

**Weather Forecast**  
 Moderate rain, warmer tonight. Temperatures today—Highest, 49, at 1:45 p.m.; lowest, 31, at 8:30 a.m.; 47 at 4 p.m.  
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**NIGHT FINAL SPORTS**  
 (AP) Means Associated Press.

# O. C. D. PAYROLL CAUSES STORM IN HOUSE

## 26 Missing, 12 Safe, After Torpedoing of U. S. Tanker Off Coast

### Late News Bulletins

**Aguinaldo Accused as Quisling**  
 Emilio Aguinaldo, Filipino leader during the insurrection against the United States in 1899, was reported today to be leading a Quisling movement in Luzon, urging his countrymen to surrender immediately to the Japanese invaders. A radio broadcast urging Gen. Douglas MacArthur to surrender was made by the Filipino leader from Manila, a War Department communique said.

**Georgia U. and Iowa U. Naval Aviation Centers**  
 Chairman Vinson of the House Naval Affairs Committee announced late today that the University of Georgia and University of Iowa had been designated as special training centers for aviation cadets. He made the announcement after conferring with officials of the Bureau of Navigation. Two more centers will be selected later.

**Dutch Deny Japs Sank Two Cruisers**  
 LONDON (AP)—Authoritative Netherlands informants said today there is no confirmation from any quarter of the Tokyo reports that two Dutch cruisers had been sunk and a third damaged.  
 (Earlier Story on Page 2-X.)

**Draft Registration Figures to Be Secret**  
 Selective service headquarters said today no figures will be issued on the February 16 draft registration, inasmuch as the War Department has ruled that such data constituted "restricted information." No national, State or local figures on the number of registrants will be revealed.

**Two Classes of Civilians May Buy New Autos**  
 Price Administrator Leon Henderson announced today that two classes of civilians will be permitted to obtain immediate delivery of new automobiles. They are holders of top defense preference ratings, such as prime contractors for the Army and Navy engaged in construction of defense projects, and public health and safety officials who require a new car to replace one that has been rendered unusable.

**Byrd Renews Fight for Pension Repeal**  
 Renewing his fight for repeal of the pension plan for members of Congress, Senator Byrd, Democrat, of Virginia declared late today that "at a time like this when our peril calls for great national sacrifice and self-denial, members of Congress should, I think, set the example." Legislation to repeal the pension law is pending.  
 (Earlier Story on Page A-2.)

**Hogan's 67 Leads Western Open**  
 PHOENIX, Ariz. (AP)—Belvin Benny Hogan of Hershey, Pa., knocked four strokes off par today and took an early lead in the first round of the \$5,000 Western Open golf championship with a 67. Henry Picard of Oklahoma City, playing with him, came in with 68. Tied with Picard was young Chick Harbert of Battle Creek, Mich.  
 (Earlier Story on Page C-2.)

**George Washington High Wins Thriller**  
 George Washington High School defeated Georgetown Prep, 25 to 23, in the last five seconds of a basketball game at Garrett Park this afternoon. Billy Bell tossed the winning goal from the side court.

**Fish to Go Before Grand Jury Again**  
 Representative Fish, Republican, of New York, will be called to testify at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday before the special District grand jury investigating Nazi propaganda activities in this country. Justice Department attorneys said this afternoon. It will be Mr. Fish's second appearance before the jury.  
 (Earlier Story on Page A-1.)

**Brazil Seizes Transmitter in Nazi Embassy**  
 RIO DE JANEIRO, Feb. 6.—Brazilian authorities seized a powerful short-wave radio transmitter in the German Embassy building today in what was declared the first step of a drive to smash a web of wildcat radios operating throughout Brazil for communication with Axis ships and directly with Berlin.  
 The embassy itself has been closed since Brazil broke relations with Germany, Italy and Japan and it was said that the transmitter had not been in operation since then.  
 A United States Embassy source said location of other secret radios in northeast Brazil was known to Brazilian authorities and that they would be seized immediately. Still others known to exist have not yet been found, he said.  
 The Brazilian National Press Council Wednesday night announced the closing of Transocean and Stefani, Axis news agencies, and refusal of permission for D.N.B. to continue operations.

**Paraguay Bans Axis News Agencies**  
 BUENOS AIRES, Feb. 6 (AP)—Reliable sources reported today from Asuncion that the government of Paraguay has permanently banned three Axis news agencies, Transocean, Stefani and Domel, and has ordered newspapers and the radio not to give any news from the agencies.

**Six Killed, Many Hurt, 114 Homes Damaged As Storms Hit South**  
 PORTIONS OF Georgia, Alabama, Arkansas Are Swept by Gales  
 (Earlier Storm Story on Page B-8.)

**GRiffin, Ga., Feb. 6.**—At least three persons were killed and several hurt when a tornado struck near Alivaton in Meriwether County about noon today. The dead are two unidentified colored men and a white man named Tankley.  
 Another storm near Crawfordville, Tallapoosa County, injured one man.

**RUSSELLVILLE, Ala., Feb. 6 (AP).**—Two persons were reported killed and 34 injured by a windstorm that damaged an estimated 100 houses here early today.  
 Stone J. Crane, Red Cross field representative, said four of the injured were in a serious condition, but that none of the victims had been yet identified.  
**GLENWOOD, Ark., Feb. 6 (AP).**—One person was killed and nine others injured when a windstorm ripped through the Langley community northwest of here last night, demolishing 14 farm dwellings.  
 Mrs. Leslie Golden, 40, was killed and her daughter, Oma, 13, and Estelle, 10, suffered broken legs when their house was blown down.

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### 'Startling Waste' Laid to F. S. A. In Probe Plea

**Farm Leader Calls Agency's Practices 'National Disgrace'**  
 (Earlier Story on Page B-16.)  
 By the Associated Press.  
 Edward J. O'Neal, president of the American Farm Bureau Federation, asked today for a congressional investigation of the Farm Security Administration, asserting that "startling and shocking conditions of waste, extravagance and indefensible practices" in administration of the agency "amount to a national disgrace."  
 Mr. O'Neal appeared before the joint Congressional Committee on Reduction of Non-Essential Expenditures after Probate Judge Robert K. Greene of Greensboro, Ala., had asked it to investigate what he said was a use of F. S. A. funds to pay poll taxes of its clients. Judge Greene said citizens of his community thought the payments were provided for the purpose of "influencing votes."  
 Baldwin Defends Policy.  
 Farm Security Administrator C. B. Baldwin defended the policy of paying the poll taxes as "a perfectly proper thing" and said he would continue the practice unless specifically directed otherwise by Congress.  
 Mr. O'Neal said the bureau's preliminary findings indicate these F. S. A. practices among others:  
 "Assignment of quotas of the number of clients to be secured in counties in order to expend funds appropriated by Congress and to maintain personnel employed by the agency."  
 "Burdening of clients with excessive loans beyond their ability ever to repay, resulting in a complete loss of hope and breakdown of morale."  
 "Use of numerous devices . . . as a means of showing that loans have been collected when actually little or no collections have been made. In many cases showing loans fully paid when the indebtedness of the borrowers has actually been increased."  
 "Flagrant attempts to build up pressure groups to maintain congressional appropriations and local political support through various devices and practices."  
 "Instances of refusal to accept payment of indebtedness in full or to make full reimbursement of overpayments evidently for the purpose of maintaining governmental control over the individual."  
 Mr. Baldwin was summoned by the committee after Judge Greene's testimony.

**Survivors Row 36 Hours After Fleeing Flames**  
 India Arrow, 17th Victim of U-boats, Sinks in 5 Minutes  
 BULLETIN.  
 A War Department communique late today said the Army steamship Cynthia Olsen, unreported since December 7, is presumed to have been sunk by a Japanese submarine 1,200 miles west of Seattle. The freight transport radioed on December 7 that it was under attack by a submarine. On board at the time were 33 civilian members of the crew and two soldiers. The ship was due in Honolulu December 10.  
 By the Associated Press.  
 ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Feb. 6.—Twelve survivors of the American tanker India Arrow reached shore today to report that their ship had been torpedoed by a submarine and that 26 crew members were missing.  
 Drenched with oil and half frozen, Capt. Carl S. Johnson and 11 others said they made the safety of the No. 1 lifeboat, outraced flaming oil on the sea and then spent nearly 36 hours rowing toward shore before a local powerboat skipper sighted them.  
 The ship, owned by the Socony-Vacuum Oil Co. of New York, was torpedoed at 7 p.m. Wednesday "along the Atlantic Coast," said Capt. Johnson, whose home is in New Dorp, N. Y.  
 Although the India Arrow sank in five minutes, Capt. Johnson said, the submarine which torpedoed it fired five or six shells into the bow as it pointed out of the sea.  
 Some Feared Burned.  
 Several men were seen to pile into the No. 2 lifeboat, but Capt. Johnson expressed doubt whether they could have escaped the flames which swept over the waves on spreading oil and burned for two hours.  
 Lt. Allan Bosworth, public relations officer of the 4th Naval District, listed the following as survivors:  
 Boatwain D. L. Montgomery, Englewood, Calif.; Steward N. K. Baugh, Alpaus, N. Y.; Wiper G. Chambers, New York; Steward Edward Proch, Jersey City, N. J.; Seaman Michael Kusy, New York; Mechanic Fred H. Baker, Johns Island, S. C.; Messman Sam Coultiquit.  
 (See SUBMARINE, Page 2-X.)

**Senate Group Approves Women's Army Auxiliary**  
 By the Associated Press.  
 The Senate Military Affairs Committee unanimously approved today a bill recommended by the War Department to create a women's Army auxiliary corps for service with the Army.  
 The measure is identical with one approved by the House Military Affairs Committee and expected to pass the House soon. It would establish a uniformed volunteer corps which would not be a part of the Army, but would be the only women's organization authorized to serve with it, exclusive of the Army Nurse Corps.

**Alsab Entered at Hialeah Despite Weight Protest**  
 By the Associated Press.  
 MIAMI, Fla., Feb. 6.—Alsab, the 1941 2-year-old champion and winter book Kentucky Derby favorite, was entered today in tomorrow's \$5,000 Bahamas Handicap at Hialeah Park despite Owner Al Sabath's protest over his assigned weight of 128 pounds.  
 Sabath could not be reached immediately for a statement on whether there had been a change in his original inclination not to run the horse.  
 August (Sarge) Swenke, Alsab's trainer, filed the entry papers just before the deadline today.

**What Does Miss Chaney Do? You'll Have to Ask Mr. Kirby**  
 She takes care of children—you know, relaxation, recreation, rest. She keeps them from having panic in an air raid. She's in charge of children and folk activity in industrial recreation.  
 "How does she do it? Does she go to the schools?"  
 "She's going to make surveys and make recommendations to Mr. Kelly. She just got to work."  
 "But I was told she had been working since November."  
 "Oh, I didn't know about that. Anyway, that's all I can tell you."  
 Back to Mr. Holstrom.  
 "You know how broad the recreational field is. She works in that. She's assistant to John De Groot, who's in charge of industrial recreation. Mr. Kirby can tell you just what she does."  
 "Where do children and folk activities fit in?"  
 "Who said anything about folk activities?"  
 "Philadelphia."  
 "Well, you'll have to ask Mr. Kirby about that."  
 Mr. Kirby: "All I know is that she is in a program which involves industrial recreation."  
 The reporter called the personnel office, was referred to Miss Anne Morgan.  
 "Miss Chaney's file is out of the office right now."  
 "Well, can you tell me how long she's been working in Philadelphia and how long she's been getting paid? That's a matter of public record, isn't it?"  
 "This is a reporter? I think per—"  
 (See MISS CHANEY, Page A-6.)

**Markets at a Glance**  
 NEW YORK, Feb. 6 (AP)—Stocks lower; rails, industrials react. Bonds irregular; rails decline. Cotton lower; liquidation, hedging and local selling.  
 CHICAGO.—Wheat lower; profit taking sales. Corn lower; feed wheat competition. Hogs very uneven, 15-20 lower; price-control rumors swept market. Cattle steady, few arrivals.



ON THE JOB—Melvyn Douglas, who deserted the screen for the Office of Civilian Defense, is sworn in by Miss Eileen Lusby as chief of the newly organized Arts Division. —A. P. Photo.

**Allied Ship Losses In Battle of Atlantic Hit Six-Month High**  
 British Expect Increase In Number of Subs Preying On U. S. Coastal Trade  
 (Earlier Story on Page A-2.)  
 By the Associated Press.  
 LONDON, Feb. 6.—Allied shipping losses in the battle of the Atlantic, including the toll of American vessels in United States coastal waters, are heavier than they have been in the last six months, official circles announced today.  
 Although the U-boat blows at the Atlantic lifeline still are nowhere near the losses of the worst months during the World War, these sources said, the number of submarines operating along the Atlantic lanes "quite possibly will be increased."  
 Official sources said that probably a considerable portion of Germany's overseas force now was hunting in the Western Atlantic close to the United States coast line, as well as others patrolling shipping lanes across the ocean.  
 Ships May Be Servicing U-Boats.  
 There is a possibility, these sources said, that all of the submarines operating in the Western Atlantic do not have to make the long voyage back to bases in Norway and France for refueling—a possibility that "surface supply ships may be servicing them."  
 Without doubt, however, these sources declared, "there are more U-boats operating in the Western Atlantic than ever before."  
 No estimate was given of the number of German submarines operating in the Mediterranean, where previously it was reported that "most of the crack Nazi submarine crews are engaged," but Axis shipping there was said to have suffered "very"  
 (See SHIPPING, Page 2-X.)

**Axis Press Talks Of Allied Invasion Move in Spring**  
 By the Associated Press.  
 BERN, Switzerland, Feb. 6.—The Axis press for the first time speculated today that the United States and Britain might attempt invasion of Europe in the spring.  
 The Italian Admiral Ducci, writing in the review Oggi, predicted that the British and Americans would remain on the defensive in the Pacific, devoting their first offensive efforts to preventing the Axis from launching a new drive against Russia.  
 The invasion, he said, most likely will be directed against the Balkans or Northern Scandinavia.  
 In the Balkans, Ducci wrote, the Allies probably would attack through Bulgaria or Albania, but also might move through Turkey.  
 In Scandinavia, he went on, the attackers probably would land above the Arctic Circle between Narvik, Norway and Archangel, Russia, forming a solid front with the Russians.  
 From the north, as Ducci envisaged the offensive, the British and Americans would try to push through Sweden and Finland, encircling Germany on the north.

**House Group Favors Near Tire Monopoly By Small Dealers**  
 Moves to Protect Independents in All Sales and Servicing  
 (Earlier Story on Page A-4.)  
 By the Associated Press.  
 The House Small Business Committee recommended today that independent dealers be given a virtual monopoly in the sale and servicing of automobile tires during the war.  
 Chairman Patman made public copies of a letter and resolution the committee sent President Roosevelt saying it was "deeply concerned over the drastic effects" of tire freezing and rationing orders.  
 Rubber Industry Accused.  
 Created to study the effects of the war program on small business generally, the committee recently heard independent tire dealers and servicers accuse the rubber industry of attempting to force the smaller operators out of business through company-controlled retail outlets.  
 The independents have charged that company stores were being given preference in obtaining material for retreading and recapping tires and were under orders in some cases to operate on profits as low as 60 cents a year to take business away from independent stores.  
 Many retail outlets are taking advantage of the present situation," the committee said, and are "for the first time showing an interest in the rebuilding and are buying up on a large scale the available supply of materials and machinery used in rebuilding tires."  
 Committee Proposals.  
 The committee's resolution urged that:  
 Dealers whose principal business is not the sale of tires liquidate their stocks and discontinue the tire business and that future rationing and allocation orders give preference to dealers whose principal business is and has been the sale and servicing of tires.  
 Tire-rebuilding material be allocated only to dealers engaged principally in the sale and servicing of tires and that servicing machinery be given only to independent dealers.

### Salaries Paid Actor, Dancer Draw Protests

**Office 'Prostituted' To Boondoggling, Faddis Declares**  
 (Earlier Story on Page A-1.)  
 The House tackled the \$160,000,000 omnibus war deficiency bill this afternoon amid curt demands for elimination of "parasites and leeches" from the civilian defense payroll.  
 Sharp protests were made against the defense assignments given Actor Melvyn Douglas and Dancer Mayris Chaney in the Division of Volunteer Participation of the O. C. D., headed by Mrs. Roosevelt.  
 The bill carried an item of \$3,000,000 for the O. C. D. administrative expenses in the District and Chairman Cannon of the House Appropriations Committee said he would offer an amendment on behalf of the committee that would prevent any of this money going for salaries for several appointees under fire. It was brought out, however, that these positions are being financed from funds diverted for the purpose by the Office of Emergency Management, which, it was said, still has \$600,000 available for this year.  
 Ban on Hiring Entertainer Voted.  
 Later an amendment designed to prevent use of any funds in this or any other appropriation bill by the O. C. D. for promoting "dancing, moving pictures or other entertainment devices" was ruled out of order on the ground it was legislation on an appropriation bill. The point of order was made by Representative Cannon.  
 Shortly afterward, the House adopted, 88 to 80, an amendment offered by Representative Ford, Republican, of California, to the O. C. D. appropriation providing:  
 "That no part of the funds appropriated herein may be used for the employment of persons, the rent of facilities or the purchase of equipment and supplies to promote, produce or carry on instructions or to direct instructions in physical fitness by dancers, fan dancing, street shows, theatrical performances or other public entertainment."  
 This amendment, signifying disapproval by the House, nevertheless does not affect the employment of

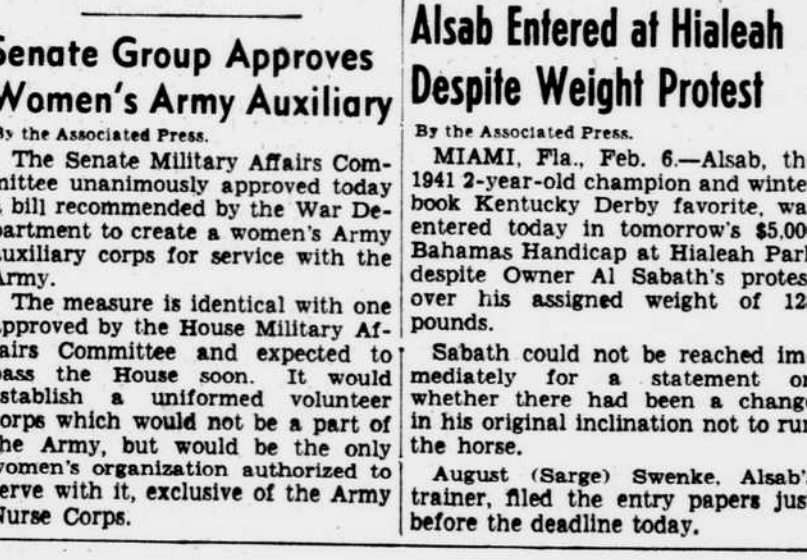
**Cannon Interrupts Debate for Tribute To Mrs. Roosevelt**  
 Chairman Cannon of the House Appropriations Committee interrupted debate on the deficiency bill late today to pay tribute to Mrs. Roosevelt.  
 "No man ever reached high place without a woman behind him," Mr. Cannon said, "Franklin Delano Roosevelt is no exception."  
 "When he was stricken by illness, Mrs. Roosevelt, with courage and devotion, ability and the ability and patriotism of this remarkable woman, who is one of the most remarkable figures of these remarkable times," Mr. Cannon pointed out that Mrs. Roosevelt is active in all parts of the country and on many subjects.  
 "It is impossible that something would not be found in which she might be criticized under such circumstances," he said. "But when the history of these times is written Mrs. Roosevelt will become a part of a credit and an inspiration to American womanhood."  
 Melvyn Douglas, Mayris Chaney and others by Mrs. Roosevelt's division of the O. C. D., since they are paid out of Office of Emergency Management funds.

**Defense 'Boondoggling' Hit**  
 Protesting what he termed "boondoggling" in connection with the Office of Civilian Defense, Representative Faddis, Democrat, of Pennsylvania said the office "is being prostituted to boondoggling and to the interests of a class of people . . . whose loyalty" he said was questionable.  
 Mr. Douglas, Mr. Faddis commented, draws an O. C. D. salary (\$8,000) equal to that of Gen. Douglas MacArthur, and Miss Chaney pay \$4,000, is "almost twice as much as Capt. Chaney Kelly" received before he was killed.  
 But Capt. Kelly's widow, he added sarcastically, "would stand small chance" to get an O. C. D. position "because she is not on the blacklist of the Dies committee."  
 Dies' Work Held Unavailing.  
 Asserting that the Dies committee "has created an investigation of American activities—might as well be abolished," Mr. Faddis contended that when the Dies committee exposes some one, "that individual is immediately given a job."  
 Saying some of the appointments were "almost a sacrifice," Representative Taber, Republican, of New York served notice that he would force a roll call vote on his amendment to take certain jobholders from the Civilian Defense payroll.  
 Mr. Taber declared that Mayor La Guardia, the O. C. D. head, who has said he is about to resign that office, told the Appropriations Committee.  
 (See O. C. D., Page 2-X.)

**Late Races**  
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**Hialeah Park**  
 FOURTH RACE—Purse, \$1,200; claimants: 3-year-olds; 7 furlongs (chute).  
 See Middle (Green) 7.40 13.80 13.80  
 Lieutenant (Red) 8.20 13.80 13.80  
 Loftman (Arcade) 8.20 13.80 13.80  
 Time, 1:35.4  
 Also ran—Casual Play, Yellow Ballad, Idaho's Ham, Guide, King Stream, Navy Chance, No Count, Eric Knight and Isle de Pine.  
 FIFTH RACE—Purse, \$1,200; the 7-year-olds and up; 8 furlongs.  
 Lovely Dawn (Green) 5.50 3.10 2.40  
 Quakerjohn (Blue) 4.20 3.80 3.10  
 Displayer (Arcade) 4.20 3.80 3.10  
 Time, 1:32.4  
 Also ran—Haleon Box, Minnelusa, Chalmers, Zarin and Lassator.  
 SIXTH RACE—Purse, \$1,400; allowance: 4-year-olds and upward; 1 mile.  
 See Billie and Stars; 4-year-olds and up; 1 1/4 miles.  
 Gl. Marlon (McCombs) 8.90 4.40 3.10  
 Cuts Trick (Merriens) 8.50 4.40 3.10  
 Time, 1:35.4  
 Also ran—Lady Waterloo, Jimson Belle, Royal Robes and Belle Poise.  
 SEVENTH RACE—Purse, \$800; allowance: 3-year-olds and up; 8 furlongs.  
 Fairground (Craze) 3.80 3.80 3.80  
 Quakerjohn (Green) 4.20 3.80 3.10  
 Bill G. (Green) 4.20 3.80 3.10  
 Time, 1:12.4  
 Also ran—Rumba, Part Avion and Sweet shop.

**Fair Grounds**  
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MAYRIS CHANEY. —A. P. Photo.

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Housewarming Opens Headquarters for Air-Raid Warden Staff

Old No. 10 Fire House Renovated and Equipped For 24-Hour Duty

Chief Air-Raid Warden Clement Murphy and his staff assistants assumed their duties today in permanent headquarters at the old No. 10 fire engine company house, 1341 Maryland avenue N.E., following an old-fashioned housewarming last night.



NEW HOME FOR AIR RAID WARDENS—New headquarters for Chief Air Raid Warden Clement Murphy and his staff was formally opened last night in the old No. 10 engine house. Looking over some of the records on file are (left to right) Col. Lemuel Bolles, civilian defense executive; Harry N. Stull, president of Federation of Citizens Associations; Fire Chief Stephen T. Porter and Miss Anita Phipps, president of the American Women's Voluntary Services for the District.

Pointing out to guests that his men had to "start from scratch" in equipping the headquarters, Mr. Murphy explained that office furniture had been selected from condemned District government property and then refinished by volunteers from the Fire Department.

The more than 100 chairs in the second-floor assembly room were presented by George Washington University from its discarded stock. Here again firemen scrapped and sanded, applied varnish and made new seats out of plywood. With the exception of the painting of walls, all other work was done by firemen.

The large apparatus room on the first floor is to be used as offices for clerks and stenographers. Wardens also will be sworn in there. On the first floor rear are offices of assistants and the kitchen, which is equipped to feed wardens remaining on protracted duty.

On the second floor are additional offices and the large assembly hall which Mr. Murphy said would be open to any civilian defense group requiring a class or meeting room. A powder room is on the third floor. Col. Lemuel Bolles, civilian defense executive, said he hoped the new headquarters would be the "rallying point for all civilian defense workers." Chief Porter praised the work of Mr. Murphy and his staff.

Guests included Maj. Gen. William N. Porter, chief of the Chemical Warfare Division of the War Department; Lt. Comdr. J. P. Weatherly, 3d, of the Navy Yard; Harry N. Stull, president of the Federation of Citizens Associations and an assistant to Mr. Murphy; Dr. John A. Lee, chief medical officer of District of Columbia civilian defense; Mrs. Harry S. Bernhart, head of volunteer service of the local defense office, and Mrs. Elizabeth Houghton and Mrs. Theodore Wedel, her assistants, and Miss Anita Phipps, president of the American Women's Voluntary Services for the District.

Mr. Murphy commented afterward: "We are set to stay on the job 24 hours a day and are working under the assumption that Washington will be bombed."

McKeough Gets Backing Of Party in Senate Race

CHICAGO, Feb. 6.—The Cook County Democratic Central Committee last night endorsed Representative McKeough of Chicago for the party's senatorial nomination in the April primary in Illinois. The action was taken several hours after Mayor Edward J. Kelly, co-leader of the huge Chicago Democratic organization, announced that he would not seek a seat in the Senate because he felt it was his wartime duty to remain at the head of the city government and the metropolitan defense system.

Pension Issue Stirs Congress, Although 'Bundles' Threat Dies

Senator Byrd and Representative Rees Intend to Press for Repeal of Annuity Plan

By J. A. O'LEARY. The "Bundles for Congress" drive, started on the West Coast to poke a little fun at members of Congress who voted to make themselves eligible for pensions, may be over, but the move to repeal the law is still a burning issue in the cloakrooms at Capitol Hill.

Even as the wires were bringing from Spokane, Wash., the news that the Athletic Round Table is calling off its bundle caravan, Senator Byrd, Democrat of Virginia and Representative Rees, Republican of Kansas were announcing their intention of pressing to change that part of the new Civil Service Retirement Act which gave elective officers the option of joining the annuity system.

Senator Byrd, whose effort to require elected officials to make back payments if they take advantage of the law lost by only 34 to 28, revealed that at least six Senators who voted against him only three weeks ago have indicated they would vote differently today. In the House, Mr. Rees made known he has written to the Civil Service Committee asking for a hearing on the half dozen repeal bills that were dropped into the hopper while the ink on the new law was drying.

Comment was scarce in both houses on the satirical bundle campaign, but the lawmakers were ready today to discuss the issue seriously, pro and con, and the results indicate that some are ready to defend the extension of retirement benefits to Congress just as strongly as others will fight for its repeal.

Senator Bulow, Democrat of South Dakota, chairman of the Senate Civil Service Committee, who sees no reason why the annuity plan that some are ready to defend, officials should exclude lawmakers, said he assumed the "bundles for Congress" drive was intended to "get a laugh," but he added: "If they want to bring me any bundles, I'll look 'em over." The annuity plan which would contribute the same as any other employee, and if I go in I'll make the back payments.

Germans 'Identify' Ships Reported Sunk Off East Coast

Rochester Only One Officially Announced By U. S. as Lost

(The following dispatch was sent from an enemy country whose motive in releasing it is likely to be propaganda. Axis claims should be credited only when confirmed by American or Allied sources.) By the Associated Press. BERLIN (From German Broadcasts, Feb. 6).—A communique from a Swedish military quarters today named six "enemy" ships which the German high command said yesterday had been sunk by U-boats off the east coast of North America.

The names and tonnages, as given by the communique, follow: The freighter Amerikaland, 15,355; the steamer Empire Wildebeeste, 5,831; the steamer Rochester, 4,836; the steamer Traveler, 3,968; the steamer Tacoma Star, 7,927; and the tanker Trontolite, 7,178. (These ships all are listed in Lloyd's Register, which, however, gives slightly different tonnages in some cases.)

The only one of the six whose loss has been officially announced in the United States is the Rochester, the only American ship in the list. The Navy Department announced January 31 that she had gone down the day before. There has been no confirmation in Washington that any of the other five has been sunk. The Amerikaland, one of the world's largest ore freighters, is Swedish. The other four are of British registry.

The newspaper Voelkischer Beobachter declared that the Amerikaland, built in 1925 in Germany for a Swedish firm, was sailing under an enemy flag when sunk. This newspaper (owned by Adolf Hitler) writes that when it is borne in mind how greatly the armament industries depend on importation of certain mineral ores the significance of the loss of a vessel of such capacity (nearly 23,000 tons) can be properly appreciated.

The Rochester, a Socony-Vacuum Oil Co. tanker, was sunk January 30, 180 miles off Cape Charles, Va., struck aft by two torpedoes and then made the target for 13 shells. Thirty crewmen were killed when the first torpedo hit.

Board of Trade Dinner To Draw Many Officials Cabinet members, Senators, Representatives, Federal and District Government officials and high-ranking Army and Navy officers will be guests of the Board of Trade at its annual midwinter dinner tomorrow night at the Mayflower Hotel.

The dinner will get under way at 6:45 p. m. following a reception in the Chinese room at 6:15 o'clock at which officers and directors of the distinguished guests.

As usual, all speech-making will be banned, and the evening will be devoted to entertainment. Garrett Pendleton has arranged a vaudeville program which will start immediately after dinner. Theme of the dinner is "In the Good Old Summer Time."

American Industry Goes to War—Ford Warplane Task Called 'World's Biggest Single Job'

Giant New Plant Soon Will Start Producing Craft on Mass Scale

(Sixth of a Series.) By THOMAS R. HENRY, Staff Staff Correspondent. DETROIT, Mich., Feb. 6.—"The biggest single job in the world today." Charles E. Sorensen, vice president in charge of production of the Ford Motor Co., thus describes the company's contract to make airplanes for the Army.

It is an entirely new business. The Ford factories are built and equipped to make automobiles and tractors. In this business during the last three decades the company has brought about a revolution in American ways of living. It was the first producer of cars for the masses.

When Sorensen started operations the auto was an expensive luxury for the few. The company succeeded in bringing the automobile within reach of the average pocketbook by developing and leading the way in the technique of mass production. This means designing and building machines to make in single operations every one of the thousands of parts.

The primary investment, the greater part of the skilled workmanpower, went into the machine. The cost of a few cars put out in this way would be close to a million dollars each. But with the same initial expense a million cars could be made for a few hundred dollars each.

Planes a Luxury Until Now. All this evolution has still to take place in the case of the airplane. It has been up to the present a custom-made product. Ford officials explain that there has been no justification for mass production because there has been no possibility of a mass market in this generation.

The different parts have been made in separate shops, brought together in one place and then assembled. It has been essentially a stationary process.

But given the demand, Ford officials believe, there was no reason why planes of a standard design could not be produced in a mass-production plant—but not in any of the Ford plants. This does not mean, of course, that planes by any technique can be built as rapidly as automobiles. Much finer and slower work is required.

But long before actual plane contracts were received plans were drawn up for the sort of plant necessary. Any of the existing Ford plants was practically worthless for the job. The result is the mammoth factory which now covers the major part of the six months ago was a fair-sized farm. Here the assembly line alone is nearly a mile long.

Japanese Capture 'Feeder Point' for Borneo Oil Port

Indies Command Admits Fall of Samarinda, Silent On Fate of Ambino

BATAVIA, Netherlands Indies, Feb. 6.—Japanese forces have occupied the town of Samarinda, 60 miles north of the oil port of Balikpapan on the east coast of Borneo, the Netherlands Indies high command announced today without giving further details of the occupation.

For the second straight day no mention was made of the situation at Ambino, the Indies' second most important naval and air base on the flank of the United Nations' supply line from Australia. On Wednesday the Dutch said their troops still were resisting a Japanese invasion force in bitter fighting. Since then there has been no further word.

Samarinda was a "feeding point" for the Balikpapan oil installations, to which it was connected by a pipeline. It is at mouth of Kutai River. The city also is in an important coal district at the mouth of the Kutai River, with a population normally of about 12,000, including 300 Europeans.

Many civilians already had been evacuated from the town. The high command report, issued through the news agency Aneta, said a Japanese raiding force estimated at 40 bombers and 20 fighters which attacked the Soerabaja naval base yesterday lost two fighter planes and presumably two bombers against the loss of three Dutch aircraft.

One Dutch pilot was reported killed and two missing, while four persons in the city, second largest in the Indies, were said to have been wounded slightly.

Strong Fighter Escort. The fact that the Japanese raiding force had such a strong fighter escort was taken to indicate the planes came from an aircraft carrier, since the Japanese do not have any land base within striking distance of Soerabaja, the United Nations' key base in the Southwest Pacific since the siege of Singapore.

Japanese fighter planes attacked a number of towns in East Java today, including Semarang, Madioen, Magetan, Solo and Tegal, but no damage was reported. Enemy planes also were sighted over Southeast Borneo and near Medan, on the east coast of Sumatra.

Citizens' Association Inducts New Officers New officers of the Forest Glen Park (Md.) Citizens' Association were inducted at a meeting at National Park College. They are: President, Kenneth Stabler; vice president, A. Smith; secretary, Mrs. James Darby; treasurer, James Darby; and corresponding secretary, Mrs. Thomas A. McDonald.

Committees appointed by Mr. Stabler are: Membership, Mr. Smith, chairman; Richard D. Zerega, Herbert Stephens, Ralph Deemer and Clarence Young, and publicity, John P. Jones and Mrs. Chris Ebeling.

\$6,385 Fur Robbery Staged on F Street; Gang Flees in Car

Window Is Broken With Brick; Thieves Loot Church Where President Worships

Robbers broke into a downtown store early today and escaped in a high-powered car with furs valued at \$6,385. Herman Becker, vice president of the Erlacher shop, 1210 F street N.W., reported to police that three mink coats were included in the loot.

Police said there was one witness of the raid, Hubert Lupton, 1781 Columbia road N.W., who declared he saw four or five men speed away after breaking the showroom window with a brick. He summoned police.

Thieves invaded St. Thomas' Episcopal Church, Eighteenth and Church streets N.W. where President Roosevelt worships. They took a marble statue of Christ, value not yet determined, the Rev. Howard S. Wilkinson, the pastor, reported.

Brandishing pistols, two white youths held up Reuben Halper in his grocery at 29 Seventh street S.E. last night and escaped in an auto with \$75, police said.

A book of defense stamps worth \$16.75 was stolen from the home of Charles C. Hartman, 1334 Irving street N.W.

Althea Smith, 410 F street S.W., reported that a white man snatched her purse containing \$15 early today at Fifth and G streets N.W.

The Bureau of Standards has developed a specification for school chairs which is designed to encourage correct posture and promote comfort.

In each case desertion is alleged.

Communiques Jap Reinforcements Arrive in Luzon

The text of War Department communique No. 93, outlining the military situation as of 9:30 a. m. today, follows: Philippine theater: Japanese gun emplacements on the southeastern shore of Manila Bay were destroyed by fire from our fortifications. These artillery positions were presumably destroyed by the enemy for an attack against Corregidor.

Nine Japanese transports are at ports in Lingayen Gulf, debarking troops to reinforce the already very large enemy concentrations in Batan and other points on the island of Luzon.

Relative quiet continued all along the front in Batan during the past 24 hours. Enemy aerial bombing directed by fire from our fortifications, which began early in the day, decreased later on. They resulted in no damage. Intermittent artillery fire flared up in the center. There was some increase in patrol operations in this same general area.

There is nothing to report from other areas.

Weather Report

(Furnished by the United States Weather Bureau.) District of Columbia—Moderate rain and warmer tonight; moderate to fresh winds. Maryland—Warmer, moderate rain beginning in west portion this afternoon and in east portion tonight. Virginia—Rain tonight, beginning in west portion this afternoon, warmer in east and north portions tonight, becoming colder in extreme southwest portion by morning.

West Virginia—Moderate showers and local thunderstorms this afternoon and early tonight, becoming colder in west portion tonight; fresh shifting winds.

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### Senators Will Study Plan for Small Firms Division of W. P. B.

#### Separate R. F. C. Agency To Provide Financing Also Requested

By the Associated Press.

Senator Murray, Democrat, of Montana said today an immediate Senate banking subcommittee study was assured for legislation which would create a division of small business production within the War Production Board.

The move was urged on Congress by a Senate committee investigating small business problems to give small business "a definite and effective voice in the administration of the war effort," Senator Murray is chairman.

The committee also asked the Senate to provide for a separate corporation under the Reconstruction Finance Corp. to enable small business to obtain war production financing.

Senator Murray said arrangements had been made with Banking Committee Chairman Wagner to appoint a banking subcommittee immediately to consider the proposal.

**Ruthless Attitude Charged.**

In its report to the Senate, the investigating committee said an "utterly ruthless" attitude of the Office of Production Management had pushed small business toward "wholesale bankruptcy." The new War Production Board offered little hope for better treatment, it added.

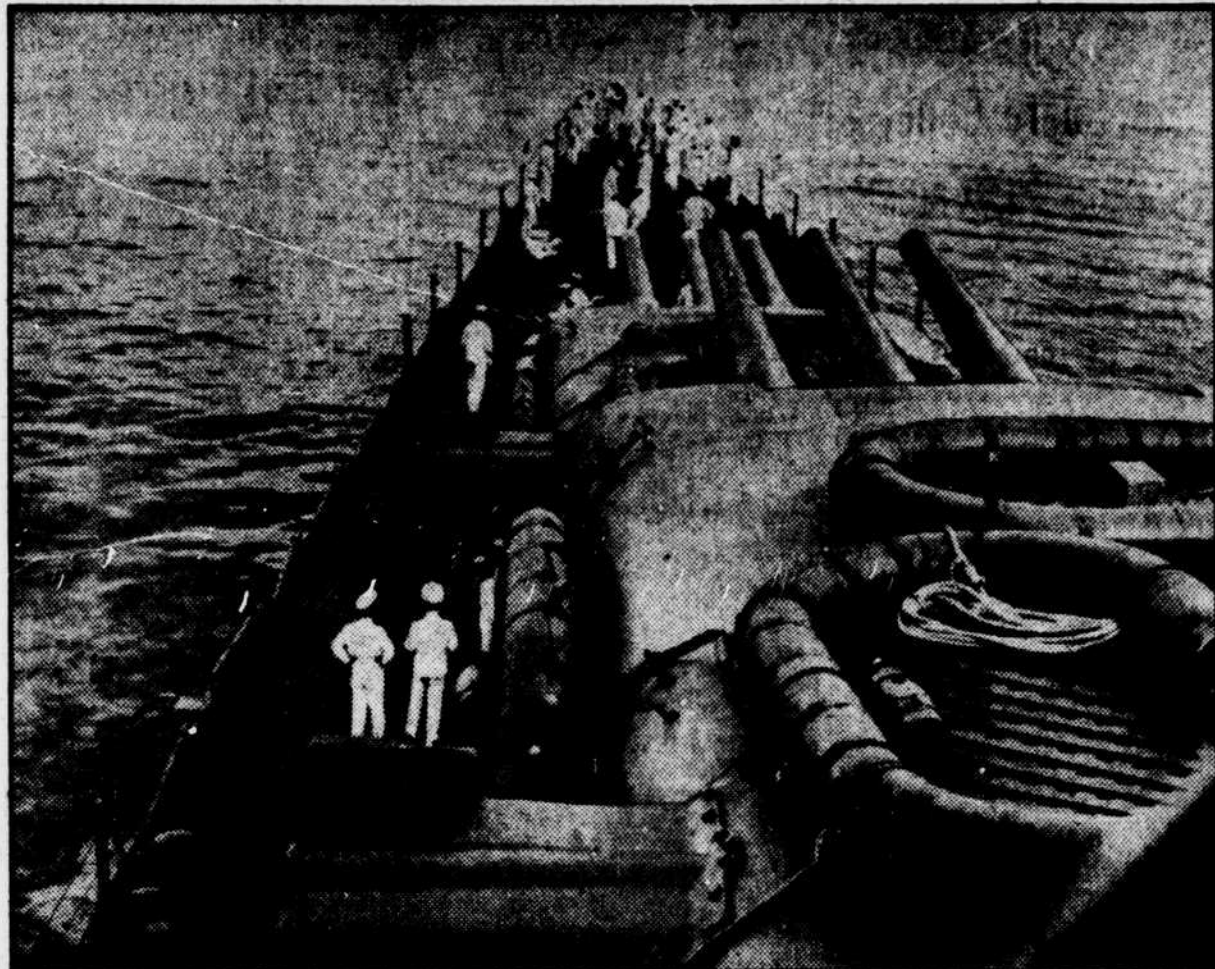
"Although big business speaks with a thunderous voice of authority," the committee said, "and carries out its programs in a blitzkrieg fashion, ignoring the wishes of the President and the Government of the United States, small business is as always entirely inarticulate."

"Whenever big business and little business are required to sleep in the same bed, big business steals all the covers."

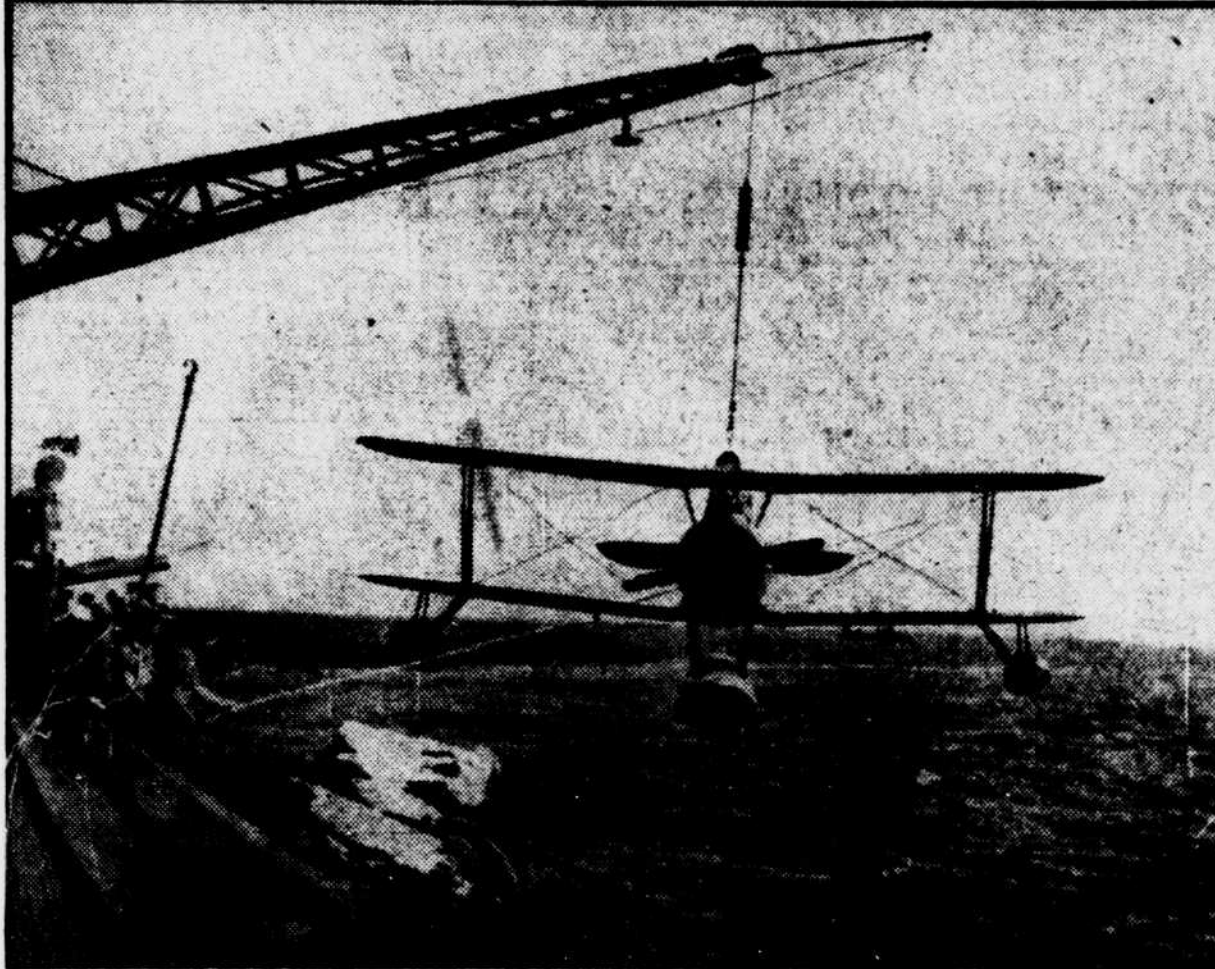
**Firms Get Bulk.**

The committee said that 56 of America's 184,230 manufacturing establishments had been awarded more than 75 per cent of Army and Navy contracts, while the remaining 174,000 manufacturing establishments have not been touched by the Office of Production Management in its mobilization of the Nation's industrial resources.

A small business production division would invest small business productive capacity, recommending means of putting it to work, help get raw materials and promote subcontracting by large companies.



**LIFE UNDER ACTION**—Life aboard a United States warship at sea where constant vigilance is maintained in seeking the enemy is pictured here. This heavy cruiser has been stripped for action. All unnecessary equipment has been removed and her forward guns have been given a coat of dull paint to hide the shiny surface.



A seaplane, back from scouting duty, is hoisted aboard the cruiser. These sturdy built planes are seldom damaged, though they must necessarily receive rough handling when catapulted for flight and hoisted back aboard after landing at sea. —A. P. Photos.

### House Group Amends, Passes War Powers Bill

By the Associated Press.

The House Judiciary Committee amended and approved today the second war-powers bill passed last week by the Senate.

Chairman Sumners said he would seek early action on the bill, which would confer new emergency powers on Government agencies to expedite the war program.

No changes were made by the committee in three major titles allowing the Federal Reserve Bank to buy Government obligations directly from the Treasury instead of on the open market; providing for free postage to members of the armed forces at home and abroad, and exempting certain unpaid and part-time civilian defense workers from Hatch Act provisions.

The committee wrote in a new provision permitting the Census Bureau to make available to defense agencies certain information heretofore held confidential by law, to aid in a closer check on aliens.

The committee's action, taken in executive session, was reported to have been unanimous, but several members said there would be stiff opposition on the floor to some of the bill's provisions.

### Joseph P. O'Connell Dies; Was Federal Attorney

Joseph Patrick O'Connell, 53, Justice Department attorney, died last night at Georgetown Hospital after a month's illness.

Mr. O'Connell, who came here from Denver about 1933, was a special assistant to the Attorney General in the criminal section of the Tax Division. He was graduated in 1914 from Denver University and was a member of its law school faculty from 1915 until he moved to Washington.

Mr. O'Connell was formerly chairman of the Denver City and County Democratic Committee, past exalted ruler of the Elks in Denver, was active in the Knights of Columbus, was a former commander of the Disabled American Veterans, a member of the American Legion and a past national officer of Phi Alpha Delta law fraternity.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Winifred Catherine Collins O'Connell, and three sons, Joseph Patrick, Jr., Edward and Thomas, all of this city. He made his home at 4511 Verplanck place N.W.

Services will be held at 10 a.m. Monday at St. Ann's Church.

### Germany to Withdraw Families' Last Sons From Soviet Front

By Radio to The Star and Chicago Daily News.

BERN, Feb. 6.—The German high command has ordered the withdrawal from the Russian front of the last living son of every German family if the family already has "offered" a high blood sacrifice, according to an announcement published throughout the German press.

This Wehrmacht order applies to families having, for example, lost three sons out of four in fighting action. "Last sons" will be withdrawn from the front to "less perilous posts," even any who might insist on remaining.

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### Cripps Says U. S., Britain, Soviet Must Ignore Ideologies, Co-operate to Make Lasting Peace

Sir Stafford Cripps, former British Ambassador to Russia, suggests in this second of two articles written for Wide World the need for co-operation and mutual understanding between Russia, Great Britain and the United States, both in war and in the future peace.

**By SIR STAFFORD CRIPPS.**  
(Copyright, 1942, by Wide World News.)

LONDON, Feb. 6.—In my previous article I have dealt with the material side of the Russian war effort, and I now come to deal with the political aspect of our association with the Soviet Union in the common struggle.

There are difficulties—yes, great difficulties—the ideological differences of two decades, suspicions and frictions of two peoples of widely different character and with methods of government and economic organization that are little understood by one another.

At the moment there exists what may seem to many to be an almost forced association, but fundamentally it is much more than that.

We all three—Great Britain, the United States and Russia—are fighting a common enemy because we each individually love and cherish our freedom, our own right to determine how we shall live. We want our own ways because we believe they suit us better than other ways, but good or bad, we fight for them because they are our own and we will not allow any marauding gang of international gangsters to impose their rule upon us for their own benefit.

**All Signed Atlantic Charter.**

That state of mind applies equally to each one of the three countries. We have all signed the Atlantic Charter and although the Russians may think the world would be happier if their form of economic organization ruled throughout, just as many Americans may think Russia would be happier with another form of government and economy, yet the Soviet government has declared again and again with all sincerity that it does not want to interfere with the internal conditions of other countries.

The best way of spreading an ideology or political system in the world is to show by example its success. Perhaps no country yet has succeeded in doing that for a sufficiently long period to convince others that they must change their own economic system.

Beyond demonstrating by the force of successful example the need for world change in the economic system, the Soviet Union has no intention to interfere either in Europe or elsewhere with forms of government of its neighbors.

The United States and Great Britain adopt the same attitude. Here there is common ground for future action in association.

"We must put aside and for all the 'red bogey.' Surely it has become perfectly plain why Hitler and his associates so sedulously fostered 'fear of Bolshevism.' It was his policy to weaken the combination against him. It was his greatest 'fifth column' effort to sow disension among his political enemies. He was the fount and origin of all the propaganda for the last 10 years, and it very nearly succeeded. But now that we have seen through it, now that we realize the common interests for future world safety

which we have with the Soviet Union, now that Hitler is unmasked and the true alignment of civilization has been hammered out in the furnace of war, now at last we can rid ourselves of unreasoning fears and suspicions and get down to the solid basis of constructive work for the future.

The Russians ask no country outside the Soviet Union to become Communist and we ask none within the Soviet Union to desert Communism for any other political creed. We are not going to work politically or economically against one another as suspicious rivals attempting to weaken or sabotage political enemies.

We are fighting together for a common aim, and that common struggle should form the basis of our new association.

We have not changed our natures, Russians have not changed theirs. We accept them as they accept us for what we are with all our failings and shortcomings on both sides.

**Tragic Peace is Possible.**

That should be the basis of our relations with one another and with the Soviet Union.

We shall either have to reconstruct the world in partnership after the victorious end of the war or else we shall have to go each on our separate ways, and with no common agreement the peace will be a more tragic chaos than the war.

Partners can influence, aid and assist one another where jealous and suspicious associates merely destroy one another's schemes for fear that each may steal power from the other.

It is either co-operation or chaos, and we must choose between the two.

Let us make it clear beyond all doubt that it is to be co-operation, and we shall deserve well of the future.

But co-operation does not, of course, mean giving way in everything to a partner. It means together working out schemes and plans with all the give and take that is necessary to arrive at a common decision.

If once we can create an atmosphere of confidence among the three countries which does not yet wholly exist, we can, I feel certain, plan together and reach an agreement in our plans.

Upon one major central point of European reconstruction there will be agreement. The Soviet government has said "never again"—never again must Europe and the world be subjected to such an agony of war. It must be put out of the power of Germany to repeat the aggression of 1939-41.

**Agreement Needed Beforehand.**

How that is to be achieved is a matter for discussion and settlement among the victorious powers. Then again, we are all agreed some more stable and lasting system of peace organization must be inaugurated than that which arose after the last war. This again is a matter for discussion and decision.

There may and will be many opinions. But unless the principal powers can agree upon some scheme beforehand little or nothing of value will come out of the peace conference.

The need for these considerations is stressed in the vital importance of a clear, clean understanding among the United States, the U. S. S. R. and Great Britain, a wiping

### Federal Jury Indicts Druggist Association On Anti-Trust Charge

#### Big Wholesalers' Group Accused of Plot to Fix Margin of Profits

By the Associated Press.

The Justice Department announced today a Federal grand jury at Newark, N. J., had indicted the National Wholesale Druggists' Association, 23 of its members and 29 officers and agents on a charge of conspiring to violate the Sherman Anti-Trust Act.

The indictment charged fixing of the margin of profits on drugs for wholesalers.

The department said it was the first indictment alleging use of fair trade contracts in a manner not contemplated by the Miller-Tydings amendment to the Sherman Act or by State fair trade laws.

It was alleged that profit margins were maintained by fixing wholesale prices of drug products and by forcing manufacturers to fix the prices to be paid by wholesalers at levels demanded by them.

**Largest Wholesaler Group.**

The National Wholesale Druggists' Association, the department said, constitutes the largest group of wholesalers in the Nation, and does approximately 80 per cent of the Nation's drug business.

The defendants named, in addition to the association, included: McKesson & Robbins, Inc., New York; Coffin-Redington Co., San Francisco; Davis Bros., Inc., Denver; Des Moines Drug Co., Des Moines; J. W. Edgerly & Co., Iowa; Ellis Bagwell Drug Co., Memphis; Gilman Bros., Inc., Boston; Hazelline & Perkins Drug Co., Grand Rapids, Mich.; Justice Drug Co., Greensboro, N. C.; D. Kaitman & Co., Inc., Jersey City, N. J.; the Kauffman Lattimer Co., Columbus, Ohio; Kiefer-Schwartz Co., Indianapolis; Charles Leich & Co., Evansville, Ind.; I. L. Lyons & Co., Ltd., New Orleans; Meyer Bros. Drug Co., St. Louis; Mooney-Mueller-Ward Co., Indianapolis; Schiefel & Co., New York; Smith, Kline & French, Inc., Philadelphia; Southwestern Drug Corp., Dallas; Standard Drug Co., Meridian, Miss.; Strother Drug Co., Lynchburg, Va.; Towns & James, Inc., Brooklyn, and Yahr-Lang, Inc., Milwaukee.

**Stabilization Plans Cited.**

The indictment alleged that three so-called stabilization plans were used. In one, the wholesalers merely acted as agent between manufacturers and retailers, but guaranteed payment to the manufacturers on products delivered on credit to retail druggists. A second plan called for announcement by the manufacturers of suggested wholesale prices, and a third provided a manufacturer-wholesaler fair trade contract plan under which minimum wholesale selling prices were established.

The indictment was the outgrowth of a board study of the drug and related industries begun months ago by the Anti-Trust Division.



**HOLLYWOOD.—JUDY RECOVERING**—Stricken with a "strep" throat while on a three weeks' tour of Army training camps during which she sang to more than 150,000 soldiers, Judy Garland today was reported on the way to recovery at her home. She was forced to conclude her tour at Camp Walters, Tex., and return here for medical treatment. —A. P. Wirephoto.

### Civilian Defense

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trayed an urgent need for the funds now.

"What we need is protection, as much as we can get, for the years 1942 and 1943," the Mayor said. "After that I think conditions will change."

"But we are in a bad fix right now. We might as well recognize the fact that we are in a very bad situation and it is going to be bad for several months. It will be bad in 1942 and it may be bad in 1943. After that we start pushing."

The civilian defense fund was part of a \$100,000,000 supplemental estimate bill reported to the House today.

The Appropriations Committee urged that the Office of Civilian Defense launch a new survey of the tentative distribution of the proposed civilian defense equipment among cities and suggested that Mayor La Guardia's organization abandon any hard and fast rule for helping all cities equally within the "target zone" near the coasts.

"Some communities in the target area, because of their strategic location and industrial value to the war program, are certain to be potential marks for such sporadic raids as might occur," the committee declared in arguing for a flexible system of community air-raid fighting assistance.

It. This is supplemental equipment to the established equipment now owned, maintained and operated by the cities.

Information about the present rate of production and procurement of gas masks was cut out of the record on the hearings as a vital military secret. Gen. Paul X. English of the Chemical Warfare Service told the committee that gas mask plants established a year ago are producing nothing now.

**Six Types of Masks.**

There are six types of masks—A, B, C, M, CL and D. Gen. English explained the differences:

"The type A mask is known as the 'baby respirator.' That is a type of mask which is an inclosed bag. It has two windows in it, made of cellulose acetate, so that the mother may see the child through the window.

"The next type is commonly known as the 'Mickey Mouse' type of mask, for children between 2 and 4 years of age.

"The next type is for children up to 9.

"Then they have the two adult types, one for those with small faces, mostly women, whereas the universal is the type that will fit an average adult face.

"Type D are duty masks used for workers constantly exposed during a gas attack. This mask is identical with the Army training mask."

### Rifle Shot Misses Sentry At Baltimore Reservoir

By the Associated Press.

BALTIMORE, Feb. 6.—A rifle bullet, fired from ambush at a State guardman on sentry duty at Montebello Reservoir in Northeastern Baltimore early today, narrowly missed the guardsman, who returned the fire but his assailant escaped in a fog.

Brig. Gen. Dwight M. Mohr, commander of the State Guard, termed the shooting "a deliberate attempt to assassinate the guardsman" and another in a series of incidents apparently aimed at sabotaging the Baltimore waterworks.

Shortly afterward, the guard reported, some one telephoned the sentry house near the filtration plant and said:

"I hope that bullet came close enough to you."

Efforts to trace the call were unsuccessful.

The sentry's assailant had waited until the guardsman walked under a light.

### 16 D. C. Youths Are Named Naval Academy Candidates

Sixteen Washington youths today were designated candidates for appointment to the Naval Academy July 1 to fill four places. They were selected by the Commissioners following competitive examinations.

The candidates must pass mental and physical examinations given by academy authorities.

The list, as reported to Capt. J. F. Shaforth, assistant chief of the Bureau of Navigation, is as follows:

John Michael Wolfe, 5418 Thirtieth street N.W.; Kirk Miller, Jr., 3515 S street N.W.; Nelle H. Coe, 4611 Sixteenth street N.W.; Richard S. Vardy, 1923 N street N.W.; Wilford Edward Hayes, 3147 Tennyson street N.W.; Abraham Starobin, 2027 Thirty-eighth street S.E.; Marvin Rosenblum, 7405 Fourteenth street N.W.; Walter F. Chappell, 4626 Garfield street N.W.; John C. Hastie, 4910 Eighth street N.W.; Daniel De Young, Jr., 1623 Columbia road N.W.; John E. Kester, 3111 Tenth street N.E.; W. Raymond Carpenter, Jr., 4709 Blagden avenue N.W.; Oswald E. Bartram, 4521 New Hampshire avenue N.W.; John Bredbenner, 2109 Eighteenth street N.W.; Frank Sommerkamp, 3616 Twentieth street N.E.; and John R. Kennedy, 2405 First street N.W.

### Hill

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cell block in the court building, Mr. Maloney had a deputy marshal bring Mr. Hill to an office upstairs in the building.

William F. Cusick, another attorney representing Mr. Hill, got word of this and went to Justice Letts in protest. He asked the court to order Mr. Hill returned to the cell block.

Justice Letts agreed that it was improper for Mr. Maloney to take Mr. Hill aside for questioning. The court had him sent back to the cell.

Mr. Hill stayed in the office with Mr. Cusick and Mr. Hickey for a period of about 15 minutes.

Will File an Appeal.

Mr. Cusick said he and Mr. O'Connor will appeal the case in a few days.

Outside the courtroom Mr. Maloney told newspapermen that Mr. Hill's attorney had called on him and Special Assistant to the Attorney General Edward J. Hickey, Jr., last night.

"A proposition was made which we could not entertain," Mr. Maloney said. He refused to elaborate further but "you can draw your own conclusions."

Presumably defense counsel had asked the Government not to oppose a plea that an unusually lenient sentence be imposed on Mr. Hill, in return for a "frank statement" by the defendant.

Mr. Hill was convicted of testifying falsely that he did not know Mr. Viereck, indicted Nazi agent, and also in connection with his testimony concerning the removal of certain mail sacks from the residence of Prescott Bennett, chairman of the Islands for War Deeds Committee, and storage of certain sacks in a space in the House Office Building.

### Divorced at 80

SEDALIA, Mo. (P)—Mrs. Ruby Haigrove, 22, won a divorce from 80-year-old E. E. Haigrove, whom she married September 23, 1939, at Keokuk, Iowa. She charged jealousy.

### Traffic Club Will Elect

Election of officers will follow the monthly buffet dinner meeting of the Traffic Club of Washington at 6:30 p.m. Wednesday at the Mayflower Hotel.

### Conservation of Paper

Every citizen is called upon to see that not a pound of paper is wasted. Demand from every clerk that any unnecessary wrapping of packages or unnecessary use of paper bags be dispensed with.

Waste paper for paperboard is vital to the packaging of a great quantity of war equipment.

Do not burn newspapers, but, when you have saved enough for a bundle, give them to the school children who are co-operating in the defense program with the parent-teacher organization in The Star's campaign for reclaiming old newspapers.

### Law Officer Who Led Fight on 300 Outlaws Dies Peacefully at 92

#### West Virginian Deputized 85 and Battled Gang Tearing Up Railroad

By the Associated Press.

CHARLESTON, W. Va., Feb. 6.—The career of Daniel W. (Uncle Dan) Cunningham, who once gained national attention when he led a force of 85 deputies to victory in a pitched battle with 300 lawbreakers, ended yesterday with the death of the 92-year-old retired officer.

Mr. Cunningham, veteran of many a dangerous brush with West Virginia outlaws, had served as a deputy United States marshal, city detective, game warden, railroad policeman and juvenile officer. He retired April 15, 1933.

The most famous exploit of the man who began his career as a school teacher occurred in 1903.

Mr. Cunningham, then a deputy marshal, was sent to Adkinsville, a mile south of Beckley, to arrest men charged with tearing up the tracks of the Chesapeake & Ohio Railway.

When he arrived he found 50 men at the post office, all of them armed with rifles, and was told he could serve no warrants in that town. He returned to Beckley and went back to Adkinsville next day, but was unable to find the men he sought.

On the third day, February 23, 1903, a group of 300 men crossed the bridge at Adkinsville and Mr. Cunningham was sent to Beckley where they were tearing up the railroad tracks on Piney Creek.

Mr. Cunningham was ordered to arrest the group, so he deputized 85 men. The two forces met at Standford City, a pitched battle followed and several were killed and wounded.

When the fight was over, Mr. Cunningham had nearly 200 guns and 60 prisoners.

He also had an unusual record in ferreting out and confiscating "moonshine" whisky stills, and one of those he captured was placed in the Smithsonian Institution at Washington.

His widow, two sons and a daughter survive.

### Haakon's Seat Used By Premier Quisling

By the Associated Press.

STOCKHOLM, Feb. 6.—Norwegian reports reaching Stockholm said Vidkun Quisling, newly-appointed premier of Norway by German occupation authorities, took King Haakon's seat in Oslo Castle when he presided at his first cabinet meeting yesterday.

Reports also said Quisling would live in Haakon's private suite as chief of the government.

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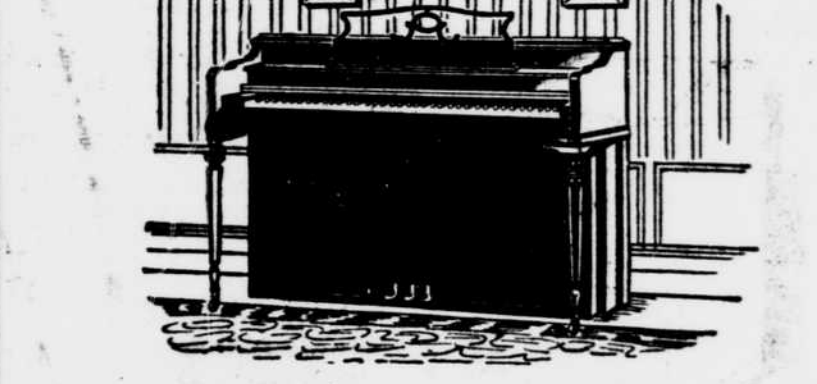
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### D. C. Retires From Role As Convention City In Wartime Policy

Greater Capital Unit of Trade Board Discourages Large Gatherings

Washington is no longer a convention city. The Government is voluntarily withdrawing from competition for conventions so that the Government's war effort will not be impaired, Russell Schneider, manager of the Greater National Capital Committee of the Board of Trade, revealed today.

Reasons assigned by Mr. Schneider for a lack of conventions include shortage of hotel facilities for large affairs, a desire not to be thought unpatriotic by holding conventions here when the Government does not wish it, and the urging of other "convention cities."

The Government spoke in the person of Leon Henderson, who last August said that convention-holders should find some other place besides Washington. However, the Greater National Capital Committee was discouraging conventions here before that time, according to Mr. Schneider.

75 Still on Schedule. In August, 150 conventions were on the schedule which the committee keeps of future gatherings. Seventy-five of them remain; 75 were canceled. This is about half the usual number scheduled at this time in previous years.

Most of the 75 conventions coming up are small, but there are several large ones, including the D. A. R. convention in April. Tentatively scheduled for Christmas week, when hotels are invariably uncrowded, are the American Historical Convention (1,500 expected) and the Modern Language Association (1,800 expected).

Recently canceled was the convention of the American Academy of Orthopedic Surgeons. They moved their convention place to Atlantic City.

May Cancel Another. The National Conference on Weights and Measures may not hold a 1942 meeting, originally scheduled to have been held here, according to Dr. Lyman J. Briggs, director of the Bureau of Standards and president of the conference.

It has not yet been decided whether to cancel the meeting entirely or to hold it in some other city. Participation of the Bureau of Standards in a meeting outside the District would be limited, Dr. Briggs pointed out, since defense work at the bureau must take precedence.

The Greater National Capital Committee is now accepting no more conventions for its schedule, except those of a military nature. The 75 now on the schedule—which contains a convention of the General Society of the Cincinnati—are still liable to cancellation, Mr. Schneider indicated, if the situation here becomes more acute.

### Missing Persons

Those having information concerning persons reported missing should communicate with the Public Relations Squad of the Police Department, National 4000.

Dick Curtis, 15, 5 feet 2 inches, 130 pounds, brown hair, wearing green corduroy jacket, has been missing from 907 F street S.W. since Wednesday.

Robert Wentworth, 15, 5 feet 9 inches, 160 pounds, brown eyes and hair, wearing tan zipper jacket, checked scarf, and . . .

James D. McManaway, 15, 5 feet 7 inches, 130 pounds, brown eyes, curly hair, wearing eyeglasses. Both boys missing from Chevy Chase, Md., since yesterday.

Evelyn Krouse, 15, 5 feet 4 inches, 130 pounds, blue eyes, brown hair, wearing camel's hair coat, carrying suitcase, has been missing from Takoma Park, Md., since yesterday.

Elizabeth Robertson, 17, colored, 5 feet 5 inches, 130 pounds, wearing gray coat, has been missing from 122 G street N.E. for the past two weeks.

Helen Lonny, 14, tall and slender, blue eyes and blond hair, wearing blue coat with gray fur, has been missing from 518 H street N.W. since yesterday.

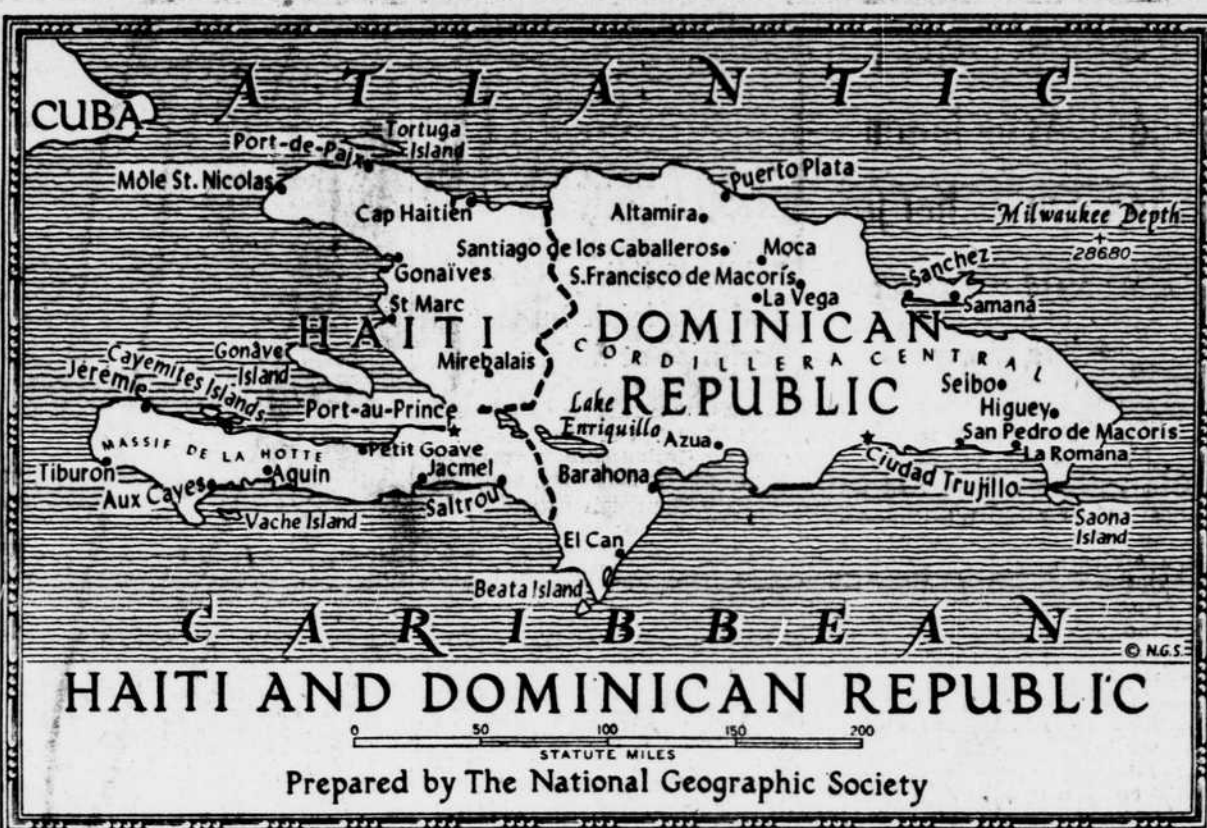
House Swears in Talbot. Joseph E. Talbot, Republican, was sworn in yesterday as a member of the House from the fifth Connecticut district, succeeding J. Joseph Smith, Democrat, who resigned on appointment to the Federal bench.

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### News Photographer's Plane Skims Jungles In Hide-and-Seek Game With Jap Flyers

(Frank Noel, Associated Press photographer, who spent five first-tormented days in a lifeboat with 27 other survivors after their ship was sunk January 15 in the Indian Ocean by a Japanese submarine, has reached Calcutta, India, after a hazardous plane trip from Sumatra.)

By FRANK E. NOEL, Wide World News.

CALCUTTA, Feb. 6.—My three-day flight from a Sumatra village to Calcutta got a jittery start in a Dutch plane that made an unscheduled stop at about the same time the jungle tom-toms beat an air-raid alarm.

Mountain spotters said a Japanese plane had been sighted toward the sea. The plane's crew fled to the protection of a mangrove swamp, but I was not greatly concerned after having spent days on the Malaya front.

I had been hustled aboard the plane with two salvaged cameras after explaining my predicament to the crew. If they had not taken me after I landed from the lifeboat I would have had to cross the island on foot or go to Batavia and tried to reach Singapore from there.

### Dodged Japanese Planes.

The air trip developed into a constant game of hide and seek with Japanese planes conducting extensive reconnaissance over Sumatra and smaller islands off the west coast.

Once we landed at an unimportant, undefended village where the fires still were burning from a bombing and machine-gunning raid earlier in the day. The pilot decided it was too dangerous to spend the night there, so continued on up the Sumatra shoreline to a sheltered cove protected on three sides by jungle-covered cliffs.

It was a dangerous landing in waters filled with coral rock, any one of which could have ripped the hull apart. We spent the night in the plane, consuming canned rations and playing cards with the aid of a shaded flashlight. We feared to go ashore in the malarial swamps.

At dawn we took off again, following the steep coastline up the island. At mid-morning we picked up a radio message which, decoded, told of heavy Japanese bombing of an oil terminal across the island.

At the next landing the village magistrate said he had received the same message via jungle "telegraph." Though the village was without radio or wire communication, it received the war news steadily by tom-tom.

**Warned by Rockets.** While flying only about 200 feet above the sea we sighted an enemy plane far to the rear, but escaped detection by climbing quickly into the clouds and flying blind for 90 minutes.

When we dipped down to see if all was clear, a rocket went up from the island to indicate the enemy still was about, so we ducked into the clouds again until a second rocket told us it was safe to land.

On alighting we learned that two Japanese fighters had been overhead photographing and testing the anti-aircraft defenses. We enjoyed a good night's sleep in the home of a wealthy resident who had fled the danger zone, and enjoying a swim in his shark-proof swimming pool.

On alighting at dawn, we skimmed the jungle top and then roared over endless rice fields. The natives fled into the jungle as we hedge-hopped over their straw huts, but several water buffalo actually tried to charge us.

Approaching the great city of Rangoon on the tip of Burma, we picked up news of a heavy raid there, and as we circled the harbor we saw the damaged docks, blackened warehouses and sunken ships.

**U. S. Volunteers in Action.** While we were refueling, the blast of nearby ships warned of another raid. A speedboat rushed us to a place of safety on the river, from where we watched the American volunteer air fighters turn back two waves of bombers before the Japanese finally reached their objective. One bomber crashed with its full load of explosives, causing a terrific blast.

We took off as soon as possible on our last 600-mile hop to Calcutta. Arriving here we found full-scale

air-raid protection in force. The city's famous white buildings are blackened and the stores sand-bagged. Trenches and sandbags are everywhere.

I learn from reliable sources that nearly a half million residents already have fled the city, but Calcutta's barefoot man in the street still is ignorant of bombers. Refugees who have experienced air attacks elsewhere predict there will be a panic and heavy casualties if the Japanese come. Calcutta is less than four hours' flying time from their Thailand bases.

Hundreds of sacred cattle roaming free in the streets constitute a serious problem. Tragic results are feared if the raid-frightened animals should stampede in the crowded native section. It is speculated, however, that the Indians' present lukewarm attitude toward war might change abruptly if some of the cattle were killed by bombs.

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### New 48-Mile Highway To Safeguard Canal Opened in Panama

Work Rushed to Complete Laying of Concrete Before Rainy Season Starts

By the Associated Press. BALBOA, Canal Zone, Feb. 6.—A new 48-mile highway has been established in a 48-mile trans-isthmian highway, over which Army machines can travel ocean-to-ocean in two hours.

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doser, gigantic powerhouse of modern roadbuilding, have been utilized by the 1,400 men, many of them from the United States, who are employed on the project.

Eventually concrete will link the Pacific Coast cities with Madden Dam, replacing the present asphalt road.

But the job right now is to get one all-weather road completed before the rains come.

Before her marriage to the first President, Martha Washington had four children by her first husband. Two died in infancy.

### 6 Pct. Crop Increase Over 1941 Predicted

By the Associated Press. HUNTINGTON, W. Va., Feb. 6.—Predicting that farm production expansion should be 6 per cent greater in 1942 than it was in 1941, Agricultural Adjustment Administration Regional Director W. G. Flinn declared last night that farmers "must devote most of their attention to stepping up output of products this Nation and our Allies need most."

such "high energy foods" as eggs, milk, cheese and meats. He added that farmers in the region comprising West Virginia, Virginia, Maryland, Delaware, North Carolina, Kentucky and Tennessee should increase acreage of oil crops, such as peanuts and soy beans, to offset the loss of imported oil foods, but that no increase was needed in wheat, cotton and tobacco crops. Approximately 100 A. A. A. committeemen from the seven States are attending a regional conference here.

Japan will triple the production of synthetic sake, the national rice-wine drink.



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British Stand Firm After Being Driven Nearly to Tobruk

R. A. F. Inflicts Heavy Losses on Lengthening Axis Supply Lines

LONDON, Feb. 6.—British desert fighters, hurled back to the approaches of Tobruk, stiffened their lines appreciably today while R. A. F. planes hurled destruction into the lengthened Axis supply lines.

A British headquarters communique at Cairo said there had been no change in the land situation yesterday, indicating the Imperials were standing firm some 50 to 60 miles west of Tobruk, where a British garrison has gallantly withstood a seven-month siege.

Axis communique, heard here by radio, bore this out. The Germans spoke vaguely of "pursuit of the enemy in Eastern Cirenaica" and the Italians claimed the capture of 7,000, 60 miles west of Tobruk.

The Italians added that they were continuing "their pursuit" of the British "in the vicinity of Ain El Gazala," which is some 30 miles west of Tobruk—but they made no claim to capture of the town.

Axis Holds Initiative. The Axis still holds the initiative, a military commentator said, but he added that the main British force had not yet engaged the Germans and Italians in a large-scale battle.

The only big British contingent which has fought the Axis in this fourth conquest of the desert was at Bengali, and there "only part of our main force was engaged."

He declared there was no official information as to just how far the Germans had penetrated east of Derna and that he was not able to confirm an Axis report that their troops were now near the Gazala.

The mechanized reinforcements and supply columns of Field Marshal Gen. Erwin Rommel were attacked in the green mountains of the Jebel El Akdar region at the top of the Libyan hump. The British said a large number of vehicles were destroyed and burned and many soldiers were killed.

British Hold Out Stubbornly. The British apparently held stubbornly to the flat desert region south of the Jebel El Akdar, and their columns have been active on patrol duties as far west as Msus, about 70 miles southeast of Axis-held Bengali.

Military observers long have considered the mountain region almost undefensible and easily flanked. This has been borne out by the relative ease with which the area was taken by the British and twice by the Germans in the violently seeing campaign.

It appeared possible today that the British had decided to make a stand at the eastern extremity of the mountain region.

The British, at the outset of the campaign three months ago, asserted that their aim was to annihilate Gen. Rommel's army rather than capture miles of desert sand.

Could Be Encircled. But if the Axis has been able to dispatch sufficient reinforcements of men and material across the perilous Mediterranean, the British themselves in the desert south of the mountains may face encirclement.

British bombers ranged deep into Tripolitania, paying special attention to a motor transport park south of the chief supply base of Tripoli.

Many explosions and fires visible for miles were observed in the desert area were bombed and road convoys near Derna were attacked by fighter planes. The R. A. F. communique said several fuel-carrying vehicles were destroyed.

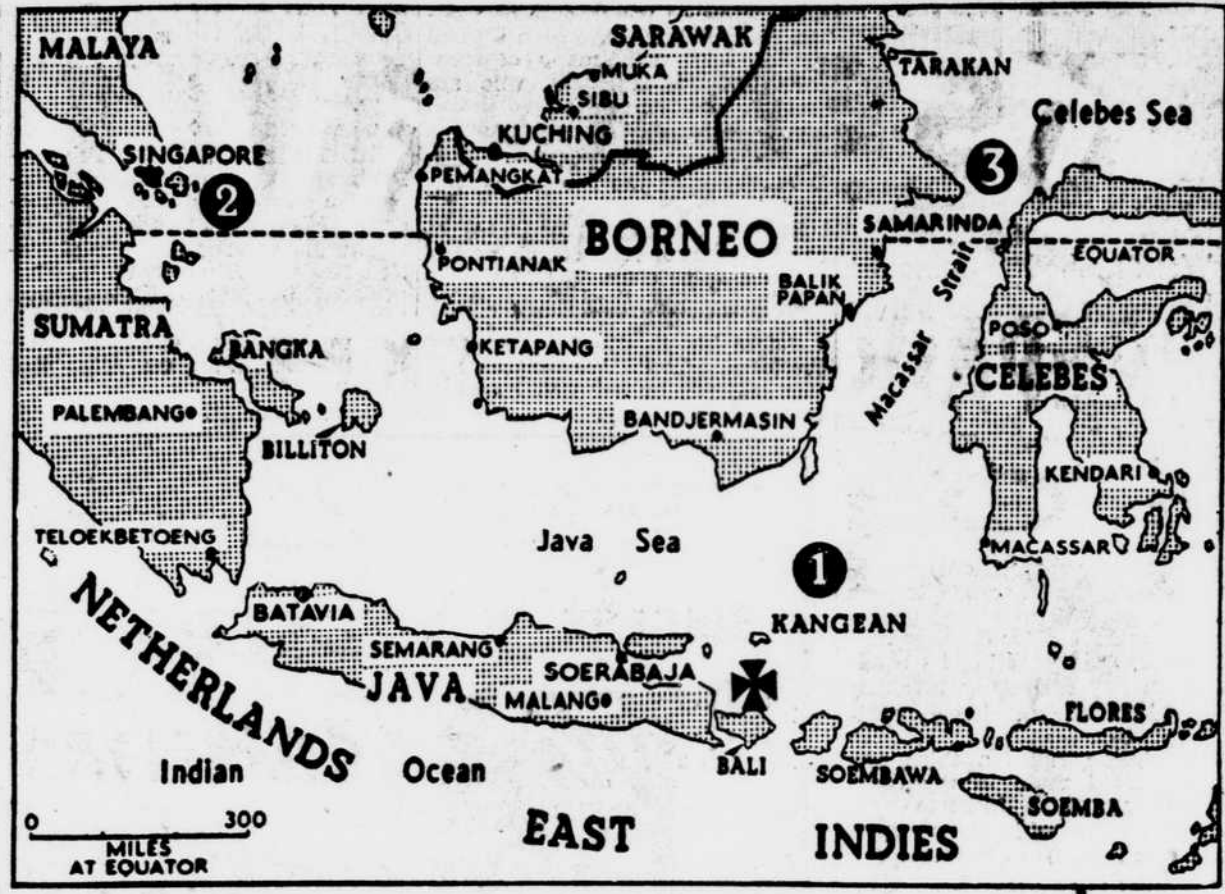
Axis aircraft, attempting to bomb British airmen, were intercepted and a Messerschmitt was shot down. Other enemy planes in the formation were damaged.

The British said they lost no planes. Axis bombers returned to the attack on Malta and the British acknowledged some damage.

Dispute Over Flynn's Gift Of Cow to President Settled

By the Associated Press. CARMEL, N. Y., Feb. 6.—A five-month dispute over the gift of a cow to President Roosevelt by Democratic National Chairman Edward J. Flynn has ended with the ousted superintendent of Flynn's Putnam County farm peacefully settling in a cottage at nearby Lake Carmel.

William Weisner and his family moved from the superintendent's cottage yesterday while a town policeman armed with a dispossessed order looked on. Mr. Flynn was granted the order last Saturday but agreed to a stay of execution.



THE WAR IN THE FAR EAST TODAY—Cross marks spot south of Kangean Island (1) where Tokyo claims Allied navies were smashed two days ago. The Japanese also said they damaged shipping in Malacca Strait west of Singapore (2). British guns on Singapore Island still pounded the Johore Bahru area. The Dutch have admitted that the Japanese occupied Samarinda (3).

Compulsory Labor Law Urged to Meet Farm Emergency

Work-or-Fight Plan Favored in Maryland To End Indifference

By the Associated Press. A compulsory labor law similar to the World War measure is favored by P. C. Turner, Maryland Farm Bureau president, to help overcome the farm labor shortage besetting Free State farmers in their efforts to fill increased wartime production quotas.

Such a work-or-fight formula applied to all able-bodied men, he declared, is needed "to put an end to the widespread practice among certain classes of farm and industrial labor of working two days a week and loafing five."

Indifference Reported. "From many sections of the State I get reports of such indifference, which threatens to cripple production of farm crop and factory output," Mr. Turner told farm leaders and University of Maryland economists yesterday.

The State-wide Farm Defense Labor Committee, of which Mr. Turner is chairman, met to draft a wartime program of economy aimed at achieving increased production of all farm crops, especially dairy products, poultry and canning products.

Reported enrollment of employable Charles County youths by the C. C. C. were characterized as "outrageous" by Mr. Turner after personally investigating complaints of Charles County farmers that the Federal organization was conducting raids on the potential farm labor supply.

Demands Halt. "This thing must stop immediately," Mr. Turner declared. "While the Charles County situation brought about by C. C. C. is very distressing, farmers nevertheless recognized the splendid work being done by C. C. C. in supervising soil conservation activities that are under way in various parts of the State," he added.

Meanwhile, Washington C. C. C. headquarters gave assurance that the policy of furloughing enrollees available for farm work would be continued.

Ex-Navy Yard Worker Found Shot to Death

A retired Navy Yard worker identified by police as George Carhart, 79, was found dead with a gun shot wound in his head in the bedroom of his home at 330 Ninth street S.E. early today.

Police found a revolver from which one shot had been fired lying near the body. Police said they had been informed the man had been in ill health and despondent for some time.

Sweden to Fly Supplies To Stranded Islanders

By the Associated Press. STOCKHOLM, Feb. 6.—The Swedish Air Force prepared a squadron of bombers to try to carry badly-needed supplies today to the marooned inhabitants of the Baltic island of Gotland, who have been cut off from the mainland for weeks by the unusually severe winter.

All attempts of icebreakers to reach the island in recent weeks have been futile. Gotland lies in the middle of the Baltic Sea, about 50 miles off Sweden's East coast. The inhabitants need drugs and carbide for illumination.

The government hoped the air force would succeed where the icebreakers failed.

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Navy Cites 10 Civilian Workers For Bravery at Pearl Harbor

The Navy today cited 10 civilian employees for bravery for their work during the Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor, including one man who delivered two 16,000-pound anchors and reels of heavy wire to the battleship Arizona. The battleship eventually was lost in the attack.

The men cited by Rear Admiral C. O. Bloch, commandant of the 14th Naval district, represent American, Hawaiian, Scandinavian, Portuguese and Chinese ancestry and all are American citizens. No United States addresses were given for them. They are Tai H. Sunn, principal purchasing clerk; Ralph W. Miller, jr., property and supply officer; John A. Nunes, jr., foreman laborer; Iver Carlson, leading man joiner; Lin C. Hee, Earle M. Swartz, Joseph K. N. Yee, senior storekeeper; Harry Kealoah, assistant storekeeper; Fred Kinsley, foreman of the naval fuel depot; and Garnett A. King, engine-man.

Mr. Miller was cited for the delivery of the heavy anchors and reels to the battleship, which is presumed to have been drifting. The Navy did not reveal how he accomplished the feat, but called it a splendid one "worthy of mention."

The citation of Mr. Sunn was for coolness and bravery: "... in transmitting the orders of the district supply officer to all storehouses and duty stations under fire and battle conditions."

J. Harry Covington Funeral Rites Held; Burial in Easton

District Court Adjourns In Memory of Former Chief Justice

Funeral services for J. Harry Covington, 71, former chief justice of the District Supreme Court, were held at 10 o'clock this morning at his home, 2320 Wyoming avenue N.W. Burial will be in Easton, Md.

District Court, in general session yesterday afternoon, paid tribute to Mr. Covington and then adjourned out of respect to his memory.

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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 \$297,423.11. 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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and Charlotte E. Moton, associate, \$2,200. Dorothy C. Overlock, junior administrative assistant, is listed at \$2,800, and there are 10 stenographic positions ranging from \$1,440 to \$2,300. This completes the director's staff.

Hugh R. Jackson, director of community planning and organization, draws the \$8,000.

Physical Fitness Section. The Physical Fitness Unit, of which Miss Chaney is assistant director, is headed by John B. Kelly, a 31-year man, a director, Miss Alice Marble, the net star, is a 31-year consultant, and there are five other assistants and an executive assistant serving without compensation.

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Cripps Quoted as Refusing Supply Minister Post

By the Associated Press. LONDON, Feb. 6.—The London Daily Mail in a special interview last night quoted Sir Stafford Cripps, former British Ambassador to Moscow, as saying he had refused to become Minister of Supply because the post did not carry war cabinet rank and that he preferred to return to the House of Commons "with a clean mind."

Cripps had been mentioned prominently as a possible successor to Lord Beaverbrook, who has become Minister of War Production. Prime Minister Churchill told Commons yesterday he would clarify Lord Beaverbrook's duties in a statement at the next meeting of Commons.

"I do not propose to try to make things difficult for the government by merely becoming a critic," "But neither do I propose to be afraid of saying what I think ought to be said. For the rest of my lifetime I think there will be sufficient to do trying to get the world back on its legs. I want to make my contribution toward world and national reconstruction."

He declared he had abandoned "for good" the newspaper stated, his law practice which was reputed to have brought him £25,000 (\$100,000) a year.

Operation of Pacific Council in Washington And London Disclosed

Experts Here Say More Reverses in Far East Warfare Are Likely

By the Associated Press. President Roosevelt asserted today that a Pacific council had been in operation here and in London for a month and that there was very close co-operation in its activities.

The Chief Executive, replying to press conference questions, said the council was handling questions of both a military and political nature and that it had offices here and in London.

Successors of a purely military nature, he said, are referred to Army and Navy chiefs of staff while those of a governmental or political character are laid before the appropriate governmental bodies in Washington and in the British capital.

He pointed out that the Dutch government in London and the British dominions also are represented there.

In the A. B. D. A.—American, British, Dutch, Australian—area, Mr. Roosevelt noted, the military commands under the supreme direction of Gen. Archibald P. Wavell.

The President went on to say, although he conceded it was a slipshod way of putting it because it was difficult to differentiate, that operations on which Gen. Wavell commands the decision might be termed tactical whereas certain long-range strategic questions must be referred to Washington and London.

West Virginia Cities Studied as Sites for Shifted Agencies

Public Buildings Chief And Randolph Inspect Facilities at Elkins

Special Dispatch to The Star. ELKINS, W. Va., Feb. 6.—W. E. Reynolds, United States commissioner of public buildings, and Representative Randolph were here today on their tour to survey possibilities of moving some non-defense workers from Washington to this area to make room for war workers in the Capital.

Following a scheduled meeting with business and civic leaders, they will continue on to Arthursdale, where Mrs. Roosevelt and Mr. Randolph will speak tonight.

At a gathering of more than 200 persons at the Stenand Hotel in Martinsburg, Mr. Reynolds said this area had a particular appeal in the decentralization program because of its proximity to Washington.

After a two-hour tour of the city's facilities, Mr. Reynolds said he was particularly impressed with the housing facilities and Mr. Randolph assured him that Martinsburg could care for from 600 to 800 of the workers well. A 100 unit low cost housing project has just been completed here.

Mr. Reynolds said that probably 13,000 more workers would be added to the 12,000 already moved from Washington. At present, the Government is investigating the possibility of shifting small groups of from 200 to 400 workers from some departments without dislocating large sections, he said.

Asked whether the move would be permanent, Mr. Reynolds replied that this depended on the efficiency with which the shifted agency was working and on the community life the workers were enjoying.

Mr. Randolph pointed out that living costs in Martinsburg were far less than in Washington, mentioning specifically that rents were 50 per cent less.

"It seems the part of good judgment to me that employees should be moved to the smaller communities rather than big cities that are already overcrowded, such as New York, Chicago and Philadelphia," Mr. Randolph said.

Two Washington men were guests at the meeting yesterday. They were Taylor Chewning, president of the United Clay Products Co., which has several brick and tile plants in Martinsburg, and Arthur C. Hyde, operator of Congressional Airport, who is surveying possibilities of establishing an air school in Martinsburg.

Those are things which have been discussed right along, Mr. Roosevelt remarked, but his questioner was asking into a field he meant himself and Mr. Churchill.

Replying to a question, Mr. Roosevelt declared New Zealand definitely was represented in the Pacific Council. He was reminded that New Zealand's Minister to Washington had spoken of setting up a strategic area in the region.

While recognizing the achievements of defenders in the Philippines, Singapore and the Dutch Indies and allowing for Japanese losses of more than 100 ships and thousands of men, these authorities firmly declared that only the delivery of huge reinforcements—difficult if not impossible at this time—would turn the tide of battle against the enemy.

The Japanese were said still to possess the great advantages of time and initiative seized in their sneak attack on Pearl Harbor two months ago tomorrow. Theirs is the choice of when and where to attack, and the costs they are paying in troops and material were described as not too great for the advances they have made.

Japs Vulnerable at Many Points. Effective reinforcements, especially in warplanes, could block further advances and hold the threatened bastions still in Allied hands, it was said, for the Japanese position has become vulnerable at many points.

As strategists have viewed the enemy gains in two months of incessant action, the Japanese have:

1. Prevented offensive use of the Pacific Fleet for many weeks by the raid on Pearl Harbor.

2. Forced the Asiatic Fleet to withdraw from its Philippine bases and pushed the American defense forces on the islands into a last ditch stand on Batan Peninsula and in the forts covering Manila Bay.

3. Completely overrun the Malay Peninsula and put the British base of Singapore under siege with overwhelming forces after the Japanese destroyed the mainstays of British naval power in the Orient—the Battleship Prince of Wales and the Battle Cruiser Repulse.

4. Made landings at various points in the Netherlands Indies so that without waiting for the fall of either the Philippines or Singapore, they are already able to bomb such Dutch bases as Soerabaja, on which effective defense of the Indies depend.

5. Captured Moulmein and advanced toward the Burma road, threatening to cut the artery on which China depends for its supplies and land munitions she needs to continue the war.

Despite these spectacular successes, which have required the transportation of troops and supplies more than 2,000 miles from Japan, the enemy forces have shown no sign of slowing down or of encountering opposition which their audacious strategy had not provided for.

Attack on Australia Feared. The more pessimistic among Washington observers fear that this means various Allied strong points will be lost, the Indies jeopardized and possibly overrun and even Australia directly and forcefully attacked.

Yet none doubts that in the long run the weaknesses inherent in Japan's military and naval position will crack under the growing power of Allied, and especially American, forces.

Japan's army of approximately 2,000,000 men is scattered from Russia's Siberian border to the island of Borneo. Her navy, split between the main fleet and convoy ships, is engaged in convoy duty all over the China Sea and Western Pacific. To protect these far-flung communication lines her main fleet probably is based hundreds of miles south of the Japanese homeland, leaving it to some extent poorly protected.

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PREFERENTIAL ARMY CONTRACT GIVES NON-UNION MEN JOBS

By the Associated Press. BLACKSTONE, Va., Feb. 6.—Lt. M. C. Fox, Army area engineer in charge of construction of the Blackstone cantonment, said today that the contractor for the project had "a preferential shop with the union" and at the same time asserted that it would not be necessary for men to join the union to obtain work on the huge project.

He emphasized particularly what he said was unusual harmony existing between the A. F. of L., the contractors, the United States Employment Service and non-union labor as to the filling of thousands of construction jobs created by the project.

The Roanoke World-News yesterday recounted the stories of three carpenters of that section, all non-union, who said they were unable to get jobs when they refused to pay union membership fees unless they were given guarantees of work. One of these, C. S. Brown of Route 6, said these fees totaled \$42.

"We do have a preferential shop—there's no doubt about that," Lt. Fox said. "And the reason we have a preferential shop is because we can call upon the union for 1,000 men, or 500 men, and get them."

"If the union does not furnish enough, we can go out and hire as many as we need, and they are not subject to replacement."

Judge Given Taste Of His Own Taste

By the Associated Press. MOHAWK, —Municipal Judge Lester Palmer, who has fined many a motorist on traffic charges, had the tables turned on him.

A parking meter registered overtime and Judge Palmer paid the patrolman on guard the customary \$1.50. He had waited for the police tow-truck but it would have cost him \$2.

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happened to the proper person to tell you these things. You'd better talk to Mr. Kirby."

"But I've already talked to Mr. Kirby. Can't you get the file back?" "I'll have Mr. Kirby call you."

12:45 p.m.—Mr. Kirby: "Miss Chaney was appointed November 17 with compensation. On November 29, she went on a consultant basis when actually employed—a per diem basis. On January 2, she went on a per annum basis at \$4,600. Thus far she has put in a claim for a period from November 29 to December 4. That amounts to about \$25. She is entitled to one from November 17 to November 28 which has not been submitted. Anything else you want to know?"

"Yes, can you tell me anything more about what she does?" "No."

1 p.m.—Philadelphia conversation, No. 3. "Miss Chaney? She's on the road."

first was the United States-Dutch attack on a convoy in Macassar Strait off Borneo. Although it was a 100-ship affair with invasion troops and supplies, the Japanese apparently had provided the convoy with a relatively light escort.

The Allies sank or damaged more than 20 ships of all types and casualties probably ran into the thousands.

The second incident was the raid by units of the Pacific Fleet on Japanese bases in the Marshall and Gilbert Islands. The Navy heavily damaged these enemy salients flanking American supply routes to the Western Pacific, but it found no Japanese combatant ship in the area.

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### Germans Are Rushing Reinforcements by Air, Russians Say

#### Nazis Stiffen Resistance; Italian Planes Reported At Front First Time

By the Associated Press. German efforts to block the Russian offensive somewhere short of the old frontier of the Soviet Union have gained strength—evidently from airborne reinforcements—but, according to dispatches to Moscow from the front today, the Red Army is still moving forward.

These dispatches, however, significantly related instances of German superiority in numbers—the first such phrase to appear in a considerable time.

The conclusion was that with the fine flying weather of the last few days the Germans were able to bring up many reserves by air. Many captives reported that this method of transport, enforced by the winter difficulties of movement by land, was being widely used by the Germans.

The dispatches stress on increased German strength coincided with disclosure by the German high command that the Reich's famed air force, the instrument which pulverized resistance in Belgium, Holland and France, had called on Italian warplanes for help in the battle with Russia.

Goering Back From Italy. This latter disclosure coincided with an announcement that Reichsmarshal Hermann Wilhelm Goering, chief of the German Air Force, had just completed a visit to Italy.

"In fighting yesterday against the Soviet air force, in which the Italian air force took part, 38 enemy planes were shot down or destroyed on the ground," a bulletin from Adolf Hitler's field headquarters said.

It was the first time Italian planes had been mentioned in action on the Soviet front.

Whether the Germans are suffering a shortage in planes or pilots was not disclosed, but recent Soviet communiques have emphasized heavy German air losses.

Today's Red Army bulletin, for example, reported 38 planes destroyed Wednesday against 10 Russian planes missing.

Superiority Admitted. The first instance of German numerical superiority to appear after a long lapse was a Russian dispatch from an unspecified sector which said that "at one point of the front the enemy, having superiority in numbers, strongly pressed upon our detachment."

The two principal Moscow newspapers headlined the German counter-attack resistance.

Investia said: "Fascist occupants try to strengthen themselves on defense lines to halt advance of the Red Army. Our heroic troops successfully repel counterattacks, break resistance, move forward, chase Germans continuously, ruthlessly exterminate Hitler's robbers, crush their old reserve divisions."

Pravda's headlines: "Glorious troops of Red Army, surmounting resistance of counter-attacking enemy, continue to move forward, not weakening for single minute blows upon enemy, breaking resistance."

Ordered to Stand Firm. Prisoners from the 35th German Infantry Division told the Red Army that all detachments had received stern orders to defend every village to the last man. The orders said that any German who retreated without orders would be sent before a military tribunal. But despite this warning, the prisoners said, there were further retreats.

The regular Moscow communique charged that the Germans used civilians as a shield for a counter-attack in one sector.

A retreating German infantry unit launched a counter-attack, driving about 30 Soviet citizens, women, old men and children, in front of them," the bulletin said, but added that automatic riflemen attacked from the flanks and wiped out the Germans without harming the civilians.

The Vichy news agency reported

### Conservation of Paper

Every citizen is called upon to see that not a pound of paper is wasted. Demand from every clerk that any unnecessary wrapping of packages or unnecessary use of paper bags be dispensed with. Waste paper for paperboard is vital to the packaging of a great quantity of war equipment. Do not burn newspapers, but when you have saved enough for a bundle, give them to the school children who are co-operating in the defense program with the parent-teacher organization in The Star's campaign for reclaiming old newspapers.

### Navy Man's Wife Tells Of Jap Attack on Samoa

Mrs. Alston Richardson, wife of a Navy electrician's mate, and her 11-year-old son, Robert, returned to Washington yesterday from Samoa, American island in the Pacific, where they were under fire during the Japanese attack January 11.

They are going to stay with Mr. and Mrs. George W. Darne of Vienna, Va., who are Mrs. Richardson's parents.

Mrs. Richardson and her son had been in Samoa for two months when the island was attacked at 2:30 a.m. on January 11. They crouched in a refuge, where she said the women and children went, through the attack and heard the firing "as orderly as anything."

She related that after the outbreak of war, women and children had been sent from possible places of danger and that they went to bed at 9 p.m. and arose at 4 a.m. to go to their refuge, where they remained until daylight.

Robert was to start today at the Vienna Elementary School.

### Ex-Representative Boyce Dies in Delaware at 86

By the Associated Press. DOVER, Del., Feb. 6.—William H. Boyce, 86, former member of Congress and before that an associate justice of the Delaware Supreme Court, died today. He had been in poor health for six years.

A native of Laurel, Judge Boyce began the practice of law at Georgetown in 1887 and served two terms on the State Supreme Court—1897-1909 and 1909-21.

He was elected to Congress on the Democratic ticket in 1923, serving until 1925. He also was a delegate to the Democratic National Conventions of 1896 and 1924.

Funeral services will be held Monday.

today that the Red Army in the south had captured Dnieperpetrovka, 70 miles east of Dnepropetrovsk. It added that Dnieperpetrovsk, site of a great power dam which the Russians blasted ahead of the German advance last summer, is "becoming more and more clearly the direct objective of the Soviet advance."

The Moscow radio reported fighting on the northwestern Russian front at the approaches of a town designated only as "V."

All Nazi counterattacks were smashed, hundreds of soldiers were slain and much booty was captured, Russian accounts declared.

The Soviet midnight communique broadcast from Moscow also said a cavalry unit operating in one sector of the Kalinin front wiped out 800 officers and men in seven days of fighting.

Equipment Destroyed. This communique reported the destruction along the whole front by the Red air force of seven German armored cars, 250 trucks carrying soldiers and war material, 150 wagons with ammunition, tank trucks with fuel and seven anti-aircraft machine gun posts.

In addition, two ammunition dumps and one fuel dump were reported blown up.

At one sector of the western front (the area before Moscow) the communique declared that one Red Army unit destroyed three regiments of German infantry.

Above the Kalinin front, the Kulibyshev radio announced, a bitter battle is raging in the Valdai hills below Leningrad. The radio said the Germans had dug in but the Russian artillery had been pounding the intrincments for several days.

### Treasury Asks to Use 'Lick-the-Japs' Gifts For War Purposes

#### Irate Patriots, Including Youngsters and Chinese, Send Cash to U. S.

By the Associated Press. The Treasury Department wants Congress to permit the use for war purposes of small cash donations made by patriotic citizens including two enthusiastic boys and an irate Chinese.

Receipts of the gifts, along with thousands of others coming in since Pearl Harbor at what would be a rate of \$3,000,000 annually, was disclosed by the Department during House hearings on the second war powers bill.

Existing law, department officials explained, prevents the acceptance of gifts for the purpose for which they are offered. All such donations must go into the general Treasury fund.

As examples of the public's response to Pearl Harbor, the department exhibited several letters from unidentified donors, including one

from "a Chinese living in Montana" who sent a \$25 money order "to help kill the Japs" and added "me buy bonds later."

Inclosing 15 cents in cash, an 8-year-old Florida boy said he had saved it for a movie, but was sending it to Washington "so that you can use it to help build a ship so you can lick Japan." The boy also wanted permission to join his father, attached to the destroyer Barry, "and I could help the Navy, see?"

An 11-year-old California boy sent a dollar he had earned cutting lawns. In his spare time, the boy wrote, he has been helping troops at a nearby military post, but "I am not saying what I do when I help the boys, because I believe in keeping military secrets." The son of a marine, the boy wanted his dollar used to help buy an airplane "to bomb the Japs."

### Cap't. James Nominated To Be Rear Admiral

President Roosevelt yesterday nominated Capt. Jules James, 56, commanding officer of the naval operating base at Bermuda, to be a rear admiral.

Capt. James, whose home is in Danville, Va., was graduated in 1908 from the Academy at Annapolis. In recent years he has served as acting director of naval intelligence and as a member of the Navy's general board.

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### Pertinax Says Vichy Supplies Aided Axis In Libya Campaign

But Petain's Ministers Insist Pact With U. S. Was Not Violated

By PERTINAX.

It is now a fairly well established fact that the Vichy authorities in Tunis had something to do with Nazi Gen. Erwin Von Rommel's drive against the British Army in Libya. Merchant ships and lorries were placed at the disposal of the German-Italian command and these were filled with various supplies including petroleum.

The government at Vichy, except in communiques issued for home consumption, does not deny that it lent such assistance to the Axis military machine in North Africa. At the same time it contends that what it did cannot be called an infringement on the agreement with the United States Government under which supplies are being sent from this country to Casablanca.

That agreement explicitly forbids the French administration in North Africa from re-exporting the raw materials or finished products purchased in America or even goods of the same kind, this to prevent substitutions which in practice would amount to re-export.

So far, nothing has become known to justify the charge that the pledged word was broken. But the controversy does not end there. The United States Government would not have approved the re-provisioning of the French Empire in Africa without the assurance that Vichy's help to the enemy would never extend beyond the articles in the armistice conventions.

**Vichy Denies Violations.**  
Therefore, Vichy must maintain today that, of late months or weeks, it never exceeded its commitments of June, 1940, and, as usual, such is the substance of the plea that comes from Marshal Philippe Petain's ministers. Here is the really litigious point:

The delivery of trucks to the Axis powers can easily be presented as the necessary outcome of France's armistice obligations which, as regards North Africa, provided for the surrender of material used or even "deployed" against the Italian Army.

But those commitments cannot possibly be stretched in such a manner as to include fuel and similar supplies not to speak of merchant ships. In addition, whenever judgment must be passed upon the enforcement of the armistice, as understood by the Vichy government, a capital document and a capital precedent cannot be omitted.

The capital document is the letter addressed to Marshal Petain by Jules Basdevant, the head of the legal department of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs who resigned his post. And the capital precedent was recorded in Syria last May and June.

**Gen. Dentz's Conduct.**  
M. Basdevant complained that he had been instructed to interpret the armistice treaties in such a way as to permit unlimited German requests. As to the conduct of Gen. Dentz in Syria we are now fully enlightened. It could not be distinguished from actual complicity with the German Wehrmacht.

Germans and Italians were entitled only to control Syrian air fields to make sure that in French hands they would not be turned against them; also to disarm local troops and to store the weapons taken from them. But Gen. Dentz gave much more. He did not hesitate to forward to Iraq ringleaders three trainloads of artillery, guns and other arms.

He had no scruples about de-luding the Turkish railroad commissioner in Aleppo whose duty it was to stop such freight from getting to Mosul. This is an old but a very actual story.

Did the French military chiefs in Tunis atone themselves to that behavior? Suspensions cannot easily be dismissed. A general was in command there who, in the past, had won golden praise for his active patriotism and for his deeds on the battlefield, de Lattre de Tassigny. He clashed with Gen. Juin, commander in chief in North Africa, and was recalled.

**Decorations Accepted.**  
Moreover, let us remember that, at the other end of the world, Admiral Decoux, governor general of Indo-China, accepted, only the other day, a very high Japanese decoration (refused simultaneously by other French general officers) which means that the Tokio rulers honor him as an accomplice and that he does not dare discourage them. Too often in Vichy servility brings promotion.

By no flight of the imagination can the assistance rendered to Germans and Italians in North Africa be termed execution of the armistice. No contractual basis for it can be found in the text of June, 1940. It flows from Germany's successive "dikets" and out of that form of Vichy acquiescence which goes by the name of collaboration.

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### Women Plan Food Sale

MANASSAS, Va., Feb. 6 (Special).—The Woman's Organization of the Manassas Church of the Brethren will hold a food sale from 9 a.m. until noon tomorrow in the office of the National Loan Association.

### 72 Americans Leave Singapore Under Hail of Japanese Bombs

By the Associated Press.  
SINGAPORE, Feb. 6.—Seventy-two American men, women and children have left Singapore and are now well on their way to safety, after a narrow escape when Japanese bombs exploded within 75 yards on three sides of the ship which they were about to sail.

The captain of the American vessel said all his passengers behaved magnificently when a large formation of Japanese bombers attacked one of the heaviest of Singapore's raids.

United States Consul Clayton Aldridge of Rome, N. Y., who arranged the departure of the largest group of Americans to leave Singapore since the outbreak of war and who accompanied the party, echoed the captain's praise for businessmen, missionaries and children.



**HEADS FOOD GROUP**—Hector Lazo of Washington, who has been elected president of the Co-operative Food Distributors of America. Executive vice president of the organization for six years, he formerly was with the Commerce Department. He succeeds E. G. de Staute of Los Angeles.

### Seizure of All Alien Enemies in Nation Unwise, Biddle Says

Official Declares Arrest Of Potentially Dangerous Will Continue

By the Associated Press.  
NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—Attorney General Biddle said last night that it would be "profoundly unwise" and "profoundly un-American" to intern all the 1,100,000 alien enemies in the United States although his "tough critics would doubtless be satisfied" only if that were done.

In a speech at the 53d annual dinner of the Brooklyn Bar Association on protection of civil rights, Mr. Biddle said many of the alien enemies "have sons fighting in the Army and Navy."

"There are many million Americans of German and Italian origin in our population who would be deeply shocked" if all alien enemies were interned, he continued. "And the effect would be severe retaliation on Americans living in Axis countries. We have arrested and will continue to arrest the potentially dangerous and the disloyal."

Some vigilante spirit may arise, Mr. Biddle said, but the Justice Department would defend the "rights and liberties of all those entitled to the protection of our borders—citizens and aliens alike."

The menace, "real or imaginary, of fifth column activity by enemies within our borders has been and is being swiftly neutralized," he added. "On the Pacific Coast, where tempers and dangers are highest, the Department of Justice has acted promptly on every recommendation of the military authorities."

"Strict prohibitions have been placed upon the movements of enemy aliens, with whole areas barred to them and others established where they may enter or remain only under the most stringent limitations. Similar prohibitions will be ordered promptly upon receipt of recommendations by the War Department or the Navy Department, within the authority of presidential proclamations governing the activities of alien enemies."

### Washington Highlands Asks For Elementary School

The Washington Highlands Citizens' Association last night asked creation of an elementary school in the vicinity of Nichols avenue and Chesapeake street S.W. as necessary for children of war workers and decided to fight for priority rights on the building materials.

The association voted to cooperate with the Southeast Council of Citizens' Associations in organizing a mass meeting February 12 to protest the Government requisitioning of the partially completed Kramer School at Seventh and Q streets S.E. L. E. Zimmerman and Curtis W. Ingalls, president of the group, will serve as delegates to the meeting.

Mrs. Frank Woodmore was named treasurer, taking the place of Alden Erikson, who recently enlisted in the Navy. Mrs. E. J. Bartell was appointed chairman of the Committee for Waste Salvage. A Health Department representative spoke on rat extermination.

The meeting, presided over by Mr. Ingalls, was held in the Congress Heights School.

### Army Hunts 14 Horses, A. W. O. L. for Months

By the Associated Press.  
NEW ORLEANS.—Folks in last September's Louisiana maneuver area can do Uncle Sam a favor. They can help him find some of his horses.

Third Army headquarters has advertised that 14 cavalry horses strayed from their organization during the war games.

The Army'd like to have them back. P. S.—They're all branded.

### Girl Spy for Nazis Declares She Thought Job Would Be Fun

Did Not Realize Data Sent Abroad Would Hurt U. S., She Says

By the Associated Press.  
NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—Lucy Boehmler doesn't know why she accepted a job as secretary to two men accused as leaders of a Nazi spy ring but—"I thought it might be a lot of fun."

Miss Boehmler has been on the witness stand for three days, testifying as the chief Government wit-

ness in the trial of six men and a woman accused of being members of the ring. She is accused in a separate indictment and already has pleaded guilty of espionage.

"I don't know why I accepted the job," she said yesterday. "I don't think it was the salary (\$25 a week)—I thought it might be a lot of fun."

"Didn't you know it was espionage work?" asked Warren J. Heeg of defense counsel.

"I never thought of it," she said. "I know the reports sent to Spain and Portugal related to national defense, but I never thought it would harm the United States."

Earlier she affirmed her loyalty to the United States—there's no question in my mind about that."

Miss Boehmler also testified that Mrs. Helen Pauline Mayer, a defendant, told her she had destroyed papers belonging to Kurt Frederick Ludwig, alleged leader of the ring,

and also had "gotten rid of" a short-wave radio transmitter in August, 1941. That was shortly before the F. B. I. stepped in.

Miss Boehmler was secretary to Ludwig and to Ulrich von der Osten, described by United States Attorney Mathias F. Corea as the mastermind of the ring and who was killed last spring in a taxicab accident here.

Others on trial are Hans Helmut Pagel, Karl Mueller, Rene Froehlich, Paul T. Borchardt and Frederick Schlosser.

### Dr. Douglass to Speak

Dr. Paul F. Douglass, president of American University, will be the principal speaker at a vesper service at 4 p.m. Sunday at Hood College, Frederick, Md. Dr. Henry I. Stahr, president of the college, will preside.

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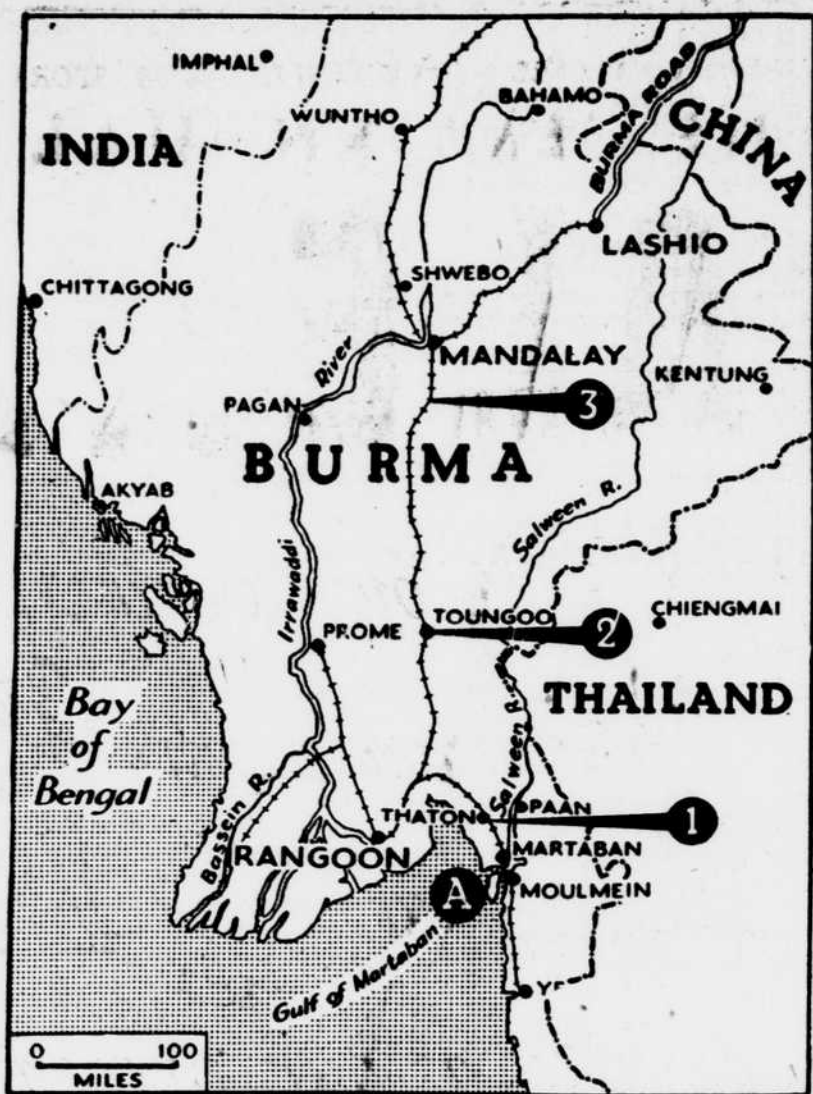
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**HOW JAPS THREATEN BURMA ROAD**—The British admit Jap invaders of Burma have crossed Salween River above conquered Moulmein in thrust apparently aimed at Thaton (arrow 1) to cut off British defenders of Martaban. Meanwhile, Axis sources claimed their planes had destroyed a station at Toungoo (arrow 2) and below Mandalay (arrow 3) had cut railway which leads to Burma road. British must retain control of shipping routes in Gulf of Martaban (A) to continue aid to China via the Burma road. —A. P. Wirephoto.

**Greatest Army Peril Is Venereal Disease, Parran Tells House**

**Rate Increase Alarming, Many Local Situations Bad, He Asserts**

By the Associated Press. Surg. Gen. Thomas J. Parran today listed venereal disease as still the greatest cause of non-effectiveness in the Army, and declared toleration of commercialized prostitution "has been traditional in the South, the Southwest and the West Coast."

He described it as the second greatest cause of non-effectiveness in the Navy, and reported also that "in any boom town, with prosperous war industries, the venereal disease rate also is increasing at a very alarming rate, to a very alarming degree."

The testimony of the veteran campaigner against the scourges of syphilis and gonorrhea was made public by the House Appropriations Committee in sending to the floor a \$160,590,611 deficiency appropriation bill.

Dr. Parran testified in behalf of a \$2,500,000 request to further the work of the Public Health Service's venereal disease division.

**47,000 Per Million.** He said that under the Selective Service Act, physicians had found 47,000 men suffering from syphilis of every million examined.

"We know," he added, "that these 47,000 men got their syphilis from some other source in the civilian population."

"Experience shows that for every two persons infected and discovered, approximately three are in the population infected but do not show up for treatment. Therefore, I think we are safe in assuming at least one other female is in the population for every one of these males whom we discover. Thus, for every million men examined, we find approximately 90,000 people with syphilis."

He said the Army rate for 1941, despite the fact that no one was inducted who was found suffering from the disease, was about 40 per thousand—approximately half what it was in the World War—but said that he was no more satisfied with the reduction "than I would be satisfied if the typhoid fever now were half what the typhoid fever rate was in the Spanish War."

**A National Problem.** "The disease is of importance, both from the standpoint of manpower on the production line as well as from the standpoint of men in the Army," Dr. Parran said. "It is a national problem."

He cited more than a dozen examples of the prevalence of prostitution. At Fayetteville, N. C., he said, "they had a prostitute population that is reported to have grown last year from around 200 women to around 4,000 to 5,000."

"Prostitution," he said, "became an expanded war industry in that area. The local authorities were given strong orders by the commanding officer at Fort Bragg to clean up by the 1st of January. It is a little early to say just how effective that action may be."

Discussing his efforts to stamp out the disease through clinics and education in co-operation with the States, he said the Army, Navy and Federal Security Agency were "putting pressure" on non-co-operative communities regarded as "hot spots."

**Locations Named.** "Progress," he reported, "has been made in a number of towns: Until recently Bremerton, Wash., had a red-light district. . . . Seattle has a bad reputation. The conditions relative to prostitution there were apparently very bad. But more recently they have taken action in closing up those places."

"Tacoma, Wash., took action last August in closing up its houses of prostitution. Last year the situation at Salinas, Calif., was rather bad, as was also the area around Mare Island. Up until last month the conditions at San Diego were particularly bad until the naval commandant gave orders that something had to be done about it."

**Rangoon**

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ualties, and British guns pounding the Japanese-held Paan area farther north.

The Japanese attacked Rangoon with six waves totaling 44 planes by moonlight and ran into the full fury of the defense fighters when they came back at 9:30 a.m. for a daylight try at the big port for the Burma road to China.

The heavy toll of the raiders was taken by the hard-hitting American and British flyers only 24 hours after they scored heavily in an offensive smash of their own at Japanese positions along the Salween River battlefield.

**Destruction Like Coventry.** In that attack the Allied bombers gave Japanese-held Paan such a ruinous bombing that a Texas-born fighter pilot likened the destruction to that at Coventry.

(A Japanese broadcast claimed that seven British and American planes—Spitfires and Curtiss P-40s—were shot down in the daylight attack on Rangoon Airport.)

**Attack Renewed in Morning.** In the air attack on Rangoon, six waves of bombers struck at the city by moonlight and another wave attacked at 9:30 a.m.

Fires were set in one suburban residential district and heavy explosions were heard to the north in the night raids on Rangoon.

Unofficially, R. A. F. fighters were reported to have driven off one wave of the night attackers, forcing them to jettison their bombs. One of the raiders was reported probably destroyed, since observers saw it pursued by a fighter and then saw a column of flame plunge eastward in the moonlight.

In the daylight raid, anti-aircraft guns got another Japanese plane as fighters rose to the defense.

**4% of Federal Job Applicants Found to Have Police Records**

**F. B. I. Head Discloses Bureau Gets 35,810 Fingerprints Daily**

By the Associated Press. More than 4 per cent of the persons who apply for Government positions have police records.

J. Edgar Hoover, director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, made that disclosure to the House Appropriations Committee during hearings on the first deficiency supply bill, reported today.

Mr. Hoover said that of 499,085 sets of fingerprints received from the Civil Service Commission last year, 22,486 were identified as from persons having previous police records.

"Those persons were applying for positions in the United States Government service," he told the committee, "and if the service of the identification division had not been available, it is possible that many persons unfit for Government service would have obtained such employment."

**Not Advised of Disposition.** Mr. Hoover said he did not know whether any of them had received Government employment, since the Civil Service Commission did not advise him what final disposition was made of the cases, most of which he said involved minor offenses.

Since the outbreak of war, Mr. Hoover said, an average of over 35,810 sets of fingerprints is received daily by the bureau, and on one day alone, January 26, over 50,000 came in. They stem from many sources, he explained, including the Army, the Navy, the civilian defense organizations, plants handling defense contracts, the Civil Service Commission and local law enforcement agencies.

On January 1 of this year, he said, the bureau had on file 32,308,634 sets of fingerprints, an increase of over 17,000,000 in one year. In 1941 the bureau identified 686,432 persons as having criminal records.

**Pearl Harbor Dead Identified.** Through the bureau's files, Mr. Hoover declared, some of the unknown dead in the Pearl Harbor attack last December 7 have been identified.

To date, Mr. Hoover said, the bureau has apprehended 1,314 German enemy aliens, 252 Italian enemy aliens and 1,601 Japanese enemy aliens. Last year it obtained convictions in 97.4 per cent of the criminal cases it handled for trial.



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### Nominations Made For Election of 236 As Chest Trustees

#### Givers Eligible to Vote On Representatives of Contributors Thursday

Election of a new board of 236 trustees will feature the Community Chest's annual meeting, to be called to order at 4:30 p.m. Thursday in the Chamber of Commerce of the United States Building, Connecticut avenue and H streets N.W.

Half will be chosen to represent the Chest's 59 member agencies, and the others will be elected to represent the contributors.

Each of the 246,500 persons who contributed in the campaign last fall is eligible to vote for the last group.

Nominating Committee choices for contributor representatives follow:

Allen, Bruce R. Lyon, Dr. James A. Anderson, Miss Mary Marks, Mrs. H. A. Applewall, Mrs. C. A. Martin, Reed F. Banning, Paul D. McCann, Dr. O. E. Bennett, William B. McQuinn, near Adm. Bentley, Judge R. McManara, Rev. J. M. Berkley, Rev. H. Meyer, Mrs. Eugene Bernick, Mrs. H. S. Miller, Capt. Rhoads Bowen, W. C. ...

Names of those nominated as representatives of the agencies are listed below:

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ins Association—J. Bernard Wyckoff, Mrs. Helen Dues Hoffman, Washington Insti- ...

### Lack of Doctors Handicaps Venereal Fight, Rally Told

A shortage of nurses and physicians, coupled with a lack of active public support, seriously handicaps the District Health Department in combatting venereal disease, Dr. J. Roderick Heller of the United States Public Health Service reported here yesterday.

the Junior Board of Commerce meeting in the Annapolis Hotel. Dr. Heller's talk marked the opening of a venereal disease control drive sponsored by the board, the Health Department, the Medical Society of Washington and the District Social Hygiene Society.

of laws against prostitution must be left to the police. The speaker outlined a four-point program to fight the disease. It was finding the infected persons, curing them, eliminating organized vice and furthering public education.

### Fourth Graders to Get Religious Instruction

Fourth grade pupils at the Kensington (Md.) Elementary School will be dismissed from their afternoon classes every Friday beginning today to attend religious instruction at Kensington churches.

### Pius XI Guild to Meet

The Rev. Francis Wagner of St. Augustine's Church will speak on "Observance of Lent" at a meeting of the Pius XI Guild at 4:15 p.m. Sunday at the Hay-Adams House. The public is invited.

### A Sneak Preview Of Hollywood's Best

EACH year the moving picture world, performer and audience alike, looks forward with great eagerness to learn who is to receive the coveted "Oscars" for best performance, best movie, best production, and so on. The Academy Award, the Motion Picture Industry's accolade, represents the goal for which all engaged in production strive.

Each year, some weeks before the official announcement, Harold Heffernan, polling the actors themselves from bit players to the top stars, arrives at a selection which has held remarkably to the selections later to be announced by the Academy.

Sunday, in the dramatic section of The Sunday Star you will find the list with an accompanying discussion by Mr. Heffernan, one of the outstanding writers on Hollywood affairs. Be sure to read it. In fact, clip it out and see how true it will run to form when the Academy awards are announced.

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**FOUR GENERATIONS**—This family group, representing four generations, was gathered recently at the home of District Police Capt. and Mrs. Walter H. Thomas, 138 Grafton street, Chevy Chase (Md.), to celebrate the golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Killian Seyfried, the parents of Mrs. Thomas. Mr. Seyfried, 74, and his wife, 72, both natives of Germany, have five children, eight grandchildren and four great grandchildren. Left to right: Mrs. Christine Money, grandmother; Mrs. Seyfried, who is holding her great-granddaughter, Shirley Ann Keeler; Mr. Seyfried and Ms. Marguerite Keeler, mother. —Harris-Ewing Photo.

**War Fund Measures Passed Within Month Total 39 Billion**

**Congress Completes Action on Naval Bill And Loan for China**

By the Associated Press. The present session of Congress has shoveled out war-time appropriations or contract authorizations at the rate of \$14,566,000,000 every second since it convened a month ago. When it ended its first month yesterday, the session had appropriated or authorized approximately \$39,050,000,000 in its principal war bills. This was comprised of a \$12,550,000,000 Army airplane appropriation and \$26,500,000,000 in appropriations and contract authority for fleet operations and naval equipment and plans.

Besides that, Congress loaned China \$500,000,000. Yesterday was the big day. In 25 minutes flat the Senate completed its final action on the China loan bill and the naval appropriation bill—the largest single appropriations measure in legislative history.

Approve Unanimously. Both these latter bills passed both branches of Congress unanimously. Even the declaration of war against Japan got such 100 per cent support.

Calculations ease China's internal financial difficulties, the China loan measure would permit the Secretary of the Treasury, with the approval of the President, to make direct loans to the Chung-king government, to up credits in this country or conduct operations to sustain the Chinese currency.

When Chairman Connally of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee explained that the fund was to be used primarily to "stiffen China's internal economy," Senator Taft, Republican of Ohio said he thought it would be a rather difficult thing to get \$500,000,000 to China.

Senator Connally replied that this matter did not need to be made an actual cash and Democratic Leader Barkley explained that the fund would create a financial backlog in this country to pay for war materials purchases China might make in other countries.

Pointing out that the money would be in addition to lease-lend aid that might be given to China, Senator Connally said it might be used to aid the Chinese in producing war equipment in their homeland.

Many "Military Implications." Senator La Follette, Progressive of Wisconsin, said two hours of testimony by cabinet officers and other Government officials before the Foreign Relations Committee earlier in the day had disclosed so many "military implications" in the projected financial assistance that it was difficult to discuss all of the aspects of the bill on the floor.

"If the moneys or credits to be provided are utilized for the purpose of strengthening the internal

economy of China, I see no objection to it," Senator La Follette said. "To the extent that they may be used for some other purposes, I think there will be grave doubt the wisdom of it and it will prove, in my opinion, ultimately to be a great disappointment."

Senator La Follette did not explain his reference and other committee members declined to comment on the testimony given in support of the bill by War Secretary Stimson, Navy Secretary Knox, Treasury Secretary Morgenthau, Commerce Secretary Jones and others.

The Navy measure carried approximately \$8,000,000,000 in cash and contract authority to produce 25,063 additional airplanes and equipment for the Navy in the next six months.

Ship construction would entail expenditures of \$8,206,000,000, fleet operations would cost \$6,923,000,000 and \$1,339,000,000 would go into ordnance and personnel payments.

War Insurance Approved. The House Banking Committee approved a billion-dollar program for insuring property against air raids and other enemy attacks, but balked at proposals to make part of the insurance free.

It decided that premiums should be charged at a rate to be determined by the Reconstruction Finance Corp.'s War Damage Corp.

The premium plan was substituted for a Senate measure authorizing free insurance against losses not exceeding \$15,000. After the Senate's approval of its bill, there was some murmuring in Congress over free insurance of property while soldiers and sailors were required to pay for insurance on their lives.

To get the program started speedily, the House committee directed that such insurance might be free for a month or two—June 30 at the latest—and that the R. F. C. would be required to prepare rates based on actuarial estimates.

The program, sponsored by Federal Loan Administrator Jones, is designed to give every kind of property owner reasonable protection against any kind of damage except sabotage resulting from the war. It would apply specifically to cargo shipments, but not in cases where insurance could be obtained through the Maritime Commission.

**Two Service Men Lost In Two Air Crashes**

By the Associated Press. MIAMI, Fla., Feb. 6.—The Navy disclosed last night that a training plane from its Ops. Locks base crashed into Lake Okeechobee yesterday and that Seaman Second Class Samuel Lee Gay, 22, a passenger, was "missing and presumed dead."

Seaman Gay's father, Cecil Gay, resides at Marlinton, W. Va. The pilot, whose name was not disclosed, escaped injury.

The Navy announced yesterday that Aviation Cadet Frederick Thomas Dyer of the Marine Corps Reserve was killed yesterday in an airplane crash at the Corpus Christi, Tex., Naval Air Station, to which he was attached.



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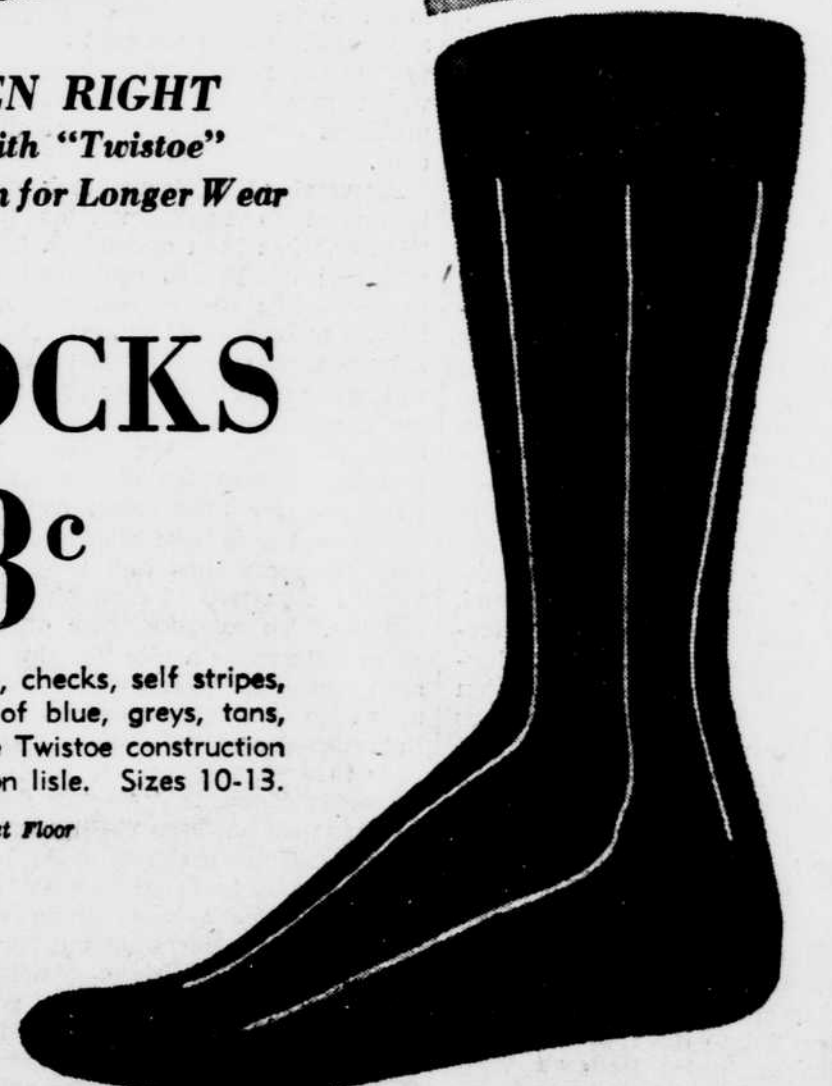
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was for work at the bar. Perhaps just because he had been a jurist and was familiar with the picture of judicial procedure as seen from the bench, he desired to practice law as actively as possible. His genius was for counseling clients and in that respect he was a creative power in Washington. Yet his skill as a pleader also was worthy of mention.

Few of his contemporaries could boast of so many friends as Judge Covington possessed. He was immensely popular with all classes of people. The great law office which he developed was a tribute to his position among men. He will be remembered not merely for his talents and his gratifying employment of them but likewise for his kindness, his urbanity and his generous patience.

Retreat in Libya

No less disquieting than the recent news from the Far East are the reports of continued German advances in Libya, whose sandy wastes and rocky escarpments have become a virtual shuffleboard for the opposing forces in this grim desert warfare. Marshal Rommel's hard-hitting mechanized divisions, waging a sudden and furious counteroffensive against the British columns which had driven westward to the Gulf of Sidra, now are back on the road to Tobruk—and still advancing toward that scene of a remarkable British defensive stand. The prospects of another siege of this battered Libyan fortress are increasing daily.

The reasons for the surprising successes of the Nazi tank forces in the past two weeks are not definitely known as yet, but dispatches from London indicate that several factors have combined to favor the Germans. In the first place, while Rommel was not only keeping the bulk of his panzer intact but reinforcing it over greatly shortened lines of supply, the British necessarily were extending their tenuous supply lines to a dangerous degree. In order to hold their gains the British had to drive Rommel's men from their stronghold at El Agheila, where supplies from Tripoli were being rushed by the Axis transport service. Before the British could achieve this objective, however, the strengthened German-Italian forces struck back savagely on January 22. Continuing the initiative against the extended British lines, the Axis drive has forced the British back, successively, from Agedabia, Bengasi, Barce and Derna. At latest reports the enemy was within fifty miles of Tobruk.

It seems, moreover, that the Germans have developed a tank-repair system which has proved to be extremely valuable in the desert. Whereas the British have been forced to abandon much equipment in the field for lack of adequate repair facilities, London advices tell of special Nazi salvage forces that have done wonders in servicing and repairing mechanized equipment, even during the heat of battle.

How far Rommel's drive will go before the British succeed in halting it is a matter of immediate concern to the United Nations. As yet there has been no major clash of the main forces of the opposing armies. Most of the action to date has been between far-ranging patrols, supplemented by air attacks. Presumably Rommel soon or later will suffer the same disadvantage of extended supply lines that the British felt in their westernmost advance. And British supply lines, correspondingly, are growing shorter. Unless the latest Axis push is a prelude to a general offensive in the Mediterranean theater—as many observers suspect—the British should be able to repeat their earlier stands at Tobruk and near the Egyptian border. If an all-out Axis offensive on Malta, Libya and the Suez Canal is in the offing, Allied forces will have a desperate fight on their hands in the Middle as well as the Far East.

The Beaver's Job

Prime Minister Churchill has said that he soon will explain the nature of Lord Beaverbrook's job as Minister of War Production and the scope of his authority. This is an explanation which will be awaited with keen interest.

It seems clear that the production phase of Britain's war effort leaves much to be desired and that the shortcomings in this respect are due to internal rivalries and jealousies which make our own production problems seem relatively insignificant.

Presumably Lord Beaverbrook, who is known to Englishmen as the "Beaver," has been assigned a task which is the British equivalent of the post this Government has entrusted to Donald M. Nelson. Yet it is by no means clear that the former will have authority or organizational facilities in anywise comparable to those possessed by Mr. Nelson. In Britain the demands of the army, navy and air force often conflict. These ministries have been in existence for some time and have developed a pattern of competing for supplies. To compose these differences will require a nice blending of authority and diplomacy and it remains to be seen whether Lord Beaverbrook will be given adequate tools to work with.

It is significant that a Soviet delegation which has been visiting Great Britain for the past five weeks has seen fit publicly to criticize British war industries because there are "still very considerable unutilized reserves." The Russians complain that although British industry possesses everything necessary to increase its armament output, production continues to lag because of an insufficient use of equipment and

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Writer Argues That Study Is Necessary to Keep Up With Progress of Art of War

To the Editor of The Star: Mark Twain's advice for distinguishing good from poison mushrooms was, "Eat them. If you die, they're poison." And we are doing just that when we find an Army or Navy officer incompetent only after his mistakes have cost us several thousand lives. It is obviously better business to find out in some cheaper way.

Two hundred years ago war was very simple, but it was also very dangerous. You did not need brains or imagination to figure out what the enemy might do. You could see him, right out in the open, getting ready to do it. You had to stand up and face his fire. You had to hold your ranks against his charge. Your wounded comrades fell screaming at your feet, and you had to ignore them, and make your subordinates do the same.

Modern war is altogether different. There is so much to know about it that it is impossible for any one man to know more than a small part. Hence the commander who succeeds in modern war is the one who encourages his subordinates to have ideas of their own, and to express them, rather than the one who insists on blind obedience. It requires more initiative. But it also requires less courage, since a man is supposed to take cover and the wounded are less conspicuous.

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The officer who proves "incompetent" in modern war is usually the one whose ideas of war are still those of a century or two ago. He is brave enough, but he lacks imagination. And you do not have to let the enemy spring a surprise on him to find that out. He shows it every day in his dealings with his subordinates, and in his attitude toward military literature. He resents criticism and interference, and he gives orders under all circumstances, even to a subordinate whom he knows to have knowledge of some specialty exceeding his own.

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THIS AND THAT

By Charles E. Tracewell.

One of the best of the winter birds is the cardinal. The yard which has a pair is fortunate. So what may be said of the local garden which harbors 20 of these fine birds?

No one who likes the feathered folk would say that it was ten times as well off, because two cardinals are mighty fine. Still there is something about numbers which is appealing. After twenty cardinals flashing around the garden make a sight well worth while.

The fine part about birds in the home garden, drawn to it by feeding operations, is that the observer doesn't have to go trapping to see them. They become so much a part of his little piece of landscape that at times he forgets how fortunate he is.

Going on "hikes" is all very well for those in whom the blood of youth courses. Some older persons, too, enjoy it (or say they do). Many do not, however, even though they say nothing about it.

All such persons will enjoy having their own birds in their own yard. The way to do this in fall and winter, as most persons know nowadays, is to put out a little food for them regularly. It is the regularity, rather than the amount, which pays dividends here.

Some persons feed in quantity, others just a little. Where feeding stations are kept stocked at all hours there will be more birds, of course, but there is not exactly the point. As stated, two cardinals are quite as good as twenty from one viewpoint, and so a few birds for a few hours are just as good as hundreds of birds all day long in a very real sense.

The male cardinal is the flash member of his team. With his crest and his gorgeous color he makes a real "splash" in any garden. It is said that in the old days he made a fine target for the long rifles of the Colonists.

Fortunately we no longer shoot at cardinals. We have foes which deserve death. The cardinals are harmless birds, indeed they do us good, as most of the song birds do, by consuming quantities of harmful insects.

But it is their beauty which appeals most to the city and suburban dweller. Here is a bird which is colorful—and more. The perfect blending of his traits with his coat, and his crest with his color, is something wonderful to see. To see it properly the observer must realize all this as he looks. It will not do just to see. One of the curses of mere seeing is non-realization at the very time. The

whole essence of good education lies in realization combined with exact seeing. Just plain seeing is not enough. Every one has had the experience of seeing something perfectly, yet never realizing for a second its essential beauty. Years later this realization comes, and then one, looking back, wonders how he could have missed it before.

The male cardinal, as stated, is the "flash" or showy member of the pair. He is not any more beautiful than his mate properly looked at. There will be observers, of whom this writer is one, who feel that the female is by far the prettier of the two.

In order to realize this it is essential to place a feeding station just outside a window. It may be on the sill or attached to a stake a few feet away. This close view is necessary if the fine blending of colors in the feathers of the female are to be seen rightly. More than that, however, the close view is essential if the true character of the female of this species is to be realized by the onlooker.

She is not flashy, or gaudy, and neither is her character. She is a fine bird, though, one with genuine individuality, which, like so many genuine individuals, is in this strange world, is not to be realized at a single glance.

The observer will have to watch female cardinals for some time before he is willing to admit to himself that this quiet creature in her brocade feathers, as if attired in an old Paisley shawl, is really handsomer than her mate.

This realization may come as a result of a chance sight of her on some cold morning seated in a shrub with a diadem of ice on her head. This cold crest does not harm her, but suddenly sets her off for what she is, a perfect beauty in a world of flashy colors.

Out in the garden at a hundred feet her mate is vivid for all the world to see. Here, close at hand, she suddenly seems transformed into a fine beauty just for one human being. Thereafter and forever that person has been converted.

When he hears others rave of the loveliness of the male cardinal he nods his assent, but he smiles quietly to himself, too, as if saying, "Yes, he is mighty fine, but I know a finer." Keep a close watch on the birds if you want to see them at their best.

They are natural creatures which can stand any amount of close inspection. It is one of their real charms. Human beauties often do not appreciate "close up" shyness from bright lights, but the beauties of the bird world fly around for all to see both in winter and summer.

workers within our boundary would go far toward eliminating the need for bringing in thousands of new employees. The frantic and largely futile efforts being made to absorb into the city's life the endless stream of new workers is sufficient indication that the time has come to do something about it.

The desire of all to help in the defense effort is unquestioned. It does not seem logical, however, to force from our homes and life interests which constitute "our way of life" those of us who are rooted here in order to accommodate a seemingly planless plan which contributes so little to the real endeavor.

Disruptions here doubtless are accompanied by proportionate disruptions in the localities vacated, where it is highly probable that the retention there of experienced workers would contribute materially to the job in hand.

VERA G. WOLGAMOT.

Letters to the Editor

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Complains About Taxing Humanitarian Institutions.

To the Editor of The Star: Former Chief Justice White, in condemning and reversing a decision of a lower court for too strict interpretation or application of the Sherman Anti-Trust Act, stated that "all law should be interpreted according to the rule of reason."

For some months a few persons connected with the tax office have been searching for property belonging to religious or charitable organizations, orphan asylums, homes for the aged or infirm, etc., that might be construed as taxable. This group or committee now has turned its attention to the hospitals of our city and apparently is pursuing the same narrow and short-sighted interpretation of the law.

It has been pointed out by the management of some of the hospitals that they have annual deficits amounting to thousands of dollars, and it would seem that it is time to call a halt to a most unreasonable assault upon the charitable and humanitarian institutions of our city and to require the application of reason and sound judgment to this work by the personnel of the said group or committee.

AN OLD RESIDENT.

Wants Museums Kept Open To Sustain Public Morale.

To the Editor of The Star: In a recent issue you published a letter advocating the closing of museums in Washington and utilizing the space for defense offices. But this well intentioned proposal should be carefully considered. The English whose experience in this war deserves close study have found it most helpful to public morale to keep their museums open. Even after severe air raid damage, they make quick repairs and reopen them as soon as possible. Contrary to what might be expected, attendance and visitor interest have greatly increased. Our museums, too, can serve a most useful purpose by remaining open and featuring exhibits of current value to boost morale. The powerful graphic means peculiar to museums are being effectively employed, not only for relief from the perpetual strain of war activity but also in affording instruction in topics of vital concern to every one.

Since the pressure for space is reaching the breaking point, why not explore the greater possibilities in the many large buildings along Massachusetts avenue, Sixteenth street and other main thoroughfares downtown now only partly utilized by patriotic societies and fraternal organizations? The Order of the Cincinnati has already set a good example by leasing the Larz Anderson house to the Government for the duration.

Libraries and museums are serving so valuable a public need that the President has created a council especially charged with preserving and protecting them and other cultural institutions during the war emergency.

NED J. BURNS.

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. What is the density of population of South America as compared with that of the United States?—D. S. A. On the average there are about 15 inhabitants for each square mile in South and Central America and 41 in the United States.

Q. During what period were the stave churches, said to be the most remarkable timber buildings in Europe, built?—B. S. A. They were erected in Norway during the 11th and 12th centuries. These churches are built entirely of wood and resemble Chinese pagodas. The old church of Borgund is a notable example.

Q. Who was the author of the words, "I think, therefore I am"?—F. H. B. A. "I think, therefore I am" is the familiar translation of "Je pense, donc je suis." This is taken from "Principes de Philosophie" by Descartes.

Q. Was the wrestler known as the Angel ever a college professor?—P. S. A. Maurice Tillet, known as the Angel, has been a professor of languages at a girls' college at Rheims, France.

How to Cook Poultry—The rules of modern poultry cooking are few and easy to follow. They hold for birds of all ages and kinds from the spring chicken to the old hen sent to market when she ceases to pay her way in eggs. This publication has 30 beautiful half-ton illustrations, numerous recipes and suggestions for carving. To secure your copy of this booklet inclose 10 cents in coin, wrapped in this clipping, to The Star Information Bureau.

Q. Who was the composer who was kidnapped because of the beauty of his voice?—A. A. Orlando di Lasso, a composer of church music born at Mons, Belgium, about 1532, is said to have been kidnapped while at choir school.

Q. Which animal is it that produces an entire litter of one sex?—W. V. A. The armadillo is the only known animal which produces an entire litter of only one sex. The young, always four in number, are either all males or all females.

Q. In which of the Latin American countries is the "tree of the sad light" under which Cortes wept?—A. A. It is a species of cypress in Teuba, suburb of Mexico City. Under it, on the night of July 1, 1520, Cortes sat and wept when he and his troops were defeated by the Aztecs.

Q. How far north is the Russian city of Vladivostok?—C. K. A. Vladivostok is situated in latitude 43 degrees 11 minutes north, and is approximately the same latitude as the French Riviera.

Q. Is the bamboo classified as a tree?—I. E. S. A. Though often treelike, the bamboo belongs to the grass family.

Q. How much snow does it take to make an inch of water?—T. J. A. As a rule the ratio of unmelted to melted snow is 1 to 10, that is, 10 inches of snow will ordinarily make about 1 inch of water.

Q. What is the meaning of the name Singapore?—M. N. O. A. Originally the city was known as "Singapura." This is a Sanskrit word which means City of the Lion.

Q. How long is a married woman known as a bride?—M. E. S. A. Usually a married woman is known as a bride for a year after her marriage.

Q. What is the "Papyrus Ebers"?—H. L. A. "Papyrus Ebers" is an important Egyptian medical document. It was obtained by George Ebers at Thebes and dates back to about 1550 B.C.

Q. How far below sea level is the Caspian Sea?—C. I. C. A. The Caspian Sea fills a vast depression. Its surface, at the present time, lies about 85 feet below the level of the ocean.

Q. Why is biscuit Tortoni so called?—F. M. L. A. Biscuit, in this sense, is pronounced "biskwe" and means a rich ice cream. When covered with ground almonds or macaroons, it is biscuit Tortoni, from the name of a Paris restaurant of the last century, where it was served.

Q. Is the word "insignia" singular or plural?—I. B. A. "Insignia" is the plural form of the Latin noun "insigne."

Q. Which has the most military authority, Gen. George C. Marshall or Gen. Douglas MacArthur?—S. S. T. A. The War Department says that Gen. Marshall, as Chief of Staff, is superior in authority to Gen. MacArthur.

Q. What is the source of the quotation, "Drive thy business or it will drive thee"?—M. A. A. It is from "Poor Richard's Almanack," published by Benjamin Franklin in 1758.

Q. How many persons did the Wooden Horse of Troy hold?—R. M. J. A. It was large enough to contain a hundred armed warriors within its hollow interior.

Q. How many skyscrapers are there in New York City?—B. J. R. A. There are over 500 in the city, over 100 of which are more than 30 stories high.

Q. When was the \$75,000 jeweled lock opened at the Pan-American Exposition in Dallas?—R. W. L. A. The gate, symbolic of international friendship, was opened on June 12, 1937.

Q. Can you tell me something about the chayote, said to be a new vegetable?—A. H. L. A. Chayote is the fruit of a West Indian annual vine of the gourd family that is widely cultivated for its edible tubers and fruit.



## New Formula Solves Union Maintenance

### Voluntary System Of Unionism Perfected

By DAVID LAWRENCE.

Five significant cases have just been disposed of by the War Labor Board involving the union-maintenance clause that caused so much difficulty for the old National Defense Mediation Board.

A new approach has been developed which should interest the industrial world very much. The formula takes the sting out of compulsory unionism and substitutes voluntary unionism. Not all the clauses in the new contracts agreed to by parties appearing before the War Labor Board are the same but the clause adopted in the textile workers' agreement with the North Carolina plant of Marshall Field & Co. may prove to be a milestone in management-union relations. It reads as follows:

"All employees who are now members of the union and who may in the future become members will be required as a condition of employment with the company to maintain their membership in good standing during the life of this contract; provided, that this provision shall apply only to employees who, after the consummation of this agreement, individually and voluntarily certify in writing that they authorize union dues deductions, and will, as a condition of employment, maintain their membership in the union in good standing during the life of the contract. Upon receipt of the above authorization, the mill agrees to deduct from the weekly earnings union dues in the amount of 25 cents per week, to be paid to the union."

**Term Defined.**  
In another case, the words "good standing" are specifically defined as covering the payment of the regular initiation fees and assessments are specifically limited to not more than one dollar. This is eliminated the chance that "good standing" will be used by autocratic union officers to punish a minority inside a union for other causes than dues default.

The significance of the voluntary maintenance clause is that it puts in writing the relationship between the member and the union and thus a legal contract is established. This has its risks, too, from the standpoint of the union. For State laws can be invoked by citizens if they are compelled to sign contracts under duress. If any citizen wishes to allege and can prove that he was forced to join a union or to sign a certification such as was quoted above, he can sue for the recovery of the money paid in his behalf or he may allege extortion, which might make individual union officers liable.

For a long time it has been averred that the Wagner Act should be amended to penalize "coercion from any source," but the union leaders have always insisted that State laws exist to take care of coercion offenses. With the formalizing of the relationship between the worker and the union, all the penalties for forcing a man to sign a document against his will come into play. Any threats or acts of intimidation direct or indirect can be penalized through suits for the recovery of dues paid, if not for recovery of segments of the worker's pay envelope.

**War Time Policy Seen.**  
The presence of such a contract with numerous individuals may put the unions on guard against wrongful solicitation and may at the same time give bona fide unions the strengthening action which they have sought through closed shops or union shops. The maintenance of membership formula is designed, of course, to answer the argument that when unions agree to refrain from striking they must have some compensating concession to help them keep their members from dropping off or from losing interest in keeping dues payments up to date.

While there is a tendency now on the part of the union negotiators to list the so-called "union shop" as one of their demands, this is traded off for an increase in pay or disposed of by some form of union maintenance.

Since Pearl Harbor, the union leaders have not in any case insisted on the union shop or the closed shop as the final price of agreements. The impression prevails here, therefore, that labor leaders have come to the conclusion that the war period can be utilized to develop as many union-maintenance arrangements as possible and that after the war will be a comparatively simple matter to force closed shops.

**New Officers to Be Elected By Police Boys' Club**  
New officers of the Metropolitan Police Boys' Club will be elected by the Board of Directors at 6 o'clock tonight at the Ambassador Hotel. In addition to the election the board is expected to discuss the progress of the campaign now under way to raise \$100,000 to finance the club for the year.

## On the Record

### Defenses Needed Against Internal Enemies Formed On Ideological, Not Nationalistic, Lines

By DOROTHY THOMPSON.

In dealing with so-called "enemy" aliens we are following a concept and procedure, which, presuming that every man is loyal to the country of his citizenship, classifies the potentially loyal or disloyal according to that standard only.

In the East the war is almost wholly a war to which such concepts generally apply. The Japanese are not waging a war for "Shintoism." The Japanese government has never tried to organize Japanese-Americans into groups to influence immediately the domestic and foreign policies of the United States Government; nor does it count on being able to engineer through them continual assaults on the American mind.

In the field of political warfare within the United States, the Japanese are quite helpless. But the war in the West is different. It began with counter-revolutions in Europe, as civil war, inside Italy and Germany. In these civil wars, the Fascist or Nazi parties attacked democratic institutions and personalities, and eliminated them from Italian or German life. Since expansion, or "Lebensraum," is an integral necessity of Fascism, war was always implicit in its counter-revolution. The elimination of democratic institutions and the exiling of democratic personalities had, therefore, a double purpose: To effect the internal counter-revolution and to remove the friends of other democracies abroad.

In Germany and Italy, another factor was introduced. All "non-Aryans" were deprived of their rights of citizenship and work, and hundreds of thousands of them driven into exile.

**Exiles Sought Out Democracies.**  
Many of these voluntary and enforced exiles eventually came to the United States. They are those people who lost the first great battles of this war and went to democratic countries. Eventually the successful internal counter-revolutions turned outward into aggressive international wars.

But these international wars continued to be counter-revolutions as well. Fascism and Nazism were welded together into an international political movement, which was organized inside all countries, both through German and Italian nationals and through men and women of German and Italian race. The Nazis introduced first the concept that all men and women of German race (not nationality merely) were claimed by the Third Reich.

But to them were added sympathizers, those attracted by the ideology, so that it was possible to give a plan to all the counter-revolutionary movements inside the western countries, give them a common program, guide their activities and build them into subversive forces. Thus, the Nazi propaganda and tactics have been dishied out by Father Coughlin, by the Silver Shirts, the Knights of the White Camellia, the Ku Klux Klan and more than a hundred other native

Fascist groups, as well as by the German-American Bund, and by more respectable bodies.

**Ideological Foundation.**  
The Fascist completely disregards the element of nationality. Its concept aligns men not according to national allegiances, but according to ideological allegiances.

It is true that in all countries sabotage, espionage and much of the propaganda work has been directed from consular offices. But the Fascist movements in each country are quite independent of consular agencies. They have been given their line and are still pursuing it. Their business is to create in Congress majorities unfavorable to the President, thus paralyzing his program and the country as well, counsel slow-down tactics in war industries, play down the war in the West, continue efforts for appeasement with the Nazis, denounce anti-Fascists as Communists and break down American morale by confusing the aims of the war.

In short, during the international war, they continue to conduct the international civil war; they operate untriflingly in the realm of political warfare, on their now famous pattern that one can destroy a country as effectively as by arms, if one can create division and confusion inside it.

Now, I am sure that no one in authority in this administration would contradict this brief outline of the Fascist political warfare.

But why, then, try to combat it in a completely irrelevant way, according to concepts and procedures that are not apropos? In doing so, we are acting just as France acted, and are playing the Fascist game. Hitler wants nothing more than that the suspicions of the United States Government should be turned against our alien friends and his victims instead of against our ideological enemies of whatever nationality. While we are pursuing Hitler's victims, his agents continue their termite work. While we are registering German and Italian democrats, the real pullers of Fascist strings are planning for the next congressional elections.

**New Defense Required.**  
New methods of warfare require new weapons of defense. The political methods we are using are as outdated as horse cavalry against panzer divisions. While we are making life precarious for those whom Hitler and Mussolini have already persecuted, the Axis powers are using Americans and Hungarians and other of their "allies" as foreign agents in this country, and a Hungarian newspaper in Bridgeport is advising its readers to listen to the Hungarian short-wave broadcasts which are made by Hitler's propaganda ministry. We are following red herring scents.

It is not humanitarianism that prompts these lines. It is a desire to win the war. It is a desire that we should display considerably more intelligence in the field of political warfare than other countries have shown. New times, new methods. New dangers, new devices for meeting the dangers. Instead we are using, by and large, the political concepts and procedures of 1917. They don't meet the problem. They confuse the issues.

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## The Great Game of Politics

### Flynn's Plan to Link President's Address With Dinners to Aid Democrats Assailed

By FRANK R. KENT.

When politics and patriotism are combined, the result is a very bad mixture indeed. This is why the recent breast-beating pronouncements by Chairman Edward J. Flynn of the Democratic National Committee evoked less than no enthusiasm.



Briefly, Mr. Flynn's plan is to link Mr. Roosevelt's scheduled February 22 address to the Nation upon the war situation with a series of party dinners at which funds are to be raised to liquidate the committee's \$600,000 debt (increasing at the rate of \$5,000 a month) and put it in position to "function effectively" in what Mr. Flynn tells us will be the most important congressional election in our history. This hardly seems to harmonize with the very sound idea long ago promulgated by the President, and echoed by various administration spokesmen, that politics should be adjourned during the war.

It seems a very clear effort to cash in upon a patriotic address for a partisan purpose. Barred, because of the appearance of open partisanship, from holding their usual Jackson Day money-raising banquets, the Democratic politicians are preparing to use Washington's Birthday and the President's talk to the whole Nation for the same purpose. According to printed reports, Mr. Flynn, Treasurer Richard J. Reynolds and other committee officials went to the White House last week and conferred with the President on this business of raising money. Mr. Roosevelt, it is reported, discussed the question in detail with them and made several suggestions. It is not known whether he specifically approved this Flynn plan or not, but it is a bad plan and ought to be discouraged. Several thoughts suggest themselves in this connection.

**Disturbing Situation.**  
One, of course, is that the President of the United States ought not to be dealing with the paltry problem of raising money for a party committee while as leader of the Nation he is directing the greatest war in history. Another is that no partisan tinge should be attached to the patriotic address he plans for February 22. Another is that this is a splendid time for professional politicians to keep out of the White House and away from the President. The mere fact that they have access to him at a moment such as this is disturbing. It is hard to imagine anything that could detract more from the presidential protestations of unconcern about politics.

If the Democratic Committee is in debt, let it stay in debt, or find some way of pulling itself out without enlisting the aid and taking up the time of the President. If, with its present organization, the committee has a monthly deficit of \$5,000, let it cut down its organization and reduce its expenses drastically

and immediately. From 1921 to 1924, when the Democratic party had no real sources of revenue, Cordell Hull, now Secretary of State and then national chairman, conducted the party affairs from two rooms in an old office building instead of occupying the whole floor of an expensive hotel. His staff consisted of one stenographer and a publicity man who got \$25 a week instead of \$25,000 a year.

**Absurd Suggestion.**  
The fact is that in recent years these committees have become swollen all out of proportion both as to size and cost. Now they are both broke, which is not a bad thing at all. No one seriously wants to do away with the congressional elections next fall. In the first place, it cannot be done; in the second place, it should not be done. However, Mr. Flynn's contention that this will be the most important congressional election in our history is nonsense.

There will be no issue of foreign policy in the campaign. Every serious candidate, Republican as well as Democrat, will be pledged to uphold the hands of the President and support every measure designed to push the war to a successful conclusion. No one who checked short on these things would stand—or should stand—any chance of election.

Everybody knows that, and the suggestion that these elections are of paramount importance is absurd. The issues in the districts will be personal and local. Now that the country is actually at war, Mr. Roosevelt is as certain to get support for all war measures from the Republicans as he is from the Democrats. Mr. Flynn accuses the Republican leaders of being partisan, and perhaps they are. But Mr. Flynn is pursuing his own partisan purposes behind an exceedingly transparent screen of patriotism.

**Cause for Concern.**  
It is not a pretty exhibition. There is no President to choose next fall and not the slightest reason either side should have a large staff, expensive headquarters and big campaign fund. In fact, the country might be a lot better off if both national committees dried up and did not function at all for the next two years. This is not time for the professional politicians to protrude themselves and their unsavory money troubles. That they cannot pay their debts may be tough on the people to whom they owe money, but what has the country to do with that? The really bad feature is that these men could so easily get into the White House with their petty pleas and plans for the party treasury. That is enough to cause real concern.

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## The Changing World

### Admiral King Runs Seven-Seas Navy With an Unprecedented Free Hand

By CONSTANTINE BROWN.

The brain and nerve center of the United States Navy is in one wing of the Navy Department in Washington, where no civilian, regardless of how important he is, may enter.

Women stenographers and other civilian personnel have been banned from the headquarters of Admiral Ernest J. King, commander in chief of the American naval forces, who alone is responsible for operations of the Navy afloat and has much to say about shore establishments. The civilians have been replaced by enlisted men. They may be less efficient at typing and filing, but they do the job thoroughly.

Office hours are around the clock and dormitories have been

established at Admiral King's headquarters. Cooking facilities also are available, in order to avoid unnecessary loss of time in getting back and forth.

Besides being our ablest naval officer, Admiral King has a well-established reputation for being the toughest man in the Navy. Neither personal nor political considerations influence him in selection of fighting personnel.

The Navy's commander in chief, who is responsible to the President alone, has cut all ties with the civilian world. He is not required to appear before the various committees of Congress, this job being left to pleasant and soft-spoken Admiral Harold R. Stark, chief of naval operations.

**His Opinion Virtually Law.**  
Although nominally the Secretary of the Navy and chief of naval operations are the final authorities in dealing with shipbuilding, types of vessels to be constructed and many such things, Admiral King's opinion in these matters is practically law.

When Admiral King was appointed to this unusual position—one which no admiral has ever held—he made it clear that he could not accept it unless he had a completely free hand in naval strategy, selection of personnel for important positions and utilization of warships to best advantage.

**Needed a Free Hand.**  
Thus Admiral King when he accepted the most powerful posi-

tion in our sea-fighting forces knew he would be responsible for handling billions of dollars of the taxpayers' money in shipbuilding and would be responsible for hundreds of thousands of men—the finest type of Americans—whose lives depend on the ability of the officer at the head of the naval forces.

Pearl Harbor was a typical example of what can happen to American men and expensive warships when the man in supreme command is not absolutely 100 per cent and when politics intervene in the organization of the fighting forces.

Admiral King felt—as did the entire Navy, afloat and ashore—that he could tackle the most difficult job any naval officer ever had in the history of this country, but he needed a completely free hand. Now he has it.

**Unprecedented Task.**

What our strategy is in this war remains a secret until the day that major operations are undertaken. But never before has our Navy been confronted with a more overwhelming task than today. It must fight a Japanese Navy which is strong and for the time being superior and it is contributing ships to the defense of Britain. It provides the bulk of convoy vessels for the merchantmen which are carrying war materials to the British Isles and other parts of the empire in the face of German submarine packs. It must also keep a vigilant eye on South America, where the possibility of an Axis coup cannot be ignored, and must patrol our own long Atlantic Coast to reduce submarine perils to the minimum.

If Admiral King had at his disposal some 3,000,000 tons of warships the task would be relatively simple, but he does not have such tonnage and it will be some time

before what we used to call the two-ocean Navy—but which in fact is a seven seas Navy—will be completed. Neither is the commander in chief likely to have available the aviation needed for the enormous task which lies ahead.

Those who work with Admiral King admire the coolness with which he operates under most difficult circumstances and the excellent way he makes of the relatively insufficient United States naval forces. Those forces face problems which no previous theoretical war plans took into account.

The unanimous opinion of those who serve under him is that if anything can be done Admiral King will do it.

## McLemore—

### California So Kind To Charming Japs

By HENRY McLEMORE.

LOS ANGELES, Calif.—Slant my eyes, bow my legs and hammer me down. I'm turning Japanese.

Two weeks in California have convinced me that the only happy people out here in time of war are the sons of Nippon. Every one is being so kind and so considerate. From Washington, Mr. Biddle does everything I do except cook the rice for the lovely ones. The police and

Henry McLemore, a military authority, makes it a point to see that the Japanese are given every consideration. Americans don't get that out here any more than they do in your home town. An American has to keep his "dukes" up to get swinging from the floor to see that he isn't buffeted around.

But not the Japanese. Since the delightful and charming attack on Pearl Harbor, the Japanese in America have enjoyed a new and comfortable status. They are pointed out. They are enjoying civil liberties they never heard of before.

In case you think I'm jesting, let us consider the matter of Japanese language schools.

Before Pearl Harbor, there were 248 such schools in Southern California. The schools had a combined attendance of 19,000. Immediately after Pearl Harbor, the Japanese sponsors (these schools are completely apart from the California educational system) closed the schools. Every one said, "How nice, how patriotic of the Japanese." Every one in California was very proud of this voluntary response.

But that was a few weeks ago. The smoke has died down from the bombs in Honolulu. The American dead have been buried. The treachery has become a slogan. So, what have the Japanese done? Nothing, except to try politely to open those schools once more.

They have contacted United States Attorney William Fleet Palmer. William Fleet Palmer was very stern with the Hashimuro togos. In a hard-bitten, mean, nasty statement he was quoted as telling them: "This office certainly will not lend any encouragement to the reopening of the Japanese schools."

This hardly seems fair. This brutal answer to our charming little friends shocks me.

Here the Japs are doing their best to take their juvenile American-born offspring and teach them the Emperor Hirohito is the leading citizen of the world, a near god and completely without wrong.

Who are we, as Americans, to discourage this sort of thing? The fact that we are at war with Japan and that our national existence depends upon beating Japan certainly furnishes no excuse for intolerance. After all, the books that are taught in these schools are printed in Japan. My knowledge of Japanese is very slight, so slight in fact that I can't read a word of the stuff. But even to such a casual student of the language as myself it is obvious that these books, while they may not openly rap our United States, bend over backwards (as far as books can bend over backwards) to keep from putting in a plug for this country.

Even the pictures don't give the United States a break. You won't find Mount Vernon or Valley Forge or Belleau Wood or Dewey returning from Manila in there. No, sir! You get a load of pint-sized mountains full of snow, a mess of fans and two or three potential fifth columnists arranging chrysanthemums in a vase.

The schools have nothing to do with the California educational system, as I said before. The children who attend them are American citizens, actually, and from 9 until 3 attend the regular public schools, which are among the best in the country. But they go straight from the American schools to the Japanese schools. At 3:30 19,000 little American Sons of Heaven whip into the Jap classes and concentrate on forgetting the American way of life they learned earlier in the day.

But, thank heaven, the Government is not intolerant. Every one seems to have made up his mind that this country is going to remain a democracy, even at the risk of having it run by a bunch of rickshaw operators.

Son, hand me down my rice cakes. I am off to break sukuyaki with one of the most intelligent, earnest, well-educated (in California's Japanese language schools) saboteurs that it has been my displeasure to know.

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## Alexandria Nets \$10,000 On City Parking Meters

By a Staff Correspondent of The Star.  
ALEXANDRIA, Va., Feb. 6.—The city of Alexandria showed a net profit of almost \$10,000 on the first year of operation of parking meters in the business district, according to figures released by City Manager Carl Budwesky.

Fifty additional meters already have been ordered, he said, for installation on streets crossing King street between Fairfax and Fayette streets. These will be paid for out of the monthly proceeds.

Parking meters brought in \$25,535.86 in 1941, City Auditor Alfred Moses reported. To Mr. Budwesky, while \$15,766.89 was applied on the purchase of the 286 units that are in service. This paid in full for all meters except the last 40 bought by the city.

The city is expected to obtain approximately \$2,000 a month from the meters after all have been installed.

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J. F. Meegan, Well-Known Rare Book Dealer, Dies

James F. Meegan, 69, noted dealer in rare books here for half a century, died last night at Providence Hospital.

W. H. Howe Dies at 71; Paper Manufacturer

BUFFALO, N. Y., Feb. 6.—William H. Howe, 71, paper manufacturer for 53 years with interests in the United States and Canada, died Wednesday night after a week's illness.

Murder, Inc., Defendant Set Free Second Time

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 6.—For the second time in a year Benjamin (Bugsy) Siegel, accused of killing Harry Greenberg, New York gangster, has gone free.

Col. Joseph Pugmire Dies; Salvation Army Veteran

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—The death in London yesterday of Col. Joseph Pugmire, 77, who served the Salvation Army in England, the United States and Canada for 45 years before retiring in 1925, was reported in a cable received here.

Dr. Julia McGrew Dies; Was India Missionary

One of the early woman missionaries to India, Dr. Julia McGrew, 82, died yesterday at her home, 1909 Nineteenth street N.W. Funeral services will be held at 3 p.m. tomorrow at St. John's Episcopal Church, Sixteenth and H streets N.W., followed by private burial services.

Charles A. Strobel Dies; Policeman for 37 Years

Charles A. Strobel, 61, a police private, died yesterday at Mount Alto Hospital after an illness of 11 weeks.

Col. James A. Gillespie Rites Stated Tomorrow

Funeral services for Col. James A. Gillespie, 55, who died January 29 at Fort Lewis, Wash., will be held at 11 a.m. tomorrow in the Port Meyer Chapel, followed by burial in Arlington National Cemetery.

Edward F. Sheffey, 2d, Ordnance Official, Dies

Edward Fleming Sheffey, 2d, died yesterday at his home, 1657 Thirtieth street N.W. Burial will be held at St. John's Church, Georgetown, at 2:30 p.m. tomorrow with burial following in Arlington National Cemetery.

Mining Engineer Dies

BOZEMAN, Mont., Feb. 6 (AP)—Bassett C. Leyson, 77, mining man and consulting engineer for mining companies, died here yesterday.

In Memoriam

FENTON, KENNETH L. In loving memory of our dear son, KENNETH L. FENTON, who left us four years ago, February 6, 1938.

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pastor of the Grace Episcopal Church in Silver Spring, Md. Dr. McGrew was born in Buenos Aires, Argentina, the daughter of the Rev. D. L. Lore, a missionary. She received a medical degree from the University of Michigan, where she was a member of the first class including women.

A Canopy of Trees... Cedar Hill. Drive out Pennsylvania Ave. S.E. to Cemetery Gates, open until sundown. NOT CONNECTED WITH ANY OTHER CEMETERY. WASHINGTON'S MOST BEAUTIFUL CEMETERY.

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### Baruch's Name Used To Lure Victims in \$500,000 Swindle

'Get-Rich-Quick' Scheme Confession Claimed From Jailed Chicagoan

By the Associated Press.  
CHICAGO, Feb. 6.—A promoter who said he lured his prospects with talk of a \$27,000,000 syndicate secretly headed by Bernard Baruch, was held today by State's attorney's police, who had been hunting him in connection with losses of about \$500,000 by investors in a get-rich-quick scheme.

J. Dewey Abraham, 52-year-old former printing house executive, surrendered last night with \$30 in his pocket and declared, Prosecutor C. Vernon Thompson said, "I'm guilty—absolutely guilty, and I'm ready to face the music."

100 Per Cent Profit Promised.  
Search for Abraham started Wednesday night after he was charged specifically with embezzlement of \$900. The warrant was obtained by Mrs. Rose Karant, Abraham's secretary.

Mr. Thompson said Abraham had promoted a scheme based on the quick purchase and sale of real estate, diamonds and securities. He said clients were told the plan was backed by a \$27,000,000 syndicate, secretly sponsored by Mr. Baruch, to whom Abraham claimed kinship. Investors were promised profits of 6, 20 and 100 per cent.

Most investors, Mr. Thompson said, were relatives. One invested \$250,000, another \$140,000, a third \$80,000 and others from \$900 to \$10,000. Mr. Thompson said there were 17 known victims, whose aggregate investments totaled \$416,700.

"Everything Was Dream."  
Abraham, however, told Mr. Thompson, "I guess I took in \$450,000. That's tops. But those people didn't lose everything. I paid dividends almost every month. With a new investment, I'd pay interest on and old one, so that I was robbing Peter to pay Paul."

"Everything was a dream," Abraham said, "the \$27,000,000 syndicate was a dream. Bernard Baruch was a dream. I never saw him, didn't know him and am not related to him. I just used his name in my sales talks."

Mrs. Roosevelt to Speak  
Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt will address colored Masons of the District at 8 p.m. Monday in the Metropolitan Methodist Church, 1518 M street N.W.

### Where To Go What To Do

LECTURES.  
"Argentina," by Julian Bryan, sponsored by National Geographic Society, Constitution Hall, 8:15 o'clock tonight.

"Italian Painting: The Rococo Style," by Lamont Moore, National Gallery of Art, Constitution avenue at Sixth street N.W., 2:30 p.m. tomorrow.

MUSIC.  
Phonograph concert, Northeastern Branch, Public Library, Maryland avenue and Seventh street N.E., 7:30 o'clock tonight.  
Concert, Army Band, Army War College auditorium, 11:30 a.m. tomorrow.

DANCES.  
St. Cecilia Academy, 2400 Hotel, 10 o'clock tonight.  
Georgetown University Junior Prom, Wardman Park Hotel, 9 o'clock tonight.

National Catholic School of Social Service, Mayflower Hotel, 10 o'clock tonight.  
All-States Club, Washington Hotel, 9:30 o'clock tonight.  
Victory Ball and card party, sponsored by Lebanon Chapter, No. 25, Order of the Eastern Star, Washington Hotel, 9 o'clock tonight.

DINNER.  
National Rifle Association, Mayflower Hotel, 6:30 o'clock tonight.  
LUNCHEON.  
Harvard Club of Washington, Army-Navy Club, 1627 I street N.W., 1:15 p.m. tomorrow.

FOR MEN IN THE SERVICE.  
Game night, National Baptist Memorial Church, Eighteenth street and Columbia road N.W., 8 o'clock tonight.

Dance, Women's Battalion, Bureau of Engraving and Printing, Fourteenth and C streets S.W., 8 o'clock tonight.  
Social and forum, following religious services, Adas Israel Congregation, Sixth and I streets N.W., 8:15 o'clock tonight.

Sight-seeing tour, ending with picnic supper, sponsored by the Brightwood, Emory and Hamline Methodist Episcopal Churches; meet at Supreme Court Building, First street and Maryland avenue N.E., 2 p.m. tomorrow.

Dancing lessons, National Catholic Community Service Club, 918 Tenth street N.W., 3 p.m. tomorrow.

FOR COLORED SERVICE MEN.  
Open house, Phyllis Wheatley Y. W. C. A., 901 Rhode Island avenue N.W., 7:30 o'clock tonight.  
Basket ball, ping-pong and pool contests, Y. M. C. A., 1816 Twelfth street N.W., 8:30 o'clock tonight.  
Swimming, Y. M. C. A., 2 to 10 p.m. tomorrow.

### Fight on Bill to Ban Liquor Price Ads Voted by Association

Connecticut Avenue Unit Asks Increased Tire Theft Penalty

The Connecticut Avenue Citizens' Association last night agreed to fight legislation to ban advertising of liquor prices. Already approved by the House, the bill is now before a Senate subcommittee.

The association, meeting in All Souls' Memorial Church, endorsed increased penalty for theft of tires and reaffirmed its confidence in Thomas E. Lodge as chairman of the Alcoholic Beverage Control Board.

Lt. Col. Edward Barber spoke on the importance of the Red Cross.

The group voted to make honorary members of all men from the association serving with the armed forces and special mention was made of Lt. William B. McQuire.

C. B. Whaley asked that a letter be sent to the District Commissioners requesting information as to whether voluntary police are eligible for hospital attention in case of accident.

W. D. Searle gave a report on playgrounds. Mrs. W. W. Coblentz on zoning and Miss Elizabeth R. Groves, treasurer, reported 72 new members.

Shrine Circus Elephants Due to Arrive Today  
Four elephants, listed among the comedy performers of the Shrine Circus, were expected to arrive today and take up quarters on a lot adjoining the Uline Arena, where the show will open a week's run Monday night.

Potestate Howard P. Foley of Almas Temple, director of the circus, announced he had been informed Clyde Beatty would report Sunday morning with his troupe of 30 lions and tigers.

Aerialists and trained dogs, horses and bears will be among other features of the three-ring presentation which will be offered in 11 performances for benefit of Almas Temple Charities and Activities Fund.

Arrangements have been made to admit 5,000 service men and more than 10,000 deserving children, including orphans and cripples, as guests of the Shriners.

Rickshaw bikes have been abandoned in Tientsin, China, because the streets are too narrow.

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7	3	Wilson Johnny Revolta Woods	\$30.00	\$17.85
3	4	Wilson Johnny Revolta Woods	\$40.00	\$23.80
9	4	McGregor Byron Nelson Western	\$40.00	\$23.80
12	3	McGregor Ben Hogan Premier	\$18.00	\$11.85
22	3	Wilson Helen Hicks Club Champ	\$19.50	\$11.85
12	6	McGregor Hogan Premier Irons	\$30.00	\$17.70
4	8	McGregor Nelson Airline Irons	\$52.00	\$31.60
9	8	McGregor Nelson Western Irons	\$64.00	\$39.60
11	6	Wilson Helen Hicks Club Champ	\$30.00	\$17.70
4	8	Wilson Sarazen Strokemaster	\$52.00	\$31.60
8	5	Spalding Hammer Head Irons	\$25.00	\$14.75
5	6	Hillierich & Bradby Grand Slam	\$51.00	\$23.70

400 Odds and Ends Steel Shaft Irons. Values to \$5, all numbers in group \$1.95  
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200 Odds and Ends Steel Shaft Woods. Values to \$12, mostly Spalding No. 3 & No. 4. \$2.95  
300 dozen \$6 Vim Golf Balls. Maximum flight and durability. \$2.95  
150 dozen \$6 Rob Roy Golf Balls. One dozen to a customer. \$2.95  
100 dozen Liquid Center Spiffire Golf Balls. \$3.95  
52-\$40 Par & Gihon Leather Golf Bags. Completely de luxe equipped, 14-club size. \$19.95  
184 Par Oval Canvas Golf Bags. Reg. \$6.50, has zipper ball pocket, zipper convertible hood. \$3.95  
256 Reg. \$8.50 Par Oval Canvas Golf Bags. Zipper ball and shoe pockets, zipper convertible hood. \$4.95  
69 Reg. \$10 Par Oval Canvas Golf Bags. Full 14-club size, zipper ball and shoe pocket, zipper selector ball pocket, zipper convertible hood. \$5.95  
18 sets Model 742 Kroydon Irons. 1941 model, regular price \$68 set of 8. \$31.60  
24 sets 6 Bristol Step Down Steel Shaft, Sam Parks, Jr. Irons. Reg. \$45.00. \$21.00  
300 Odds and Ends Steel Shaft Irons. Values to \$4, George Nicoll and others, mostly No. 2 irons. \$1  
325 Reg. \$1.25 Golf Gloves. Mostly right hand, but still plenty of lefts. 39c  
Reg. \$6.50 Men's Removable Spike Golf Shoes. Wing tip and mosaic canvas styles, all sizes. \$4.95  
Ladies' Sport and Golf Shoes. Values to \$12 pair, many Spalding shoes in lot. \$2.95

Baseball, Softball, Volley & Basketballs  
\$6 A. G. Spalding Baseball Mitt. All leather lined, to close out. \$2.95  
18 Famous \$8.50 Spalding 'Jim McCarthy' Baseball Mitt. One of the finest baseball mitts ever made. \$4.95  
\$5 A. G. Spalding Catcher's Mitt. Includes many of famous 'Mickey Cochrane' model. \$2.95  
52 Reg. \$2.95 Goldsmith Official 16" Softballs. \$1.45  
Odd lot Softball Fielder's Gloves. Reg. \$3.50. Slightly soiled, some slight irregularities. \$1.45  
\$5 A. G. Spalding Softball Fielder's Gloves. Made of genuine white cowhide, 125 in this lot. \$2.45  
Reg. \$6.50 A. G. Spalding Softball Catcher's Mitts. Few irregularities, some slightly soiled. \$2.95  
Reg. \$3.60 A. G. Spalding Baseballs. Official size and weight. \$1.95  
\$5 A. J. Reech and A. G. Spalding Soccer Balls. Values to \$8 each, slightly soiled. \$3.95  
\$9 A. G. Spalding Lastbit Volley Balls. Genuine leather, moulded construction. \$3.95  
32 Reg. \$10 Wilson Basketball. Genuine leather, constructed for 'inside or outside play'. Each. \$3.95  
\$3 Vim Leather Volley Balls. Slightly soiled, all in good condition. \$2.95  
\$17 and \$20 A. G. Spalding Lastbit Basketballs. White and brown genuine leather, laceless and moulded construction. \$8.95  
145 Reg. \$2.50 A. G. Spalding Elastic Knee Pads. All built with foam rubber cushion. Pair. \$1.25  
25 A. G. Spalding Right Hand Baseball Fielder's Gloves. All top grade \$10 and \$12 gloves, a break for the 'lefty'. \$5.95  
Large lot Spalding 25 and 50c Baseball Caps. Satin and Molekin caps, assorted colors. 15c  
\$3.50 A. G. Spalding Catcher's Mitts. Genuine horsehide mill, full size. \$1.95  
\$2 and \$3 A. G. Spalding Fielder's Baseball Gloves. Slightly soiled, some slight irregularities. \$1  
200 Draper & Maynard Baseball Score Books. Small size, 79-game, reg. 75c each. 25c

FISHING  
\$10.00 Vim South Bend One Piece Split Bamboo Salt Water Rods. Detachable butt, boat water. \$4.95  
\$4 Vim South Bend Two-Piece Salt Water Split Bamboo Boat Rods. \$2.95  
\$3 Benson Anti-Break Lash Casting Rod. \$1.35  
\$4.95 Gephart Fresh Water Casting Rod. \$3.95  
\$2.95 Fishing Tackle Boxes. Seamless construction, waterproof, 2 cantilever trays. \$1.75  
\$10 South Bend Two-Piece Split Bamboo Salt Water Boat Rods. \$4.95  
\$10.00 Vim South Bend Surf Rod. \$4.95  
\$3.00 12-Quart Bait Bucket. Has a galvanized floating m in n o w ball. \$1.50  
\$5-\$17.50 Penn Salt Water Reel. 250-yard capacity, free spool, star drag. 95c  
\$5-\$4.00 Silver King Salt Water Reel. 250-yard capacity, free spool, star drag. \$2.19  
\$2-\$5.75 South Bend Fresh Water Reel. Level wind. \$2.95  
\$18-\$5 Ocean City Brigadier Fresh Water Reel. Level wind. \$3.50  
\$12-\$27.50 Ocean City / Ocean Fresh Water Reel. Level wind. \$1.95  
\$4.95 Union Hardware Fresh Water Fly Rods. \$4.95  
\$6.95 Montague Fresh Water Fly Rods. \$3.95  
\$10.95 Montague Fresh Water Fly Reel. \$5.95

TABLE TENNIS  
16 Reg. \$24.95 Table Tennis Tables. 8-leg, 8-ply, official 7'3" size, stained green with white striping. Display tables, some slightly damaged. \$14.95  
400 Reg. \$1 Buckingham Ping-Pong Paddles. 3 and 5 ply construction, rubber faced, all official. 45c

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27 pairs Men's and Ladies' C. C. M. Figure Skates. Values to \$17.50 pair, broken-in sizes. \$4.95  
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47 pairs Men's Vim \$10.95 and \$12.50 Hockey Skates. Many with chromium-plated blades, 2-tone brown shoes with outside ankle strap, many with inside brace. \$5.95  
32 pairs Ladies' \$9.95 Vim Hockey Shoes. Famous Brooks shoes in black and buff leather, chromium plated blades. \$4.95  
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Large Lot Wilson Brothers Slip-over and Coat Sweaters, regular \$5 values, tan, green and blue in all sizes. \$2.95  
\$5 and \$7.50 Famous Make Sportswear Ensembles. Sorry we cannot mention the manufacturer's name. \$3.95  
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75 pairs Odds and Ends Ellsworth Vines Tennis Shoes. Sizes 6, 6 1/2 and 7, only, low with crepe sole. Pair. 50c  
10 Reg. \$1.50 Tennis Racket Covers. 15c  
Odds and Ends Vim Tennis Shoes. Values from \$1.85 to \$2.50, white canvas uppers with heavy crepe soles. \$1.25  
Large Lot Satin Basketball Jackets. Sold regularly at \$4.95, all colors, have knit cuffs. \$2.95  
15-\$12.00 Vim Super Special Tennis Rackets. All lamb's-gut string. \$6.95  
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18 Wilson Brothers' Zipper Sport Jacket. Ideal for school and outdoor sportswear, all sizes. \$5.95  
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Large Lot Men's, Boys' and Girls' Cotton Socks, reg. 50c pair. 10c  
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### 56 More Volunteers Sign Up for Defense In Dupont Circle Area

#### Mass Meeting Speakers Point to Need of Completing Organization

Importance of completing further organization and other work in its civilian defense program was stressed last night by speakers at a mass meeting held in the Covenant-First Presbyterian Church under auspices of the Civilian Defense Committee of the Dupont Circle area. An additional 56 volunteer workers for the area enrolled immediately following the meeting. William C. Taylor, chairman for the area, called the meeting to order and stressed the area's need for stretcher bearers and rescue workers, trained to handle injured persons in the event of an air raid here.

Geographic Society Building which has been chosen as centers for feeding in an air-raid emergency. The churches include Universalist National Memorial Church, Plymouth Congregational Church, St. Phillip's Baptist Church, Foundry Methodist Church, the Covenant-First Presbyterian Church and the Church of the Pilgrims.

Mrs. Buchanan urged a spirit of friendship and neighborliness. At one point in her talk, she caused laughter when she smiled and said: "We don't feel we are all parasites" and asserted "some of us have been here longer than the squatters on Pennsylvania avenue." Emergency feeding unit chairmen include Miss Rosalie Guarino, Mrs. Hattie Tucker, Mrs. William James and Mrs. James Edgar. Three other unit chairmen in the group are yet to be named, it was announced.

### Allied Flyers Sink Or Damage 74 Axis Ships During Month

#### 52 Japanese Vessels Among Victims, London Officials Estimate

LONDON, Feb. 6.—Allied air forces operating over wide stretches of European and Pacific waters sank or damaged 74 Axis vessels of all types in January, it was estimated in an official summary released last night. In the Pacific theater, where Allied strength is increasing, 52 Japanese vessels were sent to the bottom or hit. Destruction of a 20,000-ton liner was the high light of operations in the Mediterranean, where 15 vessels were sunk or damaged. In the North Sea and off the Atlantic Coast six enemy supply ships and a tanker were sunk, damaged or set afire. The European total includes attacks on convoys off the Netherlands coast and on other shipping in the North Sea, and a series of night attacks to which the warships Gneisenau, Scharnhorst and Prinz Eugen were subjected at Brest, occupied France.

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### Bradbury Heights Citizens Form Salvage Committee

#### New Zealand to Call Up Childless Married Men

AUCKLAND, Feb. 6.—New Zealand announced yesterday that men with children will be called up by age groups for military service both here and abroad following the calling up of all childless married men. The Ministry of National Service said the government is adopting this method because the army wants younger men who take more easily to modern warfare, while industry needs the more skilled and experienced type, who are usually older.

### Pet Cat, Left \$5,000, Eating Up Estate Fast

#### Storm Sash By Eisinger

SACRAMENTO, Calif.—Lily, the heiress cat, is down to her last \$2,686. The coal-black kitten received \$5,000 in the will of her mistress, Miss Annie Hansche, who died four years ago. Mrs. Bidwell told the court she had been unable to collect her ward's board bill because a new trustee has not been named. She asked for the job, reporting that Lily's appetite for liver, grade A milk and catnip has consumed all but \$2,686 of her inheritance.



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But the new armament goal requires enormous additions in trains, locomotives, supplies and manpower.

In the next 12 months, the railroads are planning to add to their equipment approximately 114,000 all-steel freight cars, and nearly a thousand new modern locomotives. This will require the outlay of hundreds of millions of dollars.

Like all other businesses the railroads are paying more for everything they need and use—fuel, food, materials, supplies.

In addition, the railroads will pay yearly over \$300,000,000 higher wages as a result of the recommendations last Fall of the Emergency Board created by the President.

When it rendered its findings, the President's Emergency Board said:

"... we are unable affirmatively to find, on the basis of the record, that the Class I railroads are now enjoying, or presently will succeed in enjoying, revenues in excess of those needed to permit them to render the service which the country is now calling upon them to render."

"... we feel obliged to say that our recommended increases in railroad wages have been made on the assumption that the railroads can secure needed relief from resulting inadequate net revenues by obtaining permission to increase their transportation rates."

In order to meet partly the greatly increased costs and demands placed upon them by the march of events, the railroads found it necessary to petition the Interstate Commerce Commission for an increase in freight rates and passenger fares.

The increase in passenger fares has been granted, the Commission finding that "... the increase in fares proposed is necessary to enable petitioners to continue to render adequate and efficient railway transportation service during the present emergency..."

The change, effective February 10, amounts to only a fraction of a cent per mile. One-way coach fares will be increased from 2 cents to 2.2 cents per mile. One-way railroad fares for Pullman travel from 3 cents to 3.3 cents per mile. Round-trip fares will enable you to enjoy coach travel for as little as 1.65 cents per mile.

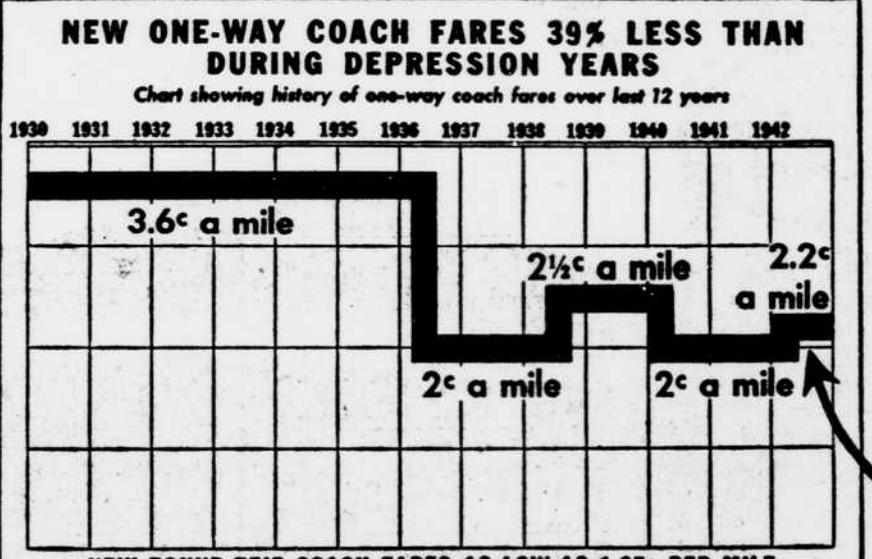
In themselves, the increases are slight. The public will still continue to enjoy fast, safe, dependable transportation at low cost (see chart). But in the aggregate, the increases will help the railroads do what the public counts on them to do.

We believe the public recognizes that in times like these railroads face many problems. Costs are one. Service is another.

Sudden troop movements on a large scale may take a heavy share of passenger car equipment, both coaches and Pullman. In consequence, a passenger may have to take an upper berth instead of a lower berth or private room. Overtaxed telephone facilities may entail some delay in reservations. Badly needed war supplies may command the right of way over all other non-military train movements, causing a regularly scheduled train to be late.

Again, while steel priorities have been given for building freight cars and locomotives, none so far has been granted for new passenger cars. The railroads must get along with their present passenger car equipment, at least for the time being.

In the light of these conditions, therefore, we ask the public to bear with us and to accept any inconvenience due to the National Emergency, with patience and understanding.



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**Goering's Rome Visit Believed to Concern War Workers**

**Germany Needs Laborers To Take Place of Men Sent to Russian Front**

By PAUL GHALL, Foreign Correspondent of The Star and Chicago Daily News.  
BERN, Feb. 6.—Whatever else Reichsmarshal Hermann Goering discussed in Rome with his various distinguished hosts, it is certain that the question of obtaining from Germany's Axis partner a solid contingent of workers to replace German ones, now called to the colors in preparation for the spring offensive, was the Reichsmarshal's predominant topic in his double role of Der Fuehrer's right-hand man and head of the German home front four-year plan.

Goering's sudden and mysterious trip to Italy was announced three days after his arrival in Rome. Its actual motive, it is believed, was the urgency of the German need to replace recently called up men by foreign labor if Germany's war production is to be maintained at its present level.

Diplomatic observers consider all reports that the talks were of purely military character as a way of diverting public attention from the real facts.

**2,000,000 Needed for Army.**  
According to military experts, a fresh army of at least 2,000,000 men must be organized if the spring offensive against Russia is to be waged with some success. Hitler's plan is countered by the terrific toll that the Russian Moloch is daily taking of German forces. A Russian communique recently announced that 13 German divisions, kept in reserve for the spring offensive, were ordered to the Karkhov front by the German high command and suffered the heaviest losses. Actual naming of these divisions, together with other details, seems to vouch for the authenticity of the communique.

Signs in Germany indicate that preparations for the spring offensive are well under way. Germans living abroad, aged 29 to 45, were ordered to register at their consulates at the beginning of February. All sport competitions have been canceled in Germany.

Whatever forces this general calling up will produce, they will on no account reach the number of troops Hitler needs. Thus, Germany has to draw on her own able-bodied workers to fill big remaining gaps.

The Berliner Boerser-Zeitung Tuesday clearly admitted such a necessity in a government-inspired article. The writer stressed the paradoxical fact that it was in the German interest to renounce foreign industries working for the Reich since imported foreign workers would "be more productive" under the German thumb.

**Number Not Sufficient.**  
"Not counting war prisoners, Germany employs more than 2,000,000 foreign workers, but that is not sufficient considering that the Reich is fighting for the whole continent," the writer concludes.

Italy's part in this is clear enough. Italy's workers amount to the high figure of 5,000,000, according to reports by recent visitors to that kingdom. A good part of them would be welcome in Germany, added to the 132,000 already there. The difficulty arises from the fact that Italians are not so keen to leave their homeland for Germany.

It is hoped in Berlin that Reichs-

**Many Aliens Seized By F. B. I. in Raids Near Mare Island**

**Navy Signal Flags, Maps, Weapons, Cameras and Radios Confiscated**

By the Associated Press.  
VALLEJO, Calif., Feb. 6.—Raids by Federal agents in areas adjacent to two big West Coast navy yards have led to the arrest of nearly two score Axis aliens, mostly Japanese, and seizure of Navy signal flags, maps, weapons, cameras and radios.

The latest raid of 25 F. B. I. agents, personally led by Nat Pieper, head of the San Francisco office, fell with surprising suddenness last night on alien establishments in Vallejo, which is near the Mare Island Navy Yard.

Wednesday other F. B. I. agents seized 15 Japanese on Bainbridge Island which lies strategically near the navy yard at Bremerton, Wash.

**Jap Laundry Raided.**  
Among the Vallejo places raided last night was a Japanese laundry which, police said, had been laundering clothes for Mare Island workers. The F. B. I. agents, in cooperation with local officers, arrested more than a score of aliens, one a woman. Those seized included three Germans and one Italian. The rest were Japanese.

Nine of the group were ordered held for immigration authorities. The rest were released.

Vallejo police said that the laundry raided has sent its agents for many years into the navy yard to pick up clothing.

The agents seized a complete set of United States Navy signal flags, weapons, cameras, radios and suitcases filled with undisclosed contents.

"We're doing this on definite suspicions of espionage in the area," Mr. Pieper emphasized.

**Buildings Taken Over.**  
The raiding agency took over the city and county buildings as the arrests increased and the seizures piled up.

The 15 Japanese men rounded up Wednesday on Bainbridge Island in Puget Sound will be brought before an alien hearing board to determine if they are to be interned.

Gerald Shucklin, assistant United States district attorney, said at Seattle that some of the Japanese possessed maps showing Puget Sound, making them illegally-held material. Most of the Japanese were held for possession of dynamite which they had been using in land-clearing operations. A short-wave radio set and several firearms were other seized items.

**No Naps for the Japs**  
MANCHESTER, N. H. (AP).—Navy recruiters here have added another link to the war slogans now stretching across the country. Their version: "No naps for the Japs."

marshal Goering's smiling popularity has served to convince, and eventually will force the reluctant Italians to go.

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**MacLeish Denounces Axis Broadcasters Ruthless Technique**

**Use of Religious Issue In Effort to Divide United Nations Exposed**

By the Associated Press.

Axis short wave strategy is hammering on the religious issue as a wedge to divide the United Nations, Archibald MacLeish declared last night.

Mr. MacLeish, director of the Office of Facts and Figures, issued a long statement denouncing the "Borgia Bund" of Axis broadcasters who, he said, are spreading "exaggerations, distortions and outrageous lies" from Berlin, Tokio and Rome.

"The campaign is as shrewd, as ruthless, as any poison plot of the Borgias," he added.

During the Pan-American Conference in Rio de Janeiro, Axis broadcasters joined enemy agents on the sea in what Mr. MacLeish

called a "frantic but fruitless" effort to destroy inter-American harmony by fabricating a picture of religious conflict and charging the United States with imperialistic intentions.

Based on factual study.

"Among the fabrications was an allegation that the Vatican, which promptly denied the story, was urging the South American countries not to break relations with the Axis. Another, via Italian radio, portrayed 'Protestant Roosevelt' in alliance with 'atheist Stalin' attacking 'Catholic Fascism!'"

Mr. MacLeish said his report was based on a factual study of enemy propaganda conducted by the intelligence bureau of the O. F. F.

Attempts to divide Britain from America are a favorite theme of Axis radio speakers. Recent broadcasts aimed at the United States declared: "The American foreign policy is dictated from Downing street rather than from Washington, and will leave America holding the bag."

But while Americans were being told their country was a tail to the British kite, the British were being told: "The British Empire is dissolving like a lump of sugar into the Roosevelt teacup."

**Familiar Technique.**

The familiar technique of advertising the United States as a gangster paradise came in for use during the Rio conference when a Rome broadcast declared:

"A noted North American gang leader accepted a recruit at once when the applicant stated that his experience record included work for the F. B. I., for Mayor La Guardia, Secretary Morgenthau and lately for Sumner Welles. Cried the gang leader, 'That's enough! You have just the qualifications for a successful gangster.'"

The broadcast analysis took particular note of the consistent Tokio reiteration of the nobility and high honor of the Japanese soldier.

"It would seem that Japan is a little sensitive about the treachery of Pearl Harbor," Mr. MacLeish said. "At least the Japanese apologists are taking great pains to point out how honorable the Japanese are."

**Maloney Considers Next Move to Find Propaganda Witness**

**Special Prosecutor Plans To Consult With Attorney For Missing Publicist**

Justice Department counsel in the grand jury investigation of Axis propaganda agents expected today to determine the next step to be taken in connection with the disappearance of William Griffin, New York publicist, who is wanted as a witness in District Court.

"The New Yorker, editor of the New York Enquirer, dropped out of sight two weeks ago, before he could be served with a subpoena for his appearance here. The Enquirer was a client of the Nazi propaganda agency, Transocean News, convicted in District Court several months ago for violating the Foreign Agents Registration Act."

Mr. Griffin is represented by

Thomas Jefferson Ryan, New York lawyer, who assured the Justice Department the publicist would be available when wanted. Yesterday, Mr. Ryan wrote to William Fower Maloney, special prosecutor, telling of the disappearance of his client, and advising the Government representative to do whatever he thought best in the matter.

Mr. Maloney expected to get in touch with Mr. Ryan today and decide his course.

In a related development, the Associated Press reported from San Francisco that Tsutomu Otsuna, secretary of the Japanese Chamber of Commerce there, had been ordered removed to Washington to answer an indictment charging that he had failed to register as a propaganda agent of the Japanese government.

**Willing to Come Here.**

Counsel for Otsuna told Federal Judge A. F. St. Sure that the man only wrote letters for the chamber and did not know the truth or falsehood of the matters he had handled. In response to a question, Otsuna told the court he was willing to come here.

Fred V. Williams, San Francisco publicist, and Warren Ryder, writer and publisher, indicted in the same

**Moving of Patent Office To Be Resumed Tonight**

The moving of Patent Office equipment and furniture to Richmond, temporarily suspended for about two days because operations were running ahead of schedule, will be resumed tonight, officials announced today. It is expected that the transfer will be completed by the end of next week.

One elevator in the Patent Office Building at Richmond broke down early this week, because of overloading, but since the building had other elevators, this did not seriously interfere with the moving program, officials explained. Commissioner Coe visited Richmond Tuesday and found operations were proceeding smoothly.

Transfer of Patent Office equip-

**Retired Federal Worker, Frank Hursh, 64, Dies**

Frank Hursh, 64, long-time resident of Washington and retired Government Printing Office employe, died Wednesday at Sibley Hospital. Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. tomorrow at the Lee funeral home, Fourth street and Massachusetts avenue N.E. Burial will be private.

Mr. Hursh, a native of Columbus, Ohio, came here 42 years ago to enter Government service with the G. P. O., from which he retired six years ago. Active in the Masonic order, he was past master of Hope Lodge, No. 20, and past patron of Martha Chapter, No. 4, Order of the Eastern Star.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Evelyn S. Hursh, and a son, Francis H. Hursh, both of Washington. Mr. and Mrs. Hursh made their home at 5114 Kansas avenue N.W.

**Burke May Try to Return To Senate as Republican**

By the Associated Press.

Informed political circles heard today that Edward R. Burke, former Democratic Senator from Nebraska, may seek to return to the Senate as a Republican this year.

In response to an inquiry, Mr. Burke said that "if sufficient sentiment made itself evident in responsible quarters of the Republican party that I was the man to make the race, I would consider it very carefully."

Mr. Burke was defeated for re-nomination in the Democratic primary of 1940, and he joined the Republican party in accordance with a promise that he would do so if the Democratic party violated the "sacred traditions of no third term." Since leaving the Senate, he has been practicing law here.

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**Auto Use Tax Repeal Asked in House Bill**

A bill to repeal the automobile use tax after next July 1, when the current stickers expire, was introduced yesterday by Representative Landis, Republican, of Indiana.

Mr. Landis, in a statement, described the levy a nuisance tax and declared it "objectionable" on these grounds:

"The auto is not a luxury. Most cars are used for business purposes and transportation purposes.

"Owners of small and old passenger cars must pay the same amount (\$5 a year) as do owners of large limousines and luxurious yachts.

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\$2.50 White Shirts.....	\$1.89		
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- NEW YORK CABBAGE ..... Lb. 3c
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  - Nestle's Chocolate ..... 2 lbs 25c
  - Dromedary Coconut ..... 4-oz can 9c
  - Baker's Coconut ..... 4-oz can 9c
  - Br'er Rabbit Molasses ..... 12-oz can 17c
  - Karo Syrup ..... 12-oz can 23c
  - McCormick's Nutmeg ..... 1-oz can 8c
  - McCormick's Cinnamon ..... 1-oz can 10c
  - Comstock Pie Apples ..... 2 lbs 23c
  - Sour Pie Cherries ..... 2 lbs 29c
  - Fiakorn Muffin Mix ..... 2 lbs 25c
  - Bee Brand Vanilla ..... 2-oz can 35c
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  - Log Cabin Syrup ..... 12-oz can 17c
  - Sloopy Hollow Syrup ..... 12-oz can 14c
  - Corn Kix Cereal ..... 7-oz can 11c
  - Grape-Nuts ..... 2 lbs 25c
  - Grape-Nuts Flakes ..... 5-oz can 9c
  - Kollogg's Bran ..... 5-oz can 9c
  - Kollogg's Corn Flakes ..... 5-oz can 5c
  - Kollogg's Pop ..... 2 lbs 21c
  - Pest Toasties ..... 5-oz can 5c
  - Quaker Puffed Wheat ..... 2 lbs 19c
  - Quaker Puffed Rice ..... 2 lbs 11c
  - Wheaties ..... 2 lbs 21c
  - Cream of Wheat ..... 12-oz can 24c
  - Quaker Oats ..... 12-oz can 21c
  - Ralston Cereal ..... 12-oz can 22c
  - Shredded Ralston ..... 2 lbs 23c
  - Shredded Wheat ..... 2 lbs 23c
  - Wheatena ..... 2 lbs 22c

- ### HOUSEHOLD NEEDS
- Mazda Lamps 40, 50, 60 watt each 13c
  - Mazda Lamps 75, 100 watt each 15c
  - Fuse Plugs 10, 15, 25 ampere 5 for 23c
  - Brooms each 29c, 41c, 55c, 79c
  - Kitchen Matches ..... 2 boxes 9c
  - Cut Rite Wax Paper ..... 12-1/2 sq ft 15c
  - Scot Paper Towels ..... roll 9c
  - Red Cross Towels ..... 3 rolls 25c
  - Johnson's Paste Wax ..... 1-lb can 59c
  - Johnson's Glocat ..... 1 pint can 59c
  - 2 in 1 Shoe Polish ..... 2 cans 15c
  - Mule Team Borax ..... 1-lb can 13c
  - Drano or Sani Flush ..... 1-oz can 18c
  - Bab-O Powder ..... 1-oz can 10c
  - Clorox Bleach ..... quart 19c
  - Lifebuoy Soap ..... 4 cakes 25c
  - Palmolive Soap ..... 4 cakes 25c
  - Camay Soap ..... 4 cakes 6c
  - Ivory Soap ..... 3 cakes 17c
  - Ivory Soap ..... 1 cake 17c
  - Oxydol ..... 2 cakes 19c
  - Lux Flakes ..... 2 cakes 22c
  - Old Dutch Cleanser ..... 2 cakes 13c
  - Sunbrite Cleanser ..... 2 cakes 9c

- ### VEGETABLES-FRUITS
- Argo Asparagus ..... 10 1/2-oz can 15c
  - Del Monte Asparagus ..... 10 1/2-oz can 25c
  - Heinz Baby Foods ..... 3 cans 20c
  - Gerber's Baby Foods ..... 3 cans 19c
  - Phillips Beans with pork ..... 3 1-lb cans 17c
  - Gardenside Peas ..... 1-lb can 10c
  - Emerald Peas ..... 2 1-lb cans 23c
  - Green Giant Peas ..... 2 1-lb cans 27c
  - Dude Ranch Peas ..... 2 1-lb cans 23c
  - Whopper Peas ..... 2 1-lb cans 25c
  - Gardenside Crushed Corn ..... 1-lb can 9c
  - Highway Corn ..... 1-lb can 10c
  - Country Home Golden Bantam Cream Style Crushed Corn ..... 2 1-lb cans 25c
  - Country Home Golden Bantam White Grain Corn ..... 2 1-lb cans 25c
  - Del Malz Niblets ..... 2 1-lb cans 23c
  - Bonnie Dell Limas ..... 2 1-lb cans 17c
  - Seaside Butter Beans ..... 1-lb can 10c
  - Phillips Mixed Vegetables ..... 2 1-lb cans 13c
  - Veg-All Vegetables ..... 2 1-lb cans 19c
  - Libby's Sauerkraut ..... 1-lb can 10c
  - Silver Floss Kraut ..... 3 1-lb cans 25c
  - Emerald Bay Spinach ..... 1-lb can 17c
  - Hunt's Spinach ..... 1-lb can 17c
  - Heinz Kidney Beans ..... 1-lb can 13c
  - B & M Baked Beans ..... 1-lb can 15c
  - Apple Sauce ..... 2 1-lb cans 15c
  - Whole Apricots ..... 2 1-lb cans 19c
  - Hunt's Blackberries ..... 2 1-lb cans 35c
  - Golden Poppy Figs ..... 1-lb can 19c
  - Sundown Fruit Cocktail ..... 2 1-lb cans 27c
  - Hunt's Fruit Salad ..... 1-lb can 17c
  - Castle Crest Peaches ..... 1-lb can 19c
  - Del Monte Peaches ..... 1-lb can 20c
  - Del Monte Pears ..... 1-lb can 23c
  - Cascade Pears ..... 1-lb can 19c
  - Tomato Juice ..... 2 1-lb cans 33c
  - Libby's Tomato Juice ..... 3 1-lb cans 25c
  - Gusto Veg. Juices ..... 1-lb can 29c
  - Ritter Tomato Juice ..... 1-lb can 25c
  - Sunsweet Prune Juice ..... 1-lb can 21c
  - G & E Grape Juice ..... 1-lb can 27c
  - Weich's Grape Juice ..... 1-lb can 39c
  - Grapefruit Juice ..... 1-lb can 19c
  - Pomorang Blended Juice ..... 2 1-lb cans 21c
  - Treesweet Orange Juice ..... 1-lb can 30c

- ### COFFEE-TEA-MILK
- Nob Hill Coffee ..... 2 lbs 45c
  - Airway Coffee ..... 2 lbs 39c
  - Edwards Coffee ..... 1-lb can 26c
  - Maxwell House Coffee ..... 1-lb can 31c
  - Chase & Sanborn ..... 1-lb can 28c
  - Wilkins Coffee ..... 1-lb can 32c
  - Kaffee Hag Coffee ..... 1-lb can 33c
  - Sanka Coffee ..... 1-lb can 34c
  - Nestle Nescafe ..... 1-lb can 39c
  - Oriente Coffee ..... 1-lb can 32c
  - Lipton's Tea ..... 1-lb can 47c
  - McCormicks O. P. Tea ..... 1-lb can 25c
  - Wilkins O. P. Tea ..... 1-lb can 22c
  - Tender Leaf Tea ..... 1-lb can 22c
  - Wilkins Tea Balls ..... 1-lb can 15c
  - Hershey's Cocoa ..... 1-lb can 16c
  - Baker's Cocoa ..... 1-lb can 16c
  - Nestle's Cocoa ..... 1-lb can 18c
  - Cocomaalt ..... 1-lb can 21c
  - Ovaltine ..... 1-lb can 39c
  - Cherub Evap. Milk ..... 3 1-lb cans 63c
  - Garnation Evap. Milk ..... 3 1-lb cans 28c
  - Pet Evap. Milk ..... 3 1-lb cans 28c
  - Lucerne Fresh Milk ..... 2 1-lb cans 23c
  - Lucerne Buttermilk ..... 1-lb can 9c
  - Lucerne Dair-Drink ..... 1-lb can 9c

- ### BUTTER-EGGS-CHEESE
- Land O' Lakes Butter ..... 1-lb can 42c
  - Jumbo Butter ..... 1-lb can 39c
  - Candied Eggs ..... 1-lb can 38c
  - Morning Star Eggs ..... 1-lb can 43c
  - U. S. Grade A Eggs ..... 1-lb can 45c
  - Pabst-ett Cheese ..... 1-lb can 15c
  - Kraft American Cheese ..... 1-lb can 19c
  - Kraft Velveta Cheese ..... 1-lb can 9c
  - Philadelphia Cream Cheese ..... 1-lb can 9c
  - Kraft American Cheese ..... 1-lb can 63c
  - Parkay Margarine ..... 1-lb can 23c
  - Our Banquet Margarine ..... 1-lb can 16c
  - Honey Nut Margarine ..... 1-lb can 17c

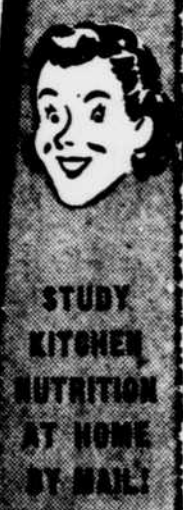
- ### MACARONI-SPAGHETTI
- Phillips Spaghetti ..... 3 1-lb cans 20c
  - Franco-American Macaroni ..... 2 cans 19c
  - Franco-American Spaghetti ..... 2 cans 17c
  - Heinz Spaghetti ..... 2 1-lb cans 23c
  - Heinz Macaroni ..... 2 1-lb cans 25c
  - Del Monte Noodles ..... 1-lb can 13c
  - Del Monte Macaroni ..... 1-lb can 10c
  - Mueller's Macaroni ..... 2 1-lb cans 17c
  - Mueller's Noodles ..... 2 1-lb cans 17c
  - Mueller's Spaghetti ..... 2 1-lb cans 17c

- ### CANNED SEA FOOD
- Educator Codfish ..... 1-lb can 25c
  - Gorton's Codfish ..... 2 1-lb cans 25c
  - California Mackerel ..... 2 1-lb cans 23c
  - Davis Mackerel Fillets ..... 1-lb can 21c
  - Wet Shrimp ..... 1-lb can 19c
  - Beardsley's Codfish ..... 1-lb can 14c
  - Gorton's Deep Sea Roe ..... 1-lb can 12c
  - Domestic Sardines ..... 2 1-lb cans 13c
  - Marjol Sardines ..... 1-lb can 23c
  - California Sardines ..... 1-lb can 10c
  - Peter Pan Salmon ..... 1-lb can 19c
  - Deming's Red Salmon ..... 1-lb can 21c
  - Red Jacket Lobster ..... 1-lb can 39c
  - Phillips Herring ..... 1-lb can 10c

- ### CANNED MEATS
- Anglo Corned Beef ..... 1-lb can 21c
  - Armour's Corned Hash ..... 1-lb can 19c
  - Underwood Dev. Ham ..... 1-lb can 14c
  - Hormel's Chili con carne ..... 1-lb can 17c
  - Dinty Moore beef stew ..... 1-lb can 19c
  - Hormel's Spam ..... 1-lb can 33c
  - Oscar Mayer Wieners ..... 1-lb can 25c
  - Vogt's Scrapple ..... 2 1-lb cans 29c
  - Armour's Pot. Meat ..... 2 1-lb cans 11c

- ### JAMS-JELLIES
- Apple Butter ..... 1-lb can 15c
  - Schimmel's preserves ..... 1-lb can 25c, 29c
  - Schimmel's Jellies ..... 1-lb can 10c
  - Musselman's Jellies ..... 1-lb can 10c, 11c
  - Mott's Jellies ..... 1-lb can 11c
  - Schimmel's Grape Jelly ..... 1-lb can 25c
  - Old English Marmalade ..... 1-lb can 29c

- ### SALAD DRESSINGS
- Hu-Made Mayonnaise ..... 1-lb can 27c
  - Piedmont Mayonnaise ..... 1-lb can 25c
  - Kraft Mayonnaise ..... 1-lb can 30c
  - Duchess Salad Dressing ..... 1-lb can 22c
  - Cascade Salad Dressing ..... 1-lb can 17c
  - Miracle Whip salad dressing ..... 1-lb can 23c
  - Premier Mayonnaise ..... 1-lb can 21c
  - Kraft French Dressing ..... 1-lb can 15c
  - Sandwich Spread ..... 1-lb can 24c



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### \$150 Per Month Pay For Privates Urged By Texas Economist

Soldiers Would Redeem Money After War; Plan Called Bonus March Bar

By the Associated Press. DALLAS, Tex., Feb. 6.—Jump the Army private's salary \$150 monthly! That's Dr. Arthur Smith's program, and he isn't kidding.

But don't make any commitments for immediate cash outlays, boys—there'll be strings to it even if the Southern Methodist University economics professor's proposal is adopted.

Dr. Smith wants to prevent a future bonus march on Washington, a post-war depression and boost purchasing power when the Army is demobilized.

#### Regular Pay Continued.

Here's how he would go about it: "Let us continue to pay our soldiers the \$21 a month (basic Army pay for privates) in greenbacks. But let us give them yellow money of perhaps \$150 a month which can be redeemed gradually after this war is over.

"The longer they're in the war, the more money they will have when it is done."

Dr. Smith said he had seen the Army tackle the bonus marchers during the depression.

#### Forced Bond Buying Likely.

"I never want to see that sort of thing happen again. Heaven knows they deserved those bonuses and they got them. This system of paying them later will eliminate any such riots. "A system of forced savings will go a long way toward saving this country after the war. You can put it down as nearly certain that if we don't buy United States Defense bonds voluntarily out of our salaries, the Government will make us take our pay partly in bonds, which will be negotiable only after the war is over and then on a spread-out period."

### Turkey Dinner Honors Fire Service Instructors

No alarms interrupted a turkey dinner served firemen of No. 1 Engine Co. last night in their station at 1643 K street N.W.

The dinner, marking completion of training by the Communications Unit of the Auxiliary Fire Service, was given in the station in order that men on duty could take part. The guests of honor were the Fire Department officers who served as instructors—Battalion Chiefs Edward O'Connor and J. A. Mayhew, Capt. S. M. Gould and Lt. A. L. Smith. Fire Chief Stephen T. Porter was voted thanks for courtesies extended the unit.

The group, comprising membership of the Friendship Fire Association, an organization of fire fans, is charged with notifying auxiliary firemen by telephone or other means when an air raid is imminent on the chance radio stations have been silenced or sirens have not been heard.

### Kelly to Induct 1,500 Auxiliary Policemen

Maj. Edward J. Kelly, superintendent of police, was to administer the oath to an additional 1,500 auxiliary policemen at 2 o'clock this afternoon in the Labor Department auditorium, Constitution avenue between Twelfth and Fourteenth streets N.W.

More than 3,400 Washington men and women have been assigned to the auxiliary force since the outbreak of war.

### Given Navy Commissions

Dr. Paul F. Dickens and Dr. James L. Wells, both of Washington, have been appointed assistant surgeons in the Navy with the rank of lieutenant (junior grade). It was announced today at the Navy Department.

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It will cost money to defeat the Axis. Your Government calls on you to help now. Buy Defense bonds or stamps today. Buy them every day, if you can. But buy them on a regular basis. Bonds cost as little as \$18.75, stamps come as low as 10 cents. Defense bonds and stamps can be bought at all banks and post offices, and stamps can also be purchased at retail stores and from your newspaper carrier boy. Support your Government with your dollars.

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# THE HUB'S FEBRUARY 'RED-TAG' SALE!

## Not a Clearance—But the BIG February Showing of 1942 Furniture Styles



**Lounge Chair \$19.95**

A fine big chair luxuriously upholstered in choice cotton tapestries.



**Venetian Mirror \$5.98**

Good sized plate glass mirror with beveled edge. Guaranteed against silvering.



**Cocktail Table \$7.95**

A smartly designed table in mahogany finish. The glass inset top.



**Occasional Chair \$6.95**

A graceful Queen Anne design carefully tailored in colorful rayon fabrics.



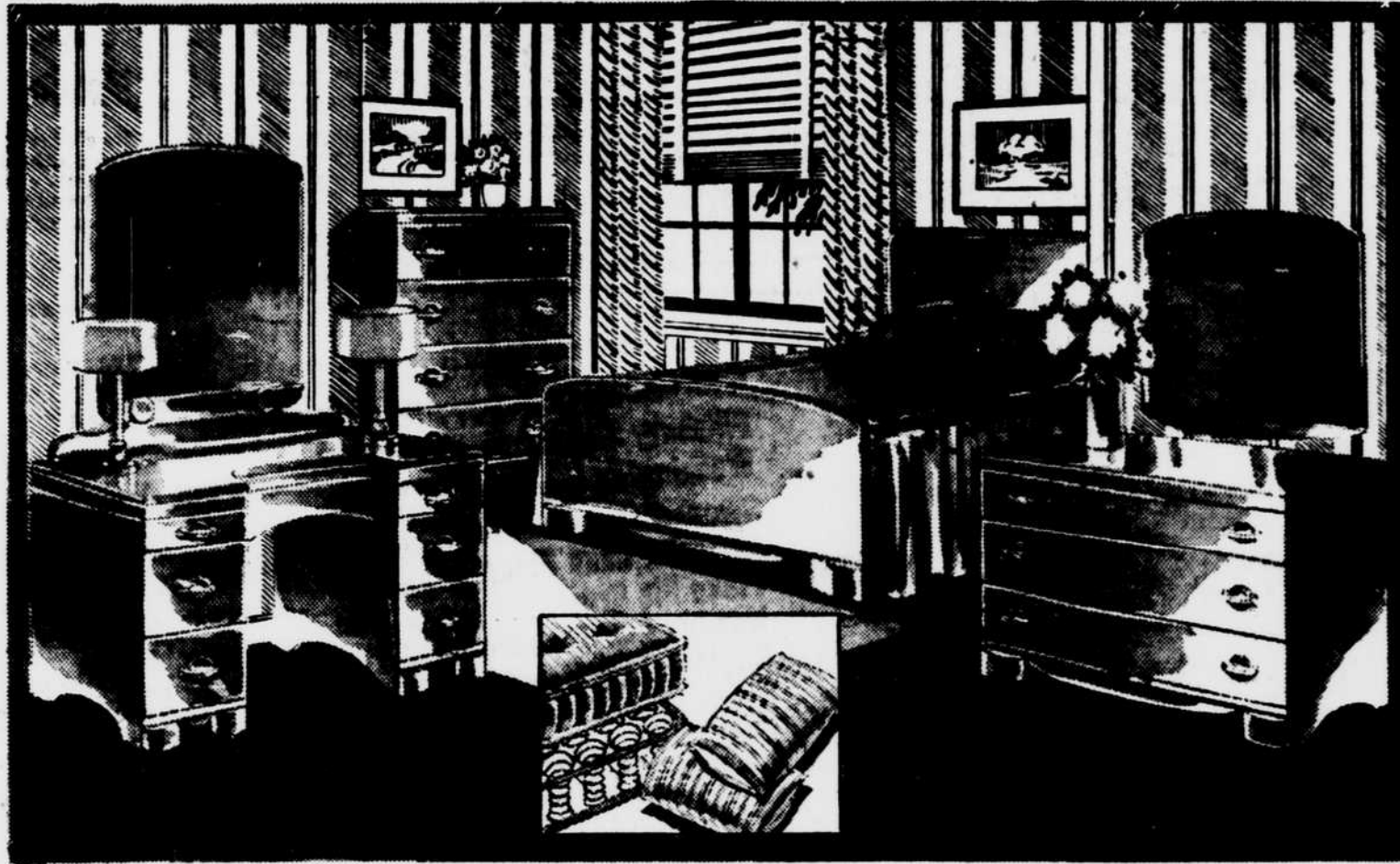
**Chest of Drawers \$10.88**

Has three convenient drawers and gallery rail back. Well built and nicely finished.



**Oil Heat Circulator \$14.88**

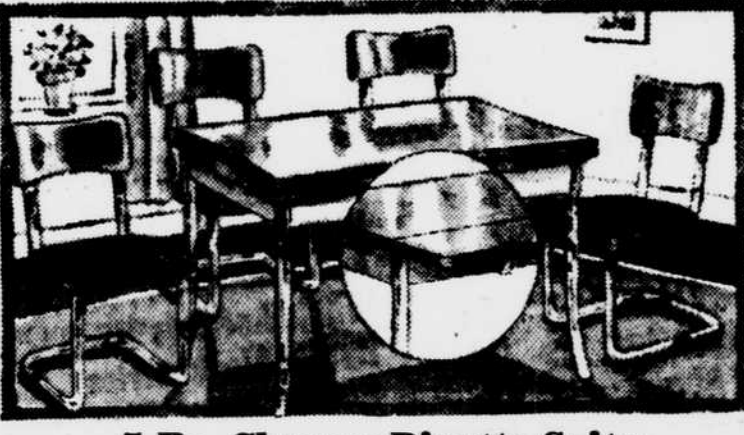
Two powerful heavy-duty burners with dual valve control. Large efficient cabinet.



### 7-Pc. Blonde Modern Bedroom Ensemble

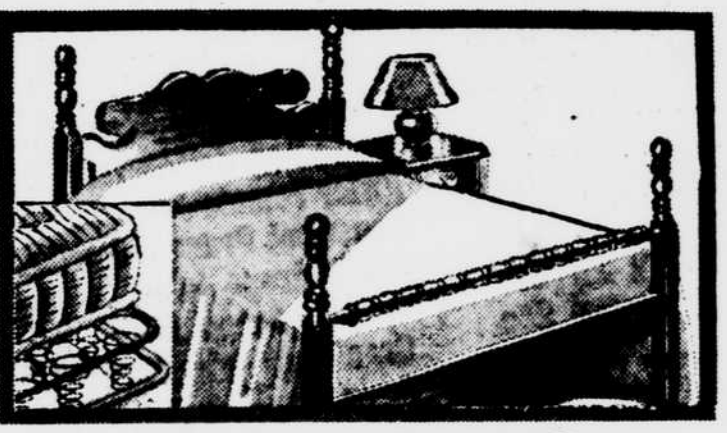
A lovely new creation in pleasingly modern streamline designing, carefully built of solid basswood bleached to a gorgeous blonde shade; dresser or vanity, chest of drawers, bed, Simmons coil spring, mattress and pair of pillows. **\$100**

Up to 18 Months to Pay



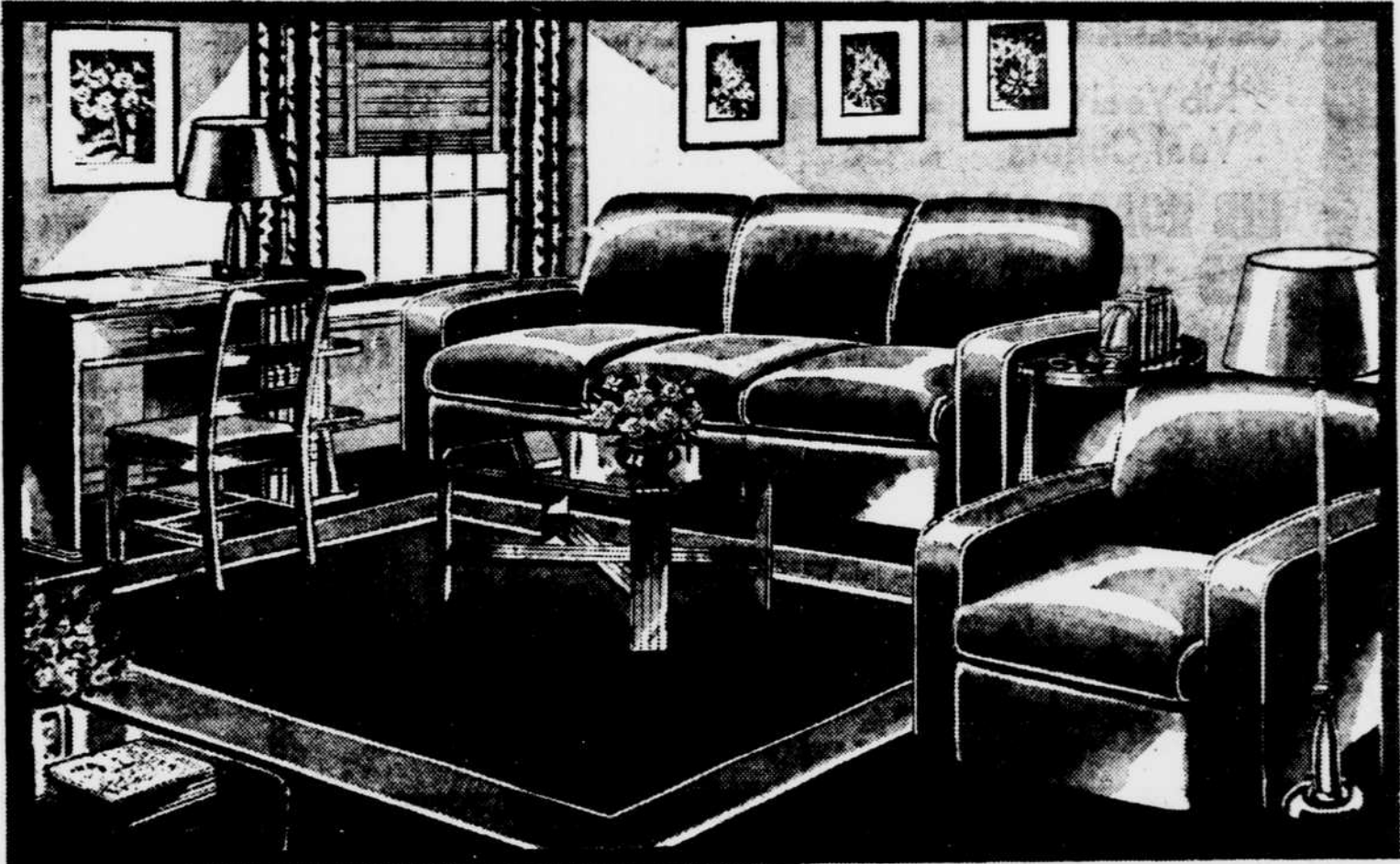
### 5-Pc. Chrome Dinette Suite

Table has heatproof, stainproof and chip-proof flintstone top with extension leaves and chrome base—complete with four matching chairs. White with color trim. **\$38.88**



### 3-Pc. Poster Bed Outfit

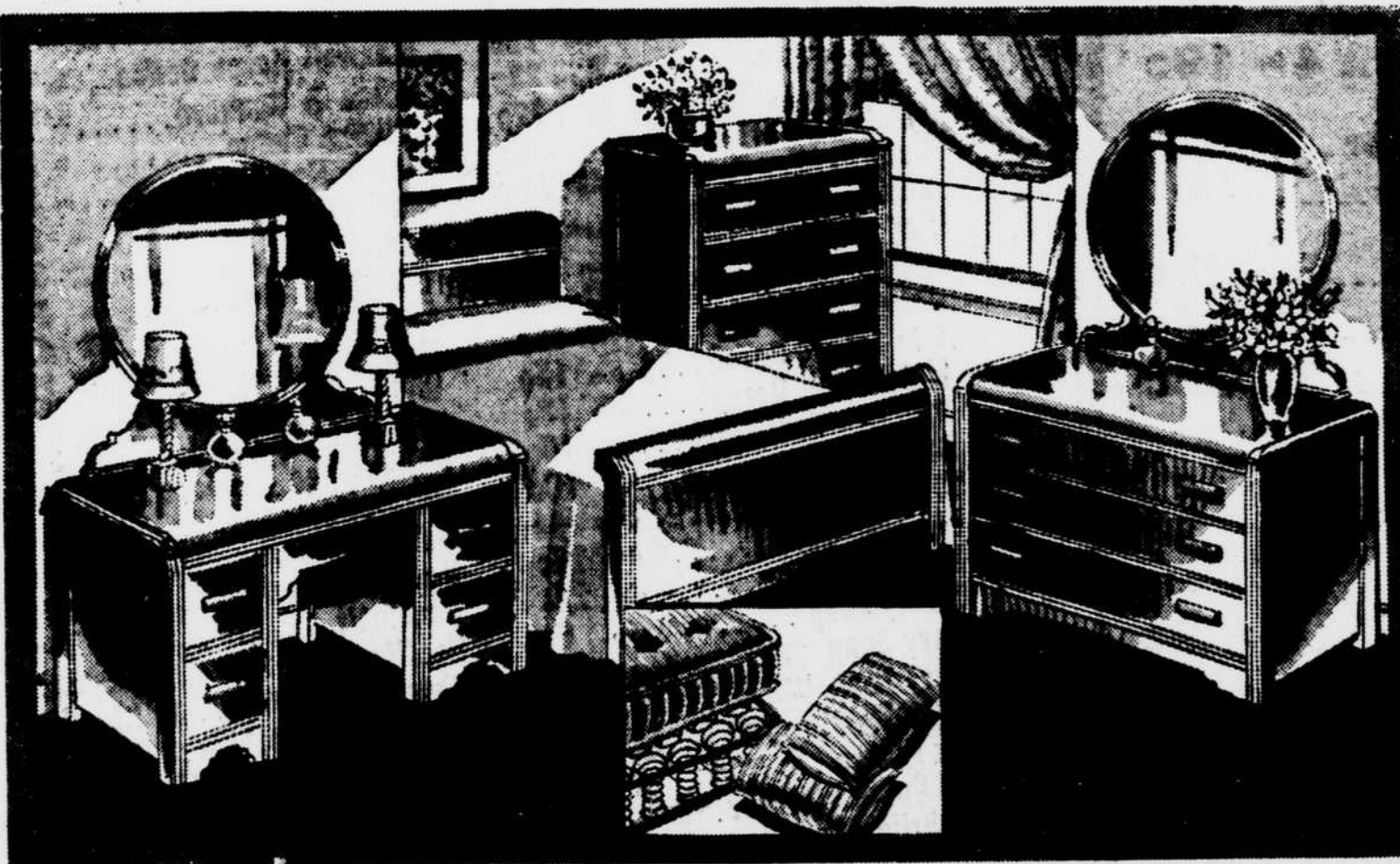
Sturdy poster bed in your choice of finishes and sizes, all complete with Simmons coil spring, and comfortable mattress. **\$21.88**



### 8-Piece Modern Living Room Ensemble

A fine, big, gracefully streamlined suite, deeply upholstered in colorful cotton frieze; sofa and matching lounge chair, all complete with coffee table, end table, floor and table lamp, kneehole desk and chair. **\$100**

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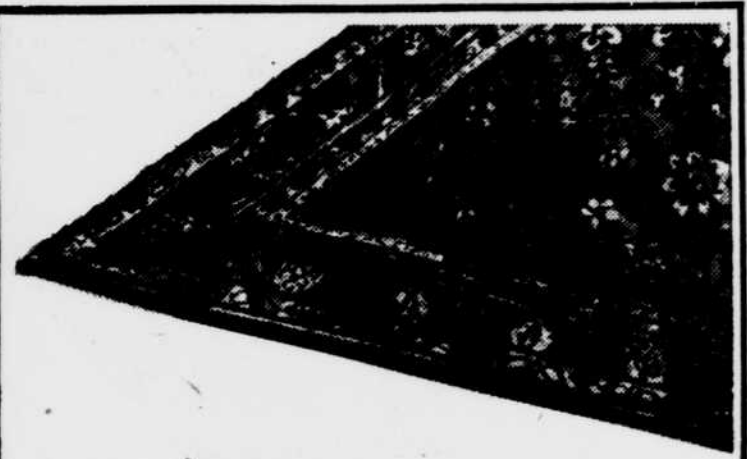


### 11-Pc. Modern Walnut Bedroom Ensemble

A beautifully designed suite in genuine walnut veneers on hardwood with curved waterfall fronts; dresser or vanity, chest of drawers, bed, Simmons coil spring, mattress, pair of pillows, 2 beautiful pictures and two vanity lamps. **\$100**

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Plus Small Carrying Charge Built to sell for \$69.95—now 1941 model. Has powerful five tube radio with built in electric phonograph.



Liberal Credit Terms

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Plus Small Carrying Charge Formerly sold for \$64.95—floor sample model. All white porcelain with high speed aluminum agitator and safety wringer.



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With strong cotton collar, cuffs and waistband for extra warmth. Button as neck for extra protection. An excellent jacket at a very low price!

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Woven melton cloth jacket with horsehide cuffs and edges. Treated to resist rain and snow. Zip front and cigarette pocket. Sizes 36 to 46. Labeled to show fibre content.


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**2.49**



Rubberized suede cloth... water-proof to resist rain and snow. Adjustable side straps. Pull length zip fastener front. Sizes 36 to 46. Men, buy now!


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**SANDY NEVIN JR.**  
**3.45**




They're built just like dad's. Black or brown. Popular wing-tip style. Leather soles. Rubber heels. Sizes 2 1/2 to 6 in B and D widths.

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**SADDLE OXFORDS**  
**2.99**



Growing girls are "crazy about them." Brown and white, tan and brown with leather sole; or all white with rubber sole. Sizes 4 to 9 in A and C widths.

**For Children!**  
**SCHOOL SHOES**  
**1.99**



Let the kiddies play in them, too, because they're very durable and "can really take it." Patent straps. Leather soles. Black or brown oxfords. Sizes 8 1/2 to 8.

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Smart-looking "4-Star" # 1's for your lounging and sleeping comfort. Cotton, secale or broadcloth. Girdle or waistband. Man-tailored coat style. Sizes 32 to 40. Extra sizes 42 and 44. **\$1.69**

### JOAN BRADLEY SWEATERS

Pull-over models in glorious colors. Fitted with a neat, well-tailored collar and short sleeves and crew neck make it a "natural" for wear with slacks or skirts or blouses. Sizes 32 to 40.


**1.69**



## Valentines

This year Valentine Day has a special significance... it's a morale builder. Don't forget to send one to every one in your family, all your friends and particularly, don't forget the boys in camp. Sears has a complete assortment for your every need.

Novelty Mechanical Valentines	3 for 10c
Giant Mechanical Valentines	5c ea.
Valentine Greeting Card Folders	5c
De Luxe Cut-Out Valentines	15c
Box of 12 Different Valentines	10c
Package of 27 Different Valentines	19c
Package of 50 Different Valentines	25c
Gibson Art Family Valentines	5c
Best Quality Family Valentines	10c
Gibson Art's Superb Valentines	15c
Gibson Art's Finest Valentines	25c



### GIRLS' REG. \$5.98 SNOW SUITS

All-wool fleece snow suits with cotton flannel lining. Easy to put on. Just jump in and zip it up. One-piece style with helmet or poke bonnet to match. Sizes 1 to 4. Labeled to show fibre content.

**4.99**

**GIRLS' RAYON UNDIES**  
Bloomers, briefs, cup panties, or vests with built-up shoulder. Tearose shade. Sizes 2 to 14.  
**33c ea.**

**BOYS' CORDUROY OVERALLS**  
Bib-top style with adjustable suspenders. Navy blue, dunsy tan, green or wine. Sizes 1 to 8.  
**1.29**

**INFANTS' BOOTIE SET**  
All-wool sweater, cap and booties. Hand-embroidered designs. Pink, blue or white. Infants' size.  
**1.39**

**LACE TRIMMED! GIRLS' SLIPS**  
**69c**

Soft finish cotton broadcloth and rayon satin in six - eared styles. Lace-trimmed neck and armholes. Ruffles finished with lace. Sizes 4 to 16.



## 100% New Virgin Wool Blankets

Deep, fluffy nap blanket with plenty of warmth. Size 72x84 inches, in wine color. An exceptional buy. Warm, springy quality.

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**50% WOOL**  
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50% wool for warmth with 50% cotton for extra strength. Blue and oddy two-tone color only. 72x84-inch size.

**33 1/3% WOOL**  
**4.39**

33 1/3% wool, balance cotton. 72x84-inch size. 5 1/2-lb. weight. Solid or two-tone colors.

**SHEET BLANKET**  
**1.79**

72x90 inch size plaid cotton blanket. Soft napped finish on both sides. Overlock stitched edges. 3 1/4-lb. weight.

**INDIAN DESIGN**  
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**APPROVED A, B, D, G VITAMIN CAPSULES**  
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**Reg. \$6.95 CHINA TABLE LAMPS**  
**4.94**

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**FLUORESCENT PIN-UP LAMPS**  
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Regularly priced \$5.95. Convenient for desk or over-bed use. Adjustable shade. Easy to attach. Bulb included at this very special low price.

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**PAPERHANGER'S TOOL KIT**  
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Famous Master Art Kit. Contains essential tools, brushes and instructions for hanging wallpaper. Regularly \$1.48.



Capital Store Sales 46 Per Cent Ahead Of Year Ago

Week's Gain Exceeds 43 Per Cent Average For Fifth District

By EDWARD C. STONE.

Continuing the retail trade boom in the Capital, department store sales for the week ended last Saturday, January 30, ran 46 per cent ahead of the corresponding week a year ago...

Sales were also a per cent ahead of the previous week. In this comparison, fifth district sales were 5 per cent better than in the previous week...

Today's report revealing the 46 per cent jump in Washington sales for the week ending January 30, follows a 66 per cent gain in the previous week ending January 23...

Turner Made Express Chief. Railway Express today announced appointment of Claude W. Turner as manager of Government Express Transportation with headquarters in the Express Terminal Building...

Mr. Turner's special duties will include the supervision of the Government departments, particularly the Army and the Navy, with the most expedient service possible in connection with all shipments made by either air or rail express.

Mr. Turner has been superintendent of the Washington division of Railway Express Agency and has directed the greater part of his 37 years' service in the Capital. He is being detached from all other duties in order to devote his entire time to his new position.

Every Bank Pays Dividend. Every bank and trust company in Washington paid a dividend last year and the book value of most bank stocks revealed an increase...

The Bank of Commerce & Savings paid the highest dividend, \$2.00, which included a \$1.00 extra. The National Metropolitan bank next with \$1.40, which included an \$8 extra...

The Anacostia Bank paid \$6; Bank of Bethesda, \$1.25, including 50 cents extra; City Bank, 75 cents; Columbia National, \$6; East Washington Savings, \$6; East Washington National, \$1.25, including 25 cents extra...

The Johnston, Lemon compilation also shows that the book value of banks listed during the year. With a book value of \$431.93, Bank of Commerce & Savings had a gain of \$37.72 over the previous year...

Next came the National Savings & Trust Co. with a gain of \$18.94 per share, and Riggs National, up \$17.29 a share. American Security showed a rise of \$10.41 a share.

With deposits mounting steadily during the year, resources also made new records.

Officers of the Financial Advertisers Association, at the midwinter conference in New York, decided to hold the next convention in Chicago in October.

Victor Cullen of St. Louis, president of the association, L. E. Townsend, San Francisco, first vice president, and Preston E. Reed of Chicago, executive vice president, were in the Capital yesterday as the guests of Eliot H. Thomson of the Washington Loan & Trust Co.

Today's Trading on Exchange. Capital Transactions in trading on the Washington Stock Exchange today with five consecutive \$1,000 transfers at 10 1/2, the high for the year.

Washington Gas preferred opened at 19 1/2, went to 19 1/2 and closed at 19 1/2, the day's sales reaching 45 shares, all at 10 1/2.

Willard G. Barker, president of the Morris Bank, will speak at 10:30 tomorrow night over Radio WJAL on defense bonds, in connection with the drive being conducted by the District Bankers Association.

TRANSACTIONS ON NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

Table of stock transactions on the New York Stock Exchange, listing various stocks and their prices.

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Rails Join Retreat Of Fractions to \$2 On Stock Market

Industrial Shares Also Move Lower On Broad Front

By VICTOR EUBANK, Associated Press Financial Writer.

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—Recently buoyant rails, along with a wide assortment of industrials, switched to the losing track in today's stock market.

Selective recoveries cropped up at the start, but most of these faded near midday and, at the close, declines ranged from fractions to two points or so.

A little more pessimism against possible reverses on Far Pacific fields served to keep many bid-gets in the background. It was suggested, and those who had modest profits in carriers and other favorites on the recent advance inclined to cash in at least part of their advantage.

A lot of good earnings statements and favorable dividends remained as proper for individual stocks, but even these were reluctant in the matter of registering progress.

The disposition to hold aloof pending more information on new tax legislation also was apparent.

United States Governments held generally unchanged in the stock market and over the counter, despite announcement of \$1,500,000,000 in financing for Friday, February 13.

London Market Steadies After Recession

LONDON, Feb. 6.—The securities market steadied today after several sessions of declining prices. British government bonds were well maintained and Latin American loans turned upward.

Heavy manufacturing issues attracted a following in the industrial list, while department store stocks tended downward.

Domestic rails held steady. Kamfers were neglected and rubbers closed easier.

1941 Shoe Output Placed At 500,000,000 Pairs

BOSTON, Feb. 6.—Final figures will show that approximately 500,000,000 pairs of shoes were manufactured in the United States during 1941, the New England Shoe and Leather Association reported today.

An association statement said that the United States Census Bureau reported a production of 493,471,301 pairs in factories which manufactured 77 per cent of the Nation's total.

National production in December 1941 was 38,156,688 pairs, an increase of 10 per cent over November and 20.6 per cent over December, 1940.

Chicago Grain

CHICAGO, Feb. 6.—Grain prices slid 1 to almost 2 cents a bushel today, leveling in some cases the lowest reaches in about a month.

Wheat closed 1/4-1/2 lower than yesterday; May, \$1.28 1/2; July, \$1.27 1/2; August, \$1.26 1/2; September, \$1.25 1/2; October, \$1.24 1/2; November, \$1.23 1/2; December, \$1.22 1/2.

War Traffic Allocations Planned on Railroads

CHICAGO, Feb. 6.—The Government is preparing itself to allocate the war traffic burden among rail carriers and, if necessary, impose priorities on the use of transportation facilities.

Joseph B. Eastman, director of defense transportation, informed the Chicago Traffic Club yesterday.

He said the Government must be ready to distribute the load so that all carriers and their facilities can be used to the utmost advantage.

In making its plans, his office has taken into account possible railroad shortages, rubber shortages, which might reduce the volume of freight now handled by truck; reduced ocean shipping and lack of storage facilities.

Chicago and New York Loan Trends Differ. The Federal Reserve Bank reports that New York banks increased their commercial, industrial and agricultural loans \$16,000,000 to a total of \$2,645,000,000 in the week ended February 4.

Chicago banks decreased similar loans \$1,000,000 to \$2,000,000.



S. E. C. Agrees to Test Special Offerings On Exchanges

Six Months' Experiment Approved in Effort To Boost Volumes

The Securities Commission agreed today to a six months' experiment with a plan for soliciting purchases of special offerings of securities on the New York Stock Exchange.

The New York plan provides that the special offerings may be made, the S. E. C. said, "only when it is determined that the auction market on the floor of the exchange can not, within a reasonable time, absorb a particular block of stock."

The person making the offering may pay a special commission to the broker for the purchasing customer, but in such cases the broker may not also receive compensation from his customer.

Terms of the offering, including any special commissions, will be shown on the exchange tape. Customers will be advised of special commissions when the transaction is confirmed.

The commission said that exchanges desiring to try such a plan should file it for study. The plan may not be put into effect until given clearance by the S. E. C. It was explained that such action would not constitute approval by the commission.

The S. E. C. action today amounted to granting a conditional exemption from a rule relating to soliciting of purchases on an exchange, and was taken, the commission said, after the New York market had urged it as a means of improving the market for some of the highest blocks of securities, such as was done by the British to raise cash for purchase of arms in America.

Exemption Refused. The Securities Commission has declined the request of Standard Oil Co. of New Jersey for an exemption from the Holding Company Act, but granted it six months in which to adjust itself to the decision.

Under the order Standard of New Jersey will have until August 4 to determine how it will meet the problem of registering with the commission as a utility holding company.

Standard sought the exemption under a provision which permits the S. E. C. to grant it when it finds that a corporation is only incidentally a holding company, and does not derive a material portion of its income from utilities.

New York Cotton

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—Cotton futures rallied in the last hour today on active spot house buying to fix prices for mill accounts. Final prices were 25 cents a bale higher to 15 cents lower.

Table with columns: Open, High, Low, Last. Rows for March, July, October, December, January, and Spot.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 6.—After early advances cotton futures declined today after announcement that the Commodity Credit Corporation had authorized 300,000 bales of cotton February 15 to be sold to the highest bidder. The market closed steady 3 points lower.

Table with columns: March, Open, High, Low, Close. Rows for various months and spot.

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Washington Produce

BUTTER—83 score, tubs, 37 1/2; 1-pound prints, 37 1/2; 16-pound prints, 38 1/2; 1-pound prints, 38 1/2; 90 score, tubs, 38 1/2; 1-pound prints, 38 1/2; 16-pound prints, 39 1/2; 1-pound prints, 39 1/2; 90 score, tubs, 39 1/2; 1-pound prints, 39 1/2; 16-pound prints, 40 1/2; 1-pound prints, 40 1/2.

EGGS—Market steady. Prices paid for fresh State eggs, received from grading stations (February 6): Whites, 24c; extras, 25c; mediums, 23c; 24 standards, 23c; 25 standards, 24c; 26 standards, 25c; 27 standards, 26c; 28 standards, 27c; 29 standards, 28c; 30 standards, 29c; 31 standards, 30c; 32 standards, 31c; 33 standards, 32c; 34 standards, 33c; 35 standards, 34c; 36 standards, 35c; 37 standards, 36c; 38 standards, 37c; 39 standards, 38c; 40 standards, 39c; 41 standards, 40c; 42 standards, 41c; 43 standards, 42c; 44 standards, 43c; 45 standards, 44c; 46 standards, 45c; 47 standards, 46c; 48 standards, 47c; 49 standards, 48c; 50 standards, 49c; 51 standards, 50c; 52 standards, 51c; 53 standards, 52c; 54 standards, 53c; 55 standards, 54c; 56 standards, 55c; 57 standards, 56c; 58 standards, 57c; 59 standards, 58c; 60 standards, 59c; 61 standards, 60c; 62 standards, 61c; 63 standards, 62c; 64 standards, 63c; 65 standards, 64c; 66 standards, 65c; 67 standards, 66c; 68 standards, 67c; 69 standards, 68c; 70 standards, 69c; 71 standards, 70c; 72 standards, 71c; 73 standards, 72c; 74 standards, 73c; 75 standards, 74c; 76 standards, 75c; 77 standards, 76c; 78 standards, 77c; 79 standards, 78c; 80 standards, 79c; 81 standards, 80c; 82 standards, 81c; 83 standards, 82c; 84 standards, 83c; 85 standards, 84c; 86 standards, 85c; 87 standards, 86c; 88 standards, 87c; 89 standards, 88c; 90 standards, 89c; 91 standards, 90c; 92 standards, 91c; 93 standards, 92c; 94 standards, 93c; 95 standards, 94c; 96 standards, 95c; 97 standards, 96c; 98 standards, 97c; 99 standards, 98c; 100 standards, 99c.

Dividends Announced

Table with columns: Dividend, Date, etc. Rows for American Paper Goods, Borden, etc.

NEW YORK CURB MARKET Stocks

(By Private Wire Direct to The Star.)

Table with columns: Stock and Price. Rows for Dividend Rate, Allied Food, Alum Co, etc.

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U. S. Treasury Notes

Table with columns: Note, Rate, etc. Rows for 1% 1942, 1% 1943, etc.

Retail Trade Holds 18 to 25 Per Cent Above Year Ago

Some Slackening Seen In Stock-Up Buying During Week

By The Associated Press. NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—Retail merchants throughout the country reported a further slackening in anticipatory or stock-up buying, Dun & Bradstreet reported today.

This demand was still a significant factor in total volume, the agency added. Retail sales volume showed an overall increase of 18 to 25 per cent over a year ago.

"A number of retailers," the report continued, "noted signs of diminishing interest in anticipatory purchasing, but there was little general agreement that the rush to stock up on 'scarcity' merchandise had so far quieted down appreciably."

"An unusually early interest in spring ready-to-wear was said to be developing in some centers. 'Women's suits and blouses had started to move briskly and several stores were already getting calls for spring dress coats. Men's wear retailers who had introduced some spring fashions to supplement their winter stocks reported buying starting up four to six weeks earlier than usual."

Demand for winter apparel was spurred by low temperatures but inadequate stocks hampered sales. Initial results of furniture sales were not uniformly favorable although some stores reported volume slightly ahead of a year ago, the agency said.

Treasury Plans Borrowing for War Needs

The Treasury announced today it would borrow \$1,500,000,000 through the sale of securities next Friday, February 13.

The money is needed to pay for the rapidly growing costs of the war, which is piling up deficits at the rate of more than \$1,000,000,000 a month.

The borrowing will boost the public debt to approximately \$61,700,000,000, or within \$3,300,000,000 of the statutory limit. The Treasury has asked Congress to raise or remove the limit.

Government Places Cobalt Under Full Allocation Control

Ceramics, Inks, Paints And Blue Bottles To Be Affected

By The Associated Press. The Government placed cobalt under full allocation control today, prefacing the end of the famous "cobalt blue" for the rest of the war and seriously affecting future production of blue bottles, ceramics, inks and paints.

The War Production Board coupled the allocation order with another prohibiting the use of cobalt in all pigments after May 1 and directed that its use until then be reduced 40 per cent under consumption for the first six months of 1941.

Cobalt is an important steel alloy and domestic production is negligible. Africa is the principal source of supply with small amounts coming from Canada.

W. P. E. experts predicted that blue enamels, fabric dyes, paints and stains would take an ultramarine tint when effect of the cobalt ban was felt. Ultramarine is a reddish blue compared with the blue-green produced by cobalt.

More Gasoline Consumed. The gasoline consumption in the United States in 1941 amounted to 26,613,000 gallons, up 2,574,877,000 gallons, or 10.7 per cent over 1940, the Public Roads Administration estimated today.

War activity, particularly troop and transport movements, the bureau said, undoubtedly accounted for a considerable part of the increase. Of the total consumption, the agency estimated highway use accounted for 24,300,000 gallons.

Alabama and South Carolina had the greatest increases in consumption—18.4 per cent and 17.2 per cent, respectively. Other states with more than 15 per cent increases were Florida, Kentucky, Louisiana, Mississippi, North Carolina, Tennessee and Virginia. The District of Columbia had a 15 per cent increase.

Motor vehicle registrations were estimated to have increased 7.3 per cent during 1941, with the estimate including 29,375,000 passenger cars, 68,000 buses and 4,911,000 trucks.

LONDON, Feb. 6.—The United States has relieved the British wool trade by replacing most of Britain's lost continental and Japanese markets, London wool circles noted today.

These quarters added that 1941-42 production was expected to show little change from the previous period, when the Australian clip totaled about 3,600,000 bales, valued at about \$264,000,000, and New Zealand's around 950,000 bales, or just over \$70,000,000.

Production of both clips by the British government created a shipping shortage and a serious storage problem, the latter having been met with the erection of special stores by dominion governments.

At present there is virtually no unemployment in wool textile manufacturing plants. The industry is working to the limit of the available labor supply but there is a great deal of idle machinery.

Licensing and rationing schemes have thrown some firms temporarily out of gear owing to doubt concerning fulfillment of present contracts. When allocations of supplies became known, however, mills are expected to employ more machinery.

Japan's Occupation Blocks Less Than Half of Tin

LONDON, Feb. 6 (Wide World).—Japan's occupation of Indo-China, India and Burma has blocked less than half of the tin available to the United States and the other anti-Axis nations from less than half their normal sources of tin, trade experts estimated today.

The continuing Japanese drive southward into the Netherlands East Indies and the push into Burma threaten to block off another 20 per cent or more, these sources pointed out.

Tin highly important to both military and civilian life, appeared to be more easily obtainable, however, than the Pacific war area's other vital product, rubber. Both in the long run and the immediate future, the outlook for tin seemed reasonably good from an anti-Axis viewpoint.

Other tin mines can be developed and present production lifted. To the Pacific war until then, tin stocks exist, although strict economies will be necessary.

The process of recovering tin from scrap, such as cans, toothpaste tubes and rabbit meat, may have to be expanded sharply.

Republic Steel Corp. Reports 1941 Net of \$3.87 a Share

Result Compares With \$3.30 a Share Earned In Preceding Year

By The Associated Press. CLEVELAND, Ohio, Feb. 6.—Republic Steel Corp. reported a record net profit of \$24,038,340 for 1941. This compared with the previous record of \$21,113,507 in 1940.

Defense-spurred operations gave the Nation's third largest steel company \$6,041,244 net profit in the fourth quarter last year—more than 25 per cent below record final quarter net profit of \$8,480,174 in 1940.

However, provisions for Federal income and excess profit taxes for the past quarter alone totaled \$15,275,000 compared with \$8,000,000 tax provisions for all of 1940. Tax allowances for entire 1941 amounted to \$46,250,000.

Rate of earnings last year was \$3.87 per common share against \$3.30 the preceding year.

Chairman Tom M. Girdler said 1941 steel ingot production averaged 99.5 per cent of capacity, adding: "The operating rate would undoubtedly have been well in excess of 100 per cent of capacity had there been an ample supply of raw materials, principally scrap, available for our use."

Sears, Roebuck. CHICAGO, Feb. 6.—Sears, Roebuck & Co. today reported January sales totaled \$69,626,863, an increase of almost 40 per cent compared with January a year ago.

Sales for the 12-month period February, 1941, through January, 1942, the merchandising concern's fiscal year, totaled \$975,712,422, an increase of slightly more than 30 per cent compared with the previous fiscal year.

Nash-Kelvinator. DETROIT, Feb. 6.—Nash-Kelvinator Corp. reported a normal and excess profits tax for the three months ended December 31, 1941. This compares with a profit of \$87,000 for the similar quarter of 1941.

The report was described as an interim one, subject to adjustments to be made after complete appraisal of the effect of the cessation of the manufacture of civilian automobiles.

Owens-Illinois Glass. TOLEDO, Ohio, Feb. 6.—Net earnings of Owens-Illinois Glass Co. and subsidiaries for 1941 were \$9,040,145.55, equivalent to \$2.40 per share, as compared with \$7,223,033.76, equivalent to \$2.71 per share for the year 1940 on the 2,661,204 common share outstanding, the company announced today.

National Steel. PITTSBURGH, Feb. 6.—National Steel Corp. reported net earnings of \$17,102,250 for the year 1941, as compared to \$15,066,340 for 1940. 1941 earnings amounted to \$7.75 per share on 2,208,667 shares, against \$6.83 per share on 2,204,667 shares in the preceding year.

Earnings for the fourth quarter of 1941 were \$4,180,078, equal to \$1.89 per share, as compared to \$4,225,212, equal to \$1.92 per share, in the final quarter of 1940.

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Washington Exchange

SALES. Washington Gas pfid.—5 at 100 1/2. Woodward & Lothrop com.—10 at 43. Washington Gas com.—13 at 19 1/4. Capital Tractor 1st 5—\$1,000 at 105 1/2, \$1,000 at 105 1/2, \$1,000 at 105 1/2.

Washington Gas com.—7 at 19 1/2, 25 at 19 1/4. Radio-R-O-W—9 1/4 at 14 1/4. Radio-R-O-W—9 1/4 at 14 1/4.

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Ceiling on Southern Hardwoods Fixed Below Market

Schedule Ranges From \$2 to \$10 a Thousand Feet Lower

By The Associated Press. The Office of Price Administration today established a price ceiling on virtually all species and grades of Southern hardwood lumber at levels ranging from \$2 to \$10 a thousand feet below the prevailing market.

Price Administrator Leon Henderson said the action was necessary to halt inflationary pressure resulting from defense demands and increasing industrial activity. Southern hardwood is used extensively for industrial purposes.

Prices on most items in the schedule are reduced from \$2 to \$5 under current levels, while top prices on tough white ash are cut as much as \$10 in thicker sizes.

The ceilings, applying only on shipments originating at a mill, covered red and white oak, red, sap and black gum to tupelo, yellow poplar, sycamore, beech, magnolia, soft maple, soft elm, basswood, cottonwood, hackberry, willow, hickory and ash.

Henderson cautioned that O. P. A. would take immediate action to extend the ceiling to cover lumber in wholesale and retail distribution yards if yard prices get out of line. He added that studies of the Appalachian and Northern hardwood industries were being made and that price ceilings would be issued on these woods soon.

Henderson yesterday imposed price ceilings on Western pine lumber—approximately 21 per cent of this country's lumber output—at prices from \$2 to \$5 per thousand feet under current prices.

The ceiling, covering Ponderosa pine, Idaho white pine and sugar pine, becomes effective February 15. The prices are set at about the levels prevailing in the first week of October, 1941.

Auto Production Cut to 37,125 Units in Week

By The Associated Press. DETROIT, Feb. 6.—Ward's Reports, Inc., estimated today that car and truck production for the current week would total 37,125 vehicles, compared with 73,305 last week and 127,775 this week a year ago.

Noting that nearly all manufacturers have completed their last quotas of passenger car production, Ward's said it was discontinuing regular public announcements of weekly output totals after this week. "Output from here forward will be primarily in truck and military classifications," it said, "and no general purpose would be served by publishing this volume."

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Odd-Lot Dealings

The Securities Commission reported today that dealers and specialists on the New York Stock Exchange had sold 2,323 shares involving 61,848 shares; 2,018 shares involving 46,817 shares; and 30 short sales involving 1,115 shares.

Dividend Is Ordered

DAYTON, Ohio, Feb. 6.—Master Electric Co. today declared a common quarterly dividend of 80 cents a share, payable March 30 to holders of record March 5.

Stock Averages

30 15 18 60 Net change. Indus. Relat. Util. Bk. 3.7 Today, close. 54.0 17.2 26.2 37.9 Prev. day. 54.5 17.6 26.3 37.8 Month ago. 54.5 16.2 26.2 37.2 Year ago. 59.2 16.7 26.5 42.2 1941-2 high. 63.9 19.0 35.5 45.0 1941-2 low. 51.7 13.4 24.5 34.4 1940 high. 74.2 20.5 40.8 52.2 1940 low. 52.3 13.0 20.9 27.0

Bond Averages

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United States Treasury Position

By The Associated Press. The position of the Treasury February 4 compared with corresponding date a year ago.

Table with columns: February 4, 1942, February 4, 1941. Rows for Receipts, Disbursements, etc.

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### Restrictions on Ads Opposed by Northeast Conference

#### Action Comes on Issue Of Advertising Prices Of Liquor in D. C.

The Northeast Conference of Citizens' Associations last night disapproved the House-approved bill to ban liquor price ads, declaring the bill would tend to create a monopoly.

An amendment to the motion, presented by L. M. Green of the National Gateway Association, added the association opposed any restrictions on any type of advertising.

Reappointment of Thomas E. Lodge, Jr., as chairman of the District Alcoholic Control Board, was endorsed.

#### More Policemen Asked.

A motion by James A. Crooks, delegate from the North Capitol Citizens' Association, asking 500 more men for the Metropolitan Police force, was passed. Another police measure, offered by F. J. McDonald of Dahlgren Terrace asking two additional police scout cars and an ambulance for the twelfth precinct was carried.

A special committee, consisting of Mr. Crooks, Mr. McDonald and Mr. Green, was appointed by Marvin M. McLean, president of the conference to get in touch with the Public Utilities Commission on a conference-advocated plan for the extension of the new cross-town bus line to Bladensburg road from its eastern terminus at Catholic University.

#### Ask Road Improvement.

Improvement and grading of Brentwood road N.E. from Rhode Island avenue south to the railroad tracks at Seventh street and suitable approaches to the nearly-completed bridge at New York avenue extended were recommended.

The conference appointed a committee of three to launch an investigation into reasons why Mills avenue N.E. has not been opened through to Everts street N.E. Mr. McLean named Mr. Green, Mr. McDonald and Marvin M. McLean, Jr., to the committee.

Proposed establishment of an incinerator at Montello avenue N.E. near Mount Olivet Cemetery was opposed.

Pvt. William Coppertwaite of No. 12 precinct spoke on the defense work and instruction being given members of the auxiliary police force nightly at the station house. The meeting was held in No. 12 precinct.

### P.-T. A. Adopts Report On New School Setup

The Woodside School Parent-Teacher Association has unanimously adopted a report submitted by a committee appointed to study the portion of the report of the Brookings Institution covering the school system of Montgomery County.

The report recommends, among other things, that the office of supervisor of school property be abolished and that the control of school properties be placed under an assistant superintendent of schools so all school activities would have unified control.

### Medal and Renaming Of Dam Proposed To Honor MacArthur

By the Associated Press.

Congress had before it today bills to award a Congressional Medal of Honor to Gen. Douglas MacArthur and to name a Tennessee Valley Authority dam for him in recognition of his defense of the Philippines.

Representative Thomas, Republican, of New Jersey asked the award of the medal as a tribute both to Gen. MacArthur and to the men serving under him.

Representative Jennings, Republican, of Tennessee offered the measure to change the name of T. V. A.'s Douglas Dam to Douglas MacArthur Dam.

### G. M., Bethlehem Disputes Head to War Labor Board

By the Associated Press.

Labor disputes involving two of America's greatest war production corporations—General Motors and Bethlehem Steel—were started today by the War Labor Board.

The board announced it had assumed jurisdiction over the dispute between General Motors and the C. I. O. Automobile Workers' Union involving labor demands for time and a half for Saturday and double time for Sunday. The company wants the extra pay eliminated to facilitate transition to round-the-clock operation, seven days a week, on war work.

The union seeks a \$1 a day increase, which the company says would bring the Bethlehem wage to the highest in the industry.

Young Dies Enlists

Representative Dies, Democrat of Texas, announced yesterday that his son, Martin Dies, 3d, 20, had enlisted here in the Navy, had been sworn in and had applied for a job on a mosquito boat.

### Michigan Republicans Assail Flynn Address

By the Associated Press.

Two Michigan Republicans, Representatives Hoffman and Woodruff, told the House yesterday that remarks of Democratic National Chairman Edward Flynn on February 2 were those of a "would-be dictator-maker" and called upon him to retract.

Representative Hoffman asserted Mr. Flynn was trying to smother political criticism of the President and Representative Woodruff expressed hope Mr. Flynn would recall an assertion that "no misfortune except a major military defeat could befall this country to the extent involved in the election of a Congress hostile to the President."

Mr. Flynn, said Representative Hoffman, "asked for when on February 2 he charged that the Republican leadership was 'not as much interested in winning the war as it is in controlling the House of Representatives.'"

"If Flynn thinks that he can suppress free speech, bring about unity, by attempting to deprive millions of Americans of the right to participate in their Government, by questioning their support of the Army, the Navy and the air force, by denying their right to choose their own representatives, he does not understand the temper of our people."

"Every good American," said Representative Woodruff, "irrespective of political affiliation, will decry this unwise, ill-conceived, and wholly unnecessary attempt on the part of Mr. Flynn to agitate acrimonious political controversy at this time when the Nation so vitally needs unity of action and unity of will."

### Man Dies at 116, Surviving 13 of His 14 Children

By the Associated Press.

DEMING, N. Mex., Feb. 6.—Herman Perez, whose age was given as 116 years, died yesterday after surviving all but one of his 14 children. A son, Benito, lives here.

Mr. Perez served in the Mexican War under Gen. Santa Ana in 1838. He claimed he could remember the fall of the Alamo.

### British Reported Easing Sea Blockade of Jibuti

By the Associated Press.

VICHY, Unoccupied France, Feb. 6.—The Vichy correspondent of the Paris newspaper Nouveaux Temps reported today that the British had relaxed the sea blockade of Jibuti, French Somaliland.

The writer said French supply ships had been arriving from Madagascar. He said it was believed the British Navy had withdrawn ships previously maintaining the blockade for use in the Orient.

No confirmation could be obtained from the Vichy government.

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Capital Facing 'Rationing' of Living Quarters

Housing Conference Told of Crowding in Washington

Washington ultimately may need some form of rationing of housing accommodations to cope with its rapidly growing population.

Elaborating on this statement to reporters later, Mr. Magnusson said he did not have in mind a program of distributing living quarters to give priorities to defense workers.

The purpose of the rationing program for housing, Mr. Magnusson explained, would be to bring about the utilization of available living quarters in Washington which are not now being offered for rent.

Form of Commandeering. Under a strict rationing system, he said, a survey would be made to locate rooms and houses which are not now being rented and require them to be made available to defense workers and others.

Mr. Magnusson said it would be a form of commandeering unused living quarters. He praised the District's rent-control act, but declared it did not go far enough, and that it should have included some provision for commandeering living quarters which are not being offered.

A letter from President Roosevelt extending greetings to the conference was read at the opening session of the all-day meeting by Mrs. Mary K. Simkhovitch, conference president.

"Your work has been important in the past," the President said. "It is even more important today when the country is engaged in the task of winning the war against aggression."

"Essential to Defense." The President declared adequate housing "is a morale builder and is essential to the speed and efficiency of our national defense work."

He declared the program of clearing slums and providing decent homes for the ill-housed must be reduced substantially for the duration because of the scarcity of building materials, but he emphasized that "the goal of a slumless America must be preserved."

The Chief Executive said the conference could make a real contribution toward post-war reconstruction by helping to set up the proper machinery.

Rent-control provisions in the price-control act are designed to prevent speculative, unwarranted and abnormal increases in rents and to help prevent a spiral of inflation, Karl Borders, chief of the O. P. A. rent section, told the conference.

Defense Rental Areas. He explained that the price administrator will designate areas as defense rental areas, and will make recommendations for stabilizing or reducing rents in those areas. Insofar as possible, the advice of local authorities will be followed and the various communities will be given a free hand to take steps to control rents.

In cases where O. P. A. recommendations are not complied with, the Federal Government will set maximum rentals.

B. J. Hoyde, administrator of the Pittsburgh Housing Authority, declared there is an overwhelming need now for a unity of command of the Nation's public housing program.

Urging housing authorities to "un-burden your minds," Mr. Hoyde declared that in most of the cities he is thinking too much in terms of projects of the United States Housing Authority, and are not tackling the housing problem in its entirety.

In the post-war period, he said, the Nation must replan and rebuild the run-down areas of cities from the bottom up, and in this work a unified command will be needed to do a really constructive job.

Edison Employees Awarded \$3,705,000 Pay Increase

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—Wage increases totaling \$3,750,000 for the 31,000 employees of the Consolidated Edison system of New York were awarded yesterday by a special board of review.

The board consisted of representatives of the company and the Brotherhood of Consolidated Edison Employees and was presided over by Aaron Horvitz, United States Conciliation Service representative.

The decision, binding on both parties, marked the end of negotiations started by the independent union as official bargaining agent for the employees, in November, 1941.

Previously, the company had offered increases totaling \$1,000,000, but when that offer proved unsatisfactory to the union, the Federal conciliator was called in under the terms of a three-year contract signed by the principals in November, 1940.

\$75,000 Fire Sweeps Boston Food Warehouse

BOSTON, Feb. 6.—Flames that swept a section of a large waterfront food warehouse yesterday near the Boston Navy Yard caused damage estimated by Fire Chief Samuel J. Pope at \$75,000.

Freight cars were moved from adjacent sidings and tugs towed a freighter moored nearby to safety as the fire department's land and harbor forces confined the blaze to the Mystic River dock.

Four alarms were sounded as the firefighters, some from neighboring communities, held the blaze away from Navy Yard property, a wool warehouse and a chemical storage plant. Mr. Pope said there was no evidence of sabotage.



DOG RESCUED FROM SEWER.—W. J. Malone, member of a Montgomery County road crew, with the dog which the crew rescued from a sewer pipe in the 9000 block of Alton parkway, Silver Spring, Md., today. Neighbors said the dog had been in the pipe seven hours. Mr. Malone points to the hole which was cut in the pipe to rescue the dog. —Star Staff Photo.

Lanham Seeks Early Vote on \$50,000,000 D. C. Housing Bill

Rules Committee May Grant Privileged Status to Measure

By JAMES E. CHINN. A privileged status on the House calendar for the bill authorizing an appropriation of \$50,000,000 for war housing facilities and public works in the District and nearby Maryland and Virginia was sought today by Chairman Lanham of the Public Buildings and Grounds Committee.

The Public Buildings and Grounds Committee two days ago unanimously approved the measure and urged quick House action, but recommended that some of the housing money be used for construction of temporary dormitories for unmarried workers.

"Temporary dormitories for unmarried workers," the report declared, "will afford opportunity for association with fellow workers, minimize the problem of transients, keep the amount of Federal expenditure within reasonable bounds and relieve the situation with reference to normal real estate activities when the emergency is over."

The committee declared in the report that aside from the acute housing needs it has been "impressed" with the inadequacy of Washington's hospital facilities. It also stressed the shortage of school facilities, water and sewer services and fire protection.

According to present plans about \$40,000,000 of the \$50,000,000 authorized in the bill would be used for construction of homes for public employees in the lower income brackets. The remaining \$10,000,000 is expected to be advanced to the Commissioners to provide urgently needed public works such as schools, hospital facilities and extensions of the water, sewer, refuse and fire protection services.

The report said, in part: "There is universal agreement among all who have given study to it that the necessity for Government assistance and action with respect to housing and public works at the seat of the Government is unquestionably urgent, and that with respect to meeting housing shortage now becoming emergent, no conceivable program of private enterprise will be adequate."

"In respect to the necessary and accompanying public works, it is of importance that advantage be taken for the reorganization of the Government departments for the war effort. While definite steps have been taken in this direction, the end is not yet in sight."

Given Attention by President. The report added that "the committee is convinced of the necessity for this legislation. A communication addressed to the Speaker of the House shows that matter has received the attention of the President and the need has been determined by him to the extent for which appropriations are recommended by the committee. It does not, therefore, seem necessary as a matter of course for other parts of the Nation to impose an additional burden of determination on the President."

The report also declared the committee is "very definitely of the opinion" that private enterprise should supply as much of the permanent housing needs as possible and that "the defense housing program in this measure should be restricted to the minimum necessary for the additional personnel to be provided during the emergency in connection with the wartime activities."

Trade Board to Study War Effect on Life in Washington

Special Subcommittee Will Go Into Staggered Hours System

Subcommittees to study the effect of war activities on the life of the city were appointed yesterday by a special committee of the Washington Board of Trade. About 35 civic and business leaders attended the meeting.

Fred A. Smith, president of the Board of Trade, told committee members he felt they were capable of furnishing the community with an intelligent appraisal of war-time needs and with recommendations for meeting them.

Executive Committee Members. The full committee named the following Executive Committee: T. Stanley Holland, Charles C. Koonce, L. Gardner Moore, Arthur J. Sundlund, Lawrence E. Williams and Joseph G. McGarraghay, chairman of the full committee.

A special subcommittee to consider the relationship of business hours to the work hour system of Federal departments was named to include John J. Hasley, Gerald D. Grosner, A. G. Neal, Mr. Sundlund and Kirk Miller.

Improvements in the present staggered-hour system will be recommended by a committee consisting of E. D. Merrill, Ruthven K. Smith, Mr. Hasley, C. A. Robinson and P. Y. K. Howatt, chairman.

W. E. Humphreys suggested that business hours and other receivers of freight should make provision to accept delivery of consignments as soon as possible after arrival. The defense program is placing heavy demands on carriers, he explained. A committee appointed to consider this problem consists of B. B. Derrick, George B. Burrus, B. B. Earnshaw, W. E. Humphreys, Isaac Jacobsen, Lester B. Powell, Dr. Irving Tennyson, John H. Hague and Ross D. Clemens.

Police Court Jury Acquits Driver in Fatal Accident

Arthur A. Cooper, 27, of the 2500 block of Fourteenth street N.W., yesterday was acquitted by a Police Court jury on a charge of negligent homicide in connection with the traffic death last June of Vernon Pfifer, 13, colored, of the 400 block of Q street N.W.

The Government contended the boy was struck by an automobile operated by Mr. Cooper at Third and N streets N.W. Defense Attorney Daniel B. Maher contended the boy had been struck when he walked into the side of the car. Mr. Maher also argued the boy's death was not caused by the accident at Third and N, but was the result of a subsequent accident when Mr. Cooper's car, taking the boy to the hospital, was struck by another automobile at Florida and Rhode Island avenues N.W.

New Staggered Hours For D. C. Employees Are Adopted

Work hours for District Government employees, beginning next Monday, will be from 8:15 to 4:45 p.m., Mondays through Fridays, and from 8:15 a.m. to 12:15 p.m. on Saturdays, under a revised staggered-hour program for municipal employees adopted yesterday by the Commissioners.

It had been planned to change the hours to 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. and 8 a.m. to noon on Saturdays, but some protests were made. The present work schedule is 8:45 to 4:15 p.m. and 8:45 a.m. to 12:45 p.m. on Saturdays.

The 47 permits issued for the western district totaled \$287,150 and 60 permits for the eastern district totaled \$223,975, records of the building inspectors' office showed.

Cent-a-Quart Rise in Price Of Milk Asked

Hearing to Be Held Thursday on Plea Of Producers

Dairy farmers in the Washington milk shed have petitioned the Agriculture Department for a price rise of bottled milk and cream of 1 cent per quart, it was disclosed today.

Announcement of the proposal came with the granting by the department of a hearing next Thursday in the Agriculture Department auditorium.

The hearing was asked by the Maryland and Virginia Milk Producers' Association and the Capital Milk Producers' Association. The two organizations represent more than three-fourths of dairy farmers in the Washington milk shed.

Local dairies said they could not estimate what increase in the retail price of milk would result until after the hearing, but that if the petition is granted by the department consumers will have to pay more for their milk.

Would Be Effective May 1. Bruce B. Derrick, manager of the Maryland and Virginia Association, said the price boosts asked by farmers would amount to 46 cents per hundredweight and would become effective May 1.

"It is entirely a matter of supply and demand," Mr. Derrick said. "To make the supply keep up with the rapid pace of demand, it is inevitable that the necessary price incentive must be provided. Otherwise there will not be enough milk."

He said the possibilities of obtaining regular supplies of whole milk from distant points are quite remote, as the defense program is causing an abnormally heavy demand for dairy products generally. "It takes a lot of labor to produce milk and farm help is hard to get because men are leaving the farms for higher pay in defense industries," Mr. Derrick said.

Proposed New Prices. Under the co-operative proposal the price of class 1 or bottled milk delivered to handlers in the District would be \$4.03, and for milk delivered to Maryland handlers it would be \$3.57 per hundredweight.

They also ask that the price of class 2 milk or cream delivered to District handlers be increased from \$2.10 to \$2.56, and that the price of the same class to Maryland handlers be increased from \$1.87 to \$2.56 per hundredweight.

Any increases at this time would not affect the Federal-subsidized milk programs, including the local penny-milk project, according to the Surplus Marketing Administration of the department.

The co-operatives also would extend the Washington milk shed deeper into Montgomery and Prince Georges Counties, which would take such locations as Olney, Gaithersburg, Laurel, Bowie, Glenn Dale, Lanham, Upper Marlboro and Mariboro.

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Liquor Consumption Rate Here Is Called One of Highest in U. S.

Senate Subcommittee Hears Arguments on Bill To Ban Price Advertising

Washington has one of the highest per capita rates of liquor consumption in the United States, a Senate subcommittee was told today, as it heard arguments for and against a House-approved bill banning liquor price advertising and extending the dry zones around churches and certain other institutions.

One group of wholesale and retail liquor dealers, represented by Attorney F. Joseph Donohue, joined with a number of civic organizations in supporting the bill, while the Commissioners were among a number of other witnesses opposed to it.

After Senator Guffey, Democrat, of Pennsylvania, had appeared as the first opposition witness, charging it would encourage bootlegging and monopoly by raising prices, statements for the bill were filed by several other members of Congress.

The bill would prohibit any new license within 500 feet of churches, schools, playgrounds, public libraries, the Soldiers' Home or the Navy Yard. The present rule laid down by the Commissioners is 400 feet.

Civic Groups Support Bill. Among the organizations supporting the bill were: The District Congress of Parents and Teachers, which suggested that all applications for resale of licenses within the restricted institutional areas be denied.

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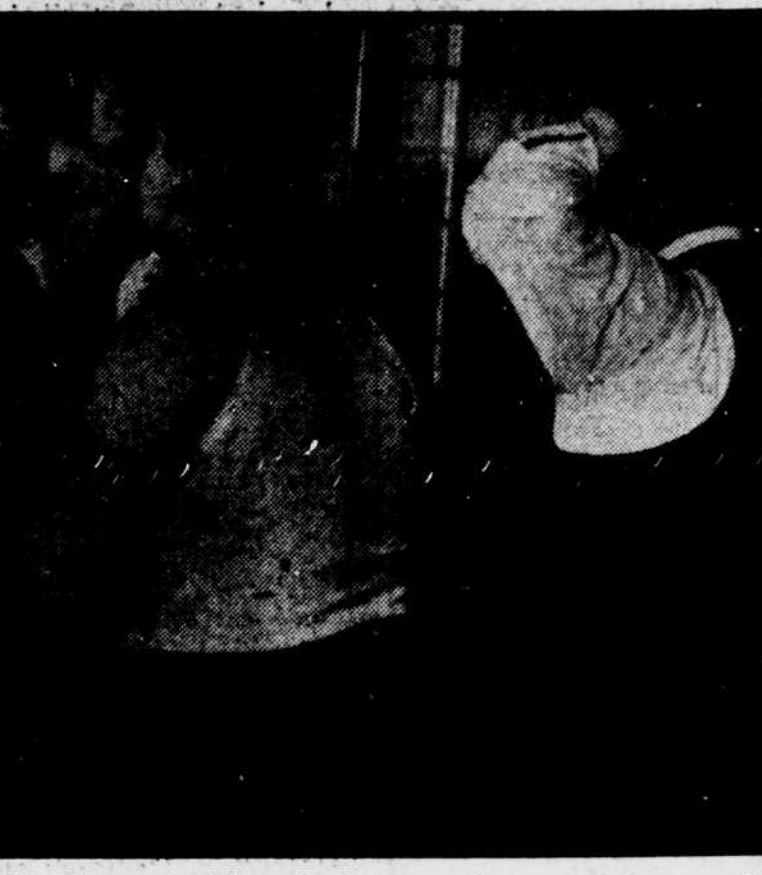
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INTERIM CLUB FOR BUSINESSMEN—These out-of-town businessmen, here on defense work, find a place to clean up at the Mayflower Hotel before going out on appointments. Here J. W. Crawford (left) of Akron, Ohio, and Howard R. Wood of the Central Long Island (N. Y.) Housing Guild spruce up at the hotel's Interim Club.

Hotel's Interim Club Cares For 'Homeless' Businessmen

Mayflower Offers Washing, Lounging Facilities To Visitors Until Rooms Are Available

Other patrons of the club today included Carl Eklund (left) of Lake Ronkonkoma, N. Y., and S. Calafati of East North Port, N. Y. Raymond Jones, colored, is the attendant. —Star Staff Photos.

The population problem of war-time Washington has spread to local hotels, but at least one of them has found a solution—as many a tired businessman has learned.

Answer to the problem at the Mayflower Hotel is the Interim Club. It works like this: A businessman arriving in Washington on an "early train" for a conference, finds no rooms available until late in the day. Meanwhile, he wishes to spruce up before his appointment and also wants to check his bags.

He is taken to the second floor of the hotel where the Interim Club has been established. There he finds showers, lockers, shaving facilities and a reception room complete with radio, newspapers and writing desks.

Later in the day, when he returns from his conference, a private room will be available. Over the week end, business tapers off.

The club formerly was three regular bedrooms. Walls were torn out and the present facilities built.

Unable to furnish Mr. Eklund with a room, the hotel offered him the facilities of the club where he quickly made ready for his appointment.

Howard R. Wood of the Central Long Island (N. Y.) Housing Guild, another patron on hand this morning, said he believed he was a veteran "member" of the club as he averages a trip to Washington a week. Today, incidentally, was his second visit to the city this week.

Hotel officials said they have taken care of as many as 40 businessmen in one day, and that as far as they knew the club is the only one of its kind in the city.

Raymond Jones, colored attendant at the club, said today was "kind of slow" as only 17 men had checked in since early morning. The club operates from Monday through Friday. Over the week end, business tapers off.

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Senator Glass, Democrat, of Virginia sent a letter to the committee, asking immediate consideration of the bill, stating that Hunter Miller, chairman of the Alcoholic Beverage Commission of Virginia favored it. Senator Gurney, Republican, of South Dakota also wrote that the bill appeared to have merit.

Presenting the opposition of the Advertising Club of Washington to that part of the bill restricting price advertising, Charles J. Columbus, its secretary, said the club holds no brief for the liquor business, but believes any commodity that has a right to be sold has a right to be advertised. He suggested a law banning advertising would contravene the bill of rights.

George W. Potter appeared in favor of the bill for the Petworth Citizens' Association, while George A. Warren presented the objections of the Midcity Citizens' Association. He was not authorized to speak on the 600-foot restriction.

The subcommittee adjourned until 10:30 a.m. tomorrow.

Cheerily Protest Meeting

Residents of Cheverly Heights, Md., and neighboring communities will meet at 8:30 p.m. tomorrow in Cheverly-Tuxedo School to protest against existing bus service.

Committee Chosen

Creation of a Salvage for Victory Campaign Committee for the Brantley Valley (Md.) Citizens' Association has been announced. Albert J. Obert is chairman.

Deficiency Bill Reflects Impact Of War on D. C.

Additional \$398,803 Requested for Rest Of Fiscal Year

By DON. S. WARREN. The effect of the war effort on District government operations was reflected sharply today in the first deficiency bill reported to the House. It provides for expenditure of \$398,803 additional for the remainder of the current fiscal year.

Among high lights are: Plans drafted by the Commissioners for abandonment of the much-criticized Home for Aged and Infirm at Blue Plains and for erection of a modern \$1,500,000 building at Glenn Dale, Md., were laid on the shelf, because of priorities restrictions and similar problems, but the Appropriations Committee recommended an outlay of \$106,000 to improve facilities at Blue Plains.

An estimate of \$36,000 to supplement previous appropriations for construction and equipment of a new Receiving Home for Children was disallowed, the committee stating in its opinion it will not be possible to obtain priorities for the equipment and supplies. Therefore, rental for continuance in the present makeshift quarters was provided.

Funds for Police. Funds were included for the early employment of 95 additional members of the Metropolitan Police Force, these to be in addition to the extra 100 approved by Congress at the last session because of wartime conditions here.

Also, the committee recommends funds for pay of 21 extra guards, engaged to protect the water supply system; for construction of an elevated water tank in Southeast Washington, in the vicinity of Alabama and Massachusetts avenues S.E., and minor sums for some other municipal services.

One of the major items related to the war program is the recommended outlay now of \$110,000 for completion of construction of the new \$2,700,000 National Guard Armory, which has been speeded at request of Federal officials to provide space for war workers.

Price Limitations Raised. At the urgent request of the Commissioners the committee increased from \$650 to \$750 the limit on the price which may be paid by the District for purchase of passenger vehicles, and raised from \$1,700 to \$1,900 the price limit on field wagons to be bought for the surveyor's office. District purchasing officers found they were getting no bids for vehicles under the lower-price limitations.

The District fund included in the first deficiency bill was \$398,803, which is \$160,633 lower than estimates recommended by the Budget Bureau and the Commissioners. However, the first deficiency bill does not include any of the large increases recently recommended by Health Officer George C. Ruhland.

These are being studied at the District Building and soon will be sent to the Budget Bureau and Congress for consideration in a second deficiency bill. Mr. Ruhland requested \$412,000 for expansion of health services in the last four months of the fiscal year and an increase of \$712,000 for the new fiscal year beginning July 1.

\$88,085 Item Dropped. About half the items eliminated in the first deficiency bill were dropped at the Commissioners' suggestion. These items totaled \$88,085 and concerned the electrical department, purchasing division, District Office of Civilian Defense and school building equipment.

The Home for Aged and the Commissioners requested \$127,468 and the Appropriations Committee recommended \$106,000.

"The amount recommended," the committee said, "includes 35 additional employees on a four-month basis, and provides for additional food for the same period. The additional employees include three nurses, 16 hospital attendants, three supervisors of dormitory and dining room attendants, two night watchmen, one mechanic and 10 ward attendants."

"The total staff at Blue Plains with this additional force will be 106, including all classes of employees, or an average of one for every six inmates."

No Elaborate Changes. "The amount allowed for repairs and improvements of \$48,000 contains no elaborate changes. More sanitary and additional plumbing, some new kitchen equipment, painting, repairs to floors, repairs to plastering, fire alarm system and so forth, are the minimum amount to place the buildings in a more habitable condition, are recommended."

Other District government items included in the bill were: For the recorder of deeds for payment of rent for its present quarters, awaiting completion of the agency's new home, \$6,250; for the Department of Weights, Measures and Markets, for contingencies, \$250; for the District Minimum Wage and Industrial Safety Board, \$5,320; for the District employees' compensation fund, \$8,000; for printing and binding for District agencies, \$7,500; for the Metropolitan Police Department, \$2,660 for miscellaneous expenses and \$7,125 for uniforms, these items being in addition to \$53,890 for the additional 95 policemen; for the public school system, an increase in the cost limitation from \$6,000 to \$8,500 for a new roof for the auditorium of the Francis Junior High School, and \$10,000 more for purchases of school building and playground sites already authorized; for the Fire Department, \$7,700 to pay for fuel; for the Board of Public Welfare, \$2,750 for maintenance of the present Receiving Home for Children; for the park police, an additional \$4,085 for pay and \$2,895 for uniforms and equipment and for payment of final judgments rendered against the District government, \$15,532.



Fenwick Seeks Voting Registrar For Arlington

Central Office Asked To Enroll County's New Residents

By ALEXANDER R. PRESTON, Star Staff Correspondent. RICHMOND, Feb. 6.—A central registrar who would have regular office hours to accept the names of new Arlington County voters is authorized in a bill to be introduced in the House today by Delegate Charles R. Fenwick of Arlington.

The new official would be selected for a two-year term beginning May 1 and would not be allowed to hold any elective office, but would be permitted to perform other duties assigned him by the County Board.

The bill requires the new official to maintain during regular hours an office at the courthouse where any voter may register. He would promptly certify all names received by him to the precinct registrars having jurisdiction over the new voters address.

The precinct registrars would be paid, as now, 10 cents for each name certified to them, even though the registration is made with the central official.

Mr. Fenwick said the precinct system of having registrars in the 11 county precincts is confusing to new citizens. The registrars, themselves, are housewives or businessmen who frequently are away from their homes when a prospective voter calls to qualify. Mr. Fenwick declared.

Highway Request Received. Mr. Fenwick and Senator William D. Medley said they have received a resolution from the Arlington County board asking legislation to authorize the State Highway Commission to purchase rights of way to construct a proposed Fairfax drive to connect Clarendon with Falls Church.

The State Highway Department has indicated it would construct the road, providing the county purchased the rights of way. The Arlington County Board passed a resolution Saturday which opposed this plan and recommended the scheme incorporated in the communications received here.

Both legislators indicated they would take steps to carry out the county's program, which also includes providing for filtration of water over Washington boulevard, now a State road, in exchange for State maintenance of the proposed new route.

The Senate passed Mr. Fenwick's bill requiring pawnbrokers to register goods and pawnbrokers with police departments. The measure now goes to the Governor for signing.

The House Finance Committee yesterday reported out a bill by Mr. Fenwick providing for the deposit securities with the State Treasurer. The legislation was sought by Arlington County Treasurer John Locke Green.

County Druggists Pledge Defense Co-operation

Druggists of Prince Georges County, Md., meeting yesterday in Hyattsville to discuss methods of aiding in the war effort, agreed on full co-operation with the medical division of the county Civilian Defense Council under the leadership of Dr. John M. Byers, it was announced today by Ralph C. Dudrow, chairman of the group.

Mr. Dudrow said the county druggists plan to make an inventory of all drugs now on hand which may be of service in an emergency. He added that drug stores will act, in case of an air raid, as temporary and unofficial first-aid stations, from which casualties may be sent to one of the 11 regular first-aid stations being set up in the county.

Maryland's Surplus Drops to \$5,096,517

By the Associated Press. ANNAPOLIS, Feb. 6.—Maryland's unprecedented general fund surplus dropped to \$5,096,517 on January 1 with the transfer of \$4,000,000 to the month transfer found to compensate for reduced State income tax revenues. The real estate levy, used to reduce the State's bonded indebtedness, was reduced by the Board of Public Works at Gov. O'Connor's suggestion.



MACARTHUR'S NIECE ON DUTY—Mrs. John L. Reyburn, a niece of Gen. Douglas MacArthur, is shown on duty as a Red Cross nurse's aide at Children's Hospital. She has served as a volunteer aide for the past two years, and last saw her famous uncle in 1937 here.

Virginia House May Act Today On Parole Bill

2 Other Measures Backed by Darden Also Coming Up

By the Associated Press. RICHMOND, Va., Feb. 6.—Bills establishing a probation and parole system, adding \$2 to the maximum weekly payment under the Workmen's Compensation Act, and separating the police and tax collection activities of the Division of Motor Vehicles were in line for passage by the House of Delegates yesterday.

All three carry the indorsement of Gov. Darden, whose inaugural legislative program moved steadily ahead in a co-operative General Assembly that gave final approval Wednesday to his plan for substituting a single administrator for the three-member Employment Compensation Commission and sent the bill to the Governor's desk to be signed.

Another administration measure repealing the 1940 State tax on liquor and wine moved down the corridor to the Senate after a 73-20 vote in the House of Delegates, while the Gibson House bill to lower the interest rate which may be charged by small loan companies from 3 1/2 to 2 per cent a month came from the Insurance and Banking Committee with an unanimous favorable report.

No Dissent on U. C. C. Bill. By suspending constitutional reading the House completed action on the U. C. C. bill yesterday without a dissenting vote and passed the liquor-wine tax repeal measure with a majority that sponsors predicted would be paralleled or surpassed in the upper chamber.

The Senate bill enlarging the State Board of Corrections from five to nine members, on the House calendar at the amendable stage, and the small loan bill which probably will appear on the calendar Monday, may both reach a position for passage early next week.

The House Roads Committee gave its approval yesterday to the Elizabeth River tunnel bill in amended form to permit the construction of a tunnel linking Portsmouth and Norfolk, and spokesmen said the revised measure found Representative support of 100 members of the river in complete agreement.

The probation and parole bill, providing for the appointment by the courts of 46 probation and parole officers and setting up a three-member parole board with a full-time, \$5,000-a-year director, is one of the penal reforms recommended by the Legislative Advisory Council.

Another of this series of bills providing for the abolition of the office of constable and the transfer of duties of this office to the sheriffs also moved ahead with the probation and parole bill. The House already has passed a bill setting up a department of corrections.

Edward Arnold Speaks. Edward Arnold, the movie actor, yesterday spoke to both branches on invitation and told the members that the moving picture industry was taking a leading role in war work by producing technical films for the armed services and by enlisting movie stars in sales efforts for defense bonds and stamps.

By Senator Cary: To require applications for licenses as small loan companies to file a list of directors and stockholders as well as officers and partners, and to furnish such information at any time it is asked by the State Corp. Commission.

By Senator Cary: To permit women to work up to 48 hours a week, instead of the present 48, in bona fide war industries and on express authority of the State labor commissioner.

By Delegate Robertson: To authorize courts to enforce satisfaction of judgments, but not future earnings of judgment debtors.

By Delegate Hopkins: To exempt operators of machines vending merchandise only, vending machines, musical machines and service machines from the \$1,000 annual slot-machine tax, but continuing the tax on pinball and other slot machines.

Mrs. Cora Rebecca Lowe, Mother of 11, Dies

POTOMAC, Md., Feb. 6.—Mrs. Cora Rebecca Lowe, 76, widow of Lawrence Lowe and life-long resident of Montgomery County, died Wednesday at the home of her son, Norman Lowe, near Potomac, after a week's illness.

In addition to Norman Lowe she is survived by 10 other sons and daughters. They are Mrs. Roy Oden and Mrs. Thomas Ricketts of Potomac; Mrs. Charles McCrosin and Thomas Lowe, both of Travliah; Zack Lowe, Arlington, Va.; Dewey Lowe, Washington; Lawrence Lowe, Kensington; William Lowe, Greenacres, and Mrs. John Cromwell, Little Orleans, Md. She also leaves a brother, Arthur Selby, Frederick; 34 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at 2:30 p.m. tomorrow at the Baptist Church at Travliah. The Rev. Claude A. Brubaker will officiate and burial will be in the cemetery at Darnestown.

Mr. Pounsberry, born in Somerset County, England, came to this country in 1906, settling in Washington. He was married to Mrs. Florence H. Pounsberry, died five years ago. Besides his son Frank, he leaves two other sons, Herbert G. and Ronald Pounsberry; a daughter, Mrs. Evelyn May Wendling of Little River, Md.; two sisters, Mrs. Alice Pounsberry and Mrs. Emma Carter, both of Somerset County, England; a brother, Albert Pounsberry of London, England, and nine grandchildren.



NEW HOME FOR AIR RAID WARDENS—New headquarters for Chief Air Raid Warden Clement Murphy and his staff was formally opened last night in the old No. 10 engine house. Looking over some of the records on file are (left to right) Col. Lemuel Bolles, civilian defense executive; Harry N. Stull, president of Federation of Citizens Associations; Fire Chief Stephen T. Porter and Miss Anita Phipps, president of the American Women's Voluntary Services for the District.

One Municipal Unit In Metropolitan Area Of County Urged

Suggestion by Duckett Draws Prince Georges Federation Applause

T. Howard Duckett, Hyattsville (Md.) attorney, last night told the Prince Georges County Federation of Civic Associations that the metropolitan area of the county has reached a stage of development which requires organization of the area into one municipal unit.

Mr. Duckett's remarks as to the inadequacy of the present setup drew a burst of applause from his audience of 40 federation delegates. Discussing the operation of the Washington Suburban Sanitary Commission and the Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission, he had been asked by William G. Copley of Silver Hill, federation vice president, to explain where responsibility lies for the care of streets in subdivision areas not under the jurisdiction of the Park and Planning Commission.

Mr. Duckett, a former member of the commission, replied that under the present setup, owners of property abutting on such streets are alone responsible.

Cites Variety of Areas. "That is a lame answer," he said, "but it is nevertheless a fact. The truth is that with the situation as it is today, where we have incorporated towns, special taxing areas, unincorporated towns, un-special taxing areas and so on, we have reached a point where nobody really is able to keep track of what is what."

"We ought to abolish the whole business—get a decent county manager and put the whole Metropolitan Area under one man."

Mr. Duckett added that he had no criticism for those doing their best to administer the present unwieldy organization.

"The towns have done a good job," he said, "but they have served their purpose. We are getting too big now."

Traces County's Growth. In his address, one of a series designed to equalize federation membership in the various branches of the county government, Mr. Duckett traced the growth of the county with particular regard to the work of the Sanitary Commission and the Park and Planning Commission. The Metropolitan Area of the county, he told his hearers, is today a city in the true sense of the word.

Earlier the federation reopened for discussion the question of maintaining adequate staffs in county schools through pay increases or bonuses for teachers. A resolution prepared by Dr. R. C. Wiley of College Park, chairman of the Committee on Education, calling for adequate compensation for teachers to offset the present high cost of living, was unanimously adopted.

Henry W. Pounsberry Dies at Hospital Here

Henry W. Pounsberry, 64, a butcher for 30 years at the Benning slaughter house of Keane, Auth & Loeffler, died yesterday at a local hospital after a short illness. He divided his time between his home in Seat Pleasant, Md., and the home of his son Frank, in Washington.

Mr. Pounsberry, born in Somerset County, England, came to this country in 1906, settling in Washington.

He was married to Mrs. Florence H. Pounsberry, died five years ago. Besides his son Frank, he leaves two other sons, Herbert G. and Ronald Pounsberry; a daughter, Mrs. Evelyn May Wendling of Little River, Md.; two sisters, Mrs. Alice Pounsberry and Mrs. Emma Carter, both of Somerset County, England; a brother, Albert Pounsberry of London, England, and nine grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. tomorrow at Addison Chapel, Seat Pleasant, with burial in the church cemetery.

Winchester Chamber Re-elects McVicar

SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE STAR. WINCHESTER, Va., Feb. 6.—Charles W. McVicar, city revenue commissioner, last night was re-elected president of the Chamber of Commerce here for a third term. Harold G. Brown is vice president, Paul S. Haldeman treasurer and Andrew Bell secretary for his first term. New directors are Daniel J. Hince, L. J. McElligott, James Shockey and F. Grove White.

Cheverly Protest Meeting

Residents of Cheverly Heights, Md., and neighboring communities will meet at 8:30 p.m. tomorrow in Cheverly-Tunado School to protest against existing bus service.

U. S. S. Augusta First Navy Ship To Make a Will

NORFOLK, Va., Feb. 6.—Augusta has drawn her will. The Navy Relief Society is sole beneficiary.

Being of sound steel and in possession of all her armament, the stout old cruiser has arranged all the details such as power of attorney and proper authority.

Believed to be the first naval ship with legal testament, the U. S. S. Augusta directs in her will that the beneficiary shall receive money now on deposit in a Brooklyn bank in the event that the cruiser should become a complete casualty—that no commanding officer should survive to administer the funds.

Funds on deposit, often amounting to several thousand dollars, represent profits from her ship's service operations. The funds are used for improvements and additions to the ship's equipment for the comfort and convenience of the officers and men aboard.

Compulsory Labor Law Urged to Meet Farm Emergency

Work-or-Fight Plan Favored in Maryland To End Indifference

By the Associated Press. A compulsory labor law similar to the World War measure is favored by P. C. Turner, Maryland Farm Bureau president, to help overcome the farm labor shortage besetting Free State farmers in their efforts to fill increased wartime production quotas.

Such a work-or-fight formula applied to all able-bodied men, he declared, is needed to put an end to the widespread practice among certain classes of farm and industrial labor of working two days a week and loafing five.

Indifference Reported. "From many sections of the State I get reports of such indifference, which threatens to cripple production of farm crop and factory output," Mr. Turner told farm leaders and University of Maryland economists yesterday.

The State-wide Farm Defense Labor Committee, of which Mr. Turner is chairman, met to draft a wartime program of economy aimed at achieving increased production of all farm crops, especially dairy products, poultry and cannery products.

Reported enrollment of employable Charles County youths by the C. C. C. were characterized as "out-rageous" by Mr. Turner after personally investigating complaints of Charles County farmers that the Federal organization was conducting raids on the potential farm labor supply.

Demands Halt. "This thing must stop immediately," Mr. Turner declared.

"While the Charles County situation brought about by C. C. C. is very distressing, farmers nevertheless recognized the splendid work being done by C. C. C. in supervising soil conservation activities that are under way in various parts of the State," he added.

Meantime, Washington C. C. C. headquarters gave assurance that the policy of furloughing enrollees available for farm work would be continued.

Guests included Maj. Gen. William N. Porter, chief of the Chemical Warfare Division of the War Department; Lt. Comdr. J. P. Weatherly, 3d, of the Navy Yard; Harry N. Stull, president of the Federation of Citizens Associations and an assistant to Mr. Murphy; Dr. John A. Lee, chief medical officer of District of Columbia civilian defense; Mrs. Harry S. Bernton, head of volunteer service of the local defense office, and Mrs. Elizabeth Houghton and Mrs. Theodore Wedel, her assistants, and Miss Anita Phipps, president of the American Women's Voluntary Services for the District.

Mr. Murphy commented afterward: "We are set to stay on the job 24 hours a day and are working under the assumption that Washington will be bombed."

Virginia Lutherans Elect 16 Delegates

By the Associated Press. ROANOKE, Va., Feb. 6.—The annual convention of the Lutheran Synod of Virginia yesterday elected eight lay and eight clerical delegates to the 13th biennial convention of the United States Lutheran Church in America, parent body of the Virginia Synod.

Clerical delegates to the U. L. C. A. convention will include Dr. J. J. Scherer, president of the synod. Lay delegates to the national meeting will include Dr. A. B. Greener, Rural Retreat; E. K. Miley, Toms Brook, and W. E. Cooney, Jr., Waynesboro.

W. Va. Cities Studied for Agency Shifts

Buildings Chief and Randolph Look Over Elkins' Facilities

Special Dispatch to The Star. ELKINS, W. Va., Feb. 6.—W. E. Reynolds, United States commissioner of public buildings, and Representative Randolph were here today on their tour to survey possibilities of moving some non-defense workers from Washington to this area to make room for war workers in the Capital.

Following a scheduled meeting with business and civic leaders, they will continue on to Arthurdale, where Mrs. Roosevelt and Mr. Randolph will speak tonight.

At a gathering of more than 200 persons at the Shenandoah Hotel in Martinsburg, Mr. Reynolds said this area had a particular appeal in the decentralization program because of its proximity to Washington.

Reynolds Impressed. After a two-hour tour of the city's facilities, Mr. Reynolds said he was particularly impressed with the housing facilities and Mr. Randolph assured him that Martinsburg could care for from 600 to 800 of the workers well. A 100 unit low cost housing project has just been completed here.

Mr. Reynolds said that probably 15,000 more workers would be added to the 2,000 already moved from Washington. At present, the Government is investigating the possibility of shifting small groups of from 200 to 400 workers from some departments, without dislocating large sections, he said.

Asked whether the move would be permanent, Mr. Reynolds replied that it depended on the efficiency with which the shifted agency was working and on the community life the workers were enjoying.

Cheaper Living Cited. Mr. Randolph pointed out that living costs in Martinsburg were far less than in Washington, mentioning specifically that rents were 50 per cent less.

"It seems the part of good judgment to me that employes should be moved to the smaller communities rather than big cities that are already overcrowded, such as New York, Chicago and Philadelphia," Mr. Randolph said.

The 15 surveying men were guests at the meeting yesterday. They were Taylor Chewing, president of the United City Products Co., which has several brick and tile plants in Martinsburg, and Arthur C. Hyde, operator of Congressional Airport, who is surveying possibilities of establishing an air school in Martinsburg.

Only a few additions are needed to round out the operations base for civilian defense wardens, Mr. Murphy pointed out. They include a monitor switchboard which will link the building with the air-raid control center and a number of Army cots to be used by staff people forced to stay on extended duty in the event of raids.

Pointing out to guests that his men had "start from scratch" in equipping the headquarters, Mr. Murphy explained that office furniture had been selected from condemned District government property and then refurbished by volunteers from the Fire Department.

The more than 100 chairs in the second-floor assembly room were presented by George Washington University from its discarded stock. Here again furniture scrapped and sanded, applied varnish and made new seats out of plywood. With the exception of the painting of walls, all other work was done by firemen.

The large apparatus room on the first floor is to be used as offices for file clerks and stenographers. Wardens also will be sworn in there. On the first floor rear are offices of assistants and the kitchen, which is equipped to feed wardens remaining on protracted duty.

Room for Defense Groups. On the second floor are additional offices and the large assembly hall which Mr. Murphy said would be open to any civilian defense group requiring a class or meeting room. A powder room is on the third floor.

Col. Lemuel Bolles, civilian defense executive, said he hoped the new headquarters would be the "rallying point for all civilian defense workers." Chief Porter praised the work of Mr. Murphy and his staff.

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Because it is in a "target area," Martinsburg probably will receive the first allotment of supplies. Gov. O'Connor said. A great portion of the supplies and equipment will be for fire protection, he added.

Committee Chosen

Creation of a Salvage for Victory Campaign Committee for the Brandywine Valley (Md.) Citizens' Association has been announced. Albert J. Obert is chairman. T. G. Gardner has been appointed chairman of a group to consider recommendations of the Brookings Institution report.

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 \$60,000,000 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 \$297,423.11. 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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**Pedestrians Comprise 50% Of Alexandria Accidents**

By a Staff Correspondent of The Star.  
ALEXANDRIA, Va., Feb. 6.—Pedestrians comprised 50 per cent of the traffic accident victims in Alexandria in January, the monthly report of Capt. Edgar Sims of the Alexandria Police Department showed today. There were 80 automobile accidents in the city last month. One person was killed and 30 were injured, and of this number 10 were pedestrians.

"This is an example, to some extent, of pedestrian carelessness," Capt. Sims said in urging pedestrians to be more cautious, to observe all traffic signals and to cross streets only at intersections.

Of the remaining 10 accident victims, nine were hurt in collisions between automobiles and one was injured in an automobile-bicycle collision.

The Police Department established a good batting average in January both in convictions and in recovery of stolen property.

**Aussies Keep Busy In Singapore Replying To Japanese Fire**

**Lonely Areas Patrolled To Prevent Attempts To Land Troops**

By SERGT. IAN FITCHETT,  
Official Australian Army Correspondent.  
SINGAPORE, Feb. 5 (Delayed.) (Australian Associated Press to (AP).)

"We are rapidly becoming accustomed to the sound of shellfire, which has increased in intensity during the last 24 hours.

The Japanese have brought forward sufficient artillery to keep up a fairly continuous fire and our gunners have been busy in counter battery work.

So far, little damage has been done to anything on Singapore Island.

The Japanese also are pounding away with their larger-type mortars. Keen observation today picked out a party working at mortar positions not far from the Johore end of the causeway and one of our batteries swung immediately onto the target.

Accurate fire dispersed the Japanese with casualties and no further attempt has been made to finish the job.

Tobruk Is Made Example.

One of our crack batteries put 23 rounds of rapid fire today into the Johore Bahru Baroque municipal buildings, the town's main landmark and a much more obvious observation post.

Gen. Sir Archibald Wavell's message appeared in all unit orders today.

(Wavell, Allied generalissimo in the Southwest Pacific, declared in a special order of the day Wednesday that "our part today to gain time for great reinforcements which we and our American Allies are sending to the Eastern theater.")

Before his receipt, commanding officers had been instructed to impress on all troops the example of Tobruk and the fact that our complete control of no man's land was a major factor in the success of that garrison.

In the same way here leaders are determined that we will control undisputedly what is Singapore's no-man's-land—the narrow stretch of water separating this island from the mainland.

**Lonely Shores Patrolled.**

In addition our men have been busy patrolling all the lonely creeks and estuaries that cut into the forches of the island.

There will not be one such spot that will be unfamiliar to the men guarding the area and mobile patrols will deal swiftly with any Japanese attempt to steal small parties across in efforts to establish a bridgehead.

Movement by night will be one of the main features of this work, and the Australian forces will have cause to bless the long weary hours of night training they have put in in the jungle the last year.

The lessons of Crete have not been forgotten in Singapore and special attention is being paid to the parachute danger.

**'La Traviata' Presented In Poignant Reality**

**Mignon Spence, Lovely, Graceful And Excellent Actress, Makes Debut With San Carloans**

By ALICE EVERSMAN.

The San Carlo Opera Company has seldom given a performance that was as good theater as well as good opera as it did in its presentation of "La Traviata" at the National Theater last night. The entire cast lived the tragic story with an artistic truce to life, and it held the absorption of the audience from start to finish. It is not difficult to make "La Traviata" lachrymose and sentimental, but the group of sterling artists in whose hands it was yesterday knew how to retain the verity of the story and to give it poignant reality in its operatic form.

The effect was felt in the response of the audience—the largest of the week—which held an answering note of sincerity in its tribute to the singers.

The role of Violetta was taken by Mignon Spence, making her debut with the San Carloans. Miss Spence is lovely to look at, dark-haired, graceful and young and an excellent actress as well. Her poise is such that she remains the central point of attention in each scene, whatever the action, and the nice balance of her gestures and the slight emphasis she understands so well how to place effectively are a pleasure to watch.

Visually, Miss Spence is ideal for the part, with her great charm of manner, but vocally she is less satisfying. Her voice is small, too small to be heard in the lower registers above the orchestra, and the timbre is rather pointed. The bell-like quality of her staccati and runs is its most distinctive feature, and in the well-known aria in the first act the rapidity and clarity of these passages were the most arresting part of her delivery. Her artistic intelligence took cognizance of the text, and in the manner in which she colored it her experience and talent could be appreciated.

Eugene Conley, who was heard for the first time as the Duke in "Rigoletto" Monday, confirmed the fine impression he made then by his portrayal of Alfredo last evening. His acting was distinguished and freer than at his former appearance, and his voice was fresh and ringing. He scored a decided success only equaled in the evening by Ivan Petroff in the "Di Provenza" aria. Mr. Petroff has sung the role of Alfredo's father here before, but never with the emotional power and the velvety character of tone he achieved last evening. Very rarely have the parts of father and son been so well taken and the scene between them in the garden of Violetta's house was one of the emotional high spots of the opera.

The voices of these two artists make a splendid contrast. Mr. Petroff's warm and vibrant and Mr. Conley's tenor, pure and appealing.

In considering the merit of an operatic performance, it would seem more correct to begin with those artists who take the smaller roles and who contribute so much by their co-operation. The leading singers could hardly carry the performance to success were it not for those who sing a few words and act a great deal. Among these were Louise Warren as Flora, Francesco Curci

**Uruguay Seizes Bags Of German Propaganda**

By the Associated Press.  
MONTEVIDEO, Feb. 6.—Congressional investigators yesterday seized 17 pieces of luggage crammed with German-language propaganda and belonging to Max Schnicklen, a German engineer named in a previous inquiry as a regional chieftain of the National Socialist Party of Uruguay.

Committee aides translated the propaganda into Spanish for presentation in evidence.

Other propaganda supposedly destined for delivery to the German Workers Union was turned up in concerted congressional raids on a large business house owned by the Ernesto Quincke Co. and the home of one of the Quincke partners, Erich Quincke.

**Van Camp's PORK and BEANS**

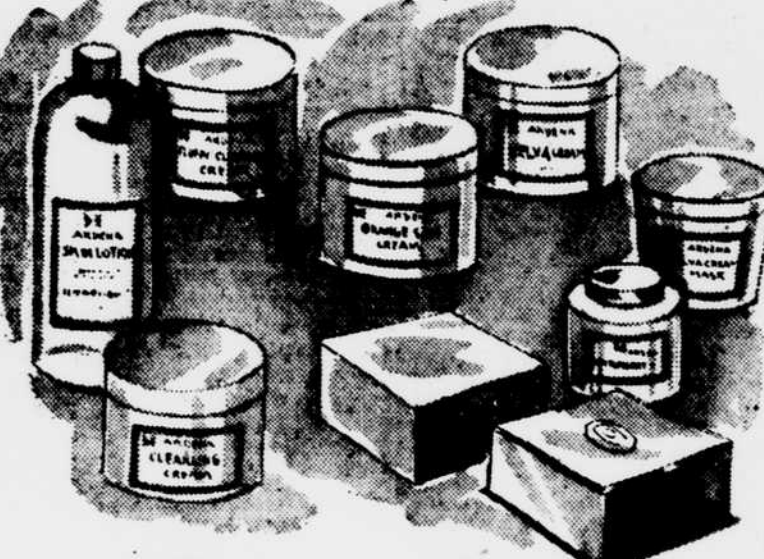


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**Batista Made General In Cuban Reserves**

By the Associated Press.  
HAVANA, Feb. 6.—Long a colonel while active head of the Cuban Army, President Fulgencio Batista became a major general on the reserve list yesterday under a new wartime law reorganizing the military.

It provides superior officers who have been chief of the army and have not or are President shall attain the rank of the army's chief officer.

Batista retired from the army to run for President, but may be recalled any time after his term expires in 1944.

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# Interesting Luncheons Top Day's Social Activities In National Capital

## Lady Marley Honored by Mrs. Dow; Mrs. Blandy Is Party Hostess; Visiting Envoys Entertained

As the week draws to a close entertaining steps up to a lively pace. Yesterday's calendar listed numerous parties, most of them in the late afternoon. Today's schedule started off with several interesting luncheons.

The luncheon of Mrs. Fayette B. Dow today was arranged in honor of Lady Marley, wife of the Labor member of the House of Lords of the British Parliament, who with Lord Marley is spending the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Dow. Following the luncheon Lady Marley will give an informal talk about England in war time.

Among those expected at the luncheon are Mrs. Robert H. Jackson, Mrs. Joseph C. Mahoney, Mrs. Albert Atwood, wife of president of the Cosmos Club, Mrs. Harry W. Blair, Mrs. Harold Brayman, Mrs. Carl Ludwell Denny, Mrs. Robert Huse, Mrs. G. M. Jones, Mrs. Daniel Knowlton, Mrs. Ernest Lewis, Mrs. Harris Lohnes, Mrs. Lawrence Martin, Mrs. Norman Meyers, Mrs. William Poland, Mrs. Harold Tweedy, Mrs. Parker W. West and Mrs. Charles Wood.

Tomorrow evening Mr. and Mrs. Dow will entertain at dinner in honor of their guests.

Luncheon Is Given By Mrs. Blandy.

Mrs. Blandy, wife of Rear Admiral William H. P. Blandy, U. S. N., was hostess at luncheon today in her attractive home on Macomb street. Mrs. Blandy is chairman of the committee for the drive to raise funds for the Soldiers, Sailors and Marines' Club and reports were read on the results of that drive. The campaign has made friends for the club and has acquainted Washingtonians with its work. While the amount raised is not commensurate with the hard work done by Mrs. Blandy and her committee, due in part to drives made at this time by other organizations, Mrs. Blandy is gratified at the response so promptly made to the club's appeal.

Guests at the luncheon were Mrs. Charles L. McNary, Mrs. Ralph A. Bard, Mrs. Raymond F. Fowler, Mrs. John Allan Dougherty, Mrs. Robert Lavender, Mrs. Thomas M. Robins and Mrs. Luther Sheldon, Jr.

Visiting Officials Are Entertained.

Officials of other governments who come to Washington cause a flurry of parties and the Netherlands Foreign Minister, M. Beelo van Kleffens, has been feted not only at the Legation but at less official parties. The Brazilian Minister of Finance, Senhor Arturo Souza Costa, who will arrive today at the head of a mission to discuss financial needs, also will come in for his share of entertaining. The Ambassador and Señora de Martins will be hosts at dinner tomorrow evening at the Embassy in his honor, and leading figures in the Capital will be hosts for him before he leaves.

M. van Kleffens was entertained yesterday afternoon by Mr. George Abell, who is press relations officer for the Netherlands Legation. Mr. Abell invited his guests after 6 o'clock and they included the Minister and Mme. London, a number of officials and diplomats and officers of high rank in the Army, Navy and Marine Corps.

Norris Sisters Hosts At Gay Party.

A gay party of yesterday was the luncheon given by the Misses Marion and Mary Theresa Norris at the home of their parents, Dr. and Mrs. Leo Brison Norris.

Spring flowers were used on the table and among the guests were Mrs. Richard Durham, Mrs. J. Conway Hunt, Mrs. Thad Brown, Jr., Miss Mary Lord Andrews, Miss Peggy Gordon, Miss Suzanne Slingluff, Miss Ruth Hurley, Miss Peggy Gearing, Miss Patricia Prochnick, Miss Betty Stewart Richardson, Miss Ellen White, Miss Bella Hagner, Miss Sita Finkenstaedt, Miss Barbara Mallory, Miss Joan McKenna, Miss Jane Davis, Miss Margheritta Stirling, Miss Margaret Hill, Miss Ann Turner and Miss Zeva Fish.

Miss Helen Potts, Bride-elect, Feted.

Festivities for brides-elect continue to mark the calendar. One of the popular members of the younger set to be married this month who will be center of much entertaining in the next fortnight is Miss Helen Caldwell Potts.

Today Miss Potts was the honor guest at a luncheon given by Mrs. James Richard Hetsckell and last

night she and her fiancé, Mr. Edmund De Long Bowman, were feted at a dinner dance given by Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Mallory Walker. Other events for Miss Potts and Mr. Bowman include a buffet supper Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. William Laird Dunlop, 3d, as hosts; dinner Monday by Mrs. Carl Droop and a cocktail party Tuesday with Mrs. James Cole Sappington as the hostess.

## Marriages Announced

Miss Clara David and Mr. Joseph Ramsey Maxwell were married yesterday morning, the Rev. Clarkson R. Barnes officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Maxwell left later for Florida, where they will spend their honeymoon at Seminole Estates, the Maxwell home near St. Petersburg.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Edward David of Zebulon, N. C., and was graduated from Garfield Hospital as a registered nurse in June. Mr. Maxwell is the son of Mrs. Lucia Ramsey Maxwell of Florida and Washington, and the late Mr. Joseph Kerr Maxwell of this city and Alabama.

Mr. and Mrs. Maxwell will return to Washington the end of the month and after March 1 will be at home at 3838 Window place. Mrs. Maxwell wore for her traveling costume a becoming blue crepe frock with matching accessories.

Miss Margaret Jonscher Wed to Lt. J. M. Lanigan, Jr.

The marriage of Miss Margaret Leola Jonscher to Lt. James Michael Lanigan, Jr., U. S. A., son of Mr. and Mrs. James M. Lanigan, is announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Jonscher of Washington and Richmond. The ceremony took place January 24. Lt. Lanigan and his bride are now at home at Fort Knox, Ky., where the bridegroom is stationed.

Miss Mary Louise Kent Wed to Lt. H. W. Hendrick.

Mrs. Henrietta S. Kent of Hamburg, Pa., announces the marriage of her daughter, Miss Mary Louise (See WEDDINGS, Page B-4.)

## Rices Are Hosts

Lt. Thomas E. Rice, U. S. A., and Mrs. Rice entertained at dinner Wednesday evening for the latter's sister, Miss Dorothy McCrory of Takoma Park, and her fiancé, Lt. Russell Eric Lyndon Stanford, U. S. A., whose marriage will take place February 14 in the Bethlehem Chapel of Washington Cathedral of St. Peter and St. Paul. The occasion was the birthday anniversary of Lt. Stanford. Following the dinner the bride-elect received a "shower by mail" from a group of friends in Cincinnati, where she lived for several years.

## Tennessee Party

The Tennessee Society of Washington will give a formal dance at the Carlton Hotel tomorrow evening. Election of officers will be held at 8:30 followed by a short business meeting. Senator Tom Stewart will preside. Enlisted men in uniform whose homes are in Tennessee will be guests of the society.



MRS. ROBERT P. SILVER, Jr. Before her marriage Mrs. Silver was Miss Kathryn Blanke, daughter of Mrs. Hugh Abell. Mr. Silver is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert P. Silver of Staten Island, N. Y. —Harris-Ewing Photo.

## Miss Nancy Williard And Her Fiance Feted at Dinner

Miss Nancy Williard and her fiancé, Mr. Thomas Henry Schaffert, were the guests in whose honor the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schaffert, entertained at a dinner dance last evening. The long table had clusters of early spring blossoms and the guests included members of the two families and those in the wedding party. Present were Col. Frederick A. Ramsey, U. S. M. C., retired, and Mrs. Ramsey, the latter the mother of the bride; her aunt, Mrs. W. W. Orr, who with Col. Orr, will entertain Miss Williard and Mr. Schaffert this evening at the Army Navy Club in town; Capt. and Mrs. Lloyd H. Dietrich, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. Gerard Paquin, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond G. Coe, Mr. and Mrs. Gaines Gough, Mr. and Mrs. William W. Adams, Jr., Miss Virginia Steuart, Miss Frances Bowie, Miss Dorothy Phillips, Miss Martha Shelton, Miss Barbara Richards, Lt. Jervis Morrison, Mr. Harold B. Vincent, Jr., Mr. William L. Smith, Mr. Robert Doyle and Mr. John L. Schaffert, brother of the bridegroom-elect.

## Stengles to Entertain

Col. and Mrs. Charles I. Stengle will entertain 22 guests at breakfast at 11:30 o'clock Sunday morning at the Wardman Park Hotel. Col. Stengle is the former Representative from the 6th district of New York.

## Floridians Plan Fete

The Florida State Society will hold its third informal dance of the season at the Shoreham Hotel tomorrow. Membership cards will admit holder and escort. General admission tickets may be purchased at door.



MRS. WILLIAM J. LEWIS. The former Miss Lillian Davis, she is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles G. Davis. Her wedding took place Saturday in St. Theresa's Church in Anacostia.

## Miss Faye Sudack Engaged to Wed

Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Sudack of Fall River, Mass., announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Faye Sudack, to Mr. Morris Schwartz, son of Mr. Joseph Schwartz of Washington, at a dinner given by Mr. and Mrs. William Sudack in New York Sunday. Miss Sudack is a past president of the Fall River Chapter of Junior Hadassah and is employed by the Public Buildings Administration. Mr. Schwartz is a graduate of National University Law School and is a member of the District Bar. He is now with the Headquarters Company, stationed at Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md. The wedding will take place in New York city in the near future.

## Fetes Classmates

Miss Patricia Ferry entertained some of her classmates from the freshman class at George Washington University at luncheon yesterday. Among her guests was Miss Adel Pugh, Miss Betsy Ericson, Miss Laurie Slocum, Miss Nancy Leachman, Miss Betty Cugel, Miss Jewel Darr and Miss Bettigene Pagter. The party was held at Miss Perry's home in Kenwood.

## MRS. JAMES MICHAEL LANIGAN, Jr.

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Jonscher was, before her marriage to Lt. Lanigan, U. S. A., Miss Margaret Leola Jonscher. —Underwood & Underwood Photo.

## Barbara Bolling To Be Wed Today

Mrs. Eleanor Lutz Bolling, accompanied by her two daughters, Mrs. Harry R. Fowler and Miss Barbara Bolling, went yesterday to Montreal, Canada, where this evening Miss Bolling will be married to Air Cadet Cary Clark Moody Fuller of the Royal Canadian Air Force, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hamilton Fuller, Jr., of Washington. Plans for the wedding will be completed after the arrival of Mrs. Bolling and her daughters in Montreal. Mrs. Fowler is to be matron of honor and Cadet Edward Saunders will be best man.

## Dr. Rowe Returns

Dr. L. S. Rowe, director general of the Pan-American Union, has returned to Washington after attending the recent meeting at Rio de Janeiro of the Ministers of Foreign Affairs of the American republics. Dr. Rowe was accompanied by the Counselor of the Union, Dr. William Manger.

## Legation Reception

Mme. Hassan, wife of the Egyptian Minister, has issued cards for an afternoon reception at the Legation Wednesday afternoon from 5 until 7 o'clock.

# By the Way—

Beth Blaine

Mrs. Warren Delano Robbins is one of those rare women who can work all day in her office and in the evening be hostess to her friends with a grace which helps them forget, for a short while at least, that the world outside is cold and dark and war-torn. Dining informally the other night at Mrs. Robbins' house on Woodland drive, several of her Washington friends had the opportunity of meeting her house guest, charming Mrs. Samuel Warren of Boston.

Mrs. Warren, a connoisseur and collector of paintings, discussed with Senator Green of Rhode Island his own collection and the problems of museums in peace and war. Both Mrs. Warren and Senator Green are on the governing boards of several museums. The Senator was being witty at the expense of Boston and told the story of an old Back Bay lady who was entertaining a delegation of visiting professors at tea. To each, on offering tea, she asked, "Cream or lemon? And do you come from far?" Finally came the turn of a professor who admitted coming from California. "Oh," said the hostess, "that is indeed far. I have never been there." Then, as if she felt that she might have been rude, she added: "You see, I've never had to travel because I was born here in Boston."

Also dining with Mrs. Robbins that evening were the Spanish Ambassador and Senora de Cardenas, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Houghteling and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hill. Also there were Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Bingham, she very pretty in a turquoise-blue gown banded in dark fur; Lt. Col. and Mrs. Horace Smith, who expect soon to leave Washington for Kentucky where Col. Smith will attend a tank school. Others present were Mrs. Lionel Atwill, Dr. Eugene de Savitsch and Clarence Heves.

Good news to their many friends in Washington is the return from Montevideo of Mr. and Mrs. Selden Chapin. Mr. Chapin has completed a tour of duty as first secretary at the United States Legation at Montevideo and is now attached to the State Department. The Chapins have bought the Bishop Hill house on Woodland drive, chosen for them by Mr. Chapin's sister, Mrs. Alan Kirk, who has been house-hunting on their behalf.

The Chapins flew up from South America via the West Coast and with them came pretty Deborah Kirk, who has been visiting them in Montevideo for three months. Mrs. Kirk is delighted to have the traveler back, what with Admiral Kirk off on sea duty and daughter Marian married and very much occupied with her baby daughter in Philadelphia.

Dropping by for a cocktail yesterday with the Counselor of the Dutch Legation and Countess van Rechteren Limpurg, we met attractive Mme. Van Vredenburg, who, with her husband, has recently arrived from London in company with the Foreign Minister of the Netherlands, Eelco van Kleffens.

The pretty Countess had hurriedly gathered together a few friends and pressed into service as butlers two 10-year-olds, her son and nephew, both looking very smart and proud in St. Alban's School blazers.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Achilles were there, she looking most attractive in black, with a black picture hat held on her red hair by a wisp of vell knotted under the chin, and both of them very much pleased with the house on Woodland drive, which they have bought and are doing over. Also from the State Department were Mr. and Mrs. John Begg (Mrs. Begg is Dutch) and Mrs. Hugh Cumming, Jr., representing her husband, who hadn't been able to get away from his office.

Also present was Baroness van Boetzelaer, wife of the senior Counselor of the Netherlands Legation; Mr. and Mrs. Witold Wankowicz (he was formerly Counselor of the Polish Embassy), the British Counselor and Mrs. Hoyer Miller, Sir Anthony Rumbold and Patrick Hill.

## Miss Hahn Wed

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Hahn announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Elizabeth Regina Hahn, to Mr. Maurice M. Bernbaum of Chicago. The ceremony took place yesterday in the home of the bride's parents. Mr. and Mrs. Bernbaum will reside in Caracas, Venezuela, where Mr. Bernbaum will take up his duties in the Foreign Service.

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### Suburban Social News

#### Mrs. Schmucker Gives Luncheon For Mrs. Houldin

Mrs. George Schmucker gave a luncheon and bridge party today in honor of her house guest, Mrs. Joseph Frazer Houldin.

Her guests were Mrs. Dan I. McKeithen, Mrs. John L. Huber, Mrs. Richard E. Tiltow, Mrs. Thomas E. Cassey, Mrs. Manning Dyer, Mrs. Laurence E. Ring, Mrs. Westfield Keller, Mrs. Hugh B. Johnston, Mrs. John Miles Mader, Mrs. C. Eugene Doyle and Mrs. W. C. Bashore.

Mrs. Paul E. Quintus entertained today at the first of a series of luncheons in her home in Arlington. Her guests were Mrs. Ralph Hartung, Mrs. Philip Stewart, Mrs. Douglas Ensinger, Mrs. W. Carl Holley, Mrs. Fiedling Huesman, Mrs. Mark Regan, Mrs. Maud Struble and Mrs. Ralph Stewart.

Mrs. Arthur DeLafeld Smith entertained at bridge Wednesday in her home in Falls Church. Another bridge hostess Wednesday in Falls Church was Mrs. Edwin D. Williams.

Dr. and Mrs. Clinton Trott have returned to their home in Philadelphia after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Wallace N. Mook in their home in Takoma Park.

Mr. Norman Jackson of Takoma Park has left for Florida where he will remain until the latter part of March.

Dr. and Mrs. S. J. Simmonds of Arlington have at their guests Miss Leonora Wright, who is en route to her home in Richmond from Highmore, S. Dak., where she has been visiting her brother and sister-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. R. F. Wright. Dr. and Mrs. Wright formerly lived in Arlington.

Mrs. W. Harry King of South Woodside Park, Md., has as house guest Mrs. Paul Trimble of Forest Hills, Long Island.

Mrs. Chester Naumowicz was hostess at luncheon and bridge Wednesday at her home in Silver Spring, Md., for Mrs. Norman Brady of Hartford, Conn., who is spending several weeks with her.

#### Weddings

(Continued From Page B-3.)

Kent, to Lt. Harlan W. Hendrick, U. S. A., formerly of this city. The ceremony took place January 30 at the First Division Chapel, Fort Devens, Mass.

The bride is the daughter of the late Charles S. Kent. She was graduated from the West Chester Teachers' College in Pennsylvania in 1933. Until recently she was on the faculty of the Bard-Avon School in Baltimore.

Lt. Hendrick is the son of Mrs. Bessie Edwards of Rochester, N. Y. He was graduated from American University in Washington in 1934. Until 1940 he was engaged in the hotel business. Since the fall of 1940 he has been on duty with the First Division, United States Army.

Lt. and Mrs. Hendrick will live in Pepperell, Mass., after a short wedding trip.

Miss Helene McIlhenny Wed to Lt. John H. Jones.

Cards have been received in Washington from Mr. and Mrs. Clarence A. McIlhenny of Germantown, Pa., announcing the marriage of their daughter, Miss Helene Doris McIlhenny, to Lt. John Hardy Jones, U. S. A., son of Mrs. Elizabeth Hardy Jones of Wallingford, Conn., Saturday, January 31, in Germantown. Lt. Jones is a cousin of Gen. Douglas MacArthur, U. S. A.

Mrs. Jones, mother of the bridegroom spent a short time in Washington with her sister, Mrs. Norma Hardy Britton, on her way to attend the wedding from Raleigh, N. C., where she visited earlier in the winter. Following the wedding Mrs. Jones returned to Wallingford.

Lt. Jones is stationed at Camp Edwards, Mass., and his bride will live at Wallingford where he will join her during his brief periods of leave.

### Republican Women Hear Girl Scout Aide

Mrs. Edward W. Sturdevant, commissioner of Girl Scouts of the District who was among the guests at the bi-monthly luncheon of the League of Republican Women yesterday, spoke informally on how the scouts are being trained for war work.

Mrs. Edward E. Gann, league president, presided at the luncheon at which several members entertained small parties.

### Washington Club Elects Mrs. Bunker As President

Mrs. Frank Forest Bunker was elected president of the Washington Club, succeeding Mrs. Whitman Cross, at a meeting of the Board of Governors at the clubhouse yesterday.

The new president has been a member of the board and has recently served as defense chairman of the organization.

Miss Grace Burton was elected first vice president and Mrs. Clod Heck Marvin second vice president. Miss Lullie Williamson, secretary and treasurer for many years, and Mrs. Paul Brockett, assistant treasurer, were continued in office.

Mrs. Alfred Brooks was appointed secretary to the Board of Governors.

Committee chairmen were appointed as follows: Miss Emma T. Trotter, hostess; Mrs. William Aspinwall, defense; Mrs. George H. Cox, classes; Miss Josephine Rohrer, nature study; Mrs. Gregg Custis Birdsall, art; Mrs. S. Percy Thompson, library; Mrs. Gilbert Grosvenor, Tuesday morning program; Mrs. John H. Hanna, hospitality, and Mrs. G. Louis Weller, Monday book chat.

The retiring president has been entertained at several luncheons recently. Mrs. George Clymer Shaw was hostess to Mrs. Cross and members of the board yesterday, and Miss Burton and Mrs. Eugene C. Coulter entertained several days ago.

Mrs. Cross also was honor guest of her board at a recent luncheon.

### Girls to Organize New Horizon Club

The Guardians' Association of Camp Fire Girls in the Potomac Area announces that girls of senior high school age here are being organized into a new Horizon Club, which will have aid to handicapped children as its special project for 1942.

Mrs. Ralph Simmons of Bethesda will be adviser to the first group in the club, which will be registered by March 1. Additional groups will be formed later.

The club was launched by national headquarters of the Camp Fire Girls several months ago. Its program in behalf of the handicapped is entitled "America's Children."

### D. C. Collegian Elected

CHARLOTTESVILLE, Va., Feb. 6 (AP)—William R. Preston of Richmond has been elected president of the class of 1942 at the University of Virginia. Other new officers include William C. Bauknight, Jr., Washington, D. C., historian.

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### Women Told To Carry Part In War Job

#### Many Sacrifices Ahead, Batt Tells 20th Century Unit

William L. Batt, director of materials of the War Production Board, told members of the Twentieth Century Club yesterday that a "substantial part of the war job must be done by women" and that a number of sacrifices in household comforts are in store for the Nation.

"With the war machine taking priority," he said at a meeting at the Y. W. C. A., "you will learn that you won't be able to have many things to which you have become accustomed."

Mr. Batt advised his audience to begin taking good care of such household equipment as refrigerators, sewing machines and vacuum cleaners.

"Americans have been the most wasteful people in the world because we have had such an abundance," he declared. "We have thrown away clothes and household machinery that people in Europe would have been tickled to death to have."

With a probable priority on tin, he warned it might soon become necessary to "cut out all tin cans" except for the most essential foods. "We will have to have more dry foods, more food in paper bags," he declared.

The speaker also expressed himself as deeply concerned about a "complete lack of realism" on the part of the American people regarding the national situation.

Mr. Batt strongly advocated sending as many supplies to Russia as possible.

Mr. Batt was introduced by Mrs. Lawrence Martin, the club president.

A resolution, empowering the Legislative Committee "to work for adequate public health funds for the District of Columbia" was passed at a meeting before the address. The club also voted to accept Mme. Henryk Arcotowski as a member.

A resume of the work of the Metropolitan Police Boys' Club was given by Max Farrington, director of physical activities.

### Phi Omega Pi

Opportunities for women in volunteer defense work will be discussed on a defense program to be held by Phi Omega Pi at 2 p. m. tomorrow at the home of Mrs. Alexander Wetmore, 204 Maple avenue, Takoma Park, Md.

Mrs. Carlton C. Duffus, chairman of the Defense Savings Committee of the District Federation of Women's Clubs, will be guest speaker, and Mrs. Gilbert Kinzer, chairman of the Phi Omega Pi Defense Committee, will conduct a discussion period.

### Sorority to Hold Initiation Banquet

The annual initiation banquet of Beta Chapter of Phi Delta Gamma will be given at 6 p. m. tomorrow at Hotel 2400, with the president, Miss Marian Scott, in charge.

Those to be initiated are Eleanor Barton, Mae Adele Berrian, Mary Winifred Cox, Grace B. Holmes, Irene Kimball, Irja Kyronen, Mary Frances Langs, Patricia McGerr, Pansy Simmons, Grace Swift, Mary L. White, Jessie Wiler, Elizabeth Wilson and Helen L. Zartman.

### Defense Savings Campaign Backed By Club Women

The drive for 100 per cent membership participation in the Treasury's Defense Savings campaign will be discussed by leaders of the affiliated clubs in the United Women's Organizations of the District at a meeting February 13 at the Soldiers, Sailors and Marines Club, 1015 L street N.W.

The Executive Committee of the U. W. O., which is headed by Mrs. Curtis Shears, already has expressed approval of the campaign which was inaugurated by the Women's Division of the District Defense Savings Committee.

Organizations in which every member is buying Defense bonds will qualify for "honor posters" signed by District Defense Savings Committee. Those purchasing Defense stamps will be counted as participants if they have signed a pledge to turn their stamps in for bonds.

Mrs. Wilson Compton is chairman of the women's division of the Savings Committee.

### D. A. R. Chapter To Mark Golden Anniversary

Plans for the golden anniversary celebration of Mary Washington Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, will be discussed by officers and board members who will be entertained tomorrow at the home of Mrs. Vinitia Wells Ranka. The anniversary reception will be held at 8 p. m. Tuesday at the Washington Club, with Mrs. Henry M. Robert, Jr., honorary president general, heading the receiving line. Mrs. William H. Pouch, the president general, will send greetings from California, where she is now on a tour.

Miss Janet Richards, regent emerita, and Mrs. W. H. O. McGehee, the present chapter regent, will greet the guests. Others assisting in receiving will be Mrs. Harry C. Oberholser, state regent; Mrs. Howard L. Hodgkins, honorary vice president general; Miss Lillian Chenoweth, vice president general, 12 charter members of the chapter and former regents.

Charter members will give short reminiscences during the evening and Miss Richards will speak on "Early Days of the D. A. R."

Mr. Charles Trowbridge Tittmann will give a group of songs, with Dr. W. H. O. McGehee playing the piano accompaniment.

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### Dology Club Plans Session Tomorrow

"Friendships Between Nations Through Dolls" will be the subject of a talk by Miss Taisia Stad-

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Mrs. Victor J. O'Kellher, the newly elected president, will announce committee chairmen for the coming year.

### Alumnae Plan Tea

Rockford College alumnae of Washington and Baltimore will meet for tea from 3 to 6 p. m. tomorrow at the home of Mrs. Wilford E. Johns, 6801 Fourth-fourth avenue, University Park, Md.

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### Survivors of U-Boat Raid Tell Thrilling Rescue Ship Escapes

Unarmed Liner Fights Off Subs, Reaches N. Y. With 25 Off Lady Hawkins

By the Associated Press.  
NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—Saved after being tossed in a lifeboat in rough seas for five days, 25 survivors of the torpedoed Canadian liner Lady Hawkins arrived yesterday with still further tales of escapes from U-boats lurking near their rescue craft.

Passengers, whose story was permitted publication by the 3d Naval District public relations office, said a U-boat threatened their ship shortly after the liner picked up their lifeboat containing 71 survivors and five bodies.

The rescue ship, they said, bore down on the submarine in an attempt to ram her and the raider vanished.

The survivors, who were landed at San Juan, Puerto Rico, to recover from exposure, related that shortly after leaving the West Indies port three U-boats were sighted on the surface in front of the ship.

Again, crew members said, Capt. Nels Helgesen tried to ram the enemy craft.

"Thought Our Goose Was Cooked."  
"We thought our goose was cooked until a patrol plane appeared," a crewman related.

The submarines crash-dived when the plane appeared and one of them was so close he passed under the ship.

Patrol planes protected the unarmed, zigzagging liner until nightfall.

The rescue ship (her name was withheld by naval officers) continued her voyage to New York without further trouble.

Survivors landing here were the Lady Hawkins' chief officer, Percy A. Kelly; eight members of his crew and 16 American defense workers, who were en route to a southern base.

Two torpedoes struck January 19 without warning and sank the 7,988-ton vessel in 25 minutes. Most of the lifeboats were smashed.

Mr. Kelly said three lifeboats got away, but that his boat was separated from the others by heavy seas. He thought the death toll would be 251, inasmuch as no reports of other rescues have been received.

Water and Food Rationed.  
Third Radio Officer Robert Clayton said water and food were rationed during the voyage in the lifeboat.

"This meant half a tea biscuit apiece for breakfast," he related, "with just enough water to cover by a third of an inch the bottom of a small whisky glass."

The first day out, he said, an elderly lady died. Mr. Kelly read services as her body was slipped into the sea.

Jeanette Johnson, 2½-year-old daughter of the British consul to Venezuela, was the pet of the group, said William Burton, ship's carpenter. He said the child never even whimpered, adding:

"Instead, she had some of us in stitches until—well, until the going got really rough."

First Fear Was Collision.  
Vincent Peoples of St. Joseph, Md., on behalf of the construction workers, said that their first impression was that there had been a collision and that they realized they had been torpedoed only after the second blast came and the ship's lights went out.

David Schooner of St. Joseph, and Thomas Cooney of Belleville, Ill., he said, were rescued but died later.

As to their future plans, Mr. Peoples remarked that they had been on their way to the new base and he presumed "we'll just have to start all over again."

Desmond Dawson, also of St. Joseph, said he intended to carry on like his children, James William, who was in the Navy, and Vernell, a Red Cross worker in St. Joseph.

He said all of the construction men jumped overboard without life preservers, having given their equipment to others, and that he presumed some had drowned.

Poems of D. C. Pilot Killed in England Exhibited Here  
Poems of John Gillespie Magee, jr., 19-year-old Washington flyer who recently was killed in action with the Canadian Royal Air Force in England, are included in an exhibit which opened yesterday at the Library of Congress.

Young Magee, son of the Rev. and Mrs. John G. Magee, sr., 2118 Bancroft place N.W., sent his family here the poem "High Flight," which was published in newspapers throughout the United States and Canada. Later the fighter pilot inclosed a 16-line poem entitled "For Ardus," a phrase taken from the motto of the R. C. A. E. The work was dedicated to his comrades who had died in the Battle of Britain.

Also exhibited is a photostat of the first draft of Rupert Brooke's sonnet, "The Soldier," and the first printing in Punch of Col. John McCrae's rondo, "In Flanders Fields."

Another feature of the exhibit is a small book of poems written by Mr. Magee in 1939 while he was a high school student at Avon, Conn.

Goodwill Industries Meeting  
The Goodwill Industries of Washington will hold its annual meeting at 8 p.m. next Thursday in the Training School Building, 1222 New Hampshire avenue N.W. The program includes buffet supper at 8:30 p.m., premiere showing of new motion pictures and reports by officers.

### 'Jehovah' Objector Who Fled Camp to Be Tried as Deserter

By the Associated Press.  
COVINGTON, Ky., Feb. 6.—Howard J. Benesch, 23, of Mack, Ohio, yesterday was denied a writ of habeas corpus to free him from military custody and was returned to Fort Thomas, Ky., to face a charge of desertion.

Benesch contended before United States Judge Mac Swinford that as a member of a religious group known as Jehovah's Witnesses he was entitled to draft exemption as a minister. He was accused of leaving the military post and mailing his back his uniform with a note saying he wouldn't have any further use for it.

Benesch entered Fort Thomas as a selectee January 18. On January 19 his uniform arrived at the post by mail and he was arrested at his home the next day. He applied in Federal Court for a writ January 20.

Club Plans Banquet  
The annual banquet of the Monday Evening Club will be held February 18 at 2400 Sixteenth street N.W. The dinner will be preceded by a reception at 6:30 o'clock.

### G. W. to Allow Students Credit in Absentia

A plan providing for completion of courses in absentia by students forced to leave the city by decentralization of Government departments was announced today by Dr. Cloyd Heck Marvin, president of George Washington University.

Such students will be permitted to finish their courses by independent study if they have finished approximately one-half of the term by the date of transfer. In some cases arrangements will be made for students to attend other institutions and receive credit from George Washington.

Dr. Marvin said the plan had been urged by officials of several Government departments. Registration for the university's second semester has been extended through Wednesday. Thereafter registrations will be accepted through February 20 upon payment of a "late fee."

### 'Radio Condenser' Was Dynamite Cap

CLINTON, Okla.—Bill Teasley, 20-year-old farm youth, thought an electric dynamite cap he found was a radio condenser and tried to connect it to his automobile set to cut down static.

Hospital attendants said he would recover from burns and cuts about the face and hands.

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### Nature's Children

Gila Woodpecker  
Centurus uropygialis

By LILLIAN COX ATHEY.  
Before going into the private life of the Gila Woodpecker, you will be interested to know that woodpeckers are found in all wooded parts of the world with the exception of the island of Madagascar and in the whole Australian region. Woodpeckers are nearly equally represented in the two hemispheres.

In the Western Hemisphere there are 22 families and 225 species and subspecies, while the Eastern Hemisphere claims 27 families and slightly more than 200 species and subspecies.

In the United States, exclusive of outlying possessions, we have now some 45 species and subspecies of this family, nearly all of which have economic importance. This is what we are interested in at the present—just how our outdoor neighbors are fitting into our economic plan for future peace.

Woodpeckers are not as travel-minded as many other birds. Most of them remain in their chosen territory a whole lifetime. This adds greatly to their value to farmers and orchardists. Their food consists mainly in wood-boring grubs, hibernating insects, insect eggs and pupae. These industrious hunters, even in winter, are capable of finding an abundance of our insect foes.

The gila woodpecker usually chooses the stem of the giant cactus as a home-site. From the Colorado valley in Southeastern California and the extreme southeastern corner of Nevada, east through Southern Arizona and Southwestern New Mexico, south through Lower California and Western Mexico, this insect hunter is successful in finding all food and building sites necessary to his complete happiness.

It would seem the gila, though a member in good standing of the woodpecker tribe, had selected his range in a country where little wood is grown and therefore had used the cactus as the best substitute available. Is the gila a trifle lazy that he sought such easy fiber, or is it because some remote ancestor followed the family instinct cleverly adapting himself to native conditions and made a great success of it?

This worker in cactus fiber is unable to keep his plumage in spic and span condition as it becomes rather daubed with sap. The carpenter is too busy to take notice of this, since the all important need is to cut the pith away to the desired depth and carve out for himself a chamber of ample dimensions. At the entrance of the apartment the flowing sap soon hardens and the hallway to the one-room domicile becomes dry and smooth as though carved from solid wood.

If the mother constructs the dwelling, she uses her home as a nursery where she lays from three or five white eggs.

The gila and his mate each are about 9 inches long. They are clad in black and white, but the father has a most bewitching patch of brilliant scarlet on his crown.

These woodpeckers are very fond of ants and have habits much like



those of their cousins the ant-eating species, but with this very important exception—they are not food hoarders. "Sufficient for the day" is their motto, and they are quite fond of mistletoe and other berries which brighten the monotony of their meat diet.

#### Buggy Thefts Off Books

CAMDEN, N. J. (AP)—Thieves who stole some buggies in 1899 can breathe easier now—their crimes have been forgotten. The buggy thefts were listed among 200 old indictments quashed in the Camden Common Pleas Court.

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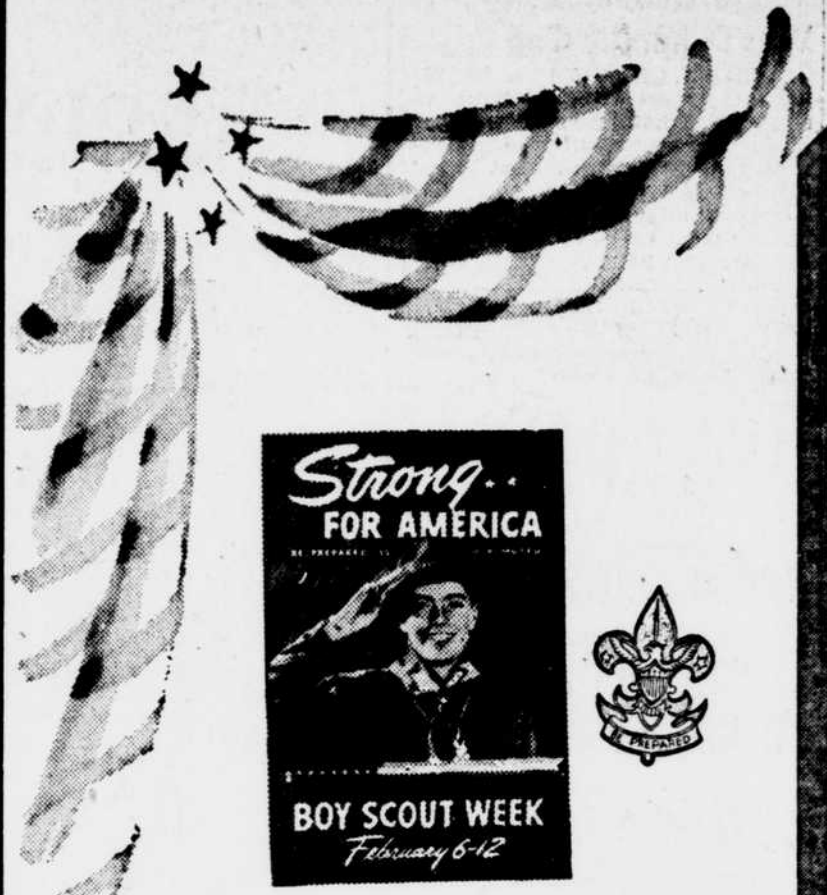


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**Windstorm Spreads Damage in Little Rock, Kills Two in Vicinity**

**20 Hurt When Gusts Blow in Store Windows, Wreck One Building**

By the Associated Press.  
LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Feb. 6.—Two persons were killed and at least 20 others injured last night when a windstorm reaching tornadoic intensity swept through the heart of Little Rock's business district and vicinity, leaving heavy property damage.  
William Burgin, 65, of Red Oaks, a small community southwest of here, died today of injuries received when his home was demolished.  
Mrs. Manilla Raney, 79, was killed when the home of her son, H. W. Raney, was smashed in the Congo community, 25 miles west of Little Rock. Mr. Raney, 57, and his wife, 42, were taken to a Benton hospital in a critical condition.  
Hundreds of store windows were blown in and display stocks filled flooded gutters in downtown Little Rock. An upper section of a three-story business building at Third and Scott streets crumpled, dumping tons of bricks on a row of parked cars, demolishing them. Several streets were strewn with debris.  
A heavy gust of wind forced an

**Woman Killed in Mississippi**

TUPELO, Miss., Feb. 6 (AP).—Mrs. T. X. Holland of the Palmetto community was killed and about a dozen other persons were injured by a tornado that struck the Plantersville-Verona section of Lee County, 10 miles southeast of Tupelo, early today and caused widespread property damage.

**Loveless Murder Hearing Will Be Held Tomorrow**

Special Dispatch to The Star.  
LEESBURG, Va., Feb. 6.—A hearing for Herbert Bucke Porter of Brentwood, Md., and Paul Bernard Hoback of Bluefield, W. Va., who have pleaded guilty to murdering Ward Loveless, 51-year-old Washington attorney, last November 24, will be held in Loudoun County Circuit Court tomorrow before Judge J. R. H. Alexander.  
The two 16-year-old youths, who were captured at Appalachia, Va., a few days after the body of the Washington lawyer was found stuffed into a china closet of his home at Peonian Springs near here, have waived a jury trial and their attorney, State Senator Aubrey Williams, has called no witnesses for the defense. Fifteen witnesses have been summoned by the Commonwealth.

**Power Commission Survey Gives Data On D. C. Gas Bills**

**Rates Exceed Lowest, But Are Under Highest Paid in Other Cities**

District gas consumers pay monthly bills which, when reduced to a heating unit basis, are more than one and a half times and in some instances close to twice the lowest bills paid for similar heating values in other large cities using a comparable type of mixed gas.  
On the other hand, the District rates are also substantially below the highest bills comparable, although in one heating value category Arlington County, Va., has the highest bills.  
This information was disclosed today in a survey of typical residential gas bills by the Federal Power Commission. The survey covered 199 cities of more than 50,000 population.  
24 of 199 Use Mixed Gas.  
Washington and Arlington County are included among 24 of the 199 communities which used a mixed gas. The others are about evenly divided between those using natural gas entirely and those using manufactured gas entirely, and one or two that use both.  
Because of the variation in heating value in the three types of gas, the survey has converted rates, which are generally on a cubic foot basis, to a therm basis. The therm is a unit of measure commonly used by the gas industry to denote the heating value of gas.  
Washington gas, for example, and also that of Arlington County, has 600 British thermal units to a cubic foot, whereas Waco, Tex., using natural gas, has 1,050.  
The survey is based on residential bills paid as of March 1, 1941. It indicates that from 5 to 10 therms a month would be used principally for cooking. From 15 to 25 would be consumed for both cooking and water heating. Up to 35 would be used in cooking, water heating and refrigeration. From 100 to 250 therms would be used for cooking, water heating and house heating.  
Comparisons Made.  
On these therm bases, the following comparison is provided:  
For 10 therms, lowest monthly bill, Buffalo, N. Y., 72 cents; District, \$1.44; highest, York, Pa., \$2.75.  
For 25 therms, lowest, Buffalo, \$1.81; District, \$3.28; highest, East St. Louis, Ill., \$5.  
For 35 therms, lowest, Buffalo, \$2.53; District, \$4.44; highest, Terre Haute, Ind., \$6.44.  
For 100 therms, lowest, Louisville, Ky., \$6.30; District, \$10.78; highest, East Chicago, Ind., \$15.04.  
For 250 therms, lowest, Cincinnati, \$13.74; District, \$25.78; highest, Arlington County, Va., \$30.07.

**Assets of Mrs. Joe Louis Tied Up in Claim for Fee**

By the Associated Press.  
CHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 6.—Attorney Bindley C. Cyrus yesterday obtained orders in Circuit Court tying up the assets of Mrs. Marva Trotter Barrow, wife of Joe Louis, heavyweight boxing champion, in his efforts to collect a \$10,500 fee.  
Mr. Cyrus, who represented Mrs. Barrow in a divorce action she started last July and dropped the following month, said the order was not named in the claims because of his recent enlistment in the Army.  
Although Mr. Cyrus was awarded the \$10,500 fee and sued to collect it, he said he had been unable to serve Mrs. Barrow with notice of the suit.  
In an affidavit, Mr. Cyrus said he "had reason to believe that Mrs. Barrow is concealing herself and is about the conceal her assets."

**O. E. S. Chapter to Hold Victory Ball Tomorrow**

A "victory ball" will be held tomorrow night in the Wardman Park Hotel by Hope Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star. Dancing and card games will begin at 9 o'clock and continue to midnight.  
Defense stamps are to be used as dance and card prizes.  
Federal and Harmony Chapters are joining with Hope Chapter in planning the event, according to Henry Boyd, chairman.  
Mrs. Hazel Engelbrecht of East Gate Chapter, grand matron, and Ira Y. Bain of Harmony Chapter, grand patron, as well as other grand officers, are to be guests of honor.

**Corporal Three Months Before He Knew It**

By the Associated Press.  
MISSION, Tex.—Charles Rogers of Bloomington, Ind., was a corporal

**U. S. Rubber Reclaiming Election Won by C. I. O.**

By the Associated Press.  
BUFFALO, N. Y., Feb. 6.—Employees of the United States Rubber Reclaiming Co., Inc., are almost unanimous in their choice of the C. I. O. United Rubber Workers to represent them in collective bargaining.  
Henry J. Winters, regional director of the National Labor Relations Board, announced last night an election among the employees showed 314 in favor of the C. I. O. union and 38 against.

three months before he found it out. Transferring from Foster to Moore Field one jump ahead of his promotion, he learned of his new rank when his back pay was delivered in a lump.

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## CHAPTER XXIX.

Bruce carried Livia to her bedroom. She revived in his arms and started to cry. He hushed her as though she were a child, and after a while her tears ceased.

"I'm all right."  
"Now, tell me everything—and from the beginning."  
"Where's the newspaper?" she asked.  
"Can you read it without fainting again?" She tried to smile back.

"Yes."  
He put a pillow against her back and handed her the newspaper.

The police had raided Al Jonas' gambling club. A shot had been fired and a policeman killed. When the squad rushed into the room, they found Earl Dixon with a smoking gun in his hand. He was staring at it and giggling stupidly.

There were signs of hasty retreat. Drawers were open and empty.  
"I don't believe he did it—unless he was so drunk he didn't know what he was doing, Livia said."  
She told Bruce all she knew about her father.

"The last time I saw him was at Terry Davidson's apartment," Bruce compressed his lips at the name. So he was in this, too. It would give him great pleasure to mess up that pretty weak face.

"I guess I'm kind of stupid," Livia said, "because, of course, Terry kept the money I gave for my father. And now Jonas is blackmailing me," she concluded desperately. Bruce was thoughtful for some minutes.  
"I think," he said finally, "I'll call on Mr. Jonas."

"No, don't."  
"From now on I'm handling this, Livia."  
"But what good will it do? Besides, my father had the gun in his hand."

Mrs. Sayles came in. "What's the matter?" she said in alarm.  
"Livia's been working too hard," Bruce said easily. He called his doctor and stayed with Livia until he arrived.

The first thing was to find Terry. During the period of his courtship of Bruce's sister Elizabeth, Bruce had done some research on Terry. He found him on the third try in a second-hand furniture shop in Los Angeles which was a camouflage for a group of bookmakers who worked for Jonas.

Terry rose nervously when he saw Bruce in the doorway. He was playing poker with three men, and they stared stolidly at Bruce without interrupting the game.

"What do you want?" Terry asked angrily.  
"To talk to you," Bruce replied quietly.

"Anything wrong, Terry?" said the player dealing the cards. Terry hesitated.  
"I'll be back," he said and followed Bruce into another room.

"Okay, what's on your mind?" "Earl Dixon," Bruce said. He rolled a cigarette and looked reflectively at Terry.  
"What's that got to do with me?" Terry attempted to laugh, but it did not quite come off. "I suppose Livia Clarkson has tried to implicate me. If that's all you came for—I'm busy." He turned to go back into the other room. Bruce crushed his cigarette with a swift movement and grabbed Terry's arm.

"Not so fast," he said softly. "Besides, I didn't say you had anything to do with the shooting. By the way, how's E. C. Forsythe and Company, Incorporated, doing?" The blood drained from Terry's face. "What d'ye know about that?" he said huskily.

"You'd be surprised," Bruce said. "I know, for instance, that they import silk from the Orient."

Terry's breathing came a little easier.  
"And I know," continued Bruce, "that the silk business is a cover-up for the importation of drugs. Are you still peddling it in Los Angeles?"

"What's this got to do with Dixon or the policeman?" Terry blustered. "Did Jonas murder him?" Bruce said. Terry looked nervously toward the inner room.

"Not so loud," he whispered. "I let you off the last time," Bruce said, "because I didn't want my sister involved in the filthy mess. But unless you come through now the police will investigate E. C. Forsythe and Company, Incorporated. Well?"

"I'll see you tonight," Terry whis-

pered as one of his men came to the door.

Bruce waited in vain for Terry that evening. He went to Al Jonas' night club in Beverly Hills, but it was shuttered and a caretaker told Bruce that every one was away and the club would not be reopened.

Bruce tried to look cheerful when he saw Livia the next day.  
"I'm not going to the studio," she told him. "I'll have to tell Charles today—he's been too swell, I can't ruin his picture."  
"Don't do anything until I've seen Earl Dixon," Bruce said. She finally promised.

Bruce pretended to the officer in charge of the prison that he was Dixon's lawyer.

It was hard to believe that the battered wreck, twitching nervously in the bare, white-walled visitor's room was the father of the girl he loved.

"I don't want a lawyer," he told Bruce flatly. "Leave me alone."  
Not all of Bruce's persuasion could elicit more from Dixon than that he had not been alone when the shooting took place.

"But I reckon I did it all right," he mumbled. He looked furtively around. "You wouldn't have some liquor on you, would you?" Bruce shook his head. "I thought not," Dixon said desperately.

"Was Jonas there?" Bruce asked.  
"I guess so. I don't remember much of what happened. You see," he continued gravely, "I was a little confused at the time. Now if you'll excuse me—" He went away with the attending policeman.

"Well, did he do it?" Livia demanded before Bruce was inside the room.  
"Looks like a frame-up," Bruce said.

"Jonas?"  
"He or one of his men."  
"Did my—my father mention me?"

"No—and I don't think he's particularly anxious to do so. You see, he thinks he killed the policeman. He's ready to take the rap for it anyway. I guess he figures he hasn't much to live for one way or another."  
"That's awful."

Livia Tries Again.  
"I'm only concerned about you. You can't give up that picture now. I thought you didn't want me to be a star?"

"I didn't, but now I do," he said grimly. "Every one was crazy about your work until—"  
"Until I got mixed up with these crooks?"

"Yes. You've got to go back to the picture day after tomorrow—or they'll cut you out altogether."  
"I can't."  
"You must."  
"All right, I'll try, but I don't know how long I can keep going."  
"You'll keep going until the end of the picture. I'll take you to the studio," he volunteered, and she was grateful. It would help to have

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"If he's as sick as you say, it won't make him worse if I sit with him."

Bruce had been shadowed ever since his visit to Terry Davidson in the Los Angeles shop. It would help his plan if the men shadowing him reported to their boss—Al Jonas—that Bruce had been with the delirious man.

He stayed there 30 minutes. Then he went back to the set, noting that the men still followed him. Livia had seen the newspaper and was crying.

One Last Chance.  
"I'm afraid I'm licked," Fordyce told Bruce helplessly.  
"When does Alice Delaware start?" Bruce asked.

"Tomorrow—and there's nothing I can do now to stop it."  
"Give Livia another day," Bruce pleaded.

"I've already jeopardized the picture," Fordyce said. "Sorry, can't do it."  
"Not even if I guarantee that by this time tomorrow she'll be all right?"  
"Sorry, no can do."  
Livia joined them.

"It's hopeless, Bruce," she said. "I'm through, and we all know it."  
"Fraid so, Livia," Fordyce said kindly. "I'm as disappointed as you are."  
"Promise me one thing," Bruce persisted.

"If I can," said Fordyce cautiously. Bruce took him aside.  
"Don't use Alice until 12 o'clock tomorrow."  
"All right—but that's final."  
Bruce walked slowly away from the studio gates.

"Better get in my car," a voice said quietly. Bruce felt a hard sub-

stance pressed against his side. Bruce recognized George Maxwell, husband of Livia's sister Vera, as one of the men.

"What on earth are you doing here?" Bruce exclaimed. George looked at him contemptuously and did not reply. They drove away.

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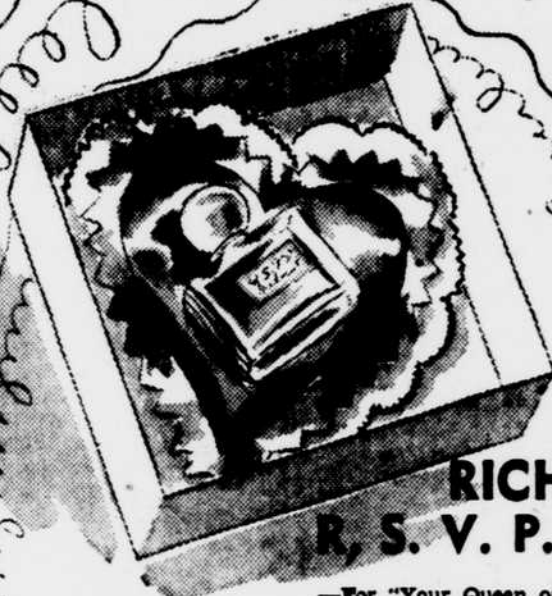
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### Tiny Device to Make Best War Bomb Invented in Russia

#### One-Pound Apparatus Produces Liquid Oxygen For 'Superbombs'

What might be the most destructive war weapon yet known has been invented in Russia.

It is an apparatus for making a continuous supply of liquid oxygen, which weighs less than a pound and may be carried in an airplane.

About four years ago some extremely destructive bombs were dropped in Spain. They allegedly shattered the countryside within a half-mile radius. They were currently reported to be liquid oxygen bombs of German manufacture. A difficulty with this theory, quickly pointed out by explosives specialists, was that this substance was extremely volatile, and that very bulky, stationary machinery was required to produce it. It would be of no value in warfare, it was claimed, unless factories could be set up on the front lines.

At that time Constantine Oumansky, Soviet Ambassador here, remarked that he had heard whispered about Moscow a report that some Russian scientist had an efficient liquid oxygen-making apparatus no bigger than a matchbox. Mr. Oumansky, however, was unable to obtain any further details.

Scientist Writes Details. Now, it appears, the rumors he heard were only slightly exaggerated. The whole story is revealed in the Chemical Trade Journal of London, organ of the British chemical industry, by Prof. N. V. Semyonov, member of the Soviet Academy of Sciences.

He attributes the discovery to Prof. P. L. Kapitsa, director of the Institute of Physical Research of the U. S. S. R., and says that it resulted from studies on the fundamental constitution of matter which are far removed at present from any practical application.

He was investigating the strange properties of liquid helium. The "sun gas" can be turned into a liquid only at extremely great pressures—or at extremely low temperatures. These go very close to minus 450 F., the absolute zero at which all molecular motion stops, so that it cannot possibly be any colder.

It is difficult to get adequate supplies of this remarkable liquid. Prof. Kapitsa first tried to build apparatus which would yield larger amounts and succeeded in obtaining enough to investigate its fundamental properties.

How It Compares to Water. Among these, he found, is "superfluidity." It is about 100,000,000 times more liquid than water. The size of the opening in a container through which a given amount of this substance would flow in a second is so small that it would require several thousand years for the same amount of water under the same pressure to trickle through.

He developed his apparatus to the point where it would produce four quarts of liquid helium an hour. He was able to distribute supplies to all the Russian physical laboratories. Then it occurred to him that the discovery might be even more applicable to the liquefaction of air and of oxygen. It is, he says, a device for cooling a gas without using high pressures. The cooling necessary for air liquefaction, for example, can be accomplished with pressures of four to six atmospheres instead of approximately 200 atmospheres necessary in other processes.

The chief part of the apparatus, says Prof. Semyonov, is a very small turbine very delicately put together. The tolerance between the rotor of this turbine and its casing is only about a tenth of a millimeter. It makes 40,000 revolutions a minute and weighs less than a half pound.

Model Runs 400 Hours. With this, it is reported, Prof. Kapitsa is able to produce 30 kilograms of liquid air or liquid oxygen in an hour. Such a production in the past would have required a machine weighing several tons.

A model of the new apparatus made for industrial use, it is reported, now has been running constantly for 400 hours and shows no signs of wear.

The apparatus obviously could not be reconstructed from the meager details given. Up to the present there have been no authenticated reports of the use of liquid oxygen bombs in the present war and the difficulty of conserving them long enough to get over an objective is one of the reasons given.

Whether the Red armies have tried to capitalize in any way on Prof. Kapitsa's discovery is unknown and it doubtless would require considerable adaptation for military use. (Released through the North American Newspaper Alliance.)

### Apart 59 Years, Brothers Meet On Street Bench

By the Associated Press. LONG BEACH, Calif., Feb. 6.—Two elderly men on a car-stop bench started talking. Howard L. Caldwell, 59, said: "Just got here a few days ago from Kansas." "Kansas?" said Charles Cobean, 70. "That's where I'm from." "That so? What part?" "Frankfort. My name's Cobean. Used to work for my uncle in a grocery store before I went to Texas to herd cattle. You ever been in Frankfort?" Mr. Caldwell stared and said: "Your mother died about 59 years ago, and there was a baby that lived, wasn't there? A baby that was adopted by a family named Caldwell?" "How do you know?" "Because I'm that baby—your kid brother." Mr. Caldwell was born Howard Cobean.

### Nazi Report Capture Of Russian Actresses

By the Associated Press. BERLIN (From German Broadcasts), Feb. 6.—Three Russian film actresses who were trained in Soviet guerrilla schools have been captured by German troops as they sought to cross Nazi lines on wrecking expeditions in the rear, the Berlin radio said last night. One of them was identified as Vera Gora, described as an actress in Russian propaganda films, and the radio said she and the others were equipped with explosives and incendiary liquids used for sabotage.

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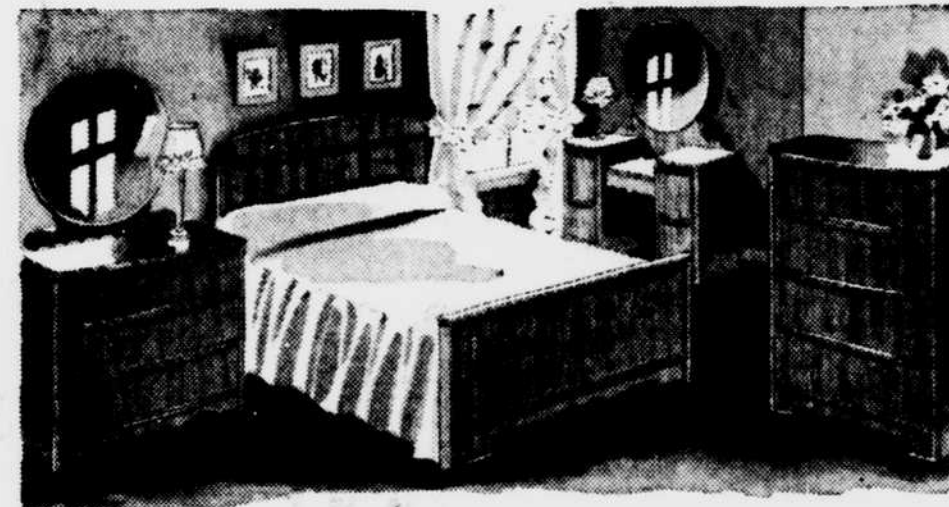


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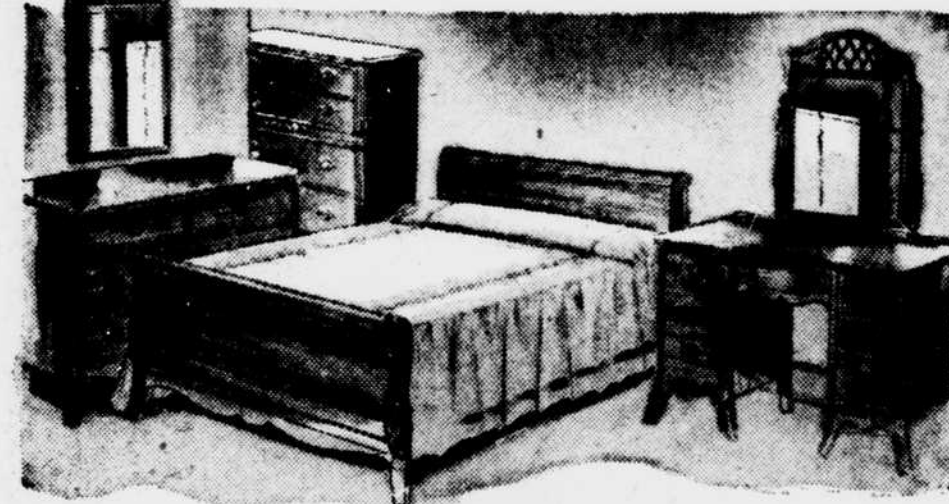


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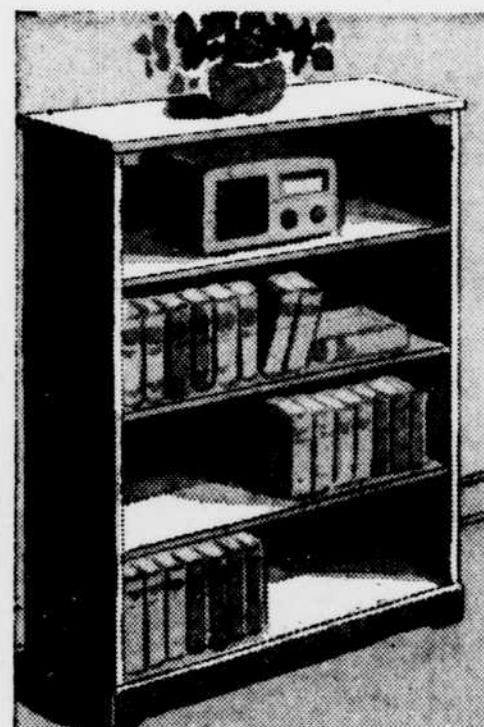


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**Other Financiers Asked  
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In Mexican Project**

By the Associated Press.  
MEXICO CITY, Feb. 6.—A group of United States businessmen associated with Axel Wenner-Gren in a \$100,000,000 investment project in Mexico reported yesterday its severance of connections with the wealthy Swedish industrialist since he was blacklisted by the United States State Department for trading to the benefit of Axis powers.

American financiers already have been approached to replace the capital with which Mr. Wenner-Gren was underwriting highway, railroad and industrial construction in strategic regions of Mexico, an influential leader of the group said.

No Choice But Break.  
Friends of Wenner-Gren said they still regarded the blacklisting as an injustice and that efforts are under way in Washington to have him reinstated, but added that his American business associates had no choice but to break their relationship with him.

An almost legendary figure in international finance, Wenner-Gren is known as a friend of the Duke and Duchess of Windsor and of prominent German dignitaries, including Field Marshal Hermann Goering, as the owner of a palatial yacht, the Southern Cross, and as the reputed possessor of enormous wealth gained from public utilities.

The industrialist refused to comment on the decision of the British Bahamas Islands, where he resided before coming to Mexico, to join the United States in blacklisting him. Members of his household, however, described him as "terribly hurt" by the Bahamas ban.

Will Stay in Mexico City.  
His present plans, they said, are to remain in Mexico City, where he has just rented a luxurious home on this capital's most fashionable avenue. His wife, a native of the United States, is with him here.

**Episcopal Bishops Urge  
Church to Be Aggressive**

By the Associated Press.  
JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Feb. 6.—A stalwart stand against defeatism or "defensive position" because of the war was adopted by the House of Bishops of the Episcopal Church at its closing session here yesterday.

In a statement to the church, which took the place of the customary pastoral letter, the House called for an aggressive attitude by the church and continuance of its efforts rather than any curtailment due to the war.

"We must win this war as Christians," said the statement presented by Presiding Bishop Henry St. George Tucker. "Victory in the war is a pre-requisite for winning the peace, but something more than a physical triumph is needed to make the ensuing peace an opportunity for producing a better world."

**Plane May Take  
Draft Forms to  
Icebound 12**

By the Associated Press.  
LANSING, Mich., Feb. 6.—One of the State Selective Service headquarters' biggest headaches is how to reach isolated Icebound Isle Royal to register 12 men in the February 16 draft registration.

A spokesman said the National Park Service reported an airplane would make one of its infrequent flights from Houghton to the island Sunday or Monday and would carry registration forms to the island if the forms arrived from Lansing in time.

**Three New Warships  
Ready for Navy, Far  
Ahead of Schedule**

**Two Destroyers, Cruiser  
To Be Launched Feb. 12  
As Lincoln Tribute**

By the Associated Press.  
PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 6.—Four to six months ahead of schedule, two destroyers and a cruiser will be launched here and in nearby Camden, N. J., as a Lincoln's Birthday celebration next Thursday, the Navy has announced.

Ceremony will be held to a minimum because of wartime conditions. Only a few guests will be admitted to the heavily-guarded yards and most of the spectators will be the men who built the ships.

Between 11:30 a.m. and 12 noon the cruiser Montpelier will slide from the ways of the New York Shipbuilding Corp. into the Delaware River at Camden, and the destroyers Butler and Gherardi will be launched at the Philadelphia Navy Yard.

Mrs. William F. Corry, wife of the mayor of Montpelier, Vt., will christen the cruiser named for the city. The Montpelier is one of about 30 ships of the Cleveland class authorized in 1939-40. It is more than six months ahead of schedule.

The destroyer Butler, named for the late Maj. Gen. Smedley D. Butler, will be sponsored by Mrs. John Wehle of Lansdowne, Pa., daughter of the famed Marine Corps commander.

Mrs. Christopher Robinson of Rock Cliff, Ontario, will christen the Gherardi, named for her father, the late Rear Admiral Bancroft Gherardi.

The keels of the destroyers were laid simultaneously September 16. Under ordinary conditions, shipyard require nine months between the keel-laying and the launching for this type of vessel.

The launches originally were scheduled for February 14, but the date was advanced because of the change to wartime and certain tidal conditions.

**French Church Plans Fete**

The French Church of Washington will hold a reception at 8 p.m. tomorrow in the parish hall of the New York Avenue Presbyterian Church. Dr. Samuel Terrien of Union Theological Seminary, New York, will lecture in French.

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### F. S. A. Head Defends Paying Poll Taxes Of Its Clients

Denies 'Vote Influencing' Charge Made by Judge To Congress Group

By the Associated Press.  
C. B. Baldwin, farm security administrator, defended today as "a perfectly proper thing" an F. S. A. policy of helping its clients square their poll tax bills.

Testifying before the Joint Congressional Committee on Reduction of Non-Essential Federal Expenditures, Mr. Baldwin added he would continue the practice unless specifically directed otherwise by Congress.

The farm security chief was summoned before the committee after Probate Judge Robert K. Greene of Greensboro, Ala., asked an investigation of what he said was use of F. S. A. funds to pay poll taxes of the agency's loan clients, a practice which Judge Greene said citizens of his community believed was for the purpose of "influencing votes."

**Promises Prosecution.**  
Asserting he would take vigorous action against any employee of F. S. A. who undertook to influence any one's vote and would insist on criminal prosecution in such a case, Mr. Baldwin told the committee that "I deeply resent the implication of Judge Greene's statement."

Mr. Baldwin said that in determining the needs of a family applying for a rehabilitation loan, all of its back taxes, including poll taxes, debts, and necessary expenditures were calculated and compared with available resources. A loan was then made, he explained, covering the difference between the two.

"Poll taxes," he said, "are considered the same as any other type of taxes. If a family so desires, sufficient funds will be included in a loan to pay them."

**McKellar Charges "Secrecy."**  
No family had ever been refused a loan, he added, because of refusal to pay poll taxes, but it was the desire of the F. S. A. that farm families become "self-respecting members of their communities" and undertake "the responsibilities and obligations that go with citizenship in a democracy."

Senator McKellar, Democrat, of Tennessee asserted that the policy had been carried out under "circumstances of secrecy" and that Congress had never been informed of it.

Replying to other questions, Mr. Baldwin said he had an opinion from an Agriculture Department legal adviser saying that inclusion of poll taxes was not in violation of State law.

### O'Connor Reported Planning To Run for Second Term

By the Associated Press.  
BALTIMORE, Feb. 6.—The Evening Sun said today that "Gov. Herbert R. O'Connor, getting ready to run for a second term at Annapolis, has selected April as the month in which to make the public announcement of his new candidacy."

"This information was confided to friends who inquired about the Governor's political plans in order that they might make their own preparations for the primary election in September," the Evening Sun said.

"A primary appears inevitable because Thomas E. Cook of Frederick, an independent candidate for the Democratic nomination, has determined to stay in the field after once deciding to get out."

"Whether Gov. O'Connor will face major opposition in the primary is a problem puzzling his political advisers. Mayor Howard W. Jackson, his principal opponent in the primary of four years ago, appears to regard the 1942 political auguries as inauspicious, and few of his lieutenants now believe that he will become a candidate."

"There have been, however, intermittent reports of political activity on the part of Dr. H. C. (Curly) Byrd, president of the University of Maryland."

### Steps Taken to Avert Rationing of Newsprint

By the Associated Press.  
NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—Cranston Williams, general manager of the American Newspaper Publishers' Association, said yesterday a review of the newsprint supply situation indicated that "the steps that are being taken will bring results to keep the situation in hand, and not create any conditions that would justify Government control of newsprint by rationing."

Mr. Williams said assurances had been received from the sources of newsprint supply for United States newspapers that adequate supplies could be handled in 1942, but that "it must be recognized that the transportation problem may become acute at any time."

"It is believed that newspapers should, if they have not already done so, take steps to conserve newsprint," he declared.

### Housing Employees Bid Nathan Straus Farewell

Nathan Straus yesterday formally gave up the job as administrator of the United States Housing Authority.

Before an assembly of approximately 1,200 U. S. H. A. Washington employees in the Interior Department Auditorium, he announced he had submitted his resignation to the President and had called the employees together to say "good-by." The President has not accepted the resignation, but Mr. Straus expressed confidence he would.

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# Cheerful, Humorous Valentines Will Be Welcomed by the Men in Service

## Fat Cupids and Lacy Frills Replaced by Gay Verses Saying 'You're Tops!'

Although the Idea Dates Back To the Crimean War, Today's Cards Are Very Different

By Helen Vot  
Poor old St. Valentine would never recognize those squares of paper that bear his name, not in these days he wouldn't. It seems that the state of the world which has left its mark on everything from your sweet tooth to your Sunday driving is also at work on the valentine situation. To be sure, there still are plenty of the lacy, sentimental, cupid-studded greetings, but on February 14 seems destined to be the day upon which the military influence will take its toll. Valentines for soldiers are selling like hot cakes, as well they should, and the designers have done their very best to supply amusing, cheerful cards for the men in service.

Of course, it's not a new idea, this theme of valentines for soldiers. As far back as 1855, during the Crimean War, British soldiers were receiving greetings from people at home. These cards usually consisted of a typical lithograph of the period with dark greens and reds hand-colored, and many of the illustrations were movable. For example, the one pictured on the page today has a hinged arm which, when a tab is pulled, makes the soldier salute. The Crimean War brought Florence Nightingale and the beginning of the Red Cross. It also heralded the start of military valentines.

When next heard of, the military valentine was going out to soldiers in our own Civil War, 1861-1865. The trend in illustrations was for some reason, toward dog characters with movable heads, and toward verses with a slightly satirical flavor. Immediately after the Civil War, cards such as the third shown in our photograph were used, picturing victims of the war, canteen workers and others.

In the First World War, the fashion was for small valentines, simple in design and verse, and bearing red and blue hand-coloring. Closely akin to the cards we know today, they were tacitly called "comic valentines," they look more or less like the ones that John Public has been sending and receiving for years.

It would be a fine idea to decide that you'll send a card to every friend in the service this year. It doesn't mean that you'll casually send word of your undying devotion to everyone, for it's popular to choose the most friendly cards with a sentiment that indicates the recipient is a "swell guy." We know how much pleasure the boys get out of their Christmas cards, and we think they'll feel just as happy about a deluge of valentines. Of course, if you're a service man's "big moment," there's no reason why you can't go in for a nice, fat, "mushy" card that he can sign over.

## Rabbits Help Relieve Meat Situation In England

The rabbit is doing its bit for England, according to Virginia Cowles, foreign correspondent, who recently returned for a few months in this country. She declared that every one who has a bit of lawn is keeping rabbits that are obliging enough to find their own food and that multiply so fast that they are helping out the scanty meat ration. Conversation in England naturally gives food an important place and those who are lucky enough to own cows compare the output of milk and boast when milk pails are bringing over. Many previously green lawns are now devoted to vegetable growing and berry bushes are considered the most beautiful shrubbery.

## Wall Tints Successful Apply Paint Only Over Old Paper That's Not Cracked or Scarred

By Margaret Nowell  
Dear Miss Nowell—Can you tell me how to finish the stairs in my hall? The floor is oak in the lower and upper hallway and the stair treads and risers are unfinished wood but look like pine. The hand rail is of hard wood and the uprights are square cut of unfinished wood. Should this all be stained, all painted, or what would be the best combination of paint and stain in a hallway with papered walls and oyster white woodwork?—T. A.  
Answer—The risers, the palings under the hand rail and the trim at both sides of the stairs should be painted. The treads should be stained to match the floor above and below in the hall. The hand



The idea of valentines for soldiers has been in practice since 1855, but the form of the greeting today little resembles the original. In the top row (left to right), a card sent to a soldier in the Crimean War, a greeting to a Civil War fighter and a post-war message to a canteen worker with a conspicuous wooden leg. Below, the cards at left and center were popular during the First World War, and, finally, that at extreme right is the type of humorous, cheerful valentine going out to men in service today.

## Common Cold Dangerous Ailment

Average Child Has Three Per Year; None Immune

By Leticia Lee Street  
The commonest cause of sickness in babies and children is that miserable upper respiratory infection known as "a cold." This malady is caused by invading organisms whose lengthy names are hard to remember, but whose troublesome effects very much concern you when you or your children are attacked. The average child has about three colds each year, but some youngsters, such as those whose tonsils need removing, suffer with more. The thing to remember is that a child, or any one for that matter, who catches a cold, does so because he has come into contact with a germ, and therefore the BEST MEANS OF PREVENTION IS TO AVOID INFECTED PERSONS.

It is wrong to think that a hardy child, or any one for that matter, who may be accustomed to cold showers and to sleeping in a frigid room, is immune to colds because here, again, the fact is that a cold is an infection. The strongest bodies are sometimes unable to repel the direct onslaught of a virus.

It is equally erroneous to believe that a child, or any one, is immune from a cold directly after he has recovered from one.

True, however, is the fact that a well-nourished child who receives sufficient quantities daily of the two fat soluble vitamins A and D (found most highly in cod-liver oil, for example), is less subject to colds than is the malnourished youngster who is deprived of these two vitamins that are so essential to the growth and development of the young.

One of the greatest hazards in the spreading of colds is encountered in the really deplorable habit of some teachers who do not insist upon isolating, or sending home, any pupil who has sniffles, or a cough, just because she thinks that the child only has a slight cold. Well, a slight cold is as dangerous to the sufferer, and to others, as any other kind!

An equal menace is the mother who allows her child to go to school when he shows definite evidences of an approaching cold. This is a very unmotherly and thoughtless action; unmotherly because it endangers her own child and thoughtless because it exposes other youngsters to the infection.

**Muffin Batter**  
Chopped or thinly sliced dried apricots and prunes (both uncooked) added to muffin batter, steps up the mineral content.

**Unusual Dish**  
Chopped ripe olives added to escalloped corn makes an unusual dish for luncheon, supper or dinner serving.

**Diluting Soup**  
Diluting a can of condensed soup with milk in place of water makes it better flavored and more nourishing.

## Dorothy Dix Says - - - Mother-in-Law Is Asked for Help Yet Is a Subject for Censure

One of my correspondents thinks that mothers-in-law are a much-maligned class and that instead of being trouble-makers, as they are popularly supposed to be, and first aids to divorce, as statistics assert they are, in reality they are ministering angels who are not properly appreciated by the ungrateful men and women their children have married.

"Who," she asks, "is the one who is called upon to pinch-hit in every emergency in her children's households? Who is called upon to sub for the trained nurse when there is a new baby in the family? Who has the children dumped on her when the young parents want to take a vacation?"

"Who steps into the breach and brings order out of chaos when the wife is sick, the maid has left, the husband has extra work to do at the office; little Mary has the sniffles and Johnny has mashed his toe, there is nothing fit to eat in the house and three days' dishes stacked in the sink? Who can always dig down in her pocket and find a little money to help out with the bills when times are hard? Who teaches the children Bible stories and instills in their infant minds about all the instruction they ever get in old-fashioned moralities?"

"Isn't it the mother-in-law? You said it. When everything is going all right and they are riding high and handsome, her in-laws may consider mother-in-law assistance to have around the premises, but when they get in a jam, they send an SOS call for her, and she always answers it and comes to the rescue."

"So when I hear young wives saying how they dread their mothers-in-law, and young husbands acting like early Christian martyrs because Sally's mother is going to come and pay them a visit, I feel like telling the poor simps how lucky they are, and that if they only knew it the chances are the best thing they got out of marriage was their mother-in-law."

All of which is even so, but it does not alter the fact that the in-law relationship is a ticklish job to handle and is best worked by remote control. This goes double for the mother-in-law and explains why, if she wants to be happy herself and to be placed upon a pedestal by her children and their spouses, she should never, never, never go to live with them.

There are many reasons why a mother-in-law, even though she be a saint on earth, is almost always a discordant note in the household. The primary one is that nearly all young husbands and wives are more jealous of their husbands' and wives' mothers than they are of any girl or airmen. They cannot endure the thought

that any one has more influence over their mates than they have. So when John innocently remarks that "Mother thinks we had better do so and so," or Mary says "Mother says," it starts a row that often ends in divorce.

Nor are young husbands and wives jealous alone of their mother-in-law's influence. They are jealous of her personality. Why young people with kind hearts and tender sympathies and good sense should expect their mates to cease loving their mothers the minute they are married, no one knows. But only too often they do. All of us know of dozens of cases of wives who have weaned their husbands completely away from their mothers, and of husbands who get as green-eyed over their wives going to see their mothers as if they were keeping rendezvous with some handsome stranger.

As for the standard grievance against mothers-in-law—that they interfere in their children's affairs when they live together—that is inevitable. No highly skilled professional can watch an untrained amateur bungling a job without offering a word of advice.

Nor can any woman who has been busy all her life be content to just sit still and twiddle her thumbs. She is bound to stick her fingers in her children's pies, and this leads to friction and trouble, human nature, and especially feminine human nature, being what it is. Hence, if mothers and their children and their in-laws desire to admire and love each other, they should keep their distance from each other. At close range they see each other's faults and peculiarities too plainly.

I yield to no one in my admiration for mothers-in-law. I think they are often martyrs that pests. I have seen them endure insults and contumely from the men and women to whom their children were married with a patience that qualified them for sainthood. I have seen them enslaved and turned into despised domestic drudges by their in-laws. I have seen them sacrifice themselves in trying to protect their children from brutal husbands and wives. And I have thought that in all the world there was no lot harder or more difficult to fill than that of the mother-in-law. Pity women. Especially mothers-in-law.

## Reciprocity Needn't Be Expensive

### To Refuse Hostess' Hospitality Will Prove Nothing

By Emily Post

Dear Mrs. Post: I feel that the time has come to say "no" to some well-to-do friends of mine who so frequently invite me to their house to meals that I am embarrassed. I like them very much but I live in a single room and cannot afford to invite them out to a nice restaurant. I don't want them to feel that I have grown tired of them and certainly I don't want to hurt their feelings. But I do feel that I have to begin refusing their invitations or lose my self-respect.

Answer—Your repeated refusing will prove nothing except that you have become bored. If it is true that you have not enjoyed going to their house you shouldn't have gone so often. But since this is probably not true, your reasons for snubbing their hospitable impulses are senseless.

As I wrote you the other day, there are plenty of ways to return hospitality without doing what you can't afford. You can find—if you look—any number of gifts at the 5 and 10, where, I can say truthfully, several of my own most useful possessions were found. A small striped silk bag, lined with oil silk, meant for powder but used by me for shoe ends in the evening, pencils I write with, goes with me every time I broadcast. Also a pencil sharpener that looks like a small block of jade.

"A collection" of a few gadgets such as these would be amusing and welcome. Or perhaps you could take the wife a small box of very good candy once in a while, or perhaps ask them both to a movie. Couldn't you?

Dear Mrs. Post: I have a white chiffon evening dress with shirred bodice and shirred sleeves. I had every intention of wearing this dress at a young cousin's wedding which will be in the evening, with reception following at home. My sister thinks that it is out of place for any one except the bride to wear white. She says people who customarily wear white in the evening refrain from so doing on the bride's day.

Answer—Even though her bridal veil will conspicuously set her apart from any number of other white dresses, it is considered courteous to refrain from wearing an all-white dress to a wedding. But why not add some color to your dress? Colored flowers, for example, or colorful costume jewelry would completely change its effect of unrelieved white.

Mrs. Post is sorry she can no longer answer personal letters. She is glad, however, to have many printed slips on a variety of subjects to offer to her readers. Today's slip is "Answers to 35 Questions Asked 'Enlivens Appetite'." Be sure to send a 3-cent-stamped, self-addressed envelope with your request to Mrs. Post, in care of this paper. Leaflets cannot be mailed unless self-addressed envelope bears correct amount of postage.

## Just Looking, Thanks!

By Dorothy Murray  
An innovation in tweezers are the ones with scissors-like handles. These are excellent for removing superfluous hair and extremely easy to use. They're decorative, too, made of metal with the bright-colored handles.

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Save space by hanging a folding shoe-rack made of wooden rods and heavy cord on your closet door. This ingenious arrangement holds from 8 to 12 pairs of shoes.

"Press up" the boudoir for spring with an ensemble consisting of quilted bedspread, vanity skirt, valance and drapery all of the same material. The set will add charm to the room and, of course, may be secured in almost any color.

Neat way to carry your knitting yarn is in a container made of small plastic strips held together with bands of ribbon. The gadget, which is collapsible is small enough to carry in a knitting bag, and its real purpose is to keep spools of yarn free from tangles. Comes in all pastel tones and in bright multi-colored styles as well.

Give the bowling enthusiast a log book covered with red, black or brown simulated leather. Inside are loose-leaf pages with typical sheets to show your score and the standing of the team.

An interesting item from the kitchen is a slotted spoon made of stainless steel. It's ideal for lifting hot vegetables from the pans without taking up too much of the juice, and it also can double as a mixing spoon.

"Breakfast for two" sounds like the title of a song, but if that's your theme carry it out with a "You and Me" set, consisting of a wooden tray with two double egg glasses and small salt and pepper shakers.

It is smart to have personalized handkerchiefs, but you must allow 10 days for them to be monogrammed in gay contrasting colors.

Gay pot holders that bid you "good morning" and "good night" are very inexpensive and unusual.

With every adult's attention focused on the armed forces, it is only natural that the small boy in the family will want to "play soldier" and be commander of his own "army." Get him a complete miniature army consisting of metal soldiers, tanks, cannon, cooking equipment, flashing signals, etc. The individual items are inexpensive, and you can enlarge his "command" on various occasions. Light wood, with cut-out initials attached, go well in a modern room. Almost all letters of the alphabet are available in the supply.

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## Manners of the Moment

When it comes to these defense jobs I believe in sitting down and figuring out what you can do best before you barge down to offer your services for any little thing. If, for example, you are the kind who always faints at the sight of blood and who never could learn to handle a bandage no matter how long you tried, why not admit it? Why not offer to make coffee and fry eggs? From what I hear some women, in their desire to do something for their country, are clumsily preparing to gum up the whole works. I'm not trying to dampen the ardor. I'm all for the ardor. But I'd like to see women show up in their best light right now. And it would seem to me a good idea for a girl to write out a list of the things she knows she can do before she runs down to some crowded office to offer to do "just anything."

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**Suit-Dress**—This time print blouse, matching skirt, plus wool jacket. Blue, Gold, Green. Sizes 12 to 20.

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The Bolero!  
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Golf Will Be Taken to Soldiers by Proceeds of Augusta Masters' Tournament

Win, Lose or Draw

By FRANCIS E. STAN.

The Old Fox: Triumphant but Tempered

Clark Griffith leaves today for Florida, opening-game baseball tickets will go on sale Sunday, and now is the time for all good fans to sigh and conclude that spring can't be far off.

It should be a great moment for the Fox. Only a few days ago he made history by leading a fight to double major league baseball and by landing for Washington the staggering total of 21 games under his \$132,000 (we finally learned the exact figure) lighting system.

Griffith, however, is accepting congratulations with restraint. The draft riddled his team early by taking Shorstop Cecil Travis, the team's best batter; Third Baseman-Outfielder Buddy Lewis, his second best batter, and five others of more or less ability.

Last year the seven night games at Griffith Stadium cost approximately \$900 per evening. With 30 cents of every dollar going to the visiting club this meant that well over 1,000 customers had to lay it on the line just to pay the electric bill.

Rice, Says Vet, Belonged With Best

As we left Mr. Griffith packing away his private smudge pots in case weather reports on Florida are true, a fellow in a uniform (gray) dropped a letter through the slot.

"Dear Mr. Stan," it opens, kindly, "you asked for some suggestions for an all-Washington basketball team. I have followed the game since 1904.

"I will go along with you and take Bozie Berger of Maryland as guard, Ray Foley of Catholic University as forward, with Matt Zunic of George Washington as the other forward. At the other guard positions place Ed (Ace) Lynch of C. U. and Don Dutton of Georgetown as center.

"I saw Fred Rice one night in a Washington League game make 24 baskets—23 of which, or 46 points—in the first half. It was a grand total of 68 points and as far as I know it's still a record.

"Because I played against him part of the game, you would not expect me to sign my name other than,

"Washington's No. 1 Fan."

Tracy Is New Patron Saint of Sports Writers

The other evening in New York we saw a preview of a motion picture called "Woman of the Year," said preview by courtesy of Ray Bell of Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer. Mr. Bell, who used to be Carter Barron's boy, had touted it highly.

As a movie it is slightly terrific. So is Hepburn, especially since she put on a few pounds. But speaking for the sportswriters it seems safe to say that Mr. Tracy is the new patron saint of the tribe.

Mr. Tracy needs a haircut and he ain't handsome and he is not above taking a slug but, for once, a movie newspaperman isn't a weaving, wise-cracking wastrel. Mr. Tracy kindly condescends to act much in the manner of most New York sportswriters. Or is that good?

The whole thing starts when Miss Hepburn, who works on the same paper, airs over "Information Please" that baseball should be abolished during war times. etc. Mr. Tracy disagrees. Before the thing is over Mr. Tracy has subjected Miss Hepburn to an afternoon of the Yankees vs. Athletics at Yankee Stadium and her father—to an afternoon on the players' bench of the Chicago Bears while the Bears are in the process of defeating a well-known local team called the Redskins, 73-0, in Washington. Ring Lardner, Jr., co-author, apparently has inherited his father's sense of humor. Imagine the Yanks and Bears playing the A's and Redskins!

When we got back to the hotel we posed the same question before Griffith, which should be a tip-off. "The distance from one baseball base to another," he answered. "That's 90 feet." It's too bad it wasn't a real "Information Please" with Griff on the air. It would have saved the mailing of a copy of the Encyclopedia Britannica and some cash.

Anyways, the play isn't bad, the acting is wonderful and in the early moments there is posed a question: "What distance is most frequently run by athletes?" Being close to the Vichy government, Miss Hepburn was unable to answer. Listening to "Information Please" at the corner beanyery, Mr. Tracy scornfully rattled off the correct answer.

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Injury to Gustafson Hits G. W.'s Chances in St. John's Tilt

The loss of Edsel Gustafson, rangy rookie center, will be a blow to George Washington's chances against St. John's at Madison Square Garden Monday night. Coach Bill Reinhart admitted today, but supporters of the Colonials will find some consolation in the news that "Gus" should be back in uniform in a couple of weeks and positively ready for the Southern Conference tournament next month.

Gustafson pulled up lame a couple of days before the Virginia game last Wednesday and was left at home in the care of Trainer George Lertz. An X-ray revealed a broken bone in his foot, which was placed in a cast immediately.

His loss means Reinhart must rework the team for the St. John's game, using Ted Reichwein at center and putting the burden of grabbing backboard rebounds on Matt Zunic and Roy McNeill. Gustafson specialized in this role and was beginning to blossom into a polished varsity performer.

Phils Sign Two Rooks And Veteran Pearson

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 6.—The Phillies have signed three more new players.

Newcomers are Catcher Bill Peterman, 21-year-old Philadelphia who batted .336 and stole 26 bases for Wausau, Wis., in the Northern League last year, and First Baseman Eddie Murphy of Allentown, Pa., who led the Interstate League in home runs, 23, and batted .308.

He Pearson, Phillies' relief hurler, also signed.

Yanks Are Given Moore To Finish Braves' Deal

BOSTON, Feb. 6.—The Boston Braves have announced that Outfielder Gene Moore had been sent to the New York Yankees to complete the deal for Tommy Holmes, recently acquired outfielder.

First Baseman John (Buddy) Bennett already had gone to the New York club.

Meet Will Build Camp Gordon's Driving Range

Club Offers Others Its Plans to Help Entertain Army

By ROMNEY WHEELER, Associated Press Sports Writer.

AUGUSTA, Ga., Feb. 6.—Because United States soldiers seldom can come to a golf course, the Augusta Masters' tournament this year will help bring golf to the soldiers.

That's the word from Clifford Roberts, general chairman of the tournament committee, who is rounding out arrangements for the big show April 9-12 over the smooth fairways of the Augusta National Golf Club.

Meet to Finance Camp Range. "It's our idea," he says, "that soldiers cannot very often come to a golf course, but golf can come to them. The lack of time and transportation facilities precludes very many trips to club courses, but we believe men in training frequently can spend an hour in the use of attractive golfing facilities located within or adjacent to the camps."

The year's Masters' Tournament, he continues, will be utilized to finance golfing facilities at Camp Gordon, large training center located near Augusta.

Already under construction, as a gift from the club, is an unusual type of driving range with target greens. It is expected to be complete by early spring. Also to be given is a large putting green, an enlarged replica of the one now in use at the Augusta National Club.

The entire gift will include maintenance equipment, as well as operating equipment such as flood lights, golf clubs and 1,000 golf balls as a starter.

Would Tip Other Clubs. "We dare to hope," says Roberts, "that clubs other than ours, located near large training camps, might like to render a service of this kind, and in that event we will be glad to act as a clearing house for information and ideas. The cost is not too great and our clubs have the 'know how' to do the jobs quicker and better than any one else.

"Most certainly, the equipment manufacturers and the golfing associations will be glad to assist. If an operating problem presents itself the U. S. O. might be willing to cooperate."

Cubs Still Are Banking On Using Chixox Park

By the Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Feb. 6.—The Chicago Cubs found their neighbors, the White Sox, cold to previous hints the Wrigley crew might like the loan of the floodlighted park for some night games. General Manager Jim Gallagher of the Cubs is still hopeful, however.

Gallagher said he expected to confer with Harry Grabiner, vice president of the White Sox, and believed an agreement could be reached.

Elis Follow Princeton, Harvard in Modifying Rules During War

By the Associated Press.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Feb. 6.—Yale has announced that, in conjunction with its "Big Three" rivals, Harvard and Princeton, it was modifying, for the duration of the war, the "three presidents' agreement" so as to make freshmen eligible for varsity competition and to permit the starting of football practice on any date.

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Cadets Seek 15th in Row

HAGERSTOWN, Md., Feb. 6 (Special)—Charlotte Hall Academy's basketball team will be out to add to its 14-game winning streak when it meets St. James School cagers in a game here tonight.

Although beaten once, and that time by the pro-settling, unbeaten Tennesseeans, 13-15, Hank Crisp's Tidemen could, by avenging that loss, lower the Vols into second place by sheer weight of more games played.

Against their lone setback, Bama has piled up 11 victories compared to Tennessee's four, and the latest was a 41-35 conquest of Kentucky's Wildcats.

Both teams are riding victory streaks, the Tidemen with eight in a row and the Vols with seven.

Bosox Get Keen Coach In Woodall to Take Over Berg's Job

By the Associated Press.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 6.—The Boston Red Sox will miss Prof. Moe Berg, baseball's seven-tongued man of culture, but the club has acquired another coaching personality.

His name is Larry Woodall. He has been known to utter words after working hours on occasions.

Whereas Prof. Berg can order soup in six languages other than his precise English, Doc Woodall only talks good baseball sense.

Woodall, after eight years as player, coach and acting manager of the San Francisco Seals, was picked to succeed Prof. Berg on the Red Sox staff.

Rookie Pirate Hurler Is Safe From Draft

PITTSBURGH, Feb. 6 (AP).—Bill Clemenson, 22-year-old righthander hurler from Santa Cruz, Calif., yesterday sent his signed contract to the Pittsburgh Pirates with a note that he has been deferred to Army classification 1-B because of an injury to his left arm.



SERENADING DADDY—Diane, year-old daughter of Pinky Higgins, Detroit third baseman, thumps a tune for him as he relaxes at his home at Dallas, Tex. Diane takes after her mother, who is an accomplished pianist.

Frosh at Yale Eligible For Varsity Sports Starting July 6

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'Cry Babies' Tag Is Problem for Tribe's New Press Agent

Four of Dundee's 11 Fighters in Service; Boxer Makes Hit Thanking Fans for Attending

By HUGH FULLERTON, Jr., Wide World Staff Columnist.

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—In his high school days at New York's Monroe High, Hank Greenberg played on championship basketball and soccer teams, but his baseball team was only the runner-up. Chris Dundee has just added Lightweight Jose Basora to his stable by purchase from Angel Lopez. Four of Dundee's 11 fighters are in the armed services, and Chris complains: "As soon as I get 'em the Government takes 'em away." The good neighbor movement may take a severe setback in the Millrose track meet tomorrow unless Chile's Guillermo Huidobro and Brazil's Jose Bento Assis knock how much running in these indoor scrambles is done with the elbows instead of the feet. The Cleveland Indians soon may hire a press agent, whose first job probably will be censoring the words "cry babies."

Confusion corner.—Michigan State has four sets of identical twins on its sports squads, but Fran Dittich, assistant track coach, claims Ben and Bill Fernstrom are the most confusing pair. Seeing one of them on the track, Dittich asked: "Are you Ben or Bill?"

The athlete thought it over for a moment then replied: "Gosh, coach, I don't know. But I'll go back to the locker room and ask my brother. He knows."

A cobb's beachcombing.—Abe Siebel Saturday will wed Rita Siebel. Pat Comiskey has been released from the hospital but won't be ready to fight for a long time—or to tackle another fast car for an even longer time. Off his showing against Bob Pastor a couple of weeks ago, Claudio Villar, the Spanish heavyweight, probably will get another chance to fight in Washington. Frank Zamarrin, Tony Galento's New Jersey neighbor, has made a hit with Detroit fans by trotting around the ring after each fight and thanking the customers for attending. Putting an end to a terrific war argument, Jimmy Johnston remarked: "The guy who ought to get all the medals is Billy Conn. He really had to fight for his life against those last two sparring partners—Cooper and Turner."

Today's guest star.—Bob Dunbar, Boston Herald: "We never want to see again the word 'lost' applied in a story to a ball player who enlists in the armed service. It's immeasurably more important for the country to find a good soldier than it is for any sport to lose an outstanding figure."

Postman's paragraph.—Bill Woodside of the Paris (Tex.) News says those Ajo (Ariz.) cagers are just a bunch of pikers to be boasting about one futility game. Last season Paris High played two consecutive games without making a foul and won them both. Jack Daly of the Niagara Falls (N. Y.) Monday Quarterbacks announces his organization will honor the Very Rev. Joseph M. Noonan, sports-minded president of Niagara University, at his dinner Monday night and suggests that wires from Father Noonan's friends are in order. George F. Mauch of Bismarck, N. Dak., reports a game between two Indian teams in which Port Fates had 31 personal fouls and McLaughlin, S. Dak., had 48. They must have been seeing-red men.

Future of Skiing Is Up to U. S., Says Tokle, Ace Norse Jumper

Declares German Invasion Has Set Back Pastime in Norway for 20 Years

By the Associated Press.

DULUTH, Minn., Feb. 6.—Practice up on your slats, boys! Champ Torger Tokle says the future of skiing, and with it fame and glory, belongs to the U. S.

Who doesn't envy a fellow with nerve and enough steel spring in his legs to jump 288 feet of a ski slide, like Torger has done? (Any one who ever jumped off a 12-foot slide and landed any place from his noggin to his pants has the answer.)

The stumpy Norwegian—he's 5 feet 7 and weighs 165—says Norway, home of the world's great skiers, must surrender its place under the heel of invasion.

So he looks to America to produce the next crop of jumpers.

Tokle Meets Best on Sunday. Tokle, holder of the United States national championship, which he will defend next Sunday off a 60-meter hill in this home of American skiing, and possessor of so many records it's a chore to count them, already sees the boys of America moving to dominate skiing.

There are the Bettlins of Michigan, already famous with one of them winner last week of the St. Paul winter carnival event; Art Devlin of Lake Placid, "one of the best," says Tokle, and Merrill Barber, Northfield, Vt., another top-notch jumper against them Sunday as well as Ola, the only man to defeat him this season—last Sunday at Salisbury Mills, N. Y. Ola went to Canada to become a war pilot. His full name is not divulged.

lest the enemy seek to harm his family.

Norway Is Not Skiing. The war, says Tokle, set skiing back 20 years in Norway. How? Well, Tokle came to this country four years ago, leaving behind his parents, five brothers and three sisters. The last he heard from them was a letter of November 25, 1941, and they "didn't mention skiing."

For a family of jumpers, such an omission leaves nothing more to be explained about the future of skiing in Norway, Tokle says. There isn't any—it's been given up.

Two Events Scheduled In Gun Club Meet

The weekly shoot of the Washington Gun Club will be held tomorrow at Benning beginning at 2 o'clock with two events listed. The opening is a 50-target shoot from 16 yards, with a 25-target handicap following with distances being based on scores made in the first test.

Championship Belts To Go to Winners In A. A. U. Boxing

A nostalgic note of the old days will be struck by District A. A. U. officials in their forthcoming boxing tournament scheduled to open February 20.

Instead of awarding the customary medals to the various champions the committee headed by Chairman Billy Blake has decided to give the boys title belts with highly ornamented gold buckles. This, Blake feels, is more in keeping with the spirit of the tournament.

Entry blanks will be ready for distribution early next week, Blake announced, and all amateurs contemplating entering the tournament are urged to resume training if they are not already working out.

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He leans toward Ted Mandris in the 127-pound fracas because Ted whipped the Terps' Judson Lincoln last year. Right now he has nobody to fight sensational Tommy Jones, the boy with the slide trombone right, but give him time. They don't weigh in until noon tomorrow and LaFond has his eye on a couple of robust 135-pounders who may take up boxing overnight.

He concedes Hotsy Alperstein an edge over Huck Hughes, but Huck is crying for another shot at Hotsy, his third, and Eddie is a firm believer in the diamond strategy of taking two and hitting to right.

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Ole Miss 'Gives' 5 Sophs to Marines

By the Associated Press.

JACKSONVILLE, Miss., Feb. 6.—Five University of Mississippi football players, all sophomores, joined the United States Marine Corps yesterday.

They told the recruiting officer, "we got in a huddle and decided the Marines were it if you want action, and that's what we wanted."

They are Quarterback Julian Pettigrew White, Fullbacks Henry Dorman Furr, Jr.; Gerald Martin Jukez and Allen Wayne Gibson and End Elmore Gibbons.

High Fives to Plunge Into Full Week-End Schedule Tonight

Top, Bottom Teams Clash In Double-header; Two More Tilts Tomorrow

Top and bottom teams in the high school series race face tonight in one of the two games at Tech gym when undefeated Roosevelt, the defending champion, tangles with the victory-less Anacostia quint to open the program at 7:30.

Something along the same line is presented in the finale when Central, tied for third place, goes against Tech, another team without a win.

If there's an upset in store for tonight, it could come easiest in the Central-Tech fray. The Vikings, after a fast start, have dropped two games and appeared not too steady in losing to Wilson on Tuesday. Tech has been close, but has had no luck, four of its five series setbacks coming by three points or less. If the boys can put any spark at all into their play, they figure to give Central a merry battle.

This is a heavy week end for series followers because tomorrow night the four other teams in the race take part in another double bill at Tech. Coolidge and Wilson tangle in the first game with Eastern and Western meeting in the second.

Gallaudet and C. U., R.-M. and Eagles in Conference Games

Two Maron-Dixon Conference basketball ball games will be played in Washington tonight with American U. and Catholic U. as hosts.

The Eagles entertain Randolph-Macon, while the Cardinals take on Gallaudet.

The A. U. game is slated for 8 o'clock and the C. U. meeting for 8:30.

C. U. nosed out Gallaudet by 3 points at Eastern gym in a game last month, and now has a conference record of five wins and as many setbacks.

The Cards seem certain of a spot in the conference playoff tourney, as is Randolph-Macon, but Gallaudet and American have tough going ahead.

The Eagles have won only one of three loop starts. Gallaudet is holding a record of two wins, both over Maryland State Teachers, against five setbacks.

Hockey Goal Record For Season Set by Rangers' Patrick

By the Associated Press.

New York's rampaging Rangers are four points ahead of the field in the National Hockey League today after surviving the challenge of the defending champion Boston Bruins last night.

While the Rangers were running their winning streak to seven in a row with a 4-1 triumph over the Bruins, Chicago's Black Hawks nosed out the last-place Canadiens, 4-3, at Montreal and Toronto and Detroit played a 3-3 tie.

Bryan Hextall, the league's leading pointmaker, and Lynn Patrick led the Rangers, who boosted their consecutive scoring record to 86 games and handed Boston its third straight defeat since losing Dit Clapper, assistant manager and defenseman, star, because of injuries.

Hextall scored one goal and aided in all the others, while Patrick, who had a goal and an assist, became the first league player this year to reach the 20-goal mark.

LA CROSSE, Wis., Feb. 6 (AP).—Central United States Ski Association tournament downhill and slalom championships, scheduled this week end, have been postponed because of lack of snow.

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BEAUTIFUL HOME—\$19,950. CHEVY OWNER TRANSFERRED. 1000. 1000.

COUNTRY CLUB SECTION—CHEVY CHASE. 1000. 1000.

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RADIO PROGRAM FRIDAY February 6, 1942

Last-minute changes in radio programs sometimes reach The Star too late for correction that day

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Star Flashes: Latest news with Bill Coyle, WMAZ, 4:55 p.m. Junior Star Page: The popular feature of The Sunday Star...

THE EVENING'S HIGH LIGHTS. WRC, 7:30—Grand Central Station: The lead roles go to Joan Teitel and Arnold Moss. WJVP, 8:00—Kate Smith introduces Betty Grable, Jack Oakie and Lou Holtz...

TOMORROW'S PROGRAM. Table with columns for stations (WMAZ, WRC, WOL, WJVP) and program titles for the following day.

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Stranger in Army Camp Gets 'K. P.' Assignment. By the Associated Press. CAMP SAN LUIS OBISPO, Calif.—Recruiting Cert. Frank Burkhard was perturbed, if not annoyed, when Frederico Balambao, 20, of Guadalupe failed to return to be sworn...

Bedtime Stories

By THORNTON W. BURGESS.

When Sammy Jay came flying out of the Green Forest, Blacky had the top of his lungs and so excited that he couldn't talk straight, everybody said that he had gone crazy. You see, he was too excited to tell what the trouble was. At last his cousin, Blacky the Crow, managed to get him calmed down so that he could tell him all about it. When he had heard the story which Sammy had told of the stranger he had seen deep in the Green Forest, he looked very much as the other little people did when they heard Sammy screaming foolishly. You see, it was very hard for Blacky to really believe that Sammy had seen what he said he had. Not that he thought Sammy was telling a wrong story! Oh, my, no! Sammy was too much in earnest. What Blacky thought in what he had seen, or imagined that he had seen a lot more than he really had. You see, Blacky had lived a long time in the Green Forest and he never had seen or heard of such a stranger as Sammy told about.

He asked Sammy just where he had seen the stranger and Sammy told him that it was deep in the Green Forest, beyond the pond built by Paddy the Beaver. Now, Blacky believes that the only way to make sure of things is to see them and not be contented with the word of someone else. So he suddenly made up his mind that he would visit the place where Sammy had seen the stranger. He invited Sammy to go along with him, but Sammy refused. It was very plain to see that Sammy was afraid of the stranger. Blacky chuckled to himself as he flew over the pond of Paddy the Beaver and so deep into the Green Forest.

"The idea," said Blacky, "of there being a stranger as big as Farmer Brown's boy and who had a black skin. Nobody like that ever had lived in the Green Forest. I guess I'd know if he had. Sammy must have eaten something and had a very bad dream, or else there is something the matter with his eyes." He was talking to himself in this way as he flew along, all the time keeping a sharp watch for the stranger, when, without any warning, the stranger himself stepped out from behind a tree almost under Blacky. It startled Blacky so that he let out a frightened "Caw, Caw!" and nearly turned a somersault in the air. He caught himself just in time and flew to the top of the nearest pine tree, where he could look down and see all that was going on.

Everything was just as Sammy Jay had said. The stranger did wear a black fur coat, he was as big as Farmer Brown's boy and he did have great feet and the biggest claws Blacky had ever seen. Blacky felt just as if he ought to peck himself to make sure that he was awake. Of course, he knew he was, but he just couldn't make it seem so.

Now, Blacky sometimes gets as excited as Sammy Jay, and this was one of the times. He started back for the Green Meadows as fast as he could fly and all the way he was cawing at the top of his lungs. Sammy Jay heard him long before he saw him and Sammy grinned. "He found him!" thought Sammy. "Now he knows that I told the truth. My, but he sounds just as crazy about health."

And then as Blacky came in sight of the Green Meadows, he was very hard to say who was screaming loudest, Sammy or his big cousin, Blacky, the crow.

Curiosity Kills Cat. SEATTLE (AP)—Curiosity killed the cat—and the current over a big part of Seattle. The prowling pussy short-circuited a sector of the power system while snooping around a 13,000-volt switchboard. Service was restored an hour later.

POINTS FOR PARENTS. By EDYTH THOMAS WALLACE. The child who is "very little trouble" is not always the child who is developing in a wholesome way.

This. Mother: "Ann is so active and has such a good time. She asks lots of questions which are sometimes annoying but I remind myself it denotes an alert mind."

Not This. Mother: "Mary is such a satisfactory child. She plays for long hours entirely by herself and always minds me immediately and without question."

SONNYSAYINGS. F.O.B. Detroit Detroit—News

Now, then, Nippy, slip up the back stairs an "leave no trace."

SCORCHY SMITH

(All kinds of comics—for everybody—in The Sunday Star's colored comic section.)



YES, I BRING PLAINS DOWN TO EARTH AS SIMPLY AS... AS A RUN ON THE PIANO!



YOU CAN DO WHAT YOU WANT, SCORCH! I'M PULLING A FADE-OUT RIGHT NOW!



CHDON'T GO YET! I'M ENJOYING THIS CHARMING CONVERSATION SO MUCH! AND BESIDES... THE DOOR IS CHARGED WITH ELECTRICITY! YOU'LL BE BURNED TO A MOST UNLOVELY CINDER IF YOU TOUCH IT!



I DON'T BELIEVE YOU!



SO? OBSERVE!



NOW... WE GO UNDERSTAND EACH OTHER BETTER, DO WE NOT?



—By Frank Robbins

LITTLE ORPHAN ANNIE

(More of Orphan Annie's thrilling adventures in the colored comic section of The Sunday Star.)



SHE HAS A FORM OF CATALEPTIC HYSERIA--WARBUCKS WAS HER WHOLE WORLD--TO BE TOLD SUDDENLY THAT HE'S DEAD! NO WONDER IT'S KNOCKED HER OUT---



HAVE TO DO THE BEST I CAN TO BREAK THE SPELL--COUNTER SHOCK--SOME TIMES A SHARP SLAP---



NO!



LET ME TAKE CARE OF HER, DOCTOR! SHE DOESN'T NEED A DOCTOR! SHE'S STILL ONLY A LITTLE GIRL--WHAT SHE NEEDS NOW IS A MOTHER--



YOU'RE RIGHT, KATIE--SHE'S IN YOUR HANDS--



—By Harold Gray

MOON MULLINS

(Laugh at Moon Mullins on Sundays, too, in the colored comic section.)



GET AWAY FROM THAT DOOR! IF YOU THINK I'M GOING TO LET YOU IN THIS HOUSE, YOU'RE CRAZY.



WHO'S THAT YOU'RE YELLIN' AT?



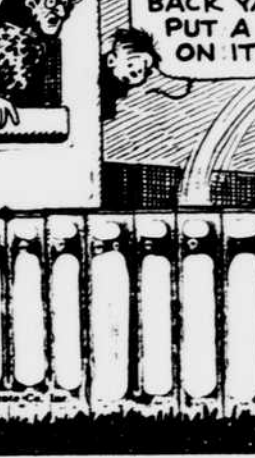
LORD PLUSHBOTTOM!



COME BACK HERE YOU WHELP!



WELL, EMMY, I'D SAY IF YOU WANTA KEEP HIM IN TH' BACK YARD, YOU'D BETTER PUT A LID ON IT.



—By Frank Willard

TARZAN

(Keep up with Tarzan's thrilling adventures in the colored comic section of The Sunday Star.)



TARZAN'S SITUATION WAS CRITICAL. ONE LION WAS ALMOST UPON HIM, THE OTHERS WERE DARTING FORWARD RAPIDLY.



THE APE-MAN DODGED, THEN, AS HIS FOREMOST FOE PLUNGED PAST, HE SHOOPED LOW AND CLUTCHED ITS HIND LEG.



WITH A MIGHTY HEAVE HE TOSSED THE BEAST INTO THE MOST OF ITS FELLOWS. THEN HE RAN.



BUT HE WAS NOT SURE HE COULD ESCAPE BEFORE THEY UNSCRAMBLED THEMSELVES.



—By Edgar Rice Burroughs

SERGEANT STONY CRAIG

(There's plenty of adventure in The Sunday Star's 16-page colored comic book.)



DON'T BE SO DUMB, SERGEANT! THIS IS A RECOMMENDATION TO APPOINT CASTRO DICTATOR.



BUT SHE IS NO GOOD FOR--WHEE--E! SERGEANT JUST CATCH HIM



SERGEANT, SHE IS TO TALK THESE PAPER AND MAKE PRETEND HE ARE THEM CASTRO, EH?



WHY NOT? IT'S A LONG SHOT, BUT THE INVADERS WON'T KNOW YOU



SHE IS BEST FOR SERGEANT TO START NOW, EH?



NO! YOU'LL WANT FOR ME, YOU DON'T THINK TO LET YOU GO ALONE, DO YOU?



BUT THEM STONY SERGEANT, SHE DON'T LOOK LIKE A TROPICAL NATIVE



I PUT ON THE BLACK-FACE ACT GOOD ENOUGH TO FOOL CASTRO AND HIS GUARDS, DON'T I?

DAN DUNN

(Dan Dunn continues his fight against crime in the colored comic section of The Sunday Star.)



SO MARSHAL GOREY IS THE ONE WHO WANTS ME KILLED--MAYBE HE SUSPECTS I AM A SPY--HE IS POWERFUL--IF THAT IS HIS SCHEME I'M SURE HE'LL TURN THE FURY AGAINST ME!



THAT MEANS I'VE GOT TO GET OUT OF HERE--AND QUICK TOO! AND I'LL TRY TO TAKE THE FURY WITH ME--THEY'D BE TICKLED TO DEATH TO SEE HIM IN THE STATES!



THAT NIGHT DAN'S SHADOWY FIGURE HAD BEEN SEEN CREEPING ALONG THE LEDGE OF THE BUILDING TOWARDS THE WINDOWS OF THE FURY'S ROOM--



ALL RIGHT, FURY! GET UP AND GET DRESSED--CALL YOUR CAR--NO FUNNY BUSINESS OR I'LL BLOW YOU APART!!



WHAT IS THIS INSOLENCE--YOU KNOW I AM THE FURY--NO ONE CAN BREAK TO ME THIS WAY!!



—By Norman Marsh

THE NEBBS

(You'll enjoy the Nebbs just as much in the colored comic section of The Sunday Star.)



TELEGRAM FOR MR. RUDDOLPH NEBBS



OK, SON, I'LL SIGN



FANNY--HERE IS A TELEGRAM FROM WASHINGTON--THEY'RE SENDING FOR ME!



WHAT DO THEY WANT WITH YOU?



WELL, ER--HARDLY--THEY WANT ME TO BE A DOLLAR-A-YEAR MAN



THIS IS NO TIME TO STRAIN THE NATIONAL BUDGET--YOU'D BE OVERPAID



—By Sol Hess

REG'LAR FELLERS

(Read The Star's 16-page colored comic book story Sunday.)



SILENCE IS GOLDEN! DON'T TALK TOO MUCH--THE ENEMY MAY BE LISTENING! MUMS THE WORD COMMITTEE ON DEFENSE



WHO TSEW THE OVERALLS IN MRS. MURPHY'S GROWDER?



POLLY WANNA CRACKER!



WE YES NO BANANAS



A CRACKER!



POLLY WANNA CRACKER!



SILENCE IS GOLDEN! DON'T TALK TOO MUCH--THE ENEMY MAY BE LISTENING! MUMS THE WORD COMMITTEE ON DEFENSE



—By Gene Byrnes



Winning Contract

By THE FOUR ACES. David Bruce Burnstone, Merwin D. Maltz, Oswald Schenken and Howard Schenken, world's leading team of contract bridge players...

Bridge Swindles—No. 83. In tournament bridge every trick is important. Making an overtrick at a laydown game contract means nothing at all at rubber bridge...

West opened the king of hearts, South winning with the ace. South now led the diamond trump suit...

Yesterday you were David Burnstone's partner and, with neither side vulnerable, you held:

The bidding: Burnstone Schenken You Jacoby INT Pass Pass Dbl. Pass 24 (?)

Answer—Pass. You are glad to be out of the bidding, and it would be the sheerest madness to re-enter the auction.

Question No. 989. Today you hold the same hand, but the bidding is different:

Burnstone Schenken You Jacoby INT Pass Pass Dbl. Pass 24 (?)

What do you bid? (Answer to-morrow.)

Take My Word for It

By FRANK COLBY. Wumman's Pot in the Wuld Waw. Akron: Really, some one should do something about the women broadcasters and lecturers who affect what they believe to be an Oxford accent...

Answer: Perhaps this will help: RHYM-O-GRAM. Mrs. Q. Puffingham Spanner, please to deliver her speech: Beamed on the "girls" in a manner she felt would captivate each...

UNCLE RAY'S CORNER

It is strange to hear of a city with a daytime population of 1,000,000 and a night population of only 20,000. Yet those are the estimates given for the so-called "City of London" in a year before the present war broke out...

SUBURBAN HEIGHTS



THE MEMBERS OF THE WOMEN'S CLUB DEFENSE COMMITTEE WERE CONSIDERABLY STARTLED WHEN THEY ARRIVED FOR A MEETING AT THE PERLEYS AT THE VERY MOMENT THAT FRED HAD INSISTED ON SEEING WHETHER HE AND HIS WIFE COULD BOTH GET UNDER THE LIVING-ROOM TABLE IN CASE OF AN AIR RAID

CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

Grid for crossword puzzle with horizontal and vertical clues. Horizontal clues include: 1. To drudge, 4. To satisfy, 8. Chief of the janitorians, 11. Hindu language, 12. To run easily, 13. Challice, 14. Teutonic deity, 15. Cry of sheep, 17. Indian money, 19. Pouch, 21. Thus, 23. Chance, 24. Aroma, 26. Downy, 28. Cried, 31. Man's nickname, 33. At once, 35. Female ruff, 36. French conjunction, 37. Indian money, 38. Nosegay, 41. You and I, 42. To weaken, 44. African antelope, 45. Unit of work, 47. Pacific archipelago, 49. Roman bronze, 51. Antiquity, 54. Epoch, 56. To decay, 58. Your, 59. Hazardous (coll.), 62. Large snake, 64. Conjunction, 65. Pronoun, 66. To seize, 68. Citrus fruit, 70. European fruit, 71. To box, 72. To hit aloft, 52. Six-sided prism, 53. Circuit court, 55. Behaves, 57. Toward, 59. Greek letter, 60. Concealed, 61. Snappish bark, 63. Completely, 67. Egyptian astral body, 69. Maiden loved by Zeus, 9. Ostrichlike bird, 10. Sweet potato, 11. Mexican coin, 16. While, 18. Throat, 20. Male swan, 22. To vanquish, 25. To steal from, 27. French coin, 29. Church seat, 30. Mound, 32. Morass, 34. Small, 36. Worm, 37. Greek letter, 39. Spencerian character, 40. Attempt, 43. To choose, 46. Obtained, 48. Vase, 50. No longer intoxicated, 52. Six-sided prism, 53. Circuit court, 55. Behaves, 57. Toward, 59. Greek letter, 60. Concealed, 61. Snappish bark, 63. Completely, 67. Egyptian astral body, 69. Maiden loved by Zeus.

LETTER-OUT

Word puzzle grid with clues: 1. FRANKEST, 2. ASSERTED, 3. WRESTED, 4. LABORED, 5. DAWDLING. Clues include: Letter-Out and they're for oil, Letter-Out and he leaves without permission, Letter-Out and it's another knot, Letter-Out and he gets more darts, Letter-Out and stuff with it.

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 it's deathly.

Answer to Yesterday's LETTER-OUT. (G) GARISH—HAIRS (they make a good head), (R) CROSSLET—CLOSETS (storage places), (A) OBDURATE—REDOUT (a fortification), (U) URINE—INDURE (habituate), (S) ASPIRING—PAIRING (two together).

in adwaw to do yaw pot in winning the waw! And at this point in her tirade, she braced herself for applause. Feeling her discourse was high grade; But all she heard was guffaw. Saddened, she started to make off. But Madam Chairman sincere Said, Mrs. Spanner, your take-off On Rathbone's the best of the year!

Scene in London during the German fire-bomb attack of December 29, 1940. The doomed building is St. Paul's Cathedral, which was damaged. That part of London is called "the City," but the real London is of huge size, by day or by night. Its population before the war was well above 8,000,000. It is of Greater London that I shall speak in the rest of this article.

THE SPIRIT



OAKY DOAKS



DINKY DINKERTON



SPUNKIE



BO



FLYIN' JENNY



MUTT AND JEFF



DRAFTIE



THE SPIRIT (Keep up with The Spirit's war on crime in The Sunday Star's comic book.)



OAKY DOAKS (Oak's adventures are a regular feature of The Sunday Star's colored comics.)



DINKY DINKERTON (Don't miss Dinkerton's hilarious adventures in the colored comic section on Sundays.)



SPUNKIE (There's always a full quota of adventure and fun in the colored comic section of The Sunday Star.)



BO (Bo is just as interesting—just as human—in the colored section of The Sunday Star.)



FLYIN' JENNY (Flyin' Jenny also flies every Sunday in the colored comic section.)



MUTT AND JEFF (Watch for Mutts and Jeff's laughable escapades in the colored comic section of The Sunday Star.)



DRAFTIE (Laugh at Draftie and Oin's in The Sunday Star's colored comic section)



Boys and Girls, Read the Junior Star Every Sunday



