown's powerful freshman basketball team will have a chance to try its ability against service teams, Graduate Manager Rome Schwagel announced today. Three games have been added, two with Aberdeen Proving Ground and one with Fort Belvoir.

The Hoyas play Belvoir February 9 and Aberdeen on the 13th, both at Ryan gym, 4:30. On March 6 they will go to Aberdeen for a return game.

### Oregon State Raises Pay of Coaches as Bowl Win Reward

By the Associated Press.

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 28.—Rose Bowl pay lifts have been given Lon Stiner, Oregon State College football coach, and members of his staff.

The State Board of Higher Education voted to offer Stiner, whose 1941 eleven defeated Duke University, 20-16, in the transplanted Rose Bowl game at Durham, N. C., a four-year contract calling for \$7,000 a year.

The board also approved \$2,000 special pay to be paid within six months for preparing the team for the Rose Bowl trip and game.

Members of his staff got raises up to \$480 a year.

### Young Williams Rated High as Marksman

Shelley Williams, 17-year-old Central High student, holds the second highest junior award for rifle marksmanship made by the National Rifle Association.

In a qualification shoot he was required to average 80 per cent accuracy firing a .22-caliber rifle at a target whose bullseye actually was smaller than the cartridge he was using. He now is eligible to compete for the distinguished rifleman gold bar, most important N. R. A. award.

### Rec Quints Challenged

Teams in the D. C. Recreation Department Basketball League are challenged by the newly organized Mountaineers, a group of new District residents between the ages of 18 and 21 who hail from Hazleton, Pa. Games may be booked by calling Tom at North 2816.

### Boston to Fete Player Who Hit At .438 Clip

#### Williams of Red Sox, Yanks' Di Mag Also To Be Honored

By BILL KING, Associated Press Sports Writer.

BOSTON, Jan. 28.—After waiting in modest silence for 47 years, Hugh Duffy, the peppery veteran who set baseball's all-time high batting mark of .438, will be publicly acclaimed when the Boston baseball writers award trophies to such modern sluggers as Champion Ted Williams of the Red Sox and Joe Di Maggio of the Yankees tonight while dining with 800 of their readers.

Williams, who expects to be inducted into the Army within a few days, has been ordered to stay close to his Minneapolis draft board. As a result, he has delegated Eddie Collins, his club's general manager, to accept the Jacob C. Morse Memorial, a trophy awarded annually to Boston's outstanding player, in his behalf. Di Maggio, however, has promised to be on hand to receive the Paul Shannon Memorial Trophy which commemorates his astounding feat of hitting safely in 56 consecutive games for the current world champions.

#### Dedicated to Old Writers

Both awards, fixtures on the writers' banquet programs, are dedicated to oldtime colleagues. Morse, one of the earliest of the baseball scribes, originated the present scoring system and Shannon, another veteran, was president of the Baseball Writers Association of America when he died.

The writers' other regulation award, for Boston's outstanding rookie, has been voted to Dick Newsome, who pitched the Red Sox to 19 victories. More verbal praise, however, will not suffice for Duffy, for his press box admirers also have prepared a surprise for him.

The dinner's keynote speaking chores have been assumed by United States Senator Henry Cabot Lodge of Massachusetts, who tops the long list of orators to be introduced by Toastmaster Arthur Sampson of the Boston Herald.

Among the others on Sampson's list were President Bob Quinn of the Boston Braves, Lefty Gomez of the Yankees, Hugh Mulcahy, the Philadelphia Nationals pitcher who was one of the first major leaguers to enter the service; Tommy Holmes, the Braves' latest outfield acquisition; Ira Thomas, former Athletics catcher; Johnny Evers of the Braves' 1914 miracle club; Jimmy Conzelmann, coach of the Chicago Cardinals professional football club, and Warren Brown, Chicago sports editor.

The Morse presentation will be made by Arthur Siegel of the Boston Traveler, the Shannon by Jack Markey of the Boston Post and the rookie trophy by Herbert Finnegan of the Boston American.



**MORE ROOM NEEDED**—Charlie Halbert, 6 foot 10 inch West Texas State Teachers' basketer, resting in a New York hotel for the game his team will play against Long Island U. tonight. As the shortest member of the Texas squad is 6 feet 2, the players use double beds at night and sleep in a diagonal position. They have a tough time in the railroad train berths. —Wide World Photo.



**WIFE HIS TRAINER**—Red Rolfe, veteran Yankee infielder, has Mrs. Rolfe as his pacesetter as he does some preliminary work for the baseball season over a snowy trail at Penacook, N. H. He hopes to be fit when the squad gathers in Florida March 1. —A. P. Wirephoto.

### Women's Tennis Deemed Below Old Standard

#### Elizabeth Ryan Says Powerhouse Hitters Forget Strategy

By STANMORE CAWTHON, Associated Press Sports Writer.

CORAL GABLES, Fla., Jan. 28.—Today's top-ranking women tennis players, says veteran professional Elizabeth Ryan, fail to approach the greatness of such stars as Suzanne Lenglen and Helen Wills Moody because they don't use their heads.

"They're fine girls, of course," said Ryan, who won Wimbledon before turning pro in 1935, "but for the most part they have no idea of what the phrase tennis strategy means. They just powerhouse the ball over, and, except for Sarah Cookey, they seldom seem to have any particular plan."

"Think War Will Help Sports." "Pauline Betz, for instance, hits the ball well enough, but she lacks Lenglen's ability to judge her opponent's weaknesses and play to them."

Miss Ryan, resident professional at the Miami Biltmore Hotel here, believes the war will put more women into sports and she is hopeful that if enough young women take up the game new stars of the Moody-Lenglen caliber will develop.

"I think more women will play tennis and golf to become strong enough to handle the tasks the war has put on them," she explained. "She's seen the masculine and feminine internationalists come and go for more than two decades, and she doesn't mind telling you that she considers the present American first 10 much below the standard of previous years."

**Says Netmen Have Slipped.** "It's the lack of international competition that's done it," she said. "Since Bobby Riggs turned professional there isn't a player in the country good enough to give Tilden or Vines or Budge a run for their money when those players were on top."

"If you put our top three amateurs today against one of Australia's best, say, Billie Jean King, like Jack Bromwich, Adrian Quist and Jack Crawford, our boys simply would be eaten alive."

### Williamson Reported New Head Coach of Yale Gridders

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Jan. 28.—The New York Herald-Tribune said that Ivan B. Williamson, assistant football coach at Yale the last eight years, had been named head coach at the New Haven school.

The paper said the announcement of the former Michigan end's appointment would be delayed until he selected his assistants.

Emerson W. (Spike) Nelson, former Iowa lineman and the first non-graduate coach in Yale history, resigned late in December to accept a position with the United States Engineering Corps.

### Brewers at Wilmington Open Second Half

Opening the second half of the American Basketball League the Washington Brewers will face the Wilmington Blue Bombers, first-half champions, at Wilmington, Del., tonight.

Coach Mack Posnack of the Brewers expects to have his team at full strength, distributing duty among Herman Knuppel, Pete Berenson, Irving Rizzi, Ben Kramer, Ben Goldfaden, Whitey Wilson, George Slott and Nat Frankel.

### Vandalism Stops B.-C. C.-Blair Tilt

Montgomery County's big high school basketball game of the year, Bethesda-Chevy Chase vs. Montgomery Blair, definitely is off for the time being anyway because pre-game enthusiasm was carried too far by supporters of both teams.

School officials yesterday decided to cancel the contest, scheduled for Friday night at the University of Maryland's Ritchie Coliseum, because of vandalism at both schools.

Signs and slogans were painted on the school walls and in addition more than 60 windows were broken at Montgomery Blair.

### Slight Edge for Women Seen In Fort Myer Riding Joust

#### Both Sexes Have Finely Conditioned Mounts In Paralysis Fund Show Opening Tonight

By LARRY LAWRENCE.

At 8 o'clock tonight the inspiring notes of a bugle will herald the opening performance of the two-day President's Birthday Horse Show, the most colorful affair of the kind ever held in the historic riding hall at Fort Myer. Preparations have been made to receive a record crowd including cinema celebrities, practically the whole diplomatic corps, high Government officials, ranking officers of the Army and Navy, so-called and hundreds of horse show fans.

So attractive is the program of this the country's greatest indoor horse show outside of Manhattan's National, that for a week both performances have been sold out and an additional 5,000 seats would not have accommodated the demand for reservations. The outstanding feature that has proven to be such a drawing card is the much-discussed ladies vs. gentlemen riders team contest.

#### Women Ask No Odds.

Believing that horsemanship is the one sport in which women are the equal of men and the only one in which the fair sex asks no odds of the male, The Star, in behalf of four famous equestriennes, Margaret Cotter, Mrs. Fred J. Hughes, Jr., Mrs. W. Haggin Perry and Sara Bosley, challenged any team of men,

Including Army officers, to a trial of riding ability over tough courses. A foursome of top gentleman riders promptly accepted. Two are Army officers, Maj. C. B. McClelland and Lt. Fred J. Hughes, Jr., of the 3d Cavalry, and two civilians, Sam Bosley of Washington and Gordon Wright of Scarborough, N. Y.

Both teams are mounted on horses of national reputation, champions of the largest horse shows in the country, and as all of them have been out during the last two days of schooling in the Fort Myer riding hall, a good line has been obtained on their condition and fitness. Miss Cotter's national open jumper champion Rockie is in fine fettle. Mrs. Hughes' brilliant Hi Ho always has done well and is on top of her form.

Miss Bosley's Prince Tex has taken to the unfamiliar surroundings with the aplomb of a finished performer. The unknown quantity was Thunder Boy under the hand of Mrs. Perry. She never had ridden the big 18-hand gelding until last night, but after one round of the difficult course the backers of The Star's ladies' team heaved sighs of relief. Mrs. Perry had taken Thunder Boy over the barriers as though she had ridden him for years.

#### Sees Edge for Women.

Maj. McClelland's Smacko and Lt. Hughes' Black Caddy had good rounds yesterday. Sam Bosley is keeping his open jumper, Ringmaster, under cover until tonight. The big threat of the men's team, the much-touted Lew Dunbar, has not been on the course since his arrival at Fort Myer. Perhaps Gordon Wright believes the big chestnut does not need schooling for this affair.

We may be prejudiced, but from where we stand it looks as if the Star's team of famous woman riders will take the award over the men's quartet by a narrow margin. All the classes in the show have large entry lists, with perhaps even a higher quality of horses showing than in former years. The Whitney horses were schooling last night and appeared in grand form, as did the Greenhough and Perry strings. Altogether there are more than 150 prominent hunters and jumpers that will perform for the infantile paralysis fund.

### Nation's Largest Dog Show Is Called Off

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Jan. 28.—The 1942 Morris and Essex dog show has been canceled because of the war.

The show, the largest in the Nation, had 4,456 entrants in 1939.

### Irene Dill New Threat In Miami Biltmore Golf Tournament

#### Winner Over Medalist Faces Louise Suggs, Favorite in Meet

By the Associated Press.

MIAMI, Fla., Jan. 28.—Irene M. Dill, pretty 19-year-old Detroitier, offered a threat today to two Georgia bidders to the Miami Biltmore women's golf championship.

Miss Dill drew Louise Suggs, Southern women's champion, as her second-round opponent after defeating the medalist, Mary Jane Garman of Sarasota, Fla., and Hammond, Ind., 4 and 2.

Miss Suggs of Lithia Springs, Ga., is tournament favorite. Dorothy Kirby of Atlanta, Georgia State women's champion, is ranked next highest. Each advanced easily to the second round, Miss Suggs winning over Evelyn Odum of Miami, 4 and 2, and Miss Kirby beating Peggy Kirk of Winter Park, Ga., 6 and 5.

Georgia Tainter of Fargo, N. Dak., another favored player, reached the second round by defeating Mrs. Frank D. Fuller of Miami, 8 and 7.

### Basket Ball Scores

- LOCAL**
- Roosevelt 22; Coolidge 18.  
Eastern Tech. 24.  
Bethesda-Chevy Chase 37; St. Albans 33.  
London 29; Friends 18.  
Washington-Lee 27; Fairfax 26.  
Rockville 25; Sherwood 20.  
Mount Rainier 28; Stratford M. A. 22.  
Hyattsville 48; Gaithersburg 24.
- EAST**
- Shippensburg Teachers 47; Lock Haven Teachers 42.  
Corrys 40; Officers 46; Penn Mill 43.  
Central Pa. 31; Western Maryland 29.  
St. Mary's 44; Western Maryland 29.  
Salem 54; Marshall 45.
- SOUTH**
- Ochsula 54; Reading 34.  
Crown and Henry 54; Lynchburg 35.  
Roanoke College 48; Hamden-Sydney 27.  
North Carolina State 60; Davidson 43.  
Wake Forest 36; North Carolina 29.  
Howard Payne 47; McMurry 42.  
Arkansas Teachers 58; Arkansas Tech 26.  
Delta State Teachers 43; Memphis State 24.
- MIDWEST**
- McPherson 28; Belknap 22.  
Corydon 48; William Jewell 38.  
Omaha 56; Dana 32.  
Manchester 36; Central (Ind.) Normal 30.  
Simpson 40; Upper Iowa 30.  
Wayne Teachers 52; Nebraska Wesleyan 40.  
Northwestern Teachers 58; Morris Harvey 54.  
Corydon 41; Missouri Valley 27.  
Central Mich. 44; Grand Rapids 27.  
Lawrence 49; Assumption (Ontario) 34.  
Purdue 49; Penn College 26.  
Central Iowa 31; Iowa Wesleyan 29.  
Akron 57; Youngstown 39.  
Indiana (Pa.) Teachers 44; Johnsboro 37.  
Ohio Northern 68; Giffin 33.
- WEST**
- California 53; San Francisco U. 43.  
Central Washington 60; Pacific Lutheran 39.  
New Mexico Teachers 43; Adams State 29.  
Pepperdine 44; California Tech 39.  
Arizona Teachers (Tempe) 42; Arizona 41.  
New Mexico 44; New Mexico Mines 36.  
Chapman 72; La Verne 35.

### Canadian Army Gains Hub Hockey Team's Famed Kraut Line

#### Schmidt, Bauer, Dumart To Enlist Tonight in Royal Air Force

By the Associated Press.

BOSTON, Jan. 28.—All three members of the Boston Bruins' famed Kraut line, Mill Schmidt, Bobby Bauer and Woody Dumart, will fly to Montreal tonight to enlist in the Royal Canadian Air Force.

Each was due to be inducted in a home defense unit of the Canadian Army on February 5.

Neither they nor Manager Art Ross of the Bruins knew whether they would be called into the air service immediately.

According to reports from Canada, air service recruits have waited from two weeks to two months after passing physical examinations before being summoned for duty.

In the event that the Krauts are not taken into the service immediately, they will rejoin the Bruins in New York tomorrow for the game with the Americans and remain with them until ordered to report for flight instruction.

### Aging Wilcy Moore Contemplates Return to Baseball

#### Yale Oarsmen Need Identification Cards; High School Quints Swap Forfeits

**By HUGH FULLERTON, Jr.,** World Sports Writer.

NEW YORK, Jan. 28.—If you see a stray hockey puck flying around downtown Boston, return it to George Owen, the old Harvard-Bruins player. He keeps a stick in his office so he can get the "feel" of it in preparation for the all-star game, February 6, and his neighbors accuse him of trying shots at the hall windows.

The American Football Training Bureau is moving from Seattle to Chicago so it will be in the center of American football.

Lou Diamond, manager of Gus Lesnevich, claims life is a lot easier now that both of his sons are in the Army. He can grab any tie or pair of socks in the house without an argument. Because North Carolina has so many small basketball ball players they're calling this year's team the "White Bantams" instead of "Phantoms."

Today's guest star—C. M. Gibbs, Baltimore Sun: "Headlines de-claiming that New York University expected to kick out football yesterday were slightly misleading. What really happened was that N. Y. U. had football kicked out of it last season."

Mr. Ott comes to town—Sample of what goes on at a baseball press conference. Scene—Giants office. Original subject—Weight of Johnny Mize and Bill McCree.

Reporter: "Are you going to Hot Springs, too, Mel?"  
Ott: "Me? No."  
Reporter: "I thought I saw signs of a double chin."  
Ott (tumbling around—Weight of Johnny Mize and Bill McCree): "Guess I have put on a few pounds."  
Reporter: "That Southern fried chicken."  
Ott: "Fried chicken—no, but crayfish are in season."  
Another reporter: "Did you sign your contract yet, Ottie?"  
Ott (turning to Prexy Horace Stoneham): "When will we sign a contract, Horace?"

Stoneham: "In 20 minutes if you like."  
Odds and ends—Sixty-year-old Carol Ann Corby is an entrant in the Eastern States figure skating championships this week end. She will be in the juvenile division for kids under 13.

Wilcy Moore, who was considered practically a grandpaw when he pitched for the Yankees in 1927, will be back for the game with the Greenville (S. C.) Spinners. "I still can throw that sinker, with plenty on the old fast ball," he claims. Yale oarsmen have discovered that they have to get identification cards from the Coast Guard before the crew can drill around New Haven. Tom Stidham probably would be Nebraska's head football coach now if he had wanted to step down as boss at Marquette when Maj. Cliff Jones offered him a line-coaching job.

Wrong, right?—Indiana folks, who rival Kansas as red-hot

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# Browns in First Division, Phils Out of Cellar Seen as Possible War Freaks

## Loss of Key Players Promises Screw Pennant Races

### Tribe, Tigers, Red Sox Hit in Vital Places, Points Out Haney

By GRANTLAND RICE, Special Correspondent of The Star.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 28 (N. A. N. A.).—Many odd, bizarre things can happen in the wake of war. Fred Haney, the St. Louis Browns' manager brought up this point.

"You know," Haney said, "that as a result of the draft and the big changes that will take place in both leagues this next spring and summer it wouldn't surprise me to see the Browns move up into the first division, and maybe see the Phillies moving out of last place."

This seemed to be a drastic by-product, even for war, and making merry on its brazen cymbal gongs. But Fred Haney stuck to his point. "What will happen to Cleveland without Bob Feller and several others?" he asked. "Bob Feller also meant more to the club than the victories he turned in. He was a cushion against any bad slump. He was a dead-sure guarantee for so many victories.

"Then there are Boston's Red Sox minus Ted Williams and those young improving pitchers. Any one can see how much strength this will take away from Boston. The same thing has happened to others. But the Browns are an older club. They have more married men aboard. They won't suffer so much from the draft. And they have their share of good ball players. There's a good chance they will swing up into the first division.

Sees Pennant Scramble.

"This should be one of the best scrambles we've ever had," Haney continued. "By scrambling I mean ups and downs and unknown gambles.

Every club in both leagues will be losing men from time to time, especially the younger men. The Yankees, of course, can stand it better than any one else unless the entire team has to go. They have so many good ball players that losing three or four or five won't make as much difference.

"Cleveland can't afford to lose Feller—the Tigers can't afford to lose Greenberg—the Red Sox can't afford to lose Ted Williams—but the Yankees and Joe Gordon or any other two men and still be something to beat. Teams with good veterans left will have the call."

The center in the National will run into the same snarl. Quite a lot will depend on the break of luck from the draft. But the Cardinals and the Red Sox, in fact, the entire league—will find many a bounding athlete missing by the April getaway.

The Cardinals have a major group of married men, but also a greater number of younger stars. Just how many of their younger pitchers will be on hand by April or May is anybody's guess.

Hurlers' Age Help Dodgers.

The Dodgers get a break in the number of pitchers they have from 33 on up. But they also will lose a group of younger people who had been counted on.

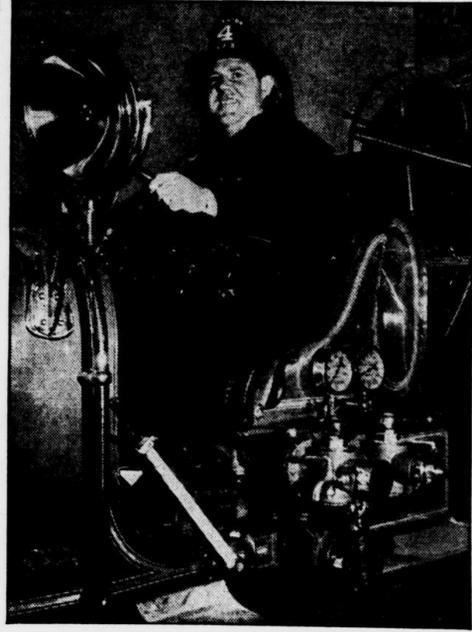
The same thing will happen from top to bottom. It will be a tremendous gamble, and for this reason may help to make two more interesting races than we'd get normally.

This new turn will give older men and those below 20 a cleaner shot at some job. John Cooney of the Braves at 41 is in an ideal spot. More than a few old-timers on their way out will be held, or called back. More kid ball players will get a better chance.

The majority of those, especially the unmarried, between 21 and 28, will be different from what it was a year ago when we were talking war—not actually in it.

Along the Pacific Coast the bewilderment naturally is greater than it is anywhere else. The West Coast has lived on night baseball. Night baseball may be ruled out. There also is the present order that no crowds above 5,000 can get together in any one place.

Even this combination of retarding circumstances may not stop the league race. In any event, the West Coast hopes to get its season under way, in one fashion or another. The next few weeks will give us a better answer.



ANOTHER PUTOUT—Ernest Gordon (Babe) Phelps, former Brooklyn catcher and recently signed by the Pittsburgh Pirates, is a member of the volunteer fire department at his home in Odenton, Md. He's at the wheel of a big fire truck.

## Virginia Sends Aces To Women's U. S. Bowling Event

### Vick, Simmons, Andrus To Head Delegation In Classic at Hall

Recent victor here in the Women's Dixie, Katherine Vick of Norfolk, who sports the No. 1 national woman's duckpin title; Eva Andrus, who fired a national seven-game record of 895 in the National Defense Mixed Doubles at Anacostia Spillway, and Ida Simmons, probably the greatest woman duckpinper of all time, loom as Virginia's chief threats in Saturday's United States Open championship at Convention Hall.

Mrs. Vick, winner of the United States tournament in 1939, in her latest triumph here gave a capacity gallery at Convention Hall its biggest thrill of the Dixie when she banged out a 422 round-up to post the second highest three-game set for female pin-spillers in Washington bowling history.

Miss Simmons, who abdicated her throne last season after wearing the No. 1 crown for six consecutive seasons, will shoot for her third victory in the rich event which pays the winner \$250.

Other leading rollers from Norfolk will be pretty Doris Smith Leigh, Ann Levy and Hazel Jungner.

Richmond will send a bevy of its topflight fair rollers with the ever brilliant Helen Randlett, the 1936 winner, No. 5 in the national list of women rollers, while Edna Brockwell, ranked No. 10, will bolster the delegation which will include Margaret Crump, Louise Harwood, Adelaide Pleasants, Helena Barrett, Marian Warburton, Pearl Nicholson, Louise Duke, Georgia Thomas and Melissa Warren.

Hagerstown's lone entry will be Hilda Edwards, while Margaret Shipley will be Frederick's first contestant in the top tournament.

Arville Ebersole, executive secretary of the National Duckpin Bowling Congress, announced that the first squad in the opening five-game block will start rolling at 1:30 and second shift at 3:30.

## Boxing's Fingers Must Be Printed

Promoters, boxers, managers and seconds must be fingerprinted by the Metropolitan Police Department before they can promote, appear or work on future boxing cards in the District, according to the latest ruling by the District Boxing Commission.

A recent regulation by the District Commissioners makes it necessary for every person holding a license in Washington to submit their fingerprints and the Boxing Commission comes under this regulation.

It goes into effect immediately and applications for printing will be received at any time by the Boxing Commission.

## Eagles' 11-3 Beating By Rovers Is Worst Ever Taken Here

### Fans Boo Capital Club, Helpless as New York Outfit Runs Wild

The hapless Washington Eagles, booed and humiliated in last night's 11-3 loss—their worst ever here—to the New York Rovers at Riverside Stadium, will attempt to seek some solace at the expense of the Baltimore Orioles, whom they meet in an Eastern Hockey League game tonight at Baltimore.

Chief target of jeers by 2,137 customers was goalie Craig McClelland, but equally responsible for the Eagles' shoddy showing was the feeble defensive work of Len Burrage and Art Lessard, who were giving him little protection.

Washington grasped a 1-0 lead in the first period, but not until nine goals later did the Eagles score again. Seven net in the second period, scoring their first five goals in 3 minutes and 20 seconds, and then they added two more early in the third period before Washington scored its second goal.

## Gets Ace—Loses It

Bob Johnson, Columbia, S. C., tugged in his tee shot on the home club's 16th green and then watched it pop out again.

## Bunkers Won't Bother Duffers On Many Golf Links in Future

### Clubs Are Urged to Make Grassy Hollows Of Sand Traps; Columbia Adopts Plan

Bobby Jones didn't miss when he suggested months ago that many of the bunkers on golf courses could be filled up with advantage to duffer and low-handicap golfer alike. The Columbia Country Club, without ostentation, has started filling up useless bunkers on the golf course both to save money and the time of men required to cut the grass (by hand) and to save duffers many headaches. So far the little bunker-stuck in the face of a hill on the third hole, and another at the left side of the eleventh fairway have been filled up. Others are in line for liquidation.

It all comes out of a proposal made months ago by Bob Jones (with the enthusiastic backing of Dr. John Monteith of the United States Golf Association green section). Bobby and Monteith collaborated in a series of experiments with crack professionals and duffers in bunker play. They found the pros have no trouble in the bunkers, while the duffers have plenty. They figured that the duffers are the men who pay the bills for golf courses and should get a break by eliminating the cause of their headaches—the bunkers.

Grassy Hollows Favored.

So Bobby and Monteith proposed the revolutionary scheme of filling up many bunkers and replacing them with grassy hollows, out of which the expert could extricate his ball without embarrassment while the duffer also would have more chance than from the sand. Bunker play, despite the sand wedge, still remains a mysterious art to a lot of golfers, while many experts would

as soon play a bunker shot as one from the fairway.

"We won't cut out all our bunkers, or even a lot of them," said O. B. Pitts, Columbia greengrazer. "So far we have cut out the unnecessary ones which catch some of the best shots of the high handicap players and don't affect the shots of the experts. The course will be as tough as ever for the crack player, but we think the duffer should get a break."

Meanwhile C. V. Anderson, prexy of the Iowa P. G. A., has gone even farther than Wiffy Cox in urging elimination of rough spots to save golf balls. Several days ago Wiffy began a cleaning-up process at Congressional seeking to get rid of the spots where a golf ball may be lost, the idea being to save golf balls.

There will be little high rough at Congressional this year, which won't make the members weep. Anderson urged that golf courses eliminate completely water hazards and rough for the duration of the war to prevent loss of golf balls. It might be a good idea everywhere.

Advocates Hazard Elimination.

Greenkeepers of the Middle Atlantic area are back at their clubs today with an admonition by Dr. Monteith that they might as well knuckle down to a war schedule, eliminate many expensive operations and keep the members of their clubs happier by cutting out spots which are back at their clubs today where golf balls may be lost. The clubs also face a possibility that where they buy water from commercial companies or municipalities, their supply may be reduced. This, of course, does not apply to clubs which have their own water supply, such as Congressional.

Monteith told the greenkeepers that more than ever in wartime outdoor recreation is needed. He alluded to the President's letter addressed to the major baseball leagues and said the same thought applied to golf.

"If you cut down too much on your upkeep expense you will find costs of reviving your courses excessive," Monteith warned the greens men.

Dr. Ernest N. Cory, who presided at the short course, said continuation of the meetings might be carried forward in the future on an every-other-year basis rather than annually.

## Never Player, But Coach Has Perfect Record

CAMP DAVIS, N. C., Jan. 28.—Pvt. Richard Witkin never has played in a basketball game, but as a coach he's top around here.

His coast artillery team has a clean slate of seven victories this season, some of them over colleges. He's been about the water bucket or a towel onto the floor, either, and he's usually the best rooster in the gymnasium.

On defense his players cover anybody they want to, and they yell.

The system works.

## Ku's 18 Court Points In Rec Loop No Help To Thumbs-Up Five

Three players scored 18 points each last night as the D. C. Redskins defeated the Indians 49-29 in the central division. Prizzelli's 41-10 was instrumental in B. & B. Farm's win over City Post Office, while Lake's similar total was more than half of Hot Shoppe's winning 35-12 score over Internal Revenue.

Other games found St. Charles triumphing 49-29, while Weather Bureau upsetting A. G. O. 28-22, at Central; St. Aloysius beating National Electric, 29-25, and Joe Boyle downing Navy Yard A. A., 25-20, at Eastern; the Pittston Oilers defeating War Department, 21-15, and Washington's routing the Fulcrum 41-20. Roosevelt, and E. O. Henderson doubling the O. E. M. score, 26-13, at Macfarland.

## Cleveland, Hershey To Fight for Lead In Hockey Race

The Cleveland Barons and Hershey Bears renew their season-long feud at the Cleveland Arena tonight, with the American Hockey League's Western Division leadership hanging in the balance.

It will be the third meeting of the campaign between the two clubs, with each holding a hometown decision over the other.

Hershey is in first place a scant half game ahead of Cleveland, so if the Barons are victorious their positions will be reversed.

On other games tonight the Indians entertain the Pittsburgh Hornets, New Haven invades Philadelphia and Buffalo visits Washington.



MEET THE CHAMP—Ernest Pettigrew, 26-year-old world champion cowboy for 1941, shown here with his favorite mount, says it takes "a real he-man" to win the title. Pettigrew earned his title by piling up more points through prize money than any of his sunburned rivals.

## Two New Lions Face Bison Hockey Club Here Tonight

### McGibbon, Graboski From Les Canadiens Helped To End Losing Streak

Fourth place clubs in their respective divisions of the American Hockey League, the Washington Lions and Buffalo Bisons will tangle tonight at Uline Arena at 8:30 o'clock.

Three times the Lions and Bisons have collided this season and the best Washington can show for it is a 2-2 tie achieved at Buffalo last Sunday night. Otherwise the Bisons have registered 1-0 and 8-1 victories over the Lions.

Washington will be exhibiting a brace of new players in Winger Erwin McGibbon and Defenseman Tony Graboski, formerly with Les Canadiens of the National League. McGibbon and Graboski joined the Lions in Pittsburgh last Saturday and were instrumental in snapping Washington's 4-game losing streak.

The Lions, making their first home appearance in nearly three weeks, trail the third place New Haven Eagles by five points in the eastern division, while Buffalo is 14 points out of the pace of the third place Indianapolis Caps in the western division.

## Mack's Staff Complete As Brucker Signs

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 28.—The Athletics coaching staff for 1942 was complete today as Manager Connie Mack filed away the signed contract of Earle Brucker, who handles the pitchers.

Brucker will take the hurling squad to Carlsbad, N. Mex., on February 12 for preliminary training.

## Bladensburg Girls Lead

Bladensburg High girls' basketball team topped Marlboro lassies, 31-18, in a game played yesterday on the Marlboro court. Joan Caherty's 16 points gave her individual honors.

## Well and Wright Enter Millrose Track Meet

NEW YORK, Jan. 28.—Norwood Well of Penn State, who swept all the major sprint titles last year, and Bob Wright of Ohio State, owner of the four top hurdlings titles of 1941, have entered the Millrose A. A. games at Madison Square Garden on February 7.

## Bethsands Roll Singular Set

Sanitary Service Team Marks Up 738 Game; Three Individuals Shoot Whoppers

One of the most remarkable duckpin team performances on record here stands to the credit of the Sanitary Service quint of the Bethesda Business Men's League, which rolls at the Boulevard.

In shooting a game of 738 the Sanitary Service quint came within five pins of the all-time District record, rolled last season by the Arcadia team of the District League.

Three of its members topped 400 for the set. Elmer Brun to tally 447, George Toth, 424, and John Ressa, 417. Randolph Pugh contributed 368 and Ed Butcher 341 to a set of 1,997, this and the 738 being all-time records for this league.

But most unusual was a trio of whopping games. Brun shot 183, Toth, 180, and Ressa, 178, the latter two coming in the 738.

The Styfo Water team was doused, 3-0.

## Merkle Bowlers Set League Marks as Brown Shines

### Hang Up New Standards For Game and Set in R. I. Avenue Loop

Sharing the bowling spotlight today with Brown and his E. Merkle Co. teammates are all-time record-smashers in the Rhode Island Avenue Businessmen's League were Joe Donahue, a rising star, and Lou Jenkins, the Capital's No. 1 duckpinper.

Flashing games of 162, 156 and 134 last night at King Pin to crack his own all-time mark of 442, Jenkins hardly had time to glory in his new feat when Brown, veteran Government Printing Office roller, posted 457 to top Jenkins' brilliant effort of 452 by five pins. Flaring strings of 185, 154 and 129, Brown paved the way for the Merkle quint to mark up all-time team highs of 668 and 1,838 in a 2-1 win from Baumgarten pinner.

Jenkins watched another of his all-time league marks tossed into the discard when Donahue fired 185 to salvage the only game Brookland Post Office won from E. A. Merkle in one of the loop's double-header matches.

Boosting his all-time league 400-set record to 10 for the season, Jenkins prevented the pace-setter Jerry Nigan Cleaners from being shut out by the Celtics.

Maffei Rolls High Game.

Maffei of the Arctics with 138 was tops in the Procurement League at Bethesda Bowling Center. The Incans and Dorics shared highs of 587 and 1,828, respectively.

Posting top scores of 647 and 1,712, Christ Church rollers set the leading Douglas No. 1 quint in the East Washington Church League. Percy LaPorte, ace pinman of the Petworth outfit, shined with highs of 158 and 411.

Brookman's 164 was the big blow as Brightwood No. 1 chucked up a season record of 1,749 in the Letter Carriers League at Brookland Recreation. Set honors went to Linda-mood of Cleveland Park with 352 while the Central quint bagged high game with 605.

Topped by Harry Hilliard's 164 and 420 which led Queen Chapel's sweep over Howard Cleaners, six other pinners marked up 400-sets in the Prince Georges County League at the Hyattsville Recreation. Despite Harry Wolfe's 418 and K. Keeler's 402 Dixie Tavern dropped the rubber game to Q. & S. Laundry. Charley Souder's 415 paced Chillum's 3-0 win from Smith's Tavern while Lee Flesham's 413, Don Patrick's 414 and George Brandt's 409 also were highlights.

Teammates on the Kenwood No. 3 quint, Percy Wigw with 124—314 and Ellen Butler with 120—314 divided honors in the Women's County Club League at Silver Spring.

Watson Seeks More Coin.

Squeezing in with a 119 average, Ray Watson, the veteran Brookland Merchants League star, will shoot for his second tournament victory of the season Saturday when he fires in the sixth annual Ollie Pacini Near-Star event at Northeast Temple.

Winner of the Pop Wolfe Memorial, the season's first major event, Watson's triumph through his second triumph in the recent Chilly Barnard Handicap at Georgetown Recreation.

With the event limited to bowlers with averages of 120 and under, Frank Mischou, last year's victor, likely will be the sideline watcher as the seven-game event gets underway at the 2 o'clock entrance fee of \$5. A two-third handicap will be given contestants under the scratch mark of 120.

The winner besides an approximate top prize of \$100 will receive the Ollie Pacini gold medal award.

Winning two games from Industrial with highs of 480 and 1,365, the leading Atlantic rollers boosted their standings in the People's Life Insurance Ladies' League at Hi-Skor to 37 games won out of 45 rolled. Arlene Lightfoot was tops with 107 and 295 at the end of the first took a lone decision from Branch.

## Hail America Tourney Given to Ridgemoor

CHICAGO, Jan. 28 (AP)—Chicago District Golf Association has assured that the Hail American Open Golf Tournament, proceeds of which will go to war relief, will be held at the Ridgemoor Country Club, June 18-21.

## Werner Tutors W. & M. Nine

WILLIAMSBURG, Va., Jan. 28 (AP)—Carl Voyles, athletic director of William and Mary, has announced that A. H. ("Pop") Werner has been named varsity baseball coach to succeed Rube McCray, who will give his time to other duties. Werner was a former catcher and football player at Duke.

## Sports Mirror

Today a year ago—Charley Keller, Yankees; Kirby Higbe, Dodgers; Fred Fitzsimmons, Dodgers, and Johnny Allen, Browns, returned signed contracts to their respective clubs.

Three years ago—Glenn Cunningham won mile run at Knights of Columbus games in 4:15.2. Harold Clegg set new meet record of 1:12.5 in Prout 600.

Five years ago—Maj. Lawrence (Biff) Jones resigned from Army to accept five-year contract at reported \$10,000 annually as head coach at University of Nebraska.

## Mike Gibbons to Second Savold in Bout Here

Mike Gibbons, former world middleweight boxing champion, will second Lee Savold, Des Moines heavyweight, when he stacks up against something named Neville Beech in a 10-round feature bout Monday night at Turner's Arena.

In an eight-round semifinal Oscar Wright will clash with Carl Gurgino.

## Manassas Firemen Ahead

Herb Saunders scored 21 points for the Manassas Firemen last night as they rolled to a 53-39 victory over the Roller A. C. here.

## 20 Years Ago

Nine star athletes at Illinois were barred from further athletic participation because they played in a semi-pro football game after the close of the Western Conference season. Several Notre Dame players were reported to be on the opposing team and Knute Rockne is conducting an investigation at the South Bend school. Several footballers there recently were barred because they played with the Green Bay Packers. "If any college man, after four years of training, can find no better occupation than to commercialize his ability to play football, his coach has been a failure," said Rockne.

A pre-season survey of baseball prospects has the St. Louis Browns listed as outstanding pennant contenders with a hardy-yetting outfield giving them a good chance of topping the Yankees.

## Noonan, De Witt Shine In Pacing Heurich Cage Triumphs

Two former college stars, Bill Noonan and George De Witt, shared individual scoring honors in Heurich cage competition last night as they tallied 16 points apiece to lead Senate Beer and Federal Bureau of Investigation to victories over Michelbach and the Aggies.

Senate's margin over Michelbach was 52-30, while the G-Men stopped the Aggies by a 48-39 score.

In a third game, Jewish Community Center defeated the Silents, 42-23. Miller pacing the winners' attack with 13 points.

## Fourth Kayo for Babcock

PORTLAND, Me., Jan. 28 (AP)—Charlie Babcock, 18-year-old Bangor schoolboy, won his first main bout last night by knocking out Tommy Musto, 169, Detroit, in the first round. It was the fourth consecutive kayo here for Babcock, who weighed 164.

## 35 Dogs in Free-for-All Trial; Astra Victor in U. S. Derby

JHUQUALAK, Miss., Jan. 28.—Shuges of the National Field Trial Club settled down today to the task of selecting a free-for-all champion from a field of 35 dogs.

Called out for this morning's first heat were Mercer Millie, pointer bitch owned by E. C. Goss of Cleveland, Ohio, and Surracho, a pointer dog owned by Frank Miller of Bradford, Pa.

Astra, a smooth-working pointer showing in the fourth field trial of her career, won the derby title yesterday for her owner, A. G. C. Sage of New York.

Maryland Yeomanette, owned by

## OUTDOORS With BILL ACKERMAN

### Bill Dolph, Great Lover of Bass Fishing, Finds New Lure After Big Haul of Tarpon

Bill Dolph has been a confirmed bass fisherman for many years. Mere mention of productive waters never fails to bring keen interest. It appears that black bass possibly may lose first place on his list of fighting fish, for Bill has experienced that superior type of plug-casting that is to be had along the mangrove-lined banks of the Lostmans, Barron and Shark Rivers between Everglades, in Southwestern Florida.

In one day, fishing with Mrs. Dolph, the count was 40 tarpon hooked and 7 brought alongside and released and 18 snook boated. This was good fishing by any standards. He probably will continue to fish fresh waters here, but his thoughts

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often doubtless will return to Old Florida.

Florida fishing conditions, despite idle rumors to the contrary, have not been changed by the war.

It isn't any oddity to catch big bottom fish with hooks imbedded in their jaws, relics of previous battles from which they, not the fisherman, emerged victorious. With some top-striking game fish such a happening has come to light every now and then. So far as sailfish are concerned, we have known never of any being caught with the tackle of another angler dangling from its mouth.

This week a Port Lauderdale fisherman hooked a big sail in the bill, which, when boated, was found to have one hook imbedded in the corner of its mouth and another under its jaw, with 3 feet of steel leader draped around its gills.

On the same day, 90 miles below, another angler hooked what was believed to be a shark, because throughout the fight it never surfaced. When hauled in it proved to be an 84-pound sailfish, hooked through the eye.

Upon being weighed it was found to exceed all others entered so far in the Miami tournament.

The war already has curtailed many items required by anglers and fishermen. The oddest and latest is rabbits. They are bangtails of Missouri lineage, which States on the Eastern seaboard stock heavily. The reason is shortage of trappers because of war service.

The Maryland Game Commission recently placed an order for 12,000 rabbits for the war. It fears will be fortunate to obtain half the order.

## White to Play and Mate in Two Moves

Problem 411. White to play and mate in two moves.

White: King, Queen, Rook, Knight, Bishop, Pawn. Black: King, Queen, Rook, Knight, Bishop, Pawn.

Solution: 1. Q-R5, 2. R-R5. Black has no move.

## Rhimes Has Lone Miss In Vandalia Shoot

EUSTIS, Fla., Jan. 28.—Parr Rhimes of Marseilles, Ind., scored a brilliant 149-150 targets in opening round of the winter Vandalia trap shoot to win first place in the class championship.

Tied for second place in yesterday's competition were H. H. Hontz, Cromwell, Ind., and A. C. Coffey, Orlando, Fla., with 142-150. George McCullough, Minneapolis, placed third with 141-150.

## Fights Last Night

NEW YORK.—Tami Maurilio, 154, New York, stopped Gunner Barlund, 160, New York.

BROOKLYN, N. Y.—Aille Stolz, 138, New York, stopped Joe Jones, 135, Brooklyn.

HARTFORD, Conn.—Willie Pop, 144, Hartford, stopped Henry Vasquez, 137, Brooklyn.

PORTLAND, Me.—Charlie Babcock, 165, Bangor, Me., stopped Tommy Musto, 169, Detroit.

OLDENAPOLIS, Mo.—Lou Thomas, 304, St. Louis, stopped Red Budge, 271, Pittsburgh.

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# Three Teams Struggle for Lone Place in Playoff of Schoolboy Court Series

## Tossup Seen Among Western, Eastern And Coolidge

Roosevelt Cinches Spot In Conquering Colts; Ramblers Nip Tech

HIGH SCHOOL STANDINGS.	
Team	W. L.
Roosevelt	4 0
Wilson	3 1
Central	2 2
Western	1 3

By GEORGE HUBER.

A three-way struggle for one opening in the championship playoff round in the interhigh series setup for the next two weeks with Western, Coolidge and Eastern as the teams involved. Roosevelt is a certainty to be in the title bracket after winning its fourth straight by topping Coolidge yesterday, 22-18, while Wilson went against Tech and three wins and one setback each almost are a clinch to be in. Tech and Anacostia definitely are out, having lost four games. Tech's last defeat coming yesterday at the hands of a fast-closing Eastern five, 27-24.

The program is a tough one for all three teams seeking the one remaining place in the round of four. Coolidge has yet to meet Tech, Wilson and Western; Eastern must face Roosevelt, Western and Wilson, while Western goes against Anacostia, Eastern and Coolidge. It appears a tossup any way these games are regarded.

Capone Is Tech's Poison. One of the sensations of the series came in the Tech-Eastern fray yesterday when Tech with the biggest upset in its grasp saw a 9-point edge it carried into the final period disappear before Larry Capone's eagle-eyed shooting. Tech led 8-5 the way until the final minutes, ending the first quarter 8-3, the half 14-5 and the third period 22-13. Capone began his drive in the third period and netted 11 points to bring Eastern within 1 point of Tech midway of the final session.

Mike Lieb, another Rambler hero, dropped in a midcourt loop to send his team to 25-24, while George Piggett, with half a minute to go, made it safe with another 2-pointer. Tech tossed in a full new team at this point, but it was too late.

Hank Pizza was best for Tech with nine points. He sank seven straight tosses from the foul line. He missed four in a row in the last period, however, and that was the margin of Eastern's victory.

Referes—Messrs. J. Mitchell and Buecher (D. C. A. B.).  
Riders Have Big Period. A second-period spurt during which it netted eight points for a 14-7 halftime lead gave Roosevelt its fourth straight series victory in downing Coolidge, 22-18. Otherwise the Rough Riders and Colts battled on even terms. Coolidge was able to earn only four goals from the floor and three of these were supplied by little Addy Bassin during a scoring spree in the third period.

The Colts displayed some close guarding in holding the Riders to the lowest score they have made in series play this year, but they couldn't hit the loop enough and got most of their points from foul tosses. Roosevelt's scoring was spread down the line with Center Charley Howard best with eight points.

Roosevelt G.P.Pts. Coolidge G.P.Pts.  
Roosevelt 2 0 4  
Coolidge 2 0 0  
Wannan 1 0 2  
Ward 1 0 2  
Bedinger 2 0 4  
Koster 1 0 2  
Schwarz 1 0 2  
Totals 9 0 22

Ahearn Will Be Quizzed About Girls' Boxing  
The District Boxing Commission is concerned over the "boxing" of Frances Corrigan and Olga Baranoff, woman rasslers, at Uline Arena on Monday night and has summoned Promoter Goldie Ahearn to explain at a meeting on Monday.

Ahearn is pleading ignorance, claiming that the 30-year-old Pfeffer, New York boxing agent, Goldie rushed to the ring and halted the bout after learning the girls had donned gloves.

Golden Gloves Awards Are Due February 5  
Golden Gloves awards to individual champions and winning teams of the recent boxing tournament will be presented at a banquet to be held at the Mayflower Hotel February 5.

The District Boxing Commission will present trophies to the Washington and St. Mary's Boys' Club, title novice and senior teams, respectively, while individual champions and runners-up will receive golden gloves, trunks and bathrobes.

Immaculate Alumni Win  
Immaculate Conception Alumni basketball team topped Eastern Branch Boys' Club quint, 37-36, yesterday at Eastern Branch. Jack Glasser was high for the winners with 10 points and his basket with 20 seconds to go won the game.

Hockey Results  
By the Associated Press.  
NATIONAL LEAGUE.  
Boston, 0; Toronto, 0 (tie).  
AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.  
Tulsa, 3; Dallas, 2 (tie).  
St. Paul, 4; St. Louis, 1.  
WESTERN AMATEUR LEAGUE.  
New York, 11; Washington, 3.  
Johnstown, 11; Atlantic City, 7.  
TONIGHT'S SCHEDULE.  
AMERICAN LEAGUE.  
Herby at Cleveland.  
New Haven at Philadelphia.  
Pittsburgh at Springfield.  
Buffalo at Washington.  
AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.  
Minneapolis at Omaha.  
Tulsa at Fort Worth.  
WESTERN AMATEUR LEAGUE.  
Washington at Baltimore.  
New York at Boston.  
Atlantic City at River Vale.



PLAYING STERNER GAME—Mary Browne, former national tennis champion, who is helping in the physical training program for women. She is aide to Alice Marble, more recent net queen, who is in charge of the work.

## Exams Occupy Kotz As Big Ten Scoring Lead Is Attacked

By the Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Jan. 28.—Big Ten basketball guards who have gone to a lot of aches and pains to stop the one-handed scoring of Wisconsin's Johnny Kotz, are in for vicarious pleasures this week. They get a respite while Johnny is being subjected to midyear examinations.

Kotz, top scorer in the conference with 114 points, will not return to Big Ten action until February 9, when the Badgers play at Chicago. He steps out of the scoring race leading the field by 29 points.

Leaders:  
Kotz, Wis., 114  
Graham, N. D., 83  
Wendland, N. Y., 82  
Smith, Minn., 77  
Alex. Minn., 76  
Wander, Mich., 74  
Janor, Minn., 73

## Mount Rainier Victory Is Paced by O'Connor

Joe O'Connor's 10 points paced Mount Rainier High's basket ball team to a 28-22 win over Brainerd Military Academy yesterday at Mount Rainier.

Mount Rainier G.P.Pts. Brainerd G.P.Pts.  
Fielding 0 0 0  
Connor 10 0 2  
Robinson 2 0 0  
Hunter 0 0 0  
D. Myers 1 0 0  
Thompson 0 0 0  
Totals 13 0 22

## Braddock Will Referee Battle Royal on Mat

Jimmy Braddock, the former world heavyweight boxing champion currently attempting to become a physical instructor for the Army, will referee a rousing battle royal Monday night at Uline Arena.

It will mark Braddock's first appearance in Washington as a mat referee, although he boxed an exhibition here while heavyweight champion and later refereed on an amateur boxing card.

## Y's 'B' Quintet Victor

The "B" team of Cleveland Park Y. M. C. A. downed Georgetown Prep's junior quint, 24-14, yesterday in the Garrett Park gym.

## Poerstel Youngsters in Glory As Barons Trim St. Albans

'Twas quite a day for the Poerstels—all three of 'em—at Bethesda-Chase High's gym yesterday. The Poerstels, less you're unacquainted with the Barons sports family, have three fingers, as it were, in Bethesda's home games this year.

Cute, vivacious Shirley captains the corps of coed cheerleaders; Kenneth, not yet of high school age, runs the scoreboard with all the accuracy of an old-timer, while "Big Brother" Dick incites both to spontaneous vocal outbursts while savoring on the floor as a Baron forward.

Well, Dick was quite the hero for Bethesda yesterday, even if Carl Jullien did carry off individual scoring honors with 15 points, because the Barons, behind from midway the second quarter, were facing apparent defeat at the hands of a good St. Albans quint with the score 24-20 against them and little more than 10 minutes to play.

Bethesda had matched its guest basket for basket in the third period, but just when it appeared the host quint never was going to close the 2-point gap the "elder" Mr. Poerstel stepped into the picture. Loring Appleby's basket had left the Barons only 2 points behind for the third time since play was resumed and then it was that Poerstel took a quick pass, pivoted neatly and dropped in a snizzard to tie the score. Less than a minute later, Dick was fouled, sank the free toss and Bethesda was ahead—for only the second time during the game and the first time since early in the second quarter.

Dick's shots seemed to instill confidence in his mates, especially Jullien, who ran wild in the last period to cage four field goals. The final score was 37-22 and you didn't have to ask Shirley or Kenneth Poerstel

## Court Fireworks Due As Gonzaga Battles St. John's Tonight

Torrid Rivals, Not Yet At Peak, Stronger Than Their Records Show

That neither team is enjoying great success will have little effect on a big crowd coming out tonight to witness the first of two basket ball games this season between St. John's and Gonzaga. They meet at Tech gym following a lightweight preliminary at 7:15 p.m.

It has been true in the past that even poor teams can assemble championship outfits when entering this game and this year's Johnny and Eagle squads are not poor ones, other evidence to the contrary. Neither can boast a record above the 500 mark, although the Johnnies experienced a short stay with everything even last week after it defeated Bethesda. Right now St. John's has won four and dropped five, while Gonzaga also has four victories, but six defeats.

Neither can be assigned the role of favorite of these records. Gonzaga beat Georgetown Prep, which topped St. John's, but on the other hand the Johnnies claim a victory over Eastern, which topped the Eagles. It so happens that neither coach claims an underdog rating for tonight, however.

Both Potentially Strong. After being defeated by Western on Monday, a bystander remarked to Coach Ir Holbrook of Gonzaga that he hardly could be expected to win with that team. "Well," Horse answered, "if I was a betting man I'd call this week end. Coach Al York probably will select Virginia's 145-pounder for the Maryland match after looking over his squad tomorrow.

The other five spots in the Cavalier line-up probably will be filled by the lads who helped win the team's 12th ring victory over North Carolina. Tommy Thomason will box as bantamweight. Jim McIver as featherweight and Willie Barnett as lightweight. Frank Null, 155-pounder who received a forfeit, will be the junior middleweight.

Another Rathbun to Box. Norman Rathbun, another Baltimorean and brother of the Cavalier captain, is to be the light heavy-

weight entry. He will meet Herb Gunther, Southern Conference champion, defeated by Ken Rathbun in the dual meet last winter.

Truman Southall, coach of the first year team, plans to make several changes in the line-up for the afternoon freshman bouts. Don Douglas will go in as welterweight instead of Bryan Donaldson, Cary Peters may replace Joe Littleton as lightweight, and Tom Davies may fill the heavyweight spot. Maupin Masse, 120 pounds; Jim Klasing, 127 pounds; George Marx, 155 pounds; Alan Arbutin, 165 pounds, and Bob Bot, 175 pounds, will more than likely be Virginia's other freshman entries.

Kidwell Rolls Up Score For Hyattsville Five  
Roddy Kidwell supplied 15 points for individual honors yesterday at Hyattsville High, cagers downed Gaithersburg, 48-24, at Hyattsville.

Hyattsville G.P.Pts. Gaithersburg G.P.Pts.  
Kidwell 15 0 30  
Sideroff 5 0 10  
Cohen 4 0 8  
Muniz 4 0 8  
Kiddell 2 0 4  
Neff 1 0 2  
Bladen 1 0 2  
Totals 21 0 48

## Late Rush by Landon Crushes Friends In Court Tilt

After testing its opponent for the first two periods, Landon School's basket ball team put on a second-half spurt for a 28-18 victory over Friends School yesterday at Landon.

Landon led 11-8 at the half, and Friends scoring consistently more than doubled its margin in the final two periods. Cotton Smith as usual topped Friends team with seven points.

Leaders:  
Landon G.P.Pts. Friends G.P.Pts.  
Sager 0 0 0  
JK Devaux 1 0 2  
Anderson 2 0 4  
Brauer 0 0 0  
Greenbaum 0 0 0  
Kriner 4 1 8  
Totals 13 3 29

## Little McNally Leads W.-L. High to Win Over Fairfax

Basket ball coaches like to have a lot of tall boys on their teams, but size isn't everything as little Jimmy McNally of Washington-Lee High will demonstrate. Although the smallest man on the team, Jimmy turned in some timely shooting last night to lead the Generals to a 27-26 victory over Fairfax High at Fairfax.

Washington-Lee was forced to come from behind a 17-11 Red edge at the half, but with baskets by Maynard Tishart and Buck Newsome in the closing minutes finally sending the Generals to the front.

Washington-Lee G.P.Pts. Fairfax G.P.Pts.  
Wash-Lee 27 0 54  
McNally 11 0 22  
Buff 0 0 0  
Baird 0 0 0  
Grinnell 2 1 5  
Baker 2 0 4  
Pearson 0 0 0  
Thibault 1 0 2  
Owens 1 0 2  
Totals 11 6 27

## Bruins Earn Lead Tie In Scoreless Game

By the Associated Press.  
Boston's bandaged Bruins couldn't score, but the single point they gained last night in their overtime, scoreless deadlock with Toronto lifted them into a tie for first place in the National Hockey League with the New York Rangers.

It was only the second defeat in six starts for St. Albans which presented quite a player in Earl Elliott. Elliott found the cords for 13 points and played a good all-around game.

Bethesda G.P.Pts. St. Albans G.P.Pts.  
Kirby 1 0 2  
Elliott 13 0 26  
Rogers 1 0 2  
Phillips 2 0 4  
Julien 2 0 4  
Appleby 2 0 4  
Bever 0 4 8  
Totals 15 7 37

Score at half—St. Albans, 16; Bethesda, 14. Referee—Sivigny (A. B.).

## Virginia to Revise Ring Teams For Matches With Maryland

Victor, Varsity Welter, Not Apt to Start; Several Freshmen Changes Likely

CHARLOTTESVILLE, Va., Jan. 28.—Virginia's boxing line-ups, varsity and freshman, will both be revised before the Cavaliers meet Maryland in a double-header in College Park on Saturday, but just who will go into the ring against the Old Liners probably will not be determined until tomorrow afternoon.

Capt. Kenneth Rathbun, lefthanded middleweight, was kept out of the North Carolina meet by a bad tooth and his place was taken by Tom Chalmers, who won in his varsity debut to assure Virginia a victory over the Tar Heels. Rathbun's home is in Baltimore and he is a fourth-year student in the department of engineering.

Parlow Replaces Oehmig. Milton Parlow, the 6-foot 3-inch heavyweight from Milwaukee, will be boxing in the unlimited class in place of Dan Oehmig. Parlow, who was a tackle on the football team last fall, opened his varsity ring career by outpointing big Jack Maskas of V. P. I. He was regular freshman heavyweight.

Bill Victor, novice welterweight, who is undefeated in his first two varsity appearances this season, may be rested this week end. Coach Al York probably will select Virginia's 145-pounder for the Maryland match after looking over his squad tomorrow.

Norman Rathbun, another Baltimorean and brother of the Cavalier captain, is to be the light heavy-

## Cardinal Basketers Set Scoring Pace In Mason-Dixon

Scanlon Heads Circuit With 94 Points, Rice Is Next With 89

Catholic University's improvement in basket ball this winter is reflected in the individual scoring statistics of the Mason-Dixon Conference which shows two Cardinal courtmen at the head of the parade.

Points for C. U. last winter were as rare as palm trees in Siberia, but with Dick Scanlon, muscular center, ringing the bell from all angles and southpaw Freddy Rice joining in the chorus the Cards have been hitting the hoop with adding machine consistency. Scanlon tops the list with 94 points and Rice is close behind with 89.

The pace-making Loyola quintet was idle last week because of mid-year examinations—the doctormen into which most of the other teams are drifting this week—but the Grayhounds' sensational Bernie Thobe held forth place with 73 points. Ed Mccowski of Western Maryland slipped into third with 81, adding 14 points against Washington College.

Others in the first 10 are Tannebaum (Hopkins), 72; Harkins (Mount St. Mary's), 67; Vic Bock (Loyola), 63; Robinson (Hopkins), 54; Francis Bock (Loyola), 54; Sutfen (Western Maryland), 48.

Leaders on other conference teams playing fewer games included American University's "Bing" Byham, 35; Garber (Bridgewater), 32; Sldowski (Delaware), 20; Ludovico (Gauldet), 24; and Samele (Washington), 35.

## Just Can't Be Nice To Mexican Quint

By the Associated Press.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Jan. 28.—Radiating pan-American friendship, Kentucky's basket ball coach, Adolph Rupp, presented a dozen roses to Señora Teresa de Ochoa, wife of the University of Mexico's coach, before the Kentucky-Mexico game here.

Distressed because Kentucky led, 33-7, at the half, Rupp used every substitute, played the Mexicans about even in the second half.

The Kentuckians even called their plays out loud, but failed to help their visitors. None could speak English.

Kentucky won, 56 to 26.

## Champ Colored Quint, Brooklyn College To Battle Here

A basket ball game between Brooklyn College of New York and North Carolina College, champions of the Colored Intercollegiate Athletic Association, will be played at Turner's Arena Saturday night.

Brooklyn, under Coach Art Must-cant, is one of the Eastern teams to play regularly in Madison Square Garden, while N. C. State whipped one of the greatest Negro teams ever assembled, Virginia Union, for the association championship last year.

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D. J. Needham, general counsel of the American Bankers' Association, and C. G. Wolf, assistant general counsel, will also be present from Washington headquarters. The presiding officer will be Richard G. Stockton, Winston-Salem, N. C., who is president of the trust division of the A. B. A.

The program has been developed around the theme of adapting the trust business to wartime conditions. The speakers include Henry W. Koenek, president of the A. B. A.; Walter P. Armstrong, president American Bank Association; Paul F. Cadman, A. B. A. economist; Chief Judge A. M. Doble of Richmond, Va., and many others.

Representatives from 21 of the 24 associations comprising the District of Columbia Building and Loan Association, which met at the Raleigh Hotel yesterday for the monthly luncheon, heard Wilfred H. Blanz, president, praise the members for the active part they are playing in the distribution of United States Defense bonds.

According to Mr. Blanz, the various associations disposed of over \$800,000 worth of securities to customers up to the middle of December. Following the war declaration the member units began to merchandise the bonds aggressively and succeeded in selling nearly \$600,000 worth during the following four weeks for a grand total of \$1,395,000.

The 12th annual banquet of the league, to be held Saturday evening at the Mayflower, will attract over 600 guests. Martin J. Goodman, 65 chairman, disclosed, Reception of officials from Congress, Federal Home Loan Bank and other Government financing agencies will begin the festivities at 6:30, preceding the dinner. J. Hawley Smith, entertainment chairman, announced that a musical program will be staged, followed by dancing.

Washington's 8 per cent gain in new life insurance written in December seems to have been a one-time occurrence. Philadelphia had a gain of 88 per cent over December a year ago; Cleveland, 73; New York, 62; Boston, 62; Chicago, 31; Detroit, 46; Los Angeles, 56; and St. Louis, 38, according to the Life Insurance Research Bureau at Hartford.

However, this city's 8 per cent gain for the year is much closer to the other cities. Boston reported a 12 per cent gain, Chicago 3, Cleveland 12, Detroit 22, Los Angeles 14, New York 6, Philadelphia 14 and St. Louis 4 per cent.

Insurance men here say that the demand for life insurance took a tremendous jump after the Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor. A times during 1941 business lagged, this accounting for the modest year-to-year showing.

Five Banks in "Biggest List." Five Washington banks are included in the list of the 300 largest banks in the country announced today by the American Banker, which makes a compilation of this kind every year.

The Washington banks are Riggs National, No. 61 in the list; American Security & Trust Co., No. 123; Hamilton National, 221; National Metropolitan, 230, and Washington Loan & Trust, 269.

The Chase National remains the largest bank in the United States, National City standing second and Guaranty Trust third. Bank of America is fourth and Continental Illinois fifth.

Snyder Explains Tax Details. G. R. Snyder, of Snyder, Farr & Co., certified public accountants, addressed the Clearing House Association of Loudoun, Fauquier and Prince William Counties, Va., last evening at the Warren Green Hotel in Warrenton on the subject of "Income Tax Applied to Banks." Mr. Snyder explained in detail the various steps necessary for a bank to take in making a correct return of declared value, excess profits tax, excess profits tax, normal tax and surtax.

Woodrum Insurance Director. Clifton A. Woodrum, of Roanoke, Va., Representative in Congress since 1923, was elected a director of the National Life Insurance Co. at the annual meeting of the policyholders at Montpelier, Vt., yesterday. It was announced here today. He is a policyholder and was a colleague of Elbert S. Brigham, president of the company, when it was named as a Representative in Congress. An expert in fiscal matters, he is the first member of the board from the South.

Francis G. Addison, Jr., president of the Security Savings & Commercial Bank, will speak over Station WRC tomorrow night at 11:15 in the Washington Stock Exchange to a representative of the District Bankers' Association. These radio talks by bankers are drawing wide attention.

Marcy L. Sperry, president of the Washington Gas Light Co., has been appointed to a special committee as a representative of the company being formed by the American Gas Association.

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Table of stock prices for various companies including American Bankers' Association, American Security & Trust Co., etc. Columns include Stock Name, Price, and Change.

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Commodities in Upheaval. In contrast with the stock market, some commodity markets were thrown into a speculative upheaval by bearish interpretations placed on remarks of Agricultural Secretary Wickard on recent trading in corn. The slump was general here.

Still handicapping the share list was the year of Japanese capture of Singapore and an additional curb on buying inclinations was the report of Axis submarine activity off the East Coast.

Stocks inclined to yield a little ground included United States Steel, Youngstown Sheet, Western Union, Standard Oil of New Jersey, Texas Co., and others.

American Telephone came back after an early dip. Also fairly resistant most of the time were Chrysler, Goodyear, Union Carbide and Paramount.

Bond Market Lower. Rail bonds bore the brunt of selling in an irregularly lower bond market today.

A few carriers countered the main trend, with selected utility and industrial shares, but losses ranging to a point were predominant toward the end of the session.

Lower corporate prices were balanced by general improvement among Latin American issues, even the recently depressed Argentine.

Government Unchanged. United States Government bonds unchanged to a few 32nds of a point higher in over-the-counter trade.

Corporates Lower Included Illinois Central 4 3/8 of '66, Nickel Plate 4 1/2 of '66, Baltimore & Ohio stamped convertibles, Erie 4 1/2 of 2015, International Hydro-Electric 6 1/2, American Telephone 3 1/2 of '66, Walworth 4 1/2 and Laclede Gas 5 1/2.

Marion Steam Shovel 6 1/2 of '47 and stamped 6 1/2 advanced briskly.

LONDON Prices Steady. LONDON, Jan. 28.—Stock market prices held about steady today in quiet, selective trading.

British funds and most industrial shares were unchanged, though home rails were generally higher. Oils attracted some interest, but rubber, diamond, copper tin and tea shares were dull. Kaffir and Chinese bonds eased slightly. Chilean bonds irregular and Brazilian issues inactive.

Profit of Loew's, Inc., in 12 Weeks Exceeds That of 1940 Period

By The Associated Press. NEW YORK, Jan. 28.—Loew's, Inc., and subsidiaries, motion picture concern, reported today net profit for the 12 weeks ended November 20, 1941, was \$2,627,145, equal to \$1.45 a common share, compared with \$1,936,245 or \$1.04 a share in the corresponding 1940 period. Net was after a \$1,000,000 contingency reserve in the 1941 period and a \$500,000 reserve in the 1940 12 weeks.

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Commodity Prices

NEW YORK, Jan. 28.—The Associated Press commodity price list for the week ending Jan. 27, 1942, shows a general decline in prices for most commodities, with a notable exception in the case of certain agricultural products.

High 1942-1941: Wheat 1.12, Corn 1.05, Soybeans 1.15, Cotton 1.25, Rice 1.35, Sugar 1.45, Tobacco 1.55, Lumber 1.65, Iron 1.75, Steel 1.85, Copper 1.95, Aluminum 2.05, Lead 2.15, Zinc 2.25, Tin 2.35, Silver 2.45, Gold 2.55, Platinum 2.65, Palladium 2.75, Iridium 2.85, Rhodium 2.95, Osmium 3.05, Rhenium 3.15, Vanadium 3.25, Niobium 3.35, Manganese 3.45, Chromium 3.55, Molybdenum 3.65, Cobalt 3.75, Nickel 3.85, Cadmium 3.95, Indium 4.05, Tin 4.15, Antimony 4.25, Bismuth 4.35, Lead 4.45, Zinc 4.55, Aluminum 4.65, Magnesium 4.75, Sodium 4.85, Potassium 4.95, Calcium 5.05, Strontium 5.15, Barium 5.25, Lanthanum 5.35, Cerium 5.45, Praseodymium 5.55, Neodymium 5.65, Promethium 5.75, Samarium 5.85, Europium 5.95, Gadolinium 6.05, Terbium 6.15, Dysprosium 6.25, Holmium 6.35, Erbium 6.45, Thulium 6.55, Ytterbium 6.65, Lutetium 6.75, Hafnium 6.85, Tantalum 6.95, Niobium 7.05, Molybdenum 7.15, Technetium 7.25, Ruthenium 7.35, Rhodium 7.45, Palladium 7.55, Silver 7.65, Cadmium 7.75, Indium 7.85, 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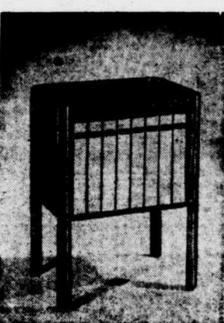
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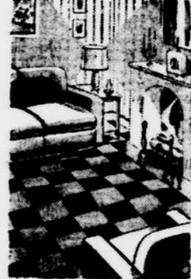
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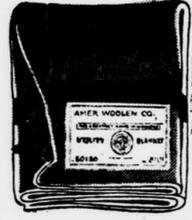
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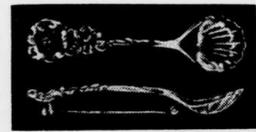
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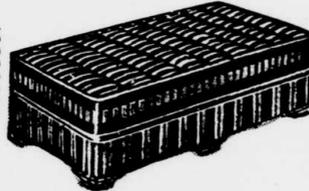
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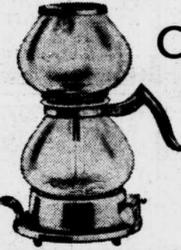
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\$2,500,000 Park Proposed in Alexandria

City Council Studies Project Involving R. F. C. Loan

By a Staff Correspondent of The Star. ALEXANDRIA, Va., Jan. 28.—The City Council has under consideration a self-liquidating park and recreation project proposed for a 106-acre site near the north limits of the city and to be financed with a \$2,500,000 Reconstruction Finance Corp. loan.

Mayor William T. Wilkins said the undertaking was proposed last week and that engineering and several other phases were being investigated before any action is taken by the Council.

Eyesore Would Be Removed. The site of the project borders Four Mile Run west of the city dump, which now is closed, but remains a civic eyesore the Council would like to eliminate. Mr. Wilkins said, "Should the project be undertaken, the dump would be covered with earth and landscaped to provide an attractive entrance to the park."

According to tentative plans, the area would be developed as a recreation center operating on a moderate fee basis and would include a large swimming pool, a day camp for 1,500 children, and playground facilities for children and adults. Mr. Wilkins explained.

A program for parks and playgrounds in the city, calling for a bond issue of \$200,000, recently was voted down by the Council. The present proposal, however, would be self-liquidating and according to present estimates would pay for itself in about seven years.

City to Sponsor Loan. City Manager Carl Budwey explained the proposal had been broached by officials of the Welfare Department of the District, who were anxious to provide additional recreational facilities for the entire Metropolitan Area. As the site in question is within the limits of Alexandria, however, the city will be asked to sponsor the loan application.

"The city does not have \$2,500,000 to spend on recreational centers," Mr. Budwey said, "but as soon as I could determine that it would not become a financial burden on the city, I was authorized to discuss the matter. Plans are now being discussed and probably something definite can be placed before the Council soon."

Fairfax Board Announces Army Induction of 26

Special Dispatch to The Star. FAIRFAX, Va., Jan. 28.—The Fairfax County Selective Service Board has announced the induction into service on January 12 of the following registrants:

Vernon E. Groves, Herndon; John P. Kadel, Route 1, East Falls Church; Robert E. Kyle, Norfolk; Charles Lee Deavers, Burke; Albert D. Maffett, West Falls Church; Spencer P. Isom, Clifton; Howard Miller, Oakton; Percy Winston, Route 1, Vienna; Theodore F. Linton, Route 1, Alexandria; Willie Clisson, Route 1, Alexandria.

Franklin Carberry Ritchie, Fairfax; Winston E. Ulrich, Route 1, Falls Church; James E. McCarty, East Falls Church; Edwin Milstead, Route 1, Vienna; Walter N. Shu, 1210 Prince street, Alexandria; John C. Mann, Lorton; Amos T. Hopkins, Route 3, Fairfax; Bernard W. Burke, West Falls Church; Edward R. Lacey, Fort Belvoir; James E. Morrow, McLean; Arthur C. Baggett, Route 1, Alexandria; Glenn S. Wells, Falls Church; Wilbert Proffitt, Route 2, Vienna; Elbert W. Bradshaw, Route 2, Alexandria; Tyler Maffett, Jr., Falls Church; and William Middleton Hill, Falls Church.

G. A. R. Auxiliary Unit Installs New Officers

New officers of the Burnside Women's Relief Corps, No. 4, Department of the Potomac, Auxiliary to the Grand Army of the Republic, were installed last night.

They include Mrs. Nettie E. Stedy, president; Mrs. Hannah E. Greedy, senior vice president; Mrs. May Taylor, junior vice president; Mrs. Jennie L. Hamilton, secretary; Mrs. Della L. O'Brien, treasurer; Mrs. Bertha Brown, chaplain; Mrs. Rosalind M. Shelton, conductor; Miss Mary A. Howarth, patriotic instructor; and Mrs. Ethel Grimes, first colorbearer.

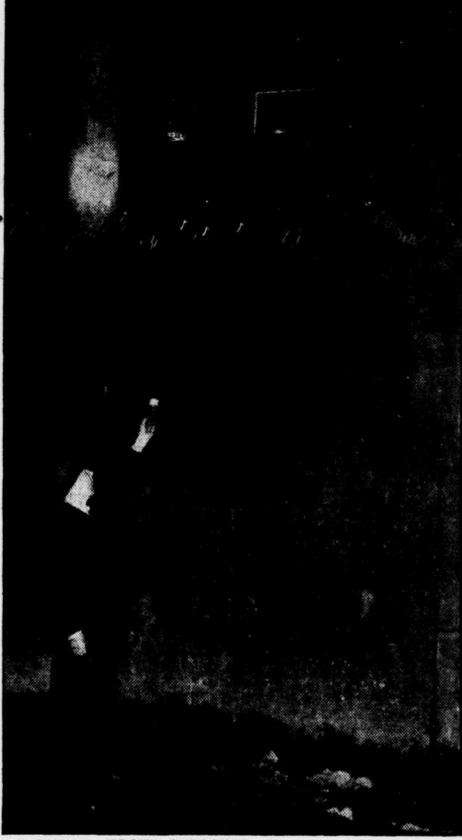
Members of the corps plan to participate in the marching of the colors as part of the observance of the 133rd birthday anniversary of Abraham Lincoln, to be held at the First Congregational Church, Tenth and G streets N.W., February 12. Last night's meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Gary, 508 Third street S.E.

Harvey W. Van Gosen, 72, Old 'Fiddler' Buried

Special Dispatch to The Star. BERKELEY SPRINGS, W. Va., Jan. 28.—Harvey W. Van Gosen, 72, known as one of the few remaining old-time "fiddlers," who died Sunday at his home near here, was buried yesterday after services at a funeral home here.

He played for Presidents Wilson and Coolidge, as well as other notables, and was called to Washington a number of times to perform.

Ask Work Law Observance. The War, Navy and Labor Departments urged in a joint statement yesterday that the States preserve during wartime their laws and regulations covering the 48-hour week, the 8-hour day and one day of rest in seven, except where modifications are necessary to assure maximum production.



STADIUM EMPLOYEE ATTACKED—James L. Fowler, guard, is shown pointing to the window in the Riverside Stadium through which two men reportedly escaped after binding J. Gordon Oster, stadium ice-maker, with rope and setting his nightclothing on fire. —Star Staff Photo.

Stadium Icemaker Found Bound, Ablaze in Barred Room

Tells Story of Seeing Two Men Fleeing Through Window After Setting Fire. Screaming for aid, J. Gordon Oster, 40-year-old married icemaker, was found in his quarters at Riverside Stadium early this morning with his night clothing in flames and his hands and feet tightly bound with rope. He was rushed to Emergency Hospital, where physicians told S. G. Lester, stadium owner, that Mr. Oster has a chance to survive.

Homicide detectives began investigation of a case which was baffling, both as to motive and the method of the savage attack. Robbery was discounted as a motive because \$417 was found in a pillowcase on which the victim's head had been resting and two diamond rings were left untouched with other valuables on his dressing table.

Mr. Oster's shouts were heard at 5:15 o'clock by the stadium night guard, James L. Fowler, 64. The only entrance to Mr. Oster's second-floor room is up a flight of stairs and through a trapdoor in the floor of the room. When Mr. Fowler tried to open the trap door he found it so heavily barred from the opposite side that he had to use a sledge hammer to open it.

When the door flew open, out tumbled the blazing victim. Mr. Oster slid to the bottom of the stairs, where Mr. Fowler doused the flames with water. Still conscious later at the hospital, Mr. Oster was quoted by Mr. Loeffler as telling this story:

He walked from a sound sleep when he felt some liquid being sprinkled over him. He found that his hands were tied behind him, and his feet were bound. Then he felt searing fire—and glimpsed two dark-skinned men disappearing through the single window of his room. He could give no explanation of the attempt on his life.

The window through which his attackers disappeared is about 15 feet above the ground. It could scarcely be reached from below except by ladder and is too far under the roof line to allow access from that direction. No ladder was found on the scene, nor were footprints discovered. Across Twenty-sixth street two soldiers were on sentry duty in front of temporary War Department structures. Pvt. Bernard Shaper, on duty from 4 to 6 a.m., said he saw nothing unusual before fire engines arrived at the scene. The soldier said he was positive he would have seen any one taking a ladder from the construction site of another temporary building.

No Prints in Mud. There were no prints in the mud beneath Mr. Oster's window that would indicate a ladder had been lowered there, but these might have been obscured when the blazing mattress and bed clothing from Mr. Oster's iron cot were tossed out the window.

Mr. Fowler reported after a checkup that he found every exit door of the stadium locked. Mr. Oster's window was partly open when he came to the rescue, he said. The liquid sprinkled on Mr. Oster might have been ether, according to his employer. When Mr. Loeffler arrived, he said, he smelled something "like that."

Mr. Oster is known to every skater in the Eastern Hockey League—being recognized as perhaps the best sharpener of skates in any of the city's teams touch. After last night's game between the Washington Eagles and the New York Rovers—an infantile paralysis beneficiary—worked on 10 pairs of the Rovers' skates, made a fresh supply of ice for the rink, went out for some supper and retired at about midnight. He was apparently in good spirits and unworried.

No one was seen to go to his room with him last night, Mr. Fowler said, and he has never had visitors there, except his wife and child. Mrs. Oster and their baby live at 602 Plymouth road, Westgate, Baltimore. Mr. Oster employed in Baltimore as an ice-maker for many years before coming here with the opening of Riverside Stadium.

Wife Saw Hockey Match. As is her custom, Mrs. Oster saw last night's hockey match with her husband and was with him until about midnight, when she left to return to Baltimore, according to her mother, Mrs. Mamie Chance. Mrs. Chance said Mr. Oster had no known enemies.

The money found in his room was being saved for taxes and bills, she said.

Boy Slayer Sane But Retarded, Court Told

More Grieved by Loss Of Bike Than Death of Three, Alienist Says

By WILLIAM H. SHIPPEN, Jr., Star Staff Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, Va., Jan. 28.—The loss of his bicycle grieved 16-year-old Thomas Dewey (Buck) Cameron far more than the fate of the three victims he admittedly shot to death in a post office holdup at Huntley last May 29.

This light on the mental status of the mountain boy was brought out by the opening of his trial here today by a prosecution witness, Dr. Joseph R. Blalock, superintendent, the Southwestern State Hospital at Marion. Dr. Blalock testified the defendant is essentially sane, although his mental and physical development is only that of a child of 10.

The trial before Judge J. R. H. Alexander was developing into a test of the boy's mental responsibility, with Defense Attorney William C. Ashton seeking to show his client was influenced by epileptic tendencies.

Confession Not Challenged. No effort was made to disprove testimony by Sheriff James Lillard of Rappahannock County that Cameron confessed he murdered Edward Johnson, 42, his wife Sadie Johnson, 40, and their 15-year-old daughter, Ethel, in a post office and general store during the course of a robbery.

Cameron, Sheriff Lillard told the judge and packed courtroom, admitted to the murder of Johnson, but sought to obtain money to redeem the bicycle confiscated by his grandfather, who charged the boy with having stolen \$17 from him.

Under cross-examination, Sheriff Lillard said Cameron threatened the judge and packed courtroom, admitted to the murder of Johnson, but sought to obtain money to redeem the bicycle confiscated by his grandfather, who charged the boy with having stolen \$17 from him.

Psychiatrists until a few weeks ago, Dr. Blalock said, tears came into the eyes of the boy when he discussed his bicycle. Cameron, he added, appeared to treasure the bicycle more than anything else in his life and obviously was more emotionally upset over his loss than over the realization he had shot three persons.

Gun and Money Found. Cameron, son of an orchard worker living in a cabin on the Blue Ridge Mountains overlooking the little post office at Huntley, was arrested on the night of the murders as he lay asleep. He at first denied his guilt, but later broke down when led to a bicycle he had abandoned in the ditch half a mile from the Johnson store.

"Well, Buck," Sheriff said the boy told, "we'll go down the road and shake hands with Mr. Johnson." The sheriff said the boy then admitted everything. He took officers to the 38 caliber revolver he had hidden in the bushes near the mountain cabin and later to \$19 he had hidden under a flat rock near the gun.

The youth said he killed the three Johnsons because he did not want a survivor to identify him in the robbery. He desperately wanted the money, he said, to redeem his bicycle. The defense made no effort to challenge the sheriff's testimony.

Tire Board Must Expand To Handle All Rationing

Great expansion of staff facilities will be necessary if the present District Tire Rationing Board is called on to handle all forms of commodity rationing, as has been indicated by the Office of Price Administration, Chairman Whitney Leary stated today.

It is definite the local board will be called on to handle automobile rationing. No word has been received in regard to rationing of sugar and other consumer goods, Mr. Leary said.

Sale of automobiles was frozen by O. P. A. to February 2. Regulations governing the rationing of new cars are expected momentarily, and it is anticipated that some form of rationing of them will begin on expiration of the freeze.

Meanwhile, it was announced that the infantile paralysis fund will receive \$4,000 from the \$5,580 grossed at Sunday night's "command performance" of "Watch on the Rhine" at the National Theater.

The United States Botanic Garden has placed some rare Rutherfordian azaleas for the decorations for the President's Birthday Balls, among them one which may be named for the President.

Because of the demand for dinner tickets, the Birthday Ball Committee announced the Hamilton Hotel has been added to the Shoreham, the Lincoln Park and Mayflower. Dances will be held at each Friday night, tickets selling for \$5 each.

Visiting stars will appear at all of these functions, as well as at Ulline Arena, the Lincoln Colonnades and the Earle and Capitol Theaters.

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PAINTING WINS STAR PRIZE—"Spring Fragrance," painted by Andrea Pietro Zerega, which took first place and The Star's prize of \$100 in exhibition of the Society of Washington Artists at the Corcoran Gallery of Art. Shown with the painting are the judges of the show (left to right): John Walker, curator, National Gallery of Art; Dr. John R. Craft, director, Washington County Museum of Fine Arts, Hagerstown, Md.; and Thomas C. Coit, director, Virginia Museum of Fine Arts. —Star Staff Photo.

Proof of Purchase to Be Given Car Owner Losing Tax Stamp

Automobile owners who have lost or had stolen their Federal motor vehicle use tax stamps may obtain a statement from the collector of internal revenue that will serve as a substitute, provided they establish to his satisfaction that they purchased one, it was announced today.

M. Hampton Magruder of Baltimore, collector for this area, emphasized that the postal card supplied at the time the stamp was bought must be on file in his office to help establish proof of payment.

Owners making application for the statement must submit an affidavit stating the approximate date and location of the post office or collector's office at which the stamp was purchased, the amount paid, the make, model and serial number of the owner's vehicle and a concise statement on how the stamp was lost or stolen. The affidavit must be sworn to before a notary or a deputy collector.

If the collector is then satisfied, he will issue a statement addressed "to whom it may concern" attesting to the fact that the motorist has purchased a stamp. The statement will be on regular size letter paper. Mr. Magruder said, pointing out that the motorist may carry it in his pockets.

Mr. Magruder said he thought it a good idea for motorists to write their names across their stickers in ink or indelible pencil so as to lessen the danger that they will be stolen.

Meanwhile, Postmaster Vincent Burke of Washington urged that motorists purchase the stamps immediately or be caught in a last-minute rush. The stamps must be on all vehicles by midnight Saturday. Mr. Burke said he has had an estimated 210,000 motorists in this area have bought the stickers to date.

Hill Retrial Motion Denied After Hearing In District Court

George Hill, second secretary to Representative Hamilton Fish, today lost his plea for a retrial of the two perjury charges on which he was convicted in District Court.

After listening to oral arguments, Justice F. Dickinson Letts formally denied a defense motion for new trial—and indicated he would sentence Mr. Hill on February 6. Twenty years imprisonment would be the maximum sentence if the plea were granted.

It was Judge Letts who presided at the trial after the perjury indictment was presented by the grand jury investigating Nazi propaganda here.

The defense retrial motion contended that such evidence was illegally admitted during the trial and that the prosecutor, Special Assistant to the Attorney General William Power Maloney, was guilty of "misconduct." Mr. Maloney and his associate, Special Assistant to the Attorney General Edward J. Hickey, Jr., appeared for the Government at today's hearing, maintaining that conduct of the trial was legal.

Mr. Hill's lawyers, the former New York Representative, John J. O'Connor, and William F. Cusick, indicated they would now carry the case to the United States Court of Appeals.

Tomorrow, Justice Letts will listen to arguments on defense motions in the case of George Sylvester Viereck, indicted on charges of failing to register completely with the State Department as a Nazi agent. Mr. Viereck contends that the Government is asking the court, either to delay the trial or to have it held in another jurisdiction because of the alleged inflamed state of the public mind due to extensive publicity in the case.

Greece-America Society Celebrates 21st Birthday

The Greece-America Society of Washington celebrated its 21st birthday at a party last night at the residence of Miss Anna Darlington, 1810 Massachusetts avenue. Guests of honor were Dr. Homer Davis, president of Athens College, and Mrs. Davis.

Evening Star Prize In Art Exhibition Goes To Andrea Zerega

Paintings and Sculpture To Be on Display. The Evening Star Prize of \$100 for the painting adjudged best in the fifty-first annual exhibition of the Society of Washington Artists has been won by Andrea Pietro Zerega, 3014 Q street N.W.

Mr. Zerega's still life, "Spring Fragrance," was chosen late yesterday after an afternoon of deliberation by the three judges—John Walker, chief curator of the National Gallery of Art; Thomas C. Coit, director of the Virginia Museum of Fine Arts, Richmond; and Dr. John Richard Craft, director of the Washington County Museum of Fine Arts, Hagerstown, Md.

Exhibit Opens Sunday. "Spring Fragrance," together with other paintings and 15 pieces of sculpture, will be on display for the public beginning Sunday in the Corcoran Gallery of Art. Members of the society, exhibitors and friends will view the works from 2 p.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday, which has been designated viewing day.

"Rebecca" won an honorable mention for Donald Coole. The judges also awarded four bronze class medals and gave four other honorable mentions.

Medal winners are followed below by those earning honorable mentions: Figure composition—"Ginger," Jack Berkman; "Interlude," Mary Power; Landscape—"The Storm," Oke Nordgren; "Carlos IV, Mexico City," Rowland Lyon; Still Life—"Still Life," Dante Radice; "Mama," Alexander Kay; Sculpture—"Head in Marble," Clare Fontanini; "Beverly," Belle Bellerose.

Hundreds of Works Submitted. Prior to the judging, a jury of selection composed of officers and Executive Committee members of the society formed the exhibition from hundreds of works submitted. Mr. Lyon, president of the artists' group, headed the jury. Others were Roger M. Rittase, vice president; Omar Carrington, treasurer; Garnet W. Jex, secretary; and Norma Bose, Catherine C. Critcher, Robert E. Motley, William F. Walter and Kathleen Wheeler, members of the jury.

Artists who had received a medal within the past five years were not eligible to compete in the same class in the current exhibition. Not more than three paintings or three pieces of sculpture could be submitted by a person.

The exhibition has been hung in a second-floor gallery at the Corcoran. It is to be on view until March 1. There will be no admission fee at any time, in keeping with the new Corcoran policy.

Educator Conference Called On Junior Red Cross Work

Twenty-two educators from all sections of the country have been invited to a conference here Friday and Saturday to discuss war-time activities of the 13,000,000 children in the American Junior Red Cross. James T. Nicholson, vice chairman in charge of the Junior organization, said the conference would develop the policies and potentialities of the Junior Red Cross in the war effort and review the organization's program.

Junior Red Cross units in schools now are training in first aid, home nursing, nutrition for canteen service and making studies of civilian morale. Disaster relief corps also are being organized, and special efforts are being made in the Victory Book campaign and the War on Waste campaign.

Brookland Scout Troop To Be Installed Sunday

Installation exercises of Brookland Troop No. 500, Boy Scouts of America, will be held at 3 p.m. Sunday in the Masonic Temple, Twelfth and Monroe streets N.E. The charter will be conferred by Linn C. Drake, Scout executive of the National Capital Area Council. Jefferson Beavers, assistant Scout executive for the Negro division, and J. A. Cook, neighborhood Scout commissioner, also will speak.

Group Health to Hold Annual Meeting Tonight

The past year's activities of the Group Health Association will be reviewed at a meeting of that organization at 8 o'clock tonight in the Agriculture Department Auditorium.

1,300 Needed To Fill Gaps in Agency Shifts

Several Classifications In Demand as Time For Moves Nears

More than 1,300 employees are needed for replacements of personnel unable to move from Washington in the decentralization program that shortly will get under way, the Civil Service Commission announced today. This represents 13 per cent of the 10,000 scheduled to go.

Concurrently it was disclosed that there has been some discussion of sending employees of the Old Age Insurance Bureau of the Social Security Board to Baltimore instead of Philadelphia. About 1,750 persons will be involved in this shift. There already are 4,500 O. A. I. employees in Baltimore and the transfer of the local force there would permit consolidation of the bureau. It was said at the Budget Bureau, however, that the original plan has not been changed.

Various Classes Needed. The commission said that some 300 positions at \$1,260 and 500 at \$1,440 must be filled in the Immigration and Naturalization Service and the Securities Exchange Commission, which have been ordered to Philadelphia. Machine operators, stenographers, typists, messengers and file clerks are the classes principally needed, but there are a few higher-salaried places also to be filled.

The Patent Office will need approximately 50 messengers at \$1,200 and 32 stenographers at \$1,620, but most of these will be recruited in Richmond where the office will be located. For Old Age Insurance about 100 machine operators and clerks are needed.

Some Jobs Up to \$5,000. The Railroad Retirement Board, headed for Chicago, also wants machine operators, stenographers, clerks and typists in the \$1,260 and \$1,440 grades, about 350 in all being needed. There are also some vacancies for which the pay ranges up to \$5,000.

Rural Electrification, which goes to St. Louis, and Employees Compensation, bound for Chicago, also will have vacancies the commission said. In outlining these needs, the commission asked that employees able and desiring to transfer get in touch with the decentralization service at 820 Seventh street N.W.

Meanwhile, transfer of the examining divisions, and several other units, and a major portion of Patent Office personnel to Richmond will begin Saturday, as scheduled. Commissioner E. C. Coe announced. The moving of files and equipment will be handled by the Public Buildings Administration, and the movers are expected to start work after the close of business at the Patent Office Friday afternoon.

The shift to Richmond will require about two weeks, Commissioner Coe said. Each of the six groups of examiners will be given space as a unit in the Export Tobacco Building in Richmond.

E. W. Davis, Contractor, And Sister Die Same Day

Edwin W. Davis, president of Davis, Wick & Roberts Co., Inc., general contractor, and his sister, Miss Lucy C. Davis, died yesterday within a few hours of each other at their home, 3822 Eighth street N.W.

Funeral services were to be held at 1:30 p.m. today for Miss Davis at the S. H. Hines funeral home, 2901 Fourteenth street N.W., with burial in Glenwood Cemetery, Service.

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He was a member of the Association of Oldest Inhabitants of the District, National City Christian Church, La Fayette Masonic Lodge and the Board of Trade.

Surviving Mr. Davis are his widow, Mrs. Charlotte A. Davis, and two sons, Edwin L. and Marshall Davis, all of Washington.

Missing Persons

Those having information concerning persons reported missing should communicate with the Public Relations Squad of the Police Department, National 4000.

Eva Parker, 16, colored, 5 feet 6 inches, 115 pounds, dark skin, wearing a gray coat, no hat, missing from 1119 Sixth street N.W. since Friday. Joseph Perry Marvin, 14, colored, 5 feet 2 inches, 101 pounds, small size, wearing a white shirt, light-colored trousers and blue trousers and dark brown shoes, missing from 217 P street N.W. since Friday.

Clarence Vernon Davis, 13, colored, 4 feet 11 inches, 103 pounds, wearing long brown trousers, brown and white shoes, brown and green corduroy jacket and green shirt, missing from 1402 First street N.W. since Friday.

Ruby Walter, 29, colored, 5 feet 5 inches, 120 pounds, wearing black coat and dress, missing from 2901 Elvans road S.E. since yesterday.

Charles Edward Brown, 10, colored, 4 feet 8 inches, 90 pounds, wearing green-striped knickers, green plaid coat and black shoes, and his brother, William Merriam Brown, 11, colored, 5 feet, 105 pounds, wearing brown and white-striped knickers, green knickers, brown shoes, missing from 88 G street N.W. since Monday.

### Fenwick Drafts Bill to Ratify Airport Plan

#### Bases Legislation on Move to Keep Area Within Virginia

By ALEXANDER R. PRESTON, Staff Correspondent.

RICHMOND, Jan. 28.—In an effort to speed up settlement of the controversy involving jurisdiction over the Washington National Airport, Charles R. Fenwick, member of the House of Delegates from Arlington County, today was preparing legislation which would, in effect, ratify the terms of a congressional bill submitted by Representative Randolph, Democrat, of West Virginia.

Although the congressional measure is still pending and a vital amendment has been proposed which would place the airport in the District of Columbia, the Arlington legislator is preparing a bill to anticipated congressional action which he feels would be acceptable to the General Assembly of Virginia.

The legislation to be offered the General Assembly in accord with Representative Randolph's proposal is to establish the Virginia-District of Columbia boundary at the high-water mark of the Potomac River on the Virginia shore except at the airport, which would be included entirely in the Old Dominion and be a Federal reservation.

**Opposes Nichols Amendment.** The amendment to Mr. Randolph's bill was submitted by Representative Nichols, Democrat, of Oklahoma, and would carry out the boundary lines suggested by Mr. Randolph, except that the airport would be placed in the District of Columbia.

Mr. Fenwick does not agree with Representative Nichols' amendment, nor does he believe the General Assembly would vote the necessary ratification of such an agreement.

The General Assembly, however, would be asked to reserve to this State the right to collect automobile gasoline taxes and to require that the airport observe Virginia liquor laws. The Governor and attorney general of Virginia would be empowered to negotiate with the Federal Government on all other conditions involving the settlement of the boundary dispute.

**U. S. to Police Area.** Mr. Fenwick pointed out that Arlington County would not stand to lose by such an arrangement. Since the State would not provide police and fire protection and these functions would fall upon the county, estimated such services to the airport would cost the county about \$50,000 annually if the airport was ceded to Virginia outright. If the airport is made a Federal reservation, he said, the county would be relieved of the burden of such services, which is primarily a Federal Government obligation.

Delegates H. B. Davis of Princess Anne and Fenwick offered a bill yesterday broadening the authority of the State Corporation Commission's aeronautics division to permit it to purchase land for airports and aircraft and give it full power to supervise and regulate fields to which it makes grants of funds.

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A Senate resolution against diversion of the gasoline tax revenues was responsible for a split in the vote of the Northern Virginia delegation at yesterday's session of the House.

**Fenwick Opposes Diversion.** Mr. Fenwick delivered the principal address in the House of Delegates against using the gasoline tax funds for other State governmental functions. Delegate Maurice D. Rosenberg of Alexandria told the House that he believed the Governor should have all the facilities of the State in furthering the national defense program.

"It seems to me that in times such as these when it is imperative that we maintain, as far as possible, funds for future expenditures, we could well reiterate the policy of opposing gasoline tax diversion from the revenue from this source will be drastically curtailed in the future because of the tire shortage," Mr. Fenwick said.

Mr. Rosenberg asked that the resolution be set aside because of a "consideration of a task of much more importance." He said the Legislature already had placed the facilities of the State at the disposal of the Governor in national defense and that Virginia's chief executive should not be hampered by restrictions, such as limitations placed on the expenditure of gasoline tax revenues.

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**Cities Population Growth.** Mayor William T. Wilkins of Alexandria declared, "The time has long since passed when we can afford the people of Alexandria proper shelter."

After disclosing the "phenomenal growth" of the Washington Metropolitan Area in recent years, he said City Council, which approved the project by a 6-3 vote, had in mind "convenience and necessity" when it rezoned the site of the project.

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### \$2,500,000 Park Proposed in Alexandria

#### City Council Studies Project Involving R. F. C. Loan

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ALEXANDRIA, Va., Jan. 28.—The City Council has under consideration a self-liquidating park and recreation project proposed for a 106-acre site near the north limits of the city and to be financed with a \$2,500,000 Reconstruction Finance Corp. loan.

Mayor William T. Wilkins said the undertaking was proposed last week and that engineering and several other phases were being investigated, before any action is taken by the Council.

**Eyesore Would Be Removed.** The site of the project borders Four Mile Run west of the city dump, which now is closed, but remains a civic eyesore the Council would like to eliminate. Mr. Wilkins said. Should the project be undertaken, the dump would be covered with earth and landscaped to provide an attractive entrance to the park.

According to tentative plans, the area would be developed as a recreation center operating on a moderate fee basis and would include a large swimming pool, a day camp for 1,500 children, and playground facilities for children and adults, Mr. Wilkins explained.

A program for parks and playgrounds in the city, calling for a bond issue of \$200,000, recently was voted down by the Council. The present proposal, however, would be self-liquidating and according to present estimates would pay for itself in about seven years.

**City to Sponsor Loan.** City Manager Carl Budwey explained the proposal had been broached by officials of the Welfare Department of the District, who were anxious to provide additional recreational facilities for the entire Metropolitan Area. As the site in question is within the limits of Alexandria, however, the city will be asked to sponsor the loan application.

"The city does not have \$2,500,000 to spend on recreational centers," Mr. Budwey said, "but as soon as I could determine that it would not become a financial burden on the city, I was authorized to discuss the matter. Plans are now being discussed and probably something definite can be placed before the Council soon."

**Fairfax Board Announces Army Induction of 26**

Special Dispatch to The Star. FAIRFAX, Va., Jan. 28.—The Fairfax County Selective Service Board has announced the induction into service on January 12 of the following registrants:

Vernon E. Groves, Herndon; John P. Kadel, Route 1, East Falls Church; Robert E. Kyle, Norfolk; Charles Lee Deavers, Buncie; Albert D. Maffett, Fairfax; Edwin C. Barger, Route 1, Vienna; Walter N. Shu, 1210 Prince Street, Alexandria; John C. Mann, Lorton; Amos T. Hopkins, Route 3, Fairfax; Bernard W. Burke, West Falls Church; Edward R. Lacey, Fort Belvoir; James E. Morrow, McLean; Arthur C. Barger, Route 1, Alexandria; Glenn S. Wells, Falls Church; Wilbert Proffitt, Route 2, Vienna; Elbert W. Bradshaw, Route 2, Alexandria; Tyler Maffett, Jr., Falls Church, and William Middleton Hill, Falls Church.

**Maryland Private Jumps To Second Lieutenant**

Special Dispatch to The Star. FORT GEORGE G. MEADE, Md., Jan. 28.—William R. Bradford, on duty here with the 29th Division, holds the distinction of going from private first class to second lieutenant in one jump.

A member of Company F of the 121st Engineers, he worked as a weather observer at the Baltimore Municipal Airport before being inducted January 3 of last year. He has majored in physics in five years of study at Michigan State and George Washington Universities.

Lt. Bradford, 26, lived with his parents in Glenn Dale, Md., and enlisted in the District National Guard in July, 1939, transferred to the inactive list in November, 1940, and then later was called to active duty. It is believed he will be assigned to the aircraft warning service of the Signal Corps.

**Arlington Man Killed In Shotgun Accident**

By a Staff Correspondent of The Star. FAIRFAX, Va., Jan. 28.—William S. Browning, 58, of the 6400 block of North Twenty-second road, Arlington, was killed yesterday when his shotgun was accidentally discharged from the rear seat of his car parked on the Falls Church-Annapolis road.

J. A. Man of Fairfax, passing in his car noticed the body of Mr. Browning lying beside his automobile about 3 miles from Falls Church, according to Policeman James W. Mulaney of the county police. Mr. Browning was believed to have been loading some bushes in the rear seat when one of the branches struck the trigger of the shotgun. Dr. T. B. McCord, county coroner, issued a certificate of accidental death from wounds in the chest.

**Arlington Will Instruct Auxiliary Police Tonight**

County Manager Frank C. Hanrahan and Chief of Police Harry L. Woodyard will conduct an instruction meeting for approximately 50 Arlington County auxiliary policemen at 7:30 o'clock tonight in the courthouse.

Some of the policemen will be given their initial emergency assignments. Mr. Hanrahan said, while all of them will receive full details as to their duties in case of an air raid. County civilian defense headquarters announced registrants were still needed for emergency duty as nurses, nurses' aides and hospital attendants. The county has plenty of air raid wardens, with a waiting list of candidates already established for this branch of the service.

**Virginia Planning Board Studies Fairfax Problem**

By the Associated Press. RICHMOND, Va., Jan. 28.—Hugh R. Pomeroy, director of the State Planning Board, said yesterday that members of the board's staff were working with county representatives on rezoning plans for counties faced with the establishment of nearby Army cantonments.

The Fairfax County Planning Commission will confer with the State board Friday on extension of defense housing regulations applicable in Fairfax.



PAINTING WINS STAR PRIZE—"Spring Fragrance," painted by Andrea Pietro Zerega, which took first place and The Star's prize of \$100 in exhibition of the Society of Washington Artists at the Corcoran Gallery of Art. Shown with the painting are the judges of the show (left to right): John Walker, curator, National Gallery of Art; Dr. John R. Craft, director, Washington County Museum of Fine Arts, Hagerstown, Md., and Thomas C. Colt, director, Virginia Museum of Fine Arts.

### Virginia Legislature Studies Pay Hike and Liquor Tax-Cut Bills

#### State Employees Seeking War Bonus; Cost Put At \$5,500,000

By the Associated Press. RICHMOND, Va., Jan. 28.—Suggested salary increases which would cost the State an estimated \$5,500,000 by June 30, 1944, and proposed liquor tax decreases which would burrow into revenue at the rate of about \$2,350,000 a year, were before the General Assembly today.

The salary proposal was submitted by a committee representing 15,000 State employees at the final joint hearing of the Senate Finance and House Appropriations Committee.

It would enlarge on former Gov. Price's suggestion of paying a "war bonus" to State workers earning less than \$2,000 annually by granting a bonus of 10 per cent on the first \$1,000 of the employee's salary and 5 per cent on the second \$1,000, with the bonus not to raise the total earnings to \$2,000.

**Darden O. K.'s Liquor Tax Cut.** The proposed reduction in the liquor revenue was a substitute measure for the original bills to repeal the taxes on alcoholic beverages imposed during the administration of Gov. Price. It would repeal the flat 10 per cent levy added to the selling price of hard liquor and wine but leave unchanged the 4-cent per bottle tax charged on beer selling for more than 10 cents. The beer tax yielded more than \$350,000 of the total of about \$2,700,000 realized during the first year of the new liquor laws.

A public hearing on the repeal measure, which Gov. Darden said met with his approval, will be held by the House Finance Committee tomorrow afternoon.

Gov. Darden's bill for streamlining the civilian defense organization under the Chief Executive; another measure to regulate more closely operations of small loan companies, and a resolution calling for a constitutional amendment to eliminate the poll tax as a prerequisite to voting went before the Legislature yesterday.

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The new organization would supplement the State and regional defense council system set up under Gov. Price, although counties could be formed under the new legislation to serve in an advisory capacity.

Senator Charles W. Crowder of Richmond introduced the small loan bill, which would prohibit the loan companies from using financial statements made by borrowers in any future litigation against them.

Senator Vivian L. Page of Norfolk offered the resolution for a constitutional amendment eliminating the poll tax as a voting prerequisite, similar to proposals advanced in previous sessions of the Legislature.

**Tax Deduction Proposed.** Another measure, sponsored by Senator Leonard G. Muse of Roanoke, would permit the amount of Federal income tax to be deducted from income before figuring the State income tax.

The Finance Committee agreed yesterday to increase from \$1,500 to \$5,000 a year the State appropriation to Stratford, the Lee birthplace, in view of a probable heavy decrease in tourist travel and consequent reduction in the usual income from visitors.

Also reported was a bill by Delegate Charles R. Fenwick of Arlington to require pawnbrokers to furnish the police authority on the following day with a list and description of property pawned.

United States Senator Byrd yesterday accepted an invitation to deliver the principal address at the Assembly's biennial commemorative session in the restored Colonial capitol at Williamsburg.

### Tire Deflators Just Youters Having Fun

By a Staff Correspondent of The Star.

ALEXANDRIA, Va., Jan. 28.—A wave of wholesale tire deflations and valve thefts perpetrated Saturday and Monday nights on the automobiles of approximately 50 citizens in the Del Ray section has been cleared up with the arrest of two boys in their early teens, police report.

The boys first let the air out of the tires and then took the valves from the inner tubes.

Sgt. J. T. Butler and Officers C. D. Carter and Richard Burrell caught the boys. Sgt. Butler said they confessed they deflated the tires "for fun" and surrendered the valves they had stolen.

One of the boys was kneeling over a front tire of a car, pressing the valve, when police caught him, Sgt. Butler said.

Both boys were jailed, but Sgt. Butler doubted they could be punished under the law with more than a reprimand.

### Prince Georges Board To Compile List for Post-War Projects

#### Commissioners Asked to Draw Up Plans for as Many as Feasible

The commissioners of Prince Georges County, Md., yesterday agreed to provide the Public Work Reserve and the National Resources Planning Board with lists of projects which may be undertaken in the county after the war.

Looking ahead to the day when action may be necessary to cushion the shock of post-war deflation, the commissioners discussed the county's problem with Martin F. Kunkel, area planning engineer for Public Work Reserve, who requested that the commissioners compile three lists, showing:

(1) Public works projects which, under normal conditions, would be undertaken in the county within the next six years.

(2) Projects which the county might be inclined to undertake with the assurance of Federal aid.

(3) Projects which are "fanciful," the result of wishful thinking.

**Asks Plans Be Drawn.** Mr. Kunkel explained that the Government wishes to have on hand a "stock pile" of projects on which it may draw if the necessity arises. He asked the commissioners to provide plans and specifications for as many of the listed items as possible, and to appoint a co-ordinating committee to study the problem further in conjunction with the P. W. R.

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**Students From Colombia Honored at Reception**  
 Thirty students from the National University of Colombia were welcomed here yesterday at a reception in their honor at the Willard Hotel. The group included 27 men and three women and is the first official party from Colombia to visit this country, it was stated. The American Roadbuilders Association sponsored the reception.  
 Among those on hand to meet the young good-will ambassadors were members of the Senate and House Committees on Foreign Relations, Appropriations, Military Affairs and Roads; the Colombian Ambassador and members of his staff, officials from the office of the Co-ordinator of Inter-American Affairs; the State, War, Navy and Commerce Departments; the Pan-American Union, the Federal Works Agency and the Public Roads Administration.

**Bar Group to Meet**  
 Richard Connor, general counsel of the Federal Power Commission, will discuss "Some Legal Aspects of Power in National Defense" tomorrow at a luncheon of the Federal Bar Association. The luncheon will begin at 12:30 p.m. in the Harrington Hotel.

**Dr. Walsh to Give Series of Lectures on U. S. and Total War**

**To Start February 20 At Memorial Continental Hall**  
 A series of 10 lectures on "America Faces Total War" was announced today for the schedule of the 18th annual public lecture course on international affairs by the Rev. Edmund A. Walsh, S. J., vice president of Georgetown University, starting February 20.  
 Sponsored by the school of foreign service as in previous years, the lectures will be given Friday evenings through April 28, except for certain specific dates, at 8:30 o'clock in Memorial Continental Hall.

The opening lecture of the current series will discuss "The Meaning of Total War" and how and why it came to America. In succeeding lectures the Georgetown educator will deal with the various phases of military, economic and industrial mobilization for war and discuss also its political and moral aspects. He also will review the Inter-American Conference at Rio de Janeiro, Russian-American relations in 1942 and the part of Japan in bringing the United States directly into the world conflict.  
 The final lecture, "America and Total Peace," will be based on President Roosevelt's January 7 report to Congress in which he declared: "We are determined not only to win the war, but also to maintain the security of the peace that will follow."  
 Three of the lecture dates—March 31, April 14 and the final on April 28—are on Tuesday evenings. Lectures in the other two weeks in April will be omitted because of the National Congress of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

**Officials Will Discuss Recreation Facilities**

Under the leadership of District recreation officials, 100 personnel directors and chief clerks dealing with personnel of the Government departments and independent offices will meet at 8 o'clock tonight in the District Building to discuss provision of recreation opportunity for incoming thousands of employees. The session was called by Commissioner Guy Mason and Mrs. Henry Gratton Doyle, chairman of the Board of Education's Recreation Committee. Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt has been invited. Milo Christiansen, acting co-ordinator of recreation, who has charge of the public facilities and program in the District, will take part in the meeting.

**P.-T. A. Bingo Party**

A bingo party will be held by the Parent-Teacher Association of the Baileys Cross Roads (Va.) School Friday night in the school.

**Marriage License Applications**

Under D. C. law, couples must apply for a marriage license on one day, wait three full days and receive their license on the fifth day. Sundays and holidays are counted the same as other days.  
 Raymond E. Brown, 37, 1209 Q st. n.w., and Marie L. Burton, 30, 808 G st. n.w.; the Rev. John L. Henry.  
 Gilbert Bovey, 25, 1354 Rhode Island ave. n.w., and Evelyn Washington, 30, 213 Rhode Island ave. n.w.; the Rev. W. H. Jernagin.  
 George C. Slade, 21, and Esther Brown, 19, both of 1801 13th st. n.w.; the Rev. C. T. Murray.  
 Ira H. Cookley, 21, 1536 3rd st. n.w., and Gladys F. Hartman, 20, 1615 4th st. n.w.; the Rev. Robert G. Galt.  
 Charles W. Harris, 21, 1109 O st. n.w., and Elma V. Harris, 19, 1713 New Jersey ave. n.w.; the Rev. Melvin F. Key.  
 Walter E. Heffner, 28, Arlington, and Evelyn R. King, 22, 2007 Roseate st. n.e.; the Rev. J. C. Hall.  
 Joseph L. Zill, 21, and Dorothy E. Zinkand, 18, both of Baltimore; the Rev. John H. Zerhusen.  
 Jesse J. Jones, 53, McLean, Va., and Annie Dinsell, 35, 414 River rd. n.w.; the Rev. Virgil M. Gosby.  
 Gordon E. Kramer, 21, and Dorothy L. Zull, 19, both of Baltimore; the Rev. John H. Zerhusen.  
 Marion E. Wilson, 21, 50 Bryant st. n.w., and Rhoadelle Crockett, 21, Granite City, Ill.; the Rev. Rufus W. Weaver.  
 Ernest E. Clark, 22, 805 8th st. s.w., and Ann E. Sullivan, 19, 405 1st st. n.w.; the Rev. John E. Briggs.  
 George W. Bowen, 30, 805 6th st. s.w., and Mary L. Sims, 28, 120 E st. s.w.; the Rev. John E. Briggs.  
 Michael Beukowski, Philadelphia, and Winifred A. Ricks, 22, 444 Massachusetts ave. n.w.; the Rev. Raymond H. Wolven.  
 Charles C. Chirelli, 21, 63 Seaton pl. n.w., and Doris J. De Long, 19, 73 Seaton

pl. n.w.; the Rev. Stephen W. McCabe.  
 Loring C. Farwell, 26, 222 Maryland ave. n.w.; the Rev. D. G. Givens.  
 Caspary, the Rev. Albert J. McCarty.  
 Paul F. Michler, 21, 1015 28th st. s.e., and Gertrude E. Mohler, 20, 1427 East Capitol st. s.e.; the Rev. James A. Caulfield.  
 Walter R. Benedict, Jr., 25, Milwaukee, and Ella M. Ford, 21, H st. n.w.; the Rev. J. Harvey Dunham.  
 John W. Day, 43, Bethesda, and Suzanne Ann Brien, 34, Silver Spring; the Rev. Herbert Garner.  
 Harry E. Dean, 21, Fort Belvoir, and Dorothy L. Whiting, 20, Takoma Park; the Rev. Ross E. Hart, Jr.  
 Frank L. Peak, Jr., 21, Silver Spring, and Mildred R. Fischer, 20, 1843 Curtin st. n.w.; the Rev. W. H. Myers.  
 Wayne R. De Lazer, 22, Philadelphia, and Mary A. Pearson, 18, 61 Rhode Island ave. n.e.; the Rev. L. P. Millenberger.  
 James H. Smith, 22, 1432 12th st. n.w.; the Rev. Burt J. Perry.  
 Leroy D. Ford, Jr., 21, Anacostia, and Helen L. Somers, Baltimore; the Rev. T. E. Blodgett.  
 Trevelyn H. Strang, 21, 1018 Park rd. n.w., and Frances L. Shaw, 20, 233 Elm st. n.w.; the Rev. Robert Anderson.  
 Charles H. Carpenter, 28, and Orsola Lewis, 43, both of Richmond; the Rev. C. Foster.  
 Henry L. Julian, 28, Aberdeen, Md., and Anna Margaret, 26, 1480 Harvard st. n.w.; the Rev. Peter Marshall.  
 Walter A. Dexter, 35, Atlanta, and Doris R. Braune, 21, Baltimore; the Rev. E. H. Pruden.  
 Samuel Yeh, 21, and Leala Canty, 26, both of 1010 1st st. n.e.; the Rev. Earl R. Dinnik.  
 Laura E. White, 19, 1127 I st. s.e., and Rev. Edward Galtier.  
 Charles O. Ross, 21, Fort Belvoir, and Kathryn B. M. Paxon, 20, 1112 16th st. n.w.; the Rev. Henry W. Snyder.  
 Charles W. Johnson, 24, Benfield, and Eleanor S. Elliott, 20, Brooklyn; the Rev. Albert Rosenthal.  
 Sidney Rosofsky, 28, Bronx, and Frances A. Rosenthal, 24, 2121 H st. n.w.; Rabbi Joshua Klavan.  
 Thomas C. Hoffman, 28, North Heights, Conn., and Eleanor B. Hall, 21, 1963 Fryingmas ave. n.w.; the Rev. C. K. Ferguson.  
 Kenneth L. Matson, 22, and Retha I. Matson, 21, both of 1708 15th st. n.w.; the Rev. J. C. Bell.  
 Edwin H. Young, 25, Quantico, and Jeanne K. Wilkins, 23, Kansas City, Mo.; the Rev. W. L. G. Galt.  
 Gene Laf. Witham, 24, Quantico, and the Rev. William N. Vincent.  
 William J. Carr, 20, and Hilda Groom, 22, both of 1628 Park rd. n.w.; the Rev. Vincent Cayton.  
 Vincent Cayton, 22, 135 11th st. n.e., and Genevieve Lips, 19, University Park, Md.; the Rev. W. L. G. Galt.  
 Walter J. Bridgwood, 21, 811 21st st. n.w., and Virginia R. Galt, 19, New York City; the Rev. Lawrence P. Galt.  
 Arthur B. Galt, 21, Quantico, and Virginia R. Galt, 19, New York City; the Rev. Lawrence P. Galt.  
 Virginia R. Galt, 19, New York City; the Rev. Lawrence P. Galt.  
 William C. Homan, 28, 21 1/2th st. n.w., and Hazel E. Beiser, 26, 1309 Rhode Island ave. n.w.; the Rev. W. L. G. Galt.  
 Robert F. Irvine, 24, Quantico, and Elizabeth J. Eaton, 21, 2911 Cathedral ave. n.w.; the Rev. W. L. G. Galt.  
 John E. Chandler, 36, 804 Elm st. n.w., and Marie H. Mason, 30, Howard University; the Rev. A. Carr.  
 Howard Janet, 24, Greenbelt, Md., and Janet C. Peterson, 24, Omaha, Neb.; the Rev. C. E. Hesthorne.  
 Joseph W. Hesthorne, 22, 1201 Galatin st. n.e., and Ann E. Pearson, 22, 1201 Galatin st. n.e.; the Rev. W. L. G. Galt.  
 Thomas E. Miller, 21, Hixson, Tenn., and Dorothy E. Miller, 19, 4th st. n.e.; the Rev. Edward B. Finnin.

**Marriage Licenses Issued At Rockville**

Lynn C. Miller, 21, and Beulah O. Bean, 20, both of Rockville.  
 Richard H. Naul, 28, and Cleo Wanda Grams, 26, both of Washington.  
 John Otto Shuff, 45, Great Falls, Md., and Mildred Elizabeth, 24, Washington.  
 Fred Gibson, 28, and Addie Smallwood, 26, both of Washington.  
 Richard Nelson Talbot, 18, Alexandria, Va., and Jean Elizabeth Macy, 18, Takoma, D. C.  
 Earl Bennett, 26, Quantico, Va., and Nancy Louise Jackson, 27, New York, N. Y.  
 Roy Howell Lova, 22, Arlington, Va., and Jane E. Lavellyn, 21, Bethesda, Va.  
 Victor L. Dunson, 19, Arlington, Va., and Grace Frances Newman, 19, Alexandria, Va.  
 John Q. Adams, 37, and Bertha A. Jones, 34, both of Washington.  
 Herman L. Nickerson, 40, and Thelma E. Hunter, 36, both of Arlington, Va.  
 Joseph A. Pikuasi, 26, Fort Mead, Md., and Helen A. Klocak, 22, Washington.  
 Benjamin J. Bowen, 24, Washington, D. C., and Robert Evelyn Shattuck, 21, Currie, 20, both of Washington.  
 John E. Moody, 26, Claremont, N. H., and Marcia Mae Linnier, 21, Littleton, Colo.  
 Beverly A. Brooks, 22, Brokenburg, Va., and Lora G. Perry, 20, Marco, Va.

James Atkins, 21, 808 1st st. n.w., and Ethel Cargene, 17, 436 Franklin st. n.w.; the Rev. D. G. Givens.  
 Edwin J. Carr, 25, and Mary L. Marshall, 21, both of 1702 Capitol ave. n.e.; the Rev. James A. Caulfield.  
 Walter H. Vincent and Dorothy Gravel, 22, both of 248 14th st. s.e.; the Rev. Julian Thomas.  
 Julian Thomas, 28, 1016 9th st. n.e., and Jessie E. Boyster, 21, 1018 6th st. n.w.; the Rev. George W. Allen.  
 Willie Ford, 29, 1117 10th st. n.w., and George W. Allen, 29, Corcoran st. n.w.; the Rev. Bear Davis.  
 William M. Sells, 24, 1609 Vermont st. n.e., and Mary L. Patterson, 18, 1338 Wylie st. n.w.; the Rev. L. P. Millenberger.  
 John E. McCarthy, 20, 1706 C st. n.e., and Kathryn M. Cormick, 18, 2908 6th st. s.e.; the Rev. Preston A. Cave.  
 Richard L. Embly, 28, Lanham, Md., and Mary C. Bryan, 20, Port Deposit, Md.; Judge Nathan Cayton.  
 Edwin C. Kelley, 24, 1609 Vermont ave. n.w., and Susie M. Smith, 18, 234 Hillside pl. n.e.; the Rev. Oliver W. Evans.  
 James A. Porter, 25, and Kathryn C. Porter, 23, both of 538 23rd pl. n.e.; the Rev. Howard W. Thurman.  
 Albert Benjamin Kirclosh, 31, 115 B st. s.e., and Robert Evelyn Shattuck, 21, 1910 Calvert st. n.w.; the Rev. E. H. Pruden.

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# Much of Entertaining In These War Days Centers Around Music

## Senor Castro Will Be Honored With Senorita Regules by Espils At Argentine Embassy

Much entertaining centers around music during these war days. The Argentine Ambassador and Senora de Espil will entertain at luncheon tomorrow in honor of the distinguished composer and conductor from Argentina, Senor Juan Jose Castro. Sharing honors with him will be Senorita Maria Regules, the brilliant young pianist for whom the Ambassador and Senora de Espil gave an afternoon party a few weeks ago. Senor Castro will conduct the National Symphony Orchestra tomorrow evening in a concert for which the director general of the Pan-American Union, Dr. Leo S. Rowe, and the assistant director, Dr. Pedro de Alba, issued invitations. The program will be given in the Pan-American Union and Senorita Regules will be the soloist.

### Dr. Hu Shih Entertains Guests At Informal Buffet Supper

The Chinese Ambassador, Dr. Hu Shih, had guests dining with him last evening at Twin Oaks, the charming old estate on Woodley road, where he has lived since he took this post here. Guests last evening were close friends of the diplomat who, with his keen sense of humor and quick wit, is a delightful host. The guests were invited for an informal buffet supper but they were seated and the menu was more substantial than supper.

Among the other parties of yesterday was the dinner given last evening to honor Dr. Luthero Serrancho Vargas, son of the President of Brazil. Senor Eugenio de Serrancho was the host at this affair, and among the guests were Dr. Charles Stanley White, Dr. James A. Cahill, Jr., Dr. Robert Howe Harmon, Dr. G. W. Leadbetter, Dr. Milton C. Cobby, Dr. Tomas Cajigas, Dr. Custis Lee Hall, Dr. P. S. Constantinople, Dr. George C. Ruhlman, Dr. H. H. Kerr, Capt. Bergett H. Blocksom and Mr. Edward T. Wallis of the State Department.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Gardner Putnam also entertained yesterday, their party being held in their apartment on New Hampshire avenue. Mrs. Donald Richberg, who gave a small luncheon to honor Mrs. James Knowlson, was another hostess of yesterday. Mrs. Knowlson recently came here from Chicago with Mr. Knowlson. Miss Nancy Willard, who has been feted continuously since her engagement to Mr. Thomas Henry Schaffert was announced, was honored at the party given by Mrs. John J. Hasley in her home on Rittenhouse street. Miss Willard and Mr. Schaffert will be married February 7.

Visitors continue to come from across the seas. Among the current guests in Washington is the Rev. Dr. Albert Peel of London, who was a guest at luncheon Sunday of His Britannic Majesty's Ambassador and Lady Halifax. Also lunching at the Embassy Sunday was Mr. Henry Luce and members of the Embassy staff.

Dr. Peel, who is moderator of the Congregational Church in England, served with the B. E. F. in France in 1916 and is the author of many books on his church and religion. He spoke last week at the Mount Pleasant Congregational Church and was the guest preacher at the Sunday morning service. Dr. Peel will travel extensively in this country.

Princess Boncompagni Hostess at Dinner

Princess Boncompagni was hostess at dinner last evening, entertaining at the Sulgrave Club. Her guests included her cousin, Mr. William F. Draper of Boston, who recently came to Washington. Mr. Draper is a namesake of the princess's father, the former United States Ambassador to Italy, Mr. William F. Draper, and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Clara Hill Draper of Boston.

Princess Boncompagni, as Miss Margaret Preston Draper, was presented in Washington some years ago in the home of her parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. Draper, on K street at Connecticut avenue and among her guests were two of the "Big Six," a group of debutantes who, with Princess Boncompagni, were presented the same year—Mrs. McHenry Werlich, formerly Miss Gladys Hensley, and Mrs. John B. Cochran, formerly Miss Alice Whitling.

Other guests of Princess Boncompagni last evening were Rear Admiral Herbert Seymour Howard, Mrs. Montgomery Blair, Mrs. Hamilton Vose Bryan, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Burrall Hoffman, Miss Carolyn Nash, Prince Tourmanoff, Count Czermin and M. Sherbovitch.

## Two Art Critics Arrive for Judging Of Exhibition

Mr. Thomas C. Colt, director of the Virginia Museum of Fine Arts in Richmond, and Mr. John Richard Craft, director of the Washington County Museum of Fine Arts in Hagerstown, are expected to arrive in Washington to serve as members of the prize jury for the awards in the 51st annual exhibition of the Washington Society of Artists. Mr. Colt and Mr. Craft are serving with Mr. John Walker III, formerly of the National Gallery of Art in Washington.

Last evening the members of the jury were guests of honor at dinner given by the Society of Artists at the Cosmos Club, when Mr. Rowland Lyon, president of the club, presided and was toastmaster.

Seated at the table with the guests of honor were Mrs. Walker, Mrs. Lyon, the secretary of the Society, and Mrs. Garnet Jex, Mr. Robert Parsons, assistant director of the Corcoran Gallery of Art; Miss Emily Millard, secretary to Mr. C. Powell Minnigerode, the director of the Corcoran Gallery; Mr. and Mrs. William Walter, Mr. Roger Rittase, Miss Norma Bose, Dr. Robert E. Motley and Mr. O. R. Carrington. Varnishing day for the exhibition will be Saturday afternoon in the Corcoran Gallery of Art and the annual event will be open to the public Sunday.

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## Miss Alice Reid To Be June Bride



MISS ALICE GRENELLE REID.

Of interest in Washington is the announcement of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Grenelle Reid of Glen Rock, N. J., of the engagement of their daughter Miss Alice Grenelle Reid to Ensign Donald Raymond Bried, son of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Bried of Oklahoma City.

Mr. and Mrs. Reid formerly resided in Chevy Chase. Their daughter attended Mundelein College in Chicago and Ensign Bried was graduated from the Naval Academy in 1940.

The wedding will take place in June.



MRS. RICHARD W. WALMSLEY.

—Hessler Photo.

## Attractive Setting Marks Wedding of Jane Williamson

In a setting of Easter lilies, white tulips and heather, with tall palms in the background, Miss Jane West Williamson, daughter of Mrs. Henry R. Williamson, became the bride of Mr. Richard W. Walmesley of Boston. The ceremony took place Saturday in the home of the bride's mother in the presence of the immediate families.

The Rev. James H. Taylor of the Central Presbyterian Church officiated.

The bride wore a white satin gown, a finger-tip-length veil held by three white ostrich plumes and carried a bouquet of white roses and lilies of the valley.

Miss Shirley Mackay was the maid of honor, wearing a blue chiffon dress. Tiny blue plumes formed her headpiece and her bouquet was of American Beauty roses.

Mr. Richard Hutton of Providence was the best man.

A large reception followed the ceremony, with the mothers of the bride and bridegroom assisting. Mrs. Williamson wore a periwinkle blue lace gown with a matching hat and Mrs. Walmesley was in dusty pink crepe with a turban to correspond.

Among the out-of-town guests were Miss Mabel Bauer and Mrs. Elizabeth Franckel of Boston, Mrs. Richard Hutton of Providence and Lt. and Mrs. John Farley Splain, brother-in-law and sister of the bride, of Fort Monroe, Va.

The bridegroom is the son of Mrs. Richard Walmesley and the late Mr. Walmesley of Boston. He attended Brown University and is a member of Phi Delta Theta fraternity. He is at present employed at the State Department. After the reception the couple left by plane for a short wedding trip in the North. After their return they will be at home in Alexandria.

## Missouri Ball

The Missouri State Society will entertain at a ball Saturday evening at the Shoreham Hotel when the Missouri delegation in Congress will be the honor guests.

Representative Richard M. Duncan will deliver an address. Mrs. Claude M. Houchins, president of the society, will receive the guests. Mrs. Charles Keyser is chairman of the Reception Committee.

## Many Hold Horse Show Reservations

### All Social Circles To Be Represented At Fort Myer Event

A distinguished audience, representative of all circles of society, will witness the thrilling riding at the horse show at Fort Myer tonight and tomorrow night. The event is annually one of the outstanding preludes to the celebration of the President's birthday anniversary and the proceeds of the two performances greatly swell the funds of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis.

The Venezuelan Ambassador and Senora de Escalante will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Morris in their box at this evening's show. Mr. and Mrs. Morris also will have with them the Guatemalan Minister, Senor Dr. Don Adrian Reinos, and the Nicaraguan minister and Senora de De Bayle.

Lord and Lady Halifax To Be Guests of Gordons.

His Britannic Majesty's Ambassador and Lady Halifax will be entertained this evening by the commandant of Fort Myer and Mrs. W. W. Gordon, who will have with them several of the leading motion picture stars who have come to take part in the celebrations this week. Lady Halifax will present the Washington Horse Show Trophy in Class III sponsored by the Junior League.

The Commandant and Mrs. Gordon's guests at tomorrow's performance will be Senator and Mrs. Alben W. Barkley and Field Marshal Sir John Dill and Gen. H. C. B. Wemyss of Great Britain. Mrs. Barkley will present the trophy in Class IV and Sir John Dill the trophy for the exhibition of fox hounds from the Middleburg (Va.) Hunt by Miss Charlotte Holland and Mr. D. C. Sands, M. P. H.

McCarthy's to Have Guests in Their Box.

The French Ambassador, M. Henry-Haye, has a box for this evening and probably will offer it to members of the Embassy staff as he



MISS ELISABETH PAGE SMITH.

—Harris-Ewing Photo.

## Miss Smith to Wed Ensign Blandin

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert L. Smith announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Elisabeth Page Smith, to Ensign Victor A. Blandin, U. S. N., son of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Blandin of Akron, Ohio.

Miss Smith was graduated from Western High School and attended George Washington University where she pledged Pi Beta Phi sorority. She also is a member of Sigma Lambda sorority.

Ensign Blandin was graduated from the United States Naval Academy in February of 1941 and is now on active duty.

No date has been set for the wedding.

will not attend owing to the death in France of his mother, Mme. Henry-Haye.

The Canadian Minister and Mrs. McCarthy will have guests with them in their box tonight and Lt. Douglas Fairbanks, Jr., and Lt. Robert Montgomery, both of the U. S. N. R., will be guests of Lt. Arthur A. Allen.

Other boxholders for this evening include Mr. and Mrs. Harry Semmes, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Wood Robert, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Milton W. King, Mr. and Mrs. Christian Heurich, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur M. Godfrey, Mrs. A. DeM. Riggs, Mrs. Dorsey Bell, Mr. Joe E. Gardiner and Mr. E. H. Davis.

The Minister attached to the British Embassy, Mr. N. Hall, has a box for the second evening and will have guests with him for the show. The Lease-Lend Administrator and Mrs. Edward R. Stettinius are boxholders for Thursday evening and others on this list include Mrs. William M. Bell Watkins and her sister, Mrs. Karl Boy-Ed, Mrs. Joseph Letter, Mrs. Lee Arnold, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Sherwood, Col. Edward H. Hardy and Mr. L. H. La Motte.

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## By the Way—

Beth Blaine

The Albert Deweys' house is small but perfectly arranged for the informal little parties that Felicia and Albert are giving this winter. There is an open fire in the smart little drawing room—another in the library just beyond. Both rooms always are flower-filled, the furniture is comfortable and attractive and the food served in this house really is something to rave over. Felicia says she makes up a lot of the recipes herself—like the cheese ice cream we had there one night! It sounds odd, we know, but it couldn't have been better. One gentleman who said he hated cheese ate two plates of the ice cream before he knew what it was! The Deweys do most of their entertaining over the week ends when they usually have house guests. This week end they are expecting Felicia's mother and step-father, the Frederick Frelinghuysens, and will give them a dinner Sunday night. Saturday night they all will dine with the C. Mathews Dicks. Week end after next Michael Arlen and his beautiful wife will come down from their present New York home to visit the Deweys—so there doubtlessly will be some more party-giving for the famous author of "The Green Hat."

The Howard Cushings will have week end guests, too. Howard's mother, now Mrs. J. Dennison Sawyer, and Mr. Sawyer will arrive Friday for a visit with them. As the wife of the late Howard Cushing the present Mrs. Sawyer was the subject of some of the artist's loveliest portraits. Her regular features and magnificent red hair made her especially paintable. . . .

When Audry Campbell sold her house on Kalorama Circle to the Gerard Lamberts she took a long lease on a lovely old house just outside of Warrenton. She has moved her own furniture down there and is completely settled. We hear the house is a dream. . . . Not so far away Audry's cousin, Tommy Letter, is living in the Robert Winnills' beautiful house, Clovelly. He first had the Winnills' smaller house, but when it was sold to the Martin Vogels he had to move, and liking that part of the country he didn't move very far! The Winnills themselves are living in still another house on the same estate. . . .

The James Altemuses are coming to Washington for the duration (he has a defense job here) and have taken a house on Massachusetts avenue. With their two small children they've been living on Long Island, for the past few years. As the former Rosalie Pilot Stuyvesant, Mrs. Altemus spent several years in Washington some time ago. She was extremely popular and made many friends here who will be delighted to see her come back. Mr. Altemus is living at the Metropolitan Club until the arrival of his family. He is a brother of "Liz" Altemus Whitney. . . .

Maj. and Mrs. Sherlock Davis will be off any day now for a new post in Buenos Aires. They have leased their house here to the Amory Houghtons. From Chicago the Lester Armours have arrived for the duration. They're still house-hunting. He is a cousin of Mrs. James Clement Dunn—who was the former Mary Armour. . . .

Leland Harrison leaves shortly to return to his post as Minister to Switzerland. Saturday Mrs. Harrison will give a farewell cocktail party in his honor. . . .

There will be some big parties—but all for a cause—dinners preceding the ball to be given at the Sulgrave Club Saturday, February 14, for the benefit of the Soldiers, Sailors and Marines Club and the Belgian prisoners of war. Mrs. Richard McCreery will give one and so will the Chauncey Parkers, Jr., and Baron and Baroness de Gruben. Betty van der Straten-Ponthoz, daughter of the Belgian Ambassador and Countess van der Straten-Ponthoz, will entertain a group of the younger set at dinner before the same ball. . . .

## Miss Jeanne Spence Engaged to Wed J. O. Hubbard

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Spence of Arlington announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Jeanne Corinne Spence, to Mr. James O. Hubbard, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Hubbard of Mineral, Va.

The wedding will take place Friday, February 6, at the home of the bride's parents. Mrs. J. O. Wallace, cousin of the bride, will be the matron of honor, and Mr. Vincent Hubbard will be the best man for his brother.

The bride-elect is a graduate of St. Cecilia's Academy and attended the University of Richmond. The bridegroom-elect will be graduated from the Richmond Medical School of Pharmacy in June. Mr. and Mrs. Spence are issuing

cards announcing the marriage of another daughter, Miss Dorothy Dana Spence, to Lt. Donald E. Druckemiller of Fort Belvoir, which took place January 9 in Fort Lewis, Wash., where the bridegroom is on temporary duty.

Mrs. Druckemiller is a graduate of the College of William and Mary. Her husband, a native of Sunbury, Pa., was graduated from Bucknell University.

## Club Elects Board

Members of the Board of Governors of the Washington Club elected at a meeting yesterday include Mrs. William Aspinwall, Mrs. R. Winston Holt, Mrs. Cloyd Heck Marvin, Mrs. James Shera Montgomery and Mrs. William Charles White.

Officers will be elected from membership of the board at a meeting to be held next month.

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### News Women Hostesses to Helen Keller

Mary Cookman, Magazine Editor, Also Is Speaker

Two women, one foremost "copy" for many years, the other now managing editor of a nationally known magazine, discussed various phases of feminine participation in the national defense program before members of the Women's National Press Club yesterday.

Helen Keller, nationally famed blind and deaf author and lecturer, and Mrs. Mary Cookman, managing editor of the Ladies' Home Journal, shared honors as guest speakers at the club's weekly luncheon at the Willard Hotel.

Speaking clearly, so that she was heard throughout the cabinet room, where the luncheon was held, Miss Keller inspired her audience with her brief message.

"Women's role today is to make democracy a dynamic force worth fighting for," she said. "Sweetness and light are not enough to safeguard human freedom. We need also faith to protect it and, if necessary, to die in its defense."

In a tribute to newspaperwomen she concluded: "I salute you progressive women engaged in journalism and wars of self-expression. Your courage makes me proud. In fortifying us in this situation and in combating forces of totalitarianism your power for good through an enlightened press cannot be measured."

Some of the phases of today's outlook regarding women were discussed by Mrs. Cookman, who declared the sometimes expressed belief that war work will detract from the femininity of women.

"Women will always be women," she declared. "No business or machine will ever change them from wanting husbands, homes and children."

Mrs. Cookman told of a recent journey throughout the United States in search of material for articles reflecting contemporary living conditions among average American families.

"The people of the United States are a good people," she declared, "and they are surprisingly modest in their demands of life. They are willing to work hard for what they wish to achieve, and they will fight for it. They are plenty tough in body, spirit and mind."

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Others at the speakers' table were Mrs. Eleanor Winslow and Miss Ruth Matthews, both of the Ladies' Home Journal staff, Mrs. J. W. McCallum, president National Council of Catholic Women, and Miss Margaret T. Lynch, executive secretary National Council of Catholic Women.

### Southeast Citizens Ask Cross-town Bus For Chillum Heights

Sale of Tokens in Lots of Three Also Asked by Association

The Southeast Citizens' Association last night asked that another cross-town bus service be instituted by way of Military road N.W., north of the route started Sunday.

Vernis Absher moved that the association favor a new route beginning at Bladensburg road and South Dakota avenue N.E. and extending north through Rock Creek Park to Military road in order to cover the Chillum Heights area. The group also favored the sale of street car tokens at three for 25 cents, on the motion of Mr. Absher.

The association also asked that a reflecting light for automobiles be put on the dividing wall of the bridge located on New Jersey avenue south of E street S.E. after Joseph P. Constantino pointed out the traffic hazard.

William A. Maio, head of the Civilian Defense Committee for the area, reported that the committee has established headquarters in the Southeast Branch Library and that the committee will meet every Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. Reporting favorably on defense progress, Mr. Maio said that about 1,000 wardens have been appointed for the 10-zone area.

At the suggestion of Mr. Absher, the group authorized a letter to Commissioner Young advocating strong consideration of the use of steam whistles as alarm signals. Mr. Absher said that many establishments in the city keep up steam 24 hours a day that could be used to furnish power for the whistles.

Mrs. S. H. Henry suggested that each member of the group act individually to further the salvage campaign in his own neighborhood. Thelma E. Avery was accepted for membership at the meeting presided over by Orin E. Davy.

### Maj. Karger Ordered To Duty at Fort Meade

Maj. Alfred Karger, Chemical Warfare Service, a former Washington newspaperman, has been transferred to Fort Meade, Md., from Fort Hayes at Columbus, Ohio.

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### Move in House Hits High Cost Of Launchings

The House moved yesterday to cut out what Representative Sumner, Republican, of Illinois termed "enormous" luncheons, champagne dinners, orchids and diamond bracelets at ship launchings.

Miss Sumner offered an amendment to the \$17,722,000,000 naval appropriation bill to prohibit use of the funds for future christenings.

"Helen of Troy could launch 1,000 ships without a diamond bracelet, our women can, too," she said. Women who christen ships, she asserted, receive orchids and a diamond bracelet, with a pin to match; special trains are sent to the launchings from Washington.

Representative Scruggins, Democrat, of Nevada, floor manager for the big bill, accepted the amendment—as did the House later—with a statement: "We have no objection, but the amendment has no merit because these things are not paid for out of public funds, to my best belief and knowledge."

### Missing Flyers Reach Fort Yukon on Foot

WHITEHORSE, Yukon Territory, Jan. 28.—Two occupants of a plane missing for days between here and an Alaskan airport have reached Fort Yukon, Alaska, safely after a walk down the ice of the Porcupine River, where they landed when their plane ran out of fuel.

The airmen reported they had lost their bearings while en route to Alaska but flew on for nine hours. When their gasoline tanks ran dry, they made a safe landing on the river ice. Still lost, they followed the winding river and arrived at Fort Yukon Monday night.

Names of the men were not given.

### Trinidad Association Asks More Parking Space at Corners

Would Ease Restrictions Measured From Building Line

The Trinidad Citizens' Association last night asked that the ban be lifted to permit parking within 25 feet of the building line at intersections.

It was pointed out by George J. Cleary, president of the group, that this would provide increased parking space.

The association favored the sale of three streetcar tokens for 25 cents. Walter Wondrack made the motion.

The Public Utilities Commission was commended for establishing a cross-town bus service. The association asked that the new line be extended to Bladensburg road. Mrs. J. M. Selby made the motion.

Other business included opposition to erection of an incinerator anywhere in the Northeast area and a request to the District Commissioners that a building ordinance be passed providing for at least one parking space per unit in all apartment houses built following the passage of the ordinance.

Capt. Harry E. Shilling, air-raid warden for the area, reported briefly on the progress of the civilian defense effort in the Trinidad section. The meeting was held at the Wheatley School.

### A Family of Fighters

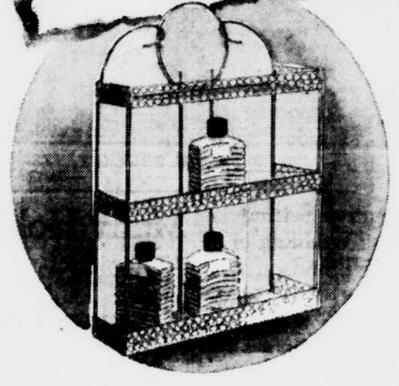
DILLON, Mont. (AP)—It's almost a full-time job for William Hutchinson of Dillon to keep in touch with kinsmen fighting for Canada and Great Britain. They total 64.

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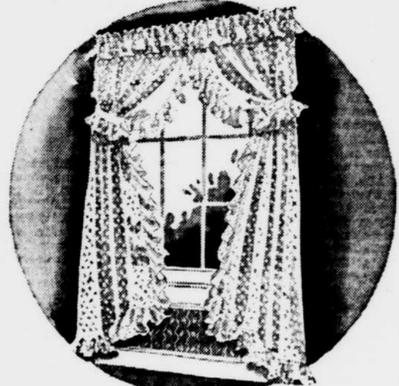
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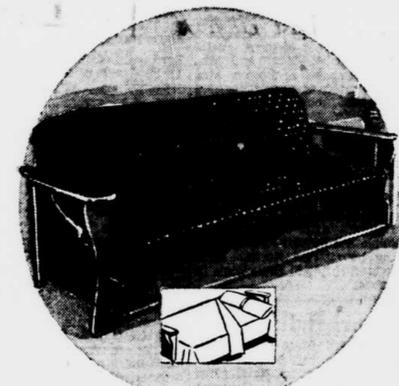
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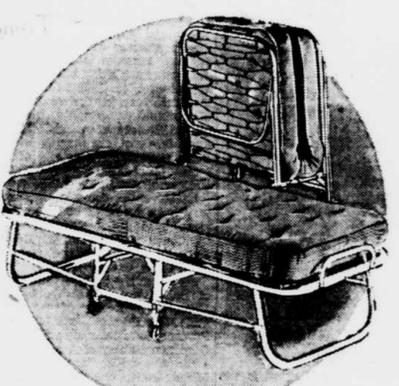
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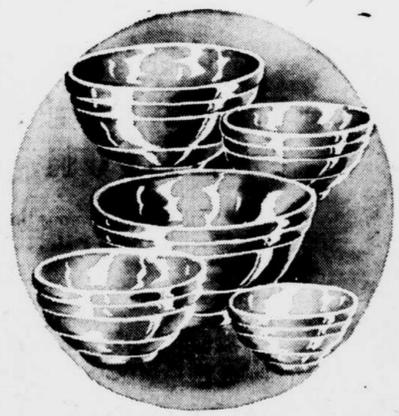
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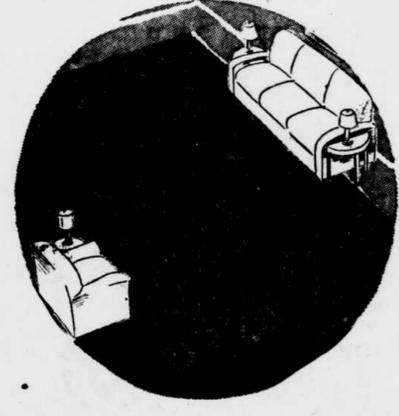
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Mr. John W. Marshall of Eufaula, Ala., announces the marriage of his daughter, Miss Constance Marshall, to Mr. Sterling S. Lanier III of Nashville, Tenn. The ceremony took place at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon in St. John's Episcopal Church, the Rev. Norman D. Goehring officiating.

Mr. John F. Marshall gave his sister in marriage and Miss Grace Lanier, sister of the bridegroom, was maid of honor.

Mr. Sterling S. Lanier, Jr. of Hopkinsville, Ky., acted as best man for his son.

Mrs. Lanier attended the University of Tampa and for the past year has held a position with the British Purchasing Commission. Mr. Lanier was educated at the Universities of Cincinnati and Alabama. He now is in business in Nashville, Tenn., where the couple will make their home.

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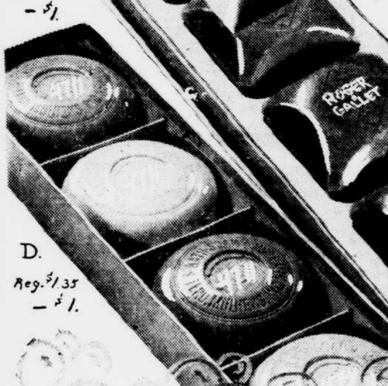
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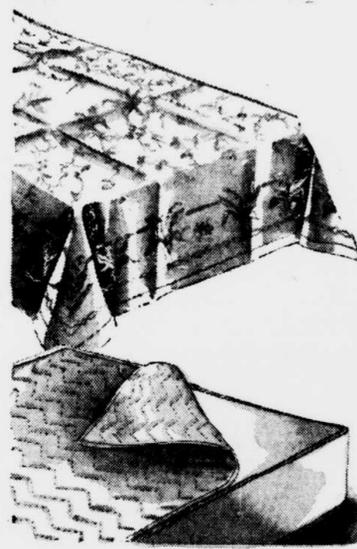
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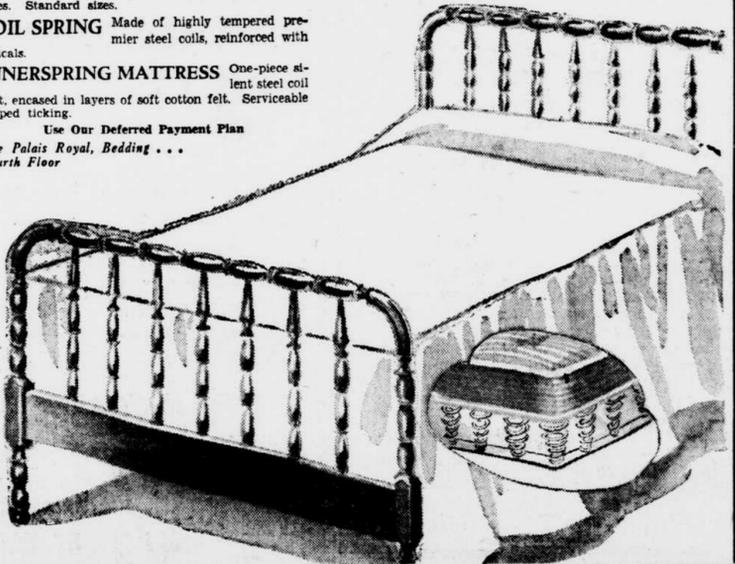
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**CHAPTER XX.**  
**HIT.**

As they left the studio a short, dapper man with the cranium of an ape accosted them.

"Hello, Terry," he said familiarly. The actor's face paled.

"I'll join you," he said to the others and hurried off to the waiting car. The Countess shivered.

"Dreadful looking man," she said. "Is he a gangster?"

"A producer—probably," said Fordyce. "Terry has been playing the horses again—and badly—to judge by his friends."

Livia had barely noticed his departure. She was thinking it must be true about Bruce marrying the Countess. What experience did Bruce have as a producer? However, she was glad he was getting away from stunting. He couldn't be lucky always. But to work for the Countess!

"Why not?" Bruce said. When he met them at the Beachcomber, she knew she was being unfair. Bruce had always wanted to produce pictures and she had encouraged this in their early days. What difference did it make that a woman was paying his salary? None. If only the Countess weren't so blatantly in love with him!

"I'd like you to direct my picture," Bruce told Charles Fordyce. "He can't," the Countess giggled. "Alice Delaware won't let him."

"I'll take whomever you recommend," Bruce said. His story was a Western. It was about horses and wide-open spaces; he knew a lot about both. This was the chief reason he had accepted Countess Saska's offer. He would have preferred other backing, but he would increase her investment.

"Have you a part for me in the picture?" Livia said teasingly. The rum drink had gone to her head.

"Oh, no," said the Countess hastily. "We only want experienced actresses."

"I was asking your producer—not you," Livia smiled at the Countess, then turned again to Bruce.

"Sure there's a part for you," he drawled. "We need a leading lady."

"I was joking," said Livia.

**A Strained Situation.**

They all drank to the new picture company. But Bruce and Livia avoided looking at each other.

Fordyce took her home. She lived alone now. Bertha, after leaving the hospital was going back to her people in Minnesota. Livia was depressed.

"Other people get gay when they drink; but me, I either go to sleep or get sad."

Fordyce brought her close to him and tried to kiss her lips. Livia wondered whether he was going to be troublesome.

"I'm tired," she told him. She was putting him off again, Charles smiled.

"I've just discovered something," he said. She waited apprehensively. Did he know something new about her father?

"What have you discovered?" she asked him.

"That you don't like me."

"Charles!" she reproached him. "Don't quarrel with me now, I have a headache." He could have crushed her between his strong arms.

"I'm not quite that bad—or desperate," he said to himself. And aloud. "Good night then."

"Good night." Her cool lips brushed his cheek.

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The persistent ringing of the telephone awakened her.

"Hello, yes?" Terry Davidson.

"Yes, of course, I'm alone."

"I must see you at once." Terry's voice was urgent.

"Why?"

"I'll tell you when I see you."

"But I'm asleep." She had no intention of boring herself with a tete-a-tete with Terry Davidson.

"I'll be with you in a minute," said Terry. The click in her ear followed.

"I won't let him in," she decided. She thought of calling Bruce, but it was not yet 11 o'clock, and he was probably with the Countess, he had talked of dinner at her house.

Thirty minutes later the door bell rang, startling her from the half doze into which she had fallen.

"Nice place you have," said Terry and lit a cigarette and slumped into a chair. He smoked in silence, made several attempts to start a conversation, then lapsed into silence again.

"It's getting late, Terry," Livia reminded him gently. "And I have to be early at the studio tomorrow. What did you want to see me about?" Terry stubbed out his cigarette.

"Whatever happens," he said slowly, "I don't want you to blame me. It's got nothing to do with me. I'm acting as a sort of agent between the parties."

**Go-Between.**

"Come to the point," Livia's voice was sharp.

"Your father—" said Terry slowly and looked swiftly at Livia to see the effect of his words. Her face was blank.

"My father died before I was born," she said.

He grinned. "We both know better."

"All right—what about my father?" she demanded.

"He's in trouble."

"That's nothing new with Earl Dixon. But why do you care?"

"I don't," said Terry bluntly.

"Then—"

"Those men outside the studio—your father owes them a lot of money."

"But I still don't understand where you come in?"

"Aw—they once did me a favor," said Terry, "and they know I'm in the picture with you. Anyway, Dixon owes them a lot of money."

"How much?"

"Be exact—three thousand dollars."

"What happens if he doesn't pay?"

Terry shivered. "It's not nice. One day you disappear and then some one finds you in a quiet doorway with a bullet through your head."

"But he can't," said Livia. She tried to keep the horror out of her voice. She was dealing with bad people, and they must not know she was scared.

"We know that," said Terry. He came closer to her. "But you can't not all at once—say \$50 a week."

Livia detested Dixon more at this minute than ever before.

Suppose they killed him? But why should she care?

"I won't do it," she said flatly. "Good night."

Livia Gives In.

She stood up and indicated the door. A memory of Vera's description of Earl Dixon with the band and wanting them to play "Erolca" in memory of a great man made her relent.

"I'll help," she said, "but I want to see him."

"Better not," advised Terry, "he's in bad shape. Besides he's living now with the boys—they have to make sure he pays."

Livia wrote out a check. This left her with exactly \$15 in the bank. She had given \$25 to Vera only that afternoon. One hundred and

fifty dollars a week wasn't much after all.

"I'd rather people didn't know just now that Earl Dixon is my father," she told Terry at the door. She strove to keep her voice casual.

"You're absolutely safe," he assured her. "Good night, see you in the movies." And he was gone.

Every Wednesday Livia sent \$50 to the address Terry had given her. Terry did not mention the subject again. He avoided her and between scenes shut himself in his dressing room. Livia resolutely thrust the matter into the background of her consciousness.

There was never more than a line or two for her to speak at a time. And Fordyce was patient, rehearsing over and over again before putting her in front of the camera. For the difficult emotional scenes he repeated the trick of pretending it was a rehearsal. The actual "take" was discarded, but Livia did not know this.

She looked soft and young in her nurse's uniform with her cap set jauntily back on her red-gold hair.

"You're a new type of meanie," Fordyce kidded her one day, "you look innocent—that's why I picked you for the part."

**Wards of Cuts.**

"Do you really think I'll be a star, really and honestly?" How attractive she was, her lovely eyes shining as though he owned the world and could break it up and give her pieces at will.

I won't fool you. We'll probably cut most of your part—Alice will see to that anyway. But keep working; don't get a swelled head and if you're lucky, you might be a star one day. I don't see why not."

"I'll never be swelled-headed. I used to be conceited—I thought everything had to happen my way. But I've been through a lot."

He didn't believe her. There was an untouched look about her face and except for a flicker of alarm in her gray-blue eyes, she seemed an irresponsible girl just out of high school.

Sometimes producing a picture was easy. But this was not one of those times. The picture came the hard way—like all films in which Alice Delaware starred. She had finished after the first three weeks and the picture had to be suspended for 10 days. Terry Davidson had a nervous breakdown. One day he stopped in the middle of a line and burst into tears. Shooting was called off while Fordyce talked to him in his dressing room.

"It's my creditors. I owe every one in town," he wept to the director. "They're crucifying me." Charles lent him some money and sent him home.

But finally the last foot of film was safely in the cans, and then Fordyce collapsed, but with relief. He was three days in the California

hospital. He came out to tackle the job of cutting and editing.

Fortunately, Alice decided her health required a month in Arizona. Charles trimmed his film without interference.

And now it was the night of the press preview. Livia expected to go with Charles Fordyce. But at the last moment Alice returned from Phoenix.

"She's giving a dinner party, and I have to go with her to the preview," explained Charles.

"I'm too nervous to go anyway," she said.

Livia passed the evening driving aimlessly along the coast. She did not return home until midnight. The telephone was ringing as she opened the door, and she almost fell over in her eagerness to answer it. It was Charles Fordyce, and he was jubilant.

"The picture went over swell," he told her. "I've been calling you since 11. You made a hit, baby. After your scene with Terry, they clapped their hands off. And is Alice mad! Don't go to bed now. I'm coming over. This calls for a real celebration."

(Continued Tomorrow.)  
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**Wardens to Hold Supper**

Alr-raid wardens of Forestville, Md., will hold an oyster and ham supper at 4:30 p.m. Friday at the Forestville Methodist Church. It was announced today. Miss Ruby Farr is chairman of the committee.

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**Annual Hobby Show To Benefit Red Cross**

The annual Hobby Show of the Silver Spring (Md.) Hobby Association will be held shortly after Easter this year, it was announced today. The show will be given this season for the benefit of the Red Cross. Three men have been elected to membership in the group. They are Russell H. Millward, South American explorer and world traveler; Third Assistant Postmaster General Ramsey S. Black and Alden H. Whitney, stamp expert.

Frank Proctor, Warren E. Pumphrey and William B. Marks were appointed as a committee to obtain a hall for the show. The last two years it has been held in the Armory.

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### D. C. Citizens Invited By Camalier to Use Rights of His Office

Aide of Senate District Committee Addresses Society of Natives

District residents were urged last night to "take advantage of the powers vested in "the only native-born Washingtonian who can speak on the floor of the United States Senate" by Renah F. Camalier, municipal attorney for the Senate District Committee, speaking at a meeting of the Society of Natives of the District of Columbia.

Mr. Camalier cautioned the members to "forget the present incumbent, but do not overlook the possibilities for voteless Washington in the office I represent."

Interest in civic affairs at the present time should not be overlooked, Mr. Camalier said, but civilian defense must be uppermost in every one's mind. He added that there was no need to worry much about being frightened in an air raid.

**Adjustment Recommended.**  
"I was in the last war. . . . You won't have to worry about being killed by a bomb; you won't have time!"

Of primary interest to Washingtonians interested in District affairs, Mr. Camalier asserted, should be an equitable adjustment between Federal and District Governments. But, he pointed out, co-operation among District residents is the only way it will ever be brought about.

On motion of Miss Etta Taggart, a committee consisting of Charles H. Bates and Evan H. Tucker was appointed by John A. Saul, president, to consult with Mr. Camalier concerning the Hunter recreation bill. Miss Taggart's motion favoring doubling the present penalties for tire thefts also was approved.

**By-Laws Amended.**  
The group decided to amend the by-laws of the organization so that the Executive Committee may change the time and place of meeting if necessary. The action was taken on motion of Mr. Bates.

Mrs. Leslie C. Stevens spoke in behalf of the Red Cross drives for war aid.

New members voted into the Society of Natives last night include Miss Rose L. Rover, Maj. Edward J. Kelly, Marie Sanger, Albert E. Meisinger, Mrs. Margaret McC. Spinks, Miss Augusta H. Brown, Ralph A. Ricketts, Paul B. Cromelin, Henry W. Smallwood, Dr. Carlotta A. Hawley, Miss Florence K. Younger and Mr. Camalier.

Mr. Saul presided over the meeting held at the Washington Club, 1701 K street N.W.

### Hampshire Heights Citizens Ask Military Road Bus

The Hampshire Heights Citizens' Association last night commended the Public Utilities Commission for instituting a cross-town bus route, but urged another cross-town service over the Military road route. The service started Sunday is over the Klingle road route.

Citing the growth in population in the northern section of the city, the resolution called for a line from Wisconsin avenue and Military road N.W. through Rock Creek Park on Military road and ending at South Dakota avenue and Bladensburg road N.E. Another resolution favored the sale of three tokens for 25 cents.

Opposition was expressed to any increase in rates or elimination of transfer privileges on the Takoma bus line or any other bus or street car line in the city unless an investigation of the financial set up of the transit company indicated they were warranted. It also asked for more frequent service on the Petworth, Takoma and Chillum Heights bus lines. These matters, the resolution stated, were to be brought up soon before the Public Utilities Commission.

All three resolutions dealing with transportation were presented by Mrs. Dora C. Leizear, chairman of the Committee on Public Utilities. The Health Committee was authorized to investigate the heating of buses.

A motion picture, "Know Your Money," was presented at the end of the business session, which was held in the Barnard School.

### Two Freed After 17 Months In Jail on Woman's Charges

After 17 months in jail, two Washington men yesterday won their freedom when Maryland authorities failed to appear for an extradition hearing before Judge Hobart Newman in the United States branch of Police Court.

Originally the two men had been charged with the criminal assault and kidnaping of a 32-year-old Washington waitress. They were found not guilty in District Court on the criminal assault charge and the kidnaping charge was nolle prossed.

However, they were held for Prince Georges County authorities on a criminal assault charge and yesterday this was dropped when the court received a letter from the county sheriff saying no one would be sent to appear in court.

The men, Francis J. Mulvey, 23, of the 2800 block of Myrtle avenue N.E., an electric welder, and Albert M. Farmer, 22, of the 100 block of Seventh street N.E., a carpenter, were taken into custody in September of 1940, and when brought before Judge Newman at the time were held in \$50,000 bond, one of the highest set here outside the Supreme Court.

Later the bond was reduced to \$2,500. However, failing to make bond, they remained in jail.



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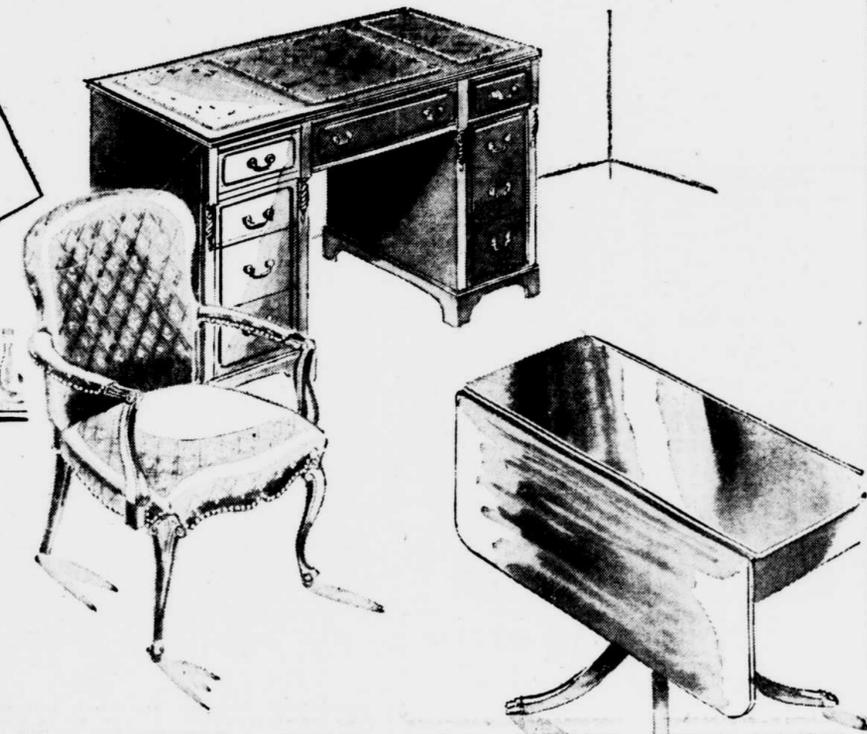


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### Latest Role Puts Taylor Far From Cinema Origins

#### Former Matinee Idol Becomes Gangster In New Film With Lana Turner; Miss Del Rio in Welles' Film

By JAY CARMODY.

Casting department: Unrecognizable as the old matinee idol he used to be will be Robert Taylor in "Johnny Eager" which was screened yesterday for critics as a prelude to its showing on Thursday as the Capitol's new screen feature.

In his latest picture, which co-stars Lana Turner, Taylor is the toughest thing you have ever seen since Warner Bros. decided that Jimmy Cagney's name should appear on the studio's pay roll.

If he has a heart, which is doubtful until the last reel, it is perfectly concealed. Nothing can move him. Miss Turner, on a retired racing dog, or a besotted intellectual whose sentimentality is one of the best performance of his life. He'll be in you've seen in a long time.

When he lies dying in the street at the end of the picture, it is uncertain whether the Hay office, the disgruntled Taylor fans or simple justice has triumphed.

Or, possibly, Miss Turner.

Casting department, ditto, from R-K-O: "Dolores Del Rio, making her bow as a leading member of Orson Welles' Mercury Players, plays one of the most distinctive roles in 'Journey Into Fear.'

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### With This Costume She'll Come Clean

Wide World News.

**HOLLYWOOD.**  
One of Ginger Rogers' new picture costumes weighs 15 pounds. But the wardrobe department, which leans toward things light and filmy, has nothing to do with it.

This bill goes to the prop department. It's for 15 pounds of soap. Ginger is clad only in bubbles and suds for the opening sequence of "Tales of Manhattan."

### Arline Returns

Arline Judge today became the new leading lady of the William H. Pine-William Co. Thomas production unit at Paramount, with her signature on a contract providing for three pictures with the organization. First of them will be "Wildcat," a story of the Texas oil fields. She will team with Richard Arlen.

AMUSEMENTS.

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### Priorities And War Hit Hollywood

#### And in Strangest Places, Studios Report

Wide World News.

**HOLLYWOOD.**  
Priorities and the war hit Hollywood in the darnedest places. Actor George McKay had to have a rubber nose for a clown role. Because of the rubber shortage, there just weren't any. The property department melted three pairs of rubber gloves, then fashioned a nose out of the gooty mess.

Another studio ran into a shortage of American flags. It wanted them to decorate several blocks of a set for a scene depicting a Fourth of July celebration. Patriotic citizens had purchased most of the supply hereabouts.

Again the prop department came through. It made the flags. Forrest Tucker, who designs men's clothes when he's not acting, created a defense dress suit. Maybe he just didn't like the strict formality of the current style. Anyhow, he says that by lopping off the tails manufacturers could save yards and yards of cloth.

Tucker's new dress suit consists of a waist-length, belted jacket;

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white vest and tie, a soft rolled-collared shirt and trousers. Instead of a Tuxedo, he wears the same jacket, trousers and shirt, but substitutes black vest and tie for the white.

Hollywood may crab, but it takes war irritations with a smile. For instance: The roar of maneuvering bombers has ruined many a take.

Director Archie Mayo was hearing the end of a long scene with Joan Gable and Ida Lupino when a squadron passed over the outdoor set.

"Those bombers are wrecking us," Mayo shouted impatiently. "But, thank God for them."

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which he was required to drive in his new picture, and will break some of his thoroughbreds to harness. He will buggy ride between his home and the Lakeside County Club, where he galls, and later he hopes he'll have time for longer rides.

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# Miss Carroll's Next Sweater To Be for Boy From Utah

## Maureen O'Hara Has a Long Wait, Just Like Any Movie Customer, And Still Misses Latest Picture

By HAROLD HEFFERNAN.

HOLLYWOOD. Wherever bombers are on display these days you'll find soldiers, plenty of soldiers—and that was just the situation the other day at an airfield adjoining the Lockheed plant.

Only the scenery was brightened no end by the presence of Madeleine Carroll, who was there with her "My Favorite Blonde" company to get authentic location shots.

Bob Hope was doing a scene alone and Madeleine, momentarily out of the action, sat quietly knitting—not far from two soldier boys. One of them nudged the other: "Look, she's making a sweater for a soldier."

"Yeah," sighed the second, "maybe she'd like to know my size."

A member of the troupe who overheard this exchange spoke up: "Would you like to meet her?" "Gosh," breathed soldier No. 1, and a deep beet red spread slowly over his features.

"Come on," said the good Samaritan. Both boys were flustered when the presentation was made. Madeleine beamed upon them. In a minute soldier No. 2 was explaining that he was from Utah and his buddy was a native of North Dakota. They began to do all right.

"We haven't been here long and one day when we had leave we tried to get into a studio. We didn't make it. So here we are on guard duty and we get to meet a movie star. Imagine anything like that happening!"

The ice being broken, North Dakota gave Utah a mighty dig in the ribs. "Go ahead, ask her," he urged. "I dare ya."

Utah gulped: "He's nuts. I was just kidding . . . but . . . er . . ." business of indicating the sweater in



VAN HEFLIN, whose next impressive film role is that of the wistful drunkard in "Johnny Eager," which comes to Loew's Capitol tomorrow. A considerable actor, Mr. Heflin, despite the fact that it took Hollywood several pictures to discover it.

Madeleine's hands . . . "I just said maybe you'd like to know my size. Of course, I didn't mean it," he added hastily.

"Why not?" asked Madeleine. "This is promised to one of the boys stationed near where I live, but I'd love to make the next one for you. Let's measure."

Rarely has such a look of beatitude been seen on a human countenance as settled then upon the face of the boy from Utah.

In the block-long queue in front of the movie ticket window on Hollywood boulevard, the pretty girl sighed and shifted wearily from one foot to the other. Her escort glared at his watch.

"We'll never get in," he said bitterly. "We've been here half an hour. The last show goes on in 10 minutes. We'd better go home. Come on, we'll see it some other time."

And Maureen O'Hara and Will Price, her new husband, left the long, long line and went home. The picture was "How Green Was My Valley"—starring Maureen O'Hara.

Hundreds of thousands the country over are applauding the picture, but the heroine has yet to see her best performance.

Ide Lupino kept insisting that she was hired as an actress, not as a cook. And anyway, if the producers wanted her to fry eggs, why didn't they notify her in advance so she could practice!

Miss Lupino provoked the biting sarcasm of Director Walter Lang when she ruined several "takes" for "Moon Tide" (this is Jean Gabin's first American picture) by the lack of such practice.

It developed that she couldn't break an egg with finesse. She also couldn't drop the egg into the skillet without scrambling it.

"I wonder if you know how to boil water?" inquired Mr. Lang coldly. "I prefer boiled eggs," replied Miss Lupino, "but my husband likes them, too."

The studio provided 48 eggs for the scene. Since eggs are now 45 cents a dozen at the local markets, the business manager for 20th Century-Fox was a much-worried man.

Two colored actresses were being interviewed for roles in the closing chapter of "Tales of Manhattan," which features Paul Robeson, Ethel Waters, "Rochester" and Clarence Muse.

"Now," said Boris Morros, the producer, "these two parts are very difficult. You two girls are in love with the same fellow. You hate each other. You're very jealous. Do you think you could do it?"

The two actresses glared at each other, then at Morros. "We sure could," said one. "Those parts fit us perfectly. This lady and I don't have no part of one another—for that very reason!"

So two ladies named Rita Christiani and Myrtle Anderson, rivals on and off the screen, got the parts. (Released by the North American Newspaper Alliance, Inc.)

Getting Nowhere Twenty years of picture making and 20,000 miles of traveling have landed Tim Whelan just 20 yards from where he began in Hollywood.

Back in 1921 Whelan broke into pictures as a story constructionist for Harold Lloyd. He was with Lloyd for five years and did some of the comedian's most memorable films but he had a yen to do serious things, among them directing. So he traveled 5,000 miles to London for his chance. When talks arrived, Whelan came back to Hollywood, but back in the comedy field and then returned to London, where he did a dozen successful pictures, in which comedy was merely incidental.

Now he is not only back in Hollywood, but back in the comedy field as director of one of the stage's most hilarious farces, "Twin Beds," being produced by Edward Small. And he is directing it on a stage on the general service lot exactly 20 yards from the small office where he first went to work for Harold Lloyd.

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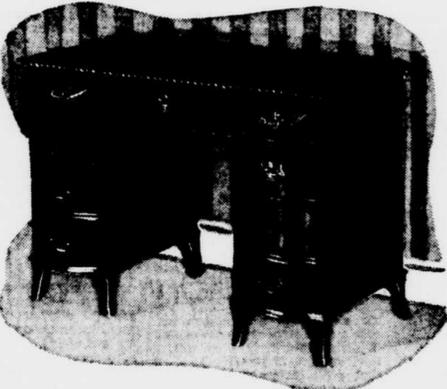
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Bedtime Stories

By THORNTON W. BURGESS. Everybody who lives on the Green Meadows knows that. You see, it sometimes happens that Mistress Spring arrives and then has to go back for a few days. Usually it is because she has been in such a hurry to reach the Green Forest and the Green Meadows that she has trodden on the heels of grim, hard, fierce-tempered Master Winter. Now, no one likes to have his heels trodden on, least of all Master Winter, and when this happens he promptly sends rough Brother North Wind and sometimes Jack Frost to show that he is not so far away as that he can make things very uncomfortable for everybody.

SCORCHY SMITH



LITTLE ORPHAN ANNIE



MOON MULLINS



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SERGEANT STONY CRAIG



DAN DUNN



THE NEBBES



REG'LAR FELLERS



Table of radio programs for Thursday, January 29, 1942. Columns include station call letters and program titles.

Star Flashes: Latest news with Bill Coyle, twice daily; WMAL, 11 a.m. and 4:50 p.m. today.

Science in Our Changing World: The science series presented by pupils of the District elementary schools; WMAL, tomorrow at 11:30 a.m.

THE EVENING'S HIGH LIGHTS: WDC, 4:30—Voice of Volunteer: The final program of the series is presented by the Jewish Community Center.

WOL, 10:15—Spotlight Band: Art Kassel and his Kassel-in-the-Air.

WWSV, 10:15—Great Moments in Music: Tenor Charles Kullman is guest in tonight's program of excerpts from Puccini's "Tosca."

WRC, 9:00—Eddie Cantor with Merle Oberon as guest.

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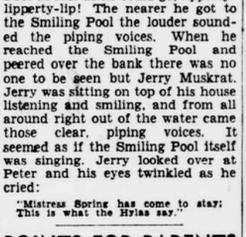
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POINTS FOR PARENTS

By EDYTHE THOMAS WALLACE. Telling a child he is a failure at a task is a very poor way of teaching him how to do it.

Not This



Mother—very few persons do everything perfectly the first time they try. Why not practice nailing the old towel rack on this board before you try to put up the new one?

Sonnysayings



Mother—You never do anything right. Here—give me that hammer. I'll put the towel rack up myself. You're the awkwardest boy with your hands that I ever saw in my whole life.

Buy Defense STAMPS and STAMP ON the Axis!

Winning Contract

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Crime Doesn't Pay! No. 86

Take our word for it—there's a crime concealed in today's hand. Look carefully, for otherwise you'll miss it completely:

- South dealer. North-South vulnerable. 873 K652 6 AKJ82 10652 N AQ7 J1094 W+E AQ7 J9873 1054 S 1095 73 AQJ94 83 KQ2 88 K84

The bidding: South West North East 1 Pass 2 Pass 2 Pass 3 Pass 4 Pass 5 Pass

West opened the ten of diamonds, East taking the ace and returning the suit. South won the second diamond and led a club to dummy to start the trumps. The spade king showed up at once, and South drew three rounds of trumps and then started to run the clubs. But West ruffed the third club and led a heart, whereupon East's two heart tricks defeated the contract.

Do you see the criminal and his crime? Try to spot them for yourself before you read on. South was the criminal, for he should have made his contract. When he led the first trump from the dummy and East played the singleton spade king, South should have played a low trump instead of winning with the trump ace! If South had counted he'd have realized that a singleton king in the East hand meant four to the ten in the West hand—a sure trump trick for the defense. If South won the first trump trick, West was bound to win a trump later on—and might be able to lead through dummy's heart king (as, in fact, he did). But if East had been allowed to hold the first trump, West would never gain the lead. East could take his heart ace, if he liked, but could not win two heart tricks. Declarer could well afford to give up one trump and one heart and should have taken this precaution against the loss of a trump and two hearts.

Yesterday you were Oswald Jacoby's partner and, with neither side vulnerable, you held:

- 82 J10973 Q832 KJ

The bidding: Schenken Jacoby Burnstone (You) Db. (?) Answer—Bid four hearts. Your hand is far better suited to offense than to defense, and your partner's double asks you to make this distinction.

Score 100 per cent for four hearts, 40 per cent for pass.

Question No. 981.

Today the bidding is the same, but your hand is different:

- 6 K92 Q83 KJ10743

What do you bid? (Answer tomorrow.)

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Take My Word for It

By FRANK COLBY.

Surprise Word of the Week

"War with United States may result in HARA-KIRI of Japanese Empire."—News item.

The Japanese form of honorable suicide should not be referred to as "Harry Carey."

The word is from the Japanese hara, "stomach," and kiri, "cutting." A Japanese commits hara-kiri by drawing a dagger through his abdomen.

Correct pronunciation: HAH-rah-KEE-ree

(Capitals indicate syllables to be accented.)

It's Hard to Believe

Miami: The word GYMNASIUM has a curious look to me. How did we get the word?—M. S.

Answer: Gymnasium is a Latin word that has its origin in the Greek gymnasion, from gymnos, "which means... of all things..." "with-out a stitch of clothes on." In the gymnasiums of ancient Rome and Greece it was customary to exercise while nude.

It's hard to believe that, literally, a nudist camp may be called a gymnasium, but it's true!

There is no ZOO in EPIZOOTIC

Be sure not to say "ep-uh-ZOO-tik." And yes, there actually is such a word. It means "affecting many animals at one time," corresponding to an epidemic among hu-

UNCLE RAY'S CORNER

Many stories have been written about the Indians who used to wander over this continent. Some stories tell of paint, feathers and war whoops, but there are others of a different kind. Here is one which is true as true:

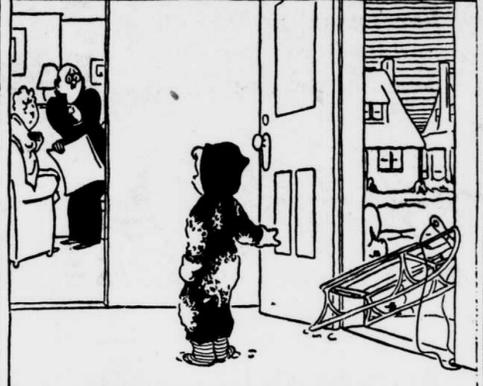
A Scottish couple—Mr. and Mrs. James McDougal—moved to Eastern Canada a little more than a century ago. At length they settled at a spot which they believed would be a good place for a farm. It was 15 miles from the nearest village. His wife said she would watch the cattle while he was away. Up to that time she never had seen an Indian. She knew that a tribe had a settlement not very far away, but it had given no trouble.

The cattle wandered into the nearby forest, and Mrs. McDougal went after them. At length she decided to turn back, but her horse, which she could not reach the clearing where her home stood. She was lost!

Dropping to the ground, the unhappy woman gave way to tears. She did not know what to do. Suddenly there came sounds which might have been made by a wild beast or by a human being. "Perhaps it is an Indian!" she

The World at Its Worst

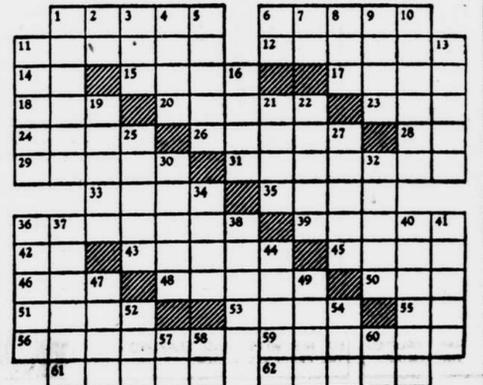
—By Guyas Williams



WITH THE FAMILY FREEZING AND SHOUTING FOR PITY'S SAKE TO SHUT THAT DOOR, JUNIOR AT LONG LAST REPORTS THAT HIS SLED SEEMS TO BE WEDGED IN IT TIGHT AND WHAT WOULD HE BETTER DO?

CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

- HORIZONTAL: 1. Topic of discourse. 6. Tilled land. 11. To like better. 12. System of theology. 14. Note of scale. 15. Gull-like bird. 17. French socialist. 18. Challice. 20. Cog. 23. Girl's name. 24. Trip. 26. Pertaining to the country. 28. Latin conjunction. 29. Plant disease. 31. Type of short story. 33. Black. 35. Prefix: half. 36. Having streaks of different colors. 39. Indentation. 42. Land measure. 43. At no time. 45. Roman emperor. 46. Gypsy: book. 48. Memento. 50. To knock. 51. Armadillo. 53. Injurious. 55. Note of scale. 58. Mask. 59. Makes amends. 61. Friend of Pythias. 62. Outcast. 63. Citrus fruit. 64. So. 65. Liquid measure. 66. Glacial snow. 68. Vegetable dish. 69. Three-legged stool. 70. To remove. 71. Bowl-shaped depression. 72. Shoshonean Indians. 73. To emulate. 74. Tibetan priest. 75. To quote. 76. Border. 78. To chop. 79. Negative. 80. Upon. 81. Bowl-shaped depression. 82. Compass point.



LETTER-OUT

- 1 EASTERN Letter-Out and he's more than tidy. 2 METRIC Letter-Out for an anti-social act. 3 RESTATES Letter-Out and they work in laboratories. 4 SITUATE Letter-Out and he is wise. 5 CONCURS Letter-Out and this happens.

Remove one letter from each word and rearrange to spell the word called for in the last column. Print the letter in center column opposite the word from which you have removed it. If you have "Lettered-Out" correctly you will find a spot.

Answer to Yesterday's LETTER-OUT.

- (B) DABSTER—TRADES (they demand skill). (R) TREAS—DATES (they mark the days). (O) DECORE—CREED (most of us have one). (K) CHOKER—OCHRE (yellow). (E) DARIEN—DRAIN (strain).

man beings. The correct pronunciation is: ep-uh-zoe-AH-tik.

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Canadian Flies Prey On Argentine Locusts

Flies from Canada are fighting the locust plague in Buenos Aires. It is announced in Buenos Aires. These flies, known to science as "sarcofaga Atlantic reserve" and also as "chunteri," are parasites of the locust. They were shipped by A. B. Baird, in charge of the experimental laboratory in Belle Ville, Canada, where tests had been successful.

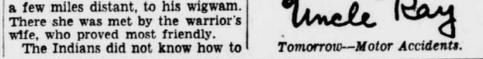
Answer to Yesterday's Puzzle



INDIANS

Often he pointed in a certain direction, and at last the white settlers followed him there. He led them to a large and beautiful meadow, an excellent place for their cattle to graze!

If you want a free copy of the illustrated leaflet, "Mexico and Mexicans," send me a 3-cent stamped, self-addressed envelope, in care of The Evening Star.



Uncle Ray Tomorrow—Motor Accidents.

THE SPIRIT

(Keep up with The Spirit's war on crime in The Sunday Star's comic book.)



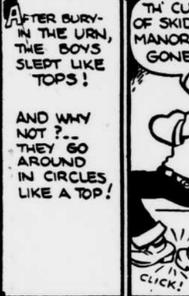
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BO

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—By Will Eisner



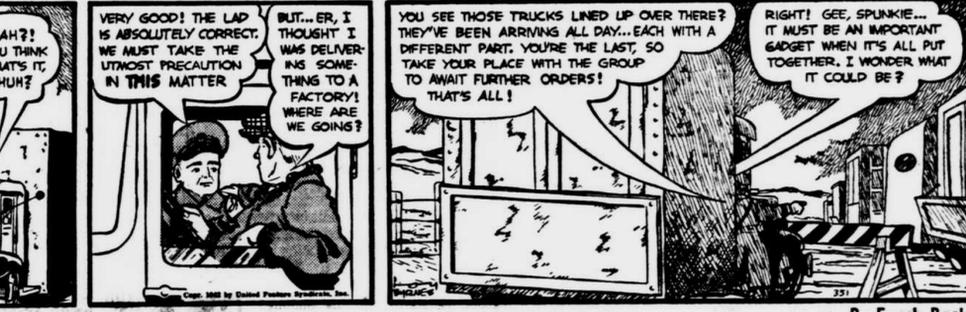
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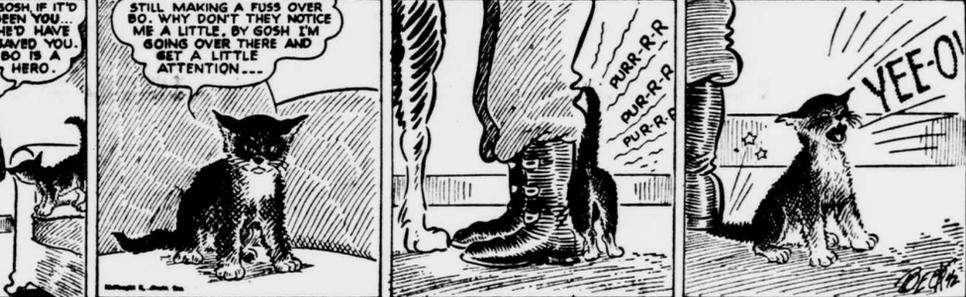
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