

Weather Forecast

Continued moderately cold tonight, lowest temperature slightly below freezing. Temperatures today—Highest, 49, at 4 p.m.; lowest, 37, at 7:30 a.m.

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JAPS PUSH BACK STUBBORN ALLIES IN JAVA

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Paris Raid Toll Placed at 1,500, With Complete Districts 'Razed to Ground'

Senate Group Backs \$42 Pay For Privates

Second Lieutenants And Ensigns Would Get \$1,800 a Year

By the Associated Press. A Senate military subcommittee approved legislation today which would double the initial pay of enlisted men and give pay raises to non-commissioned officers and the lowest rank of commissioned officer in the armed forces, the Coast Guard, Coast and Geodetic Survey and Public Health Service.

Chairman Johnson of the subcommittee and author of the legislation, said the measure would cost \$255,000,000 a year, based on the size of the armed forces last January 1.

The bill, he said, would pay schedules for enlisted grades in all the services, placing all on an equal footing.

At the present time members of the Army and Navy receive \$21 a month for their first four months of service and then \$30 a month until they are promoted to higher grades.

\$1,800 for Ensigns. Under the proposed legislation they would start at \$42, and there would be six higher pay categories through the various non-commissioned ranks.

The subcommittee approved an increase in the pay of second lieutenants and ensigns from \$1,500 per year to \$1,800. It also proposed raising the maximum salary limit for brigadier generals from \$7,500 to \$8,000.

An existing automatic increase of \$10 per month after one year of service would be eliminated under the proposal, as would various special pay ratings which are now provided for privates.

Senator Johnson said that there had been no general revision of Army pay schedules since 1922, and that since that time wages and salaries of civilians had greatly increased.

Large Rent Allowances. Besides increasing the base pay of second lieutenants and ensigns, the bill would increase their annual rental allowance from \$480 to \$720 and their subsistence allowance from \$219 to \$354.

The subcommittee eliminated provisions for pay increases for other classes of commissioned officers.

Increases for the seven pay categories established for all services, expressed in terms of Army ranks, would be as follows:

Private, \$30 (after four months) to \$42 per month; private first class, \$36 to \$48; corporal, \$54 to \$60; sergeant, \$60 to \$72; staff sergeant, \$72 to \$96; technical sergeant, \$84 to \$114; master sergeant, \$126 to \$138.

Jurors Inducted in Trial On Bread Price Fixing (Earlier Story on Page B-1.)

A jury of eight women and four men in the courtroom of Justice T. Alan Goldsborough at District Court was sworn in today to determine whether four chain grocers, two labor unions, a dozen individuals and other groups are guilty, as the Government charges, of violating the Sherman Anti-Trust Act by conspiring to hold up the price of bread here.

All the women except one, who is a bookkeeper and teller, are housewives, and all except one told Justice Goldsborough and the opposing counsel that they deal in chain stores for their groceries. The exception said that she deals with an independent because it is necessary for her to have delivery to her home.

Markets at a Glance (By the Associated Press.) NEW YORK, March 4.—Cotton lower; hedge selling. Bonds steady; rails improving modestly. Stocks easy; leaders retreat on profit selling.

Late Races Earlier Results, Rossman's Other Selections and Entries for Tomorrow on Page 2-X.

Hialeah Park FIFTH RACE—Purse, \$1,000; graded handicap, Class B, 3-year-olds and upward; 5 furlongs. Time, 1:11.1. The Rhyme (Eads), 18.70 3.30 3.60 Sun Eager (McCombs), 9.00 3.30 Boston Man (McCree), 8.20 3.20

SIXTH RACE—Purse, \$3,000; Lynwood Handicap; 4-year-olds and upward; 2 miles. Time, 12:15.1. Hilling (Wielander), 7.70 3.30 3.00 Greenleaf (Eads), 4.50 3.10 Bright Gray (Mehrens), 4.50 3.10

Oaklawn Park THIRD RACE—Purse, \$500; claiming; 4-year-olds and upward; 6 furlongs. Time, 1:15.1. Paddy (Gibson), 8.20 3.40 3.70 Buckram (Liska), 11.40 4.20 Hillside (Gibson), 11.40 4.20

Thousands More U. S. Soldiers Landed in Northern Ireland

Latest Arrival Described as 'Routine Job'; Iowan First Man in Ranks to Go Ashore (Earlier Story on Page A-1.)

By the Associated Press. WITH U. S. TROOPS IN NORTHERN IRELAND, March 4.—Thousands more cheering, husky United States fighting men have arrived in a Northern Ireland port to augment the force that has been in Ulster for more than a month, it was announced today. Details of the landing of the fleet of transport and supply ships were withheld until the soldiers, their guns and their other fighting equipment had been scattered to the secluded spots throughout the six Northern Ireland counties and the ships had left port. (The arrival of the troops was announced in a War Department communique issued in Washington at 1 o'clock this afternoon. In London the newly-arrived contingent was described as larger than the first group which departed in January. Compared with the ceremonial landing of the first contingent of the A. E. F. last month, the latest

arrival was a routine job carried out with typical Army and Navy clockwork precision. Like the first contingent, most of the latest arrivals are Mid-Westerners who had been in training in Southern Army camps for a year. But there are some representatives of every part of the country. They came in full field equipment and with their guns ready. The white-haired troop commander was a colonel from the Middle West, a veteran of artillery campaigning in the First World War and five years commander of the

(See IRELAND, Page 2-X.)

Whole Streets Are Reported Destroyed (Earlier Story on Page A-1.)

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In reply to a question, Mr. Welles said that numerous reports of the use of Western Hemisphere bases by Axis submarines had been investigated, but that no evidence has been found to support the allegation that foreign possessions in the Western Hemisphere were involved in the Axis operations.

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Jackie Coogans Become Parents of Son (By the Associated Press.) LOS ANGELES, March 4.—Jackie Coogan and his wife, the former Flower Perry of the George White Scandals, became the parents of a son today. The child weighs 5 pounds, 14 ounces.

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"While streets were destroyed and complete districts razed to the ground," the broadcast declared. (Dispatches from Vichy semi-officially placed the number of dead at 600, with several hundred more injured.)

The raid indicates, on the basis of casualties indicated, that the British now are able to strike just as heavily as blows as any in the world's history.

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CONTINUES WORSHIP CUSTOM—President Roosevelt today began his 10th year in the White House by attending services at St. John's Episcopal Church. At left is the Rev. Endicott Peabody, headmaster emeritus of Groton (Mass.) School, which the President attended, and at right Maj. Gen. Edwin M. Watson, military aide. Mr. Roosevelt customarily worships at St. John's on anniversaries of his first inauguration, March 4, 1933. (Story on Page A-2.) —A. P. Photo.

Dies Group to Reveal Axis Campaign Aimed To Smear Roosevelt

Chairman Makes Hour's Speech in House Replying To Eliot Accusation

By JAMES E. CHINN. Chairman Dies disclosed to the House today his committee investigating un-American activities expects to make public shortly a report showing that the country has been flooded with Axis propaganda designed to "smear" President Roosevelt, and undermine the confidence of the American people in his personal integrity.

Mr. Dies made the revelation in an hour-long speech granted him on a point of personal privilege to answer press reports quoting Representative Eliot, Democrat, of Massachusetts, as having declared he had lied in announcing that a committee report "This report will show the well concerted plans of Axis propagandists to smear the President. It does not criticize his policies, but it is directed at the person of the President. Millions of pieces of this propaganda has been scattered throughout the country. It is designed to undermine the confidence of the people in the personal integrity of the President."

Eliot Denies Using Word "Lie." Mr. Eliot denied he had used the word "lie" in the speech quoting his attack on the Dies committee. He did, however, ask Mr. Dies why he had given the House and the public the "impression" that, if his committee had received the co-operation of various Government departments, Americans would not have any reason today to "remember Pearl Harbor."

Mr. Dies declared he was regretted having called off his plans to hold hearings in Washington last fall on Japanese fifth-column activities. He pointed out that at the time the hearings were canceled the committee had either arranged to call or subpoena to Washington from the West Coast 52 witnesses, including a former attaché in the Hawaiian consulate.

"Their testimony," he declared, "would comprise the major part of the evidence which our committee assembled."

Several times, Mr. Dies clashed with Mr. Eliot. (See DIES, Page 2-X.)

President Accepts Earle's Resignation

President Roosevelt today accepted the resignation of George H. Earle as Minister to Bulgaria. Mr. Earle has accepted a commission as a lieutenant commander in the Navy.

The diplomat's request for release from his post was made in a telegram to the President, and was answered by the Chief Executive in these words:

"I have received your telegram tendering your resignation as Minister to Bulgaria, and requesting that it become effective immediately in order that you may join the Navy."

"I know so well the vitality of your patriotism that I must, of course, accede to your request. Your diplomatic mission was conducted in trying times and difficult circumstances, but you acquitted yourself with resourcefulness and skill. It is good to know that you will still be in your country's service."

American Ships May Be Scuttled To Avoid Capture

By the Associated Press. NEW YORK, March 4.—Rear Admiral Howard L. Vickery, vice chairman of the United States Maritime Commission, told the Greater New York Safety Council today that the commission has under consideration plans for rapid scuttling of American ships should they be threatened with capture by enemy forces.

"This (scuttling) cannot be completed by the crews without incurring personal risks," he said. "Hence we are deliberately planning for unavailability of a few in order to promote the safety of the many."

Prosecutor Declares Viereck 'Defiled' His U. S. Citizenship

Jury Expected to Get Case Tonight or Early Tomorrow

BULLETIN. The Viereck trial recessed late today with closing arguments still incomplete, but with indications the case will probably be given to the jury by noon tomorrow.

(Earlier Story on Page A-1.) By CARTER BROOKE JONES. George Sylvester Viereck, a registered German agent, on trial in District Court for assertedly concealing his propaganda activities from the State Department, was castigated by Special Prosecutor Edward J. Hickey, Jr., this afternoon as a man who "has shamed and defiled his American citizenship."

In the opening summation of the Government, Mr. Hickey declared that Viereck, working under cover through others, was "defiling the people of this country with propaganda." The defendant's object, the prosecutor added, was "to lure us to sleep, to promote the interests of another country."

Daniel P. Cohan, Jr., summing up for the defense, asked for Viereck's acquittal on the ground the Government had failed to prove that he had violated any law.

"You've heard a convicted and confessed perjurer testify for the Government," Mr. Cohan said. He referred to George Hill, former secretary to Representative Fish, Republican, of New York, Hill, under sentence of two to six years for perjury, linked Viereck closely with anti-war and isolationist propaganda in Capitol Hill.

The case was expected to go to the jury either tonight or early tomorrow. Justice F. Dickinson Letts was called to the bench.

Biddle Orders Investigation Of Arkansas Parole System

By the Associated Press. Attorney General Biddle this afternoon ordered the F. B. I. to investigate the Arkansas State parole system with respect to what he said were "persistent allegations by newspapers and other sources that certain State officials are holding paroled prisoners in a state of virtual peonage in violation of Federal civil rights statutes."

"These allegations," Mr. Biddle said in a statement, "are to the effect that members of the Arkansas Penitentiary Commission have administered the State parole system in such a way that parolees are placed in custody of members of the commission, members of the State Legislature, other State officials and of close friends and relatives of members of the penitentiary commission, and are compelled

(See BIDDLE, Page 2-X.)

Connally Says Chinese May Take Offensive

Senators Encouraged By Report From Two U. S. Experts

By the Associated Press. Chairman Connally of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee forecast today, after hearing two American experts report on conditions in China, that the armies of Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek might become an offensive factor in the war.

Senator Connally told reporters that committee members were "greatly encouraged by the reports of the continued resistance of China to Japanese invaders and the stiffening of her armed forces whereby she will become an aggressive belligerent in the war."

Reports were made to the committee by Dr. Owen Lattimore, political adviser to Chiang Kai-shek, and by Manuel Fox, economic adviser to China.

Senator Connally said that the recent authorization by Congress of \$500,000,000 financial aid to China "has and will have a vital influence on China's military activity and her economic organization."

Other committee members said the two advisers made it plain that the extent of China's ability to take the offensive against the Japanese would depend largely on the delivery of planes, tanks and heavy guns to the Chinese.

The two were reported to have assured the committee that Chiang Kai-shek felt confident that China could defend the Burma road successfully and believed her allies could safeguard the approaches of the road. Connections were reported being made to the road through

Operations of the American volunteer air force in China were described as contributing greatly to Chinese morale.

Anti-Trust Case Defense Asks Directed Verdict (Earlier Story on Page B-1.)

A motion for a directed verdict of acquittal was made this afternoon in District Court by the defense in an anti-trust case in which a dozen individuals, four chain grocers, two labor unions and others are charged with conspiring to keep up the price of bread here.

The opening statement to the jury, embracing what the Government proposes to prove in this case, was made by Victor O. Waters, special assistant to the Attorney General.

The defense immediately moved for a directed verdict, contending that even if it be assumed that all the Government proposes to prove is true, still the defendants have not committed a crime as charged.

Oral arguments were made by Attorney Elisha Hanson, one of the Bakery Sales Drivers' Local Union, No. 33; Local Union, No. 118, Bakery and Confectionery Workers' International Union of America; and two of their officials, Robert C. Lester and Charles B. McCloskey.

When Justice T. Alan Goldsborough adjourned court this afternoon he announced that another opportunity to make oral arguments in support of motions to dismiss.

Nazis Bomb Egyptian Port; Damage Declared Slight (By the Associated Press.) BERLIN (From Official Broadcasts.) March 4.—German planes bombed military targets in Alexandria, Egyptian port used by the British as a Mediterranean naval base, the high command said today. It gave no details.

In another air raid the night before on a desert airport in the Suez Canal area, the communique asserted, German planes set off large fires and explosions in hangars and fuel reserves and destroyed several grounded planes.

Slight Damage in Alexandria. CAIRO, March 4 (AP).—Axis planes ranged over a wide area of Northern Egypt early today and caused slight damage by bombing properties at Alexandria, where Britain has her chief Eastern Mediterranean naval base.

There were raids also in the Suez Canal area. No casualties were reported.

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Japanese Advance Farther in Java Against Heavy Dutch Air Blows; M'Arthur's Planes Sink 2 Big Ships

United Nations' Forces Continue Stubborn Fight

By the Associated Press.
BANDOENG, Java, March 4.—The Japanese were acknowledged officially today to have made "some headway at some points" on Java, bringing to bear their numerical superiority—especially in planes—against an heroic defense which had held them in check since Sunday.

Americans Among 50,000 Men Opposing 85,000 Japs in Java

By the Associated Press.
LONDON, March 4.—About 50,000 Allied troops, among them "a few thousand American and British," are fighting a force of at least 85,000 Japanese in the battle for Java, Dutch sources in London declared today.

16 of 18 Enemy Bombers Downed By Navy Force

By the Associated Press.
More than 18,000 tons of enemy ships have been destroyed in a spectacular raid by Gen. Douglas MacArthur's small air force, and a task force of the Navy has blasted 16 heavy Japanese bombers out of the sky in a deep penetration of Japanese mandated islands.

No Details on Penetration

It gave no indication whether the new Japanese penetrations had been stopped nor any details either of their depth or direction.

'Crippling Blow' Was Suffered by Navies In Trying to Stop foe, Dutch Disclose

There was no confirmation from authoritative Allied naval sources of Japanese claims that the British cruiser Exeter and a United States cruiser were sunk in the Java sea fight.

50 Centers of Enemy Resistance Wiped Out, Russians Claim

In a Japanese attempt to raid Bandoeng Monday, the communiqué said, the enemy lost four bombers and one fighter or bomber and was "so heavily punished that he gave up the attack."

Additional Thousands of U. S. Troops Land in Northern Ireland

Additional United States Army troops have landed in Northern Ireland, the War Department announced at 1 p. m. today.

Offensive Continuing On Leningrad Front, Moscow Reports

MOSCOW, March 4.—Soviet forces have destroyed "about 50 centers of enemy resistance" and killed 650 officers and men in an offensive which still is continuing on the Leningrad front, the Soviet communiqué announced today.

Designation of Units And Exact Strength Are Held Secret

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Local Successes Reported

Local successes against Japanese forces were reported by British volunteers, who took part in fighting at Soebang, 40 miles south of the Indramayu beachhead and the point of deepest Japanese penetration toward Bandoeng.

Toll of 2,000 at Leningrad

"Two thousand German officers and men were killed during the last two days on the Leningrad front," the Soviet communiqué said.

Destruction Through Out

Aneta reports from Batavia said explosions so heavy that they shattered window panes attested to the thoroughness with which the Dutch were carrying out their scorched earth policy in the vicinity of the Indies capital.

\$300,000 Fire Sweeps St. Louis Lumber Yard

By the Associated Press.
ST. LOUIS, March 4.—A spectacular fire sweeping through part of the vast Hill-Behan lumber yard last night, causing damage estimated at \$300,000. The blaze was visible 10 miles away.

Engagement in Libya 'Successful,' British Say

By the Associated Press.
CAIRO, March 4.—A British column has "successfully engaged" German forces south of Tmimi, in the Libyan battle zone, a headquarters communiqué announced today.

Songfest at Stadium Tonight To Aid Defense Stamp Sale

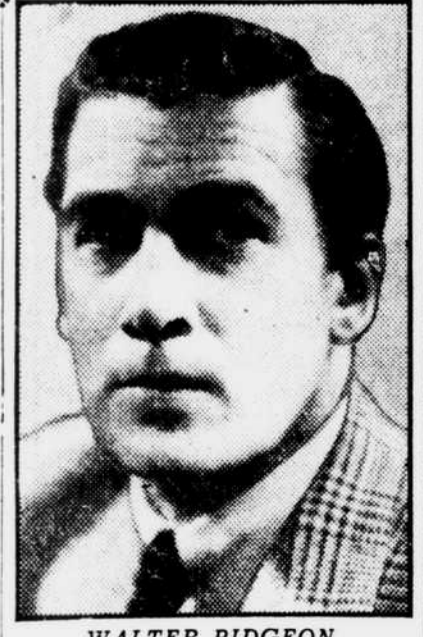
Only 1,650 tickets of 6,500 printed had not been distributed at the close of the sale last night. These, now available at the Treasury Department's booth in the lobby of The Star Building, were expected to be given out during the day.

Son Juan Blacked Out

SAN JUAN, Puerto Rico, March 4 (AP).—This territorial capital was blacked out today from 3:05 a. m. to 3:40 a. m. It was indicated that the blackout was only practice, since San Juan has had such drills about once a week recently.

Persons Without Tickets May Have Available Seats

Officials in charge of plans for tonight's songfest in behalf of Defense stamp sales, to be led by Miss Lucy Monroe, concert soprano, announced today that persons without tickets will be admitted to seats in Riverside Stadium not filled by 8:30 p. m.



WALTER PIDGEON.

Victory Sing Ticket Holders Should Be Prompt

Seats at the Riverside Stadium for the victory sing tonight will be reserved for ticket holders until 8:30 p. m., after which any unoccupied seats will be made available to those who may be without tickets.



Blackout With Streets Dark Planned Within Two Weeks

Sirens expected to be ready; officials loud 10-hour test.
Another blackout, this time of short duration and including street lights, will be ordered within two weeks if the city's noise-making devices for air-raid alarms are ready.

Paris Raid May Mark End of Allied Efforts To Bar Vichy-Axis Tie

'Much Damage' Was Done In Industrial Plants, London Declares.
LONDON, March 4.—The heavy bombing attack by the R. A. F. last night on the great Renault plant and other industrial installations in the suburbs of Paris may mean the end of Allied attempts to bar the Vichy government from collaboration with Nazi Germany.

Small Business Needs Loans to Produce for War, Nelson Says

Asks Senate Committee Not to Divide Authority Over Use of Plants.
Some method of financial aid to small business is "absolutely essential" if such concerns are to be fitted into war production pictures, Donald M. Nelson, war production chief, told the Senate Banking Committee today.

De Gaulle Declares Parisians Desire Raids by British

LONDON, March 4.—A statement from the Free French National Committee of Gen. Charles de Gaulle declared today that all Parisians arriving in London reported that residents of the Nazi-occupied capital "ardently desired" R. A. F. raids on factories in the Paris zone which were working for Germany.

3 Blasts Shake Honolulu; Raid Alarm Is False

HONOLULU, March 4.—Three heavy explosions shook Honolulu immediately after screaming air-raid sirens awakened the city at 2:10 a. m.

Aaron Ward, Camouflaged Destroyer, Commissioned

NEW YORK, March 4.—The camouflaged 1,630-ton destroyer Aaron Ward, one of the fastest ships afloat, was commissioned today in the Navy Yard, Brooklyn, and joined the ships of the line.

Summary of Today's Star

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- Canada to Permit Entry of Former Shah of Iran. By the Associated Press. OTTAWA, March 4.—The Canadian government has granted permission for the abdicated Shah of Iran (Persia) and his family to come to Canada, it was learned today. The former Shah, Reza Pahlavi, left Iran after British troops entered the country last summer. Page B-7
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Admiral Helfrich Is Intrusted With 'Special Mission'

Van Staveren Succeeds Him as Commander of Indies Naval Forces

By The Associated Press. LONDON, March 4.—Vice Admiral C. E. L. Helfrich has been intrusted with a "special mission" and has been succeeded as commander of the Netherlands Indies naval forces by Acting Rear Admiral J. A. van Staveren, the Netherlands government announced today.

Dutch circles in London said Admiral van Staveren "presumably" would command all Allied warships operating in Netherlands Indies waters.

The statement said Lt. Gen. Hein Ter Poorten would command the land forces following the departure of Gen. Sir Archibald Wavell, former supreme commander of the United Nations Southwest Pacific forces.

Ordered to Fight to Last. Gov. Gen. A. W. L. Tjarda van Starkenborgh Stachouwer will continue in full civil authority, the Netherlands government announced.

It declared that all commanders in the Netherlands Indies—even those whose forces may become cut off—have been ordered to "fight on to the last."

Amia news agency said this was taken as an indication that the Netherlands officers have been directed to carry on guerrilla operations, even if cut off from headquarters, to impede the invaders at every step.

Commanded Cruiser. Admiral Van Staveren, who is 43, has been chief of the Netherlands naval staff. He commanded one of the Netherlands Indies cruisers for some time and was advanced to acting rear admiral rank January 1.

It was Admiral Helfrich who ordered the Netherlands Indies fleet to sea a week before the outbreak of war in the Pacific, with the result that within 24 hours Dutch submarines had sunk several enemy transports in the Gulf of Siam. This was the first of a series of operations for which Helfrich won acclaim as the "ship-a-day" admiral.

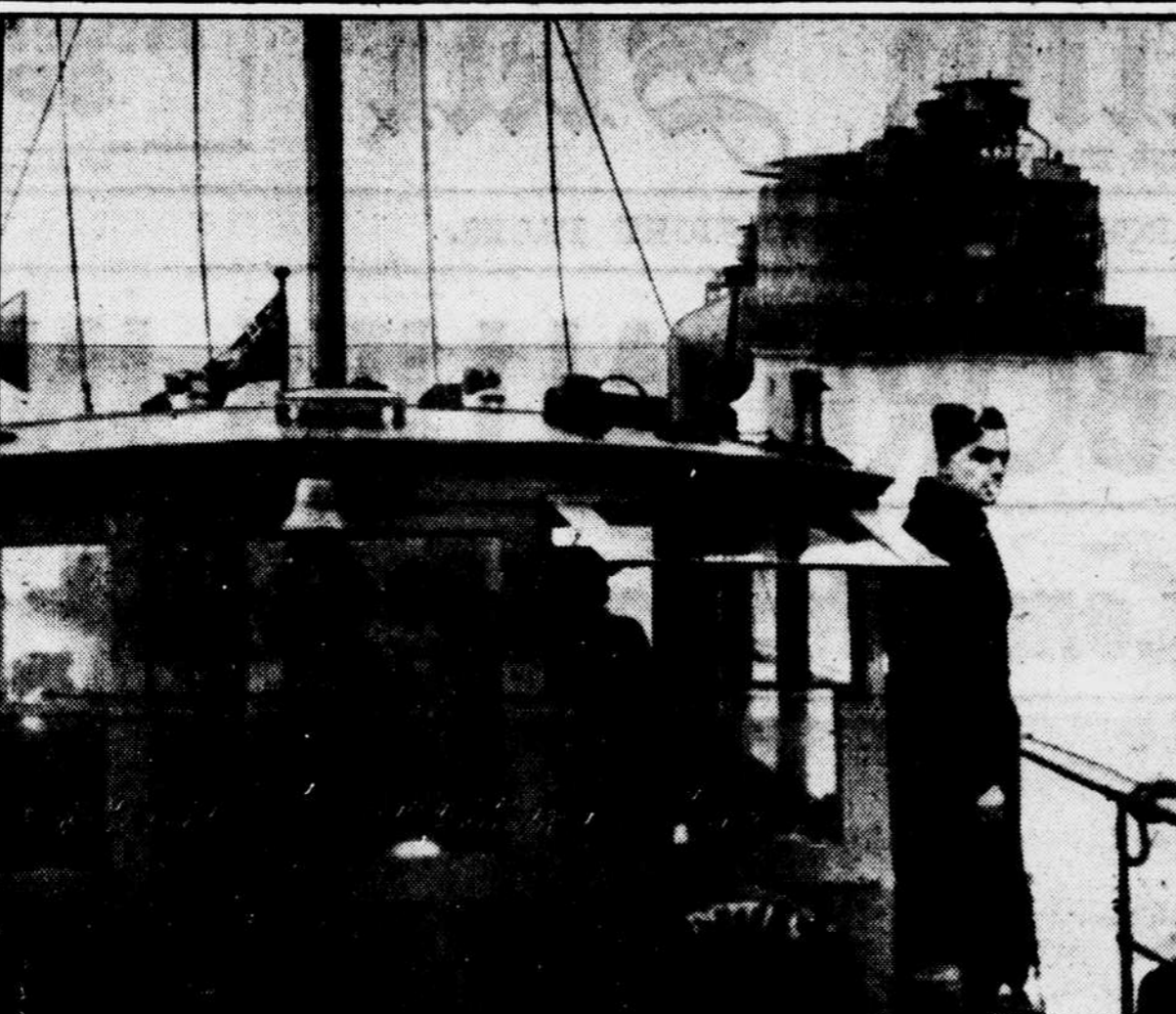
U. S. Awaits Official Ruling On Pan-American Games

By The Associated Press. LOS ANGELES, March 4.—United States participation in the Pan-American games next November hinges for the present on Government approval, President Avery Brundage of the American Olympic Games Committee said today.

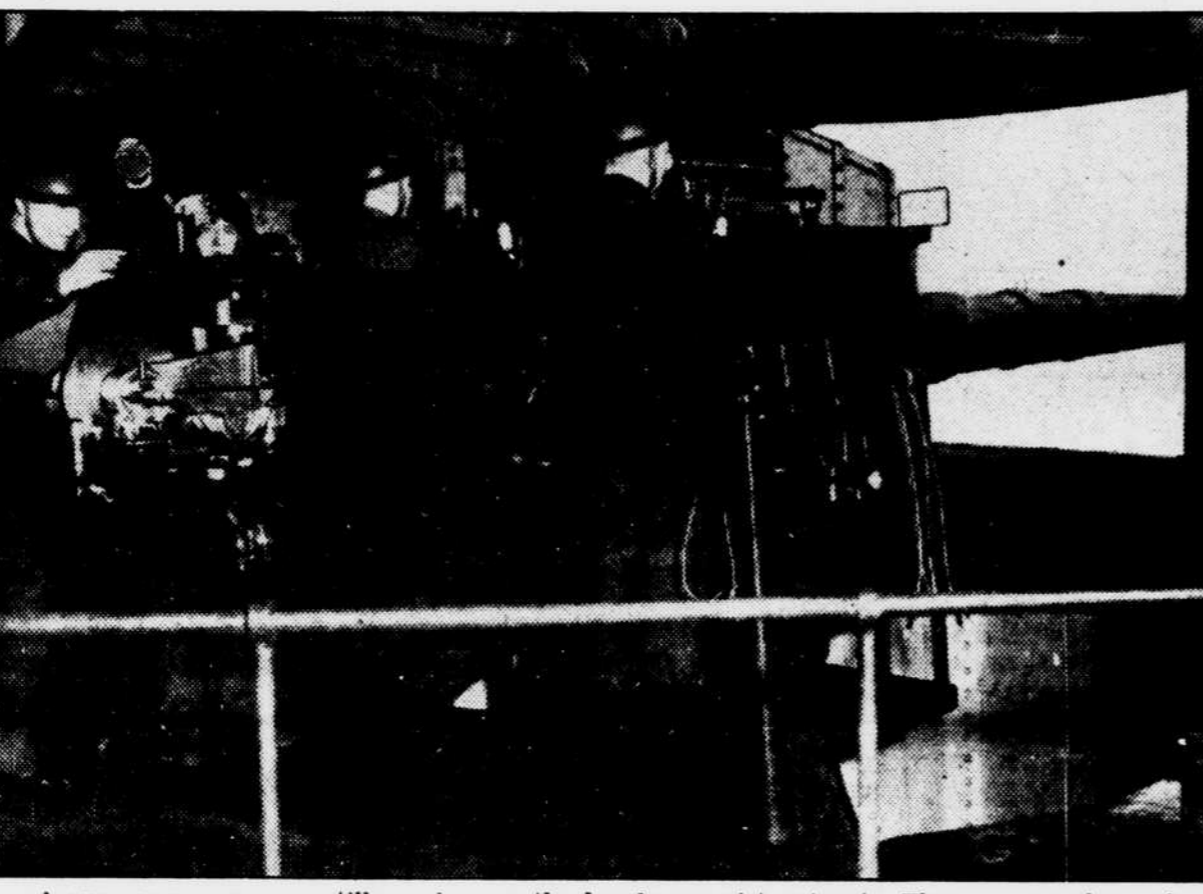
"We have submitted our plans to authorities in Washington," he declared, "and will be guided by their decision. The war effort, of course, comes first. In addition, the Government almost certainly would have to decide about transportation."

The program for United States participation in the games, first of a contemplated series after the Olympic games, remains the same as announced at a meeting in New York in November, Mr. Brundage continued. This calls for an American team of about 200.

But no effort has been made to obtain financing pending the Government's decision. Money would be raised, he added, as for the Olympic games—partially from public subscription, partially from receipts of preliminary tryouts.



OUTPOST—A British Army launch takes rations and mail to an island fort "somewhere in the northern command" a few miles off the coast of England. Sometimes rough seas keep the fort complement isolated for days.



A gun crew mans an artillery piece on the lonely sea-girt outpost. They are members of a coast artillery regiment on duty in the fort. —A. P. Photos.

Dies

(Continued From First Page.) with Mr. Elliot. When he finished his lengthy speech, nearly all of the more than 300 House members on the House floor stood and applauded.

At one point, Representative Rankin, Democrat, of Mississippi interrupted. "The gentleman from Massachusetts started this fight by going out and attacking the Dies Committee. Now at least take your medicine."

The most dramatic episode came, however, when Representative Colmer, Democrat, of Mississippi asked Mr. Elliot why he had waited a week before correcting the newspaper stories of his attack on the Dies Committee.

"I think I should say to the gentleman first, no week has elapsed," declared Mr. Elliot. "And in the second place, I did not know such thin skins were possessed, and I would like to read—"

"I yield no further than that," retorted Mr. Dies, pointing a finger at Mr. Elliot. "When you say 'thin skins' let me say to you that statements such as you made, Mr. Elliot, calling a member of the House a liar is no small matter. . . . I have seen lying press reports. I have a majority, but some of them, deliberately distort the facts and do all in their power to undermine the confidence of the American people in this body and in this hour. Let me say to the gentleman that whether he serves here a long time or a short time, the first thing to learn is to love and respect the members of this House."

Many House members arose and applauded Mr. Dies when he completed this statement.

Mr. Dies read to the House an exchange of correspondence between himself and Attorney General Biddle with respect to evidence the committee had uncovered about Japanese fifth column activities and declared he had worked assiduously to co-operate with Government agencies—particularly the F. B. I. and the Army and Navy Intelligence. He admitted, however, the committee did not go through its plans for hearings on the Japanese fifth column activities because the Attorney General had "represented" to him that the President and Secretary of State Hull were "strongly opposed."

"In deference to their wishes," he said, "we canceled the proposed hearings."

Dutch Admiral Goes To North Ireland With U. S. Troops

WITH UNITED STATES TROOPS IN IRELAND, March 4 (AP)—Admiral J. J. W. Termijtelen, chief of staff of the Royal Netherlands forces in Britain, made the trip from the United States aboard one of the ships which brought thousands of additional United States fighting men to Northern Ireland.

The admiral made no statement, but it was assumed he had attended United Nations staff conferences in Washington.

Semetic, should be brought before the committee and be investigated, and numerous other preachers. I took the position, and this committee supported that position, that whenever this committee brought to Washington any preachers or priests or ideologists who were believed to be a bona fide organization," he said.

"She believes the Dies committee was the instrumentality of the reactionary forces of this country; she permitted those witnesses to be her guests at the White House during the time the investigation took place."

"In justice to Mrs. Roosevelt, she finally discovered the truth, and she publicly admitted that she had been deceived by them."

"And when Joseph Lash appeared before our committee in executive session a few weeks ago, what did he say? This was the same Joseph Lash who with arrogance walked into the committee room with Mrs. Roosevelt during our previous hearing and attempted to ridicule the committee and read a poem attempting to cast ridicule upon its chairman, what did he admit in executive session—and I think I am privileged to tell this!"

"He admitted that we were right all the time. He admitted that he had admittedly sought, he and the others, to ridicule the committee, and to prevent us from obtaining the truth. Yet he was the man at that time who was leading the same so-called liberal forces of this country and the same group were picketing the White House denouncing Mr. Roosevelt as a war monger and demanding that we not aid England."

"I think when you read this report you will find that there has been a well concerted plan, not to attack the President's policies, but that it is the right of every citizen. . . . but to undermine the confidence of the people in the personal integrity of the Chief Executive."

Viereck

(Continued From First Page.) to charge the jury at the close of the summations.

In his argument for the Government, Prosecutor Hickey pointed out that Viereck, in registering as a German agent, had listed his work only as that of "author and journalist," whereas State Department regulations required him to set forth fully his activities.

"Viereck always worked through other people," Mr. Hickey added. "He knew that propaganda never works if it is exposed, that it feeds on camouflage and dies upon exposure."

"Dennett Was Stooze." Mr. Hickey traced the testimony indicating that Viereck had worked through members of Congress in distributing his propaganda. The evidence showed, Mr. Hickey contended, that Viereck had organized and set up "committees with high-sounding patriotic names," such as the Make Europe Pay War Debts Committee, headed ostensibly by Prescott Dennett.

"Dennett was the perfect stooge for 'Viereck,' the prosecutor asserted.

Mr. Hickey added the Government had proved Dennett was sending out Viereck's propaganda through George Hill and even furnished original material which members of Congress were persuaded to insert in the Congressional Record.

"Viereck had subsidized the whole thing," the prosecutor said, "and they were sending tons of franked literature broadside over the country."

Local Taxes Boost Cost of War Effort, Gen. Reybold Says

Supports Cochran Proposal To Exempt Federal Buying From State Levies

(Earlier Story on Page A-3.) By The Associated Press. Maj. Gen. Eugene Reybold, chief of Army Engineers, told the House Ways and Means Committee today State and local taxation of defense contracts "materially increases the cost of the war effort."

Gen. Reybold appeared in support of legislation by Representative Cochran, Democrat, of Missouri which would exempt the Federal Government from State, territorial and local taxes on the sale, purchase, storage or use or consumption of tangible personal property used in performing defense contracts.

Gilbert H. Hewitt, director of the gross income tax division of the State of Indiana, however, told the committee that the measure would "destroy the power of the States to tax to carry on normal functions of government," and would constitute "an unwarranted invasion of the fundamental power of the State."

Gen. Reybold said the bill would "relieve the national defense effort of the load of local taxation."

It was brought out that 22 States have legislation permitting taxation. Representative Knutson, Republican, of Minnesota, expressed the opinion that "there is no reason why 22 States should tax the Federal Government and impose the burden on all 48 States."

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W. P. B. Orders Halt To Truck Output as Materials Run Out

Military and Lease-Lend Requirements Exempted From Regulation

By The Associated Press. The War Production Board today ordered a halt to the production of trucks of any size immediately on exhaustion of supplies of fabricated or partly fabricated materials which were in manufacturers' hands on February 28.

Direct military and lease-lend orders for trucks or troop carriers were exempted from the stock-order.

Manufacturers of medium trucks, whose large production quotas have been canceled, were prohibited from turning out more of this type on completion of their February quotas.

Production of heavy trucks, valued at those weighing more than 16,000 pounds, probably can continue for several months with fabricated or partly fabricated materials on hand, it was stated, but no further materials may be fabricated.

The new order will concentrate materials now in the hands of the truck industry on production of the heavier types needed for hauling or supplies. W. P. B. explained, and will conserve large quantities of steel and rubber for war use.

The prohibition against equipping trucks with tires was continued in force. Under earlier W. P. B. orders, tires may be placed on trucks only to enable their delivery to dealers, after which the tires must be returned to the manufacturer.

The order does not affect recent permission granted manufacturers to carry over into March any uncompleted portions of their February production quotas.

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Racing News Today's Results, Entries and Selections for Tomorrow

Rossvan's Comment

Selections for a Fast Track at Hialeah Park BEST BET—CADMIUM.

FIRST RACE—ROYAL SILVER, ALHAKIT, TWOTIMER. The Silverdale filly, ROYAL SILVER, may win the opener at a fancy price. The miss has been turning in some exceptionally fast moves in the morning and the stables are high on this one's chances today. ALHAKIT raced well in her debut and fits well the form.

SECOND RACE—SABULUS, LA JOCONE, ROCK MAKER. The fast-working Stimulus colt SABULUS could step down here despite that initial effort on February 5, when the colt finished in the rack. The race is a wide-open affair and apparently the odds to catch is the filly LA JOCONE. Another stout possibility might turn up in the gelding ROCK MAKER.

THIRD RACE—MEDIA LUNA, HAPPY NOTE, ALBATROSS. MEDIA LUNA is credited with a sizzling work of 6 furlongs in 1:13 1-5 handily and cannot go beyond this one for the winner of the third. The one to worry about is the Happy Arg gelding HAPPY NOTE with only 107 up today. ALBATROSS is getting good and cannot be counted out in the field.

FOURTH RACE—REFUGENT, COUNT HASTE, BRENNER PASS. The Display colt, REFUGENT, showed a game effort last time out and set the pace most of the way. Should improve off that effort and with only 99 up, might take down the main money. COUNT HASTE has shown that he should like the distance and rates an excellent money chance. BRENNER PASS works well.

FIFTH RACE—CADMIUM, BLUE WARRIOR, WAR BUGLE. CADMIUM is well liked by the boys with the watch and they declare that this one can really run. They seldom make mistakes, so let's string along. BLUE WARRIOR, a galloping winner at the meeting in very good time, should prove the runnerup. WAR BUGLE is dangerous and a very fit horse. Tab.

SIXTH RACE—CAPE COD, SHERIFF CULKIN, JOHNIE J. The Bougainville Handicap brings together a band of some real fast steppers. At the weights, preference must be given CAPE COD, the colt that

Other Selections Consensus at Hialeah Park (Fast). 1—Royal Silver, Alhakit, Styx. 2—La Jacone, Windy Et Un, Sun Triad. 3—Refugent, Brenner Pass, Trade Last. 4—Tragic Ending, Votum, Doubt Not. 5—Signator, Sheriff Culkin, Warlock. 6—Lovely Dawn, Psychology, Belfry. 7—Chimney, Hatter, Sun Triad. 8—Just Tourist, Veiled Prophet, Sir Gibson.

Oaklawn Park (Slow). 1—Lee's Jimmie, Red Go, Cuckoo. 2—Bright and Early, Red Moss, C. Curtis. 3—Goal to Go, Spector, Phantom Son. 4—Black Brummel, O. K. Mullen, Illinois Tom. 5—Laird Red Fox, With Regards, Fairfax. 6—Bolt, Black Kerry, Principal One. 7—Little Moon, Time Play, Saran. 8—Henry Hatter, Guardsman, Little Tramp. 9—Merry Mood, Ring Red, Nijinsky. Best bet—Little Red Fox.

Racing Results Hialeah Park By The Associated Press. FIRST RACE—Purse, \$1,200; special weights, maiden 2-year-olds, 6 furlongs. Winner (Maiden) 2:49.00. 2nd (Maiden) 2:50.00. 3rd (Maiden) 2:51.00. 4th (Maiden) 2:52.00. Time, 1:35.80. Also ran—Brother Dear, Aunt Ellen, Clip Clop, Lottan, Tom Hall, A. Mitchell, Sam Sweet, Broeze, Lit Up and a Balladine. A Joe W. Brown entry.

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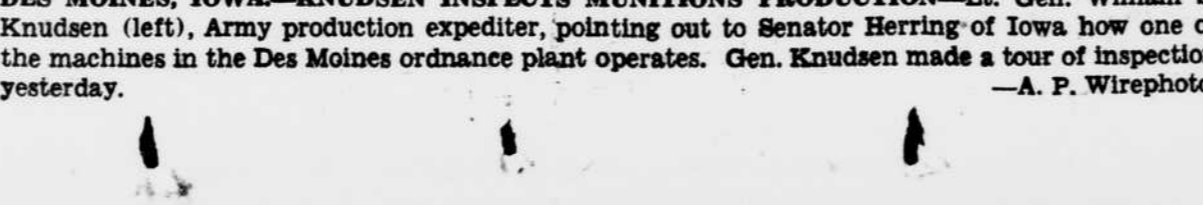
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DES MOINES, IOWA.—KNUDSEN INSPECTS MUNITIONS PRODUCTION.—Lt. Gen. William S. Knudsen (left), Army production expeditor, pointing out to Senator Herring of Iowa how one of the machines in the Des Moines ordnance plant operates. Gen. Knudsen made a tour of inspection yesterday. —A. P. Wirephoto.

Fall From Roof Kills One of Hunter Flyers

MURPHYSBORO, Ill., March 4.—Albert Hunter of Sparta, one of the Hunter brothers who set an airplane refueling flight endurance record in Chicago in 1930, was killed instantly here yesterday in a 30-foot fall from the roof of a building being razed.

Others Join in Welcome

The troops were welcomed by Gen. Hartle, Gen. Sir Walter K. Venning, quartermaster general of the British Army, and Lt. Gen. H. P. Franklyn, commander of the British forces in Northern Ireland.

Fascist Evidence Assembled

Mr. Dies said the committee had assembled over many months documents and evidence with reference to Fascist activities which are now at the Government Printing Office.

New York Bank Stocks

Table listing New York Bank Stocks with columns for Name, Asked, and Bid prices.

Nazis Execute Two Spies

STOCKHOLM, March 4 (AP)—Two spies, one a woman, were executed in Germany yesterday, dispatches from Berlin said. Their names were given as Johanna Kursatz, 32, and Josef Kroll, 35.

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Midweek Lenten Services Planned In Many Churches

Out of Town Ministers To Be Among Speakers Tonight and Tomorrow

Midweek Lenten services in Washington find many churches holding special sessions. A number of out-of-town ministers have been invited here to participate in the ceremonies.

The Rev. Dr. William Robert Moody, rector of Christ Church, Baltimore, will conduct the evening service today at the Church of St. Stephen and the Epiphany.

Services at the Church of the Epiphany will again be conducted by the Very Rev. Chester B. Emerson, dean of Trinity Cathedral, Cleveland.

Dr. Albert Hughes of Toronto, Canada, will again speak at the Metropolitan Baptist Church at 7:30 p.m.

The Rev. Dr. Edgar Sexsmith, pastor of the Rhode Island Avenue Methodist Church, will speak at the Penn Theater at 8 p.m.

At 8 p.m. at St. Matthew's Lutheran, the Rev. Theodore P. Pricke, pastor of St. Matthew's Lutheran, will continue services at 8 p.m.

Guest speaker at St. Paul's Church, Rock Creek parish, at 8 p.m., will be the Rev. Howard Sylvester Arnold, rector of St. Andrew's parish, Holy Comforter Church.

Dr. Clarence S. Wise, pastor of the Wesley Methodist Church, will conduct services at Ryland Methodist Church.

"Futile Human Plans" will be the topic of the Rev. Adrian Pfeiffer, pastor of the Takoma Lutheran Church, at 8 p.m.

The Rev. George K. Bowers, pastor of St. Stephen's Lutheran, will hold evening services.



IT RESEMBLES ICELAND, BUT IT ISN'T—These huts, similar to those used by United States forces stationed in Iceland, were put up at Norfolk, Va., to house the expanding personnel of the Naval Training Station. A bit of snow added a atmosphere. Note the sign.

Roosevelt Attends Church as He Begins Tenth Year in Office

Observes Custom He Started on His First Inauguration Day

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By JOHN C. HENRY. Leading a Nation through its gravest crisis, President Roosevelt today invoked Divine guidance in his responsibility.

Fervently spoken amens followed special prayers offered for the Army, for the Navy and for the family of nations of the world.

Cabinet Members Present. Close by the Nation's Commander in Chief were Secretary of War Stimson and Secretary of Navy Knox as supplication was spoken to the God of Hosts to "stretch forth the hand of His mercy and aid us to strengthen and protect the soldiers of our country."

Nine Years Ago Today. It was nine years ago today, a bleak and gray March 4 that matched the temper of a depression-ridden people.

For America was "at war" then, fighting for the survival of its national health as unemployment and distrust of leadership left it vulnerable to imminent "invasion" by panic.

These and other attacks have brought home the President's responsibility in leading a peacefully inclined and not yet adequately prepared Nation to victory in history's greatest war—against powerful enemies both to the East and to the West, enemies that have the considerable advantage of better preparation and of material industrial successes.

War Effort Intensified. For nearly three months past, since December 7, there has been a speeding intensification of the effort to accomplish this task, even while the enemy successes were accumulating.

Willkie Speech, On, Then Off, Is Schoolboy Hoax

Pressure for Cabinet Shake-Up

As he begins his 10th year in the White House the President is faced to with renewed pressure for a shake-up in his official family.

On his 60th birthday anniversary, last January 30, his physician, Dr. Ross T. McIntire, pronounced him "physically fit, in good shape for the job ahead. On the alert."

Western Areas of Virginia, Maryland Dig Out of Snow

A March blizzard which struck Western Maryland and Virginia from Cumberland as far south as Bristol brought out hundreds of State highway employes today to dig out of snow drifts that were higher than in the last half century in some sections.

Church Dinner Set

The women of Walker's Chapel Methodist Church, Glebe and Dittmar roads, Arlington, are giving a dinner in the church basement from 5:30 p.m. to 8 p.m. tomorrow.

Weather Report

District of Columbia—Moderately cold with lowest temperature slightly below freezing tonight; diminishing winds.

Advertisement for Listerine Quick! featuring a woman's face and text: 'At the first sign of Irritation, Sneeze or Sniffle—GARGLE LISTERINE QUICK!'.

British Plan to Time Blows at Reich With Nazi Spring Drive

U. S.-Built Fighters and Dive-Bombers to Aid in Air Offensive

LONDON, March 4.—Sir Archibald Sinclair, Air Minister, declared today that the R. A. F. will synchronize hard blows at German industry and transport with the expected Nazi spring offensive in Russia and, aided by United States-built fighters and dive-bombers, will demonstrate superiority over the German air force "in the not distant future."

At the same time, he served notice that Britain would not allow "German production of tanks and tank engines, aero engines and lorries to go on unhindered merely because it is situated in occupied territory of France."

Last night's attack on industrial targets in the suburbs of Paris, in which he said some buildings were blown hundreds of feet into the air, represented no change of R. A. F. policy, he said.

For five months R. A. F. bombing has curtailed industrial work "in a wide area" about Lille in Northern France by as much as 50 per cent, the air minister told the House of Commons.

Britain's spring bombing offensive will be aided, he said, by new British Lancaster bombers, "the most powerful in the world" which are coming into service in "increasing numbers" and will be loaded soon with bombs of a greatly enlarged size and devastating power.

The R. A. F. and Royal Navy have virtually closed Dover Strait to enemy ships which formerly went through at a rate of 25 a month, he asserted.

Significantly, Sinclair asserted that the Germans in recent months had greatly reduced the percentage of dive-bombers in their air force because this type is only useful where air superiority already has been established.

Britain now is able to re-equip her tactical reconnaissance squadrons with new type aircraft described as the best of American fighter planes, declared Sinclair.

U. S. A. Sends Dive Bombers. He declared the United States also was going to send dive bombers to the R. A. F. and that a type "markedly superior" to the German Junkers 87 dive bombers will soon be available.

Sinclair asserted that the British intend to resume the bomber offensive against Germany "on the largest possible scale at the earliest possible moment."

Girl Flyer Tells of Evading Jap Plane at Pearl Harbor

Flying Instructor Was in Air When Raid Began

SAN FRANCISCO, March 4.—A girl from Nashville, over Honolulu in her training plane that Sunday the Japs came, was chased out of the sky by an invading plane.

She is blond, blue-eyed Miss Cornelia Fort, an aviation instructor, just returned from Hawaii.

"I was coming in for a landing and my student had the stick," she related.

"Then I saw this plane coming closer, in violation of the air traffic rules. I waited for it to give way for me and then I jerked the stick out of the student's hand and pulled the plane up."

"As I landed, the student—a man—said 'when am I going to solo?' 'Not today, brother!' I replied.

"I had seen the insignia on the Jap plane—the red suns along the fuselage. But I still couldn't believe it. Then I saw the smoke over Pearl Harbor and decided it was real."

As she ran the plane across the landing runway, the machine-gun strafing was thick in front of her.

"But still nobody on the ground would believe me, until a mechanic ran up and said Bob Tyce, the airport manager, had been killed."

Miss Fort will visit schoolmates here—they went to Sarah Lawrence College in Bronxville, N. Y.—before returning to her Nashville home, then she wants to get a job ferrying planes for the Army.

United Nations Hold Bulk of Known Wheat Surplus in World

1942 U. S. Crop Estimated At 100,000,000 Bushels In Excess of Needs

The United Nations hold about 1,271,000,000 bushels of the world's known wheat surplus of 1,524,000,000 bushels, the Agriculture Department reported today.

The remaining 253,000,000 bushels are held by a Western Hemisphere neutral, Argentina.

The United Nations surplus is about 210,000,000 bushels larger than a year ago.

The surplus, representing expected production losses in the 1942 crop starts moving to market, were divided as follows:

United States, 640,000,000 bushels; Canada, 486,000,000, and Australia, 145,000,000.

Due to war censorship, the department said, no figures were available on wheat supplies in Russia and China, areas of large production, or on the supply situation in German-dominated Europe, which normally imports grain for its food requirements. Japan is likewise a deficit.

The United States has prospects for a 1942 wheat crop of at least 100,000,000 bushels in excess of its requirements. Large quantities of American and Canadian wheat may be sent to Russia to help that nation meet production losses in the important Ukraine producing area now held by Germany.

The department said little was known about wheat crop prospects in Europe, except that seeding of winter wheat last fall was less extensive than intended due to unfavorable weather conditions. Efforts are being made, it said, by the European governments to expand spring wheat plantings.

Representative Vinson said his measure was presented as an aftermath to the Naval Committee's inquiry into defense contracts, and he referred in particular to a section of the report which declared that apparently the labor groups presented "an astounding picture of concentration of wealth."

C. A. B. Official Resigns. The Civil Aeronautics Board said yesterday that Edward S. Ridley had resigned as assistant director of the board's economic bureau to become executive vice president and director of Canadian Colonial Airways, Inc., Hong Kong.

Howe Totten Services To Be Held Tomorrow

Also Seen in Hong Kong About Two Weeks Ago

Howe Totten of Washington, who died Monday at his country home at Baldwin, Md. after a long illness, will be buried privately tomorrow in Rock Creek Cemetery.

Mr. Totten was born here in 1870, the son of Col. Enoch Totten, well-known attorney, and grandson of Timothy Otis Howe, Senator from Wisconsin and later Postmaster General under President Grant.

He was educated at Phillips Andover Academy and Harvard University, where he was graduated in 1893. He received his law degree from Georgetown University law school and practiced here for some years.

Mr. Totten is survived by his brother, Maj. Gen. Gerald H. Totten, U. S. A., retired, and three daughters, Mrs. Clayton E. Turney of New Rochelle, N. Y.; Mrs. H. B. Temple, Rio de Janeiro, and Mrs. George G. Merrill of Baldwin, and a son, Enoch, Fort Worth, Tex.

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Communications MacArthur's Planes Sink Japanese Ships

The text of War Department communication No. 133, disclosing developments up to 9:30 a.m. today, reads:

1. Philippine theater: In a sudden surprise attack, Gen. MacArthur's small air force swept over Subic Bay destroying several Japanese vessels. Among the enemy ships destroyed were one vessel of 10,000 tons, one of 8,000 tons and two motor launches of 100 tons each. In addition, many smaller craft were damaged. Large fires were started on the docks of Olongapo and Grande Island. These were followed by many heavy explosions among enemy stores.

There was practically no ground activity at Bataan. No. 2. There is nothing to report from other areas.

The text of Navy communication No. 51, issued last night, follows: Central Pacific: In the course of recent naval operations west of the Gilbert Islands, a task force of the Pacific Fleet consisting of an aircraft carrier, cruisers and destroyers, was attacked by 18 heavy bombers of the enemy operating in two groups of nine each.

These attacks occurred in the late afternoon and were timed about one-half hour apart.

The Japanese formations were closely and vigorously engaged by our carrier fighter planes and by anti-aircraft fire from the ships of our task force.

Only three enemy planes of the first formation reached their bomb release point over the aircraft carrier, which avoided all bomb hits by split-second maneuvering.

The leading bomber of this group attempted a crash landing on the carrier and was shot down by heavy close-range anti-aircraft fire which barely 100 yards from the objective.

In the second attack, only five bombers of the enemy formation reached the release point. In this instance the salvo of enemy bombs was closer to the carrier than in the first attack, but again no hits were obtained.

Sixteen of the 18 attacking enemy bombers were shot down in this action. There was no damage to our surface forces. Lt. (j.g.) Edward H. O'Hare, U. S. N. fighter pilot, personally accounted for six bombers of the enemy.

In the two attacks, only two of our fighter planes were lost. The pilot of one was recovered. The next of kin of the lost pilot has been notified. There is nothing to report from other areas.

Tax Levy Cut Announced By Calvert County Heads. PRINCE FREDERICK, Md., March 4.—The annual tax levy for Calvert County was announced today by the county commissioners as \$1.50 per \$100 of assessable value. The rate is a 5-cent decrease from last year. Total assessed valuation is \$6,850,798. County expenses will be an estimated \$111,561.97.

Congress in Brief TODAY. Senate: In recess. Banking Committee invites Donald M. Nelson to explain little-business plan. Foreign Relations Committee hears witnesses on China. House: Resumes consideration of agriculture appropriations. Ways and Means Committee considers measure to free Federal defense purchases from State and local sales taxes. Judiciary Committee studies bill to require registration and Government supervision of labor organizations, business and trade groups as a requirement for participating in Government contracts.

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House Tax Officials Favorable to Increase In Income Levies

General Sales Impost Urged by Some as 'More Painless' Plan

By The Associated Press.
The staggering income tax increases proposed by the Treasury for both individuals and corporations got an unexpectedly favorable reception today from House Ways and Means Committee members.

Secretary Morgenthau asked that Congress raise \$3,200,000,000 more in individual income taxes—with a doubling of payments in the middle brackets—and another \$3,060,000,000 from increased excess profits taxes and a new surtax on corporations.

With the committee in recess for a few days to digest the Treasury's proposals, members noted with foreboding that they contained recommendations over which they had wrangled before—such as compelling husbands and wives to file joint income tax returns and removing the present Federal tax exemption on interest from State and local obligations.

Newsprint Conservation Committee Is Named

NEW YORK, March 4.—The newspaper committee to study methods of newsprint conservation and elimination of waste, authorized as a general conference of publishers February 18, has been appointed by Walter M. Dear, Jersey City, and president of the American Newspaper Publishers' Association, as follows:

\$20,000 Damage Suit To Be Heard March 17

By Staff Correspondent of The Star.
ROCKVILLE, Md., March 4.—Hearings on a \$20,000 damage suit brought by Mrs. Marie Blanken, 25 of 4313 Fourth street N.W., against the county commissioners will begin March 17 in Circuit Court.

Denmark's Queen Helps American Wed Newswoman

By The Associated Press.
BERN, Switzerland, March 4.—Howard K. Smith, C. B. S. correspondent in Bern, and Benedicte Traber, Copenhagen newspaper woman, are married and credit Queen Alexandra of Denmark with aiding their romance.

Six Planes Shot Down in Day Sets Record for U. S. Pilots



Mrs. Selma O'Hare, mother of Lt. Edward H. O'Hare, Navy flyer who destroyed six Japanese bombers in action west of the Gilbert Islands, is shown proudly looking at a photograph of her son at her home in St. Louis last night. —A. P. Wirephoto.

By The Associated Press.
ST. LOUIS, March 4.—Lt. Edward H. O'Hare, credited in a Navy announcement last night with destroying six Japanese bombers in one day during offensive action with the Pacific Fleet, is the son of the late Edward J. O'Hare, nationally-known horse and dog track operator, who was mysteriously slain on a Chicago boulevard in 1939.

The flyer's mother, Mrs. Selma A. O'Hare, when advised at her home here of her son's feat, exclaimed: "I'm the proudest mother in the land. He always was crazy about airplanes."

Jap Drive Across Burma Slowed by Air Attacks

LONDON, March 4.—Sharp Allied air attacks have slowed the Japanese drive across Burma, a military commentator declared today. He said the Japanese were being held virtually at a standstill.

France's Poor Defenses Before War Linked to U. S.

By The Associated Press.
RIOM, Unoccupied France, March 4.—Former Air Minister Guy La Chambre declared today at the war guilt trials that inadequacy of United States aircraft production was one reason French defense efforts fell short.

He told the court trying him and four others on charges of responsibility for lack of preparation for the war that he and former Premier Edouard Daladier asked France's purchasing agent in the spring of 1938 whether American industry would be able to absorb the slack in French production.

"We learned," M. La Chambre said, "that it was no more possible in the United States than in France to improve production on the spur of the moment."

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Castillo's Party Trailing In Vote in Provinces

By The Associated Press.
BUENOS AIRES, March 4.—Acting President Castillo's hopes of gaining a clear majority in the Chamber of Deputies for his policy of "prudence" toward the Axis were chilled today as his Conservative party candidates in the provinces generally led in early returns in last Sunday's congressional elections, but trailed in the pivotal federal district.

Deputy Paul Damonte Taborda, head of the so-called Argentine "Dies Committee" and outspoken opponent of Castillo's foreign policy, apparently had been re-elected in the federal district, which includes Buenos Aires, and today, with the contents of 90 out of 1,934 district ballot boxes counted, the Conservatives were trailing both the Socialists and the Radicals.

Gen. Woodcock Made Provost Marshal

By The Associated Press.
BALTIMORE, March 4.—Transfer of Brig. Gen. Amos W. W. Woodcock from the 29th Division to 2d Corps area provost marshal with headquarters at Governors Island, N. Y., was announced yesterday.

Gen. Woodcock was made acting commander of the 29th Division when Maj. Gen. Milton A. Reckord was named 3rd Corps area commander. Maj. Gen. Leonard T. Gerow took over the division command Monday.

Daughters of Union Veterans Plan Party

Ellen Spencer Mussey Tent, No. 1, Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War, met Monday at 2015 Massachusetts avenue N.W., with Mrs. Anne V. Hausman presiding, in the absence of the president, Mrs. Mildred P. Poore.

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IN NEW POST—Lt. Col. Harry H. Vaughan (above), secretary to Senator Truman of Missouri before being called into active Army service, has been appointed executive officer of the 11th Field Artillery Regiment at the Field Artillery Replacement Center, Camp Roberts, Calif. — U. S. Army Photo.

Baltimore Utility Official To Get Lamme Medal

By The Associated Press.
NEW YORK, March 4.—The American Institute of Electrical Engineers announced today that the 1941 Lamme Medal has been awarded Forrest E. Ricketts, vice president of the Consolidated Gas, Electric Light & Power Co. of Baltimore.

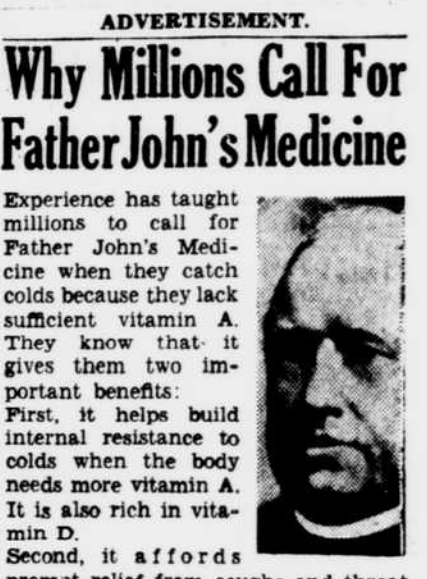
Long Parliament Recess Urged by Lady Astor

LONDON, March 4.—Virginia-born Lady Astor suggested today that members of Parliament—of which she is one—go home and let Prime Minister Churchill's new government get on with its war work.

"We have done what the country wanted—kept the Prime Minister and changed the government," Lady Astor said in a letter to the Times.

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Bill on Patent Law Practice in Virginia Up Today in House

Reaches Passing Stage; Rent-Control Area Measure Advances

By ALEXANDER R. PRESTON, Star Staff Correspondent.

RICHMOND, Va., March 4.—Legislation making it legal for several hundred patent attorneys and agents to practice in Richmond as they did in the District of Columbia prior to moving a branch of the United States Patent Office here, was scheduled for favorable action by the House of Delegates today.

A bill by Delegate Charles R. Fenwick and O. E. McCue, Jr., of Charlottesville, permitting such persons to practice patent law without being licensed attorneys at law by this State was advanced without objection to passing stage by the House.

Mr. McCue explained there are very few patent attorneys in Virginia who would benefit by the proposed law, but it would allow several hundred who live in Washington and Maryland to continue their practice in this State on payment of revenue license of \$15 annually. Virginia licensed attorneys would not be subject to additional fee.

Medley Bill Passed.

The Senate passed and sent to the House a bill by Senator William D. Medley of Arlington authorizing a deduction of \$500 from gross income for tax purposes by persons receiving pay for active service in the United States armed forces.

Delegate Robert J. McCandlish, Jr., of Fairfax County introduced a bill to clarify language and remove any doubt that the town of Falls Church can be assessed with a higher school levy than the remaining portion of Falls Church School District. This measure was introduced at the request of town officials as a result of legislation now pending to abolish the present separate school district of Falls Church and combine that area with the remaining portion of the Falls Church School District, which embraces the entire magisterial district.

The Fenwick bill authorizing the Governor to create rent control areas in the State and appoint commissioners to fix rent ceilings was referred to a subcommittee of the House General Laws Committee yesterday afternoon.

The legislation is designed to remove any doubt of the Governor's authority to control rent ceilings under powers granted by civilian defense legislation already passed by the General Assembly. Under Federal law, Price Administrator Leon Henderson can step in and control rents unless the State intervenes within 60 days after control areas are federally proclaimed.

The subcommittee is composed of Delegates Maurice D. Rosenberg of Alexandria, William M. Ferguson of Newport News and James N. Garrett of Portsmouth.

Firearms Bill to Subcommittee.

Also referred to a subcommittee of the General Laws Committee is the Rosenberg bill placing restrictions on the sale of firearms so as to require a permit and report to police between applications for and purchase of such weapons. Mr. Rosenberg said the bill was introduced at the request of Alexandria Police Chief Edgar Sims.

The House Counties, Cities and Towns Committee yesterday reported two McCandlish bills favorably. One permits Fairfax voters to determine one of three optional methods of selecting the County School Board and the other bill authorizes the Fairfax County Board of Supervisors to license trailer camps.

Salary Bill Reported.

The Senate Counties, City and Towns Committee reported the McCandlish bill authorizing a charge of building-permit fees for structures worth more than \$500 in Fairfax County. Another bill by Delegate Thomas B. Wolfe of Scott County, amended by Mr. McCandlish to permit the Fairfax County Board of Supervisors to receive salaries of from \$600 to \$2,200 each annually, was also reported.

Gov. Darden yesterday returned to the General Assembly for amendment the Fenwick bill authorizing banks receiving for deposit the funds of Arlington County to place securities with the State treasurer to insure such county deposits against loss. The bill provided that any suit against the State over the recovery of securities could be filed in the Circuit Court of the county, city or town where the county funds were deposited. Gov. Darden recommended that all such suits be brought in the Circuit Court of Richmond. The amendments were approved by both houses and the bill was returned to the Governor for his signature.

The Governor signed the Fenwick bill exempting deeds of trust filed on church properties from recordation taxes.

Fenwick Bill Killed.

By a vote of 68 to 21 the House killed a bill by Mr. Fenwick and Delegates Walter Scott and Ben Chapman of Roanoke prescribing extensive regulations for cleaning establishments which use petroleum solvents.

The Senate Finance Committee yesterday killed the bill by Senators Medley and G. E. Heller of Bedford to create a board for examination and licensing of plumbing, heating and air conditioning contractors.

The Senate Committee on Roads and Internal Navigation yesterday held a 2-hour hearing on the recommendations of the Fenwick commission for a revision of licensing motor vehicle carriers and trailer trucks.

Action on the legislation, which has already passed the House, was deferred until tomorrow afternoon. The Senate also passed and sent to the House the Medley bill designed to revise and conform the State Corporation Commission laws to an act of 1930 reorganizing that commission.

New Pastor at Indianhead

INDIANHEAD, Md., March 4.—The Rev. Lee A. Powell of Drexel, N. C., has arrived to become pastor of the Indianhead Baptist Church. He will have five Charles County churches under his charge. A native of North Carolina, Mr. Powell lived in Baltimore many years. He is a graduate of the Mars Hill Baptist College. He was pastor of the Drexel Baptist Church before coming here.

Star-P.-T. A. Salvage Program Nets 908,118 Pounds of Paper

Jefferson Junior High Leader Yesterday, With 7,287 Pounds

Yesterday's collection of paper in the public schools pushed the total so far received in The Evening Star-P.-T. A. Salvage for Victory program over the 900,000-pound mark. In fact the amount went four tons beyond that figure to 911,068 pounds.

The collections were paced by Jefferson Junior's 7,287 pounds and Randall Junior High School's 7,266 pounds. These large aggregates will net the Parent-Teacher Association of each school more than \$45 for the single day's collection.

The average tree used in the production of pulp will yield about 1,400 pounds of paper. That means that the newspapers and other paper taken to these schools yesterday represent more than 10 trees. Every 1,400 pounds of recycled paper used in the production of cardboard and similar products means that one tree which might otherwise have gone to that purpose is saved and all the labor involved in the cutting of the timber and the manufacture of the cardboard can be diverted to other essential war activities.

Much of the paper salvaged in Washington by school pupils is converted into cardboard within less than 48 hours and some cases within 24 hours of the time the paper is collected at the schools.

Despite yesterday's stormy weather almost 14 tons were turned in, which speaks well for the patriotism and loyalty of the students taking part in the collections.

Follow Russia's Example In War, Cripps Urges

By the Associated Press.

LONDON, March 4.—Sir Stafford Cripps, government leader in the House of Commons, appealed to the United Nations to follow the "all-out" example of Russia in the world fight against Nazism and Fascism in a broadcast speech to the United States today.

"We now are all Allies together to drive aggression and Fascism from the world," Sir Stafford declared. "After the victory let us remain in the same gallant company to rebuild a stricken world upon the foundations of justice and equality that will secure for us, for them and for all people of the world a happier, saner and more peaceful future."

He warned repeatedly that the Allies' recent heavy setbacks would be followed by further reverses, but insisted that "modern war, on the gigantic and farflung scale upon which it now is being waged, is not finally won or lost as the result of territorial gains here or there."

"It eventually will be won by the resources in manpower and material that can be mobilized behind one side or the other," said the former Ambassador to Moscow and new Lord Privy Seal in the war cabinet.

Short-Circuited Sirens Wail False Raid Alarm

By the Associated Press.

LOS ANGELES, March 4.—Air raid sirens roused most of downtown Los Angeles' residents early today and kept them awake through 35 minutes of shrieking, but there wasn't any raid.

A civil defense official said the trouble evidently was a short circuit in the elaborate automatic system which turns on downtown sirens.

The Army's raid warning service was kept busy denying that even an alert had been ordered.

Woman Fatally Injured In Virginia Auto Crash

Mrs. Lois Sudwarth, 31, of 229 O street S.W., a Navy Yard employe, died in Alexandria Hospital last night from injuries suffered in an accident on highway No. 1 near Woodbridge, Va.

The car, owned by John G. Council, 35, of Alexandria, skidded off the road and crashed into an embankment. Mrs. Sudwarth was taken to the hospital by Hall's ambulance from Occoquan suffering from a crushed chest. Mr. Council escaped with cuts and bruises. Dr. John A. Sims, Alexandria coroner, was to hold an inquest today.

Arlington Man Stabbed; Condition Is Serious

Howell S. Kopp, 44, of Arlington, was in a serious condition today in Casualty Hospital from a stab wound in the chest which he told police was inflicted by a 52-year-old woman.

Mr. Kopp was taken to the hospital yesterday from a house in the 800 block of Fifth street N.E. The woman, who denied stabbing him, was held at the Woman's Bureau.

Paper Collection For Tomorrow

The following is the schedule for the collection of newspapers, cardboard and magazines in The Evening Star-P.-T. A. Salvage for Victory program in the fourth district, together with the five leaders in the district and their poundage to date:

Lafayette	21,645
Hearst	16,981
Mann	15,804
Gordon	15,321
Westbrook	15,001
Oyster	Curtis-Hyde.
Eaton	Wormely.
Murch	Corcoran.
E. V. Brown	Montgomery.
Deal	Phillips.
Wilson	Grant.
Janney	Bethesda.
Key	East Bethesda.
Stoddert	Leland.
Fillmore	Somerset.
Jackson	Chevy Chase.
Western	Our Lady of Lourdes.
Hardy	

California Upholds Ban On Picketing When Violent

By the Associated Press.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 4.—An injunction against all picketing in labor disputes where violence has been recurrent was upheld yesterday by the California State Supreme Court in a 4-to-3 decision.

A minority opinion held the court's action would tend to result in a ban on all picketing in California.

The opinion came in an action of the Elm Oil Co. of Long Beach against the Oil Workers' International Union, C. I. O. The high court upheld part of a Los Angeles Superior Court injunction, including an order against all picketing by the oil workers against the company.

"Where past picketing has become so irrevocably blended with acts of violence, physical intimidation, or other unlawful conduct as to give rise to a justifiable belief that future picketing is likely to result in a continuance of the illegal act," the majority held, "an injunction restraining a labor organization from any and all picketing lies within the equitable power of the court and does not constitute an infringement of the right of free speech."

Arlington Lists Arrests

The Arlington County Police Department made 317 arrests during February, with 220 for traffic offenses and 97 on other charges, Chief of Police Harry L. Woodyard announced yesterday.

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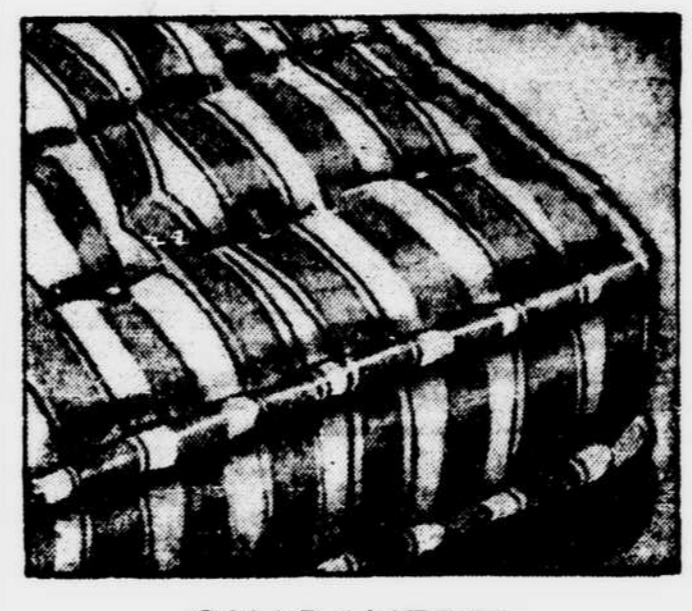
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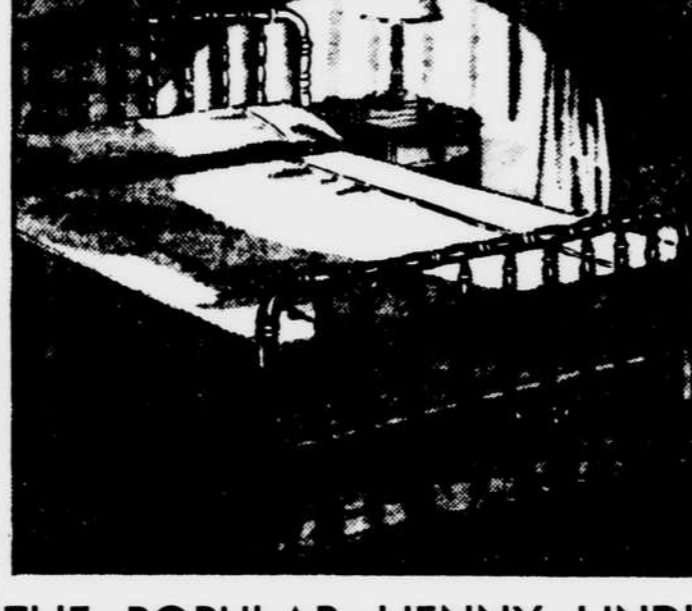
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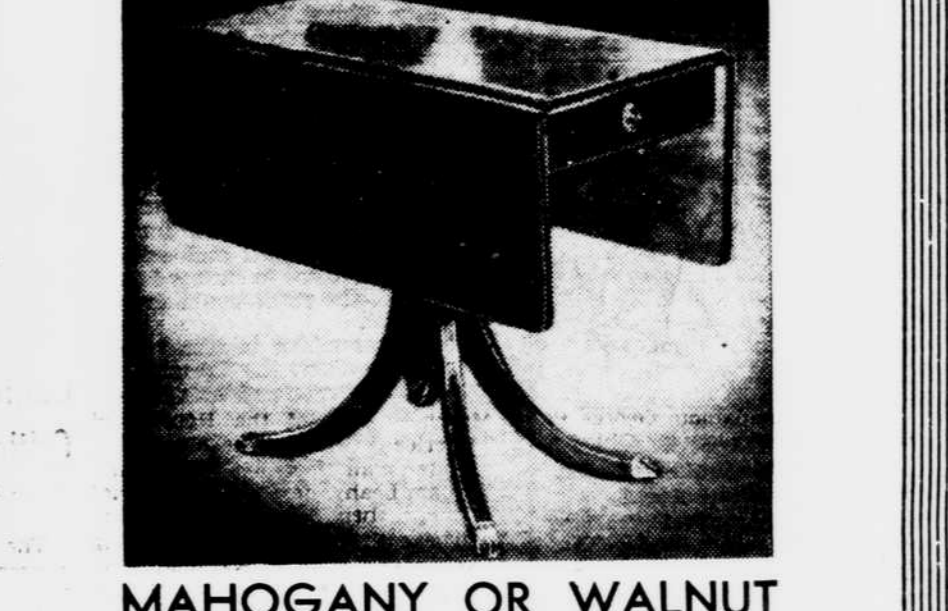
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Crew of Jacob Jones Drank Hot Coffee as Ship Was Sinking

11 Survivors Remained Adrift Four Hours Before Being Picked Up

By the Associated Press.
CAPE MAY, N. J., March 4.—They were a very orderly bunch, those sailors on the Jacob Jones.

Their destroyer's bow was demolished by the first torpedo from an Axis submarine; the stern was blown to bits by depth bombs set off by the second, but the men midship prepared for the ordeal of the cold Atlantic by donning three suits of heavy underwear and drinking hot coffee from soup ladles before abandoning the United States warship Saturday morning off Cape May.

"We had good sailors on the Jackie," said Joseph Paul Tidwell, 22, of Tuscaloosa, Ala., one of the 11 survivors of the ship which may have had as many as 145 officers and men.

The water was 38 degrees and plenty cold, Richard Dors, 25, of Brockton, Mass., recalled as he and other survivors related the story of the sinking under supervision of naval officers at the Naval Air Base yesterday.

Adrift for Four Hours.
Dors said they were at sea four hours before they were picked up by a Virginian, John Merget, 26, of Norfolk, told him he was at the throttle in the main engine room when a heavy explosion was followed shortly by another.

"I lost steam pressure on the engines right away," he added. "The lights went out and then I shut the throttle. The ladder was right by me. I scooted up topside, discovered I didn't have my life jacket and ran back after it."

"I jumped in the water and swam as hard as I could. I stayed about 75 feet away from the ship, sank and another big explosion took place. . . . Eventually I got on the same raft with Tidwell. I could see two other rafts from where I was at the time I got on."

Another survivor, Thomas Ryan Moody, 22, of Franklin, Ky., told how he tried to launch a lifeboat, but found part of the equipment had been blown away.

"So we went back into the boat to get some coffee," he added. "I wasn't going out in that cold water without getting something warm in my stomach."

Donned Heavy Underwear.
There wasn't a cup around, nor any cream or milk, but he did find some sugar and a soup ladle. Three other sailors were with him.

"It sure hit the spot."

A door was blown off a locker room and there Moody found heavy underwear and donned three suits. Other fellows followed suit.

"That's a nice thing about the Navy," Moody smiled. "you get plenty of heavy underwear."

A coffee companion, George Pantall, 22, of Struthers, Ohio, said "Moody dished 'em out and we put 'em on."

The other survivors, all enlisted men, were Louis Hollenbeck, 26, Alton, N. Y.; Albert O'Leary, 23, Proctor, Vt.; John Struthers, 17, Trenton, N. J.; Russell Jacobsen, 40, Eastport, Md.; and Woodrow Albert Roussel, Boston, and Adolph Ring Storm, believed to be from Bridgeport, Conn., the latter two hospitalized.

Eleven members of the crew died while fighting the sea. The others on the Jacob Jones evidently were killed in the explosions. Among them presumably was the ship's captain, Lt. Comdr. Hugh David Black of Oradell, N. J.

Washingtonian Missing In Jacob Jones Torpedoing

Relatives of Frank A. Burth, 29, of 59 T street N.E., pharmacist's mate (first class), reported today they had been notified he is among missing members of the crew of the destroyer Jacob Jones, torpedoed by a submarine off New Jersey last Saturday.

His wife, Mrs. Elizabeth Snively Burth, now is at the home of his father at Utica, N. Y. She went there last month to meet him after he had landed at Boston.

A native of Utica, Mr. Burth had been in the Navy since he was 16 years old. He was ordered to Washington in 1935 and was on duty at the Navy Department for three years immediately following.

Besides his wife, his relatives here include a sister-in-law, Mrs. William Rigby, 59 T street N.E.

Man Held for Grand Jury in Assault on Howard Dean

NASHVILLE, Tenn., March 4.—R. D. Fessey, former Davidson County deputy sheriff, charged with assault and battery in connection with an attack on a colored lawyer last week, yesterday waived a General Sessions Court hearing and was bound over to the grand jury under \$100 bond.

The charges were placed against Mr. Fessey after a brief encounter with Leon A. Ransom, dean of the Howard University School of Law in Washington, in the courthouse corridors last week. Mr. Ransom charged Mr. Fessey struck him with out warning, knocking his glasses from his face.

The incident occurred during a hearing in which Mr. Ransom was participating as counsel.

Italians Report Own Subs Operating Off U. S. Coast

ROME (From Italian Broadcasts), March 4.—The Italian high command reported today that Italian submarines operating off the coast of the United States have sunk merchant shipping totaling 27,204 tons.

This was Rome's first official claim that its submarines are operating off the United States coast. While a large number of ships have been sunk by undersea raiders in the Western Atlantic, they were believed to have been German U-boats. Nazi communicators of U-boat operations in the Atlantic have made no mention of Italian submarines.



CAPE MAY, N. J.—JACOB JONES SURVIVORS LANDED—Nine of the 11 survivors of the destroyer Jacob Jones are shown after they had landed here last Saturday. The ship was sunk by torpedoes, the Navy announced yesterday. Left to right, front row: Joseph P. Tidwell, Richard Dors, George Pantall and John Struthers. Back row: Thomas R. Moody, John Merget, Albert O'Leary, Russell Jacobsen and Louis Hollenbeck. —A. P. Wirephoto.

Songfest

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toga. "My Dear Miss Aldrich," "Manproof," "Girly of the Golden West," "Shopworn Angel," "Too Hot to Handle," "Society Lawyer" and "Stronger Than Desire."

Mr. Pidgeon's selection as master of ceremonies completed arrangements for the songfest, expected to be the greatest mass singing festival since last summer's Water Gate program that attracted 30,000 persons. Other stars who will be on hand are: Irving Berlin, famous composer, whose songs will high light tonight's selections, and Barry Wood, baritone of radio's "Hit Parade," who popularized several of Mr. Berlin's compositions.

Thirty-eight songs, many of them old favorites which were acclaimed at last summer's event, have been chosen for the mass singing. Preparing for this part of the program, Miss Monroe has spent the last two days in rehearsal with the Army, Navy and Marine Bands, which will furnish the music for tonight.

Parade of the Colors.
The program will open with a parade of the colors by the color guards from the Army, Navy and Marine Corps. After this will come a 10-minute concert by the Army Band, led by Warrant Officer K. Hubner, in which "The U. S. Army March," "Man of the Hour" and "Americans We" will be played. A minute man from the Treasury, William Leahy, next will give a brief talk and then Lt. Charles Brendler will lead the Navy Band in playing "Anchors Aweigh," "National Emblem March" and "The Stars and Stripes Forever."

Following another Treasury talk, this time by Guilford S. Jameson, the Marine Band, led by Capt. William F. Santolucito, will play "Semper Fidelis," "The Regiment" and "Song of the Marching Men." This concert will be followed by the community singing.

Bands to Play Anthem.
The first song on the songfest program will be "God Bless America." It will be sung and conducted by Mr. Berlin, its composer.

After an intermission, Barry Wood will sing "Any Bonds Today," the song he popularized through the Treasury's defense broadcasts. Next will come another brief Treasury talk by Preston B. Kavanagh.

As the final item on the evening's program the three service bands will combine their approximately 250 pieces in a mass playing of "The Star Spangled Banner."

Russia

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Russian artillery batteries, dispatches from the front said.

Adherence to the Russian theory of close co-operation between infantry and artillery was urged by the army newspaper Red Star on reserve armies now moving into battle. Red Star warned that the Germans were moving up additional tanks and fighting stubbornly.

Nests Reported Annihilated.
The information bureau said Soviet units encircled and annihilated "nests of resistance on several sectors of the front" yesterday and advanced.

In addition, dispatches told of a parachute raid behind the German lines in an unidentified zone. Red Army aerial specialists were said to have slain 111 Germans in one town, wrecked trains and torn down telephone and telegraph wires used by the invaders.

French wine, Norwegian canned goods and Bulgarian cigarettes were among German supplies seized by the parachutists, the dispatches said.

Heavy requisitioning of food and winter equipment from occupied and allied nations has marked Adolf Hitler's campaign.

Nazi Claim Annihilation of Red Forces in Crimea

BERLIN (From German Broadcasts), March 4 (P)—The German high command today reported annihilation of Russian forces attempting to break through the Nazi siege lines on the Sevastopol front in the Crimea.

The Nazi communique claimed "heavy losses" were inflicted on the Soviet troops in this sector; that 940 prisoners were taken and that 16 tanks and large numbers of machine guns and mortars were seized.

The Red Army was acknowledged to have repeated its attacks in the Donets Basin, where German Alpine troops, supported by tanks and aircraft, were said to have beaten off a Russian cavalry corps.

Russian attacks also were launched in the central and northern sectors, but "without success," the Nazi high command said. It asserted the Russians lost 75 tanks in all on March 2 and 3.

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Lady MacRobert Buys R. A. F. Four Fighter Planes

LONDON, March 4.—American-born Lady MacRobert, who gave \$100,000 for the purchase of a Sterling bomber last August, gave another \$80,000 yesterday for four fighters, two of them to be named after two sons lost in the R. A. F.

A third plane will be named after another son and the fourth "MacRobert's Salute to Russia," which, she explained, was to let the Russians know "that we are with them to the very end."

The Sterling bomber already bears the name "MacRobert's Reply." The Air Ministry announced yesterday that it went into action last September and has participated in raids on Stettin, Nuremberg, Hamburg, Bremen, Wilhelmshaven, Cologne, Muenster and Brest. It was damaged on some of its trips, but kept going.

Lady MacRobert, wife of a Scottish peer, is a native of Worcester, Mass., the only daughter of the late Dr. William Hunter Workman, noted Himalayan explorer.

Church-State Row Grows Critical in Norway

STOCKHOLM, Sweden, March 4.—The conflict between Norwegian church authorities and the state-sponsored Quisling administration has become critical, dispatches from Oslo said today. Observers expected the Germans themselves to intervene.

German occupation officials have tried to avoid a split in the church, it was said, but now about 600 of Norway's 680 clergymen have lined up with the six Norwegian bishops who resigned recently in a dispute with Ragnar Skanke, Quisling church and education minister who told the bishops that the state was the highest authority in the question of baptism.

Several thousand Norwegian school teachers also were reported unwilling to knuckle down to Quisling-inspired ideas of education in Norway.

Observers said a solution to the school problem had to be found before Easter when the schools reopen.

Inspector General Quits His Post With R. A. F.

LONDON, March 4.—The Air Ministry yesterday announced the retirement March 1 of Air Chief Marshal Sir Arthur Longmore, inspector general of the Royal Air Force.

It said the 57-year-old officer retired at his own request "in order to accelerate promotion of younger officers."

His aviation career began in 1911, when he was one of the first four British naval officers to learn to fly.

He was air officer commanding in the Near East from May, 1940, until last July, when he became inspector general. Prime Minister Churchill once recalled in the House of Commons that Sir Arthur piloted him on flights before the last war.

Java

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recalled in a seemingly powerful counterattack.

Having first held the Japanese to a standstill everywhere since Sunday, the first full day of the invasion, the Dutch and their Allies were disclosed since to have pushed the enemy back 7 miles in an offensive aimed at sweeping them into the sea.

If this were accomplished before the invaders could reorganize their battered convoys and move back to Java's shores with a second big expedition, they would lose a shock force gauged at from 60,000 to 80,000 first-line troops and 30 ships sunk or knocked out of action. And they still would have to start over again from scratch.

Some regarded the success against the Japanese beachheads as only a respite, possibly only a brief delay in action before the Japanese could build up overwhelming power, unless reinforcements—particularly planes—arrived quickly.

Japan Reports Units West of Soerabaja

TOKIO (From Japanese Broadcasts), March 4 (P)—Mechanized units of the Japanese Army reached a point west of Soerabaja, main naval base of Java, this morning and there clashed with "Allied forces trying desperately to halt the Japanese onslaught," a correspondent of the newspaper Asahi reported today.

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Pacific

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the task force had come within striking distance of a Japanese base, for the heavy bombers that attacked were land-based aircraft that cannot operate from carriers.

The Navy was silent on the subject, but the task force evidently was carrying out a reconnaissance in some force with orders to inflict the maximum punishment on any enemy forces encountered.

Admiral Ernest King, commander in chief of the fleet, intimated Monday that such operations could be expected to increase, for he promised that the Nation's naval forces would "take and make every opportunity to harass and damage the enemy," preliminary to an eventual grand offensive when the time is ripe.

Young Pilot Is Hero

The story of the attack revealed the name of a new American aviator hero, Lt. (j. g.) Edward H. O'Hare, who personally downed six Japanese bombers. The 27-year-old St. Louisan's feat was the highest single bag and a record for the war, the Navy said.

Lt. O'Hare, a Naval Academy graduate of 1937, is the son of Edward J. O'Hare, wealthy dog and race track operator who was murdered by gangsters in Chicago in 1939.

The member-of-fact language of the Navy's communique gave a stirring picture of the drama and danger of the attack.

"In the course of recent naval operations west of the Gilbert Islands," said the report, "a task force of the Pacific Fleet consisting of an aircraft carrier, cruisers and destroyers, was attacked by 18 heavy bombers of the enemy operating in two groups of nine each. . . .

Sixteen of the 18 attacking enemy bombers were shot down in this action. There was no damage to our surface forces. Lt. (j. g.) Edward H. O'Hare, United States Navy fighter pilot, personally accounted for six bombers of the enemy.

"In the air attacks, only two of our fighter planes were lost. The pilot of one was recovered."

Besides the harassment and damage such task force sweeps cause to the enemy, they represent a constant threat that pins down sizable Japanese forces on the sea and air—in the mandate island area covering thousands of miles of ocean.

Interred Jap Diplomats Expected to Be Moved

Japanese diplomatic and consular officials now interned at Hot Springs, Va., may be moved to another location, it was authoritatively learned today.

State Department officials would not comment, but it was understood that the resort hotels to which Axis diplomats were taken in December were given to understand that the officials would be on their way home before the opening of the spring season.

The new place of internment for the Japanese has not yet been definitely selected, informed sources said. Whether the Germans, Italians, Hungarians, Rumanians and Bulgarians, now interned at White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., also will be moved soon was not said.

An agreement for the exchange of Axis officials held in this country for American diplomatic and consular personnel held in enemy countries was reached a month ago, but some details still remain to be worked out.

Darwin Is Raided Again By Japanese Planes

SYDNEY, Australia, March 4.—The Japanese have carried out another raid on Darwin, on the north coast of Australia. Prime Minister John Curtin announced today.

An air communique said the raiders were enemy naval fighter planes and acknowledged some damage but no casualties.

It said the water-front and R. A. A. P. installations were machine-gunned in the early afternoon.

The new raid on the harbor, of potential prime importance to the United Nations fleet in the Pacific, followed two enemy air assaults yesterday on the Australian mainland.

At Broome, 700 miles down the western coast from Darwin, an R. A. A. P. communique said, the Japanese inflicted some casualties. The raiders, it said, were fighters equipped for long-range flights with extra, detachable fuel tanks, and one was shot down.

There were no casualties at Wyndham, 400 miles down the west coast from Darwin, which also was raided.

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Paris Raid May Mark End of Allied Efforts To Bar Vichy-Axis Tie

'Much Damage' Was Done In Industrial Plants, London Declares

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bombers to cross the French coast and approach Paris undetected, and predicted that bombing of the result plant would be duplicated in other attacks on industrial areas in Northern France.

The German radio, meanwhile, reported that the British planes had showered large quantities of leaflets over Paris during the attack. The Nazi-controlled Paris radio was off the air during its regular 1 p.m. (8 a.m. E. W. T.) news period.

'Highly Successful' Raid.
Sinclair said the commander in chief labeled the operation "highly successful," and added:

"A large part of the works was set on fire and the Selside A number of our heaviest bombs fell on the island and on other parts of the target, bursting with shattering effect. Buildings collapsed like packs of cards."

He said the returning pilots described how some buildings "came up at them hundreds of feet into the air. Only two of the raiding planes were lost and casualties were light, he added.

Sinclair said Britain could not allow "German production of tanks, tank engines, airplane engines and torries to go unhindered in the cause it is situated in the occupied territory of France." Earlier it had been stated unofficially that the bombed plants were turning out 40-man "invasion planes" destined to be used in the eventual all-out attack on Britain.

The British government, on the other hand, expressed through an authorized source its "sincere hope" that many French lives had been saved by B. C. warnings broadcast in French that targets in the Paris area might be attacked at any time.

That advance warning, which passed without much notice when it was given, and last night's attack indicated to some observers that Britain intends to strike at German supply sources in France regardless of the possible political consequences.

One informed source added that "perhaps reports of increased French collaboration with Germany have changed the whole Allied attitude toward Vichy."

Ex-Civil Service Worker Killed in R. C. A. F. Action

News of the death in England of Sgt. Elden E. Eves, 27, first of the approximately 200 Civil Service Commission employees now in the armed services to be killed, was received here today.

Sgt. Eves, according to the information, was killed in action with the Royal Canadian Air Force January 21. He will be buried in England.

A native of Syracuse, N. Y., he came to Washington in 1939 and began employment with the Civil Service Commission October 7, 1940. He later was appointed junior file clerk.

Sgt. Eves resigned from the commission December 12, 1940, and went to Ontario, where he received his training with the Canadian Air Force. He had flown for several years before that time and is said to have been a licensed pilot. Acquaintances in Washington recalled that he had attempted to enter the Army Air Corps, but had been rejected because of lack of college credits.

Bullets, Not Tax Boosts, Vital, Knudsen Declares

DES MOINES, Iowa, March 4.—Lt. Gen. William S. Knudsen yesterday termed taxes "just the chips in the great game of production."

Asked for a press conference what he thought of Secretary Morgenthau's proposal to levy sharply higher Federal taxes, he responded: "What difference do taxes make now? You can't shoot with taxes. We need bullets. Let's get the bullets."

Gen. Knudsen, special Army production expediter, inspected the Des Moines ordnance plant.

The general declared shelving of the 40-hour week is unnecessary "so long as we have sufficient man power to operate swing shifts."

While the labor supply is growing shorter, he said, not all the extra workers as yet have been absorbed in industry.

Phone Charge Hearings Are Set for April 1

The Federal Communications Commission today set April 1 for beginning of hearings on the reasonable-amount charges made by hotels, apartment houses and clubs in this city for use of telephone equipment.

The hearings will be conducted in the offices of the commission in the new Post Office Building before commissioners Paul A. Walker and Robert W. Wakefield. They have been designated by the full commission as a committee to consider the charges.

Taxpayer Loses Watch

PHILADELPHIA (P).—Edward Cavanaugh was mighty mad after he paid his income tax, but it had nothing to do with Uncle Sam. Some one in the huge crowd jamming the tax office lifted his \$55 gold watch.

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Lower California Guard Reinforced by Mexico

By the Associated Press.
ENSENADA, Mexico, March 4.—Mexico is moving important reinforcements to army, navy and aerial detachments already guarding Lower California against any Axis operation aimed at the United States. Commodore Roberto Gomez Maqueo said last night.

(At the same time it was announced in Mexico City that headquarters of the Pacific defense zone, commanded by Gen. Lazaro Cardenas, would be transferred March 15-20 from Mexicali, a border city of Lower California, to Mazatlan, Sinaloa port 650 miles southeast of Mexicali and near the tip of the strategic peninsula.)

Commodore Gomez Maqueo, assistant chief of staff of the defense zone, said Mexican forces had expelled all enemy aliens from the Lower California area and established vigilance over potential landing sites for Axis planes and ships.

"These reinforcements," he said, "details of which cannot be divulged, will be an additional guarantee that we can and intend to discharge our responsibilities under our Pan-American commitments and under the policy of collaboration with the United States outlined by President Avila Camacho."

Strict Rubber Control Decried in Argentina

By the Associated Press.
BUENOS AIRES, March 4.—A government decree yesterday established strict control over the rubber industry under threat of expropriating available supplies if necessary.

The decree restricts manufacture to tires, tubes, shoes, medical supplies and articles indispensable to industry. Informed sources predicted rationing later.

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Wedding Plans Save Jacob Jones Officer

By the Associated Press.
WESTERLY, R. I., March 4.—Wedding plans caused Ensign Daniel F. Larkin, jr., U. S. N. R., of Westerly to leave the destroyer Jacob Jones last Thursday, just two days before the ship was torpedoed and sunk.

Ensign Larkin was married yesterday afternoon at Hewlett, Long Island, to Miss Judith Freeman of Montpelier, Vt. They canceled a wedding reception, which had been planned after the ceremony.

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Landis Predicts More Blackouts, Officials Laud 10-Hour Test

Inclusion of Government Buildings in Practice Urged by McCarran

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National Office of Civilian Defense director, last night, that future blackout practices would be held here to determine how quickly a blackout can be effected and how successfully normal activities can be continued under blackout conditions.

No Control Over U. S. Buildings. Of the Federal buildings which marked the perfect score made by residents of the Metropolitan Area last night, Col. Lemuel Bolles, executive of District defense, said today District authorities have "no control" over lighting in Federal buildings.

The exact duration of the blackout with noise-making devices has not yet been determined, but it would mean a much more nearly total blackout than was effected last night when traffic was allowed to move normally down lighted streets. Traffic would be halted until the "all clear" was given.

At the same time, Col. Bolles released a telegram from Col. Augustine S. Janeway, acting director of the 3rd Corps area, with headquarters in Baltimore, requesting action by local authorities for an immediate blackout until further notice of all lighting which cannot be extinguished on a moment's notice.

Col. Bolles said he would place the question before the War Relocation Authority for action at the earliest moment. In his telegram, Col. Janeway said he had been asked by Dean Landis to get in touch with State Councils of defense at once "requesting them to take steps to insure immediate blackout until further notice of all lighting which cannot be capable of being put out at a moment's notice."

No Warrants Sought. Reflecting the success of last night's blackout, officials reported today that no warrants had been sought for prosecution of flagrant violators of the blackout regulations. During his 27-mile tour of inspection last night, Defense Co-ordinator Young asked several wardens whether residents were merely putting out lights or had made blackout preparations.

A survey today confirmed wardens' opinions that people actually had prepared for the blackout, although many of them used temporary expedients that would not be satisfactory for continuous blackouts. Only one family checked had made no preparations and was sitting in the lamp, while waiting a neighbor who was ready with old Army blankets and dim lights.

Several families found the dim lights they had used were insufficient for reading and one family which had limited its preparations to a towel over one lamp, had at the same time preparing medicine for a child who was taken ill during the night. All of them talked about the more extensive preparations they would make "next time."

Some Power Loss Seen. Officials at the Potomac Electric Power Co. had not yet been able to compute the difference between the amount of electric power used in the District during last night's all-night blackout and that which normally would have been used, to estimate what portion of the city's residents had merely turned out their lights and past their lights on.

It was believed there may have been some power loss, inasmuch as the company's generating machinery cannot be decelerated or accelerated quickly without damage in event of a change in the power demand. The company did reduce its output to a degree last night in preparation for the blackout, officials said, but equipment was kept operating at a speed to insure sufficient supply of electricity for any demand.

Federal Buildings Exempt. Federal buildings were exempted from last night's blackout, and the promised efforts to cooperate in observing the blackout as far as possible failed to materialize in several instances, several of the officials on the tour of inspection noted.

Chairman McCarran of the Senate District Committee, who made the tour with Defense Co-ordinator Young and Dean Landis, wanted to know if it would not be the policy of Federal buildings to blackout.



PITTSBURGH—An 18-inch snowfall, the heaviest in Pittsburgh's history, yesterday caused this snow-burdened power pole to collapse on the railroad tracks. Workmen with saws and axes removed it. The snowfall was blamed for four deaths, paralyzed traffic and hampered production of many steel mills and other factories busy on defense work.

Charles Kutz, who toured Arlington and Alexandria, Va., with Gen. L. D. Gasser, chief of the O. C. D. training section; Assistant Engineer Commissioner Beverly C. Snow and Maj. Gen. Walter L. Reed, inspector general for this area, also noted just one light.

Suppl. of Police Edward Kelly reported that up to 11 p.m. there had not been a single purse-snatching or other crime. Commissioner Young stopped several times to question wardens patrolling the streets. Through the night, 30,000 men were on duty in shifts, sometimes patrolling in pairs.

Lights Show at British Embassy. Along Massachusetts avenue—Embassy row—only one office of a foreign government showed lights—the British Embassy, where chinks of light gleamed around insufficient shades.

At the home of a countess nearby, a warden sent a butler scurrying to draw blackout curtains across a top-floor window. Though many of the wardens were relieved at frequent intervals, some of them had arduous shifts. One of them planned to stay on all night because his fellow wardens were out of town and another's schedule called for him to remain on from 2 a.m. to 11 p.m. and again from 2 p.m. to 4 a.m.

A woman was reported by her building warden for refusing to comply with the order but, Commissioner Young, who heard the story from the warden while touring Georgia avenue, commented, "She'll do it next time when she sees what others are doing."

Operation Performed. An emergency operation was performed during the blackout when Dr. J. Lloyd Collins removed the appendix of James Goldberg, 8, of 5181 Fulton street N.W. The operation took place at 8:30 p.m., a half hour after most of the city withdrew behind dark curtains. Inside the hospital, however, the lights did not go out.

The blackout produced at least one casualty. While attempting to remove an electric light bulb from the front room of his home at 4107 W. street N.W., Zeno McDowell, 48, colored, lost his balance and fell, striking a radiator. He was admitted to Emergency Hospital with a lacerated scalp, a fractured left leg and a fractured right wrist. Stores, restaurants, night clubs and theaters managed such perfect blackouts that only by signs or by occasional light was there any indication that they were open for business.

Despite the capacity crowd gathered at Constitution Hall to hear the Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra, there was little indication under the hall of the activity within. Red lights burned dimly under the marquees and two blue lights gave faint illumination at the Eighteenth street entrance.

As an experiment, one chain of restaurant's extinguished all the lights in its restaurants at 8 p.m. while employees hustled to put the blackout materials in place. The diners were only in darkness for a minute or two, the management said.

Some stores closed at 8 p.m., including almost every liquor store in the Northeast section. The hotels were particularly cited by Commissioner Young for their efforts to comply with the order. At the Mayflower Hotel, black shades were placed over the revolving entrance doors and the inner lights were shaded to give the hotel complete external darkness.

Union Station Ablaze. Although hotels surrounding Union Station were dark, the station itself took the full measure of its exemption from the order. Lights gleamed from almost every window of the station.

Isolated Failures. So few lights were observed that they drew special comment from the inspectors. Commissioner Guy Mason, who toured Southwest Washington, said he had noted one light in a residence, another in the back of a store. Engineer Commissioner

warden commented that with the Richmond highway blocked out, Fort Belvoir "stands out like a sore thumb."

Port Belvoir was exempted from the order, but the Naval Hospital and the National Institute of Health on the Rockville pike just outside of Bethesda, which was also exempted, were shrouded in darkness. With 1,500 air-raid wardens and 217 auxiliary police on duty, J. Robert Sherwood, chairman of the Prince Georges County Civilian Defense Council, pronounced the practice blackout "a 100 per cent success."

Chief Air-raid Warden E. F. Zaleski objected to "too many exceptions" contending that some plants in the area which could have blacked out did not do so because of their defense status.

Montgomery County had approximately 2,500 wardens on the street with a skeleton force operating after midnight and 180 auxiliary police patrolled the county with the regular night police force.

Col. Bolles reported that all the nearby counties had notified him of perfect or almost perfect compliance with the blackout regulations and no arrests were made for flagrant violations. Wardens patrolling Rockville reported only one instance of inadequate light screening and this was quickly remedied.

Practical Experience. And then there were the wardens and auxiliary policemen, the civilian defense army getting its first taste of an all-night blackout. Sometimes they walked alone, sometimes in pairs, sometimes neighbors joined them.

They were a cheerful lot. They knew their business. One of them would shout, "Hey, Mrs. Jones, how about that light?" and Mrs. Jones would wave and grin good-naturedly and that bit of the street would be dark, too.

Warden Takes Double Shift. Another warden took a double shift so his neighbor could go to the symphony concert. "Oh, bless my soul," replied the "surprised" landlady, "I ain't turned it on yet, have I?"

A man tenant at another establishment was lirked at his landlady for a slightly different reason. He said he purchased blackout curtains of the best material for his room. He prepared for a long stay. He bought beer, sandwiches and the latest magazines.

Then, when I got home," he told Mr. Stofberg disgustedly, "that so-and-so landlady had pulled the main switch on me!"

Charles Stofberg of the rent office called the woman to tell her she had no right to cut down on tenants' services, blackout or no blackout. Anyway, he thought it was about time the electric current was turned on.

Distrcit Court Refuses Extradition Request. In a District Court extradition hearing Justice James M. Proctor today refused to turn over Frank Coffey, who is in the trucking business here, to authorities of High Hill, Va., near Charlottesville, to face a charge of stealing a prize "coon dog."

Evidence was introduced to show Mr. Coffey was in Washington last June 5, the day the dog allegedly was stolen.

Vioreck. Ralph Goldsmith, chairman, praised the workers for their efforts to obtain funds to operate the five clubs and summer camps sponsored by the organization. It was announced a team composed of members of the Washington Redskins and headed by Club Owner George Preston Marshall will help to raise additional funds.

Only one defense witness had been heard at any length—Mrs. Norma Ward Lundeen, widow of the Farmer-Laborite Senator from Minnesota. She was on the stand for hours, and gave testimony intended to impeach statements by several Government witnesses.

The Government contends that Vioreck listed himself with the State Department only as an "author and editor" employed by German interests and did not set forth in required supplementary statements his alleged activities as a propagandist.

New Mystery Tunnels Found Under House on Independence Ave.

Sinister Legends Survive, But It Seems Dr. Dyar Just Liked to Dig

They started to prepare for the widening of Independence avenue—and dug up a legend. A veritable storehouse of legends, in fact, is the house at 804 Independence avenue, once the home of the late Dr. Harrison Dyar, entomologist and, it seems, excavationist extraordinary.

Dr. Dyar, who had been employed by the Department of Agriculture, died in 1929, but he had been through one tunnel mystery and left another behind. Many are the rumors that have been caused by the tunnels, part of which were discovered yesterday at the Independence avenue address by Joseph W. Strohmann and Henrik Moeldrup, examining the property for the Public Buildings Administration of the Federal Works Agency.

Older Mysteries Recalled. There's the story that one tunnel leads diagonally across the street to the Smithsonian Institution. There is the story that the digging of the tunnels left such a pile of dirt in the backyard that the inclosing fences collapsed. Strangest of all, there is the legend that the dank underground passages are the lair of a monster.

This one probably stems back to the present Dupont Circle mystery of 1924. An alley caved in under a truck then, leading to the discovery of an underground labyrinth, leading from 1510 Twenty-first street N.W. Empty liquor cases roused the rumor that this was part of a bootlegger's layout. Old German newspapers aroused the cry of spies.

Dr. Dyar came forward the next day and admitted all. One day in 1906, he said, he was digging deep to prepare a hollyhock bed for his wife. He got down to a depth of six feet, the smell of good brown earth was too much. He just kept digging and eight years later had his well-constructed labyrinth.

Moved and Borrowed More. Shortly he left Washington, returning in 1920 to take up his hobby again at the Independence avenue address. Now it's up to Mr. Strohmann to discover the extent to which he carried the hobby, to prevent future cave-ins. But the tunnels are strongly constructed and seem safe for explorers.

It seems a shame to clear away the mist of mystery. But Dr. Dyar was just a fellow who liked to dig tunnels.

Rationing Board Approves City Purchase of 15 Autos. The District Auto Rationing Board yesterday took its first formal action in the rationing program, approving purchase of 15 automobiles by the city government for use by the Police Department.

The vehicles already have been ordered. They are among 29 new police automobiles whose purchase must be approved by the rationing board. The District also is seeking 12 other motor cars for use in the Disbursing, Sewage, Refuse, Fire Alarm, Surveying and Repair Departments.

The rationing board, holding its first formal meeting at the old Force School, took no final action on others of the approximately 100 applicants for purchase certificates. Tom K. Randall, administrative assistant of the body, said an announcement will be made each Saturday morning of the applications approved and denied during that day.

Board members are Arthur Drury, chairman; H. Lawrence Choate and John Locher.

Bus and Truck Shortage During War Forecast. MEMPHIS, Tenn., March 4.—Wartime highway problems in the United States and Mexico occupied the attention of the American Road Builders' Association's Defense Highway Congress here today.

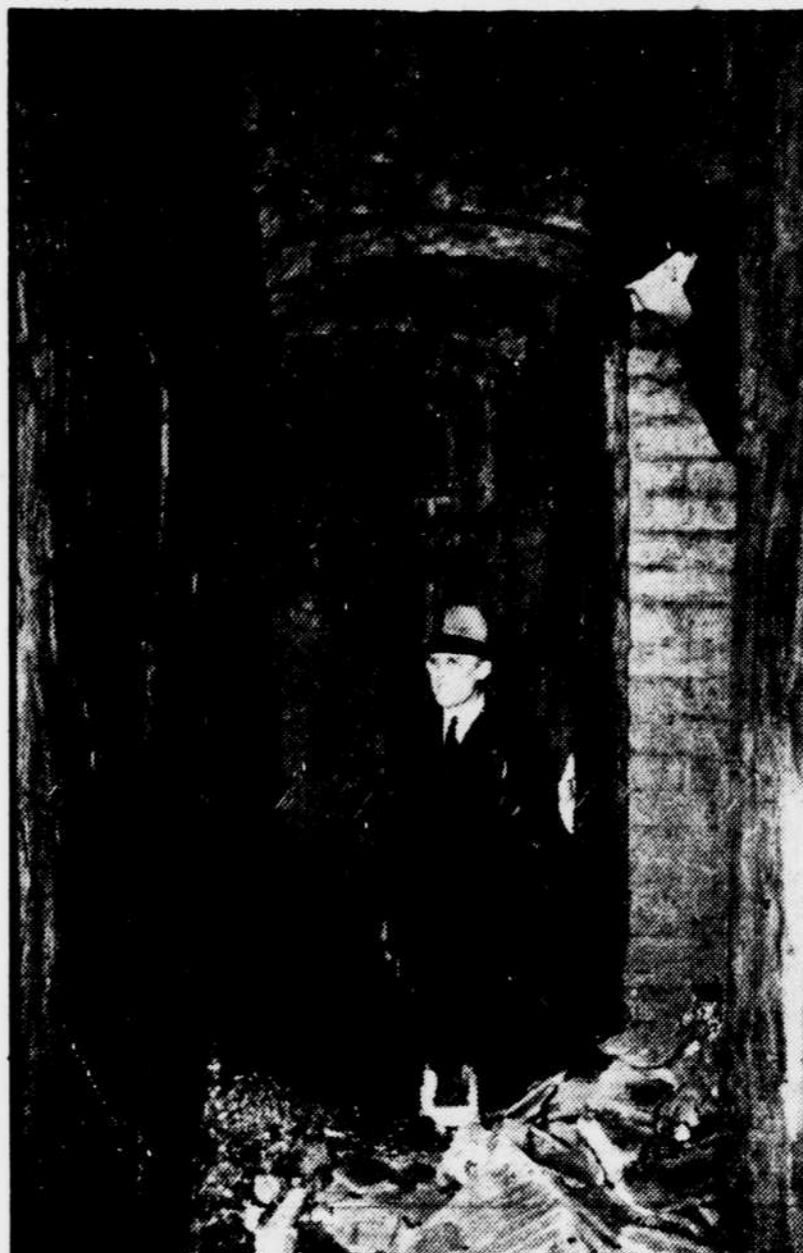
Limiting of bus and truck transportation in the United States was predicted at last night's session by John L. Rogers, director of the motor transport division of the Office of Defense Transportation.

Mr. Rogers said available supplies of buses and trucks will be insufficient to permit normal peacetime motor transport operations, and forecast that "to do what is necessary is going to hurt many people."

The association, which last night installed Chris J. Sherlock, former Alabamian highway director, as its president, will end its congress Thursday.

Jewish Center to Hear Post-War Planning Talk. The last of a series of institutes on the operation of various phases of the Federal Government will be held at 8:45 o'clock tonight at the Jewish Community Center.

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AN OLD MYSTERY DUG UP—Henrik Moeldrup, architectural engineer with the Public Buildings Administration of the F. W. A., looks into the upper main tunnel of those discovered yesterday at the house at 804 Independence avenue, formerly occupied by the late Dr. Harrison Dyar, entomologist. Behind Mr. Moeldrup is the passage leading around a bend to the steps down to the lower tunnel. A reporter looks in the entrance from the cellar of the house.

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These subcontracts may be cost-plus, lump-sum or unit price awards, Mr. Madigan said, but in any event the new type contract arrangement "puts Army construction on the same basis on which the building industry in this country has always operated, and it already has proved to be the best solution of the War Department's building problems."

Mr. Madigan said, are based on the cost of the project, the length of time required and the technical difficulties involved. In contrast, the negotiated cost-plus contract which was adopted in the interest of speed when the Army expansion program started in 1940, reduced the price contractor's fee in proportion to any subcontracting and provided no incentive for economy.

Independent dealers proposed at the hearings yesterday that tires made of reclaimed rubber be used to keep passenger automobiles running and the dealers in business. Members of the National Association of Independent Tire Dealers, representing 60,000 dealers, suggested use only two ounces of pure rubber as a binder for the reclaimed rubber might be a partial answer to the plight of consumers and dealers.

Perfectly capable small firms had been blocked from getting into the production, Mr. Nelson explained in his order suspending Army-Navy competitive contract bidding because "under competitive bidding large concerns which already hold extensive war contracts are often able to undercut small manufacturers who are not doing any war work at all."

Mr. Nelson said that henceforth simple, standardized articles must be ordered by the armed services and the Maritime Commission from smaller concerns, leaving on accelerated production of such items as tanks, planes and big guns.

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The Nelson decree, instead, will let smaller plants contract for the weapons themselves, specifically the more easily handled items. This would undoubtedly cost more, Mr. Nelson said, but more favorable prices are often obtained at a sacrifice of speed; by shifting the emphasis, quicker deliveries can be had at comparatively minor increase in cost.

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Dr. Harr in Pennsylvania Governorship Contest

HARRISBURG, Pa., March 4.—Dr. Luther A. Harr of Philadelphia has formally entered the Democratic gubernatorial contest setting the stage today for a wide-open fight for the nomination in the May 19 primary.

Dr. Harr, bituminous coal consumers' counsel, announced in Washington he was a candidate and asserted: "In entering the primary, I am appealing from the bosses directly to the people."

Auditor General N. Clair Ross and Common Pleas Judge Ralph H. Smith of Pittsburgh both are avowed candidates, Judge Smith with the backing of Senator Guffey and Mr. Ross supported by a majority of the State Committee.

William McNair, former Mayor of Pittsburgh, also has announced, but has failed to win support from any of the recognized leaders.

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Young Names Six Officials To Assist Gen. Reed. Six more assistants to Maj. Gen. Walter L. Reed inspector general for the civilian defense organization for the Metropolitan Area, have been named by Commissioner John Russell Young, civilian defense co-ordinator.

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'We Want Protection,' U. S. Island Says After Shelling by Enemy

No Damage Is Caused
In Attack on Area
Near Puerto Rico

By the Associated Press.
SAN JUAN, Puerto Rico, March 4.—An enemy vessel, presumably a submarine, made the war's first attack on United States soil in the Atlantic Monday night, harmlessly shelling the cliffs of Mons Island, a pinpoint of volcanic rock in the Mona passage, 50 miles southwest of Puerto Rico.

The office of Gov. Rexford Guy Tugwell announced yesterday that word of the attack came in a radio message from Remberto Cassaba, assistant director of a National Youth Administration camp on the island.

Cassaba informed Sam P. Gilstrap, National Youth Administrator for Puerto Rico, that some 30 shells landed far up on the cliffs and caused no damage or casualties.

Cassaba said the boys at the camp "behaved very well," but added, "we want protection at once."

Called Nuisance Shelling.
Forestry officials confirmed the attack, which was put down three merely as nuisance shelling, in contrast with that of the Dutch Island of Aruba and the attack on ships in harbor at the British Island of Trinidad.

Naval authorities made no official comment, but dismissed any theory that the shelling might have been due to target practice in the vicinity. American air and naval patrols were reported covering wide reaches of the Caribbean in a hunt for the raider.

Mons, only 4 1/2 miles long by 3 1/2 miles wide, is rated of no military importance. It is primarily a tourist fishing resort.

It is a rough plateau, with 175-foot perpendicular cliffs. A lofty white rock at its northwest tip could be mistaken for a sail from a little distance at sea.

Smaller Island Nearby.
Forty years ago a German company worked guano deposits in numerous caverns in the cliffs. The island's name means "female monkey" in Spanish. Nearby is an even smaller island called Monito, "little monkey."

In days of the Spanish Main the island was a haunt for pirates. Recently it was made a forest preserve.

Besides 170 youths at the camp, the island's population includes one family and a lighthouse keeper.

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'Newlyweds' Keep Secret; They're Not Married

By the Associated Press.
INDIAN HILLS, Kans., March 4.—Miss Inez James and John Tatlock, jr., concealed a terrible secret as they stood in the receiving line at the reception following their wedding.

They weren't married! The bridegroom, just in from Wichita, Kans., dashed to the marriage license bureau in Kansas City for the necessary papers and thence on to the Indian Hills Country Club for the ceremony.

Dr. George H. Combs noticed the Missouri seal on the license right in the middle of the proceedings, but continued.

As soon as he could disengage the couple from friends, he explained the ceremony was meaningless—the license wasn't good in Kansas.

Mr. Tatlock and Miss James waited until the receiving line passed, then slipped out to Dr. Combs' automobile. They drove over to Kansas City—a few hundred feet away—were married in the car and returned to the reception before any one missed them.

Army Holds Up Pay Plan For Family Men in Service

Details of the plan whereby "family men" may become commissioned officers in the Army after serving as privates for a few months and then attending an officers' training school will be announced shortly, the War Department said today.

Hundreds of inquiries have been made at the War Department and at National and District Selective Service headquarters.

The plan was announced by Assistant Secretary of War John J. McCloy in a radio address Sunday. It is designed for men unable to support their dependents on a private's pay.


Walter Reed Patients To See Entertainers

Professional and amateur entertainers giving performances free of charge through the Voluntary Tent Shows will perform at 7:30 o'clock tomorrow night in the Red Cross Hut on the Walter Reed Hospital grounds for Army patients and enlisted personnel. The hut accommodates from 500 to 700 persons.

The entertainers will include Miss Olive Stingle, contralto; Miss Rose Adele Brault, mezzo-soprano; John Boland, magician; "Boofie" Barry and Betty Jean Boyd, tap dancers; the Hensleys, ballroom dancers, and "Glorietta," singer of popular songs. Ray Levy will be master of ceremonies.

Group to See Bird Life Film

A colored motion picture of bird life will be shown by W. F. Kubichek of the United States Fish and Wildlife Service at a meeting of the Biological Society of Washington at the Cosmo Club at 8 p.m. Saturday.



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Dutch Envoy Lays Ills Of Europe to Cancer Of German Militarism

'We'll Finish the Job' This Time, Dr. Loudon Tells Washington Club

This time "we'll finish the job," in the opinion of Netherlands Minister A. Loudon.

The victors of the first World War failed to insure the peace because they somehow overlooked the deep-rooted nature of Europe's "cancer"—German militarism—the envoy believes.

Dr. Loudon told the Washington Club yesterday that it is the German people, as well as their leaders, who must be whipped if the other people of the world are to retain their most basic freedoms.

And this is essentially a "people's war," more so than is generally realized, Dr. Loudon said—a conflict which threatens the right of every individual to think, speak, hear and see according to the dictates of his own conscience.

These fundamental human rights have been suppressed wherever the Germans and Japs have struck, he said. The speaker cited the plight of his own gallant people, the Dutch, to urge a general awakening to the common peril, not "too slowly or too late."

German Way of Thinking. In Holland, before the German drive through the Lowlands, a peaceful and prosperous people "took for granted" their many blessings.

Although the Dutch were reluctant to relinquish their comfortable way of life, they struck back at the Germans, as they now are striking at the Japs in the East Indies, in a way which proved costly to the invaders, Dr. Loudon said. The Dutch in Europe, he said, are now planning and working for the day when they can rise with other enslaved peoples to throw the invaders from their soil.

Once the war is won, Dr. Loudon warned, "don't let us get sentimental again about the beer-drinking German and his coziness. Let us go to the core of this German cancer."

"We must not blame such German leaders as Frederick the Great, Bismarck, Kaiser Wilhelm or Hitler; but rather the German way of thinking."

Contempt for Others' Rights. Dr. Loudon said the mental processes which form the basis of German aggression can be traced back to tribal times. The typical German, he said, is a willing slave of the state. In addition he has no respect, only contempt, for the rights of individuals not backed by force.

"The German people," Dr. Loudon declared, "must be kicked into respecting the rights of human beings and that can only be done by their complete defeat."

This German state of mind, with its Prussian core, Dr. Loudon said, first appeared centuries ago as a cancerous red spot in Europe, a malignant growth which now has reached full development. "Napoleon's knife" and the great World War of 1914-18 only served to retard, but not to destroy an evil now sapping the life from Europe's enslaved millions, Dr. Loudon said.

The speaker pointed out that German propagandists have declared that 99 1/2 per cent of the German people are behind Hitler and this statement, for one, "can be accepted as a fact." Dr. Loudon added that "even refugees I have known, Germans stripped of everything, exiled from their native land, have told me: 'In the innermost corner of my heart, I still pray for the success of the German people!'"

As to the eventual peace, Dr. Loudon closed with the words, "Let us pray that this time our sacrifices will not have been in vain!"

Church Begins Novena

The novena of grace in honor of St. Francis Xavier is being celebrated at St. Anthony's Church, Twelfth and Monroe streets N.E., beginning today, with the Rev. Dr. William Welsh, S. J., rector of Georgetown Preparatory College, Garrett Park, Md., delivering the sermons. Mass will be celebrated at 9 a.m., while other services will be held at 5:30 and 7:45 p.m. through March 12.

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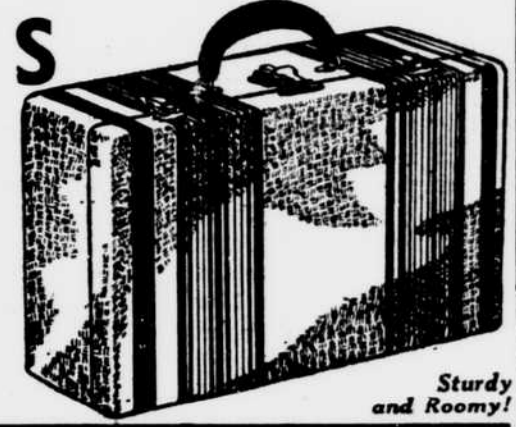
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Opportunity in Jobs Seen as Minimizing Rejectee Hardship

Army Returns to Old System of Induction On Physical Test

The willingness of employers to hire men pronounced unqualified for Army service is expected by selective service officials to solve the problems of men who give up their jobs and then fail to pass their Army physical examinations at the time of induction.

The original system of inducting men at the time of their physical examination by the Army was criticized because of the hardships men found in being rejected after they had wound up their civilian affairs.

See Conditions Changed. In going back to that system—after a period during which the procedure of giving men pre-induction notice after they passed their Army physicals was followed—the War Department, which ordered the change, apparently felt the situation had changed and men will now have no difficulty in getting jobs, whether in their old place of employment or a new one, it was explained.

The new system, providing immediate induction for registrants found acceptable at the time of their physical examination by the Army, goes into effect March 16. Actually, it goes into effect in the District after today. The men examined Monday, yesterday and today will be called for April induction. They are the last under the old system.

Remainder of those to be called for induction in April will be sent notice of induction instead of notice to report for their physical examination by the Army.

Furloughs Under New Plan. A call already has been issued to the local boards for the induction of registrants in March who were found acceptable by the Army Physical Examining Board during February.

Under a new induction procedure, selective service registrants will be given furloughs immediately after passing Army physical examinations to permit them to adjust their civilian affairs. Brig. Gen. Lewis B. Hershey, director of selective service, announced today.

At present selectees who pass their physicals are immediately inducted and are subject to Army rules and regulations, and therefore can receive a furlough only from the service.

Gen. Hershey said the War Department has given him assurance that furloughs will be granted in cases where the registrant, after induction, needs time to adjust his affairs.

Blimps Once Familiar Here Will Now Hunt U-Boats

Two blimps, the Resolute and Reliance, which once carried passengers over the city of Washington, will soon be looking for submarines, the Associated Press reported from Los Angeles today.

A Navy announcement said the blimps have been accepted for patrol work and renamed the L-4 and L-6. Their crews have been sworn in for Navy service.

It was said here that both blimps have been in Washington to replace the Enterprise, when it was being repaired. The Resolute carried advertising and passengers over Los Angeles, while the Reliance was flown to Los Angeles from Miami, Fla.

Geodetic Survey Output Of Charts Skyrockets

The Coast and Geodetic Survey produced approximately 556,000 nautical and aeronautical charts in January, more than six times the output in January, 1941, the Commerce Department announced today.

While the output of charts, under the stimulus of the defense program, has been steadily increasing, the Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor skyrocketed the demand from the armed services, the Commerce Department pointed out. Continuation of the January production rate will bring output of charts this year to more than 6,600,000, compared with 2,727,414 in 1941, it said.

Production of aeronautical charts in January was approximately eight times greater than in January a year ago. To keep abreast of the demand for aeronautical charts, the survey has tripled the number of draftsmen engaged in this work, and the presses printing these charts are now operating 24 hours a day.

Presbytery Will Hear Dr. Herbert B. Smith

The Rev. Dr. Herbert Booth Smith of Los Angeles, Calif., moderator of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in the United States of America, will address a luncheon at the Y. W. C. A. at 1 p. m. Thursday.

The luncheon is under the auspices of the ministers and elders of the Presbyterian Presbytery of Washington. The Rev. Dr. Walter F. Wolf, pastor of the Arlington (Va.) Presbyterian Church, is moderator of Washington Presbytery. The Rev. Dr. John C. Palmer, pastor of Washington Heights Presbyterian Church, is chairman of the Committee on Arrangements for this meeting.

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There is no other source of supply. If the American community does not understand this, it is time for it to awaken to the stark reality.

Racketeering Decision

The recent decision by the Supreme Court in a New York racketeering case should come as a distinct and decidedly unpleasant shock to a good many Americans.

The case involved some of the activities of the New York local of the American Federation of Labor Teamsters Union. Certain members of the union were convicted of violating the so-called Anti-Racketeering Act, the evidence showing that they lay in wait for trucks coming into New York from New Jersey.

In holding that these defendants were improperly convicted under the law, the majority opinion covers a great deal of ground and its reasoning is often difficult to follow.

In this case, however, the majority of the court held that the trial jury was not properly instructed concerning the intent of Congress as expressed in the law.

"The doubtful case," said the majority of the court, "arises where the defendants agree to tender their services in good faith to an employer and to work if he accepts their offer, but agree further that the protection of their trade union interests requires that he should pay an amount equivalent to the prevailing union wage even if he rejects their proffered services."

In other words, so far as the Federal law is concerned, the union members may beat up the drivers and exact tribute from the employers whether or not he accepts their "services."

The reasoning of the majority brought forth Chief Justice Stone a sharply worded dissent. But, under these circumstances, there is small comfort to be derived from a dissenting opinion, however pointed.

The blunt fact is that the majority of the court, through an interpretation of the intent of Congress, has made it extremely difficult for the Department of Justice to use this law to reach any of the labor racketeers whose reprehensible activities add millions of dollars yearly to a bill which ultimately must be paid by the public.

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The so-called Truth-in-Fabrics bill, enacted in 1940, requires labeling of wool products, except carpets, rugs and upholstery, to show the percentage of new wool and reprocessed or reworked wool.

Aside from the production of rugs and carpets, about 45 per cent of the wool utilized in the United States goes into men's clothing, 25 per cent into women's coats and suits, 10 per cent into other articles of wearing apparel.

In the First World War rationing of wool clothing was barely avoided in the United States. By the time of the Armistice, plans for rationing had been prepared, and were on the point of being promulgated.

Great Britain adopted clothing rationing in June, 1941. It applies to apparel, shoes, cloth, and knitting wool, but not to second-hand garments, workers' overalls, hats, nor certain materials.

It will require all of Wavell's military genius and personal knowledge of Indian conditions to make the most of what time remains before the Japanese threat becomes a dread reality.

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Haskin's Answers To Questions

Q. How many direct salesmen are there in the United States?—F. B. E. A. It is estimated that at the present time there are upwards of two million salespeople gainfully employed in selling direct to homes, offices, stores, etc., in the United States.

Q. Who originated the saying that ignorance of the law is no excuse?—S. T. H. A. "Ignorance of the law excuses no man, not that all men know the law, but because 'tis an excuse every man will plead, and no man can tell how to refute him," is from "Table Talk: Judgments," by John Selden (1584-1654).

Q. Where is the largest sugar beet factory in this country located?—M. W. V. A. The largest sugar beet factory in the United States is at Spreckels, Calif.

Q. In which city were public school kindergartens first organized?—B. Y. H. A. St. Louis, Mo., was the first city to establish a public school kindergarten in 1870.

Q. Where does elder down come from?—C. T. D. A. Elder down is obtained from the elder duck. It is exquisitely soft and collectors pack it into 3-pound bolls as large as a man's hand.

Q. How long has Buckingham Palace in London been a royal residence?—G. D. A. The building was purchased by King George III in 1762 from the Duke of Buckingham, and was altered by Nash for King George IV. It has been the London home of the sovereign since Queen Victoria's accession in 1837.

Q. Where do we get the phrase, "All quiet along the Potomac"?—S. T. D. A. It comes from the poem first published as "The Picket Guard," by Mrs. Ethelind Eliot Beers in 1861, and is based upon official telegrams reporting, "All is quiet tonight," sent to the Secretary of War by Maj. Gen. George B. McClellan.

Q. Are panthers still found wild in the United States?—D. L. D. A. Panthers still run wild in the western part of the United States. They frequently are called pumas, mountain lions or cougars. There are several varieties and they differ considerably in appearance.

Q. Which were the first nations to adopt some form of old-age security?—C. K. B. A. General interest in old-age security manifested itself in Europe about the middle of the 19th century. The earliest legislative attempts to provide for old-age pensions were made in Belgium, France and Italy.

Q. Where is the scene of Longfellow's poem "Hiawatha" laid?—B. R. C. A. The scene of the poem "Hiawatha" is among the Ojibways on the southern shore of Lake Superior in the region between the Picture Rocks and the Grand Sable.

Q. When did the Russian Fleet visit the United States?—E. D. N. A. Six Russian warships under Rear Admiral Lisovskii arrived in New York in September, 1863, and in October six more under Rear Admiral Popov anchored at San Francisco. Their arrival was supposedly a demonstration against England and France, which were sympathetic to the confederacy.

Q. Please distinguish between the terms Middle East, Near East and Far East.—I. N. F. A. In official British usage, Middle East refers to the countries of southern Asia lying between Constantinople and the boundaries of China, especially the countries of southwestern Asia, also for some purposes Egypt. Near East refers to the Balkan States, or the countries of the Balkan Peninsula—Yugoslavia, Rumania, Bulgaria, Albania, Greece and Turkey in Europe; Far East—the countries of eastern Asia.

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Washington, the very hub of the Good Neighbor Policy, fell down badly on the job the other day.

Different Kind of War

It may be natural for Americans in middle life to think of the Second World War in terms of resemblance with the First.

Persuasion Wins on Job Priorities

Federal Personnel Conversion to Wartime Finally Begun

By DAVID LAWRENCE.

Many people throughout the country often wonder whether constructive criticism gets attention and whether the administration hears it. The answer is that sometimes it takes a long while to persuade the powers-that-be of the importance of a revision of policy, but in the end the process of persuasion is effective.

President Roosevelt deserves commendation for having tackled the problem of converting the Government from peacetime to wartime and yet it is no reflection upon him to say that some one in the Government should have insisted upon action being taken long before Washington became so crowded with unnecessary personnel.

For nearly a year the subject of conversion of the peacetime agencies to war work has been agitated. This correspondent wrote on March 18, 1941:

"Unfortunately, nobody in the administration seems to have thought of the idea of establishing priorities inside the Government so that the taxpayers' money will not be eaten up by projects which, however meritorious in themselves, are not needed now. Many of the lawyers, clerks, stenographers and technicians who are a part of the normal functions of Government could be used in defense agencies. . . . The ordinary functions of Government can be carried on with much less personnel and will cost much less money if the President by executive order were to rule that no additional employees will be placed on the defense payroll unless absolutely unobtainable in the regular departments of the Government. . . . There are certain officials who can be temporarily transferred to defense projects without in any way altering their status under existing appropriation bills.

Priorities Suggested.

"The first place to make economies is by holding up the hiring of unnecessary new personnel. . . . The next thing is to set up a priorities commission in the Government itself to require that certain appropriations be suspended and work be postponed on normal activities of the Government which are not absolutely needed in connection with the defense program and which the country can get along without for a few months or for a year or so."

Further expressions on the need for Government conversion came repeatedly from The Evening Star's editorial page, notably on December 23, 1941, and then this year on January 15, January 22, February 1 and February 6.

This correspondent again took up the subject on February 2, pointing out that the auto industry was being asked to convert, that nothing had been done by the Federal Government on conversion, and that some one of the "Donald Nelson type" should be appointed to do the job of Government conversion.

Senator Wiley of Wisconsin took up the cudgels in Senate debate on February 3 and urged that the President appoint a co-ordinator to do the job of conversion of the Government to war from peacetime pursuits.

Finally in a letter dated February 10 the President instructed the Director of the Budget to survey all Government departments and agencies with a view to releasing unnecessary personnel from normal governmental uses so as to avoid bringing in new personnel for the defense agencies.

Action Revealed February 13. Then on February 12 the Washington Post took up the issue and added to the demand for action. The White House released on February 13 the letter that had been written on February 10.

After the Director of the Budget got into action there were further recommendations, and on February 21 came the executive order from the White House listing the priorities as between Government agencies and giving the Civil Service Commission the task of transferring personnel. A Senate subcommittee under Senator Tydings of Maryland

On the Record

Ohio Community Sets Good Example For America to Follow in Waging War

The Nation and the State.

By DOROTHY THOMPSON.

Into this discussion of the problem of mobilizing the Nation, instead of merely the State, has burst a piece of good news. It emanates from Mount Gilead, Ohio. It is the story of a community going to war through its own instruments of self-help, and it illustrates in action what I have been trying to put into words.

Fred Sweet, local news editor of the paper and son of a long line of preachers—these preachers' sons have played a remarkable role in the history of America—has a job in Washington with Leon Henderson's O. P. A. He tried to sell Washington on mobilizing the people instead of merely setting up agencies. He had some ideas, but Washington thought they wouldn't work. When Senator Barkley complained of the complacency of the Nation, he got sore and took a leave of absence and went home to his own small town to do what he thought ought to be done.

Now, what did he do? He began by recognizing a fundamental fact, the lack of recognition of which contributed to the fall of France; the recognition of which accounts for the resistance of China and the remarkable stand of Russia.

Community Must Act.

This fact is that wars are not fought and won by bureaucracies or by individuals. They are fought and won by communities. But in order to have the community fight you must re-create and strengthen the community. The false slogan of unity must be replaced by the true slogan of community. Unity means each isolated individual agreeing. Community means the people together acting.

Mr. Sweet called together all the people. He did not stage a debate or a forum. He presented a plan—a plan for "production now." The plan was not a petition to Washington. It was a plan to do something for the war in Mount Gilead. It was not an appeal for help, or an appeal to be given something to do. It was a proposal for doing something and an offer of help.

Mount Gilead has problems. It has the same problems that every community has. How are the farmers to increase production with a labor shortage everywhere? How are they to meet demands with a shortage of trucks, combines, rubber, auto transportation, etc., that must be guarded and yet used to the fullest? How are they to be ready to meet emergencies not yet arisen—for instance, the possible descent upon them of evacuees from menaced areas? They said to themselves: If we are attacked on our seaboard, our Urals will be the Middle West.

They got together in the old-fashioned American way: in the old opera house. They warmed and instilled enthusiasm and resolution into one another, by the mass of their presence, and by music and prayer.

Organized Farmers.

Mr. Sweet had put the F. F. A. (The Future Farmers of America

has also begun a study of the problem. It took the auto industry less than 60 days to convert to war from peace time operations when once the order was given. How long will it take the Federal Government to convert from peacetime to wartime? A good start has been made, but the goal of realization is not yet in sight. The auto industry has set the pace. What can the Government do to show that it, too, can convert within as short a time if it is under the pressure of public opinion to do so?

Capt. William A. Avery Dies

CHICAGO, March 4 (AP).—Capt. William Alonzo Avery, 72, prominent yacht racing skipper until his retirement, died yesterday in his home. Members of his family said he had collaborated with Orville Wright in building the first airplane.

and the older brothers of the 4-H Clubs) to work, and they made a survey of the existing resources of the community, in trucks, autos, combines, tractors. And he proposed to them that they use these resources, as a community, getting the greatest work out of them with the greatest conservation of them; organizing transportation to the factory where war production was going on, so that no auto traveled for its own sake, but for as many workers as it could carry.

Now, we saw in this big meeting in a little town the same division we see everywhere. One man, and he was in charge of the local Defense Council, thought the Defense Council should do it. He was the reactionary present. But the people almost unanimously were in favor of taking hold themselves.

What they are doing, of course, is to create a co-operative action. But they didn't attach names and ideologies to it. They looked at reality, and did what reality required. Reality in war, that is to say in a desperate crisis, has no room for the kind of rugged individualism that has been preached, and falsely preached as the American way—the individualism of every man for himself and the devil take the hindmost.

Our New England forefathers knew nothing of that sort of individualism. No religious community knows anything about it. Our forefathers had corn-huskings, and barn-building parties; each owned private property, but it took on its dignity and justification from the fact that it was used for the progress of the whole community. Therefore, each was willing to protect the private property of the other, since each profited from all and all from each.

Spirit Still Alive Here.

Now this spirit—which will save any nation, any time, anywhere—is still alive in this country. It is the most alive thing in this country. It has been terribly broken down by a wicked and pagan theory that freedom consists in doing anything you choose instead of in choosing to do what is right and necessary.

The first idea creates anarchy and slavery. The second creates community and progress. Now, Morrow County, Ohio, has started on the right path. Let us see how many more counties can be added in a week to this self-help plan. Let us start competitions in our home towns and home counties: not the competition to see who can get most, but the competition as to who can give most.

Then, let us apply the same simple philosophy to factories. Let us take workers into partnership with management; not into agreement (unity), but into participation in responsibility (community).

Let us conceive of leadership in our affairs, not as issuing orders, but as taking the lead in action. And taking it not somewhere far off—Washington, for instance—but where we are, in the areas of work where we are at home, where we know our neighbors, and our fellow workers.

Then we shall release America into a beauty and power that no one knows exists, and we shall fight a war for the liberation of the world by first liberating ourselves. (Released by the Bell Syndicate, Inc.)

Sub, 'Presumably British,' Sinks French Cargo Ship

By the Associated Press.

VICHY, March 4.—An official Vichy announcement yesterday said the 5,417-ton French merchant ship P. L. M. 20 was torpedoed and sunk off the coast of Tunisia last Sunday by a submarine, "presumably British."

The announcement said nine persons lost their lives, including five Frenchmen, while 32 were rescued. The ship was said to have been en route from Sfax north to Tunis with a cargo of phosphates to be used as fertilizer. The trip down the coast was made in ballast, the government declared.

The latter statement apparently was made to forestall charges that the ship might have been carrying supplies south for Field Marshal Edwin Rommel's African army. Sfax lies approximately halfway between Tunis and the Tunisia-Italian Libya border.

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The Great Game of Politics

Reduction of Government's Publicity Forces Recommended as Morale Booster

By FRANK R. KENT.

Revelation by the Byrd committee that James M. Landis, having rid his O. C. D. machine of some—but by no means all—of the things which brought it into disrepute, has organized in a very brief period a separate—and still growing—press bureau with a yearly payroll of \$124,000, again draws attention to the extraordinary publicity army in Washington, the size and cost of which amounts to a national scandal.

The fact is that, with one notable exception (the Donovan outfit), the first thing every new Government agency does is to establish its publicity department. That is considered basic and once done the disposition is to regard the job as a success. The interesting thing is that the more publicity men there are the worse the publicity. As the quantity goes up the quality goes down. Some time ago when the Office of Facts and Figures was created and Archibald MacLeish named as chairman, the hope was that this publicity army, now numbering 3,000 full-time individuals, would be curtailed, co-ordinated and controlled.

The idea was that henceforth all information concerning war and defense would be strained through the O. F. F., and the people thus be fully supplied with facts and figures upon which they could rely. This seemed fine. It would cut out the terrible mass of flubdub propaganda that daily pours out of the numerous bureaus and present a comprehensive and truthful picture of what goes on. The selection of Mr. MacLeish was assurance enough that it would be truthful, and the disposition was to applaud the prospect of a wholesale shrinkage.

Fails to Decline.

It has not worked out that way, though that is not the fault of Mr. MacLeish. Partly the fault is that the executive order creating the O. F. F. was cloudy. The President was not quite clear as to what he wanted himself, and naturally was unable to make it clear to any one else. And partly, the fault is that Mr. MacLeish has not been given full authority to reorganize, control and direct this immense publicity output.

Those who thought the O. F. F. would control war information are disappointed. Mr. MacLeish is doing excellent work in other directions, but has been diverted from this. Apparently he has authority over neither Army nor Navy publicity divisions, which issue their own communications without regard to the O. F. F. and uncensored by any one.

Apparently, too, the multitudinous publicity directors of other departments are not restrained either by Mr. MacLeish or by the Committee on War Information which he has set up and on which are representatives of various departments. For example—in the past month the War Production Board press section alone has issued 556 separate press releases, not six of which were worth releasing.

The fact is that, under direction of the President, Mr. MacLeish has expanded into other fields where he functions usefully, but is kept so busy that, even had he the authority, he would not have the time to straighten out the publicity mess. For example, he has had thrust upon him the delicate job of "clearing" the speeches of cabinet members, some of which badly need clearing. In addition, his organization has developed into a domestic propaganda machine, chiefly concerned with national morale. In addition, he has his regular job of liaison of Congress and his extracurricular work as one of the President's ghost writers—and an excellent one he is, too.

Regional Bureau Set Up.

Considering all these activities, the able and attractive Mr. MacLeish has his hands very full, indeed, with as little time as he has authority to co-ordinate or curtail those numerous, costly, unruly and steadily increasing publicity boys, who do so badly need co-ordination and curtailment. Certainly, they will not be co-ordinated or curtailed by Lowell Mellett and his expanding and expensive Office of Government Reports. Rather, its plan is to add to their number. A few days ago it was disclosed that the Office of Emergency Management, now under W. P. B., had augmented the great Capital publicity machine by establishing 29 regional press bureaus in as many different cities, each headed by \$4,800-a-year ex-newspapermen, all turning out press releases.

The cost of this latest and silliest expansion has not been estimated—but whatever its cost it isn't worth it. It is the kind of thing that makes the citizens swear and turns cheerful taxpayers and bond buyers into reluctant ones. No better way of promoting morale could be devised than the drastic reduction of this whole publicity racket—because racket it unquestionably is. It is a pity Mr. MacLeish cannot tackle the job. While he and Mr. Mellett are taking in territory for which they were not originally booked, the publicity forces grow in size and cost, their product increases in volume and inaccuracy and the murkiness of the whole atmosphere thickens. The publicity division of one department is now of such size that it has been suggested, semi-seriously, that a publicity division might well be established for the publicity division. (Copyright, 1942.)

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This Changing World

Observers Say 500 U. S. Fighter Planes Could Have Kept Japs From Java

By CONSTANTINE BROWN.

There is undisputed bitterness not only in Dutch quarters but also among many Americans at our failure to assist the defense of Java by some offensive action before the Japanese transports were in sight of the only naval and air base which remains available for operations against Japan.



It is admitted in military quarters that a fortified island like Java cannot hold out unless it has overwhelming military resources. The British Isles have held out against Nazi invasion because of thousands of British and American planes. But there were nowhere near that many planes in Java; just a few hundred.

American and British military men who had studied the situation on the spot and are now in the Capital say unhesitatingly that if we had rushed 500 fighter planes to the Netherlands possession the story would have been different.

The Dutch accept our alibi that we were not in position to send them the much-needed planes for which they had paid cash in advance because they were needed in other places, such as Russia, Libya and the Near East, fronts which at one time were considered more important than the South Pacific.

Same Explanation.

It is the same explanation which was given in Washington and London when the question of why the Philippines were not provided with adequate air defense was raised. Gen. Douglas MacArthur did not lack air facilities, but he did lack planes, which could not be spared for the American-Philippine Army last summer and fall. We were still at peace and the lease-lend program required that these essential weapons be sent to Russia and Libya.

What is utterly incomprehensible is why the United States Fleet in the Pacific, combined with the Netherlands and British squadrons, could not make a desperate—if unorthodox—attempt to cut the lines of communication between the Japanese bases and Dutch outposts.

According to official statements, our losses at Pearl Harbor, while heavy, were not such as to cripple our fleet. This was shown by the raid on the Gilbert and Marshall Islands. While this raid has been described as important, it has not interfered in any way with the Japanese communication lines.

Lines Were Lacking.

Before December 7 the Ameri-

can, British and Netherlands submarine fleets were estimated at between 80 and 75 seaworthy craft supported by a substantial number of destroyers and light and heavy cruisers.

Naval experts, when asked why this formidable force was not able to interfere with the Japanese transports, reply that the Pacific is a vast expanse of water and it is difficult to destroy Japanese communication lines without bases somewhere near the scene of action.

These experts also answer that the submarines have done a good job. This is unquestionably true, for quite a few Japanese transports and men-of-war have been destroyed in action. But these successes were scored after whole trains of transports had reached Malayan waters. The transports which were following close behind made port and were able to throw invading forces into Java.

There are unconfirmed rumors—which may not be confirmed for many years—that one of the reasons Admiral Thomas C. Hart insisted on returning home is that his daring and unorthodox plan to strike the enemy far to the north of the Indies had been rejected.

"Meginot Mentality."

How correct this report is none can say yet. Many highly placed naval officers feel strongly because we have not used our available naval units in a smashing offensive but have waited demagogically until the enemy was so close to his prey that he could not be beaten off, in spite of heavy losses.

Many observers complain that we and our associates have adopted a "Meginot Line mentality." That is to say, while rousing speeches about taking the offensive are made in Washington and London, all we are now doing is striving to enhance as much as possible the protection afforded us by the two oceans.

It is pointed out by officers who have studied the Japanese military mentality for a number of years that a surprise move in the very heart of Jap communication lines might have disorganized the schedule so badly that the major offensive against Java would have been sufficiently delayed to enable air reinforcements to reach the defenders of Java.

The fall of Java will leave the United Nations' fleet practically homeless. Darwin, in Northern Australia, is already under fire from Jap bombers while Ceylon, the one remaining secondary British naval base in the Indian Ocean, is expected to share the fate of Singapore and Java within the next few weeks.

He ended on this note: "Since we can't go back to the earth, since the Government can't send us a backyard, we will bring the good earth into our homes." The workfolk interrupted us to serve refreshments. There was sweet elder, home-cured ham, jars of cookies, pies, pickles and preserves, and three quarts of ice cream from the drugstore.

Rotation of crops was discussed at length. The question of what vegetable would grow best after nasturtiums and pansies was settled. Would a rice paddy be successful under a leaky sink or ice box? Does the average door mat have enough dirt in it to be planted in oats? All these farm problems were threshed out in a most satisfactory manner.

At one point the enthusiasm of the grange members reached such a point that one member suggested the keeping of small livestock and poultry in the house to further the "bring the farm into the house" movement. He argued that a small pig was no more trouble than a dog or a cat and that you could keep a rooster as well as a parrot.

One crochety member put a quietus on this suggestion by saying he would be darned if he would put a leash around a rooster's neck and walk him in the park. So our group will remain simple dirt farmers—far from the ground but close to the soil. (Distributed by McNaught Syndicate, Inc.)

McLemore—

Crop Raising Tough On Apartment Folk

By HENRY MCLEMORE. Backyard gardens have been urged as a means of augmenting the Nation's food supply. This is a commendable idea but it strictly leaves out in the cold millions of us—a partment dwellers who don't have yards—a back, front, side or any other kind.

Let me start trying to cultivate my backyard and I'm a cinch to fall 12 stories on to a Henry McLemore, paved alley.

As far as I know the Government has neglected to suggest how we apartment dwellers can help it up to our ingenuity to figure out what sort of gardening we can do in order not to feel left out and unparticipating.

A few nights ago an old dirt farmer who lives down the hall in 12-B called a meeting of all those men and women in the neighborhood interested in forming the first apartment house grange.

By 8 o'clock a goodly number had shown up. Those coming from a distance hitched their cars out front. Others arrived by elevator, and some hardy souls even walked three or four flights of stairs. The women folk quilled and swapped recipes for preserves and martinis, while the men got down to the business of how best to grow vegetables indoors.

To get the movement started, and to show how serious he was, the host plowed under his mantelpiece ivy plants and sprinkled some turnip seeds in the pots.

The room was filled with the fragrance of new-turned earth. The honk of the taxis seemed far away.

"Men of the grange," our host said, chocking on his new corn cob pipe. "Men, given a good spring and the help of my boys after school, I'll have as fine a stand of turnips as any farmer in this section." He gravely marked "turnips" on the outside of the pot and asked for suggestions from everybody.

We all hitched our chairs a little nearer to the glowing radiator and one old fellow from 7-C struck up a merry jig on his fiddle.

The possibility of window-box crops was discussed and one of the men read a paper on the subject. He had statistics to show that if all the window boxes in the country were planted in vegetables, it would be a pretty amazing sight. He pictured waving corn in every window. Plump pumpkins ripening by the backcase. Sweet potato vines climbing over the piano and chandeliers.

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Jap Espionage Network In Chile Reported

By the Associated Press.

SANTIAGO, March 4.—The Socialist newspaper Critica reported yesterday that a "powerful Japanese espionage network" was at work in Chile and operating a short-wave radio station at Puerto Montt in Southern Chile for the transmission of military and political information.

The radio station, the newspaper said, transmits weather conditions and other information "connected with the possibility of Japanese aerial and naval action in the extreme south of Chile." This area includes the strategic Straits of Magellan.

It was charged that the Japanese were seeking to "create differences among American nations, especially Chile, Peru and Argentina."

War in Retrospect

By the Associated Press.

One Year Ago Today. British and Norwegian forces raid Lofoten Islands off Norwegian coast, destroying fish oil plant and German ships; take prisoners. Germany warns Greece to cut ties with Britain.

Two Years Ago Today. Italy protests against British coal blockade and mail seizures. Twenty-five Years Ago Today. Woodrow Wilson takes oath as President for second term. British continue Western front gains in Somme and Ancre regions.

Advertisement for Wm. E. Miller's Furniture's Hall of Fame. Features a large illustration of a living room with a sofa, chairs, and a table. Text includes 'Furniture's Hall of Fame' and 'Your Home Is What We Make It'.

Advertisement for Polident denture cleaner. Features a large illustration of a woman's face. Text includes 'FALSE TEETH And True Love' and 'HOW GERTRUDE GOT HER MAN'.

Deaths

ALLEN, ROGER F. On Monday, March 2, 1942, at his residence, 3047 34th st. n.e. ROGER F. ALLEN, aged 20 years, beloved husband of Mrs. Margaret M. Allen.

Deaths

HARTER, WILLIAM R. On Sunday, March 1, 1942, at his residence, Franklin St. n.e. WILLIAM R. HARTER, aged 67 years, beloved husband of Mrs. Margaret E. Harter.

Deaths

ANDERSON, MARTHA On Monday, March 2, 1942, at her residence, 40 Marston St. n.w. MARTHA ANDERSON, aged 80 years, beloved wife of the late Mr. Andrew Anderson.

Deaths

BAGBY, REV. ALFRED On Tuesday, March 3, 1942, at his residence, 1030 Whittingham St. n.e. REV. ALFRED BAGBY, aged 70 years, beloved husband of Mrs. Emma Bagby.

Deaths

BEHNCKE, ERNEST H. On Wednesday, March 4, 1942, at his residence, 3047 34th st. n.e. ERNEST H. BEHNCKE, beloved husband of Mrs. Mabel Deitz.

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BRADLEY, CHARLES E. On Wednesday, March 4, 1942, at his residence, 517 11th st. s.e. CHARLES E. BRADLEY, beloved husband of Mrs. Jane Bradley.

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BRENNAN, JOHN FRANCIS On Monday, March 2, 1942, at his residence, 3047 34th st. n.e. JOHN FRANCIS BRENNAN, beloved husband of Mrs. Blanche Brennan.

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BURKART, JOSEPH A. On Tuesday, March 3, 1942, at his residence, 3047 34th st. n.e. JOSEPH A. BURKART, beloved husband of Mrs. Mary Burkart.

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CASTOR, MARGARET On Tuesday, March 3, 1942, at her residence, 3047 34th st. n.e. MARGARET CASTOR, beloved wife of Mr. John Castor.

Deaths

CHEW, ALICE M. On Sunday, March 1, 1942, at her residence, 1824 S. St. n.w. ALICE M. CHEW, beloved wife of Mr. William Chew.

Deaths

COOPER, THOMAS H. On Saturday, February 28, 1942, at his residence, 1824 S. St. n.w. THOMAS H. COOPER, beloved husband of Mrs. Melinda Cooper.

Deaths

DODD, JENNIE On Monday, March 2, 1942, at her residence, 1420 14th St. n.w. JENNIE DODD, beloved wife of Mr. W. H. Dodd.

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EDMONDS, WILLIAM MARCUS On Sunday, March 1, 1942, at the Marine Hospital, Baltimore, Md. WILLIAM MARCUS EDMONDS, beloved son of Mr. Gilbert Edmonds.

Deaths

ELDER, MARY A. On Tuesday, March 3, 1942, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. George F. Lundberg, 4000 14th St. n.w. MARY A. ELDER, beloved wife of the late Mr. Elder.

Deaths

GARNER, JAMES PAYNE On Tuesday, March 3, 1942, at his residence, 1100 6th St. n.e. JAMES PAYNE GARNER, beloved husband of Mrs. Rebecca Hamrick.

Deaths

GRAVES, EMMA On Monday, March 2, 1942, at her residence, 2040 Dumbarton Ave. n.w. EMMA GRAVES, beloved wife of Mr. Harvey Graves.

Deaths

GRIMES, WILLIAM D. On Saturday, February 28, 1942, at his residence, 1100 6th St. n.e. WILLIAM D. GRIMES, beloved son of Mr. Harry D. and Mrs. Julia R. Grimes.

Deaths

HARGROVE, WILLIAM J. On Monday, March 2, 1942, at his residence, 1100 6th St. n.e. WILLIAM J. HARGROVE, beloved son of Mr. William and Mrs. Harvorne Hargrove.

Deaths

HARTER, WILLIAM R. On Sunday, March 1, 1942, at his residence, Franklin St. n.e. WILLIAM R. HARTER, aged 67 years, beloved husband of Mrs. Margaret E. Harter.

Deaths

HUMPHREYS, GEORGE On Tuesday, March 3, 1942, at his residence, 1100 6th St. n.e. GEORGE HUMPHREYS, beloved husband of Mrs. Annie Humphreys.

Deaths

KAUFMAN, CORA On Tuesday, March 3, 1942, at her residence, 1100 6th St. n.e. CORA KAUFMAN, beloved wife of Mr. Kaufman.

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LINGLEY, DE WITT C. On Tuesday, March 3, 1942, at his residence, 1100 6th St. n.e. DE WITT C. LINGLEY, beloved husband of Mrs. Lillian Lingley.

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MAGRUDER, MARY TERESA On Tuesday, March 3, 1942, at her residence, 1100 6th St. n.e. MARY TERESA MAGRUDER, beloved wife of Mr. Magruder.

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MATTINGLY, JOSEPH W. On Wednesday, March 4, 1942, at his residence, 1100 6th St. n.e. JOSEPH W. MATTINGLY, beloved husband of Mrs. Mattingly.

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MCCALLISTER, JOSEPH H. On Monday, March 2, 1942, at his residence, 1100 6th St. n.e. JOSEPH H. MCCALLISTER, beloved husband of Mrs. Callister.

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MCKIM, HENRY G. On Monday, March 2, 1942, at his residence, 1100 6th St. n.e. HENRY G. MCKIM, beloved husband of Mrs. McKim.

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MCPHERSON, DE DORSEY M. On Monday, March 2, 1942, at his residence, 1100 6th St. n.e. DE DORSEY M. MCPHERSON, beloved husband of Mrs. Dorsey.

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MICHELL, SADIE On Tuesday, March 3, 1942, at her residence, 1100 6th St. n.e. SADIE MICHELL, beloved wife of Mr. Mitchell.

Deaths

MOORE, GEORGE WILLIAM On Monday, March 2, 1942, at his residence, 1100 6th St. n.e. GEORGE WILLIAM MOORE, beloved husband of Mrs. Moore.

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MURPHY, BERTHA On Tuesday, March 3, 1942, at her residence, 1100 6th St. n.e. BERTHA MURPHY, beloved wife of Mr. Murphy.

Deaths

NALLEY, KATHRYN H. In remembrance of our dear wife, KATHRYN H. NALLEY, who passed away suddenly nine years ago today, March 4, 1941.

Deaths

NICHOLS, ALEEN INEZ In loving remembrance of our dear little daughter and sister, ALEEN INEZ NICHOLS, who passed away two years ago today, March 4, 1940.

Deaths

ROBINSON, GRACE L. In loving remembrance of our dear wife, GRACE L. ROBINSON, who passed away suddenly nine years ago today, March 4, 1941.

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WILLIAMS, INDIA ESTELLE In loving remembrance of our dear wife, INDIA ESTELLE WILLIAMS, who passed away suddenly nine years ago today, March 4, 1941.

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House Farm Faction Offers Compromise In Parity Dispute

Would Allow Sales Of Surplus Grain Below Scale for Use as Feed

The House farm bloc, holding out for parity price features in the Agriculture Department supply bill, offered yesterday to compromise to the extent of allowing sales of Government-held surplus wheat and corn at below-parity prices for feed purposes.

The bill, debate on which started following the appearance of Secretary of Agriculture Wickard before the Agriculture Committee, now has a provision forbidding the sales of Government-held surpluses of wheat, corn, tobacco and rice at below-parity prices.

Administration leaders have indicated they would make a stiff fight to remove the parity clause from the bill, but were played to consider the compromise proposal as a possible means of averting a bitter fight against the strong farm membership in the House.

Wickard Defends Program.
Secretary Wickard in his testimony defended the Commodity Credit Corp. program of disposing of certain surpluses held by the Government as security for loans to growers.

Members said the Secretary emphasized the necessity of making feed available to farmers at low cost to widen the spread between the prices received for stock and the cost of raising stock for the market. The effect of this, he was reported to have asserted, was to push closer to parity prices of stock.

They said Secretary Wickard insisted the Commodity Credit Corp. had no intention of selling cotton, tobacco or rice at prices under parity, or to dispose of wheat and corn at low prices except for feed purposes.

Kept Prices Down.
Farm Representatives have complained the selling of surplus commodities below parity prices has had the effect of keeping down farm prices.

During House debate yesterday several Representatives leveled attacks at the Farm Security Administration, demanding economy in its operation. Representative Dirksen, Republican of Illinois, accused the agency of having furnished in one district a large number of pressure cookers costing \$12.56 each, which were used "for slop jars."

From the American Farm Bureau Federation, each House member received a written request for curtailment of expenditures and support of the ban against sales of surplus commodities below parity. The bureau mentioned the F. S. A. and the rehabilitation loan program as particular places where economies could be effected.

Bennett Credits Jap Power To Simplicity of Methods

By the Associated Press.
SYDNEY, Australia, March 4.—Maj. Gen. Henry Gordon Bennett, the Australian commander who escaped from the Japanese after the surrender at Singapore and made his way back to Australia, said yesterday in an interview, "We underestimated the strength of the Japanese Army."

This strength, he added, "lies not so much in its soldiers as in the simplicity of its methods."

Discussing the lost Malayan campaign, Gen. Bennett said the difficulty for the British and Australian forces was "the complicated system we have evolved in our army which makes rapid co-ordination difficult."

"Each Japanese soldier," he said, "carried an air-tight tin of raw rice making him independent of the army food supply services."

"They used mortars which were easily transportable in the jungle. Practically the only artillery they used was that captured from our forces."

The general said another striking feature of Japanese tactics was the speed with which they called up air support.

"In fact, he said, "the Japanese based their whole campaign on methods used by the Germans in Holland, Belgium and Norway, although the fifth column in Malaya has been greatly exaggerated."

Missing Persons

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

Dorothy McVey, 14; 4 feet 11 inches, 110 pounds, blue eyes, auburn hair; wearing blue and white dress, patent leather shoes, tan coat, blue sweater; missing from 2004 First street N.W. since Monday. She was with Ruth Lee Torbet, 11; 5 feet 3 inches, 110 pounds, brown hair, prominent dimple; wearing dark red coat, red sweater, blue skirt, tan slippers; missing from 325 V street N.E.

Juanita Salguero, 15; 5 feet 4 inches, 110 pounds, brown eyes and hair; wearing red and black sport coat; carrying small suit case with air-mail stamp on side; missing from 308 Thirty-fifth street N.E. since Monday.

John Wesley Kulp, 15; 5 feet 2 inches, 110 pounds, brown eyes and hair; eyes crossed, wears glasses; wearing green and brown mixed trousers, sleeveless sweater, gray and blue plaid polo jacket, green shirt, light tan socks, tan shoes; carrying small black suit case; missing from 2012 Monroe street N.E. since Monday.

Elmer Byers, 13; 5 feet 97 pounds, blue eyes, light brown hair; wearing brown jacket, brown mixed tweed trousers, brown high-topped shoes, red and gray cap; missing from Arlington since yesterday.

Isabel Childress, 48; 5 feet 5 inches, 140 pounds, brown eyes, black hair; wearing black coat, dark blue dress and black hat; missing from 1710 Sixth street S.W. since Saturday.

Charles W. Daley, 42; 5 feet 8 inches, 140 pounds, blue eyes, gray hair; wearing grayish-green suit, gray hat, dark overcoat; missing from 3809 Georgia avenue N.W. since Monday. He is in ill health.

Lucille Fleming, 24; colored; 5 feet 7 inches, 120 pounds, dark skin; wearing brown plaid coat, black dress with white dots, black and brown shoes; missing from 1304 R street N.W. since Friday.

Medium Tanks' Mass Production Begun in Midwest

By the Associated Press.
A new Midwestern plant has come into mass production of M-4 medium tanks, the War Production Board disclosed yesterday. It withheld the name and location of the plant.

The M-4, which will supersede the familiar M-3, is cast and welded instead of riveted construction, for greater strength and safety; it has a lower silhouette and carries its major weapon, a 75-mm. cannon, mounted in the revolving turret instead of the hull.

Production Director William H. Harrison said the M-4 was "fore-runner of thousands of similar design that will be built this year" as part of the 45,000 tanks set as the 1942 goal by President Roosevelt.

Japs Have Leases On Strategic Areas In California

Beaches Which Could Be Used for Landings Included in Holdings

By the Associated Press.
LOS ANGELES, March 4.—Southern Californians, who long have known that Japanese had infiltrated into defense vital areas, had that fact emphasized with startling clarity today. District Attorney John Dockweiler's office exhibited a map showing Japanese hold leases on land in or adjoining nearly every strategic region hereabouts.

Japanese, alien as well as American-born, leased all of the strategic shoreline of the Palos Verdes Hills. Some outposts of the harbor defense setup are in that area. Land under lease includes beaches which could be used for military landings, largely concealed by cliffs.

Other Leases.
Other Japanese leases include land in or adjoining these vital resources: Every railway line in Los Angeles County.

Owens Valley Aqueduct, which furnishes water to Los Angeles and many other cities in the county. Every major highway. Power line rights of way. Vultee, Douglas and Lockheed aircraft factories.

Heart of the Signal Hill oil field and adjacent to Long Beach Municipal Airport.

Virtually every major refinery and oil tank farm in the harbor area. The map also shows that Japanese hold a mile-square, flat, semi-desert tract northwest of Lancaster which could be converted into a military flying field.

The map was prepared at request of the State Attorney General's office for investigation of possible illegal leases—those obtained in one person's name but actually exercised by another. A few such have been reported.

Recapture Possible.
If fraud is proved the land would escheat to the State.

Japanese aliens have been removed from a few of the areas, such as the harbor, defense plants and Los Angeles Municipal Airport. Their American-born countrymen also must quit these regions soon under a new ruling of Lt. Gen. John L. DeWitt of the Western Defense Command. Palos Verdes Estates Co. said a few days ago it had canceled all leases to Japanese.

Tom Clark, alien control co-ordinator for the Pacific Coast, indicated that Japanese who are removed from prohibited areas will not be taken out of California.

Mr. Clark said at least two areas are being prepared for agricultural workers, one of which will provide 17,000 acres and the other 40,000 acres for cultivation.

Other Japanese will be given opportunities for work in machine shops and other industries, and their families will be cared for by the Government for the duration of the war.

The seized ship, now named the Puebla, then proceeded to Tampico, going slowly because of the damage due to her machinery by her German crew before Mexico seized a dozen Axis merchant ships harbored at Tampico and Veracruz last spring.

Mexico has severed relations with the Axis powers, but has not declared war.

Because of damage to electrical installations the Puebla carries no passengers, and it was reported two months of repair work will be required before she will undertake another trip.

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Nats Are Angling for Newsom, Tigers' Pitcher, With Holdout Leonard as Bait

Win, Lose or Draw

By FRANCIS E. STAN. Star Staff Correspondent

Over the Waves on Another Mission. STUART, Fla., March 4.—The barracuda roared toward and plunged into the foaming waters over the reef and then, as its propeller bit into the black sea, settled into stride.

It was night and the 40-foot barracuda was running without lights and with a sealed radio. The outriggers were pinned back because this wasn't a hunt for sailfish. This was a search for humans swimming from a fluming oil slick.

It was the second torpedoing of an American tanker off the St. Lucie Inlet in 21 hours and Ted Preston, one of the youngest sport fishing captains at Stuart, headed in the direction where, only a short time before, natives on the shore had seen a ship ablaze.

But the young captain was wrong. Ted Preston and the other charter boat captains who roamed the ocean that night and the night before in craft ranging from 30 to 42 feet in search of survivors, were dead wrong. The next morning paunchy business men and their bespectacled wives filled at least 14 boats to drag hunks of mullet over the waves which had witnessed the torpedoing of the S. S. Republic and the W. D. Anderson.

Just Plain, Old-Fashioned American Cussedness. The fishing wasn't up to the Stuart standard, when 100 or more sailfish a day are not uncommon. Perhaps a sub lurked 50 feet below, awaiting nightfall. Perhaps the cold wind from the North made the day unsuitable. There were plenty of sharks and porpoises but few sails.

It seemed to be a phenomenon of a sort. Perhaps it was it-can't-happen-to-me. Perhaps it was kin to what motivated Americans to stand for hours awaiting the privilege of passing Valentino's bier. The boat captains and the natives didn't pretend to be able to break it down and analyze it. "Maybe," one of them said, "it's just plain, old-fashioned American cussedness. Maybe a lot of these people simply said to themselves, 'No damn U-boat is going to scare me off my own water when I want to go fishing.' I don't know."

But they still went out into the night. Those boat captains, in our book, rate a salute. When a torpedo shook the town of Stuart, rattling windows and shaking dishes, they raced for their craft, took aboard city officials and any volunteers, and boldly raced across a reef that sometimes is treacherous in daytime. No lights. No radio. Sealed by Navy orders, nor even a rifle or a .38, also banned to civilians. Nothing except the hope of saving some lives.

The lone survivor of the Anderson was saved by a fishing boat, an open craft with the short outriggers that mark the commercial blues hunters. After two hours of swimming grimly from the flaming oil that sent streaks of death within feet of him, the survivor was picked up and later transferred to a Coast Guard cutter. The crew of a fishing boat tentatively claimed to have seen a submarine, or a reasonable facsimile, in the moonlight, but all along the coast, from West Palm Beach to Melbourne, the boat captains and volunteers, entirely sans portfolio, went out whenever they felt they might help.

N.T.S. Boxing Hangs in Balance As Service Regains McGeever. Coach Due to Return to Cavalry This Month And Two A. A. U. Champs May Go With Him. Bill McGeever, the old cavalryman, is slated to return to the Army sometime this month and the youngsters who make up the National Training School boxing team are wondering if it means the end of their potent mitt-slinging squad and some mighty happy days for them.

Bill isn't glad to be going, but he's a soldier at heart, with 12 years' service behind him, and when his Uncle Sam is in trouble he figures he belongs back in the ranks—the front ranks. It is possible that both Dick Mullen, 112-pound champion of the city's simon-pures, who currently is engaged in defending his title in the District A. A. U. tournament, and Gene Miller, a hard-hitting 118-pounder, will go with their coach. If so, this tournament will make their final appearance in a Washington ring for some time.

Both Have Tough Battles. Both have tough fights coming up Friday night. Miller is down for a return bout with John (Cotton) Corbin, whom he knocked out for the Golden Gloves novice title last month, and Mullen will face clever Jim Jeannette, the Tommy Loughran of the Apollo Club.

Boxing has been a fixture on the National Training School sports calendar since 1938, when McGeever organized the first team, and each passing year has seen it increase in popularity. The school now enters the largest teams in both Golden Gloves and A. A. U. tournaments. This year the boys are in the forefront of the scramble for novice team honors. They want to present the trophy to McGeever as a testimonial to him.

Bill spent all of his years in the service at nearby Fort Myer, where he began his hitch at the tender age of 17. He hadn't been on a horse before and was terrified the first time he bigger sounded "Boots and Saddles," but he survived to become an expert horseman and all-around athlete. He boxed, played football, basketball and baseball and was one of the best athletes at the post.

Dad Made Him Stick. He didn't like Army life at first and, anxious to get out as soon as possible, wrote to his father asking him to "buy" him out at the end of his first year, which is permissible. But his dad wouldn't hear of it. A couple of years in the service would do him good, he wrote, tacking on a significant P. S. that went something like this: "I wouldn't advise just picking up and leaving. Those folks don't like it."

In returning to the Army McGeever is taking with him the best wishes of the city's amateur fans and fighters alike. If it's real soldiers the country needs, it's getting a real one in him.

Real one in him. Rosser Kilbourne Tops Luisetti in Scoring. Bob Kilbourne, Emory and Henry's all-State forward, has scored 1,657 points in four years on the college hardwoods, a total well above that of Hank Luisetti, big Californian, whose 1,531 set a record and amazed the cage world a few years ago.

Scarborough to Get Slab Test Against Yankees. Sundra and Masterson Also to Pitch in first Game Next Monday. Nat bosses, for to date he has appeared to be the most promising member of the rookie pitching crop. Sundra and Masterson are more advanced than their mates, who have been hampered by cold, windy weather. Steve and Walter were here many weeks ago when the sun was shining and they are tuned for the test. The Yankees may present no awe-inspiring team, incidentally, for among those still holding out are Joe Di Maggio, Charley Kel-

Deal for Hurler Is Likely to Be Made Monday

York, Husky Slugger, Also May Be Picked Up by Washington. By BURTON HAWKINS, Star Correspondent.

ORLANDO, Fla., March 4.—Blustery, colorful Buck Newsom, the Marco Polo of baseball, is the current object of affection of the Nats' Clark Griffith. The big, noisy pitcher, who has labored for 14 clubs in his career, will do his tossing for Washington this season if Griffith and Business Manager Jack Zeller of the Detroit Tigers complete current negotiations.

Zeller, who has been quoted to the effect that "Rudy York, Bucky Newsom and Billy Sullivan may be included in a big deal that may be announced within a week," will arrive here today for a conference with Griffith and an exchange of complete current negotiations.

The Tigers have requested Griffith to take his pick of First Baseman York or Pitcher Newsom, both holdouts, in trade for Pitcher Dutch Leonard, who has failed to sign a contract with the Nats. Sullivan, Detroit's second-string catcher, is regarded as toss-in material in any large deal.

Newsom, who won only 12 games and lost 20 last season after winning 21 and dropping only five in 1940, has refused to take a \$19,000 salary slice. He made \$30,000 last year but the Tigers offer this season is \$11,000 and Bucky Bucky does not like it.

\$5,000 Cut Offered Sullivan. Sullivan, who would be attractive to the Nats in that he frequently has played third base—Washington's weakest spot—also is being requested to take a huge salary cut. Billy York, who would play third base (he has on occasion) but Sullivan wouldn't do us any good. I'm willing to string along with our three young catchers."

Williams Disappears; Army Deferment Is Put at His Door. One of Several Reports Has Him Confering at Great Lakes Station. By the Associated Press. MINNEAPOLIS, March 4.—Whereabouts of Ted Williams, slugging Boston Red Sox ballplayer, was somewhat of a mystery today, with some folks who should know giving out conflicting reports.

From his hotel in Princeton, Minn., where he has been doing some hunting this winter, came the declaration that Williams was not "expected back until Thursday." At a friend's house last night, the statement was made that he had "left for Minneapolis."

Friends in Minneapolis, moreover, insisted he had left for the Red Sox training camp at Sarasota, Fla., and intimated he might stop at the Great Lakes (Ill.) Naval Training Station to confer with officials there.

At any rate, Williams could not be located in this area. Discussion regarding Williams' draft status, which had simmered since he was classified as 3A, reclassified as 1A, and then put in 3A again on an appeal, flared anew yesterday when Col. J. E. Nelson, head of the State selective service setup, called in newspapermen and said the ballplayer had sought deferment because of his recently divorced mother.

Col. Nelson's statement, made "just to keep the records straight," followed that of Herbert W. Estrem, Government appeal agent for draft board No. 6 here, in which Estrem said he had investigated Williams' case on his own initiative. Estrem said he set the appeal machinery in motion with Williams consent because he (Estrem) felt Williams' mother's welfare might be endangered by the ballplayer's loss of income.

"It should be stressed that he consented to the appeal," Estrem said. "I think the word 'request' is too strong although technically he did request it. That is the only way an appeal could be taken."

Hockey Title Won, Teeth Restored. NEWTON, Mass., March 4.—Now that Boston College has won its third straight New England Interscholastic Hockey League championship, star left winger, Coach Nick Altrock pulled on a Washington uniform yesterday for the first time since the fall of 1940. The ancient comedian tested his injured ankle in baseball spikes for only a few moments, returning to the clubhouse to escape the chilling wind. Altrock, incidentally, is no novice on a pool table. He owns a high roller of 72 for straight pool and also knows the angles in three-cushion billiards.

Card Basketers Tune For Tourney Tilting In Game at Navy. Catholic University cagers were to play Navy at Annapolis this afternoon in a tune-up clash for both teams, with Navy expected to get the most benefit from the contest. The Middies end their season against Army on Saturday, while the Cardinals go after the Mason-Dixon crown in the tournament beginning tomorrow at Baltimore.

The tourney line-up was completed last night when Washington College defeated Johns Hopkins. The Shoremen play in tomorrow's first game against Loyola, defending champion. American U. faces Mount St. Mary's in the second game. Western Maryland comes up an hour later against Delaware, and the Cardinals tangle with Randolph-Macon in the night-cap.

American U.'s scheduled game against Swarthmore was postponed until next Tuesday as the Eagles could be fresh for the tournament.

A NEW ANGLE ON AN OLD PROBLEM

—By JIM BERRYMAN



A QUARTET OF EX-MAJOR LEAGUE PLAYERS, NOW IN "SPRING TRAINING," HEARS THE HEART-RENDING NEWS THAT SOME OF THEIR FORMER COLLEAGUES ARE BEING MISTREATED FINANCIALLY

Trades Make Giants Stronger Ball Club, Records Indicate

Finer Spirit Also Is Seen in Players With Ott in Charge of Operations. By GAYLE TALBOT, Associated Press Sports Writer. MIAMI, Fla., March 4.—The one thing that can be said for sure about the New York Giants of 1942, providing they complete their spring training without freezing to death, is that they will be a better ball club than they were last season.

That is not giving the Giants any of the best of it, because they were pretty bad last season and for two seasons before that. They were, to be explicit, a second-division ball club in the National League.

But they are going to be better. How much better is anybody's guess. This observer just after having watched them spill a couple of exhibition games to the champion Brooklyn Dodgers in Havana, has a strong hunch they will pull up into fourth place under the inspiring leadership of their new manager, Mel Ott.

Ott is one of those all too rare instances in baseball where the right and deserving man gets the job. The manager's mantle had been promised at various times to several others, including Gabby Hartnett, but President Horace Stohamek, much to his credit, stuck by the boy from Louisiana.

Players Like Ott. It takes no more than a day around the Giants' camp to see that his choice was the correct one. Without being unfair to any one, it is obvious that the whole outfit is happier and more harmonious under Ott than it was under Bill Terry. One of the club's stars said, frankly, that he expected to have a much better season than he had last year because of the change in pilots. As for cause of the change in pilots, as far as he is supremely content in his new job as general manager, and the general opinion is that he will make a good one. So it was a good swap all around.

Perhaps of equal importance to the choice of a manager, the Giants dug up some money during the winter that nobody knew they had and permitted Ott to go out and get himself some players. He did all right with it, too. He bought himself a batting line-up that will drive in a lot of runs. He didn't get any pitchers, which is what the Giants need most of all, but he snared some veteran hitters who will ease the burden on the existing mound staff, such as it is.

Vets Apt to Sparkle. From Cincinnati he obtained Bill Werber to play third base. From the St. Louis Cardinals he got Johnny Mize, a great big man who can hit a ball a long way and play an acceptable first base in between times. And from the Chicago Cubs he wrangled Hank Leiber, who, if he has recovered from a "beaning" he got last year, will give the Giants another power hitter in their outfield.

Now, everybody knows that none of those three is the ball player he was a few years ago. If he had been, the Giants never would have got him. But neither does anybody know that one or all three of them will not come up with a great season. It has happened before. If it happens this time, then the Giants will be far from a soft touch. A pitcher like Carl Hubbell, for instance, might turn in and win 12 or even 15 games if he had a crew

Table with 4 columns: Player Name, G, P, B, R. Lists statistics for various players including Werber, Mize, Leiber, and others.

G. W. Tossers to Rest At Raleigh Until Tourney Starts

Knox Is Main Problem In Facing W. and M. Tomorrow Night. Now en route for Raleigh, N. C., and their first Southern Conference basketball championship tournament, George Washington's courtmen plan rest and relaxation to-night and all day tomorrow to get on their feet for tomorrow night's start of title competition. A little foul shooting just before their game will be the Colonials only warmup.

A marked team since it handed Duke, tournament favorite, its only setback on the regular schedule, G. W. has been seeded No. 2 and plays in tomorrow's featured spot on a 4-game program against William and Mary. If successful, it goes against the North Carolina-Wake Forest winner in Friday's semifinal.

Their main problem tomorrow night figures to be Glen Knox, William and Mary scoring ace. The team and Mary scored 38-37 in a record compared to the 8 and 3 mark by the Colonials.

George Lentz, G. W. trainer, who is making the trip with Coach Bill Reinhardt and the Colonial squad, spent much of yesterday working on Matt Zunic's shoulder. The Colonial ace definitely was off form against Georgetown Monday night and has been ailing since the V. M. I. game.

Borican in Mile Event At Chicago Relays

By the Associated Press. CHICAGO, March 4.—John Borican, twice winner of the 1,000-yard event in the Chicago relays, will get his chance at the Banker's Mile this year. Relay officials said today they had granted Borican's request to run the mile, in which he will be opposed by Indiana's Campbell Kane, defending titleholder.

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Attention Ready To Bid for Win In Widener

Colt Is Hard to Beat, Say Jockey Meade, Trainer Hirsch. By JOHN WILDS, Associated Press Staff Writer.

MIAMI, Fla., March 4.—The public's money will be riding on Market Wise in Saturday's \$50,000 Widener Handicap, but another horse has the cagey bettors at Hialeah Park worried. They are keeping a wary eye on Mrs. Parker Corning's Attention, and the trainer and jockey agree that they'd better.

The bay colt started for the first time this winter last Saturday against the best horses in the Widener field, and finished a strong second—2 lengths behind Market Wise. "I never hit him once," Jockey Don Meade revealed today. "Attention can win the Widener. I never had ridden him before, but I know now that he is a good horse."

Trained for Widener. "I think he can run his best race coming from behind, but he's a good front runner, too. He can go either way." Max Hirsch, the veteran trainer who has saddled some of the top thoroughbreds during his long career, said Attention will be in the pink.

"We have been training him a long time with the Widener in mind," Hirsch said. "I think the public would be justified in figuring that he has as good a chance as any horse in the race." The 4-year-old colt has run only 14 times, yet won 7 races. He was second three times and ran out of the money on only four occasions.

Scored in Big Stakes. Attention's total winnings of \$83,506 came mostly from his triumphs in three big stakes—the National Stallion at Belmont and the United States Hotel at Saratoga as a 2-year-old and Arlington Classic as a 3-year-old. He beat Whirlaway in the last.

Attention will go to post Saturday as an entry with Arnold Hanger's Dit, and Hirsch warned against holding his running mate too lightly. "Dit isn't just a sprint horse," the trainer commented. "He definitely has a chance."

And remember this, having Dit in the entry won't hurt Attention any."

Tom T. K. O.'s Dick As Brothers Fight

By the Associated Press. ATLANTA, March 4.—Brotherly love took an awful licking when Tom and Dick Davis met last night in the Southeastern Golden Gloves boxing tournament. For two rounds 15-year-old Dick deluged his 16-year-old brother with head and body blows. Dick, who weighs 124 pounds, tired in the third round and Tom, a 125-pounder, opened up. Dick hit the canvas twice before the referee stopped the battle and awarded Tom a technical knockout.

Golf for 1942

While most of the local golf courses will have their facilities over-taxed this coming year, there is one Country Club that has a limited number of memberships available to gentiles only where the initiation fee and dues will run as low as \$35 a year including all social activities. If you intend to play golf this season it will be to your advantage to get the full particulars at once. For full information address box 496-J, STAR.

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Higher Costs, Taxes Cut Utility Nets In January

Three of Four Capital Firms Show Declines From Year Ago

By EDWARD C. STONE. Three of Washington's four big utility corporations had slightly lower net earnings in January this year than a year ago...

Chesapeake & Potomac Telephone Co. net earnings totaled \$160,801, against \$169,088 in January of a year ago...

American Stores Co. earned \$1.66 on the common stock in 1941, against 76 cents in 1940...

Farm Incomes Up Sharply. Farmers received more cash income in 1941 than in any year since 1920...

Barber & Ross Has Good Year. Barber & Ross Co. dealers in building materials, reported an unusually good year...

Class I railroads in the Southern district in January, 1942, had an estimated net income, after interest and rentals, of \$6,300,000 compared with \$5,600,000 in January 1941...

Retired Banker Honored. Members of the Washington Stock Exchange, at a special meeting yesterday afternoon, tendered a reception to C. J. Gockeler, retired Washington banker now living in New Jersey...

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Profit Taking Halts Stocks' Effort to Extend Upturn

Fractional Losses Prevail At Close; Rail Bonds Make Slight Gain

By VICTOR EUBANK. Associated Press Financial Writer. NEW YORK, March 4.—Stocks made a brisk try today at extending Tuesday's uptick...

Dealing again lagged with the total at around 400,000 shares. Buying was held at low ebb...

Cement Survey Studied. Holders of building equipment shares were heartened by a survey indicating demand for cement this year...

Rail Bonds Improve. Railroad bonds showed most improvement in today's market while small changes either way ruled in other groups...

Washington Exchange SALES. Washington Gas pfid.—33 at 100 1/2. Capital Transit Co.—33 at 100 1/2.

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CHICAGO GRAIN. CHICAGO, March 4.—Lack of Washington developments regarding pending farm legislation and weakness in the market imparted an easier tone to the grain markets at the close today.

Bonds

By private wire direct to The Star. Approximate Transactions Today. Domestic Bonds—6,900,000. Foreign Bonds—670,000. U.S. Gov't Bonds—160,000.

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Wider Bank Services Urged To Assist War Program

By the Associated Press. NEW YORK, March 4.—W. Randolph Burgess, vice chairman of the National City Bank, today advised bankers to help in the war program...

Speaking before a war credit clinic of New England and Middle Atlantic States bankers, sponsored by the American Bankers' Association...

Mr. Burgess said banks were the principal link between the Treasury and the investor and industry to assist war production...

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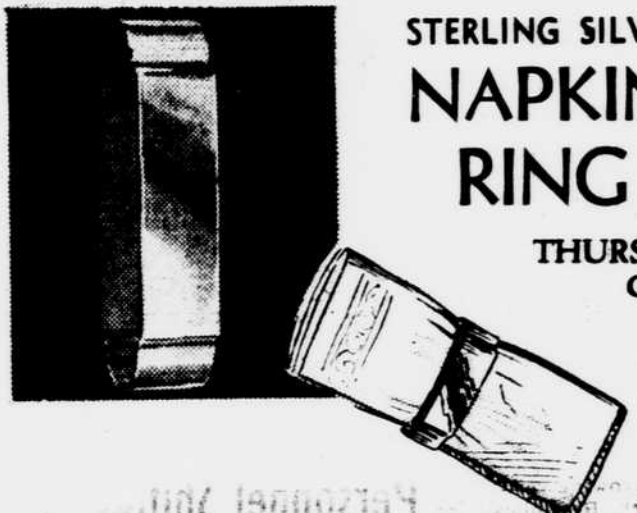
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D. A. R. Congress To Meet Here Despite Crowds

Hotels Hold Up Room Reservations; 2,000 Expected

The Daughters of the American Revolution are going ahead with plans to hold their annual Continental Congress in Washington this April as usual, but, barring something short of a miracle, no housing accommodations will be available for a great many of the delegates planning to attend the convocation, it appeared today.

The situation came to light when it was learned that the city's hotels, which in past years have been able to care for thousands of visiting delegates during the traditional meetings, have been flayed by war-time demands on their facilities to cut D. A. R. reservations to a point where less than 500 rooms are now booked for delegates.

This is about one-fourth the number which in normal times would be reserved for D. A. R. members. In January, 665 rooms were being reserved, but since that time, two hotels cancelled all of their reservations so that those rooms would be available for men coming here on essential Government business. The Willard Hotel cancelled 48 reservations and the Hay-Adams House 26, dropping the D. A. R. "reserve" to 480 rooms.

Private Homes Sought. The Mayflower Hotel, which in former years has accommodated 350 or more delegates, was able to accept reservations for only 40 rooms this year.

Foreseeing the difficulty of obtaining hotel rooms, the District Chapter of the D. A. R. in cooperation with the Greater National Capital Committee of the Board of Trade, some time ago set up a Hospitality-Accommodations Committee to try to find living quarters in the homes of local D. A. R. members for visiting delegates. But this, apparently, is helping little to solve the problem.

Miss Luella P. Chase, chairman of the Hospitality-Accommodations Committee, said they had had the promise of 250 rooms in private homes of D. A. R. members, but that this was not "holding" up. Since being offered, Miss Chase explained, many of the rooms have been rented to Government war workers.

In addition, a lot of the available rooms in private homes are in the suburban areas and out-of-town D. A. R. women are not anxious to take them because of the distance to the scene of the society's sessions.

"Our people are used to hotel rooms here," Miss Chase said. But requests for rooms continue to pour in from members unable to obtain hotel accommodations. Russell Schneider, manager of the Greater National Capital Committee, said he has been getting about 25 requests every day.

Normally, the annual Continental Congress brings between 3,500 to 4,500 delegates from all sections of the country, but because of the war this year, the attendance is expected to be around 2,000. Even this number, however, appears to be more than can be accommodated.

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Tenants Ignore Blackout; Hotel Cuts Off Power

Residents in one entire wing of the Shoreham Hotel were forced to do without lights for virtually the entire night when occupants in several apartments refused to comply with blackout restrictions. About 135 apartments were affected.

A switch controlling lights in the wing was first called into action when lights glowed from several apartment windows shortly after the blackout began at 8 p.m. The lights were shut off for about an hour and a half while the apartment occupants were warned again to black out.

When the power was turned on again, some apartments in the wing persisted in keeping their lights on, so hotel officials promptly threw the switch again and the time they were playing for keeps. The power was not turned on again until 6 a.m., when the blackout officially ended.

Under regulations announced last Saturday, tenants are responsible for blacking out their own apartments.

U. S. Opens Trust Trial Charging Conspiracy To Fix Bread Prices

Four Chain Groceries And Two Bakery Unions Among Defendants

With selection of a jury under way this morning, the Government opened before Justice T. Alan Goldsborough in District Court its anti-trust case in which four chain groceries, two local bakery unions, three other corporations and a dozen individuals are indicted on charges of conspiring to hold up the price of bread in the Capital.

Representing the Government are Special Assistant to the Attorney General Victor O. Waters and Special Attorney Warren P. Cunningham of the Anti-Trust Division of the Justice Department.

A distinguished array of defense counsel included Joseph A. Padway, general counsel of the American Federation of Labor, William E. Leahy and William Hughes, Jr. The indictment charges that parts of Maryland, Virginia and Delaware outside the District. Further, the Government contends, that since 1938 the four chains sold bread at uniform prices as part of the conspiracy and charged more than in Maryland, Virginia and Delaware for a similar product. Before 1938, the Government asserts, the price of bread here was lower than in the three States. Through the conspiracy, according to the Government, the A. & P. stores were prevented from selling a lower-priced brand of bread in the District, although it is generally sold in the surrounding territories.

Today's trial is the outgrowth of a Nation-wide investigation into charges of restraints in the distribution and sale of food products. At one time this morning, during attempts to obtain a jury, there were eight women in the jury box. But this was not final, as the challenge of prospective jurors went to about 2,000. Even this number, however, appears to be more than can be accommodated.

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The Agriculture Department official's criticism came at the second-day session of the Northeastern Dairy Conference in the Ambassador Hotel.

The most useful function, he declared, is to maintain fluid milk prices in "reasonable relation to all other prices, and to avoid the meteoric maladjustments which have characterized fluid milk markets so often in the past." He added that "ever-present in the industry is the temptation to use these regulatory programs as a barrier against the necessity for making adjustments in milk marketing and distribution practices."

Appeals to Consumers. Mr. Hendrickson also hit at producers who sell their skim milk at lower than production costs to compete with other markets, and accordingly raising fluid milk supplied consumers to make up for the first loss.

Commenting on a remark of Frank S. Walker, president of the Maryland and Virginia Milk Association and today's presiding officer, Mr. Hendrickson pointed out that the "press" was riding "the farmer." Mr. Hendrickson pointed out that consumers do not have an understanding or appreciation of farmers' problems that "beset them 24 hours a day." He said it was urgent that consumers appreciate these problems.

In stressing the importance of increased farm production for both domestic and foreign needs, Mr. Hendrickson declared that "we must be prepared to meet the sudden demands that may come from Russia and the other United Nations." While the need for greater production of evaporated milk for lease-lend purposes is uncertain, he said, "the picture can change quickly overnight."

Russia's Needs Growing. "Russia's food needs," he added, are "tremendous and growing very fast." Senator Brewster, Republican of Maine, addressing the gathering last night, warned that double our present industrial and agricultural production must be forthcoming this year if we are to take the offensive.

"Even America cannot lick the world with one hand, yet that is all we have been using up to the present time. Twenty-five per cent of our production devoted to defense is not sufficient to defeat either Germany or Japan," he declared. "Fifty per cent of our production must be devoted to offensive action."

Earlier in the day the dairy leaders heard sharp criticism of Government efforts to check farm prices and an appeal from the Agriculture Department for increased production to meet demands of the war emergency.

Assistant Secretary of Agriculture Grover B. Hill, asserting that the dairy industry was "very vital to the success of this war," told the dairymen they must find a way to increase production. "With growing shortages of labor, materials and equipment, you are going to have to carry on against such odds as never before," the assistant secretary said.

Blackout Supplies Rushed To Fill Most of Orders. A week-end rush on blackout supplies that lasted right up to the 8 o'clock deadline last night had Washington stores hard pressed to keep up with the demand, but emergency orders to New York City served generally to keep most shelves fairly well stocked.

One large downtown store reported it was cleaned out of materials at the end of each day for the last four or five days, but each morning had replacements by special shipments from New York. The largest demand was for black window shades, re-inforced paper and cloth, and flat black finish paint. Other items which sold in large quantities included candles, flashlights and lanterns.

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VIEWS IN THE NIGHT—Before starting their tour of inspection during last night's blackout test, Chairman McCarran of the Senate District Committee, James M. Landis, chief of the Office of Civilian Defense, and Commissioner Young (left to right) paused to look at the searchlight beams playing across the sky. (Story on Page A-1.)



Reports from area wardens kept the air-raid warden headquarters at 1341 Maryland avenue N.E. on the jump most of the night. Shown here (left to right) are Lt. Col. H. O. Atwood, Mary Mason, assistant chief air-raid warden; J. C. Varah, aide to Chief Warden Clement Murphy; Miss Elsie Ramby, switchboard operator, and G. R. Lyles. —Star Staff Photos.

Personnel Shifted After Increase in Coast Guard Power

Customs Service Work Also Rearranged Under Presidential Order

Personnel changes to carry out President Roosevelt's order centering more authority in the Coast Guard and rearranging the work of the Customs Service were under way today.

Personnel and duties of the Bureau of Marine Inspection and Navigation are being divided between the Coast Guard and Customs organization. The Coast Guard also is taking over training functions of the Maritime Commission and the authority over undocumented ships now in the hands of the Customs Service.

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Blackout Incidents Mere Dog Bite in Line of Duty Couldn't Keep Warden From Appointed Patrol

Long hours of vigil on the windy streets were not all that wardens endured during the blackout. One of them, Keith Lamb, Takoma Park (Md.) fire warden, was bitten by a dog while patrolling. He was treated at Washington Sanitarium and returned to duty.

In the 1300 block of Maryland avenue N.E.—right across the street from air-raid warden service headquarters—residents were awakened at 6 a.m. today by two men with the arm bands of the warden service. They were blowing police whistles and shouting "all clear—the end of the blackout period."

Ordered to report any unusual occurrences, Col. Joseph A. Bayer, deputy warden of the North Capitol area, reported a broken water main in the rear of the 100 block of Rhode Island avenue N.E. The warden relayed the information to the Water Department.

Defense Co-ordinator John Russell Young was indirectly responsible for one blackout violation last night. In the course of his tour, he stopped on the East-West highway to interview a group of wardens. The noise on the street led one woman to push aside her curtains, allowing light to stream from the apartment window. "She thinks it's an accident," said a warden hurrying off to warn her.

Supt. of Police Edward J. Kelly, who spent most of the night cruising about the city, stopped at the District Building to attend the conference of civilian defense officials, when the officials left the building that Maj. Kelly stepped out in the middle of the street to help one of his men direct the traffic.

The District Building was so dark that guards had to guide officials of the Civil War used the jug as a hiding place for whisky.

In 1824 Gen. Lafayette was met at the bridge by a Frederick dealer and escorted into the city. The span was considered as having had an important part in the battle of the Monocacy when approximately 2,500 Union soldiers, in July, 1864, held the spot against a strong Confederate force. Nearby residents recalled that two years ago a large tank truck with a load of road tar crashed through the stone railing, landed under the east span and caught fire. They advanced the opinion that tremendous heat generated by the burning tar may have weakened the bridge.

Frederick civic organizations asked that the bridge be rebuilt or replaced when it was closed to heavy traffic last month. However, Ezra B. Whitman, chairman of the Roads Commission, wrote to the Chamber of Commerce Monday that it would not be possible to contract for a new bridge because of a steel shortage.

Maj. Legendre Named Aide to Col. Bolles in Defense Setup

Former Infantry Officer Returns to Active Duty; Will Report at Once

Maj. Leonce Raoul Legendre, former infantry officer, today was ordered back to active duty and assigned to serve as assistant to Col. Lemuel Bolles, civilian defense director for the Metropolitan Area.

Col. Bolles said he had sought for some time to have an Army officer assigned as his assistant, but none had been available. He said he lately had recommended Maj. Legendre.

The orders to Maj. Legendre were issued by Maj. Gen. Milton A. Reckord, 3d Corps Area commander, with headquarters in Baltimore.

For some time Maj. Legendre served as a field man for the American Legion, assigned to his southern district, and some years ago was brought to Washington in connection with the Legion's rehabilitation service, which is conducted from offices at 1608 K street N.W.

Col. Bolles said Maj. Legendre's name has not been determined, but that he would be the second officer in command of the District O. C. D. under the general supervision of Commissioner Young as defense co-ordinator.

D. C. Red Cross Sent Clothing to Jacob Jones. Among the 5,533 knitted garments sent to service men by the District Red Cross during February, it was revealed yesterday, a large shipment of helmets and turtle-necked sweaters went to the U. S. S. Jacob Jones, sunk off Cape May last Saturday.

Along the first-aid front, the Red Cross has announced that DeWitt Coffman, senior assistant manager of the Mayflower Hotel, has been appointed chairman of volunteer first-aid detachments in office buildings, department stores, hotels and other large buildings.

Mr. Coffman will organize the hundreds of persons who have been taking Red Cross first-aid classes into detachments for service at the places where they live or work. After about 20 volunteers, 11 of whom must have had the advanced course, are enlisted in each group, they will be given supplementary training on injuries from fire, building collapse and other large-scale calamities.

Arlington Board to Hold Zoning Hearing Tonight. The fourth in a series of five hearings on the proposed master zoning plan for Arlington County will be held by the County Board at the courthouse at 7:30 o'clock tonight.

This session will be concerned with the area west of Glebe road between Lee highway and Lee boulevard. Edmund D. Campbell is board chairman.

Long Hearing Threatens on Prevailing Pay

Builders and Unions Clash in Session; Next Due Friday

The Labor Department hearing to determine wages to be paid here in the Government's huge defense housing program was adjourned late yesterday until Friday amid claims of union leaders that it will require from four to six weeks to hear testimony which "we will present in our fight for existence."

An all-day session to find what wage prevails in Washington for construction comparable to that which the Government will erect in its housing program was interrupted constantly by arguments and wranglings between union leaders and private builders. The situation was complicated by the admission of Ben Grodsky, Labor Department liaison officer on the "prevailing pay" issue, in its definition of the types of construction to be considered in arriving at the "prevailing" wage.

The final union outburst, a threat to halt Federal construction, including the War Department building in Arlington and bring in the workers to testify as to what they are being paid, was occasioned by what was called "irrelevant" evidence as to wages paid on the Carlyn, higher rent, privately built apartment houses on Rock Creek. The unions contended that admission of wage evidence on that apartment was not pertinent, or "no more so than wages paid for Army barracks, the War Department or any other monumental" Government office structure.

Private Residences Cited. Private builders sought to show that a majority of residential construction in the Washington area is built by labor paid considerably under the A. F. of L. union scale. The unions, represented in debate chiefly by John Locher and C. F. Preller, secretary of the Washington Building Trades Council and Frank R. Howard, business agent for the carpenters' union, argued that most building of a character similar to defense housing is done by union labor.

Mr. Grodsky, however, pointed out that Government housing projects in and around the city which he said were built at the union scale. The builders, represented by James Wilkes, counsel for the Washington Home Builders Association, pointed out that Government projects built far under the union scale. In his summary of union housing jobs Mr. Locher mentioned only one private project as being erected at union rates, the \$7,000,000 development of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co., which is just being started in Alexandria.

Rufus S. Lusk, real estate statistician, appearing for the builders, introduced a survey purporting to show that 40 per cent of private housing operations are considered "Maui" type projects erected by labor receiving under the union scale. His survey included more than \$49,000,000 in construction, representing 8,788 family dwelling units. Mr. Lusk said he had actual wage rates on only \$18,600,000 worth of that work.

Testimony Supported. Following his testimony, frequently interrupted by union leaders, the builders summoned witnesses to corroborate facts in the Lusk survey. These were builders whose projects were included in the survey, and all of their testimony tended to support his findings. Mr. Lusk said that private housing built last year built more than 20,000 dwelling units.

Though Mr. Licher's citation of union-built housing gave no overall tabulation of the number of dwelling units, a union spokesman said, latest that the number of units built last year was approximately 15,000. This figure, he said, includes the Metropolitan Life project, a neighboring development of "Defense Homes Corp., R. F. Suburban project, size of the Friendship project, also of D. H. C. all of which are just being started.

When the hearing began, Mr. Grodsky said that only projects comparable to Government low-cost housing would be considered. "Maui" type buildings, he said, would be excluded. He did not know how much, if any, of the housing under the pending \$70,000,000 Lanham bill A. D. A. would be called upon to build.

Indianhead Project Cited. Mr. Locher then testified that union contractors had erected about all of the temporary or demountable housing built in this section. He cited projects at Indianhead and Pine Point, down the Potomac, and a 70-unit project at nearby Forest Glen, Md. The builders introduced no evidence bearing directly on the temporary housing issue.

Seeking to clarify the situation, Mr. Grodsky announced that only two and three story apartments would be considered in arriving at the "prevailing" scale for permanent Government housing. Testimony proceeded along that line until late in the day, Mr. Wilkes, counsel for the builders, pointed out that the Lanham bill does not specify the type of housing to be built under it, nor does it limit the height of the buildings. It was at this point that union representatives threatened to bring in workers from the War Department and other projects to tell what they are being paid.

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Western Areas of Virginia, Maryland Dig Out of Snow

A March blizzard which struck Western Maryland and Virginia, from Cumberland as far south as Bristol brought a heavy snowfall...

One fatality, a filling station employee, Ben Norton of Wise County, Va., who fell through a skylight while cleaning snow from a roof...

Liquor Violation Laid To 3 in Prince Georges

Two men and a woman were charged by Prince Georges County police today with violation of the Sunday liquor sale ban...

Those accused are Edwin Good, 75, and Carl Setz, 50, of Oxon Hill, charged with permitting liquor sales on Sunday...

Chesterbrook P.-T. A.

Air raid precautions for school children will be discussed at the monthly meeting of the Chesterbrook P. T. A. Parent-Teacher Association...

'Lip' on Road Trips Arlington Motorists

Motorists and pedestrians in Arlington Village are complaining about the condition of Columbia pike these days. The State began widening the road last December...

Conviction of Bennett In Misfeasance Case Upheld by Court

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The Court of Appeals recently upheld convictions of one-time Commissioner Ernest M. Larimore, George E. Wright, Charles R. Parker, James S. Adkins and H. Lay Phillips.

Action of the Wicomico Circuit Court in overruling Bennett's demurrers to the last three counts in his indictment was sustained in an opinion by Associate Judge Stephen R. Collins.

"The defendant did not object to the sentence imposed by the trial court," Judge Collins said, "nor did he move to strike it out..."

Bennett had attacked the lower court's right to remove him from office, claiming the Wicomico court "was not authorized by law" to issue a removal order.

Shakerjian in Charge Of Edgewood Troops

EDGEMOND ARSENAL, Md., March 4.—Appointment of Brig. Gen. Haig Shakerjian as officer in charge of troops and training at this Army post was announced yesterday. Gen. Shakerjian will be in command of the Chemical Warfare School, the Enlisted Replacement Training Center and other schools at the post...

Virginia Welfare Unit Plea for Tires Refused

RICHMOND, Va., March 4.—Federal Price Administrator Henderson has refused an appeal from State Welfare Commissioner W. H. Stauffer for authority to purchase tires for his department.

Mr. Henderson wrote that "we are quite conscious of the many valuable services rendered by the State and local boards of public welfare, and we realize that these activities are certain to be retarded by lack of new tires."

"You will appreciate, I am sure, that the same is equally true of many other State activities as well as countless civilian activities which contribute to the war effort. The fact is that the tires are just not available."

Arlington Man Stabbed; Condition Is Serious

Howell S. Kopp, 44, of Arlington, was in a serious condition today in Casualty Hospital from a stab wound in the chest which he told police was inflicted by a 52-year-old woman.

Prince Georges Health, Welfare Budgets Offered

Total of Both Calls For Net Increase of About \$5,000 Budgets for the coming fiscal year for the county public health service and Welfare Board were presented to the Prince Georges County Commissioners yesterday at their meeting yesterday in Upper Marlboro. Both budgets were filed.

The Welfare Board, represented by B. W. Scholz, presented a budget amounting to \$69,804, a reduction of about \$1,000 under last year. Dr. John B. Evers presented the commissioners with a budget of \$20,600 for the public health service, approximately \$6,000 over last year's figure.

Dr. Evers pointed out that the budget provided for two additional nurses, at a salary of \$1,500 annually, bringing the total for the county up to nine. Since the county has a population of more than 100,000, and since one nurse per 10,000 population is not unusual, Dr. Evers said that the figure was not extraordinary.

Provides Sanitary Inspector. A sanitary inspector is also provided in the budget for the public health service. Dr. Evers pointed out that the salary for this office will be supplied by fees set forth in the plumbing code which the commissioners adopted at last week's meeting, he said.

Dr. Evers also declared the increase in the budget was necessitated because of the raise in salaries for secretaries because of the competition of high salaries in the District.

The public health service has been expanded during the last year, he said, to care for men classified as I-B by their draft boards who are sent to county clinics for rehabilitation.

Mr. Scholz asked if his budget could not be reduced since more jobs were now available, said that the only people now being aided by the Welfare Board were non-employable—the blind, the aged and the infirm. He stated that although living costs have increased, the Welfare Board would not be able to increase its assistance.

Montgomery Rations 96 Tires in Week; Seven Autos Asked

Silver Spring Trucker Authorized to Buy Casings and Six Tubes Purchase of 96 tires and 53 tubes was authorized last week by the Montgomery County Rationing Board, it was announced yesterday by Harry K. Rhodes, clerk to the board.

At the same time, Mr. Rhodes disclosed that seven applications for the purchase of new automobiles had been received. Rationing of new cars began Monday.

Those applying for certificates to purchase cars were Dr. Leon Salzman, assistant county health officer; John H. Small, 3d, George L. Bauer, Dr. Carden F. Warner, Ernest S. Rush, Phillip R. Souder and Philip E. Kearney.

Applicant for the largest number of tires last week was R. E. Latimer of Washington, whose trucks are stationed in Silver Spring, according to Mr. Rhodes. Mr. Latimer was authorized to purchase six truck tires and six tubes. Others who received authorizations to purchase new and retreaded tires and tubes were: W. Carroll Waters, Webster Sewell, David L. May, Gathersburg, Washington Grove Volunteer Fire Department, Nathan Hildebrand, Leroy Wachter, H. C. Chilson, Nora E. Dement.

L. E. Riggs, John J. Strahl, Andrew J. Boyd, Nelson S. Gallon, Charles E. Robinson, Harry J. Bennett, T. Lloyd Grubb, McKendree G. Fries.

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Maryland Gets Bids On Jones Bridge Road

BALTIMORE, March 4.—The M. J. Grove Lime Co. of Lime Kiln, Md., submitted to the State Roads Commission yesterday a low bid of \$32,863.50 to grade, drain and surface the relocated Jones Bridge road in Montgomery County from the Rockville pike 625 mile toward Connecticut avenue.

The commission advertised for bids on a protective lighting system on the Potomac River Bridge between Ludlow Ferry, Md., and Dahlgren, Va. Bids on the lighting system, a measure to protect the span from sabotage, will be opened March 17. Bids already have been received for lighting the Susquehanna River Bridge at Havre de Grace.

Church Dinner Set

The women of Walker's Chapel Methodist Church, Glebe and Dittmar roads, Arlington, are giving a dinner in the church basement from 8 to 9 p. m. tomorrow. Mrs. Herbert Todd is chairman of arrangements.



Views in the Night—Before starting their tour of inspection during last night's blackout test, Chairman McCarran of the Senate District Committee, James M. Landis, chief of the Office of Civilian Defense, and Commissioner Young (left to right) paused to look at the searchlight beams playing across the sky.



Reports from area wardens kept the air-raid warden headquarters at 1341 Maryland avenue N.E. on the jump most of the night. Shown here (left to right) are Lt. Col. H. O. Atwood, Mary Mason, assistant chief air-raid warden; J. C. Varah, aide to Chief Warden Clement Murphy; Miss Elsie Ramby, switchboard operator, and G. R. Lyles.

Blackout Incidents Mere Dog Bite in Line of Duty Couldn't Keep Warden From Appointed Patrol

Long hours of vigil on the windy streets were not all that wardens endured during the blackout. One of them, Keith Lamb, Takoma Park (Md.) fire warden, was bitten by a dog while patrolling. He was treated at Washington Sanitarium and returned to duty.

In the 1300 block of Maryland avenue N.E.—right across the street from air-raid warden service headquarters—residents were awakened at 6 a. m. today by two men with the arm bands of the warden service. They were blowing police whistles and shouting. It developed they were shouting "all clear"—the end of the blackout period.

Ordered to report any unusual occurrences, Col. Joseph A. Bayer, deputy warden of the North Capitol area, called air raid warden service headquarters to report a broken water main in the rear of the 100 block of Rhode Island avenue N.E. The warden relayed the information to the Water Department.

Defense Co-ordinator John Russell Young was indirectly responsible for one blackout violation last night. In the course of his tour, he stopped on the East-West highway to interview a group of wardens. The noise on the street led one woman to push aside her curtains, allowing light to stream from the apartment window. "She thinks it's an accident," said a warden hurrying off to warn her.

Supt. of Police Edward J. Kelly, who spent most of the night cruising about the city, stopped at the District Building to attend the conference of civilian defense officials. There was such a congestion of cars when the officials left the building, that Maj. Kelly stepped out in the middle of the street to help one of his men direct the traffic.

Arlington Board to Hold Zoning Hearing Tonight

The fourth in a series of five hearings on the proposed rezoning of the east span of historic Jug Bridge lay in the Monocacy River today, forcing traffic on Route 40 at that point to detour over State road No. 26 through Libertytown.

A 20-foot section of the 133-year-old stone structure collapsed last night just after an automobile had passed over it. Another approaching car was flagged to a stop in time and there was no accident.

Baltimore Utility Official To Get Lamme Medal

NEW YORK, March 4.—The American Institute of Electrical Engineers announced today that the 1941 Lamme Medal has been awarded to Forrest E. Ricketts, vice president of the Consolidated Gas, Electric Light & Power Co. of Baltimore. The award was made for his contribution to the high reliability of power-supply systems, especially in the design of apparatus for selective relaying and circuit reclosure.

Alexandria Club to Fete City Council Candidates

ALEXANDRIA, Va., March 4.—The Alexandria Young Democratic Club will host tomorrow night to the 12 candidates seeking Democratic nominations to the City Council in the annual primary on April 5. Each candidate will be called upon to state his platform. The club will meet at Gadsby's Tavern at 8 o'clock.

The candidates are: First ward, John D. Matter, incumbent, and Julian S. Beach, second ward, Paul L. Delaney, incumbent, unopposed; third, Ernest L. Mankin, incumbent, and James R. Lyles and John J. Ewald, fourth, George K. Bender, incumbent, and Samuel R. Luckett, fifth, James Armstrong, incumbent, and Everett A. Helmutz and Joseph H. Kretchmer, sixth, Charles L. Burgess, incumbent.

They are expected to announce their positions on a referendum for the proposed \$200,000 bond issue for parks and playgrounds. The council defeated such a referendum proposal several months ago.

Merle Thorpe to Speak At Arlington Banquet

Merle Thorpe, editor of Nation's Business, will deliver the main address at the annual banquet of the Arlington Chamber of Commerce the night of March 25 at Thomas Jefferson Junior High School. W. M. Stone is chairman of the Banquet Committee and E. G. Baldwin co-chairman.

\$20,000 Damage Suit To Be Heard March 17

ROCKVILLE, Md., March 4.—Hearings on a \$20,000 damage suit brought by Mrs. Marie Blanken, 25, of 4313 Fourth street N.W., against the county commissioners will begin March 17 in Circuit Court. Mrs. Blanken seeks compensation for injuries allegedly suffered when the car in which she was riding struck an exposed manhole cover on Lansdowne Way in Silver Spring on March 22, 1940.

Blackout Reveals Patent Office Unit as Perfect Bomb Target

When the Patent Office was moved to Richmond a month ago into quarters formerly occupied by a tobacco factory, the building on North Lombard street there was given a fresh coat of white paint. White paint had covered up red brick in a neighborhood greatly in need of improved physical appearances. The first large-scale Richmond blackout, however, revealed a bombing target so glaring that no enemy flyer hardly could miss seeing it. Hence the decision to paint the building a second time in less visible color.

Traffic Detoured by Collapse Of Jug Bridge Near Frederick

of the Civil War used the jug as a hiding place for whisky. In 1810, Gen. Lafayette was met at the bridge by a Frederick delegation and escorted into the city. The span was considered as having had an important part in the battle of the Monocacy when approximately 2,500 Union soldiers, in July, 1864, held the spot against a strong Confederate force. Nearby residents recalled that two years ago a large tank truck with a load of road tar crashed through the stone railing, landed under the east span and caught fire. They advanced the opinion that tremendous heat generated by the burning tar may have weakened the bridge. Frederick civic organizations asked that the bridge be rebuilt or replaced when it was closed to heavy traffic last month. However, Ezra B. Whitman, chairman of the Roads Commission, wrote to the Chamber of Commerce Monday that it would not be possible to contract for a new bridge because of a steel shortage.

Bill on Patent Law Practice Up in House

Special Virginia Legislation Moves To Passing Stage By ALEXANDER R. PRESTON, Staff Correspondent.

RICHMOND, Va., March 4.—Legislation making it legal for several hundred patent attorneys and agents to practice in Richmond as they did in the District of Columbia prior to moving a branch here, was scheduled for favorable action by the House of Delegates today.

A bill by Delegate Charles R. Fenwick and O. E. McCue, Jr., of Charlottesville, permitting such persons to practice patent law without being licensed attorneys at law by this State was advanced without objection to passing stage by the House.

Mr. McCue explained there are very few patent attorneys in Virginia who would benefit by the proposed law, but it would allow several hundred who live in Washington and Maryland to continue their practice in this State on payment of revenue license of \$15 annually. Virginia licensed attorneys would not be subject to additional fee.

Medley Bill Passed

The House passed and sent to the Senate a bill by Senator William D. Medley of Arlington authorizing a deduction of \$500 from gross income for tax purposes by persons receiving revenue license of \$15 annually. Virginia licensed attorneys would not be subject to additional fee.

The Fenwick bill authorizing the Governor to appoint commission areas in the State and appoint commissioners to fix rent ceilings was referred to a subcommittee of the House General Laws Committee yesterday afternoon.

The legislation designed to remove any doubt of the Governor's authority to control rent ceilings under powers granted by civilian defense legislation already passed by the General Assembly, Under Federal law, Administrator Leon Henderson can step in and control rents unless the State intervenes within 60 days after control areas are federally proclaimed.

The subcommittee is composed of Delegate William M. Ferguson of Newport News and James N. Garrett of Portsmouth.

Firearms Bill to Subcommittee

Also referred to a subcommittee of the General Laws Committee is the Rosenberg bill placing restrictions on the sale of firearms so as to require a 48-hour waiting period to police between applications for and purchase of such weapons. Mr. Rosenberg said the bill was introduced at the request of Alexandria Police Chief Edgar Sims.

Towns Committee, Cities and Towns Commission, also reported two McCandlish bills favorably. One permits Fairfax voters to determine one of three optional methods of selecting the County Board and the other bill authorizes the Fairfax County Board of Supervisors to license trailer camps.

Salary Bill Reported

The Senate Counties, City and Towns Committee reported the McCandlish bill authorizing a charge of building-permit fees for structures worth more than \$500 in Fairfax County. Another bill by Delegate Thomas B. Wolfe of Scott County, amended by Mr. McCandlish to permit the Fairfax County Board of Supervisors to receive salaries of from \$600 to \$2,200 each annually, was also reported.

Gov. Darden yesterday returned to the General Assembly an amendment the Fenwick bill authorizing banks receiving for deposit the funds of Arlington County to place securities with the State treasurer to insure such county deposits against loss. The bill provides that any suit against the State over the recovery of securities could be filed in the Circuit Court of the county, city or town where the county funds were deposited. Gov. Darden recommended that all such suits be brought in the Circuit Court of Richmond. The amendments were approved by both houses and the bill was returned to the Governor for his signature.

Fenwick Bill Killed

By a vote of 68 to 21 the House killed a bill by Mr. Fenwick and Delegates Walter Scott and Ben Chapman of Roanoke prescribing extensive penalties for cleaning establishments which use petroleum solvents. The Senate Finance Committee yesterday killed the bill by Senators Medley and G. E. Heller of Bedford to create a board for examination and licensing of plumbing, heating and air conditioning contractors.

The Senate Committee on Roads and Internal Navigation yesterday held a 2-hour hearing on the recommendations of the Fenwick commission for revision of licensing motor vehicle carriers and trailer trucks. Action on the legislation, which has already passed the House, was deferred until tomorrow afternoon.

The Senate also passed and sent to the House the Medley bill designed to revise and conform the State Corporation Commission laws to an act of 1930 reorganizing that commission.

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Ormandy Gives Magic Touch To Philadelphians' Concert

Playing by Arthur Rubinstein, Soloist, Helps Raise Program to New Heights of Musical Achievement

By ALICE EVERSMAN.

Houses were dark and silent in the city last night but at Constitution Hall the seriousness of the war order was forgotten and several thousand people were made oblivious of its grim import. It was the Philadelphia Orchestra's fourth concert of its local season and while the name of this orchestra and a perfect performance are synonymous, even the Philadelphians can surpass themselves, and Eugene Ormandy was in the mood to accomplish that result yesterday.

From start to finish, the performance glowed with life, reaching a more personal point in the superb playing of Arthur Rubinstein of the famed Tchaikowsky "Concerto No. 1 in B Flat Minor." Three Russian composers supplied the selections of the program covering a space of nearly a hundred years and joining the younger Prokofeff to the great contemporaries, Tchaikowsky and Rimsky-Korsakoff. From the very nature of their music, the concert was bound to be colorful, but without the artistic conception of Mr. Ormandy, who not only understood but felt every note he directed, its full beauty might have been obscured.

In choosing the Tchaikowsky concerto, Mr. Rubinstein had a medium for the full display of his great pianistic powers. The performance was of surpassing beauty, directed as it was by a temperament rich in fire and poetic feeling. It was brilliant on the mechanical side, but more impressive still was the surging emotion released in the first crashing chords and kept vividly alive throughout the entire work. It seemed without restraining boundaries, so broadly fashioned was Mr. Rubinstein's reading, yet free and outspreading as it was, the artist made his solo part fit superbly into the whole, giving the performance an unusual consciousness.

Hardly were the final notes sounded till applause broke forth with intensity, voicing the enthusiasm which his playing had aroused. Distorted as this beautiful work has been recently from its popularized version, Mr. Rubinstein restored it

to its primal beauty and the gratitude and appreciation of the audience could be felt in the manner of its reception. He was called back again and again, once bringing Mr. Ormandy, whose directing had given a glowing background, to share the ovation.

Prokofeff's "Classical Symphony" as opening number was sufficient to establish the style of the orchestra's performance. This attempt to out-Mozart Mozart is one of the cleverest

power of different solo instruments were given due contrast by a carefully subdued orchestra and this play of instrumental color was one of the arresting features of the reading. Particularly lovely was Alexander Hisberg's playing of the violin themes. His exquisite tone and musical feeling made his solo passages distinctive. Conductor and orchestra were acclaimed for several minutes after their noteworthy performance.

The blackout arrangements at Constitution Hall operated effectively and conveniently for the

patrons of last night's concert. No dimming of the lights was necessary in the auditorium, and the audience could circulate freely during intermission in the lobby, where blue globes gave sufficient illumination while the outside of the building conformed completely to the regulations.

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- William T. Parker, 18 430 8 1/2 st. s.w. and Gloria Semour, 18 308 H st. s.w.; the Rev. Samuel Kelley.
- James E. Perry, 30 and Carolyn V. Robinson, 24 both of 214 34 st. n.w.; the Rev. George A. Parker.
- Clarence J. Walker and Esther Mack, 30 both of 433 Delaware ave. s.w.; the Rev. Charles E. Moore.
- Ernest S. Baxter, Jr., 24 Port Belvoir and Eva E. Lee, 25 East Orange, N. J.; the Rev. Stephen G. Spoutwood.
- Carl D. Cogdell, 31 and Lillian A. Moore, 29 both of 807 1/2 st. n.w.; the Rev. Robert Anderson.
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- Billy G. Orlin, 21 1311 N. Capitol st. and Elsie M. Hardwick, 33 1524 Ouden st. n.w.; the Rev. Lindo Stevens.
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- Valentino G. Luzano, 37 and Mildred Lott, 22 both of 1747 F st. n.w.; the Rev. Walter W. Cranford.
- Thomas E. Gardner, 39 1753 T st. n.w. and Lillian V. Bell, 29 1943 Vermont ave. n.e.; the Rev. Arthur D. Gray.
- Frank Bullard, 21 68 O st. n.w. and South C. Perce, 20 40 the Rev. Smallwood Williams.
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- Roy Duder, 38 and Susie T. D. Holloway, 40 both of 822 Harvard st. n.w.; the Rev. Robert Anderson.
- Fred Armstrong, 29 148 N. C. ave. s.e. and Ethel Goldman, 28 1830 R st. n.w.; Judge Bentley.
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- Henry F. Douglas, 39 and Edna A. Reaser, 39 both of Pittsburg; the Rev. I. W. Ketchum.
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- John C. Oyster, 31 26 Hamilton st. n.w. and Lucille Brange, 41 425 Kansas ave. n.w.; the Rev. M. C. Elliott.
- Joseph E. Kooki, Jr., 25 1550 R st. n.e. and Fortia E. Price, 21 17th pl. n.e.; the Rev. John C. Ball.
- John P. Marshall, 24 Silver Spring, Md. and Marion McCaleb, 2003 Kalamazoo rd. n.w.; the Rev. Norman D. Cochran.
- Robert A. Davis, 21 Fort Myer and Regina C. Atkinson, 26 Alexandria; the Rev. J. C. Ball.
- George S. Alton, 25 and Kate A. Clayton, 26 both of Arlington; Judge Mattingly.
- Donald A. Baker, 28 832 20th st. n.w. and Dorine Hunter, 21 Toronto; the Rev. John E. Wallace.
- Albert C. Whitaker, Jr., 37 Wheeling, W. Va. and Katherine M. P. Thornburgh, 31 1040 Q st. n.w.; the Rev. Peyton R. Williams.
- David H. McGill, 30 Bolling Field and Frances L. Lynch, 25 Richmond, Va.; the Rev. John C. Ball.
- Harry J. Blackwell, 25 1504 44th st. n.w. and Elsie A. Adams, 21 Raleigh Hotel; the Rev. F. E. Warren.
- Richard W. Sanford, 25 Arlington Cantonment and Helen C. Parkinson, 25 Clarendon; the Rev. E. H. Pruden.
- Eugene G. Koser, 25 Bolling Field and Aileen Plunkett, 26 11 1/2 st. n.w.; the Rev. J. Lloyd Black.
- Dominic L. Negro, 29 920 L st. n.e. and Doris V. Dale, 18 1144 17th st. n.e.; the Rev. James A. Caulfield.
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Mrs. Wadden Gives Party At Congressional Club in Honor of Mother, Mrs. Pou

Ciechanowskis and A. J. Snows Entertain at Buffet Suppers After Philadelphia Concert

One of the very delightful parties of the late winter was given today by Mrs. Thomas Anthony Wadden in honor of her mother, Mrs. Edward William Pou, widow of the one-time dean of the House of Representatives, Representative Pou of North Carolina. Mrs. Pou and her husband long were popular in Washington where they have a host of friends not only in the congressional groups but in official and residential circles. Mrs. Wadden's party was a luncheon which she gave at the Congressional Club, an organization in which both Mrs. Pou and her daughter have taken an active part as long as they have been in Washington.

Receiving with the hostess and her mother were the former's daughter and son, Miss Caroline Thrie Pou Wadden, named for Mrs. Pou, and Mr. Edward Pou Wadden, who bears his grandfather's name.

Prominent North Carolinians Also Hold Reception at Club

Ranking guests were Mrs. James F. Byrnes, Mrs. Robert H. Jackson and Mrs. Patrick Jay Hurley, and others prominent in Washington society, including Mrs. Claude A. Swanson, Mrs. Daniel C. Roper and Miss Mabel Boardman, secretary of the American Red Cross.

A lively compliment was paid to these from her home served at small tables in the ballroom of the club at 2001 New Hampshire avenue N.W., were Mrs. Harlee Branch, Mrs. John McClure, Mrs. Allard H. Gasque, Mrs. Edward R. Stitt, Mrs. Ogilvie Shumate, Mrs. Frank Lyon, Mrs. James M. Soubey, Mrs. Robert Healy, Mrs. Clinton Tribby, Mrs. Adrian Busick, Mrs. Craig Peacock, Mrs. Charles M. Kappler, Mrs. John Davis, Mrs. Herbert Klaser and Mrs. Samuel Husbands. Also assisting the hostess were four of her fellow members of the American Red Cross Motor Corps, Mrs. L. E. Harris, who is chairman; Mrs. W. E. Leahy, Mrs. Frederick Neithamer and Mrs. Charles Haugen.

Ciechanowski Hosts At Buffet Supper

The Polish Ambassador and Mme. Ciechanowski were hosts at a buffet supper late last evening, entertaining in honor of their countryman, M. Arthur Rubinstein, famous pianist. The party followed the concert of the Philadelphia Orchestra in Constitution Hall, at which M. Rubinstein was the soloist, with Mr. Eugene Ormandy conducting. At the same time Mr. and Mrs. Ormandy shared honors with Dr. and Mrs. Carl McDonald, the former the manager of the orchestra, when Mr. and Mrs. Andrew J. Snow entertained in their home, on Reno road.

The Ambassador and Mme. Ciechanowski attended the concert and at the supper party later were assisted by members of the Embassy staff and their wives. They were accompanied to the concert by the Polish Minister of Foreign Affairs, Count Roczynski, who left later for Canada.

The Federal Security Administrator and Mrs. Paul V. McNutt, Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Edwin M. Watson and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Woodward were the ranking guests at the buffet supper given by Mr. and Mrs. Snow. Others included Miss Louise McNutt, Mr. and Mrs. Walter McKinney, Mr. and Mrs. Preston Kavanaugh, Mr. and Mrs. William S. Graham, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reimold Adams, Mrs. Nettie Reynolds, Capt. William Sweet and Mr. Lewis A. Matson.

Hitching Post Stolen

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP)—There's a forward-looking thief operating here. He stole an iron hitching post, fashioned into a horse's head at top, valued at \$30.



MRS. HARRY B. PARSONS. Before her recent marriage, Mrs. Parsons was Miss Mildred E. Crampton, daughter of Mrs. Sallie F. Barnes of Frederick, Md. Mr. Parsons is the son of Mrs. M. J. Parsons of Nampa, Idaho.

Weddings of Interest Miss Emily Laird Becomes Bride of Mr. Wheeler

Foundry Methodist Church was the scene of a lovely wedding on Saturday evening at 7 o'clock when Miss Emily Jane Laird, daughter of Mrs. Charles W. Laird of Crisfield, Md., became the bride of Mr. David J. Wheeler of New York City and Washington.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her brother-in-law, Mr. Howard H. Sheppe, wore a gown of ivory slipper satin trimmed with lace made with long sleeves and a long train with which she wore a single strand of pearls. Her finger-tip veil was held by a tiara of orange blossoms and she carried a shower bouquet of white roses and gardenias.

Miss Sara Laird of Crisfield was maid of honor for her sister, wearing a dress of mist blue mousseline de soie trimmed with lace and veiled with puffed sleeves, with hat to match. She carried a bouquet of pale yellow roses.

The other attendant, little Eleanor Ann Marshall of Crisfield, niece of the bride, acted as the flower girl. Her long taffeta dress was of pink and she carried a basket filled with tiny spring flowers and wore a head-dress of matching flowers and blue ribbon.

Mr. Richard K. Waldo was best man and the ushers were Mr. Oscar A. Gaskill, Jr. and Mr. John R. Wheeler, Jr., all of Washington.

A reception after the ceremony was held at the home of the bride's sister and brother-in-law at 9307 Saybrook avenue, Silver Spring. Mrs. Laird, mother of the bride, and Mrs. Evans of New York City, mother of the bridegroom, assisted at the reception. Following the reception the couple left for a wedding trip, the bride wearing a tan and brown wool suit with luggage tan accessories and a corsage of white gardenias.

Miss Helen Louise Lake Wed to Mr. Norman A. Shurtle. Mr. and Mrs. Fulton T. Lake of Philomont, Loudoun County, Va., announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Helen Louise Lake, to Mr. Norman A. Shurtle of Kansas. The ceremony took place in St. Albans Church Sunday, the Rev.

Charles T. Warner officiating. The bride wore a suit of gray with black accessories and a corsage of pink rose buds.

An informal reception followed the ceremony at the home of the bride's aunt, Mrs. Frank T. Ridgeway, on Lamont street. The couple will reside in Baltimore.

Miss Esther Mary Gould Wed to Lt. G. J. Campbell. Announcement is made of the marriage February 14 of Miss Esther Mary Gould, daughter of Maj. and Mrs. Frank A. Gould, to Lt. George J. Campbell, son of Mr. and Mrs. George D. Campbell of Hibbing, Minn. The ceremony took place in the Walter Reed Memorial Chapel.

The bride was given in marriage by her father and had as her maid of honor Miss Elizabeth Eisenhart. Lt. Paul Miller was best man.

A reception followed at the home of the bride's parents.

Mrs. Campbell attended Wilson Teachers' College and Strayer School of Accountancy. She is a member of Sigma Phi Omega Sorority. Lt. Campbell is a graduate of Hibbing Junior College.

Miss Ethel Swann Becomes Bride. Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Swann of Cheverly, Md., have announced the marriage of their daughter, Miss Ethel Virginia Swann, January 29 to Mr. Marshall Daniel Windsor of Arlington.

The ceremony was performed at the home of the Rev. Clark Main in Hyattsville, with Miss Ellen T. McVey as maid of honor and Mr. Raymond Brooks as best man. The bride wore a white wool dress with powder blue accessories and a corsage of orchids. The maid of honor wore royal blue with a corsage of talisman roses.

Mr. Windsor is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Marshall C. Windsor of Arlington and formerly of Atlanta, Ga.

Miss Nancy Kengla To Become Bride of Mr. Edward H. Jones

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert L. Kengla of Wakefield Hall, Washington, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Miss Nancy Duvall Kengla, to Mr. Edward Hamlin Jones, son of Mrs. DeWitt Jones of Des Moines, Iowa.

The wedding will take place Easter Monday, April 6, in St. Paul's Catholic Church.

Miss Kengla received her A. B. degree from Trinity College and was graduate last month from George Washington University Law School. She is a member of Phi Sigma Tau and Phi Delta Delta legal sorority. She served on the editorial staff of the George Washington Law Review, of which she is now editorial secretary.

Mr. Jones is a graduate of the University of Iowa and is a senior law student at the George Washington University Law School. He is a member of Beta Theta Pi fraternity and Phi Delta Phi legal fraternity. He is a student editor on the staff of the George Washington Law Review and is in the claim division of an insurance company.

Phi Omega Pi Units Plan Founder's Day Fete Saturday

The annual founder's day luncheon of Phi Omega Pi Sorority will be held at 1:15 p.m. Saturday at the Tilden Gardens Tea Room with members of the sorority from Baltimore joining the District alumnae for the celebration. Mrs. Bernard Dodder, director of Province IV, will be the guest of honor.

Birthday offerings contributed by members of each chapter on founder's day are sent to the national scholarship fund which lends money to girl students not affiliated with a sorority. Officers who will be inducted following the luncheon include Mrs. Philip Brierly, president; Mrs. Morris Sheffer, vice president; Mrs. G. D. Kinzer, secretary; Mrs. Jennie Walker, treasurer; Mrs. Charles Kasper, Panhellenic delegate; Miss Marion Worthing, alternate, and Miss Oma Gronbeck, publicity chairman.

Mrs. Alexander Wetmore is in charge of the luncheon and of reservations.

Miss Mary Williams To Wed Mr. Kelly

Mrs. Arthur F. Williams, Jr., announces the engagement of her daughter, Miss Mary Russell Williams, to Mr. Joseph Allyn Kelly, son of Dr. and Mrs. John Bailey Kelly of Arlington.

The wedding will take place in the near future.

Olav and Martha Attend Benefit

Crown Prince Olav and Crown Princess Martha of Norway are in New York for the day, accompanied by the former's aide de camp and the latter's lady in waiting, Countess and Countess Ostgaard. Also with them in New York is the Norwegian Minister, M. Wilhelm Munthe de Morgenstjerne, who attended the benefit last evening. They went there yesterday to be present at the benefit performance last evening which the American Friends of Norway and the New York City Council of the Navy League sponsored. The performance was "It Happens on Ice" and was presented in the Center Theater, and served also as the opening of the campaign, "Drop in the Bucket," which will provide additional funds for Navy League-Norway war relief. Sponsors of the campaign visited night clubs and other public places carrying buckets for the contributions generously given. All proceeds will be equally shared.

By the Way—

Beth Blaine

Probably one of the busiest nights in the history of social Washington was last night—"blackout night." Nobody, it seems, wanted to be alone, so there was afternoon and evening parties galore. Tom Johnson asked a handful of friends to drop in to his apartment at the Mayflower (one of the brightly decorated modernistic ones around six). Prince and Princess Scherbetow were guests of honor. They're staying with the Albert Deveys for a few days. Also at the party were Witty British Embassy John Foster, Ward Kennedy, Bob Thatch, Mrs. Lawrence Wood Robert, wearing a wonderful shade of American beauty wool suit, which was exactly the color of the curtains in Mr. Johnson's apartment; Mrs. Drew Pearson and one or two others.

On one side of the wall there is a glorified wood shelf. Tom says it was built for a bookcase, but he's using it for a bar. Either way, it seems practical. And as for the colors in Tom's apartment—they would make even a blackout look cheery—brilliant emerald green and American beauty red, with touches of ivory white and for accessories Mexican silver ash trays and cigarette boxes.

The Arthur Krocks had a dinner last night and Capt. and Mrs. Alex Hagner had one or two friends dining with them. The Hagners, it seems, were pretty efficient about getting blackout curtains for every room in the house except the kitchen—black curtains depressed the cook. So they ended by having a dinner so early that even the dishes would be washed and dried before the blackout at eight, and the depressed cook could be fast asleep.

Newest and most popular diplomat in the Nation's Capital is Chinese Gen. Wong. He's tall, very good looking, youthful and slender, and when he told Mrs. Eldridge Jordan that he was 45 years old and she commented that he looked about 20, his retort was that it was almost impossible for different races to distinguish ages. "Please don't try to guess mine," said Mrs. Jordan!

The popular Julius Holmeses are coming back to Washington, since Julius has received his commission as major in the United States Army. They've taken a house on Twenty-first street and with the three attractive Holmes children will arrive soon to make their home here for the duration. Julius, you remember, was first on duty in Washington with the Department of State. Later he had an important job with the New York World's Fair, and even more recently he was with Gen. Mills in Rio de Janeiro.

Speaking of Army promotions, Harold Hinton was yesterday promoted from major in the Air Corps to a lieutenant colonel, and Ben Cain was promoted from captain to major.

Mrs. Simone Aufmoot, sister of Senora de Cardenas, wife of the Spanish Ambassador, has taken a house in Georgetown for the remainder of the winter.

Mrs. Pearson Rust is telling a wonderful story about the lady who was slightly unbalanced. They took her to a famous specialist on diseases of the mind, explaining that one of her idiosyncrasies was her great fondness for waffles. "I like waffles, too," said the doctor. "You do?" eagerly asked his patient. "Well, don't tell anybody, but I've got seven trunks full of them!"

Women Enroll In Chevy Chase Equestrian Class

Members of the Chevy Chase Woman's Club met this week at the Meadowbrook Saddle Club to organize the Chevy Chase School of Equestrian under the leadership of Mrs. G. R. Shelton.

Over 30 women, including members of the Junior Chevy Chase Club, have enrolled for the course in equestrian, which will include a series of six lectures and weekly paddock instruction. Subjects covered will be balance, forward seat, reining and the psychology of handling horses.

It is Mrs. Shelton's hope that members of the class will develop into experienced park riders with a thorough mastery of the fundamentals of good horsemanship. Some of the more advanced riders will be instructed in schooling show horses and will be given the opportunity to represent the School of Equestrian in horse shows this spring.

Membership in the class is not restricted to members of the Chevy Chase Woman's Club. Classes will be conducted at Meadowbrook Saddle Club.

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Suburban Social Notes Of Interest

Mrs. S. C. Moore Gives Luncheon In Arlington

Mrs. Stanton C. Moore entertained yesterday at a luncheon and bridge party in her home in Arlington. Her guests were Mrs. T. B. Brown, Mrs. E. Hurst Handy, Mrs. Fred Hull Cook, Mr. in honor of their son, Mr. Tucker, Mrs. Hugh Reid, Mrs. Eugene Tucker, Mrs. Budd Holt and Mrs. E. W. Gaumnitz.

Mrs. Theodore B. Nickson, wife of Lt. Comdr. Nickson, is entertaining at a tea today and again Friday in her home in Arlington to honor her mother, Mrs. B. B. McKay of La Grange, Ill., who is her house guest.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hanrahan have as their guests in their home in Colonial Village their daughter and granddaughter, Mrs. R. E. Hosler and Helen Anne Hosler of Portsmouth, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Iden have with them at their home in Delaplane, Va., their son Lt. Carroll S. Iden, who is on a 10-day leave of absence. Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Iden entertained at breakfast for their son.

Capt. and Mrs. Frank L. Hewitt will entertain at dinner this evening in their home in Silver Spring, Md. In honor of their son, Mr. Frank L. Hewitt, Jr., who is celebrating his birthday anniversary today.

Mrs. E. Kirby Smith of McMinville, Tenn., is visiting in Washington. Sunday she was the honor guest at a buffet supper given by Mr. and Mrs. George H. Butler at their home in Silver Spring, Md.

Social Activities Of Interest to Resident Circles

Mr. and Mrs. William Temple, who celebrated their 20th wedding anniversary Sunday at a buffet supper given by Mrs. Zerelda C. McConnell, will be the honor guests at dinner this evening of Miss Francis Cooper.

The Misses Mary and Virginia Junkin have returned to their home on Longfellow street after several days at Camp Bagg, N. C.

Mrs. Ernest Love and her young son, Ernest Love, Jr., have returned to their home in Glen Rock, N. J., after a week's visit with Mrs. Love's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Anton Heilmuller.

Miss Stella Turek and Miss Pet Schultz are back from a short stay in New York City.

Homelick—Sent Snowballs

KANSAS CITY (AP)—Miss Marjorie Hammond got homelick down in Baton Rouge, La.—mighty homelick. So Paul Burcham did his best to cheer her up. He mailed her a box of snowballs packed in dry ice.

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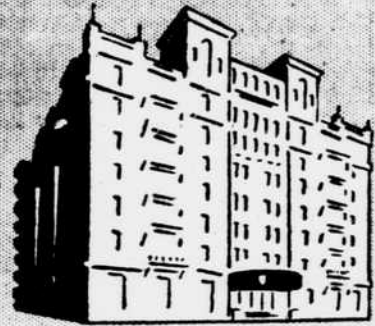
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March Receipts Of \$40 Sent To Aid China

A total of \$324 was donated to various war relief organizations during the past year by the One Hundred Per Cent Club, according to the reports made at its first annual meeting this week at the Petworth Branch Library.

Members voted to contribute the March receipts, totaling \$40, to relief for China.

The organization, which derives its income from monthly dues paid by members at the regular meeting, decides each month where the receipts will be contributed.

Although the dues are \$1, some of the members make larger contributions and donations often are received from interested friends. The son of one of the members recently has been making a \$10 monthly contribution.

Composed largely of women who are active in other organizations, the club provides a channel through which funds can be raised for war relief work without the necessity of holding benefits.

As it has no overhead expenses, its income is donated 100 per cent to selected causes—a fact which inspired its name.

According to the report of the treasurer, Mrs. Gladys E. Middlemiss, contributions during the past year were made as follows: British War Relief, \$94; Bundles for Britain, \$14; R. A. F. Benevolent Fund, \$61; Foster Parents Plan for War Children, \$42; Bundles for Bluejackets, \$23; American Red Cross War Chest, \$50; and Relief for China, \$40.

Without holding a formal election at the annual meeting, members requested the present officers to continue in their respective capacities: Mrs. Le Verne Beales, the founder, is president; Mrs. John J. Luckner, vice president; Mrs. Madeline, treasurer, and Mrs. Oscar H. Nelson, secretary.

Although members are not solicited, the club's enrollment has increased from 17 to 27 during the past year.



MRS. GEORGE J. CAMPBELL. The former Miss Esther Mary Gould is the daughter of Maj. and Mrs. Frank A. Gould. Her wedding to Lt. Campbell took place recently in the Walter Reed Memorial Chapel.

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New Caledonia Rich In Strategic Metals, Nickel and Chrome

Protection of South Sea Isle Undertaken by U. S. and Free French

New Caledonia is "probably richer in minerals than any island in the South Seas," the Commerce Department pointed out yesterday in releasing basic economy data on the French possessions in the South Pacific whose protection will be undertaken by the United States, in co-operation with the Free French authorities in the island.

Its deposits of nickel are second only to those of Canada, and its chrome resources are said to be the largest in the world. New Caledonia also has extensive deposits of iron ore. Other mineral resources include manganese, cobalt, gypsum, mercury, platinum, tungsten and gold.

According to the Commerce Department, nickel for many years has been the mainstay of the island's economy. In 1938, production totaled 275,000 metric tons. Until 1941, Japan was the principal market for New Caledonian nickel.

The island ranks as the world's seventh or eighth largest producer of chrome. Production reached its peak in 1936, when 77,760 metric tons were exported, with more than 58,000 tons going to the United States, and most of the balance to France. In 1940 shipments of chrome amounted to 59,600 tons. Most of this went to the United States.

Before the war, the bulk of New Caledonia's trade was with France. Since 1939, an increasing share has been diverted to Australia. Chief import requirements are foodstuffs, coal, machinery and tools, textiles and wearing apparel.

New Caledonia has a white population of 17,300, of which more than 15,000 are French.

Horthy's Younger Son Named Minister to Chile

By the Associated Press.

SANTIAGO, Chile, March 4.—Nicholas Horthy, Jr., son of Hungary's regent, was appointed Hungarian minister to Chile yesterday in a move viewed by diplomatic observers here as Axis preparation for Chile's expected severance of relations with them.

Pointing out the close co-operation between the Horthy family and the Nazi-Fascist leadership, well-posted informants said the new envoy might serve as "reliable contact" in South America for the Axis when and if Chile breaks off relations.

Trade relations between Chile and Hungary, non-existent now, never have been important and there are

only a handful of Hungarians in this country. Heretofore Hungary's limited relations with Chile have been administered by the Buenos Aires embassy. Horthy will live here. The new envoy is the younger son of the Hungarian regent, Admiral Nicholas Horthy, who has been in failing health of late. Istvan Horthy, the regent's elder son, was named vice-regent February 19.

Naval Hospital Checks On Health of Norris

Naval Hospital authorities said today checkup studies were being made on Senator Norris, independent of Nebraska and that they would have no definite information as to his condition for a few days at least.

Senator Norris, who is 80, went to the hospital Saturday for a checkup and a rest, his secretary, John F. Robertson, said.

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Religious Essay Rules Explained

Details and rules relating to the religious essay contest being sponsored by the District Federation of Women's Clubs were explained by Mrs. Frank J. Mulhern, of the division of public instruction, over the weekly federation program broadcast yesterday over Station WJDC. The subject selected for the essay is "My Spiritual Responsibility to Our Democracy."

An award of \$50 has been offered by Mrs. Mulhern for the best essay entered in the contest which is for students of Georgetown, George Washington, American and Catholic Universities.

Utilities Agency Elects Flanagan Vice Chairman

James H. Flanagan, new member of the Public Utilities Commission, has been elected vice chairman of the agency. Gregory Hankin is chairman of the body and the third member is Col. Charles W. Kutz, the engineer commissioner.

At an executive session late yesterday, the commission also named Mr. Flanagan as personnel officer for the commission, to take over work heretofore handled by the office of the District budget officer, Walter L. Fowler.

Mr. Hankin renewed announcements that a hearing on the experimental taxicab "pick-up" service would be held at the District Building at 10 a.m. tomorrow; that on March 10 a hearing would be resumed on a petition by the Washington Gas Light Co. for permission to issue 90,000 additional shares of its capital stock; and that a joint hearing would be held by the Public Utility Commission and the Federal Communications Commission April 1 on a question of whether extra charges may be made by hotels, clubs and apartments for telephone service through their switchboards.

Peace Formula Suggested At Church Conference

DELAWARE, Ohio, March 4.—Victory will be long delayed and will not bring peace if we continue of peace as a condition permitting us to wreak vengeance and to put others into physical and economic subjugation," a conference of Protestant church leaders was told yesterday.

John Foster Dulles, secretary of the Second Hague Peace Conference in 1907, advocated "peace as a universal order designed to assure such rights and opportunities as our Declaration of Independence held to be the God-given endowment of all men."

Mr. Dulles' address was the keynote of the National Study Conference of the Federal Council of Churches of Christ in America seeking basis for "a just and durable peace."

Delegates from 40 States and Canada, representing 22,000,000 Protestants, are attending the three-day conference.

Capital Held Test City For Movie Reaction

Because its population is a representative cross-section of the country, the reaction in Washington to a motion picture is studied closely by all producers. Al Sherman, field publicity agent for Columbia Pictures told the Public Relations Committee of the Junior Board of Trade yesterday. The luncheon meeting was held at Taft House Inn.

Committee Chairman Edwin H. Klaus welcomed the new members—Eugene Hoover, Stephen Smith and Nathan Wechsler. A subcommittee on planning, to consider new ideas for publicizing work of the Junior Board, was appointed, with Mr. Wechsler, William J. Sigmund and Jesse Aiken as members.

Mr. Klaus announced the committee would meet with other board committee chairmen at Schneider's Cafe, 427 Eleventh street N.W., at 6:30 p.m. Tuesday to discuss a publicity program.

British King's Chaplain In Scotland Succumbs

By the Associated Press.

LONDON, March 4.—The very Rev. Sir George Adam Smith, 86, chaplain to the King of Scotland since 1933 and well known as a lecturer in the United States, died yesterday at his home at Balerno, Midlothian.

Sir George was known principally as an authority on the Old Testament, on which he wrote many books. He had lectured at Johns Hopkins, Yale and Chicago universities.

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Woman, Brought to Court On Cot, Awarded Divorce

A woman who came into District Court to fight for her divorce from an ambulance cot yesterday won a decree from Justice Jesse C. Adkins. The jurist heard testimony in the case Monday in which Mrs. Margery Copperthite, 1753 Q street N.W., the invalid, sought a separation from her husband, Andrew John Copperthite, 1315 Belmont street N.W., a War Department clerk. The woman was represented by Attorney Clair L. Stout, and under the terms of the decree he presented

today to Justice Adkins, which was signed, she will receive alimony of \$47.50 a month.

Mrs. Copperthite, who told the court that she has had eight major operations and a number of minor ones due to a blood and bone disease, was given a divorce on the ground of a five-year voluntary separation. The jurist awarded her custody of her 12-year-old son Robert while the father received custody of 9-year-old Andrew.

Mrs. Copperthite is paralyzed in both legs and her right arm, the court was advised, and she denied, as her husband had charged in his divorce action, that she deserted him. They were married in Alex-

andria, Va., December 26, 1925. The husband did not testify.

F. D. I. C. Aide Named To Pennsylvania Post

William Cawley, assistant supervising liquidator of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corp. here, has been nominated as commissioner of Pennsylvania, according to word received here from Harrisburg. Gov. James announced Mr. Cawley's nomination yesterday. Mr. Cawley has been with the Government agency for seven years and lives at 3620 Sixteenth street N.W.

Choral Group Decides To Continue Programs

The Washington Choral Society has decided to "carry on" during the war and will arrange programs in co-operation with civic and defense leaders in the Metropolitan Area.

Believing that the influence and stimulus of music is essential at this time, and especially to the thousands of newcomers to Washington, the society's board and Advisory Committee at a meeting yesterday decided to continue its activities. Myron Whitney, president, and

Louis A. Potter, director, said the society is receiving many requests for programs from civic and defense organizations. Miss Grace Dunham, a board member, said London regards music as essential to war morale.

United Nations Club Plans Dance March 15

The United Nations Club will have its first dance at Hotel 2400 March 15 under the patronage of Brazilian Ambassador Carlos Martins and Madame Martins. Arrangements for the dance have been made by a committee com-

posed of Mrs. Walter Butterworth, Miss Meredith Howard, Mrs. Frank Kent, Jr., Mrs. Hoyer Millar, Mrs. Robert Fell, Miss Sue Rosenberg, Lady Rumbold, Mrs. Blake Tyler and Miss Rebecca Wellington. Representatives of the United Nations' missions and younger members of Federal departments will be invited.

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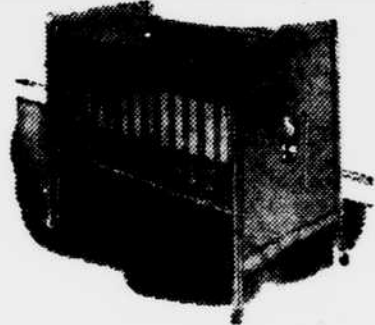
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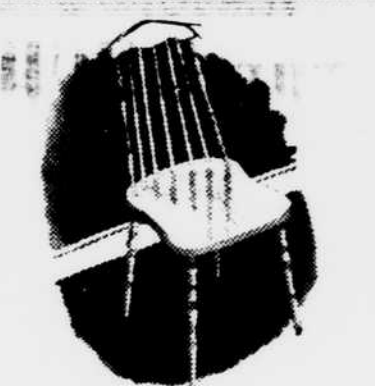
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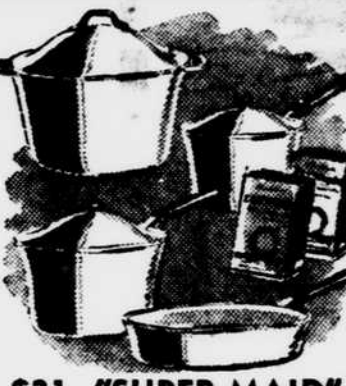
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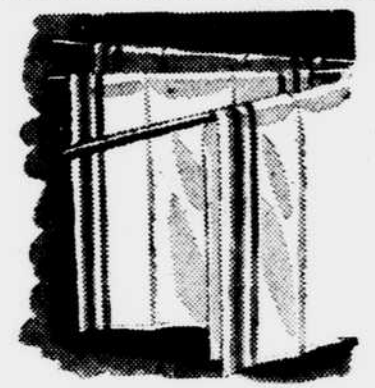
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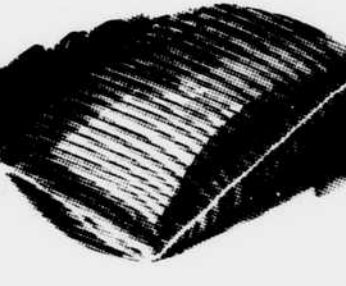
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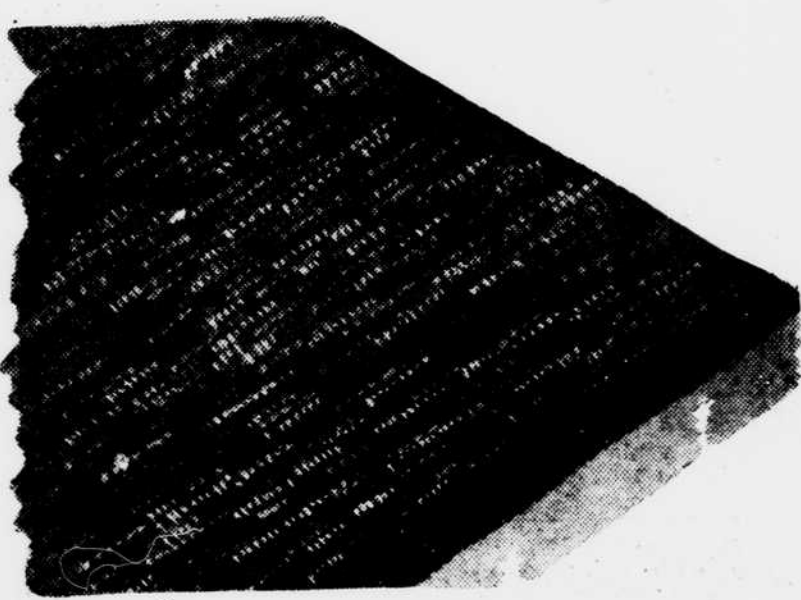
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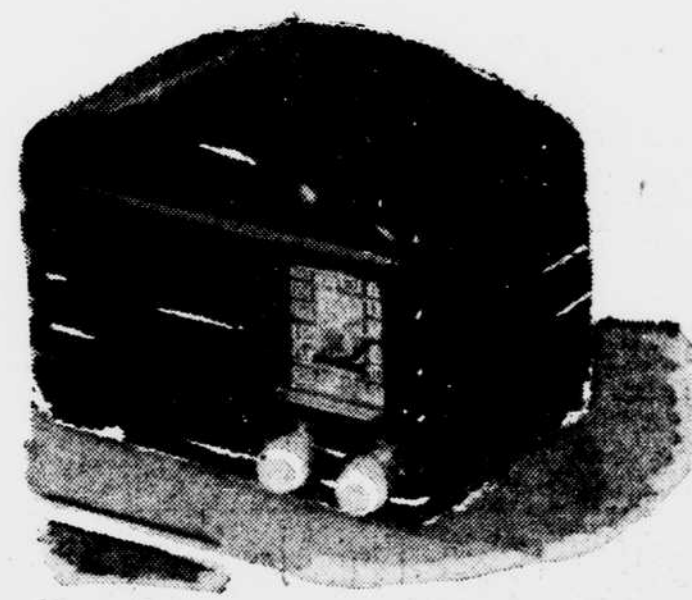


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as proposed under the Railway Labor Act it would help the situation, and therefore we must respectfully decline. Mr. McNear also wrote that "a hurried reading of the transcript (of the War Labor Board's order) discloses that while the T. P. & W. is considered by the quartermaster general of the Army to be of decided importance in the prosecution of the war effort, there is not one bit of evidence offered to show that the T. P. & W. was not adequately and promptly handling all war and defense traffic offered. As a matter of fact... we now are handling an increasing volume of such traffic."

Spy Case Defendant Tells How He Changed Religions

NEW YORK, March 4.—Paul T. Borchardt, 56, a former professor and German Army major, testified in Federal Court yesterday that he became a Moslem in 1913 and was awarded the title "Abdul Hamid Bey Battuta Ben Borchardt" by the German government. That title, said Borchardt, one of six defendants on trial on charges of espionage conspiracy, was awarded with the approval of the Turkish government.

Young Wives Need Not Be Embarrassed Concerning This Intimate Problem

Because of natural shyness or lack of confidence in the knowledge of friends the unmarried young wife often hesitates to seek the advice of others. Instead, she risks health and happiness by use of over-strong solutions of acids for the douche which can burn, scar and desensitize delicate tissue. Today such risks are needless. Science has given womanland Zonite. So powerful, it kills instantly all germs and bacteria with which it comes in contact. Deodorizes—by actually destroying odors. Protects personal daintiness. Yet Zonite is non-caustic, non-poisonous, safe for delicate tissues. Over 20,000,000 bottles bought. Get Zonite at your druggist today. Free Book Tells Intimate Facts. Frankly written booklet "Feminine Hygiene Today," mailed FREE, in plain wrapper. Write: Zonite, Dept. 3282, 370 Lexington Ave., New York, N. Y.

Britain's War Rations 23 Cents' Worth of Meat, 8 Ounces of Fats And 8 of Sugar Are Allowed Weekly

LONDON, March 4.—Here are Britain's basic war rations in the 30th month of war: Meat—Approximately 23 cents worth a week, corresponding to a little over a pound with the bone. Pre-war consumption, about 1 1/2 pounds. Fats—Eight ounces weekly of butter, margarine and cooking fats, of which not more than 2 ounces can be butter. Pre-war average, 10 1/2 ounces. Bacon and ham—Four ounces. Pre-war average, 5 1/2 ounces. Sugar—Eight ounces. Pre-war, just over a pound. Cheese—Three ounces, against pre-war consumption of 2 1/2 ounces, but vegetarians, farm labor and those in other heavy industries now get 12 ounces.

Jerome Kern's Daughter Wed to Artie Shaw

YUMA, Ariz., March 4.—Band Leader Artie Shaw and Betty Kern, daughter of the composer, Jerome Kern, were married yesterday. It was Shaw's fourth marriage, his bride's second. Shaw was divorced 18 months ago by Lana Turner. His first marriage, to Jane Carr, was annulled in 1932. He married Margaret Allen, a nurse, in 1934, and they were divorced in 1937. Miss Kern previously was married to Dick Green, Hollywood actor's agent, now a second lieutenant in the Army. Shaw gave his age as 31, his bride's as 23.

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This Is Nelly Don Week at Jelleff's—Nelly Don Headquarters in Washington—5th floor —Celebrating the arrival of many hundreds of sparklingly crisp new dresses—\$2.95, \$3.95, \$4.95, \$6.50 to \$13.95 ★ Chambrays, Batistes, Voiles, Gingham, Lawns, Shirtings ★ Rayon Crepes and Sheers, Rayon jerseys, Spun rayons, Rayon shantungs ★ Women's 14 to 44 Misses' 12 to 20 Half sizes 16 1/2 to 24 1/2

Nature's Children

Moccasin Flower
(Cypripedium acaule)

By LILLIAN COX ATHEY.

Minnesota chose for her floral emblem the moccasin flower, one of our most unusual and beautiful wild flowers. It was in 1893 that the State officially decreed that this member of the orchid family was the choice of the Commonwealth. Tradition tells us that the American Indian gave the moccasin its common name.

It is interesting to note that the areas around the head of Lake Superior, which include parts of Northern Minnesota, Northern Wisconsin and the upper peninsula of Michigan, are especially well favored by orchids. The bogs are very rich places in which to hunt for several species. The pink moccasin flower beloved by Minnesotans is found in large numbers here, in company with its cousin, the showy lady's slipper, which may be seen in colonies of 2,000 to 3,000.

The moccasin flower blooms in May. By June, few blossoms are

to be seen. This unusual flower is known in the Canadian woods and also as far south as North Carolina.

Once, this orchid was our most common one, but now it is the rarest because the flower lovers were so anxious to take the plants home. The moccasin flower's strange way of avoiding self-fertilization has been of unusual interest to botanists. To make absolutely certain that cross-fertilization will take place, the stamens of the moccasin are placed in back of the pistil and in such a position that the pollen cannot be transferred except by an insect guest.

The pouch is slightly fragrant and beautifully veined with deeper pink, both excellent modes of advertisement to cruising insects. This pouch has an open end which is almost closed by an unusual, broad, scoop-shaped sterile anther which protects the fertile stigma and anthers.

The flower is so formed that the bee, in arriving for a sip of nectar,

has almost defeated the flower at times, and root propagation is the only way to avoid this fatality. However, you can see that a flower that has accomplished such an intricate mode of carrying on family traditions is a worthy floral emblem for a grand State like Minnesota.

National Symphony Leaves On Concert Tour of South

The National Symphony Orchestra left today on its second and final tour of the season, under the direction of Dr. Hans Kindler.

The orchestra will play eight concerts in the South, five of them representing re-engagements. The tour opens tonight with a concert in Greenville, N. C.

Other concerts will be given in Chapel Hill, N. C.; Spartanburg, S. C.; Clemson, S. C.; Sarasota, Fla.; Tampa, Fla.; Daytona Beach, Fla.; and Raleigh, N. C. The orchestra will return to Washington to play a concert on March 15.

Presbyterian Groups To Meet Tomorrow

The Executive Committee and the Board of Lady Managers of the Presbyterian Home will meet at the home, 1818 Newton street N.W., at 10 and 11 a.m., respectively, tomorrow.

Dr. Albert Evans of the New York Avenue Presbyterian Church will conduct the worship period and Mrs. A. C. Oliphant, president of the home, will preside.

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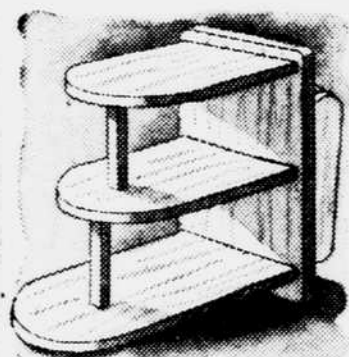
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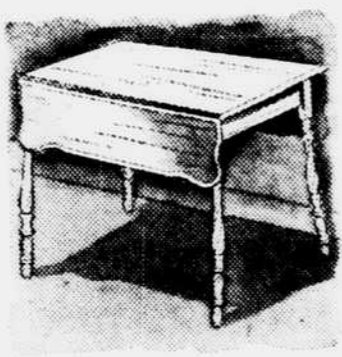
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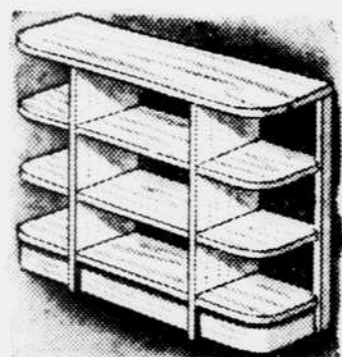
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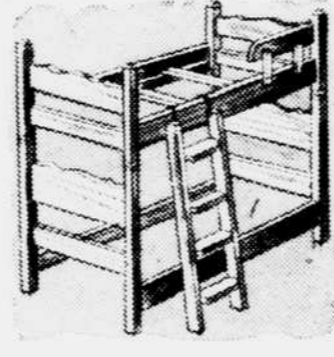
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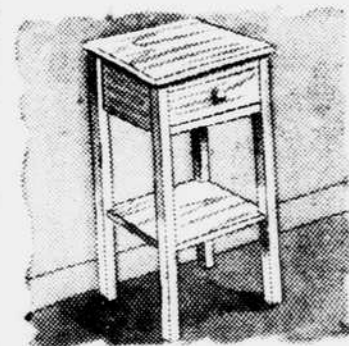
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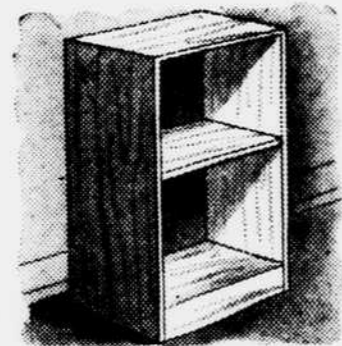
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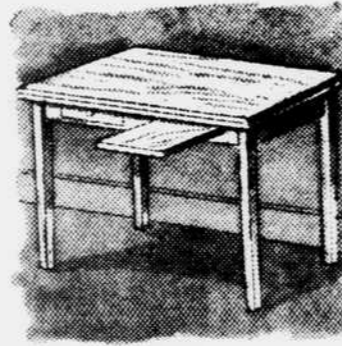
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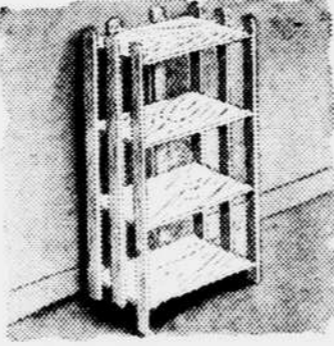
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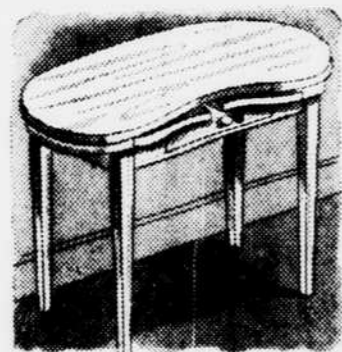
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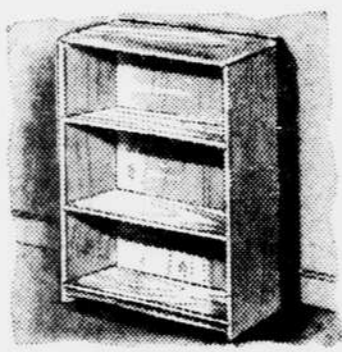
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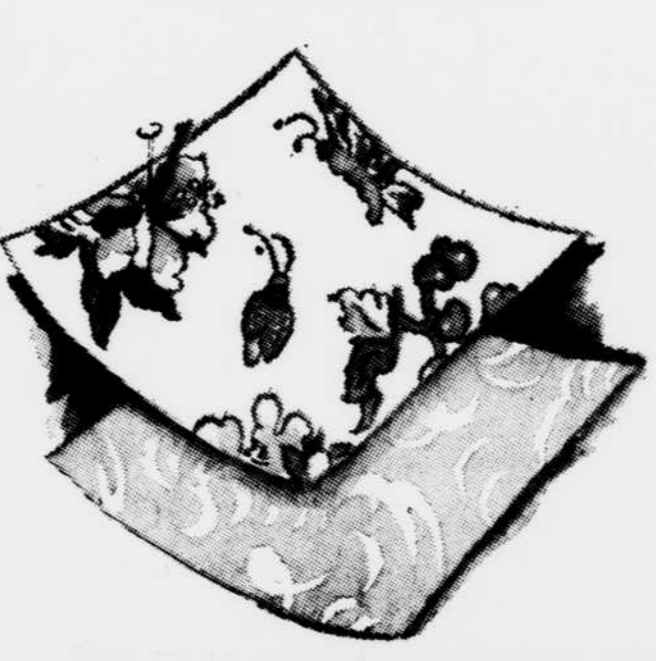
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Project to Eliminate Anacostia Bridge Bottleneck Urged

Southeast Council Asks Linking of Causeway With Other Roads

Construction of roads linking the Anacostia Bridge causeway in Southeast Washington with Thirteenth street S.E. and with Good Hope road was requested last night by the Southeast Council.

In an effort to alleviate a "serious traffic bottleneck" on the bridge and its approaches, it was further recommended that left-hand turns be abolished at Good Hope road and S street S.E. and that Shannon place be designated as one-way for south-bound vehicles.

Reports on Inspection. The council's action followed a resolution referred to the Traffic Committee by the Anacostia Cit-

izens' Association. The issue was brought to the floor by Charles G. Gillikin, chairman of the Traffic Committee, and Vernis Absher, chairman of the Streets and Bridges Committee, who had inspected the area under discussion and expressed the belief that cost of the proposed program would not be excessive.

They asserted the Anacostia Bridge bottleneck affects such vital areas as the Navy Yard, Naval Air Station, Bolling Field, Bellevue Magazine, Naval Laboratory, Sewerage Plant, Blue Plains and St. Elizabeth's Hospital, and declared it would hinder the Fire Department in combatting serious fires during rush hours.

Invite Eldridge to Speak. M. O. Eldridge, assistant director of the Department of Vehicles and Traffic, was selected for invitation to address the group at the next regular meeting.

The council, which ordinarily meets on the second floor of the No. 11 police precinct, last night found its usual room occupied by auxiliary police receiving instructions for the evening's blackout test. The group accordingly moved downstairs to a small room outfitted with chairs of assorted sizes and shapes produced by a diligent search of the

building. Despite the blackout, representatives of nine constituent members of the council attended.

Forum to Hear Playwright

Emmet Lavery, playwright and critic, will lecture on "Theater and Defense" under the auspices of the Charles Carroll Forum at the Willard Hotel at 3:30 p.m. Sunday. He is author of "The First Legion," "Monsignor's Hour" and "Second Spring."

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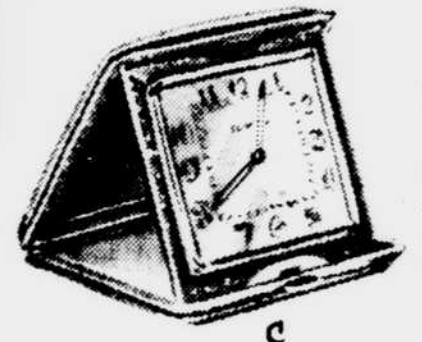
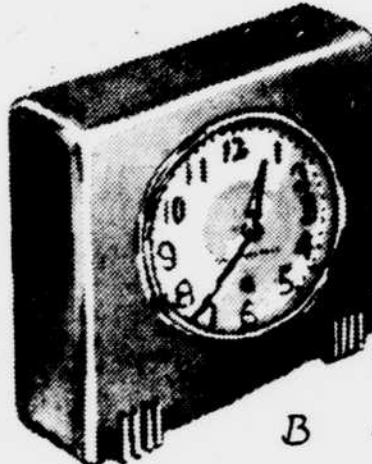
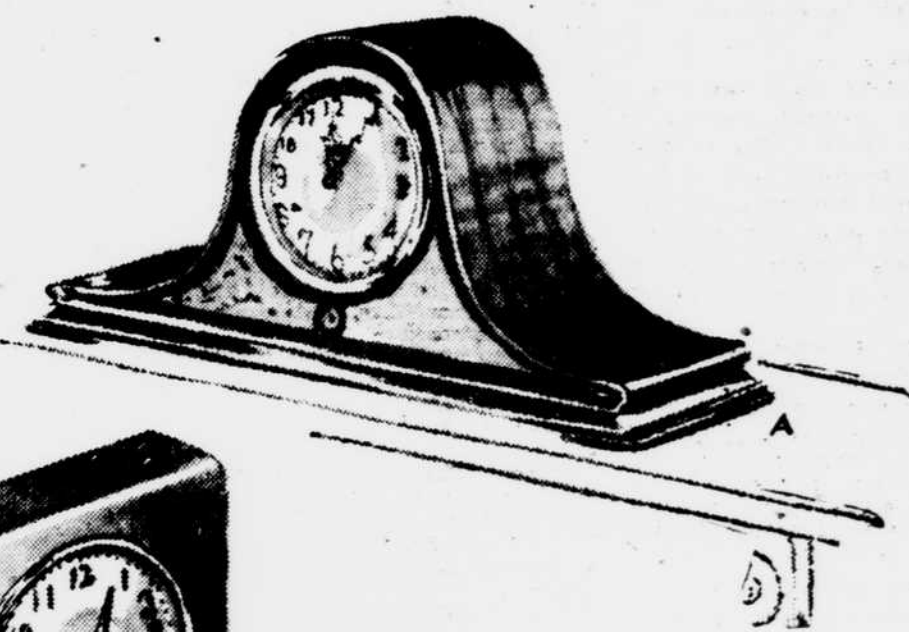
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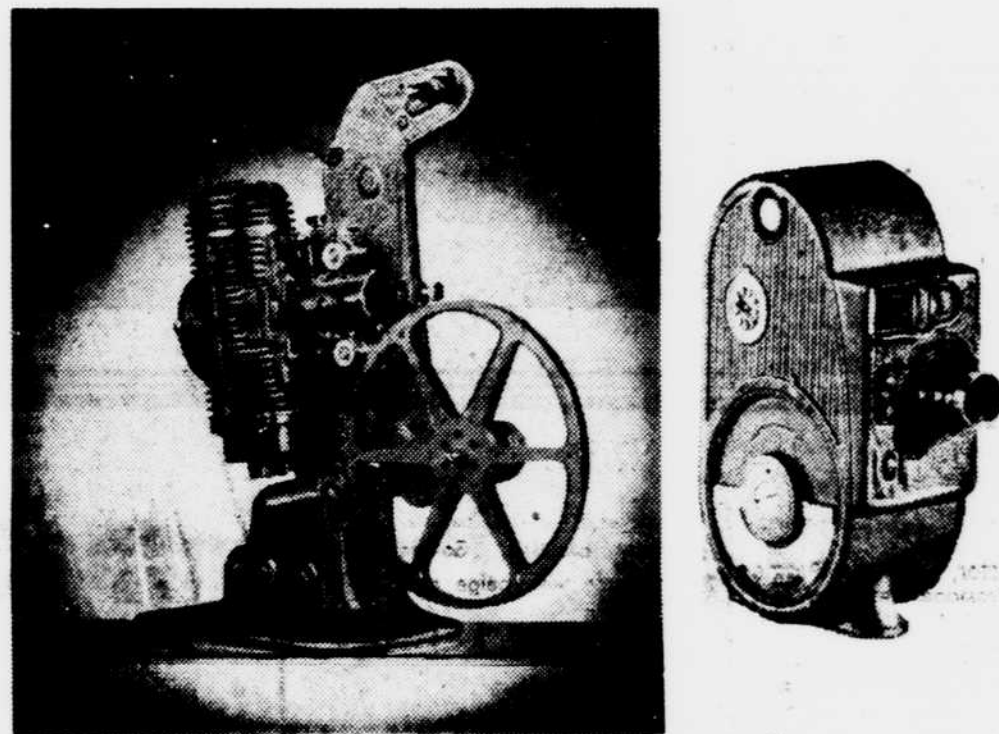


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Gigantic Windmill Generates Power in Vermont Mountain

Structure 18 Stories High Designed to Light Town Of 2,000 Inhabitants

By the Associated Press.
CAMBRIDGE, Mass., March 4.—A gigantic windmill, towering as high as an 18-story office building, has been undergoing tests in Vermont's Green Mountains for four months—and gives "definite hope" of harnessing mountain winds as a new source of commercial electric power.

Prof. John B. Wilbur, of Massachusetts Institute of Technology, chief engineer of the windmill project near Rutland, Vt., said the mill has been furnishing power to Central Vermonters off and on during the winter, adding them to try eggs, read their evening newspapers and run their industries.

Power Fed Into Regular Lines.
Power generated by the windmill, he said, was fed into regular power lines of Central Vermont Public Service Corp. at intermittent periods, supplementing the regular service and adding a conservation of hydro-electric power.

Wintery winds as high as 110 miles an hour howled over lonely Grandpa's Knob where the mighty structure is located, and ice to a thickness of an inch and a half has covered the two great blades at times, but Prof. Wilbur said the windmill withstood its rigid tests—"mechanically, structurally and electrically."

He declared the project still was in the experimental stage, but he added:

"The important thing right now is that we have a machine that works, offering promise of a new source of commercial electrical power."

Took Year to Construct.
The windmill, conceived by P. C. Putnam, a Boston engineer, and built with the cooperation of many technical institutions throughout the country, took more than a year to construct, and herculean efforts were required to transport its heavy parts through the rugged mountain country.

The mill, sponsored by the C. Morgan Smith Co. of York, Pa., was designed to furnish 1,000 kilowatts of power under a wind velocity of 30 miles an hour—enough power to light a town of 2,000 inhabitants. Prof. Wilbur said that amount of electricity was generated a number of times during the working tests.

Allen, Able to Swim Now, Due in Capital Today

By the Associated Press.
MIAMI, Fla., March 4.—Larry Allen has learned to swim, and today he is due in Washington as the first step of his return to duty as the Associated Press war correspondent with the British Mediterranean fleet.

His instructor, pretty Peggie Diehl, 24, professional swimmer and photographic model, called him a "marvelous student."

Mr. Allen's determination to learn the art of aquatic locomotion was born of dire necessity. He has had three ships torpedoed under him, experienced 30 dive-bomber attacks, and last December slid feet first from the sinking British cruiser Galatea into the night-blackened waters of the Mediterranean with only an underinflated life belt to support him.

Where To Go What To Do

EXHIBITS.

First Exhibition of Contemporary Ceramic Art of the Western Hemisphere, Corcoran Gallery of Art, open 2 to 5 p.m. Sundays, 12 to 4:30 p.m. Mondays, 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Tuesdays through Saturdays, opening today through March 25.

Drawings and water colors by Henry Varnum Poor, Corcoran Gallery of Art, opening today through March 29.

MUSIC.

Recital, Lata Wallace, soprano, Pan-American Union, 5 p.m. today. Community sing, featuring Lucy Monroe and the United States service bands, sponsored by The Evening Star in co-operation with the Treasury Department, Riverside Stadium, 8 o'clock tonight.

Organ recital, D. Sterling Wheelwright, Ellen Carleen, contralto, Washington Chapel, Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, 8 o'clock tonight.

John Phillip Sousa Memorial Concert, Homer L. Kitt Hall, 8 o'clock tonight.

LECTURES.

"The Glory of Our National Parks," motion picture and talk by J. V. Hansen, sponsored by the National Parks Service, Departmental Auditorium, 8 o'clock tonight.

"Know Your Government," by Dr. Louis Bean, sponsored by the Jewish Community Center, room D, Sixteenth and G streets N.W., 8:30 o'clock tonight.

DANCES.

The All States Club, Washington Hotel, 9:30 o'clock tonight.

Safeway Stores Employees' Association, Section 41, Wardman Park Hotel, 9:30 o'clock tonight.

Labor Department, Mayflower Hotel, 10 o'clock tonight.

DINNERS.

Annual banquet, St. David's Society, Pierce Hall, 6:30 o'clock tonight.

Phi Mu Sorority, Hotel 2400, 7:30 o'clock tonight.

LUNCHEONS.

North Washington Lions Club, Sixteenth and Irving streets N.W., 12:15 p.m. tomorrow.

Washington Institute of Public

Accountants, Madrilion Restaurant, 12:30 p.m. tomorrow.

Cosmopolitan Club, Hay-Adams House, 12:30 p.m. tomorrow.

Junior Board of Commerce, Hotel Annapolis, 12:30 p.m. tomorrow.

Kiwanis Club, Mayflower Hotel, 12:30 p.m. tomorrow.

MEETINGS.

American Irish Defense Association, 515 Woodward Building, 8 o'clock tonight.

Y. D. Club of Washington, American Legion Home, 8 o'clock tonight.

Dames of the Loyal Legion, Mayflower Hotel, 2 p.m. tomorrow.

FOR MEN IN THE SERVICE.

Supper party, dancing, Mount Pleasant Congregational Church, Fourteenth and Columbia road N.W., 8 o'clock tonight.

Dance, refreshments, Soldiers', Sailors' and Marines' Club, 1015 L street N.W., 8 o'clock tonight.

Dance, Service Men's Club No. 1, 308 Ninth street N.W., 8 o'clock tonight.

Dance, Y. W. C. A., Seventeenth and K streets N.W., 8:30 o'clock tonight.

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Surface Raid Shelters Suggested by Architect

Metropolitan areas should give serious consideration to construction of surface air-raid shelters which could be converted into parking garages or other uses after the war, Howard W. Peaslee of Washington, chairman of the Committee on Civilian Protection of the American Institute of Architects, contends.

"It is quite possible that by-products well worth while could be realized if we do not devote our thought to total-loss shelter construction," he suggests in a report prepared as part of the institute's Nation-wide study of civilian defense.

Such surface shelters probably would not be practicable for New

York City, but a number of other cities, including Washington, should find them feasible, he contends.

He also recommends consideration of mountain refuge camps which could become post-war vacation centers and so-called "Coventry convertibles"—shelters designed to serve as ground floors of future houses.

The report continues: "Unqualified generalities about shelter construction lead directly to such situations as a whole city focusing solely upon basement retreats without regard for upper stories. . . . If, as has been intimated, the British have done certain things because they have no other alternative, why not say so in civilian defense manuals instead of allowing some uninformed Americans to find out for themselves, placing in jeopardy the lives of their fellow citizens?"

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First Modern Furnishings Offered Homes a Complete Break With the Past

With the Passing of Time More Unified Patterns Have Been Produced

Now Show Faint Suggestions Of the Classical Influence In Graceful Creations

By Margaret Nowell

When modern furniture and interiors first broke into the news, the action divided the country into two "armed camps." The ardent admirers argued that it was time we had something new, time we broke with the past and created something out of our modern minds, based on our present way of life. The conservatives hated what they saw and vowed that no design could be right that did not have ancestry—that had not evolved through the ages and grown into new patterns because of new use. The battle still rages—though now it is not so loud and fierce.

An explanation is that the first modern furniture offered was such a complete break with the past that it hardly was acceptable. Gradually, as time has gone on and taste has clarified into more unified patterns, modern furniture has grown closer to the past. Here a faint suggestion of Hepplewhite, there a touch of Sheraton, a graceful, curved-back chair, familiar in outline but new in wood or finish. Once upon a time a single new line or form was all we needed for a modern room, but now our standards are more exacting and the new furniture must be capable of fitting, as does its owner, into a broader background. We can see that "modern," once a gawky, precocious and startling infant, has become a graceful "grownup." Gone are the "growing pains," the skinny "gas pipe chairs" and the elephantine sofa-beds, and in their place are graceful creations in the full bloom of early maturity.

The greatest joy of modern rooms is their quiet, uncrowded look. Natural-colored woods rubbed to satin smoothness, lovely handwoven fabrics in clear, true colors that lift the spirit, and a degree of comfort and practicality that we have never before experienced spell success for the trend.

"Modern" is still growing. The

Manners of the Moment

The knitting problem is up again. Now that every patriotic woman seems to be doing it, the men who remain with us are growing restive. There is no conversation for them when a girl is counting stitches.

Soldiers on leave are particularly angry about it. They think it is unpatriotic for a girl to refuse to talk to them just because she is knitting a sweater.

Probably women who are knitting should train themselves in the fine art of counting stitches while they listen to another's conversation. That means they have to start the other person talking before they count their stitches. That may take a bit of tact. But it can be done. Then, just as the other person starts to tell all about life at the Army camp, the girl can unobtrusively count her stitches, and every one will be happy.

It will take a few weeks' training. But the trick can be learned. JEAN.

Smart Ensemble

An ivory crepe silk shirt with a brown skirt can be one of the smartest outfits for daytime. The shirt must be nicely tailored, with good shoulders, full sleeves and snug cuffs. Topaz cuff links and topaz studs, instead of buttons, will dress up the perfectly plain blouse.

Side Buttoning Adds Style To Ever-Useful Jumper



By Barbara Bell
A new jumper, cunning in line, which daughters will dot on and mothers approve heartily, appears today just in time for spring fashion needs! There's an original idea in Pattern No. 1561-B, the side-buttoning feature, which adds style appeal as well as practicality. For, as every mother will quickly recognize, this jumper opens flat for ironing and can be made in almost no time at all! A round neck blouse is included in the pattern.

and around the collar of the blouse. The blouse, of course, will contrast—in plain white or a shade lighter than the jumper.
Barbara Bell Pattern No. 1561-B is designed for sizes 4, 6, 8, 10 and 12 years. Size 6 jumper requires 1 1/2 yards 39-inch material; blouse, 3/4 yard; 3/4 yards rick-rack braid for outfit.
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"A little bit of powder, a little bit of paint, make a girl look like what she ain't." . . . When those immortal and very poor lines were written, make-up did make a girl look artificial and "painted." Today, however, through the use of good cosmetics properly applied, the art of make-up has been perfected by every smart woman. Actress Ruth Warrick, for example, uses small brushes to apply powder, lipstick, rouge and even eyebrow coloring—thus achieving a natural, soft effect.

Give Children Occupation At Party Will Enjoy Selves If Shown Outline Of What To Do

By Lettice Lee Street

The secret of a good party in honor of the very young is to give them an outline of what to do, follow through promptly and then keep them at it busily. Supposedly, the tempo of any festive occasion is keyed to the sparkle in the hostess' eye. Heaven knows there is no necessity to quicken the pace of a children's party; rather, the trick is to successfully abate and control the delirium of joy and excitement. If not, all is lost, including order, a good time, most of the bric-a-brac in the house, the mother's nerves and the children's tempers.

But the look in the mother's eye, while pleasantly saying, "I'm glad to see you and we are going to have fun," can at the same time be calmly determined enough to make the children understand that no rude and violent behavior will be allowed.

When the small guests arrive, some solemnly shy, some giggling their greetings, but all obviously in the throes of delight over the prospect of a party, it is a clever and far-sighted mother who announces agreeably to each newcomer, "First every one is going to take their coats upstairs and then we shall play Farmer in the Dell (or any game you choose) until everybody is here."

Even 10 minutes of waiting is more than wiggling young party-goers can endure, so keep them occupied!

This sort of maneuvering and instruction need not be "bossy," nor is it to be likened to the mother's customary management of her own child or brood in the comparative order and peace of her everyday household routine. Reason tells us that to plan, describe, order and dictate every move a child makes will soon render him lazy and incapable of developing initiative and independence.

But a party is a different situation; here you have a group of shinningly scrubbed lads and lassies done up within an inch of their short lives in best suits and fluffy frocks, ready to frolic and ramble to go. They also feel a sense of abandonment if they are out of eye and ear shot of mummies or nurses. Some one has to take charge, has to devise an orderly schedule that is also fun, if disaster and tears are to be avoided.

Not only are children likely to have a better time at a party than a backyard, but to a certain degree they need similar treatment in their daily lives. A youngster is happiest when he feels secure in the judgment and guidance of reliable parents.

Embroidery's Back

Gone are the days when we looked upon embroidery as just too old-fashioned. It's back in style, and you're a lucky one if among your linens you have sheets and pillowcases that mother or even grandmother handed on to you. Bring them out and use them; the daintily embroidered hems, or crocheted edgings, will be the envy of your friends.

If they are yellowed with age, bleach them in your own sunny backyard; or send them to the most reliable laundry you know with instructions to handle them with care. The "with care" is especially important because some of those embroidered linens are just as fragile as they are pretty.

Dorothy Dix Says --- Wife Is Really a Financial Asset Instead of Being a Liability

Recently a bridegroom was told to pay the marrying magistrate "what you think it's worth." The new husband handed over 25 cents, whereupon the magistrate gave him back 15 cents in change. To the casual observer it would appear that this transaction marks the all-time low price for brides, but it raises the very interesting question of how much a wife is really worth to her husband. Of course, if you put it from the sentimental angle, an ever-loving wife has a price above rubies. You cannot assess in dollars and cents the devotion that never wanes, the tenderness that never fails, the loyalty that makes a woman stand by her husband when all the balance of the world has turned against him, that makes her wait for him outside of the penitentiary on his own head, that he realizes from his own eyes, the love that endures all things and forgives all things and kisses the hand that strikes her. "She stuck to me like a dog under a wagon," said an old mountaineer when preaching his wife's funeral. There is no price tag on a wife like that. But, leaving out of the discussion the fact that a wife's devotion is soothing to a man's vanity and stimulating to his ego and hence a luxury that is worth all it costs, what is a wife's worth to her husband? Many men will say not even a split dime, and that getting married is an extravagance into which a man is lured by some super-saleswoman and for which he has to pay, and pay, and pay as long as he lives.

The theme song of these men who carry the burden of a wife's assets is: "When I was single my pockets did jingle, and I wish I were single again." And when they add up their monthly bills for hats and frocks and beauty treatments and clubs and entertaining and all the things that a wife is responsible for, they feel that a wife is first and foremost a liability and that they would be millionaires if they were only bachelors.

Yet it is observable that until a man carries he rarely has any money or really gets a start in his business or profession. The reason for this is that his wife not only constitutes herself the watch dog of the home treasury who protects him from parasitic relatives and grafting friends, but also she forces upon him the necessity of putting more energy into his work. Having to hustle to pay an extravagant

At Long Last, the Facts About Cosmetics Are Presented Clearly

Questions Every Woman Asks About Her Beauty Aids Now Answered by the Experts

By Helen Vogt

It's hard to say it, it's about time! Time, we mean, that somebody answered the countless questions that women ask, or would like to ask, about cosmetics, and time, too, that we were told, in words only slightly over one syllable, what makes one cream better than another or how lipsticks vary and why.

The firm that finally took it upon itself to answer these queries has presented some mighty interesting facts. Since they've done it in a "Q. and A." form, we'll do the same:

Q. How can you know your toilet preparations are pure and harmless?
A. By reputable brands made by manufacturers who meet the requirements of the Federal Food, Drug and Cosmetic Act. This means, briefly, that impure or harmful ingredients cannot be used; that all dyes and tints must be certified by the Food and Drug Administration.

Q. Why are some lines of cosmetics more expensive than others?
A. Quality of ingredients, choosing between higher and lower quality oils, for example. Also, cost of scientific research to test accepted and new products in the laboratory. Finally, better equipment, such as a superior grade of powder mixers.

Q. What are the major ingredients used in the making of cosmetics?
A. Vegetable and mineral oils, lanolin and its extracts, waxes, talc, pigments both organic and mineral, fats of both natural and synthetic origin, essential oils of flowers, herbs and other plants.

Q. Are some skins allergic to ingredients in beauty preparations?
A. Yes, orris root and starch are known to have aroused allergies, while other materials are suspected. Better consult a physician if there is any doubt.

Q. How much can you expect of a face cream?
A. Used regularly, it will soften and smooth your skin and, in general, help its appearance. It won't "rejuvenate" or "reactivate" or "freshen" your complexion. Neither, we might add, will it work miracles.

Q. What makes a good cleansing cream?
A. A good cleansing cream is never waxy or "pully," but is light and airy, and picks up dirt and grime effectively.

Q. What makes a good emollient cream?
A. An emollient contains more of those richer fats and oils that the

skin accepts as lubricants. It should be left on at least 20 minutes, in most cases, and often overnight. Its purpose is to smooth tiny lines and "crow's feet" and counteract that "crinkled" look that comes from weather and dryness.

Q. Can't one cream do both? That is, thoroughly cleanse, thoroughly soften?
A. A cream that tried to do both would be a compromise between the light-cleansing type and the heavy emollient one.

Q. How can I identify a good quality face powder?
A. By its lack of graininess and its softness to the touch; by its even color and smooth finish.

Q. Is there a home test I can use on powder?
A. Put a small amount on a piece of paper and press hard with your finger tip, streak it. If the thinned-out streak is grainy looking and uneven in color, it may act the same way on your skin.

Q. How can I select the right shade of face powder?
A. Try to match your skin tone. Face powder is darker in the box, but few women realize how dark the skin is. Don't wear too light powder.

Q. What makes a good lipstick?
A. Good, smart colors and softening properties that make it spread evenly and look attractively moist. Which type is indelible?

Q. No lipstick is completely indelible, but good ones stay on well, particularly if you powder lightly after the application.

Q. What is the difference between cream rouge and cake rouge?
A. Although they usually contain the same dyes, the former has some of the indelible qualities of lipstick and stays on better.

Q. Do creams grow hair?
A. No, if they did cosmetic manufacturers would be in the hair-growing business!

Q. Will any cream eliminate wrinkles?
A. Not deep ones of muscular tissue, but rich emollients often help to soften dry lines and surface "crow's feet."

Q. Would it pay me to make my own cosmetics?
A. You could make your own start from potatoes, too, but you cannot do as good a job as the experts. Those laboratory experiments discussed earlier give you valuable protection.

Q. Can cosmetics keep a woman young?
A. No, but they can make her look younger, keep her well groomed and possessed of a certain sparkle. They can, in short, give her poise and confidence. And they do!

Sugar Saver
Mix some raisins with apples for apple pie and you can lighten up about 3 tablespoons on the sugar. Spread 3 tablespoons honey over the filling before adjusting the top crust.

KIPPED HERRING WITH CREAM.
2 tablespoons butter.
2 sliced codfish balls.
One 14-ounce can kippered herring.
1/2 cup thin cream.
Melt butter in frying pan, add onion, saute until light brown, and remove. Add drained herring and saute lightly on both sides. Add cream and heat. Serve garnished with the sauted onion and paprika. If desired, the cooked onion may be omitted and the fish served with sliced raw onions. Yield: Six servings.

SCALLOPED FINNAN HADDIE.
1 pound finnan haddie.
2 cups medium cream sauce.
1 teaspoon Worcestershire sauce.
1 tablespoon minced parsley.
Buttered bread crumbs.
Cover fish with boiling water, drain and flake. Combine fish with cream sauce, Worcestershire sauce and parsley and pour into greased baking dish. Cover with buttered crumbs and bake in a moderate oven, 375 degrees F., 15 minutes, until brown. Yield: Six servings. E.M.P.

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Why Grow Old?

By Josephine Lowman

It's the little things that count up big in life and love and beauty! Many women and men have sought divorces because of small lacks rather than big ones, and a woman will stick to a man through thick and thin if he brings her a rose once in a while, makes her feel needed and important and notices her newest hat.

Some one has said that genius is an infinite capacity for taking pains. This is certainly true of beauty. Attractiveness as we think of it, is within the reach of every woman. If she is willing to work for it in many seemingly small ways.

She may have hair that is healthy and well groomed, with no wispy angles; a skin which is well nourished with correct food, is cleaned and lubricated regularly; a queenly carriage, a symmetrical figure and that verve which comes from the bubbling spirits of health.

Clothes spotless and well pressed, collars crisp, fingernails well cared for, stockings seams straight, becoming and youthful hair-do; simple, well-cut lines and effective colors in clothes, shining white teeth and well-brushed and adequately plucked brows all add up to personal magnetism.

Truly, you can have the kind of charm and attractiveness described above, no matter what your age or your income! Check with the things mentioned. If you have been careless about the grooming of your hair, don't be again; if your nails aren't as carefully tended as they should be, change that; if you are overweight, lose the extra pounds! Beauty is the resulting "tout ensemble" of many, many attentances on her.

If you wish to have help in your attempt at self-improvement send a 3-cent stamped, self-addressed envelope with your request for "Essential Daily Routine" and "Fitting Your Clothes to Your Figure and Personality." Address: Josephine Lowman, in care of The Evening Star.

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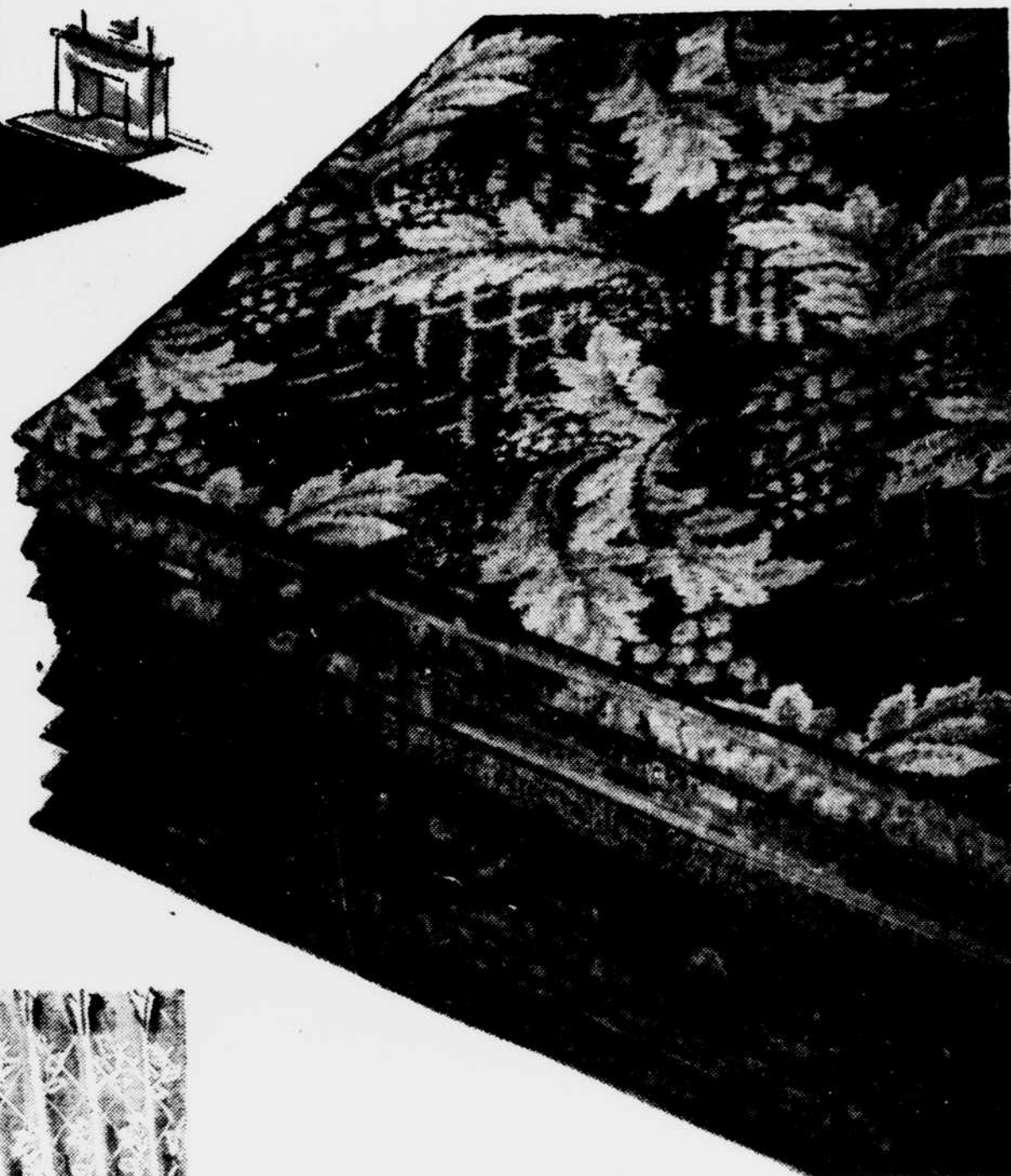
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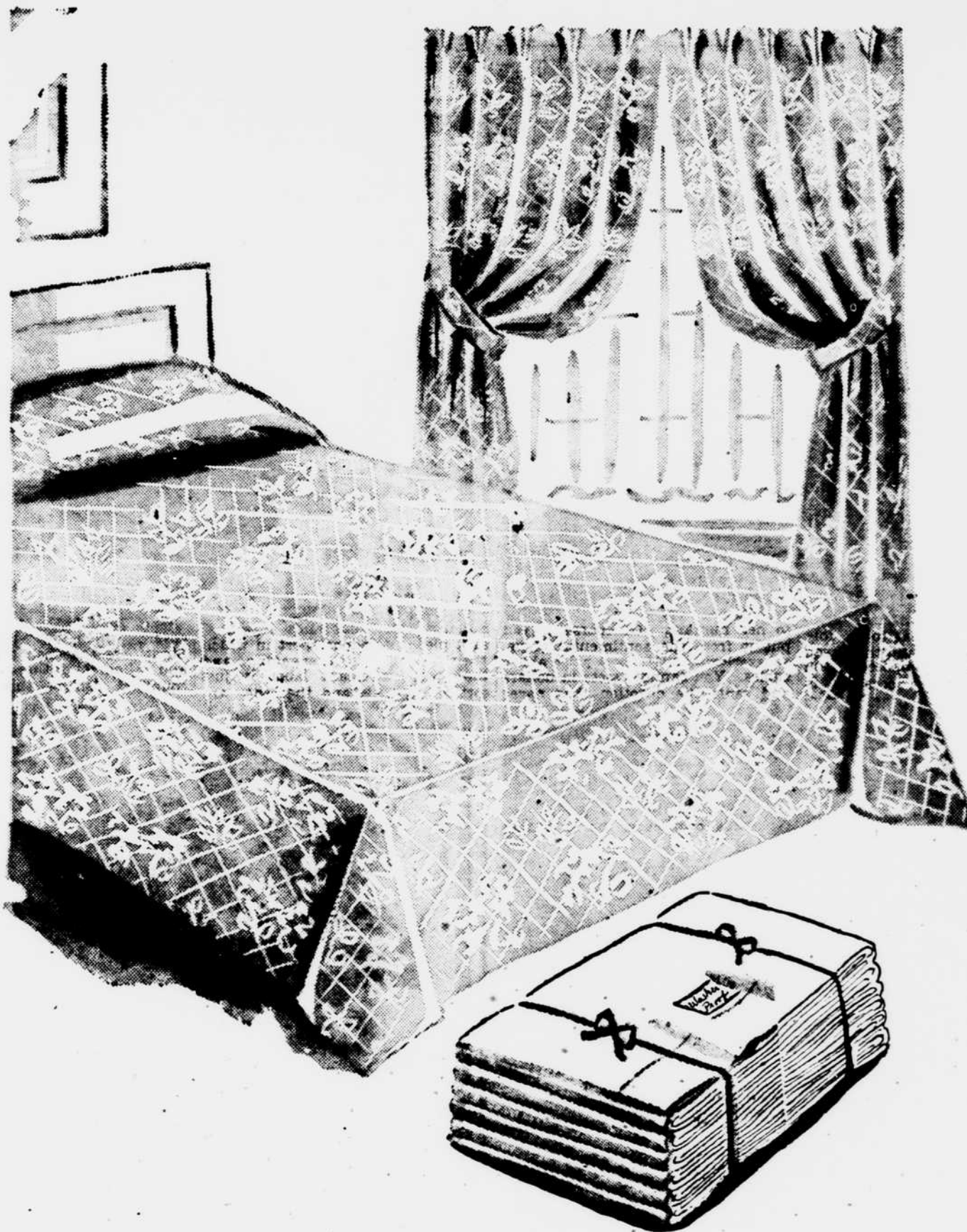
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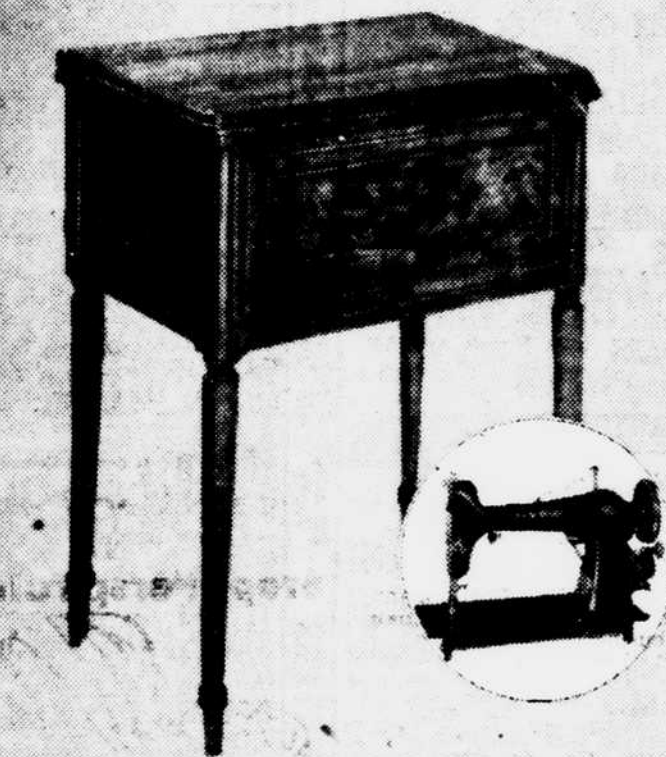
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Machine-Selected Chorines Are Much More Expensive

10 Times as Much, De Sylva Asserts, Pointing to Costs of Tests; 'Junior Miss' to Stay on Stage

By JAY CARMODY.

This is no day to be discrediting the machine perhaps, but there is one respect in which it is inferior to the old rule-of-thumb, or rule-of-eye, method. That's when it comes to the selection of chorus girls. The machine method which does not necessarily get better results in any case costs more in every case.

Want to know why? Well, it is really very simple. In the case of a stage musical, it is necessary only for the producer to sit wearily in a chair on the stage while a group of girls parades by. The girls walk slowly, the producer gives them the eye (in a practical, detached way, of course) and decides that the girl is pretty enough for his show or not pretty enough for it.

In casting a movie musical the display of face and figure and walking in tempo to music is merely an initial step. The producer who dares to decide a girl was pretty to the naked eye would be forgetting that the camera is to check on his judgment. It might make him look like a fool as it has been known to do on innumerable occasions in the past. Cameras and producers, strangely enough, do not see eye to eye and what the camera sees is what the public will see after the musical is made. The consequence is that after the producer has made his choices, tentatively, each girl must undergo photographic tests. These are very involved affairs, especially when they are made in technicolor.

The girls must be especially made up. That requires the services of experts who cost money. There is hairdo to be considered and wardrobe, sets and lighting. All of them require expert technicians and cost more money.

The exact amount of money is approximately 10 times that of the old naked-eye production method according to B. G. DeSylva. He had his accountants at Paramount figure it up after he had selected the chorus of "Louisiana Purchase," a job he had done previously for the stage production.

He thinks it makes the machine look bad but agrees that it is better than that the machine should make the chorus look bad.

Unlike so many domestic comedy hits, "Junior Miss" is not going to

be sold to the movies as soon as the highest bid is in.

Authority for that is Jerome Chodorov, co-author with Joseph Fields, who dropped in Monday night to see the third company of "My Sister Eileen" perform at the National.

It is not a matter of being aloof toward the movies, Mr. Chodorov says. He and his partner are anything but, owing so much to the cinema in the way of both fame and fortune.

In "Junior Miss," they just happen to feel they have a great dramatic treasure, a thing that deserves to run on and on forever. They are pretty sure their feeling toward it is shared by the multitude.

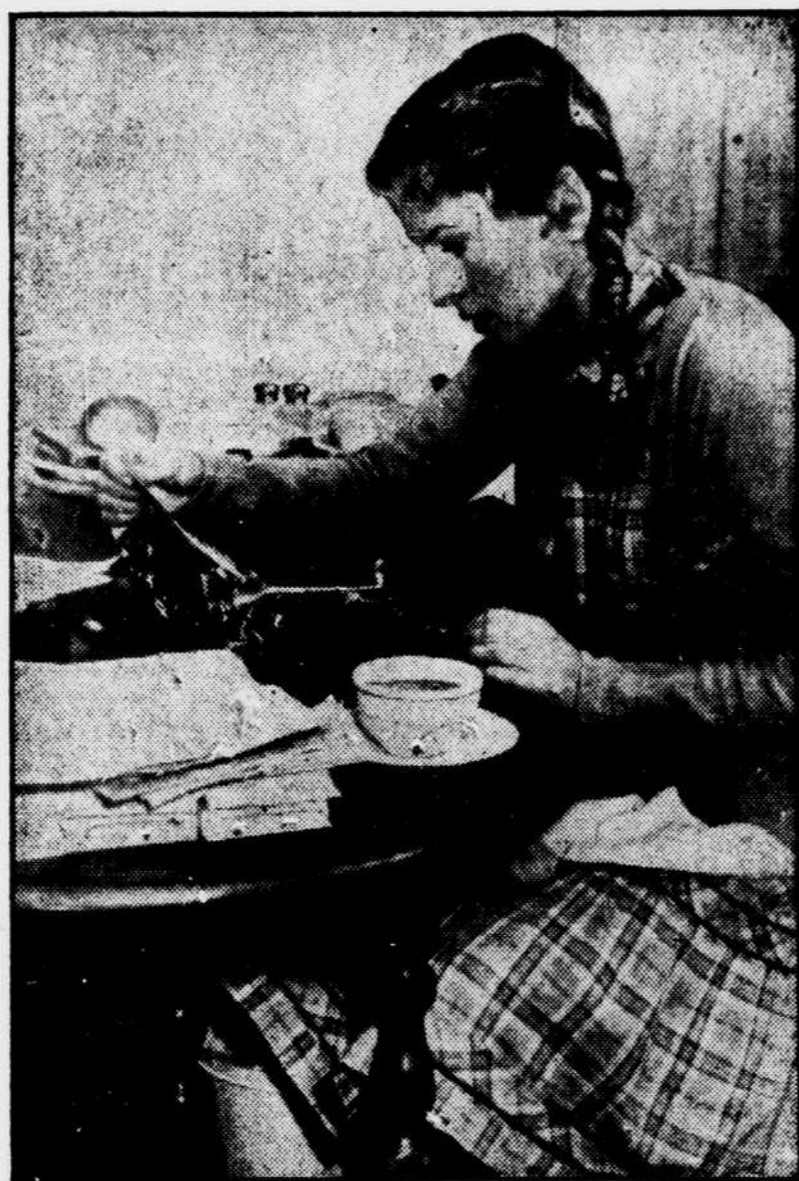
Mr. Chodorov's date said she had heard it was going to become a vehicle for Shirley Temple.

Mr. Chodorov answered that he hoped Shirley would be playing character parts by the time the play had exhausted its stage audience. So if you see "Junior Miss" on the screen by next autumn it will just be one more evidence of how quickly things change in this changing world.

Voice in the Wilderness Department: Dire as they seem at the moment, Max Factor, Jr., sees a beautiful silver lining in sugar and fire rationing. Mr. F., Jr., who has been the chemical genius behind so much of Hollywood's glamour has it firmly fixed among his convictions that the trouble with women is that they eat too many sweets, walk too few miles per day. Rationing will be fine for them, he thinks, or, in his own glowing words:

"Giving American women one year's sparing use of sugar and get them out of automobiles and on their own feet and you'll see twice as many lovely feminine figures."

If you would like to file the prediction away to be checked a year hence, it probably is no more than Mr. F., Jr., is laying himself open to.



THANK YOU NOTES—Are Joan Fontaine's concern after winning the Academy Award as the best motion picture actress of 1941 for her role in "Suspicion." She has not bothered to be glamorous for the occasion, as indeed she need not. —A. P. Wirephoto.

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Movies Turn to the Living For Heroic Material Now

By HAROLD HEFFERNAN, HOLLYWOOD.

Apparently Hollywood has overcome one of its most terrifying inhibitions—the flesh and blood hero as a source of story material. After M-G-M's costly experience with "Rasputin," which brought about a famous lawsuit in the British courts, producers have been avoiding possible lawsuits with special care, fearing to tread where many a novelist has rushed with impunity.

Now, the field seems to be wide open. Warner Brothers first crunched it with "Sergeant York" and are following right up with "Yankee Doodle Dandy." Interesting repercussions are almost certain on other fronts.

"Sergeant York" with the permission and co-operation of World War One's greatest hero, told the story of a man who, it is true, is almost a legend, but is nonetheless still very much alive. "Yankee Doodle Dandy" is the life story of George M. Cohan. The great song and dance man has given his okay to the script. There are several other contemporary characters in "Yankee," and none of them seems so far, anything but flattered as the prospect of seeing himself characterized in the films.

If Hollywood continues to move in cycles—and it seldom has missed following the bellwether—watch for a new and lively flow of biographical epics. The Pasteurs, the Queens, Elizabeths, Custers, Alexander Graham Bells, Gen. Sturatts, Juarezes, Zolas and Edisons (man and boy) will give way, say to Churchill, MacArthur, Roosevelt and the Duke of Windsor.

Studios already registered with the Hays office more than 100 titles involving Pearl Harbor, Wake Island and Singapore. It follows that they will use many real life heroes.

After all, there never was a law against it.

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To Film 'Voyager'

"Now, Voyager," based on the new novel by Olive Higgins Prouty, author of "Stella Dallas," will be a Hal B. Wallis production for Warner Bros.

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COLONY 4935 Ga. Ave. N.W. 4935 Ga. Ave. N.W. 4935 Ga. Ave. N.W.
HUSTON and WALTER BERGMAN in "SWAMP WATER" At 1:15, 3:15, 5:15, 7:15, 9:15

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WILLIAM POWELL and MYRNA LOY in "THE FIGHTING ANZACS" At 1:25, 3:25, 5:25, 7:25, 9:25. IRENE DUNNE and "THE FIGHTING ANZACS" UNFINISHED BUSINESS. At 8:15.

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Bedtime Stories

By THORNTON W. BURGESS.

Redtail the Hawk was lazily sailing round and round high in the air, very much after the manner of Ol' Mistah Buzzard. He was doing it for two reasons—because he just loves to sail round and round that way and look down on all that is going on in the Green Meadows and in the Green Forest, and because he was getting hungry and he was trying to make up his mind what he wanted to eat for his dinner. He wasn't very particular, not really. There were several things he could think of that would taste good. There was Chatterer the Red Squirrel. He had had his eye on Chatterer for some time, but some new Chatterer always managed to give him the slip. There was Danny Meadow Mouse. He wouldn't make a very big dinner, but he would be tender and very delicious. It was very annoying that Danny managed to keep himself out of sight so much of the time. There was Mr. Greensnake and Grandfather Frog. But Mr. Greensnake was hard to see unless he happened to be moving, and Grandfather Frog was so old and wise that Redtail had about given up on catching him. He had just about decided to go over to the Smiling Pool and try for one of Grandfather Frog's foolish children, when he heard the voice of Blacky the Crow down below him in the Green Forest.

Redtail's sharp eyes twinkled. "I wonder what Blacky is seeing now," thought he. "If it can get him so excited as all that, I guess I will have a look myself." With that he sailed swiftly over the Green Forest until he was right over Blacky the Crow, who was in the top of a big pine tree. Blacky was so busy watching for his dinner that he didn't see Redtail at all. Now Redtail's eyes are very, very sharp, and, looking down from high up in the blue, blue sky, he could see all that Blacky saw and more, too. He saw Peter Rabbit dodging and dodging that way for his life, with Reddy Fox right at his heels. He saw Old Man Coyote and Granny Fox hurrifying up and he felt sure that when they got there Peter wouldn't have the least chance in the world. He surely would be caught by one of them, and that would be the end of him. Right away Redtail made up his mind that neither Reddy Fox nor Granny Fox nor Old Man Coyote should have Peter Rabbit if he could help it. Not that he meant to help Peter. Oh, no, no, no, the fact is, he meant to have Peter for his own dinner. He had had his eye on Peter for a long time, and he had tried many times to catch him, but always Peter had been too smart for him. But now, with so many others to dodge, Peter wouldn't be watching up in the sky. He would just watch his chance and snatch Peter right out from under the very noses of the others. It would be great fun, for he had no love for any of them. They hunted so much on the Green Meadows that he sometimes found it hard work to get enough to eat, and now he would get even with them!

He sailed down, down out of the blue, blue sky almost to the tree tops and no one saw him. Then as Peter ran lipperty-lipperty-lip across a little open place, he saw that with his wings, and with his claws spread wide he shot down like a brown thunderbolt to seize Peter just as Granny Fox sprang out from her hiding place and Reddy came tearing along at Peter's heels. And, like them, Reddy and Peter had that was a wee wee bit too late—Peter was safe under a big pile of brush.

POINTS FOR PARENTS

By EDYTH THOMAS WALLACE.

Children will find alibis easily enough without their elders providing them with the additional one of inheritance. This is a story about a child who is being raised by grandparents and how the child's behavior is influenced by the grandparents' attitudes and actions.

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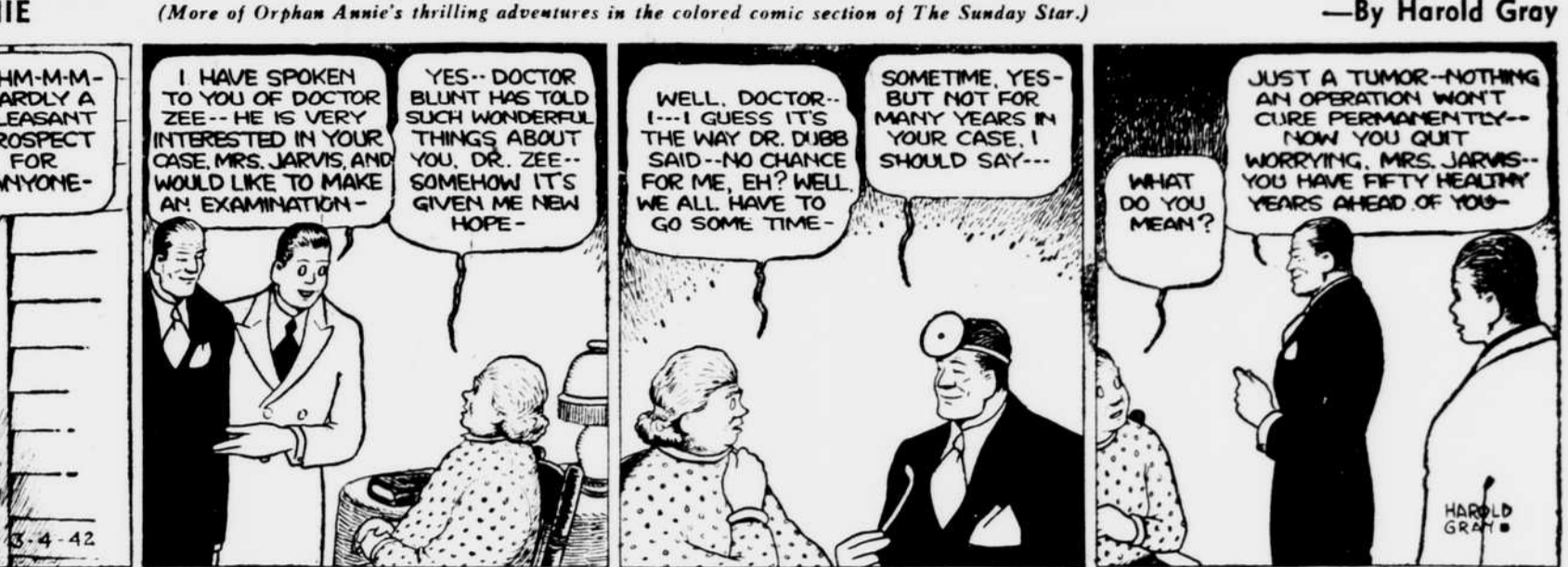
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Crime Doesn't Pay! No. 91

Perhaps some of our readers will consider today's hand a better example of a swindle than of a crime, but we think that the error was too serious. South should be given credit for making the best possible try for his slam contract, but there was no excuse for West's bridge crime.

South dealer. North-South vulnerable.

- ♠ 6
♥ A3
♦ A9853
♣ A Q J 6

- ♠ A J 10 7 3 2
♥ 9 8 5
♦ 6 4
♣ 7 3

- ♠ K 9 4
♥ K Q 2
♦ Q J 10
♣ K 9 8 4

The bidding: South West North East
1♠ 1♥ 3♦ 3♠
3NT Pass 4♣ Pass
4♦ Pass 6♣ Pass

North probably overbid his hand a bit, but the slam contract was not at all illegal. As South noted, when West had opened the nine of hearts, the slam would hinge on the diamond finesse. If the finesse won, the slam would be "cold," but if the finesse didn't win, there was little chance for it.

After a moment's reflection, South played the heart ace, winning the first trick in the dummy. The ace, queen and king of clubs then followed, after which South led a low spade from his hand. It was at this point that West committed the bridge crime of playing the ten of spades.

Ordinarily, it takes a good player to refuse such a trick; most players make the mistake of taking their ace too quickly in such situations. But in this case it should have been obvious to West that he could never get more than one spade trick and might not get that if he failed to take it at once. Furthermore, even if he gave South two spade tricks instead of only one, dummy could get no useful discard on South's spade king.

But West didn't see these points and played the ten of spades. Dummy took the queen, returned a heart, and dummy discarded the losing spade on the third heart. Then South could afford to lose the diamond finesse and still make the slam.

Yesterday you were Howard Schenken's partner and, vulnerable against non-vulnerable opponents, you held:

- ♠ 5
♥ Q J 7 4
♦ 8 2
♣ K Q 10 9 6 3

The bidding: Jacoby Schenken Burnstone You
1♠ Dbl. Pass 2♣
2♥ Dbl. Pass (?)
3♦ Answer—Bid three hearts. Your partner's double is for penalties, but your distribution makes it unlikely that you can set the non-vulnerable opponents enough to make it worthwhile. The chances are that you have a game and can score more by bidding it.

Score 100 per cent for three hearts, 60 per cent for pass, 30 per cent for three clubs.

Question No. 1,011. Today you hold the same hand, and the bidding continues: Jacoby Schenken Burnstone You
1♠ Dbl. Pass 2♣
2♥ Dbl. Pass (?)
3♦ Pass 3NT Pass (?)
What do you bid? (Answer tomorrow.)

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Take My Word for It

By FRANK COLBY.

Surprise Word of the Week

The word RESERVOIR is perhaps one of the most frequently mispronounced words in English. We hear it usually as either "REZ-uh-voir" or "REZ-er-vaire," neither of which has any dictionary sanction.

It should be noted that the second syllable is -er- and should rhyme with her, per. The third syllable is like the word war, preceded by the sound of "v." First choice: REZ-er-vair. Second choice: REZ-er-vvaire. French: ray-zair-vvair (flat "a").

(Capitals indicate syllables to be accented.)

It's Hard to Believe

Indianapolis: Please explain the term CAREER WOMAN and give the origin of the word career. MISS H.

Answer—A career woman is one who has elected to engage in a business or profession as her life's work instead of devoting herself to domestic affairs. The word career has a curious origin. It comes into English from the French word carrier, which means "highway; race course." The French borrowed the word from the Italian carro, meaning "wagon" or "chariot." It is hard to believe that a career woman is literally one of the contestants in a chariot race, but it's true!

My phonetic system of spelling pronunciations has been requested by countless readers. It is now available in pamphlet form exactly as it appears in my new book, "Your Speech and How to Improve It." This valuable pamphlet will make the pronunciations given in this column as easy as A B C and will make clear the pronunciations in your Webster's. I want to send you a copy with my compliments. Don't delay. Send a stamped 3-cent, self-addressed envelope to Frank Colby in care of The Evening Star.

UNCLE RAY'S CORNER

—Hungarian Village gave Its Name to 'Coach'

If you had been born 150 or 160 years ago, it is likely that you would have taken many a ride in a stagecoach. That was the greatest period of "coaching," though the use of coaches began much earlier, and did not end until about half a century ago.

Queen Elizabeth rode in a carriage covered above, but open at the sides. Not a great while after her death, the closed coach came into favor in Great Britain. It had a door opening at each side, which was the new idea.

The name "coach" came from Kocs, a village in Hungary where the coach appears to have been invented. The French changed the spelling to "coche," and the English to "coach."

A stagecoach was a coach which made regular trips from place to place. The distance between points where horses were changed was called a stage. Coaches took the place of the "stage-wagons" which had carried passengers 3 miles per hour. Greater speed came in with the coach, which usually was drawn by four horses. The coach ran along at the rate of 5 or 6 miles per hour!

RUBBER SHORTAGE

—By Gluyas Williams



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CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

—By Gluyas Williams

Grid for crossword puzzle with clues for 1-16 and 17-32.

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Answer to Yesterday's LETTER-OUT.

Table for letter-out puzzle with words: BROODS, COPIES, REGAIN, REMITS, MARBLED.

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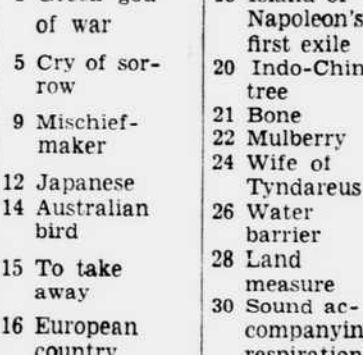
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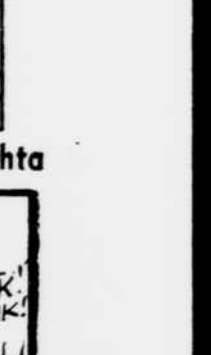
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Fifty volunteer women yesterday completed their final lecture preparatory to becoming child care aides and working in child care centers for the children of working parents who cannot afford supervision of their offspring.

This afternoon at 2:30 they were to discuss an actual case at the child guidance clinic at the Washington Institute for Mental Hygiene before putting in 50 hours of closely supervised practice at seven nursery schools. The course has been running for more than a month under the auspices of the Council of Social Agencies.

Yesterday at the National Education Association the group heard Mrs. Henry P. Chandler, presiding, reveal that of 240 applicants for child care service to the council, investigation had disclosed 152 cases where the mother would be unable to support the children unless she worked and hence where day care for the children would be essential. The function of the social worker in the day care plan was outlined by Miss Dorothy Dessau of the social work field staff of the National Day Nursery Association. Miss Dessau explained that the social worker at the child care center must try to follow up the family situation where the child is accepted by the center. Where the child is not accepted, the worker should steer the applicant to whatever social service might be called for, she said.

The Health Department has prepared regulations governing conditions under which child centers can be operated, Dorothy Pearce of the department declared. The volunteers who work with the youngsters must have certificates of freedom from communicable diseases such as tuberculosis and venereal diseases, she said.

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A Washington truck-line operator who once equipped his vans with armored cabs and bullet-proof glass for protection when entering New York City declared today that similar measures may become necessary again—because of a Supreme Court ruling Monday.

The court ruled that the Federal Anti-Racketeering act did not apply to members of a labor union charged with requiring owners of trucks entering New York City to pay a local union member a fee equivalent to a day's labor.

This decision will permit renewal of the practice by New York "union men" of halting incoming trucks at tunnels or bridges and demanding payment, the Washington operator asserted. He said that in past years his drivers were threatened with the alternative of being beaten up. This alleged practice was broken up by prosecutions under Thomas E. Dewey, he declared—but convictions were reversed by a Court of Appeals, and the reversal was upheld Monday by the Supreme Court.

Another Washington manager of a large trucking line predicted that similar "racketeering activities" now will spread over the country, including the Baltimore-Washington area. Trucking men would not be quoted, however, on the ground it would "concentrate" trouble on them.

Martinelli to Address Defense Stamp Rally Here

Giovanni Martinelli, Metropolitan Opera star, will speak at a victory rally at Central High School auditorium Sunday as a climax to a campaign by Washington residents of Italian descent to sell 1,000,000 worth of Defense stamps and bonds.

Mr. Martinelli will speak in Italian and English. Another speaker on the program will be Ugo Carusi, executive assistant to the Attorney General, who will devote part of his talk to clarification of alien regulations.

The victory rally is part of a campaign sponsored by the Lido Club and other organizations. Harry Martinelli is in charge of the bond selling campaign, and Ralph Cipriano is chairman of the drive. The local Committee for Defense Savings is co-operating in sponsoring the rally.

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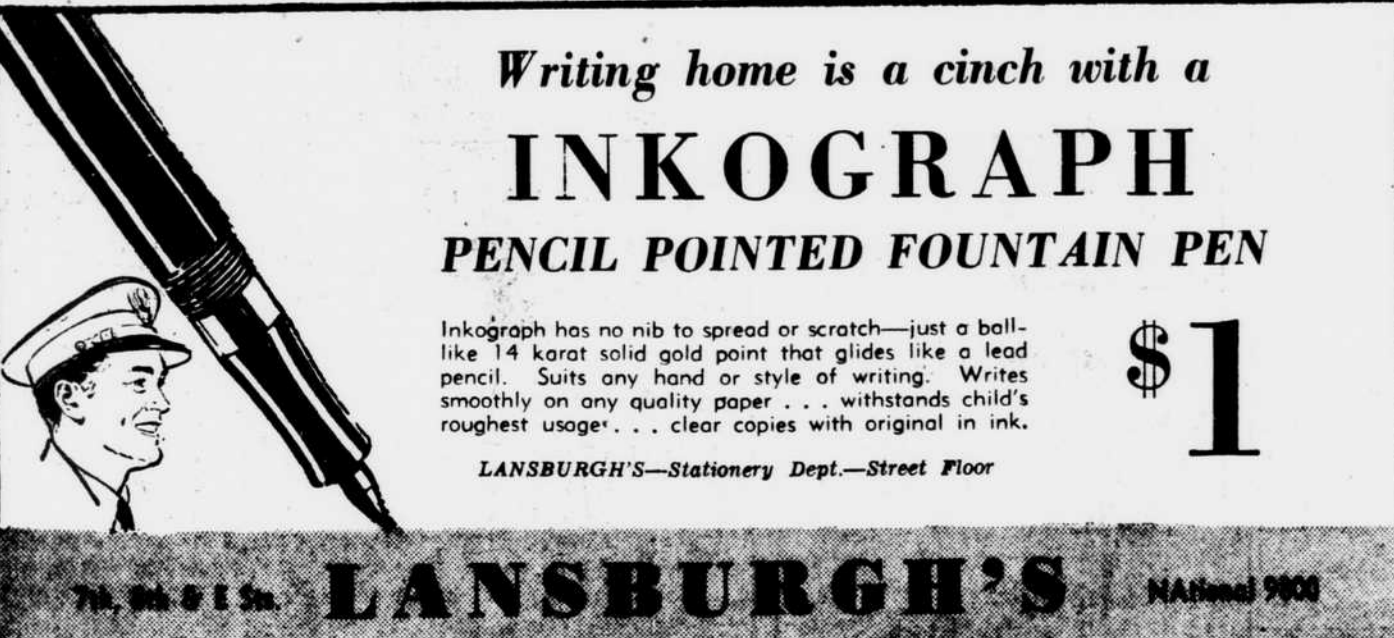
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