

**Weather Report**  
Continued cold today with temperature below freezing. Not so cold tonight, lowest 23 degrees. Temperatures today—Highest, 30, at 2 p.m.; lowest, 19, at 8:10 a.m. Full report on page A-14.

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## ALLIED GUNS BREAK UP TUNISIAN COLUMN

### Pro Grid League Passes Up Draft Of College Stars

**Redskins Get \$976 Apiece for Winning Title; Bears \$639**  
(Earlier Story on Page A-12.)

The National Football League, the professional gridiron's major loop, adjourned its regular December meeting today without holding the annual draft of graduating college players. It was the first time in seven seasons that the draft has been passed up at the December session.

Owners of the 10 clubs, or their representatives, met with Elmer Layden, league commissioner. After a discussion concerning the league's wartime future, they adjourned "subject to the call of the commissioner."

The session lasted less than two hours. It was known before the meeting that nine club owners favored putting off the draft, because most of the players graduating from college are earmarked for military service anyway.

Layden voted to continue. The club owners voted unanimously to continue operations during the war, "subject to whatever regulations or conditions might arise."

"We know there will be limitations and difficulties," Layden said later. "However, the sentiment of the members now is to continue."

Although there was no official decision on just when the draft meeting might be held, if at all, the player selection could be accomplished at the league's annual meeting in April, or at any time the commissioner might decide to call a session.

Layden also ironed out details concerning the "pro bowl" game between the championship Redskins and a league All-Star team in Philadelphia December 27, the entire proceeds, Layden said, will be given to the United Seaman's Service.

The All-Stars will begin gathering in Philadelphia tomorrow. They will be coached by Hunk Anderson and Luke Johnson, picks of the Chicago Bears, who were beaten by the Redskins in the title playoff yesterday.

In a conference with Anderson, Layden named 33 players, gathered from every club in the league, to make up the All-Star squad. Nine of them were picked from the Bears.

Owner George P. Marshall tendered the victorious and jubilant Redskins a luncheon after the league meeting and in praising their season in general and their 14-6 victory over the Bears in particular, increased their "most champions by accident but by hard work, courage and determination." He predicted they would be champions a long time and bade them to act like champs off the field as well as on.

Praised by Land, chairman of the Maritime Commission, sponsoring the Philadelphia game, spoke briefly, praising the team for its work in yesterday's title game.

"I only wish I was back in active service," he told the gathering. "So I could lead the Redskins on Guadalcanal, Casablanca or any other spot on God's green earth."

The tribe will lose eight players for the exhibition, seven to the armed service unless they are granted furlough, and one, Steve Slivinski, because of a facial injury incurred against the Bears. Ed Tgdt, Cecil George, George Watts, Ed Justice, Al Krueger, Ed Belnor and Johnny Kovach will enter the service before the game, along with Flaherty and Trainer "Doc" Mauro.

Coach Ray Flaherty was presented the football, autographed by all the players, with which the championship game was ended. The ball used in starting the fray was drawn by lot and, oddly enough, won by No. 35, Wilbur Moore, who snatched the touchdown pass from Sammy High and made it possible for the lucky fan who retrieved Bob Masterson's kick for the seventh point to hand it back to the club.

Bergman Given Clock.  
The club's final gesture was the presentation of a traveling clock to "Dutch" Bergman, who scouted the opposition during the season, in appreciation of his work.

The Redskins will not meet again (See FOOTBALL, Page 2-X.)

### Late News Bulletins

**U. S. Minister to Finland Comes Home**  
HELSINKI (AP).—H. F. Arthur Schoenfeld, United States Minister to Finland, will leave Thursday for home, the American Legation announced today.

**RAF Raids Belgium and France**  
LONDON (AP).—Railway targets in Belgium and Northern France were attacked in widespread raids by squadrons of fighters and bombers which operated singly, the Air Ministry announced tonight.

### Dr. Hubert Work, 82, Former Cabinet Member, Dies in Denver



DR. HUBERT WORK.  
—Underwood Photo.

**One-Time Physician Served Under Harding, Coolidge**

By the Associated Press.  
DENVER, Dec. 14.—Dr. Hubert Work, 82, former United States Postmaster General and Secretary of the Interior, died of a heart ailment at 12:55 p.m. (M. T.) today.

Dr. Work suffered a heart attack early this month at his suburban Denver home and was taken to St. Joseph's Hospital, where he succumbed.

**Native of Pennsylvania.**  
Born on a farm in Indiana County, Pa., on July 3, 1860, the son of Moses Thompson and Tabitha Lovan Van Horn Work. Dr. Work helped finance his way through the State Normal School by working on farms. (See WORK, Page 2-X.)

### Eden and De Gaulle Agree on Return of Madagascar Control

**Fighting French Official In Africa to Take Over From British**

By the Associated Press.  
LONDON, Dec. 14.—Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden and Gen. Charles de Gaulle signed an agreement today for re-establishing French sovereignty over Madagascar.

The agreement provided that the provisional military administration set up by the British after the occupation of the huge island off Southeast Africa would end with the arrival there of Gen. Paul Le Gentilhomme, commander in chief of Fighting French forces in Africa.

A high commissioner is to be appointed by the French National Committee and he will reorganize the French military forces for defense of external operations "against the common enemy," it was announced.

Seeking to eliminate Madagascar as a potential base for Axis submarines and espionage, British troops first landed on the island last May 5. They completed the occupation November 6.

### Army Nurse Pay Bill Reaches White House

By the Associated Press.  
Legislation increasing the pay of nurses attached to the armed forces went to the White House today, with House acceptance of Senate amendments.

The legislation gives all nurses a base income corresponding to that of an ensign in the Navy and a second lieutenant in the Army. Under existing law pay is based on length of service.

Representative Celler, Democrat, of New York introduced today a bill to allow women doctors to accept temporary Army commissions. Existing law has been construed to prohibit such commissions, he said.

### Powdered Meat Coming, Lord Woolton Says

By the Associated Press.  
LONDON, Dec. 14.—Britain's food minister, Lord Woolton, indicated today that powdered meat would become an item in the nation's wartime diet.

"Most women have heard of dried eggs and powdered milk," he said in a speech at Cambridge. "They will, before the war is over, hear something about powdered meats."

### Layden Lists 33 Pro All-Stars To Meet Redskins in 'Bowl' Tilt

By the Associated Press.  
The following 33 players, selected from every team in the league, were named today by Commissioner Elmer Layden to make up the National Football League's all-star squad in the "pro bowl" game against the championship Redskins in Philadelphia December 27.

Right ends—George Wilson, Chicago Bears; Eddie Rucinski, Brooklyn; Frank Ivy, Chicago Cardinals; John Siegal, Chicago Bears.

Left tackles—John Woudenberg, Pittsburgh; Frank Cope, New York; Lee Artoe, Chicago Bears; Edward Kolman, Chicago Bears.

Right guards—Auggie Lio, Detroit; Enio Conti, Philadelphia.

### Roosevelt Refuses To Make Up Dealer's Profit Lost by War

By the Associated Press.  
President Roosevelt, in a veto message, questioned today the advisability of the Government's paying individuals profits they received materials which instead were requisitioned for war purposes.

On grounds it would establish "an undesirable precedent" for similar cases arising from requisitioning, priorities and allocations, Mr. Roosevelt rejected a bill which would have let the Court of Claims handle a \$195,000 claim by John L. Alcock of Baltimore, dating back to the World War.

The Government in 1918 directed Mr. Alcock's suppliers to discontinue shipments to him of lumber he had contracted to sell and deliver in Scotland. Mr. Alcock contended he should be reimbursed for the profits he would have realized.

"In the conduct of war \* \* \*," the President said in a message to the House, "the Government is frequently constrained to requisition and allocate material. In case it requisitions material, it pays just compensation. There is neither a legal nor a moral obligation on its part, however, to reimburse persons who would have purchased the material so requisitioned and would have realized profits on its resale."

"Moreover, it should be observed that the approval of this bill may create an undesirable precedent for numberless similar bills in behalf of individuals whose contracts have been or may be frustrated during the present war by reason of requisitioning of materials from their suppliers, priorities and allocations. The financial burden that would result is one that the Government should not in equity and good conscience be required to undertake."

### Scalper Fined \$50

(Earlier Story on Page A-3.)  
Benjamin Sherman, 32, of Baltimore, was fined \$50 by Judge John P. McMahon in Municipal Court today following his conviction on a charge of scalping tickets at yesterday's Redskins-Bear professional football game at Griffith stadium.

### McNutt Urges NYA Merger In Job Program

**Will Ask Congress To Repeal Statute On Age Limits**

(Earlier Story on Page A-1.)  
By the Associated Press.  
Manpower Chief McNutt will ask Congress to merge the National Youth Administration into the general war worker training program of the War Manpower Commission.

Mr. McNutt said a press conference today, adding that he intended to ask that statutes limiting NYA training to persons in their 20s be repealed so that its appropriations could be used to train war workers of all ages. NYA recently became a unit of WMC.

Senator Byrd, Democrat, of Virginia and others in Congress have criticized NYA, saying it used 12,520 supervisors and clerical workers to train 53,603 young persons for industrial work.

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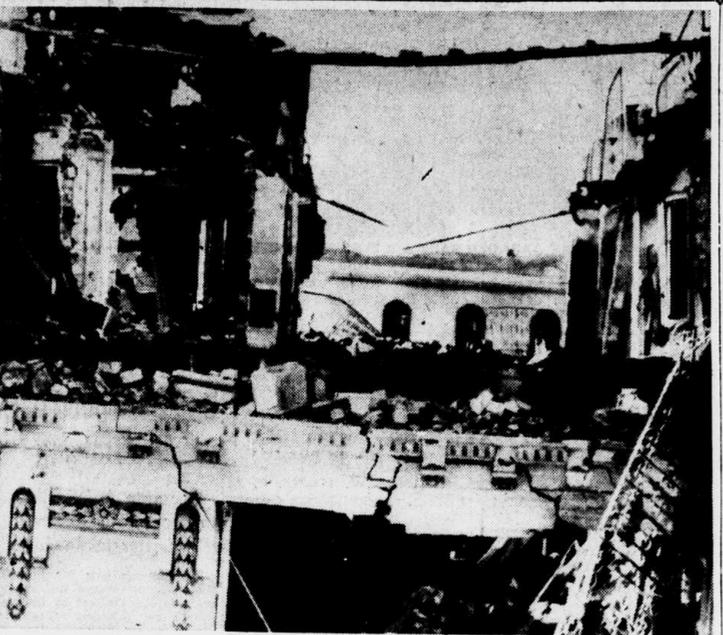
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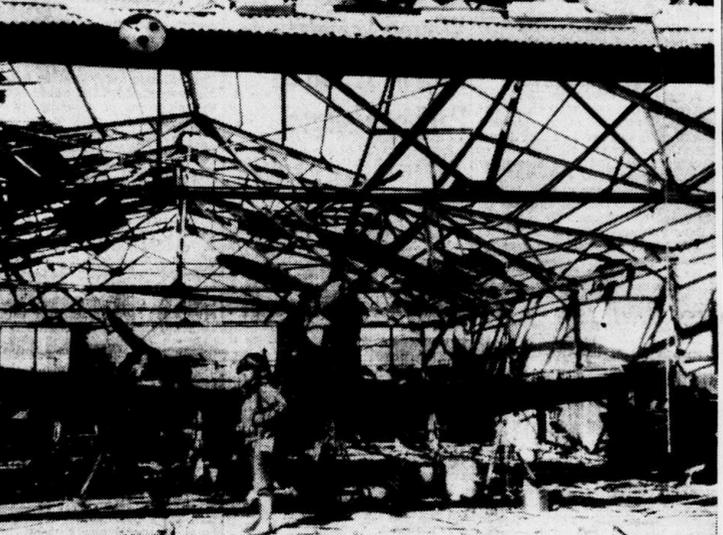
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ALGIERS.—DEMOLISHED BY NAZI BOMBS—This home in the American-occupied North African city of Algiers was only a mass of wreckage after a direct hit by a bomb during a German raid.



Wreckage of a French hangar at La Senia, one of the principal airports captured near Oran during the Allied occupation of North Africa, after it had been battered by the American forces. An American soldier stands guard in front of it.

### Letters on Convoys, Pearl Harbor Seized In Alaska, Says Biddle

Tells Senate Committee Of 'Disastrous' Results Had Japs Received Mail

(Earlier Story on Page A-1.)  
By the Associated Press.  
Attorney General Biddle, defending the censoring of territorial mail, said today that he had intercepted communications containing specific information on troop convoys to Alaska and a letter giving a "complete, detailed description of the entire Pearl Harbor disaster."

This latter letter carried information which might have been "disastrous if it had fallen into the hands of the enemy" because it might have prompted the Japanese to follow up their sneak attack on the island outpost when it was ill-equipped to defend itself, Mr. Biddle told the Senate Judiciary Committee.

Alaska communications intercepted by the censors, he said, had yielded figures on the number and types of planes in that area, the number and type of troops and anti-aircraft defenses, as well as the location and photographs of oil storage tanks.

Declaring that he had no doubt that President Roosevelt had authority as Commander in Chief to order censorship of territorial communications, Mr. Biddle said the administration wanted a bill passed establishing statutory power for such action, to underline the President's authority.

Asked by Senator Burton, Republican, of Ohio if there was any censorship of mails between points on the West Coast of the United States, Mr. Biddle said he thought there was not.

"But," he added, "I won't abandon or waive the right of the Commander in Chief to impose domestic censorship if the need arises, although I do not think there is any need for it now."

### 13 More Belgians Executed

LONDON, Dec. 14 (AP).—Thirteen more Belgians have been executed after conviction by a German court-martial of possessing firearms and engaging in anti-German activity, the Free Belgian telegraphic agency reported today.

### British Ship, With 1,800 Italian Prisoners, Sunk Off Africa

Survivors Tell of Rescue by French Warship, Nazi and Fascist Submarines

By the Associated Press.  
AN EAST COAST PORT, Dec. 14 (AP).—A large British ship carrying more than 2,500 persons, including 1,800 Italian prisoners of war, was torpedoed and sunk off West Africa last September, survivors reported on arrival here.

Crewmen said "present known survivors" among the passengers and crew totaled 1,040 and that some 350 Italian prisoners were rescued by "six or seven" submarines which surfaced after the attack. One of the subs was Italian, the others German.

Loss of the ship previously was announced by the British but without any details.

The Navy released the survivors' accounts today. The sinking took place as the transport was on the last lap of a voyage from Suez, where the Italians had been taken aboard.

Among the ship's 688 passengers were about 50 wives and children of British servicemen who were returning home on leave or for hospitalization. Most of the women and children and 189 of the crew members were saved, survivors reported.

### Mary Astor Wins Divorce And Custody of Son, 2

By the Associated Press.  
LOS ANGELES, Dec. 14.—Mary Astor, screen actress, obtained a divorce today from Manuel Del Campo, officer in the Royal Canadian Air Force.

Her allegations that Del Campo would become intoxicated and stay out late nights were corroborated by her friend, Mrs. Herbert Marshall, wife of the actor.

Custody of their son, Anthony Paul Del Campo, 2, was given Miss Astor. She agreed to support the child while the father is at war.

At Miss Astor's last appearance in court she waged a sensational and winning battle with her former husband, Dr. Franklin Thorpe, to obtain custody of their daughter, Marilyn, 11.

### French Ambush And Blast Axis Troop Train

Only 18 Germans Escape Fire of Hidden Guerrillas

(Earlier Story on Page A-1.)  
By WES GALLAGHER, Associated Press War Correspondent.

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN NORTH AFRICA, Dec. 14.—Attacks by American and British artillery have broken up a German motor column northeast of Medjeb El Bab. It was announced today, while the French high command in Tunisia reported destruction of an entire troop train by French guerrillas operating between Sfax and Soussa.

(There was no elaboration of the reference to the Allied artillery action in this dispatch, which cleared through military censorship.)

(A communique issued at the War Department at 3 p.m. referred to the same action without giving details. It also told of aerial actions using almost the same words as a communique issued at Allied headquarters in Africa.)

A spokesman at the French Army headquarters of Gen. Henri Honoré Giraud said 282 out of 300 troops on the train between Sfax and Soussa were killed, wounded or captured when a mine exploded on the tracks and French troops hidden at the side opened fire with machine guns.

Italian Column Captured.  
He also reported that one 1917 model French armored car and a few French motorcycles with American air support broke up and captured an entire Italian armored column near Faid, in Central Tunisia.

"Our French troops encountered the Italian column, which included two tanks, and opened fire at the Medjeb El Bab toward Pont du Fahs, a communications hub 20 miles southeast of the former city and 35 miles below Tunis, the capital.

Text of Communique.  
A headquarters communique said: "Our forces yesterday shelled and broke up a small German motor convoy northeast of Medjeb El Bab. "Otherwise activity was limited to patrolling."

"Heavy bombers yesterday attacked the docks of Bizerte and Tunis. Medium bombers attacked the harbor of Soussa and targets near Sfax.

"P-38 (Lightning) fighters attacked ground targets in the southern areas.

"Five enemy bombers were destroyed during the night of December 12-13."

### U.S. Cargo Ship Torpedoed; 39 Lost and 14 Rescued

By the Associated Press.  
Thirty-nine crewmen of a medium-sized United States merchant vessel lost their lives when the ship was torpedoed and sunk by an enemy submarine in the Atlantic Ocean in November, the Navy disclosed today.

Fourteen of the crew were rescued by a United States warship after drifting on rafts for two days.

The sinking, together with eight announced last week, raised to 557 the Associated Press count of announced losses of Allied and neutral merchantmen in the Western Atlantic since the Nation entered the war.

### Allied Warplanes Roar Across Channel Again

FOLKESTONE, England, Dec. 14.—Big formations of Allied warplanes, flying high above the clouds, headed over the Straits of Dover toward the Continent this afternoon.

One group roared out in the direction of Calais and Cap Gris Nez on the French coast.

The throng of aircraft engines continued steadily for nearly an hour and then was heard intermittently. Weather over the straits was good.

### Markets at a Glance

NEW YORK, Dec. 14 (AP).—Stocks irregular; specialties improved. Bonds mixed; selected rails advance. Cotton quiet; mill buying and covering.

CHICAGO.—Wheat firm; good demand for actual grain. Corn weak; increased receipts. Hogs very active; top \$14.10; supply under expectations. Cattle, sharp break reflected new beef price ceilings.

## British Press Pursuit of Rommel After Unprecedented Air Attacks Help Break Line Near El Agheila

### Precise Status of Village Itself Not Determined

By the Associated Press.  
CAIRO, Dec. 14.—Unprecedented fighter-bomber attacks and steady land pressure have broken Marshal Erwin Rommel's fortified line east of El Agheila and sent the remnants of his African Corps into a frenzied withdrawal toward Zaita En Nofliya, 90 miles west of that strategic center, the British said today.

"The enemy is retreating westward, relentlessly pursued by the leading elements of our forces," British Middle East headquarters announced.

The broken Axis line had been anchored at El Brega, on the Gulf of Sirte 30 miles northeast of El Agheila. Some prisoners were captured at El Brega.

The precise status of El Agheila itself, a coastal village flanked by the Mediterranean on the north and impassable salt marshes on the south, was not determined. But the remains of Marshal Rommel's heavy forces were not in evidence and are believed to have been withdrawing in recent days, adding additional miles to the retreat of more than 700 miles from the El Alamein line in Egypt.

(Military observers in London said the cryptic battle reports indicated that a major advance had been scored with suspicious ease and that the main job of smashing the last threat from Marshal Rommel was still to be done. German and Italian communications told only of artillery and patrol activity in the battle of Libya.)

**High Point of Success.**  
If the Allies actually hold El Agheila they have reached the high tide of Gen. Sir Archibald P. Wavell's success in February, 1941, when it was garrisoned temporarily by a small British force.

(The Berlin radio broadcast today that "it is officially announced in Berlin that Marshal Rommel has withdrawn his forces from El Agheila to a position further westward.")

Meanwhile, comparatively little action was reported from the Tunisian land front.

Resuming its Libyan drive after a three-week lull, the 8th Army drove straight into Marshal Rommel's northern flank, capturing El Brega, on the approaches to the 40-mile El Agheila defile, and the British war bulletin said the enemy was put to flight at "little cost" to Gen. B. L. Montgomery's attacking units.

"Allied fighter-bombers, operating on an unprecedented scale, were employed to harass the enemy," the communique asserted. "Axis air activity was totally ineffective in preventing these operations. In a few instances when German fighters attempted to interfere they were successfully engaged and at least six aircraft were shot down."

**American Play Big Role.**  
An American fighter group, one of the finest shock formations in the Allied Middle East air force, was credited with playing an important part in shattering, non-stop down-to-dusk assaults on the retreating enemy yesterday.

This group, now composed of seasoned United States pilots and one of the RAF's most famous fighter squadrons, was in action again today, dive-bombing and strafing the foe.

One dispatch from the front said the Sunday attacks "registered a record number of sorties for fighter bombers in any theater of war anywhere."

Some 300 fighter bombers took off with orders to stalk the German vehicles of "thin-skinned variety." They found their quarry and before noon the line of retreat was dotted with flaming and burned-out Nazi armor.

For these assaults American-made Kittyhawks and British Spitfires were used.

A front-line account reaching Cairo said that at noon the enemy retreat was in full swing and that (Continued on Page A-14, Column 1)

## Jap Destroyer Sunk in Battle Off Guadalcanal, 4 to 7 Hit

### One American Torpedo Boat Lost; Enemy Trapped at Buna Shelled Heavily

By the Associated Press.  
Fate of a damaged destroyer task force, which sought to strengthen Japan's fingerhold in Northwestern Guadalcanal Island, remained hidden today in the wake of a flurry of Allied offensive blows all along Pacific battle points.

At Munda on New Georgia Island, the Japs were continuing their heavy bombardment of the new Japanese air base in the central Solomons.

At least one of 11 enemy destroyers was sunk in the Japanese force off Guadalcanal and four of seven others were known to have been hit by American sea and sky slugs. Navy officers said no doubt hundreds of

Japanese were sent to a watery grave as a result of the action. But whether some of the destroyers weathered the two-day storm of blows late last week and reached their beleaguered Solomons outposts with supplies and troops was not stated in yesterday's Navy communique, which also told of other American attacks in the Southwest Pacific scene as well as a sky stab in the winter-locked North Pacific.

In the Buna area of New Guinea, too, the Japs were on the receiving end of Allied forces' pouring a torrent of artillery and mortar shells into enemy positions. Allied headquarters in Australia, which reported the shelling, said fighting planes bombed and strafed the enemy throughout yesterday and a recon-

(See SOLOMONS, Page A-14.)

## Twin Red Drive Appears to Be Near Deadlock

### Only Temporary Halt Seen, However, With Advantage to Soviets

By the Associated Press.  
MOSCOW, Dec. 14.—The double-barreled Russian offensive on the Stalingrad and central fronts appeared to be approaching a deadlock today, with the Germans unable to get a sustained counteroffensive rolling, but still slowing the Red Army's progress with vicious and repeated counterattacks.

Since the Russian offensive started November 19 on the Stalingrad front and six days later on the central front no important German progress has been reported in the effort to restore Nazi positions.

Military observers expressed belief, however, that any deadlock would be short-lived. They asserted that as the winter deepened, increasing German difficulties more than Russian, the opportunity would come for the Red Army to deal the Germans a blow before the German command could extricate its forces now in difficulties between the Don and Volga Rivers west of Stalingrad and around Rzhev.

The Red Army now has massed artillery along its newly-won lines and is battering enemy concentrations south and west of Stalingrad and keeping up a protective fire northwest of the city while the Russians consolidate their positions.

**Better Luck for Nazis.**  
The Germans, who were caught unprepared a year ago by an unusually severe winter, had better luck this year. The winter has been mild so far, permitting them to keep their tanks in operation. Although the first snows have fallen, they have left only a thin coat and heavy, clogging drifts have not yet occurred.

There are no signs, however, that the enemy has been able to improve his position between the Don and the Volga since the start of the Red Army offensive.

Despite the loss of 100,000 men in their siege of Stalingrad and 94,000 more in the Stalingrad area during the Russian offensive—figures announced officially by the Russians—the Germans have fallen to launch "a powerful attack with considerable forces" south of the city yesterday, a communique said.

The Russians reported that this attack and three subsequent counterattacks were thrown back with the Germans losing some 900 officers and men.

**Nazi Deaths Put at 169,000.**  
A special week-end communique said 169,000 Germans had been killed and 74,500 captured since the start of the Stalingrad and central front offensives less than a month ago.

The Red Army added 400 more Germans to this toll west of Rzhev on the central front yesterday in repulsing three counterattacks, the midnight communique reported. In the region of Velikie Luki, where the Russians have advanced to within 90 miles of the Latvian border, the enemy battalion succeeded in pushing back advanced Russian units, but was surrounded later and now faces liquidation, the Russians said.

Russian troops have occupied several enemy strongpoints west of Rzhev in the last four days and killed about 700 Germans, the midday communique said. Only 75 prisoners were taken, but a large quantity of material was seized. It was reported.

On other sectors of the central front, the communique said, Russian forces were consolidating newly won positions and undertaking some offensive engagements.

Fighting still continued in the factory area of Stalingrad and Soviet assault detachments were reported to have dislodged the Germans from (See RUSSIAN, Page A-14.)



## Youths Signing for Draft Voice Definite Ideas on Preference

### Choice of 18-Year-Olds Divided Nearly Equally Between Army and Navy

The District's youngest potential draftees, boys who have become 18 since June 30, started registering today for military service with very definite ideas about what they'd like in the way of an Army or Navy career.

A number who registered at the 15 high and junior high schools designated for the purpose expressed regret that they could no longer enlist in their chosen branch of service, but an informal survey of registrants disclosed that they were divided in their choice about equally between the Army and Navy.

Some schools were enlistments have been heavy registered only a few of the youngest 18-year-olds. A total of 3,500 are expected to register between today and December 31, but enlistments may cut a large slice out of the expected total.

Some of the boys expressed their choice for a branch of the service in which they could get training for a civilian job after the war. Others wanted to go into the branch for which they already had some training or an unusual aptitude. Their choices ranged from camouflage to chemical warfare.

In some schools registration of students took place in their classrooms during extended section periods, while in others students as well as outsiders were allowed to register any time during the day.

Outside the classrooms registration was slow during the morning. (See REGISTRATION, Page A-4.)

## Roosevelt Expected To Speak to New Congress Jan. 7

### Proposal to Convene Jan. 6 Revealed After White House Meeting

President Roosevelt probably will address a joint meeting of the new Congress in person January 7, and the new session is expected to begin January 6 instead of January 4, Majority Leader McCormack said today after a conference with President Roosevelt at the White House.

Mr. McCormack said congressional leaders had agreed on a joint resolution which he expected would be put through before adjournment to have the new Congress convene January 6.

The President was told, Speaker Rayburn added, that the Seventy-seventh Congress would adjourn Wednesday, "or certainly not later than Thursday."

A resolution already passed provides for Congress to meet January 4. Regular procedure is for Congress to convene January 3, but that date falls on a Sunday next year.

**Others Attend Conference.**  
With Mr. McCormack and Mr. Rayburn at the White House conference were Vice President Wallace and Senator Hill, Democrat of Alabama, who took the place of Senate Majority Leader Barkley who is out of town.

While plans for adjournment of the Seventy-seventh Congress and convening of the Seventy-eighth appeared to be definite, they must be embraced in the House-Senate resolution to make them final.

Mr. Rayburn gave no indication of points the President might discuss in his message. He explained that the President would appear January 7 because the preceding two days would be given over for further organization matters.

Mr. Rayburn was conceded to be certain of re-election as Speaker, and the choice of Senator Barkley to serve another term as majority leader appeared to be a foregone conclusion.

**Parity Fight to Go On.**  
The President was reported standing pat in his opposition to any change in farm parity price formulas.

A House-approved proposal to boost parity levels by including the cost of all farm labor, on the Senate calendar with the unanimous endorsement of the Agriculture committee, may be junked by a mid-week adjournment.

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## 100 Killed, 102 Hurt Amid Fire and Panic In Newfoundland Club

### Many Trampled at Exits As Dancers Try to Flee From Service Hostel

By the Associated Press.  
ST. JOHN'S, Newfoundland, Dec. 14.—Fire and panic in the midst of an old-time ball dance cost the lives of 100 merrymakers and injured 102 others as a servicemen's hostel and recreation center went up in flames Saturday night only 200 yards from the fire station on St. John's main street.

Like the Coconut Grove disaster in Boston, which claimed nearly 500 lives, many were trampled to death in the rush for the exits and the victims included servicemen and women last night.

The authorities still were without knowledge today of the cause of the disaster, but an eyewitness said the fire "seemed to do its dreadful work in 10 minutes."

The terrified dancers, trying to force their way out through the four exits of the building, piled up in tangled masses of bodies.

Sixty-nine of the dead had been identified last night, 41 unclaimed, many were so burned as to be unrecognizable. It was not known how many women were lost and exact figures were not announced on the number of Canadian Navy, Army and Air Force personnel lost.

First word of the fire came to St. John's residents shortly after 11 p.m. as they listened to music being broadcast from the dance floor.

Suddenly, amid the square dance calls, voices were heard shouting "Fire," while others gruffly ordered them to "keep quiet." The music stopped and then the microphone went dead.

**Boston Mayor Offers Aid.**  
Listeners who rushed outside their houses, they could see sheets of flame streaming from the building, and some heard the terrified cries of those inside.

Some who escaped from the hostel said the fire began in the auditorium and dance hall, while others asserted an explosion seemed to come from the kitchen and then the whole building was engulfed by flames.

Prime Minister Mackenzie King (See FIRE, Page A-14.)

## Marine Hero Chosen To Mobilize U. S. Manpower for War

### Byron Mitchell of Texas Selected by McNutt to Take Over Big Job

Byron Mitchell of Houston, Tex., a marine hero of Belleau Wood, St. Mihiel and the Argonne during the World War, has been asked to mobilize the Nation's industrial and agricultural manpower for the war effort, War Manpower Commission Chairman McNutt said today.

Mr. McNutt said at a press conference that an effort was being made to obtain the services of Mr. Mitchell as director of the United States Employment Service. Mr. Mitchell is now an assistant to Budget Director Harold Smith and it is understood that he may come to the Manpower Commission on a loan basis.

Mr. McNutt refused to confirm a report that Donald K. David, associate dean of the Harvard University School of Business, would succeed Arthur J. Altmeyer as executive director or vice chairman of the commission.

"Let us not talk about personalities at this time," was Mr. McNutt's reply to questions on this subject. Just before the press conference Mr. David conferred with Mr. McNutt. He is understood to be weighing Mr. McNutt's offer and is expected to give his answer this week.

Before discussing reorganization matters, Mr. McNutt confirmed a report that the Army and Navy higher education program for colleges and universities probably would be released this week. He said the program, which would send 250,000 students inducted into the armed services to higher educational institutions, had been approved and would be circulated to educational authorities prior to being made public.

Mr. Mitchell's duties will be to keep the 1,500 full-time employment offices on an efficient basis. He will succeed John J. Corson, who has returned to his full-time post as director of the Social Security Board's Bureau of Employment Security.

The State offices of the employment service were federalized in January by an agreement between President Roosevelt and State Governors. This agreement called for the return of the organizations to State control at the close of the war.

"For this reason, two House Appropriations Subcommittees have refused to raise the employees' salaries to Federal levels. This resulted, according to Mr. McNutt, (See MANPOWER, Page A-14.)

## Toy Pistol' Bandit Gets \$796 in Silver Spring

### Nursery School Bill, Fire Law Changes Approved by House

George C. Colloff, Jr., 23, manager of the Seco Theater in Silver Spring, Md., was held up and robbed of \$796.75 as he left the theater at 10:30 p.m. on Saturday night in the Suburban National Bank, three doors away.

During the robbery, Mr. Colloff said he fought with the bandit, who beat him on the head with a pistol, knocking him unconscious. He was treated on the scene for shock.

Mr. Colloff told police he was about to go in a side entrance to the building when he felt some one poke an object in his back and he was ordered to hand over the money.

He turned around, he said, and tussled with the man who held what looked like a toy pistol. While being beaten on the head, he added, the pistol broke.

The assailant, whom he described as colored, about 5 feet 7 inches tall, 29 to 30 years old, and wearing a brown tweed coat and brown felt hat, fled to Georgia avenue and escaped.

## New York Plans Fete For Capt. Rickenbacker

By the Associated Press.  
NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—A rousing testimonial dinner for Capt. Eddie Rickenbacker is being planned by his New York friends on the flyer's return to this country.

Archibald Watson, New York County clerk, is back of the movement. He said the War Department had reacted favorably to the plan. Apparently all that's needed is Capt. Rickenbacker's consent.

Capt. Rickenbacker, rescued from a raft in the South Pacific after more than 20 days adrift, is expected in Washington some time this week, Secretary of War Stimson has disclosed.

## Senators Vote General Bill on Overtime Pay

### Increases Provided; Saturday Half Holiday Would Be Suspended

The Senate Civil Service Committee voted unanimously this afternoon for a temporary wartime pay adjustment plan for nearly all Federal employees and those in the District government covered by the Classification Act. Briefly, the measure proposes:

1. To revise the overtime pay of War and Navy Department field workers that expired by law November 30.

2. To make it possible for all other per annum employees in the executive branch of the Government to be paid overtime on that part of their salary not in excess of \$2,900 a year.

3. To suspend the Saturday half holiday law, leaving department heads free to lengthen the work week to meet wartime needs in such departments as Office of War Production, Office of War Relocation, and a half above 40 hours on the first \$2,900 of any salary will be equivalent to pay increases of 21.6 per cent if the office workers 48 hours a week, or 10.8 per cent if a department stops at 44 hours a week.

4. To require all agencies to file with the Budget Bureau within 30 days after passage, data to justify the present number of employees. The budget director would be empowered to require a reduction in personnel if the resolution of the present number not justified in any given bureau. The Civil Service Commission would be authorized to transfer such employees to any other agency where more workers were found to be needed.

5. Employees in the legislative and judicial branches of the Government and employees of any department who cannot get overtime would receive a flat 10 per cent increase. This would take in employees of the House and Senate, in the courts and postal workers who operate on a merit or salary basis. This 10 per cent increase also would apply only on the first \$2,900 of salary, to correspond to the limitation placed on the overtime of other employees.

6. The entire plan is being written into a resolution which would run until April 30, to give the new Congress four months in which to review the entire pay and hour structure.

The resolution would be effective only if approved by the House. It would be effective only if approved by the House. It would be effective only if approved by the House.

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## Weatherman Sees Relief From Cold Wave Tonight

### Slight Relief from the season's record cold wave ushered in by rain and snow flurries yesterday morning was predicted for the Washington area by tonight.

Forecasters at the United States Weather Bureau said the temperature will remain below freezing throughout the day. Readings tonight, they added, will not be as extreme as those of the last 24 hours, probably dropping no lower than 23 degrees.

Last night's predicted low of 15 degrees failed to materialize. The minimum was 19, recorded at 8 a.m., but an hour later the temperature was back at 21 degrees and still rising.

The previous low for the season was 22, recorded first on December 3 and again at midnight yesterday.

The forecast for today also said the strong northwest wind of the last two days would diminish.

## How a Nery Sub Crew Performed Appendectomy to Save Shipmate

### By GEORGE WELLES, Correspondent of The Star and the Chicago Daily News, Inc.

SOMEWHERE IN AUSTRALIA — "They are giving him ether now," was what they said back in the aft torpedo rooms.

"He's gone under and they're getting ready to cut him open," the crew whispered, sitting on their pipe bunks cramped between torpedoes.

One man went forward and put his arm quietly around the shoulders of another man who was handling the bow diving planes. "Keep her steady, Jake," he said. "They're just about the first cut. They're feeling around for it now."

"They were a little group of anxious-faced men with their arms thrust into reversed white pajama coats. Gauze bandages hid all their expressions except the tenacity in their eyes.

## Blackout Called Tonight For One-Fourth of Nation

### By the Associated Press. OMAHA, Dec. 14.—One-fourth of the continental United States will be blacked out tonight in an unprecedented test of civilian defense organization that National OGD Director James Landis said every civilian defense official and every volunteer in the defense protective services throughout the Nation.

The blackout will last for 20 minutes, starting simultaneously at 10 p.m. (central war time) in North Dakota, South Dakota, Nebraska, Iowa, Minnesota, Missouri, Wyoming, Colorado and Kansas.

Regional Director Joseph D. Scholtz urged the estimated 15,000,000 residents of the nine-State area to conduct themselves "just as though your community actually was being bombed by enemy planes. I ask every person to remember that the blackout might be for an actual raid and to act accordingly."

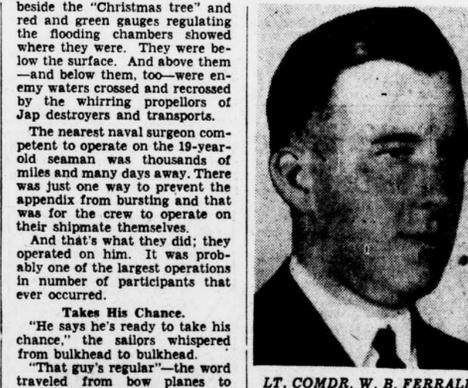
Nearly 100 Army and civilian defense airplanes will be in the air to observe the effectiveness of the test. Among those making flights will be Brig. Gen. U. S. Grant, 34, national commander of the United States Citizens' Defense Corps.

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WHELLER B. LIPPS. Performed operation.



LT. COMDR. W. B. FERRALL. He counted sponges.

## AWOL WAAC Given Leave— Permanently

### By the Associated Press. FORT DES MOINES, Iowa, Dec. 14.—The WAAC strip-teaser is out of the women's army.

The glamorous girl who was billed at a Des Moines theater as Amber D'Georg of Hollywood, but was identified last week as WAAC official as Kathryn Doris Gregory, 22, Fort Worth, Tex., an AWOL member of the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps, was dismissed today.

The WAAC training school announced Mrs. Gregory had been given a discharge "other than honorable" following a court martial at which three WAAC third officers (second lieutenants) formed the court. Their findings were approved in Washington.

Post officials said Mrs. Gregory was still at the WAAC hospital, where she has been under treatment for a minor back injury, but was well now and is expected to leave the reservation promptly.

WAAC officers said she would be given an allowance of 5 cents a mile back to Dallas, Tex., where she enlisted. She lacks civilian clothing, but will be provided with a WAAC uniform, stripped of all insignia.

There was difficulty about the ether. When below the surface the pressure inside a boat is above the atmospheric pressure. More ether is absorbed under pressure. The submariners did not know how long their operation would last. They did not know how long it would take to find the appendix. They did not know whether there would be enough ether to keep the patient under throughout the operation.

They didn't want the patient waking up before they were finished.

They decided to operate on the table in the officers' wardroom. In the newest and roomiest American hospital

beside the "Christmas tree" and red and green gauges regulating the flooding chambers showed where they were. They were below the surface. And above them—and below them, too—were enemy waters crossed and recrossed by the whirling propellers of Jap destroyers and transports.

The nearest naval surgeon competent to operate on the 19-year-old seaman was thousands of miles and many days away. There was just one way to prevent the appendix from bursting and that was for the crew to operate on their shipmate themselves.

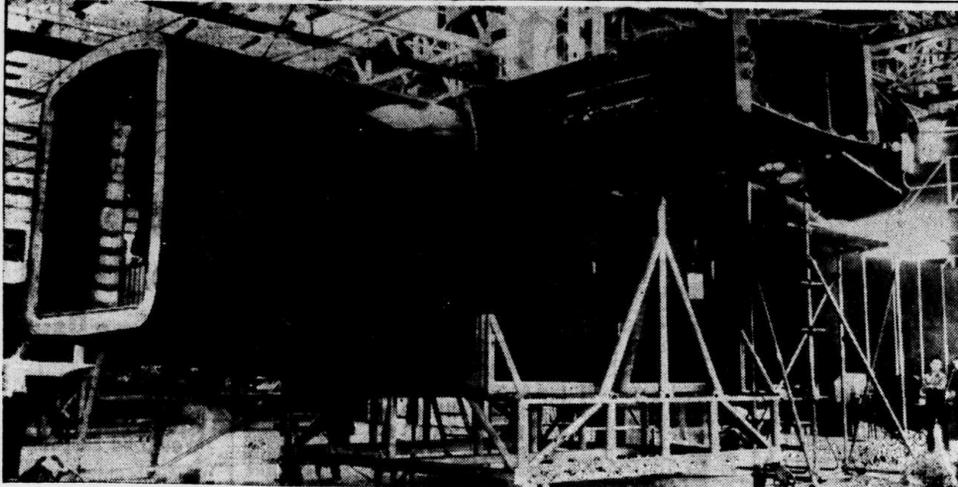
And that's what they did; they operated on him. It was probably one of the largest operations in number of participants that ever occurred.

Takes His Chance.  
"He says he's ready to take his chance," the sailors whispered from bulkhead to bulkhead.

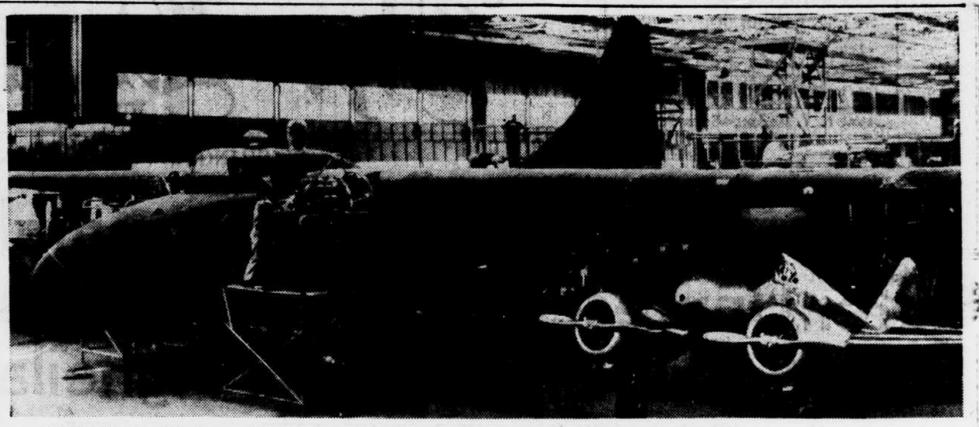
"That guy's regular"—the word tumbled from bow planes to propeller and back again.

They kept her steady. The "chief surgeon" was a 23-year-old pharmacist's mate wearing a blue blouse with white-taped collar and squashy white duck cap. His name was Wheller B. Lipps. He came from New-Castle, near Roanoke, Va., and had taken the Navy hospital





AIR FREIGHTER MADE OF WOOD—Designed since the war, the Curtiss (C-76) Caravan, a twin-engine air freighter constructed chiefly of wood and non-strategic materials, is nearing completion in a Missouri plant. This box-car-like structure is part of the main fuselage section.



Overhead view of the huge air freighter, which will be ready for tests soon. It carries two 1,200-horsepower engines on its 108-foot wing. —A. P. Wirephotos.

Rabbi Julius T. Loeb, Religious and Civic Leader Here, Dies

Was Official of Jewish Council for Academies And Institutions

Rabbi Julius T. Loeb, 73, for many years a prominent religious and civic leader here, where he had served several congregations as rabbi, died today at his home, 3627 Thirtieth street N.W. Although in failing health for six months, he had been seriously ill only a short while.



RABBI JULIUS T. LOEB. —Harris-Ewing Photo.

25 Families to Occupy New ADA Homes for First Time Tomorrow

Residents Are Restricted To Area in Neighborhood Of Standards Bureau

Fitzgerald Leaves Dakar After Completing Mission

UMW Recruits 13,000 From Railway Workers

Parents of Capt. Colin Kelly See 'Scrap Champion' Christen Ship

Americans Interned in Belgium Moved

8th Army's Drive Coincides With Air Smash in Tunisia

U. S. Bombers Blast Axis-Held Harbors of Bizerte, Tunis, Sousse

LONDON, Dec. 14.—The jaws of an Allied nutcracker offensive closed tighter today around Axis forces battling to retain a foothold in North Africa as the British 8th Army swept westward across Libya in a mighty new drive timed to coincide with smashing aerial assaults on the enemy's strongholds in Tunisia.

High Court to Review Appeal From Curb on Chain Broadcasts

FCC Upheld in Citing Need for More Regional And Local Service

The Supreme Court agreed today to review a decision which dismissed suits by the National Broadcasting Co. Inc. and the Columbia Broadcasting System, Inc., seeking to enjoin the Federal Communications Commission from enforcing restrictions on chain broadcasting.

Strike of Deliverers, First in 19 Years, Ties Up N. Y. Papers

WLB Sends Appeal For End of Dispute Over Contract

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—A deliverers' strike blocked distribution of most of New York's major dailies to millions of metropolitan readers today in the first tie-up of its kind in 19 years.

Walkout of Transit Workers in Baltimore Delays Thousands

Operations Cut 25 Pct.; Slight Interference With War Work Reported

BALTIMORE, Dec. 14.—A partial strike of Baltimore Transit Co. workers, hitting hardest the main trolley and bus lines leading to booming war industries at Curtis Bay and Sparrows Point, delayed thousands of workers today and reduced streetcar and bus operations by an estimated 25 per cent.

Senate Group Quizzes Biddle and Hoover on Alaska Censorship

Heads of Military and Naval Intelligence Called to Testify

The Senate Judiciary Committee called Attorney General Biddle and other officials before it today for an investigation of the censoring of communications between the United States and Alaska.

Dr. Davis Rich Dewey, Noted Economist, Dies

On Friday renewed a contract calling for pay raises of about 35 per cent over a period of a year, the spokesman added.

Dr. Davis Rich Dewey, 84, noted economist and brother of Dr. John Dewey, the educator died yesterday at his home here.

Called From Nashville. In 1901, the congregation of Adas Israel, Sixth and I streets N.W., called Dr. Loeb from Nashville, Tenn., to take charge. When he left it in 1907, the congregation had grown to more than 200 members and its new edifice had been built.

Active in Many Duties. Dr. Loeb had been active in many duties. He was associate editor of the American Jewish Review in Atlanta from 1912 to 1914. He also had served as honorary president of the Atlanta Zionist Organization; was a past president of the Washington Zionist Organization; a past president of Grace Temple Lodge, Independent Order of B'nai B'rith. He also had served as national director of the Union of Orthodox Jewish Congregations of America. He also served as second vice president of the Washington Council on International Relations.

Was Defender of Judaism. He was an expounder of Biblical lore in the light of modern thought and a staunch defender of traditional Judaism.

Funeral services will be held at 1 p. m. tomorrow in the Adas Israel Synagogue, Sixth and I streets N.W. Burial will be in the Adas Israel Cemetery.

More than 25 families plan to move tomorrow into part of the 75 new temporary homes built by the Allied Dwelling Authority at Thirty-fifth street and Reservoir road N.W. It was learned today from the ADA.

Gen. Fitzgerald and members of his mission were entertained by Gov. Gen. Pierre Bolsson at a dinner Saturday night and met the principal civilian and military leaders of French West Africa, the radio added.

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boy in this way. . . It makes me think of the day my baby (Colin, Jr.) was christened.

Local News Stressed. The commission said the regulations were based on the belief that "broadcasting stations would be reasonably available for programs of local and regional, as well as national interest" and that "communities should, as far as practicable, have available service from more than one or all networks."

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Standley Sees President. President Roosevelt conferred at the White House today with Admiral William Standley, Ambassador to Russia.

9 SHOPPING DAYS LEFT. TO GET A FOOTBALL FOR JIM. Buy Christmas Seals

WLB Sends Appeal. In Washington the War Labor Board appealed today to the striking workers to return to their jobs and settle their dispute by peaceful means.

Contract Expired July 1. The city-wide strike materialized last night when the union and the publishers failed to agree on terms for renewal of a contract which expired July 1.

Peril to Free Press Seen in Suit Against A. P. Messmore Kendall, president of the Sons of the American Revolution, declared yesterday that the Government suit charging the Associated Press with monopoly "should give us pause and send a shiver of apprehension down our spines" for the freedom of the press.

Christmas Gifts For the Ladies. Pink Petals Perfumed Body Powder and Toilet Water in beautiful gift box, only 25c.

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### Laval Reported Going To Berlin To Discuss Helping Germany

#### Nazis Said to Be Asking Detailed Promise of Extensive Collaboration

By the Associated Press. BERN, Switzerland, Dec. 14.—Pierre Laval, advocate of an Axis victory in the war, is expected to go to Berlin this week to make a declaration on what Vichy France is prepared to do in helping Germany, Vichy reports said today.

The Nazis were reported to want a detailed promise of collaboration, going beyond Laval's press statement yesterday of his readiness to follow "the only way which can lead to the preservation of our country" and clarifying Marshal Petain's letter to Adolf Hitler in which he declares he could do nothing other than accept the Fuehrer's decision to occupy all of France.

#### Petain Stops Short of Pledge.

Petain was said to have told the Nazi Consul General at Vichy, Krug von Nidda, that his first duty was to reconstitute an army which could safeguard France and her empire, but pointed out that only Nazi Field Marshal von Rundstedt, in command of occupied French territory, could make the necessary arrangements.

#### Nazi Officials Plainly Wanted an Understanding that a New French Army Would Fight on Germany's Side.

But Petain stopped short of pledging complete armed collaboration.

#### Armistice Groups Dissolved.

Vichy was informed today of the dissolution of the Axis armistice commissions hitherto functioning at Wiesbaden, Germany, and Turin, Italy. The Axis took the position that the terms of the 1940 armistice were not applicable to present circumstances. French negotiations henceforth will be conducted through Von Rundstedt and Von Nidda.

(A DNB report broadcast from Berlin today said Laval's discussion to an expected German official, the Fuehrer was said to have been in German circles, although it had not yet been officially confirmed. Laval was described as more than ever in favor of Franco-German co-operation "because of the impending Communist danger."

#### Mussert Appointed Netherlands' Fuehrer

LONDON, Dec. 14.—Adolf Hitler has designated Anton Mussert, an obscure Dutch Nazi politician, "fuehrer" of the Netherlands people in his "new European order," and Axis radio followed up the announcement with reports that power in France, under Marshal Henri Petain, is moving closer to co-operation with Germany.

Marshal Petain, these German reports said, has agreed to Hitler's proposal to raise a new French army "capable of insuring the safety of France and her colonial empire." At the same time, fighting French sources here said, Hitler has demanded 400,000 French workers for labor in Germany.

#### Anti-Jewish Moves Expected.

Mussert, whose Dutch Nazi Party failed to make any spectacular headway even after the Germans occupied the country, will try to convert the extremely independent and outspoken Dutch people to the Nazi way of life, it is expected. His tenure as Fuehrer is expected to depend on his success in this task.

Seys-Inquart also announced that Mussert's participation in the government would bring forth a new series of decrees. Observers said this probably means new oppressive measures against the Jews in Holland, a course which Mussert has advocated over strong Dutch opposition since the country was occupied, and other laws following the Nazi line.

The Russian news agency Tass reported from Stockholm that Hitler had demanded the mobilization of 250,000 Dutchmen for the German Army.

Seys-Inquart also disclosed that as a precaution against Allied invasion he would "move certain of my departments and certain departments of the Dutch administration" from the Hague, where they were "within easy reach by plane and also easy for the enemy's navy to shell."

#### Must Deliver "Cannon Fodder."

Radio Orange, the Dutch station here, declared in a broadcast to the Netherlands that Mussert would have to "deliver cannon fodder to Germany."

Seys-Inquart said Hitler had laid down three guiding principles for the future of the Netherlands.

"The first principle enunciated by the Fuehrer was that he does not want to treat the Dutch as a conquered people," the commissioner said. "The second principle is that the Dutch people must be brought nearer to National Socialism. The third is that the Dutch Nazi movement stands responsible for the development in Holland and Mussert, its leader, is the leader of the Dutch people."

#### Windsors Visit Canteen, Cheered by Troops

WEST PALM BEACH, Fla., Dec. 14.—The Duke and Duchess of Windsor inspected a victory canteen for servicemen here yesterday and were heartily cheered by soldiers.



**YOUNGEST TO REGISTER**—Boys who have turned 18 in the last few months are shown being registered for the draft in their own classroom by their teacher, Miss M. R. Wallace of Western High School. Left to right are Nicholas Arend, Wallace Oliver, Douglas Brandon, Bernard Kune, Herbert Zlotnick, William Temple (seated) and Miss Wallace.

### Registration

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but was expected to pick up late in the afternoon when working youths come back to the schools they used to attend.

The 15 youths in the 18-year-old group in Eastern were not going to register until the afternoon. All the boys in this group spent the morning taking a Navy Department aviation aptitude test. It was understood it was given for research purposes.

#### 36 Register at McKinley.

At McKinley, 36 boys registered in their classrooms. Registrars explained that the technical high school already had lost a number of its boys to war jobs or to the armed forces. The total of non-students registering there by noon was 20.

Dunbar High School had even less business. With students and non-students together, the total at the colored high school by noon came to 15 youths.

First to register at Central High was Henry W. Lawlor, 5320 Fourth street N.W. Young Lawlor, senior at Central, played guard on the championship football team this year and is known as a crack athlete. The youth, whose widowed mother works in the Veterans Administration, wants to get into the signal or tank corps "or something else mechanical where I can get training so I'll have something to fall back on when the war's over."

Dorsey Lee Rouse, Jr., 719 Sixth street N.W., who wants to get into the air force, like many of his colleagues, was a graduate last June from Central. He returned to his old school to be signed up by a mathematics teacher, Miss Grace Long, before going on to his job at the Post Office.

So the girls wouldn't feel left out of things, Western High School called an assembly of all its young women while their male classmates were registering.

The girls heard a lecture and saw movies to interest them in entering the nursing profession.

#### Younger Boys Watch.

The boys who were too young to register stayed in their classrooms and watched their older colleagues registering. Their attitude, as expressed by one of the younger boys, was "our time is coming next."

The largest classroom chore at Western was performed by Miss M. R. Wallace, who had a dozen boys to register in her section room. Only 2 of the 18 boys in the section room reserved for cadet officers were required to register. Both hoped for appointments to the Naval Academy and the Military Academy, but both guessed they'd be drafted before their appointments came through.

One was Welles Fendrich, first lieutenant of Cadet Company H. The other was Covington Shackelford, captain in the same company, who wanted to go to West Point but hopes he gets into the field artillery if he's drafted. Registering the boys was Don McAdoo, instructor of military science at the high school.

At Roosevelt six teachers were to spend the day in two special registration rooms where students were supposed to appear between classes to register rather than enrolling in their home rooms.

#### George Powell Registers.

Among the early registrants at this school was George Frederick Powell, 434 Manor place N.W., who is president of the student council at Roosevelt, was president of his freshman class, is a sergeant in the cadet corps, an artist who does the school's poster work and plays the drum in the school orchestra. Young Powell wants to get into camouflage work.

At Western, first to register in a special room set aside for non-students was John W. Smet, 2450 Huidekoper place N.W., who became 18 in July. Employed as a union clerk in the War Production Board, young Smet also knew where he wanted to go.

"If I can pass the exam," he said, "I want to go into the Navy. You have more chance to travel."

One of the registrants at Calvin Coolidge High School, Warren Alfred Christensen, already has tried to get into the Navy. He applied for naval aviation on December 5, but has not yet heard the results.

#### Father Was on Torpedoed Ship.

The youth wants to follow in the footsteps of his father, Axel W. Christensen, who was on an American destroyer which was torpedoed in the first World War. His father's ship, the youth said, was repaired at sea and limped back to an American port.

Merrill Sikes, Jr., who celebrated his 18th birthday yesterday, was another registrant at Calvin Coolidge High. A senior, Merrill is an Eagle Scout. His father is with the War Production Board.

Registration also was slow at Calvin Coolidge where only 15 boys registered this morning.

Arrangements were made at each of the 15 schools selected as registration points for two shifts of teachers to enroll the non-students from 9 a. m. to 7 p. m.

#### Face Call in February.

The boys enrolling for the draft in this registration are not expected to be called until late in February. Since high school students in the last half of their school term can be deferred until the end of the term on request, many of the boys registering today will not go into the service until June.

Today's registration includes the youths who turned 18 in July and August. Next Monday, those who reached their 18th birthday in September and October will register for the draft at the same schools.

The boys who became 18 in the last two months of this year may either register today or next Monday at the schools or at their local draft boards from December 26 to December 31.

Beginning January 1, youths will register at their local draft boards on the day they reach their 18th birthday or, if that day falls on a Sunday or legal holiday, on the next day.

Registration of those who became 18 in the last half of 1942 began in nearby counties and elsewhere throughout the Nation last Friday, but special arrangements were made for the schools to carry the registration load here on the two registration days.

#### Registration Is Slow.

In nearby areas, registration of 18-year-olds, which opened Friday, was proceeding slowly.

In all but the Alexandria Draft Board, youths are registering at their local board offices. Alexandria 18-year-olds are registering in the City Post Office Building. It is estimated that approximately 2,600 youths in nearby Maryland and Virginia are affected by this latest registration.

The following registration totals thus far were announced by draft board officials:

- Montgomery County Draft Board No. 1 in Rockville, 12; Montgomery Draft Board No. 2 in Silver Spring, 19; and Montgomery Draft Board No. 2 in Bethesda, 16. All three boards will be open on the next two successive Sundays.
- Prince Georges County Draft Board No. 1 in Hyattsville, 40; Draft Board No. 2 in Upper Marlboro, 6; and Draft Board No. 3 in Upper Marlboro, 7. County Girl Scout leaders are aiding in the registration at Draft Board No. 1.
- Arlington County Draft Board No. 1, 13; Arlington Draft Board No. 2, 56; and Alexandria Draft Board, 36.

#### Pineapples—Non-Explosive

KANSAS CITY, (AP)—Maurice H. Dwyer, former assistant county prosecutor, wrote to relatives, describing his arrival in Hawaii as a private in the military police:

"I've passed acres and acres of pineapples—but it was nothing like the old days in Kansas City. None of them exploded."

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### Lebrun Reported Safe On Neutral Soil, Could Unite French Factions

#### Last Elected President Might Be Answer in De Gaulle-Darlan Feud

By HELEN LOMBARD. It is rumored in Washington that Albert Lebrun, the last President elected by the French people, has managed to escape from France.

This unconfirmed news is evoking a great deal of interest in official circles. If it is confirmed and if the North African campaign goes steadily through to a successful conclusion, M. Lebrun, whose term of office will not expire until 1946, may well be the answer to the present devastating quarrel between Gen. Charles de Gaulle and Admiral Jean Francois Darlan.

M. Lebrun is reported to have escaped from France some time before the Nazis did away with the Vichy regime. He is said to be in hiding in a neutral country, well protected from the long arm of Heinrich Himmler's Gestapo. Should M. Lebrun be able to reach an Allied country he will be the logical head of the French government in exile. Neither Gen. de Gaulle nor Admiral Darlan can claim to be the legal choice of the French people made at the time when they were free to elect their own leaders.

The title of M. Lebrun is unassailable. He has never resigned his office, though he stepped down when forced to do so by the formation of the Vichy government under the protection of the Nazi bayonets.

The 72-year-old M. Lebrun is neither a brilliant nor a dynamic individual. He was respected by the French people, however, for his honesty and sincerity. The French thought well enough of him to give him a second term in office—a thing unprecedented in the history of the republic. The seven-year term was usually considered enough for one man.

M. Lebrun is typically French from his bristling mustache to his pointed,

patent leather, high-laced shoes. He was one of the most respected of husbands and fathers and typified the solid family virtues of the home-loving French. He is one of the few living political men whose name has never been connected with any type of scandal.

#### Hope Seen to Unite Factions.

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### Vandenberg Removes Self as Presidential Candidate in 1944

#### Predicts GOP Nominee Will Be Chosen From 'New Timber'

By the Associated Press. Senator Vandenberg, Michigan's favorite son for the Republican presidential nomination in 1936 and 1940, announced today he would not be a candidate in the 1944 convention and expressed belief "the events of the next 18 months will dictate our appropriate nominee."

"In my expectation, he will be found amid the new timber which is richly available for this leadership—and which will become more so as the war progresses," Senator Vandenberg said. "As a non-candidate myself I may hope to have far greater influence in choosing the right candidate."

#### Cat Is Vegetarian

SEATTLE, (AP)—Dietetic report on the tastes of Mrs. George Barney's highly individualistic cat: She eats vegetables and doesn't care for meat. She prefers water to milk. And she really welds a tooth on corn on the cob.

#### Action Follows Taft's, Dewey's.

Senator Vandenberg was the second 1940 aspirant to withdraw from 1944 Republican consideration. Previously Senator Taft of Ohio announced he would support John W. Bricker, three-term Ohio Governor, for the nomination.

In addition Thomas E. Dewey, Governor-elect of New York, had said he expected to serve his full four-year term, which would mean he would continue in the governorship through 1946.

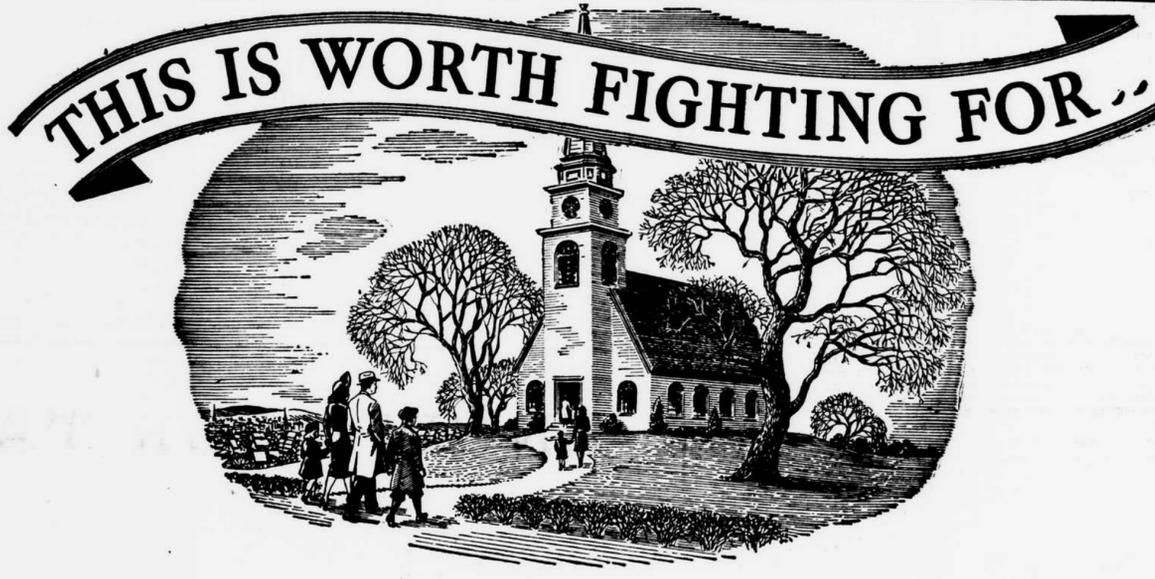
Senator Vandenberg announced his decision in this letter to Jay C. Hayden, whose Washington column frequently appears in The Star.

"In your syndicated column of December 9 you are kind enough to say that I might become a formidable

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That is the solemn pledge of fighting Americans on the war fronts. That is the solemn pledge of working Americans on the home front. That is the solemn pledge of the Southern Railway System and its officers and employees. To its fulfillment we have dedicated all of our transportation services and facilities, gratefully putting war transportation needs ahead of every other transportation need.

This year, we have carried about two million men in uniform; almost one million in 3,366 special trains; another half million in 13,174 extra cars on regular trains; and still another half million traveling on the low furlough fares granted to all members of Uncle Sam's armed forces.

This year, we have operated 1,592 extra sections of our regular trains, to take care of overflow crowds.

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Above all, we have kept plugging away, day and night, to fulfill the railroad industry's solemn pledge "to meet to the full the demands of commerce and the needs of national defense."

So far we have met these needs "to the full." And we will continue to meet them to the full—if they can be met by the ultimate in devotion, courage, resourcefulness and human strength. For we know that the world will enter upon a happier and a brighter era when Victory comes—an era in which there will be a new concept of the majesty of the soul and the real meaning of "peace, good will toward men."

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### Trade Leaders Called For Small Business Credit Conference

#### Senate Committee Sets Meeting Here for January 19-21

In an effort to avert the threatened extinction of 300,000 retailers next year, the Senate Small Business Committee has called a conference of more than 50 trade association representatives to meet here in the middle of January, it was announced today.

Chairman Murray said, in announcing the conference, serious attention would be given to a proposal already before the committee to recommend to Congress an improved credit system with authority to provide the necessary capital for the expansion and war conversion of small enterprises and their re-entry into normal business after the war.

Senator Murray pointed out that the Assistant Secretary of Commerce Taylor had estimated that of 1,614,000 retailers in business a year ago, 300,000 would be forced out by the end of 1943.

Three main topics. The trade conference will meet with the committee on January 19, 20 and 21. Problems of retailers and wholesalers will be discussed, with dislocations brought about by the war outlined and remedies suggested.

Other members of the committee are Senators Maloney of Connecticut, Ellender of Louisiana, Mead of New York and Stewart of Tennessee, all Democrats, and Capper of Kansas and Taft of Ohio, Republicans.

Three questions will be laid before the conference. The first will be the Government's policy toward essential civilian requirements. The second will concern the influence of the smaller wholesalers and retailers in Government policy-making and the third will relate to steps necessary to assure a competitive distribution system after the war.

While shortages of civilian goods are inevitable during the war, it was said at committee headquarters unnecessary shortages are dangerous, not only to morale, but to fighting the war on the home front effectively.

The invitation to the conference stated: "Today an ill-planned war program is not only cutting off the fat, but is also, in some sectors, cutting into the very bone of our civilian economy. It is against this background that practical policies must be developed on price control, rationing, inventory control, simplification and the use of manpower."

Charge is recalled. It was recalled that Senator Murray had charged: "The basic decisions affecting the life of America are for the most part not being made by big business men, on the other hand, whose views are naturally colored by their business background, and by academicians, on the other hand, who think and live in ivory towers."

The Montana Senator declared that "smaller business, especially, constitutes a hitherto untapped reservoir of energy and brainpower."

The committee, during months of hearings, has heard extensive evidence of the disastrous effects of the war economy on the small distributors, retailers and wholesalers, who were not financially powerful enough to withstand the "squeeze."

It was pointed out repeatedly that, while the small manufacturers were being aided materially by the Smaller War Plants Corp. Act, not much had been done for the merchants.

Hearings, in recess for several days, are scheduled to be resumed Wednesday, when Ferdinand Eberstadt, vice chairman of the War Production Board, is to make a statement.

### Explanation About Darlan Satisfies Laborite Critic

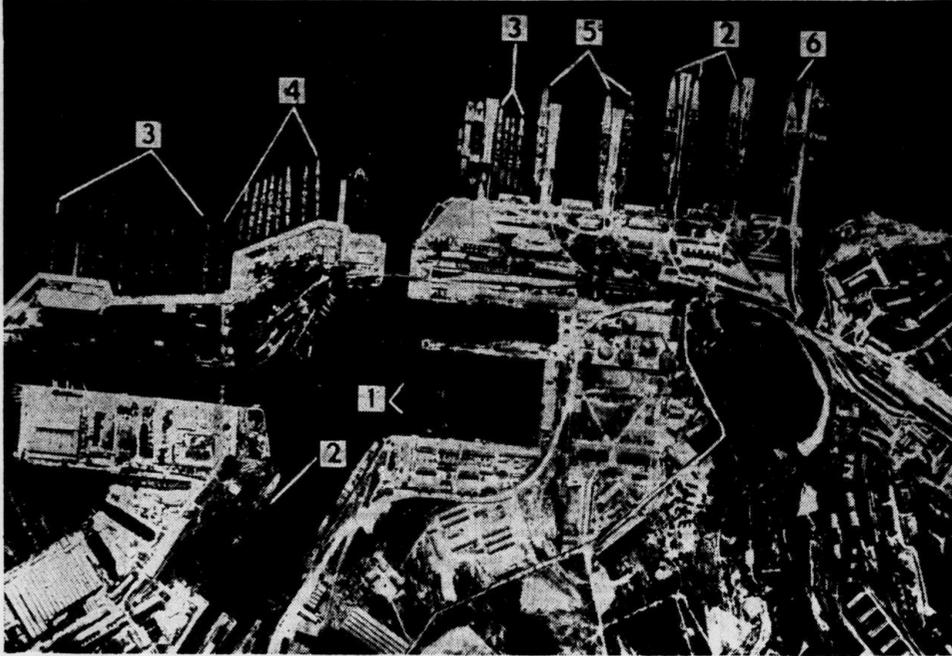
LONDON, Dec. 14.—Laborite Emanuel Shinwell, who had been one of the most vociferous parliamentary critics of Admiral Jean Darlan's regime in North Africa, indicated yesterday that Prime Minister Churchill's explanation of the situation during secret sessions of the House of Commons last Thursday was satisfactory.

"I do not like the Darlan setup nor the things that are happening in North Africa, but when you are at war you cannot afford to pick and choose your associates," Mr. Shinwell said in an address at Middelebury.

"Darlan, however, is not going to reign in North Africa nor anywhere else—he is an expedient."

### Douglas Enters Army Almost Unnoticed

CAMP ROBINSON, Ark., Dec. 14.—Melvyn Douglas, one of Hollywood's leading male stars, arrived unannounced and almost unnoticed at Camp Robinson yesterday to begin his basic Army training.



TOULON, FRANCE.—BEFORE FRENCH SCUTTLED SHIPS—Vessels of the French fleet ride peacefully at anchor at their docks in the harbor in this air view, made before the French scuttled some to keep them from the Germans. Figure No. 1 indicates submarines. No. 2, 8-inch cruisers; No. 3, a large class of destroyer; No. 4, ordinary destroyers; No. 5, 6-inch cruisers; No. 6, the battleship Strasbourg. British official photo. —A. P. Wirephoto.

### Million Japs Massed In Manchuria, Official Chinese Review Says

#### Military Preparations Declared Stepped Up Greatly in Last Year

CHUNGKING, Dec. 14.—An official Chinese review of conditions in Manchuria said today about 1,000,000 Japanese troops now are concentrated in that region and Japanese military preparations there have been increased considerably in the last year.

(The estimate of 1,000,000 Japanese troops in Manchuria has not been confirmed by other authorities and is about double earlier estimates.)

The review said the Japanese had built fortifications along the southern bank of the Amur River and the western bank of the Ussuri, both of which form boundaries between Japan's puppet empire of Manchukuo and Russian Siberia.

The review asserted that Chinese workers employed on Japanese military installations had been killed afterward to prevent the leakage of secrets. The Japanese had recruited labor for Manchuria by gangs operating in North China provinces, it was said.

Chinese youths also were being forced into military service ostensibly in armies of various Japanese puppet regimes, the review said, but the Japanese have placed little confidence in these, estimated at about 300,000. About two-thirds are being used for garrison duty in China, but some have been sent to the Southwest Pacific war area, it was reported.

### Jury Duty Impossible, Woman Writes Judge

ROCKFORD, Ill.—County Judge Fred J. Kullberg didn't ponder long when he received this note from Clara Guetschow of South Beloit, Ill., 18 miles away, asking to be excused from jury duty.

"I do not drive a car. I live 5 miles out in the country from a bus line. One tire on my car has a hole in it. It cannot be driven to Rockford. The Ration Board to date is refusing another tire. And then our allowance of 4 gallons of gas does not permit it. It is impossible for me to even appear to be excused."

### Harte Cooke, Engineer, Dies at Auburn, N. Y.

AUBURN, N. Y., Dec. 14.—Harte Cooke, 71, senior engineer of the Diesel division of the American Locomotive Co., died today.

Mr. Cooke, who until a recent illness served as an instructor of Navy men stationed at Cornell University, was a member of the National Defense Research Committee. During the World War he was a member of the Shipping Board.

Affiliated with the American Locomotive Co. for more than half a century, Mr. Cooke was a member of practically every engineering society having to do with motors in the United States.

### Gloria di Cicco Spends \$64,844, Gets Extra \$2,000

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—So far this year, Gloria Morgan Vanderbilt Di Cicco has got along nicely on \$64,844.50.

But she needs \$2,000 more to tide her over the holidays and Surrogate James A. Foley has authorized her guardian, Thomas B. Gilchrist, to put it on the line.

### OPA Allows Increase In Food Costs; Spring Apparel Unchanged

#### Grocers Can Advance Prices of 16 Items to Relieve 'Squeeze'

Housewives today had been told by the Office of Price Administration they soon will have to pay slightly higher prices for 16 grocery products. But the pill was sugar coated with an OPA prediction that prices for women's girds and children's garments will be substantially unchanged next spring.

Increased material and labor costs in the garment field will be offset largely by controls over manufacturers' margins of profit and selling prices, OPA said. OPA prescribed pricing methods for manufacturers, and said it shortly would issue methods of establishing retailers' and wholesalers' maximums.

#### Makers Face Cuts

"When ceiling provisions for all sales levels are completed, OPA expects that each dollar spent by the ultimate consumer will buy certain values representing materials and labor involved in producing feminine garments equivalent to those of the 1942 spring and summer seasons," the announcement said.

Manufacturers in most instances must reduce their March, 1942, mark-up by 10 per cent.

OPA said it authorized the grocery increases, effective Friday, to relieve a "squeeze" on wholesalers and retailers as a result of price increases previously allowed manufacturers. Wholesalers and retailers may pass on to consumers only the exact amount of the packer's price increases.

Items on which increases will be permitted included canned apples, applesauce, apple juice, vinegared herring, canned boned chicken and turkey, maple sugar, fountain fruits, blended maple syrup, egg noodles, tamales, potato chips, raisin filled or topped biscuits and crackers, fig bars, peanut candy, and extracted honey.

#### Banana Prices to Be Cut

Other OPA actions: Ordered reductions in excessive ceilings for bananas, establishing maximum prices for importers, auction markets and wholesalers and promising a new retail pricing method soon—but gave no assurance of increased supplies of bananas.

Raised from 3 per cent to 7 1/2 per cent the over-ceiling premium permitted on sales of small lots of green coffee to roasters, in an effort to encourage sellers to make such small-lot transactions.

Removed price restrictions on importation of certain English combed cotton yarns for hosiery making, but forbade manufacturers to pass on the increased cost to consumers.

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Mr. Hurley, who retired from his position with the company about three years ago, previously had been employed by the old Capital Traction Co. and the Post Office Department. He was a member of the Potomac Lodge of Masons.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Maude G. Hurley; two sons, Glenn S. Hurley, Bethesda, Md., and Ralph G. Hurley, Silver Spring; a daughter, Mrs. Frances G. McCartney, Norgo, Va.; a sister, Miss Helen Hurley, Clarksburg, Md., and four grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Wednesday in Gawler's chapel, 1756 Pennsylvania avenue N.W. Burial will be in Oak Hill Cemetery.

### Radiophoto Service To Chungking Ready

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Mr. Spies is survived by his widow, Mrs. Margaret Ada Spies; a son, Edward Spies, Potomac Electric Power Co. employe; a daughter, Mrs. Margaret Nussbaum; a brother, William Spies; a sister, Miss Maude Spies, and three grandchildren, all of Washington.

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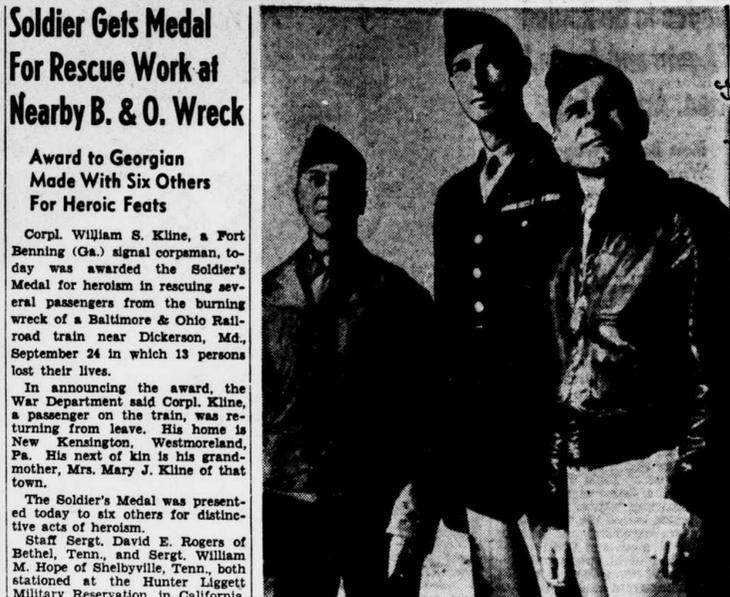
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Technical Sgt. Albertis Hildred of Superior, Neb.; Pvt. First Class, Walter D. Boulier of Castle Hill, Me., and Pvt. Thomas Deutsch of Luzerne, Pa., were cited for an act performed at Colorado Springs. They are members of the Army Air Forces and rescued an injured pilot from a crashed and burning plane.

The other decoration was given to Sgt. Eugene W. Cull of Los Angeles, who saved a soldier from drowning at Portland, Ore.

### Edward Spies Services To Be Held Today

Funeral services for Edward E. Spies, 59, retired post office employe, who died Saturday of a heart ailment at his home at 1202 Franklin street N.E., were held this afternoon at his residence. Burial will be in Fort Lincoln Cemetery.

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# How Sub Crew Removed Appendix

(Continued From First Page.)

can submarines, the wardroom is approximately the size of a Pullman car drawing room. It is flanked by bench seats, attached to the wall and a table occupies the whole room—you enter with knees already crooked to sit down. The only way any one can be upright in the wardroom is by kneeling.

The operating table was just long enough so that the patient's head and feet reached the two ends without hanging over.

First, they got out a medical book and read up on the appendix while Rector, his face pale with pain, lay in a narrow bunk. It was probably the most democratic surgical operation ever performed. Everybody from the box plane man to the cook in the galley knew his role.

The cook provided the ether mask. The ether mask was an inverted tea strainer. They covered it with gauze.

**Officers as Aides.**  
The 23-year-old "surgeon" had, as his staff of fellow "physicians," all men his senior in age and rank. His anaesthetist was Lt. Franz Hoskins of Tacoma, Wash., the communications officer.

Before they carried Rector to the wardroom, the submarine captain, Lt. Comdr. W. B. Ferrall of Pittsburgh, asked Lipes, as the "surgeon," to have a talk with the patient.

"Look, Dean, I never did anything like this before," he said. "You don't have much chance to pull through anyhow. What do you say?"

"I know just how it is, doc," said Rector. "Let's get going."

It was the first time in his life that anybody had called Lipes "doc." But there was in him, added to the steadiness that goes with a submariner's profession, a new calmness worthy of Aesculapius.

The operating staff adjusted their gauze masks while members of the engine room crew pulled tight their reversed pajama coats over their extended arms. He tools were laid out. They were far from perfect or complete for a major operation. The scalpel had no handle.

**Tools "Rigged Up."**  
But submariners are used to "rigging" things. The medicine chest had plenty of hemostats, which are

sponges that went into Rector. A double count of the tablespoons used as retractors was kept: one by the skipper and one by the cook who was himself passing them out from the galley.

It took Lipes in his flapjacked

time when his shipmate's life was completely in his hands.

"Two more sponges." They passed the word to Lt. Ward.

"Two spoons at 14:45 hours (2:45 p.m.)," wrote Skipper Ferrall on his notepad.

"More flashlights. And another battle lantern," demanded Lipes. The patient's face, lathered with white petrolatum, began to grimace.

"Give him more ether," ordered the doc.

**Ether Supply Fading.**  
Lt. Hoskins looked doubtfully at the original five pounds of ether now shrunk to hardly three-quarters of one can, but once again the tea-strainer was soaked in ether. The fumes mounted up, thickening the wardroom air and making the operating staff giddy.

"Want those blowers speeded up?" the captain asked the doc.

Suddenly came the moment when the doc reached out his hand, pointing toward the needle threaded with 20-day chromic catgut.

One by one the sponges came out. One by one the tablespoons, bent into right angles, were withdrawn and returned to the galley. At the end it was the skipper who nudged Lipes and pointed to the tally of bent tablespoons. One was missing. Lipes reached in the incision for the last time and withdrew the wishboned spoon and closed the incision.

They even had the tool ready to cut off the thread. It was a pair of fingernail scissors, well-scalded in water and torpedo juice.

At that moment the last can of ether went dry. They lifted up Rector and carried him into the bunk of Lt. Charles K. Miller of Williamsport, Pa. Lt. Miller alone had had control of the ship as diving officer during the operation.

**2 1/2-Hour Job.**  
It was half an hour after the last tablespoon had been withdrawn that Rector opened his eyes. His first

words were, "I'm still in there pitching."

By that time the sweat-drenched officers were hanging up their pajamas to dry. It had taken the amateurs about 2 1/2 hours for an operation ordinarily requiring 45 minutes.

"It wasn't one of those 'snappy valve' appendices," murmured Lipes

Dover, N. H. and West Union, W. Va.; L. L. Ross, St. Louis, Mich.; E. W. Gilmore, Pandora, Ohio, and W. J. Hillburn, Foley, Ala.

And Rector does not forget also the three shipmates who did the messenger work for torpedo alcohol and galley spoons: S. D. Lang, Baltimore; A. A. Boehme, Geneva, Idaho, and A. E. Daniels, Sugarland, Tex. His only remark was "gee, I wish Earl were here to see this job." His brother, Earl, a seaman on the Navy submarine tender Pigeon, is among the list of missing at Corregidor, probably captured.

"I'd like to show that cup to Capt. Voge," said Lipes. "I used to tell him how I got my first experience at a morgue and never missed a patient coming or going."

**Lipes Wounded at Cavite.**  
Lipes formerly served under a Chicagoan, Lt. Comdr. Richard Voge, until the pharmacist of his present submarine was wounded in the Cavite bombing. Although Lipes' arm was steady in operating on his shipmate, he had himself suffered four shrapnel wounds when the Japs bombed Cavite.

When the submarine surfaced that night, all hands who had been near

the wardroom found themselves frequently grabbing the sides of the conning tower and slightly unsteady on the black, vertical ladders. It was because of the ether they had breathed, which came out again at the lessening of surface pressure.

But all their intoxication was not ether; some was joy.

The submarine again began "patrolling as usual." And 13 days later Rector was manning the battle phones. And the submarine was again launching her torpedoes.

And in one of the bottles vibrating on the submarine's shelves swayed the first appendix ever known to

have been removed below enemy waters. (Copyright, 1942, by Chicago Daily News.)

**Ward Attended School Here.**  
Lt. Norvell Ward of Indian Head, Md., who was "assistant surgeon" during the operation, attended Devitt School here, where he was active in football. He was on the varsity lacrosse team at the United States Naval Academy from which he was graduated in 1935.

He was married to Elisabeth Ann Kearney of Roanoke, Va., in 1937 and has two sons, one of whom he has never seen. The youngsters are

Norvell, Jr., 4, and Alexander, 2. The family hasn't seen Lt. Ward since June, 1940.

**Mrs. Meyer to Speak**  
Mrs. Eugene Meyer, who returned recently from a visit to England, will address the civilian defense workers of the MacArthur Boulevard area at 8 p.m. tomorrow at the Palsades Field House, Dana and Sherrier streets N.W., on civilian defense in that country. Election of officers for the coming year will be held.

Waste kitchen fats make gum-powder!



LT. CHARLES S. MANNING. "Circulating nurse."

rubber gloves nearly 20 minutes to find the appendix.

**Another Try.**  
"I have tried one side of the caecum," he whispered after the first minutes. "Now I'm trying the other."

Whispered bulletins seeped back into the engine room and crews' quarters.

"The doc has tried one side of something and now is trying the other side."

After more search Lipes finally whispered, "I think I've got it. It's curled way up into the blind gut."

Lipes was using the classical McBurney's incision. Now was the



LT. CHARLES K. MILLER. Kept sub steady.

apologetically as he felt the first handclaps on his shoulder.

Within a few hours, the bow and stern planesmen who, under Miller's direction, had kept the submarine from varying more than half a degree vertically in 150 minutes below the stormy sea, came around to receive Rector's winks of thanks. They were C. R. Weekley,



for colds, coughing, sniffles and muscle aches get the salve with the base of old-fashioned mutton suet Grandma liked.

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LT. NORVELL WARD. Helped operate.

small piners used for closing blood vessels. The machinist "rigged" a handle for the scalpel from a hemostat.

When you are going to have an operation you must have some kind of antiseptic agent. Rummaging in the medicine chest they found sulfamide tablets and ground them to powder. One thing was lacking: There was no means of holding open the wound after the incision had been made. Surgical tools used for this are called "muscular retractors."

What would they use for retractors? There was nothing in the medicine chest which gave the answer, so they went as usual to the cook's galley.

In the galley they found tablespoons made of monel metal. They bent these at right angles and had their retractors.

"Sterilizers? They went to one of the greasy, copper-colored torpedoes waiting beside the tubes. They milked alcohol from the torpedo mechanism and used it, as well as boiling water.

The light in the wardroom seemed insufficient; operating rooms always have big lamps. So they brought one of the big floods used for night loadings and rigged it inside the wardroom's sloping ceiling.

**Rubber Gloves Too Big.**  
The moment for the operation had come. Rector, very pale and stripped, stretched himself out on the wardroom table under the glare of the lamps. Rubber gloves dipped in torpedo alcohol were drawn on the youthful "doc's" hands. The fingers were too long. The rubber ends dribbled over limply.

"You look like Mickey Mouse," Doc," said one onlooker.

Lipes grinned behind the gauze.

Rector, on the wardroom table, wet his lips, glancing a sidelong at the tea-strainer ether mask.

With his superior officers as his subordinates, Lipes looked about into their eyes, nodded and Lt. Hoskins put the tea-strainer mask down over Rector's face. No words were spoken; Lt. Hoskins already knew from the book that he should watch Rector's eye pupils dilate.

The 23-year-old "surgeon," following the ancient hand rule, put his little finger on Rector's subsiding umbilicus, his thumb on the point of the hip bone end, by dropping his index finger straight down, found the point where he intended to cut. At his side stood Lt. Norvell Ward of Indian Head, Md., who was his assistant surgeon.

**Chosen for Coolness.**  
"I chose him for his coolness and dependability," said the doc afterward of his superior officer. "He acted as my third and fourth hands."

Lt. Ward's job was to place tablespoons in Rector's side as Lipes cut through successive layers of muscles.

Engineering Officer Lt. Charles S. Manning of Cheraw, S. C., took the job which in a formal operating room is known as "circulating nurse." His job was to see that packets of sterile, Carlisle dressings kept coming and that the torpedo alcohol and boiling water arrived regularly from the galley.

They had in what is called an "instrument passer" in Chief Yeoman H. F. Wieg of Sheldon, N. Dak., whose job was to keep the tablespoons coming and coming clean. Submarine Skipper Ferrall, too, had his part. They made him "recorder."

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other ships are waiting their chance. The San Francisco, Callaghan, Cassin Young, H. E. Scholand, McCandless—they are merely links in a chain, holding at the right time, doing what the Navy has taught them to do.

Methodist 'Message'

Methodism always has been a fighting faith. It therefore is not surprising that the Council of Bishops of the Methodist Church, meeting at Cleveland on the first anniversary of Pearl Harbor, should have issued a "message" of militant Christianity and patriotism. Such a pronouncement is well within the tradition of the Wesleyan denomination in the United States. "We have been near to the heart of our country from the time of her birth and in every crisis of her expanding history," the bishops say. "The Methodist Church is historically and intrinsically a part of that glorious inner life of the Nation that is the true 'spirit of America.' We must not forgo our responsibility for the preservation of this continuing spiritual heritage."

The authors of the "message" then quite frankly confess that: "We are under no illusion regarding the un-Christlike character of war as a method of settling international disputes. Nor do we forget our own shortcomings and sins relative to the conditions that produced this struggle." More directly to blame for the contest, however, they find "a pagan philosophy driven by un-Christian motives and bent upon establishing its will upon mankind." The distinction thus expressed, it may be observed in passing, is a fundamental difference. Jesus of Nazareth and the generality of His loyal followers have sought to achieve righteousness, fellowship and peace in the earth, and the Axis aggressors by bitter word and cruel deed are on record against those sacred aims and ends. The bishops prophetically declare: "In the lurid light of this global conflict we see the outlines of man's selfishness, secularism and pride."

But we also discern... the emerging vision of a world fashioned after the mind of Christ and worthy of Him who died upon a cross to redeem it and ever lives to furnish the power to make it a reality. In other terms, "Christ was never more contemporary." The leaders of Methodism give it as their considered judgment that: "There is enough spiritual vitality in the world to change the structure of society. This power needs to be mobilized. We do now call upon our church in deep humility and high dedication so to bear the Christian witness that His will may be done through us." How compelling is the challenge implicit in such a summons may be discovered in the bishops' appeal: "Let every Methodist examine his own heart and answer before God if he has given up every known sin; if the love of Christ has cast out the blindness that keeps him from esteeming all men as brothers, regardless of race, color or creed; if the security of his own economic status has made him indifferent to the agony of men and women and little children who have 'only a crust of bread and a corner to weep in'... Our boys are dying on battlefields in every continent. There is no light and casual gift to a better world. It is their all, their supreme sacrifice, and, falling, they ask us if we are willing to live in Christian self-sacrifice for the better day for which they so gallantly die. We shall not build a new world order at any lesser cost."

Thousands of Americans who are affiliated with other branches of the universal church and still other thousands who perhaps have no religious association of any sort will rejoice in the beauty, the earnestness, the stalwart courage and the noble generosity of the Methodist "message" from which these excerpts are quoted. The whole statement deserves careful study. Only a great community could have brought it forth, and only a gloriously blessed people is competent to receive and fulfill it.

Both British and American Armies in North Africa promise the breaking of a censorship bottleneck and speeding up of the news. The news from there, in turn, seems to promise a speed up of the armies.

The Dutch Look Ahead

The announcement by Queen Wilhelmina of the Netherlands concerning the future status of Holland's empire shows once again the validity of the old saying that "you can't beat the Dutch." In the midst of war the Queen and her government have taken a long look into the post-war world and projected a globe-girdling Netherlands "commonwealth" in which Holland, the Dutch East Indies and the two New World regions of Surinam and Curacao each will be the "partner" in the other. The yearning toward political freedom and freedom from want both are to be satisfied as much as possible. The roots of native life in the thickly populated Indies are to be preserved. Educational advantages for the Indonesians are to be augmented. Apparatus for giving each of the territories political control over its own domestic affairs is to be set up. The past efficiency in the administrative and economic organization of the Indies is expected to simplify the difficult job of reconstructing the region, notwithstanding the grave deprivations of the Japanese occupiers of the islands. The scheme, broad outlines of which were divulged by the Queen, has been drawn to fit the peculiar Netherlands needs and may not serve as a model

Of Stars, Men And Atoms

Notebook of Science Progress, In Laboratory, Field And Study

By Thomas R. Henry.

Too Big an Army?

Addressing the Massachusetts Federation of Taxpayers Associations last week, Senator Truman, who heads the Senate's Special Defense Investigation committee, suggested that we may be raising a larger Army than we can supply and transport. This is a matter which has been the subject of considerable informal discussion, but the Missouri Senator's address marks the first time that the Government's policy in this respect has been directly attacked by an official who has had exceptional opportunities to familiarize himself with the facts of the case. The position taken by Senator Truman, however, is subject to at least one obvious criticism.

"It will do little good," the Senator was quoted as saying, "to raise a huge Army unless, consistently with supplying our Allies with the weapons they need, we can transport and supply our own Army overseas. It is even more futile to raise so large an Army that its attempted supply and maintenance will destroy the essential civilian economy." This, as far as it goes, is a statement which seems to be beyond successful challenge. But like so many broad generalizations, the implication of the statement rests on a premise which is of very dubious validity. If it were a fact that the Army, as presently constituted and as planned, is too large to be supplied and transported, then the Senator's contention would be unanswerable. But Senator Truman offers no facts to support this assumption, and the probabilities are that it cannot be supported when all the evidence is taken into account.

To begin with, in a matter of this kind, the judgment of our military authorities ought not to be lightly set aside. Better than Senator Truman or any one else, they know the dimensions of the job that the Army has to do, and the extent to which we can rely upon our Allies for effective combat troops. In their view of the matter it is just as dangerous, if not more so, to undertake to fight the war with an Army too small to insure victory as it is to put our civilian economy in jeopardy by attempting to raise and maintain too large an Army.

Thus, the essence of the question is whether the Army in contemplation can be maintained by the working force which will remain after the military demands have been satisfied. Naturally, in such a matter, there is room for difference of opinion. Yet there is one point in support of those who advocate a large Army which should be obvious to all, but which was ignored by Senator Truman, and that concerns the continuance of the 40-hour week.

Speaking before the same group, Senator Byrd said that the military reverses which we have suffered would not have occurred had the 40-hour week been repealed after the fall of France. And Undersecretary of War Patterson, in a statement last week, said that lengthening of the over-all work week from the present average of slightly less than 43 hours to 48 hours would have the effect of increasing the labor supply by a million and half workers. Whether the armed force that the military authorities want to raise could be supplied even with a 48-hour week is, of course, a debatable question. But it would seem evident that no responsible official should advocate a reduction in the contemplated size of the Army until, for the duration, we forget about our "social gains" and make a serious effort to find out what can be done with a civilian working force whose work-week is adjusted to the realities of war.

Pay Raise for Santa

For a while it seemed that this year Santa Claus would be frozen out, not by the weather, but by wage freezing. Thanks to the War Labor Board, this will not happen. An appeal was made by a New York store, to be allowed to pay Santa Claus 25 per cent more than last year, and the board gave a blanket reply in the affirmative, effective for all similar cases; quite a concession when, technically, Santa Claus is not a war worker.

Yet he is a morale worker, one of the best. Perhaps the War Labor Board recognized this fact. At any rate, it was careful to specify that Santa Claus must be jolly, and wear a red robe. He must shun the razor as the plague, and appear in the traditional long white beard and cheery smile. He must also, in the board's exact words, "use his office of juvenile trust to spread the Christmas spirit of good will among all men, women and children." Hats off, then, to the War Labor Board, for its joint Christmas present to Santa Claus and his public, and for sending it promptly and not so wrapped up with red tape that it could not be opened before Christmas. It was, to be sure, lightly fastened with four "whereases" and two "provideds," but doubtless some form of security was necessary to keep it from falling apart before delivery.

Antique furniture fans have been known to pay a thousand dollars for early French empire cabinets. That's nothing. Many a United States Government bureau costs that much every minute.

THIS AND THAT

By Charles E. Tracewell.

"Dear Sir: Your birds offer no such difficulties of pronunciation as flowers. Everybody can say robin, bluebird, cardinal, sparrow, etc. But I know strong men who fear to say 'gladiolus.' 'Chrysanthemum' is turned into 'crys-er-anthemum.' 'Hydrangea' becomes 'hy-geranium.' 'Iris' is pronounced 'irishes.'"

"These are typical cases, spoken in my hearing by persons who know better, if they would stop to consider. The trouble arises because they will not look at a word long enough to become familiar with it. It is impossible, for instance, for any one to pronounce iris as 'irish,' the name of a great race of people, if only they will take the time and trouble to really look at the word in print. There is perhaps no one who is not familiar with the iris of the eye, and not a one would experience any difficulty in pronouncing the word correctly in connection with the eye, yet when they talk of the flower, iris, they become confused and blunder into 'irishes.'"

"Now, there are German iris, and Japanese iris, so-called Dutch iris, and the Florentine iris, but there are no Irish iris, as far as I know, although there may be species growing in the Emerald Isle, at that."

"Chrysanthemum, I admit, is a mouthful, as the modern expression has it, yet even this is commonly handled without mistake by most, on account of the popularity of this glory of the autumn garden. The joke of it is that the word, properly pronounced, is much easier to say than 'crys-er-anthemum,' which is no word at all, properly speaking."

"A 'hy-geranium,' I discovered is nothing more than the hydrangea, the amateur gardener confusing this flower with the geranium, a term familiar through long usage to practically every one."

"Sincerely yours, H. B."

Very few are taking to realize any more that they are talking to themselves when they say "geranium," or any one of a hundred other familiar flower names. Yet nine out of ten still stumble over the word "gladiolus," as if it were a veritable jaw breaker. This is due, in part, to the snobbery formerly prevalent, which allowed a person who preferred the Latin pronunciation to openly correct one who used the straight English.

As a matter of fact, those who so glibly pronounced it "glad-eye-olus" were incorrect themselves, since the best Latin dictionaries give it as "glad-ey-awius," the accent on the second syllable, in both cases. Those who prefer the American pronunciation stuck consistently to "gladi-ol-us," giving the normal English accent on the next to the last syllable. Those with a "feel" for our language will instantly sense the satisfaction of this pronunciation.

So much confusion resulted that the American Gladiolus Society adopted the single form "gladi-ol-us" for both singular and plural. Thus one speaks of one gladiolus or two gladiolus, according to this form. Since the society, however, is not an authority on language, however much it is on its queen of summer-flowering bulbs, the name is still spelled

Letters to the Editor

The Other Side of Lease-Lend Explained From London.

In a letter to the editor of The Star for December 8, "Observer" questions why countries which receive lease-lend goods from the United States do not establish reciprocal programs. The letter suggests that lease-lend runs on a one-way track from the United States, with little in return.

Rather than comment on this myself, as an Iowa-born employee of the British Supply Council, let me simply pass along what I heard on the radio this morning—Paul Manning speaking from London on the CBS 8 o'clock News Round-up. Since Mr. Manning is quoting an American Army officer, his comment will be of interest. The statement follows:

"An American Army spokesman in London this morning said that England, under terms of reciprocal lease-lend, is giving the United States Army here in Britain virtually a blank check to pay its bills. Not only are they partly freed from clothing and the American Army, but they are paying all costs of housing and transportation. Lease-lend goods shipped from America amounted to \$915,000,000 during the one month of October. He said England had spent nearly equivalent sums maintaining the United States forces. Barracks, huts and tents are furnished cost free. Practically every United States airfield in England has been placed in operation by British civilian labor. When a United States Army officer or enlisted man travels from one part of Britain to another on official business his railway fare is paid by Whitehall. They also furnish from their limited food stores such basic items as mutton, potatoes, bread, jam and vegetables. This diet is supplemented from the United States by small shipments of cheese, dried eggs and canned goods. Even the paper and printing costs of the official United States Army newspaper, Stars and Stripes, are paid by England, and Maj. Gen. John H. Lee of the SOS, when he travels on inspection tours of United States airfields under construction, goes in a non-cost special train also furnished by the British. No one knows what the final bookkeeping will look like after the war under this scheme of reciprocal lease-lend, but I am sure it will be very, very complex indeed."

FRANCIS FLOOD.

Complains About Lack Of Purchasing Power Provision.

I was in your city on December 10, and, reading your paper, as is my custom when there, I noticed an item about the old controversy of efficiency versus inefficiency in government.

That which applies to government also applies to private business. My experience has been with the latter. In fact, I was in the industrial engineering or efficiency promoting business for about 20 years until 1938.

While in this business, I arrived at the conclusion that it was possible for only those between the ages of 20 and 50, working no more than 40 hours per week, to produce all that all the people possibly could use. I also arrived at

Haskin's Answers To Questions

By Frederic J. Haskin.

A reader can get the answer to any question of fact by writing The Evening Star Information Bureau, Frederic J. Haskin, Director, Washington, D. C. Please include stamp for return postage.

Q. How fast is Washington growing?—D. B. H.

A. The Bureau of the Census has estimated the population of the District of Columbia as follows in 1942: January 1, 1938, 1,798,000; May 1, 1941, 2,000,000; September 30, 1942, 2,000,000. In the census of 1940 Washington had a population of 663,061. The city is now eighth in rank, next to Baltimore.

Q. Has the Christmas mail to soldiers overseas arrived safely?—D. B. E.

A. The War Department reports that a major part of Christmas packages and mail already has arrived overseas. The Army Postal Service has shipped 14,728,880 pounds of such mail as compared to 5,200,000 pounds sent to the A. E. F. for two Christmases in France.

Q. Why is the Indian brave associated with Dartmouth College?—J. Q.

A. Eleazar Wheelock, founder of the college, came to New England to teach the Indians—hence the origin of the symbol.

Q. What is the official meaning of the term "ace" in aviation?—L. J. D.

A. "Ace" is a popular and unofficial designation not used by the War Department. In the last war it was widely used to refer to an aviator who had achieved victories over at least five enemy aircraft.

Q. I recently saw a reference to the Greek "Ambassador." Was this an error?—C. R.

A. No, it was correct. Greece and Yugoslavia had their legations raised to embassies the first week of October, in compliance to their struggle against Hitler. Norway and the Netherlands were paid a similar tribute earlier this year, as Belgium and Poland were after the First World War. It is interesting that these six countries all have exile governments in London, and that Mr. Anthony J. Drexel Biddle, Jr., is our Ambassador to all of them.

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Q. How should a club sandwich be eaten?—B. N.

A. A club sandwich is eaten with a fork after the toast and other ingredients have been broken. In doing this, knife and fork are used.

Q. What does the expression "Partisan shot" mean?—N. F.

A. It means "a parting thrust." The phrase refers to the custom of the ancient Partisans, who in battle would feign retreat and then shoot backward with unerring aim.

Q. What color was the rose originally?—F. B. M.

A. Legend says that the first roses were white. The blood of the nightingale, spattered over the buds, changed the roses to red.

Q. When was the first advertising agency established in the United States?—J. K. W.

A. The first advertising agency was established in Philadelphia by Volney B. Palmer in 1840. Later offices were established in Boston and New York.

Q. What is the name of the town in South Carolina where trees are subject to police regulations?—R. J. D.

A. All trees in Summerville are subject to police regulations and no tree is ever cut in the town unless it is necessary for the preservation of other trees or because of a dangerous condition in the tree. An ordinance says: "It shall be unlawful for any person to injure or destroy any living tree or sapling within the corporate limits of the town, except through permission of the Town Council."

Q. What is the date of the world's oldest map?—B. R. E.

A. The Division of Maps of the Library of Congress says the oldest map so far known is one found on a clay tablet dated about 2500 B.C. It is interpreted in one instance as representing a sea, two rivers, two mountain ranges and three cities; and in another a rich man's estate.

Q. Please give directions for using a watch as a compass.—F. S.

A. Place the watch flat in the hand, with the hour hand pointing toward the sun. The point on the circle half way between the hour hand and XII will be directly south in the Northern Hemisphere, and directly north in the Southern Hemisphere.

Dark Wings

This flesh and bone is but a chrysalis That has not won its wings—just that must go To dust again—the ancient law we know. Love cannot snatch it from the dark abyss. Not mother's arms, nor lover's frantic kiss Can hold it back. Death comes to high and low. All recognize this frank and open foe, Learn to ignore what none may hope to miss.

To sense withdrawal in averted eyes, To read the change in a beloved face; To live, yet know that love has taken wing, And hide his hurt, man would be more than wise. Death of the body he accepts with grace, That of the spirit is another thing. ANNA M. PRIESTLEY.

### Oil Rations Chilly for New Deal

#### Lack of Planning Held Typical of 'Planned Economy'

By DAVID LAWRENCE.  
For many years the term New Deal has been synonymous with "planned economy." Some day, its sponsors said, the State would plan the economic life of the Nation.



David Lawrence.

Today under the stress of war, the opportunity for "planned economy" has come. And the New Dealers are in office. They have plenty of public funds, plenty of authority and plenty of controls over the economic life of the citizens.

But the citizens are waking up to the fact that if what they are living under today is "planned economy," then somebody has failed to provide the plan and somebody has failed to show the economy.

For there has been a lack of planning to provide tires, a lack of planning to provide sugar, a lack of planning to provide a balanced food supply, a lack of planning to provide gasoline and now a lack of planning to provide fuel oil to keep people warm in winter.

Records Refute Alibis.  
It will be asserted that many of the circumstances were unforeseen because the demands of a huge Army and Navy could not be foretold. But the records are full of warnings concerning the expected shortages and the records are full of administrative blunders in trying to meet those shortages.

The real trouble today is that those in power in the Government have refused to listen to the advice of the people of experience and they scorn the help of persons who happen to have been successful in business management.

The reason for this stems from the attitude of President Roosevelt himself toward most businessmen. His subordinates have taken their cue from him. Because he constantly carries on a class feud with the successful management men of America, his lieutenants do likewise.

When Mr. Roosevelt puts a top telling on salaries, his associates put a ceiling on such things as fuel oil. Thus the new regulations provide that if a man happens to have a home larger than a cottage, built with the savings of a lifetime of toil and not necessarily from the clipped coupons of inherited wealth, he and his family must suffer.

Cut Exceeds Estimates.  
The public was told a few months ago that it might expect a cut of a fourth or as much as a third in their fuel oil, but even the people in smaller homes were not warned that they might expect a cut of 50 per cent in some instances, making it impossible for them to heat with oil and, if they had inconvertible equipment, making it impossible for them to have a hot water heater at all. But if it were necessary to cut that deeply, why were quotas for the whole winter revealed to the user only after he had burned up his October and November oil based on the belief that he would get a one-third cut?

By some peculiar formula which could only be born in the mind of a New Deal brain trust, some people who got 1,000 gallons last year for a whole season find themselves with about half that amount, while others find themselves with more than they had last year.

The formula is one that takes no account of the exposure of a dwelling to winds and no account of the fact that even if only three people live in a house it has to be heated evenly to avoid illness and that if more people live in the same house this year than last year no increase in fuel is required.

But even if the heat formula were workable, the lack of planning in handling deliveries is even more of a blunder. Tank drivers spend from a half to three-quarters of an hour filling out red tape coupon forms and certificates while other customers wait for oil. Trucks must make more deliveries than before and transport less oil each time because of the limits on each period of consumption, thus increasing the problem of tires and gas and personnel.

Innocents Punished.  
The whole thing appears to have been based on the suspicion that there might be some chiselers, or that people might burn more fuel in one period than in another. The very flexibility they should have had to enable them to conform to weather changes has been denied them. And in order to prevent the few who might cheat from getting a little more oil, 99 per cent have to be punished with a scheme that delays their deliveries and makes them freeze.

The ration boards are overworked and lack funds to get proper working tools and personnel.

Rather than remove from office any of the incompetent New Dealers when they have plainly blundered, the President, with perhaps more respect for his pride than the plight of his countrymen, sticks to the blunders.

### On the Record

#### Hitler Finally Contrives to Eclipse Army, Last Powerful Institution in Germany

By DOROTHY THOMPSON.  
It is impossible in a single column to throw sufficient light on what has happened in Germany with the shake-up of the German general staff.



Dorothy Thompson.

Shake-up is hardly the word. To put it in its largest aspects, Hitler has destroyed that combination of tradition, morale, military science, code and continuity which the world has known since the middle of the 18th century, as the Prussian Army. It has finally suffered the same fate as every other traditional institution of German life—the last and most powerful institution to go into eclipse.

This destruction has been piece-meal and began long before Hitler came to power, through the systematic penetration into the Reichswehr of Nazi "cells." This was resisted by the Reichswehr, which required loyalty to its own code, and its own code alone.

In 1931, two years before Hitler, the Reichswehr threw out three lieutenants—Lt. Scherger, the most famous of them, because he repented and turned Communist in his cell—because they were discovered to be Nazi agents in army ranks.

First Showdown in 1934.  
From the outset, the relations between the Reichswehr and National Socialism were complicated by a moral dilemma. The Reichswehr, traditionalist included, had assisted National Socialism, as a political movement, because of its rampant nationalism, its anti-Versailles policy, its anti-pacifism and its hold on the masses—a hold which the conservative nationalists had completely lost.

At the same time, however, the army tried to keep its own organization intact and "pure." Out of this situation came an internal struggle for mastery—not mastery of the state, but mastery of the army.

The first big showdown was in June, 1934, when Capt. Roehm, organizer of the mass party army, the SA attempted to coalesce his million storm troopers, who had been trained in units duplicating the army organization, into the still small Reichswehr.

The Reichswehr resisted, Roehm insisted, and Hitler cut the Gordian knot by killing Roehm and his chief lieutenants.

Limited Victory.  
It seemed at the time to be a complete victory for the Reichswehr, but it was connected with Goering's murder of two "political" generals, not of the Nazi persuasion, Von Schleicher and Von Bredow. With this Hitler, at the very moment of yielding to them, uttered a terrible warning to the officers corps.

An underground tug of war has therefore existed since the very foundation of the Third Reich. Occasionally the struggle brought manifestations to the surface. The army defiantly held funeral services for the slain generals. The army chaplains publicly protested the anti-religious measures and propaganda of the party.

The army tried to protect per-

secuted civilian conservatives. That Pastor Niemoller could preach so long and that he still lives, though interned for years, is doubtless due to persistent army pressure.

Furthermore, though the officers' corps unanimously wanted the end of the disarmament clauses of the Treaty of Versailles and the building of an army equal to that of any European power, many of them did not want war, but only a strong army for bargaining purposes. Actually that was how Hitler first used it—in his series of bloodless victories.

Warned Hitler.  
The officers' corps warned Hitler in anticipation of every radical step. Having gotten the army they wanted from Hitler they were not at all enthusiastic about being led to war under his leadership, which they distrusted. There is evidence that some of them warned the western powers to oppose the reoccupation of the Rhineland, and it is known that the army only undertook to march into the Rhineland with instructions to retreat if encountering opposition.

The first open break after the Roehm affair between members of the high command and the Hitler government occurred in January, 1938, over two matters: The Blomberg case and the march into Austria.

Gen. Blomberg was the mediator between the officers' corps and the Nazi party. The officers' corps regarded him as a compromising character and dangerous to them. They used the occasion of his marriage to force his resignation.

At the same time 13 other generals were dismissed, and in these dismissals there was a repetition of the Roehm affair. For although the army won, in the case of Blomberg and also against having Goering as his successor, Hitler dismissed the leaders of the opposition against his politico-war plans. Chief of these was Gen. von Fritsch, who opposed marching into Austria, perhaps for military reasons—that he believed it would precipitate a great war, perhaps because of a word of honor given by the German Army to the Austrians.

In the fall of the same year, the chief of staff, Gen. Beck, resigned following a series of differences of opinion with Hitler. Beck, as chief of staff, was responsible for drawing up the whole war plan and apparently would not draw one to suit Hitler.

Evokes Winning Combination.  
The successor of Beck as chief of staff was Franz Halder. Marshal Brauchitsch had the high command of the army. The chief generals were Kettel, von Bock, Ritter von Leeb, von Witzleben, von Blaskowitz, von Kleist, Guderian and von Rundstedt. This was the setup which won every campaign up to the battle of Moscow.

In this period of unbroken victories, at least until the Russian rupture, frictions between Hitler and the army were suspended. The officers' corps accepted Hitler's political leadership as essential to winning the war and indeed—emerged in their minds as a political genius. Hitler, on the other hand, left the military campaigns to the generals. So everything was hunky dory until the war in Russia began.

(To be continued.)  
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### Perlzweig Says Nazis Plan To Crush Jews Everywhere

By the Associated Press.  
PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 14.—"The purpose of the Nazi party is not to destroy the Jewish people of Germany, but to destroy Jews everywhere," Dr. Maurice S. Perlzweig, head of the English section of the World Jewish Conference, declared in a speech here last night. He spoke at a mass meeting in the Benjamin Franklin Hotel.

"Our first reply must not be walling or mourning at our lot, but to

hit back. Each of us must contribute his maximum to winning the war and to the total destruction of Hitler," Dr. Perlzweig said.

The meeting adopted a four-point resolution urging condemnation by the United Nations of the Nazi persecutions; immediate establishment of an instrumentality to name leaders responsible for the persecutions and assure their punishment; a pledge by the United Nations that Jews able to escape from Nazi-dominated countries will find refuge and steps by the Allied governments to bring hope and such aid as possible to Jews still in Nazi-dominated countries.

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### The Great Game of Politics

#### Taft's Sponsorship of Anti-Isolationism Resolution Hailed as Major Event at Meeting

By FRANK R. KENT.  
There were two encouraging things about the recent Republican Committee meeting in St. Louis. One, of course, was the defeat of Werner W. Schroeder for chairman. Had he won, the party again would have been badly smeared with the isolationism brush and harmony would have gone out the window.



Frank R. Kent.

The other was the action of Senator Taft in obtaining unanimous reaffirmation of the resolution adopted by the committee last April, which committed the party not only to whole-hearted support of the administration's war policies, but to international co-operation after the war. That resolution, sponsored by Wendell Willkie, generally was hailed at the time as breaking the clutch of the isolationists on the party organization, committing it to a more enlightened course.

The significant thing was that Senator Taft, who vigorously opposed the Willkie resolution last spring, this time as vigorously favored it. Mr. Taft is a high-minded man with strong convictions. Apparently, he offered no explanation of his change toward the Willkie resolution.

Last spring, after the final passage of that resolution, he said he thought it a great mistake for the committee to have expressed any policy on post-war action, which was exactly what the Willkie resolution did.

Plain Language.  
At that time Senator Taft did say that the teeth of the Willkie proposal had been drawn. Nevertheless, its language was clear, emphatic and wholly away from the isolationist view. Here it is:

"We realize that after this war the responsibility of the Nation will not be circumscribed within the territorial limits of the United States; that our Nation has an obligation to assist in bringing about better understanding, comity and co-operation among the nations of the world, in order that the blighting processes of war may not be forced upon us."

Certainly, that is an expression of post-war policy. It almost amounts to a declaration for a League of Nations. That Senator Taft can now not only accept it but propose it marks a real advance.

At the meeting last spring, the

Willkie resolution was adopted with a whoop and Mr. Taft did not vote against it—perhaps, because there was no roll call; or because he was reconciled by its modification or because it would have gone through anyhow. But, he clearly did not approve it.

Now, apparently, he approves it. At any rate, he moved its reaffirmation, which brings him closer to the position of his distinguished father, the late President, who, like Charles Evans Hughes, Herbert Hoover, Elihu Root and other Republicans of prominence at the time, was pro-League and pro-World Court.

Power Within Party.  
Within the party organization, Senator Taft is a strong man. He has more party friends than Mr. Willkie and, while he is not again a candidate for the presidential nomination, he will have no little to do with naming the Republican candidate and framing the Republican platform in 1944.

That he and Mr. Willkie are now so close on the fundamentals of post-war foreign policy seems to preclude the thing of which far-sighted Republicans are most afraid—to wit, a split in the party on a fundamental issue.

The other day one of the best of the practical politicians trenchantly expressed it in this way: "We ought to win in 1944," he said, "if we do not again make the mistake of trying to elect two men on the same day."

Success Not Assured.  
With the party now wholly freed from its isolationist chains, there seems no prospect of such a split. But the mere absence of a split does not, as has been proven, insure Republican success. That depends on a number of things.

One is whether, as is claimed, the New Deal tide really has turned at last and is running against the administration. Another is the quality of the Republican leadership in the next Congress. Another is the character of the platform and the caliber of the candidate.

The country may have turned against the New Deal—and the last election looked that way—but it isn't ready for another Harding, nor even a Coolidge.

Incidentally, the personality of the new chairman, Harrison Spangler, is not particularly important. Certainly, he is an old-style politician, but at least there is no unsavory smell about him such as still clings to his Democratic counterpart, Eddie Flynn of Belgian paving-block fame.

Anyhow, Mr. Spangler will be chairman only until the convention nominates.

### This Changing World

#### Massing of German Force in Greece and Crete Presages Possible Hitler Drive on Syria

By CONSTANTINE BROWN.  
Military men in Washington are watching with increasing interest German concentrations in Greece and in Crete, where in the last few weeks important movements of troops and aviation have been reported.



Constantine Brown.

Because of the reputed strife between the generals representing the old German aristocracy and the Nazi "upstarts," who, incidentally are all professional soldiers, it appears likely that Hitler may attempt some spectacular coup in the Eastern Mediterranean, possibly against Syria. There are two strong reasons leading to that speculation. One is that Hitler wants to show his own people that the "new blood" brought up in Nazi doctrines is more efficient than the old-timers who have been giving only lip service to Nazism.

The other is that the British 8th Army is now approximately 1,000 miles from its main supply base in Egypt and is engaged in operations which, we hope will lead to a pincers movement as soon as the British 1st Army can overcome the resistance of the Nazis in Tunisia.

In the meantime, there are only reduced forces guarding Egypt and Syria. Hitler may take advantage of his situation and start a blitz from Greece and Crete toward Syria and threaten once more the Allies' main line of communication—the Suez Canal.

Bolster Africa.  
No one, of course, knows what Hitler and his new staff are planning. The assumption that they may attempt a coup in the Eastern Mediterranean is purely speculative and is based mainly on the definite information of arrival of large Nazi forces in Greece and Crete.

The fact that the Axis has managed to pour into Tunisia a force of between 25,000 and 30,000 men is considered equally significant. The German general staff apparently came to the conclusion that Tunisia must be held against the Allies. A strong defense would forbid the Allies access into the Eastern Mediterranean and also hem in the British 8th Army, which could ill afford to abandon its offensive to rush back 1,000 miles to defend Egypt and Syria.

The Nazi forces in North Africa are estimated at about

70,000 men of which some 30,000 are in Tunisia facing Gen. Kenneth Anderson and the rest are in Cyrenaica facing Gen. Bernard Montgomery.

Allies Must Guard Morocco.  
The Allies have a substantial force between Casablanca and Tunisia, but much of it must be maintained in Morocco lest the Germans make a dash through Spain and induce or coerce Generalissimo Francisco Franco to join them.

There are some 200,000 well organized and equipped soldiers in Spanish Morocco. Until the situation regarding Spain becomes clearer, it would be dangerous for us to throw too large an American force to support Gen. Anderson's 1st Army.

There is, of course, a good French army in North Africa, but it still lacks adequate equipment to weld it into a real fighting force.

Delay Intensifies Resistance.  
In Syria and Egypt there are British and Fighting French forces—but they are not in particularly good shape.

Is it obvious now that Gen. Anderson must be strongly reinforced before he can risk an all-out attack against the Axis forces, which have an excellent strategic position. This delay, which apparently was inevitable, has opened up many new possibilities which may make our success in North Africa a more embittered affair than was expected at first.

In responsible military quarters it is believed, however, that the final victory will be ours since eventually we will have an overwhelming force in the field. Nevertheless, there is a certain amount of uneasiness over the possibility of the Nazis upsetting our plans by an attack on Syria.

Can't Afford Setback.  
Military observers who are not inclined to be moved by wishful thinking believe that Hitler may undertake such an operation if he thinks it will be successful, but he cannot afford a major defeat there because of repercussions in the Reich.

The campaign in Russia has become a purely defensive operation which is now mostly behind fortifications in their winter quarters. Weather conditions do not permit the extensive use of the Luftwaffe; hence, Hitler has plans to spare for other fronts.

All these factors point out that soon we may witness the resumption of large-scale operations in North Africa, where we may be required to make the greatest effort of the war. There seems to be no danger whatever of losing our gains so far, but a serious danger to the Western Mediterranean may develop in the next few weeks.

### McLemore

#### A Peace Talk Recipe For Uncle Sam

By HENRY McLEMORE.  
The next time—which will also be the first time—that the leaders of the United States include me in one of their round table discussions of



Henry McLemore.

what the world is to be like after the war, I am going to ask a question or two. The first question I am going to ask of the men with the far-away look in their eyes, the long-range vision, the troubles of the globe on their shoulders,

Why is it that the United States never gets anything out of a war? We never do, you know. We put up the money. We send magnificent fighters into the field of combat. We tighten our belts. We make all the known sacrifices, and wind up with exactly nothing.

This country's statesmen spend a great deal of their time making it clear to the rest of the world that the United States wants nothing when it is all over. We'll stand pat with our 48 States and few outlying possessions, they say.

Why?  
Somebody Gets Something.  
What would be wrong with the United States grabbing a little here and a little there? All of the other countries do. They think about the victor's swag night and day. One of the major problems of the war today, if I have been reading the learned commentators correctly, concerns who is going to get what when the shooting is finished.

Somebody is going to wind up with the treasure. Maybe it would be a good thing if Uncle Sam did. He hasn't proved an inefficient colonizer. The people under his wing have been pretty happy. They have been given good, just treatment, and have sent in few complaints.

What is behind this country's insistence that it never share in the cutup of the prize?  
It can't be that this country has found that sweetness and decency and a heart that beats for all mankind pays rich dividends. We were alive with these virtues on December 7, 1941, but what did it get us? The Japanese didn't respect us for it, but took us for suckers and let us have the works when we weren't looking. Hitler never paid us any compliments and neither did Mussolini.

Outposts Needed.  
I have a sneaking feeling that when this war comes to an end this country should insist on getting a few things. We know now that the airplane has made this a small world. Our oceans are not enough protection. As part of our cut for being the arsenal of democracy, the banking house where the credit never runs out, we should demand all that land about us that would help us when the next attack comes.

You know the land I am talking about and you know it is essential in the defense of our shores. It is must be essential else why should we have planes and men and ships on the land right now?

More than one of our leaders appear to be convinced that this is the last war, that after this one is finished there will be no shooting and that the nations of the earth will live together in complete harmony. Let us hope that is right, but not many of us would make a bet on it without asking for odds.

The chances are that in the years to come, the thousands of years to come, this country will have to fight for its life fairly often. The human being hasn't changed a great deal in the last 1,000 years and he cannot be counted on to change much in the next 1,000.

Might Admit It.  
There are going to be greed and malice and leaders who want power and there is going to be shooting among men. It might not be a bad idea for this country to admit that, and instead of leaving the future generations nothing but a whacking lot of bad debts, try to leave them a country that is so powerful that no one will attack it with any success.

As I said before—and this subject undoubtedly is a bit deep for me—the war we are in right now is all the proof any American needs that the rest of the world doesn't honor decency. We have worn ourselves out being decent and what happens? We have to throw it all aside and get right down to bedrock with the barbarians and start doing all the things they do to keep from being crushed.

So when the boys gather around the peace conference table I hope our side will be represented by some one who'll say: "We are tired of being taken for suckers. We are tired of talking nothing but loveletters. We want as much as we can get of the earth's riches. It will help us to make a good fight when the next war comes along and also we are likely to be more generous with those riches than you other boys have been."

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French in Africa Form Lafayette Escadrille

By the Associated Press.  
ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN NORTH AFRICA, Dec. 13 (Delayed).—Lt. Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower announced today that French fighter pilots in North Africa were forming a Lafayette Escadrille to perpetuate the name of the famous organization of American volunteers who flew for France in the First World War.

The group will be equipped with American planes which will be serviced by American ground crews, the announcement said.

The Lafayette Escadrille was constituted after the last war by a squadron of French flyers who adopted the Indian head as their insignia.

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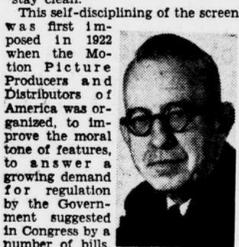


# Hollywood Flirts With Censorship in Code War

### All Attempts to Soften Hays Office Restrictions Arouse Active Agencies

By ANDREW R. KELLEY.

Hollywood, enjoying the most prosperous era in the history of the motion picture industry, now appears to be retreating and fuming over the restrictions and restraints imposed by the production code of the Will Hays organization. If these check reins on profanity, licentiousness and good taste are eased up or lifted, look for a renewal of the organized demand for Federal censorship, or official regulation of producers. More than 100 active organizations are prepared to demand that the screen "stay clean."



Andrew R. Kelley.

This self-disciplining of the screen was first imposed in 1922 when the Motion Picture Producers and Distributors of America was organized, to improve the moral tone of features, to answer a growing demand for regulation by the Government suggested in Congress by a number of bills.

The code was later reaffirmed by all major producing companies in the Hays organization. Some of its provisions are:

**VULGARITY.** The treatment of low, disgusting, unpleasant, though not necessarily evil subjects should be governed always by the dictates of good taste and regard for the sensibilities of the audience.

**OBSCENITY.** Obscenity in word, gesture, reference, song, joke, or by suggestion, is forbidden.

**PROFANITY.** Pointed profanity, or vulgar expressions, however used, are forbidden.

**Code is Challenged.** March of Time's full-length feature, "We Are the Marines," scheduled for release on Thursday, has challenged the right of the production code to eliminate words used in making this documentary. Its appeal will be heard on Thursday. Specifically, code officials scissored one word in the sentence: "Blow the 'out' of the water," and several "hell" and "damns."

The code stuck to its guns in the face of strong pressure to let Noel Coward's picture, "In Which We Serve," be released in America, exactly as filmed, with salty language retained. Four feet were cut from the picture, inspiring Brendan Bracken of the British Ministry of Information to call American censorship "old maiden-Aunt like."

The Broadway stage is enjoying prosperity with an orgy of strip-tease and low burlesque plays, and some Hollywood producers would like to transfer this exhibitionism to the screen, though they know there is not the slightest chance while the Hays office is vigilant. Since most of the chain operated theaters, and a majority of the independents, refuse to play pictures unless they carry a production code seal, the restraint is effective.

**Other Restraints.** In addition to self-regulation, wartime conditions require that service pictures respect the technical advice of the Army, Navy and Marine Corps in the preparation of scripts. The Office of War Information, motion picture division, makes suggestions that carry weight, recently dissuaded a producer from remarking "Birth of a Nation" at this particular time. OWI yielded to Manuel Quezon of the Philippines and had Producer Sam Goldwyn withdraw a reissue picture offensive to our Pacific neighbors. It also had the character of Thad Stevens softened in "Tennessee Johnson" rather than offend colored patrons of the movies.

Hollywood appears to forget that those agencies working to hamper industry practice, both in block booking and self-imposed amiable regulation, are prepared to prove that unruly adolescents who assault school teachers and carry their hoodlumism into the film theaters, gather their manners from screen prototypes.

**Fees Are Watching.** The industry may be irked by income tax problems, bothered by fuel conservation, peeved by War Production Board restrictions on raw films, pestered by congressional inquiries, checked on Federal expenditures, kept busy by public appeals for funds, demands for Hollywood celebrities for various efforts and Treasury bond sales, hampered

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**Lucre Picture Coming.** Representative-elect Clare Lucre will take her seat in the House just as her play, "Margin for Error," in screen form is released on F street.

**Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer thinks** Greer Garson and Ronald Colman have a good chance to win Academy Awards for their efforts in "Random Harvest." So they will release the film in California in time to get consideration for the academy balloting. Picture must be released by December 21 to be eligible.

**Producer Max Gordon asked** Edmund Plöhn, National's manager to get him \$10,000 for the week with the "Doughtrick." "I'll pay you off now on a \$14,000 week," replied the manager. Gordon didn't accept. "Doughtrick" achieved \$16,000, about all the house could hold at \$2 top.

**Navy Picture Screened.** You'll be missing some of your favorite radio and screen stars soon, for they'll be overseas bound to entertain the Army. Trips will take four weeks. While they are gone other radio stars will substitute until they get back.

**Robert Z. Leonard, who directed** "Stand By for Action," was a Washington visitor yesterday. Loew's division manager, in honor of his presence, called the critics together for a reception, afterwards screening the picture at the Paramount exchange. Due to open at Loew's Palace Theater December 30.

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## Edward Keller Will Be Missed By Playgoers

Regular playgoers at the National Theater will miss Eddie Keller, the genial treasurer who succumbed after a brief illness at Mount Alto Hospital yesterday. For Eddie was a box office man with a smile. His mode of life made for cheerfulness, and though he never subscribed to the theory that the patron at the box office window was always right, his was an optimistic spirit.

Frequently he talked to this editor about some day, when leisure permitted, setting down for magazine readers some of the priceless humor that occasionally bubbled forth when acute individual types stepped up to the window with their cash. In a lifetime of direct contact with playgoers Eddie estimated he had sold 50,000,000 reserved seat tickets. He was an expert at counting up, meaning flipping the tickets and getting a mathematically exact tabulation for official statements.

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His last illness kept him from service with the United States Army, was more serious than he thought. One of his keen delights was handling the tickets for the so-called "command performance," and he was personally known to President Roosevelt, esteemed for his contribution to the President's party charity. It was Mr. Keller who made himself a welcoming committee of one when the Chief Executive visited the E street playhouse, and he was a regular guest at the White House theatrical suppers. One of George M. Cohan's closest friends, "Kell," as George M. called him, was depressed over the death of a loyal associate.

Under the Edmund Plöhn managerial policy there must be no arguments at the box office window. Eddie followed these instructions literally. He was a master of detail, handling the immense amount of work involved in selling tickets by mail order, a tireless worker in an exacting job.

Eddie will be missed by this critic on Monday nights, since he generally stood at the back of the house usually asked for a private appraisal of the play's value. Always he could find the right or better locations for his friends, and he was the essence of patience. Good bye, old pal. And the world would be better if all lived by the scriptural principle which was your guide: "A glad heart maketh a cheerful countenance; but by sorrow of heart the spirit is broken." A. R. K.

## Russian War Drama To Premiere Here

The American premiere of Konstantin Simonov's famous drama of Russia's current battle for survival, "The Russian People," will take place at the National Theater here this evening when the Theater Guild presents the American acting version of the drama by Clifford Odets. The play, third production on the current Theater Guild-American Theater Society subscription season, will remain at the National for two weeks and is scheduled to open on Broadway December 29.

A large cast includes Leon Ames, Luther Adler, Victor Varconi, Elizabeth Fraser, Eleonora Mendelsohn and E. A. Krumschmidt, among others. Directed by Harold Clurman, with settings designed by Boris Aronson, "The Russian People" has added significance by being the first play to come out of the present world conflict which was written by some one actually on the battle scene. Simonov has been war correspondent on the Russian front.

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# Ginger Rogers and Ensign Make It Look Like Romance

### Mickey Rooney and Ava At Golf Club Present Contrast in Apparel

By SHEILAH GRAHAM.

HOLLYWOOD—It must be love with Ginger Rogers. She looked positively radiant at the Players Restaurant last night, dining with the man who was the first to screen-kiss Deanna Durbin, Ensign Robert Stack. Ginger had made-up on her face instead of the usual shiny nose which in itself is an indication of a desire to impress and look pleasing to the other sex. They sat there hour after hour, just looking into each other's eyes. If Ginger ups and marries, the boy she will add to the long list of movie females who have married men younger than themselves. Ginger is in her early 30s. Stack is around 26.

Mickey Rooney spotted at a local golf club wearing baggy pants five sizes too big for him, a cap on his head, a pipe between his teeth. His beautiful bride, Ava, looked on, clad in an exquisite fur coat. They made a strange combination. . . . At the Reggie Gardner-Nadya Petrova wedding, which looked like an MGM production, Rosalind Russell was tapped on the back (in church) by Sir Cedric Hardwicke, who said, "Will you please remove your hat, for the sake of the guests." George Montgomery, sniffling sadly with sinus trouble, tells me that when the war is over he probably will not return to Hollywood, being fed up with pictures in which he usually plays the kissing-type hero. Some men are never satisfied.

**Oakie Predicament.** Jack Oakie's wife, Venetia, is in quite a predicament because of the meat shortage. She now has 20 Afghans in her kennels which are getting pretty annoyed at the lack of their favorite beefsteaks. "She's giving me a hard time," she says, "but she can find some one to take them." Jack tells me. It seems that Venetia is also giving Jack away, because she is living in the valley and Oakie has an apartment in town. He explains this with: "I'm strictly a city boy." But the Oakies have not dwelt in the same house now for several months.

John Payne is studying semantics (look it up in your dictionary) . . . but I'll give you a hint. It's about the meaning of words in relation to ideas. The Oakies have had done a good job of fooling the Germans with words. Maybe they should take up semantics. . . . Mervyn Leroy is beating the leading man shortage by having an all-woman cast for his next film, "City Havoc." Ang at for the salary ceiling of \$25,000, Mervyn says to me. "When I sold newspapers in San Francisco, if any one had ever told me then that one day I'd make \$25,000 I'd have gone crazy with joy. I guess I'll manage. . . . and that reminds me of the story of a man who was offered \$25,000 to live on \$25,000 a year, when I only live now on \$10,000?"

**Taylor Too Late.** Robert Taylor is a sad man because he volunteered for the fighting services before he was banned. He was planning to enlist in the Army Air Corps, but wanted to make just one more picture to pay insurance commitments. Now when he is drafted he'll have to go where they put him. I hope it's the Air Corps. He can fly a plane. . . . John Carroll is another of the 3-A film actors who soon becomes 1-A, and who left his volunteering too late. He expects to be drafted early in the new year. . . . Simone Simon seen dining with another woman at Romanoff's. No one takes the slightest notice of Simone, which is

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# African Strife Tops on Screen At Trans-Lux

### Special Features Show Part Women of World Play in Global War

"Yanks on the Road to Morocco," showing the United States Navy's part in the Allied attack on Casablanca, is the high light of the new program at the Trans-Lux Theater. Special features include the first of the "This is America" series called "Women at Arms." The British Ministry of Information short, "Night Shift," shows what

women are doing for the arms industry in England. Other short newsreel subjects include a short address by Manpower Commissioner Paul V. McNary; Army opens highway to Alaska; East Coast defense guns in action; Marines at ease in Solomons; with the United States trains in Australia; United States trains merchant seaman; 42 club champions; and for football fans the No. 1 player of the 1942 season as selected by the experts.

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# Hoya Quint Meets First Real Test in Battle With Aberdeen Proving Grounds

## Bombers Rate Among Best Basket Teams In Armed Service

### Wilson Teachers Face C. U. in Return to Drizzling Wars

Coach Elmer Ripley's high-spirited basket ball youngsters at Georgetown University get their first real test of the season tonight when they take on Aberdeen Proving Grounds. The game at Tech High gym will start at 8:30. It should prove whether at this early date the Hoyas had a couple of soft touches in their first two game or really are hot.

Also on the collegiate program tonight is Wilson Teachers College's return to the basket ball wars in a game at Catholic University. This is at 8:15.

Georgetown already has defeated Western Maryland and American University and averaged 90 points a game in doing so, but in facing Aberdeen it meets a team in a different class.

### Bombers Rated Among Best.

The Bombers already are being called one of the best service teams in the country. It is built around the husky Ben Scharnus, 6 feet 3 inches tall and an excellent shot from under the basket. He works the pivot plays and is handy to have around on rebounds.

He's a midget, though, compared with the center Georgetown will send against him. Coach Ripley will place opposite him the 6-foot-8 John Mahnken who has tallied 48 points in his two games this year. Ripley's drills over the week end were concentrated on making the Hoyas a better defensive team with Mahnken working under the hoop to tap away hostile set shots. Defense has been the major weakness at the Hilltop so far. The team has been scoring heavily, but so has the opposition.

### Familiar to D. C. Fans.

The other four Aberdeen starters who will work around Scharnus all are familiar to Washington cage fans. One is Angelo Musi, former leading scorer at Temple which has played Georgetown here. He was an All-State player in Pennsylvania for two years. The other three boys, Moo Becker, Lou Romano and Martin Passaglia, played here last season when Aberdeen defeated the Hoyas freshman team, which is pretty much the same team they will face tonight. It was their cool, deliberate handling of the ball that slowed down the Hoyas' attack. The youngsters and finally put them off stride when they were forced to decrease the tempo of their game.

Coach Doc White has a team of former high school players here to send against Catholic U. tonight, while the Cardinals will counter with a team that has had Mike Scanlon and Fred Rice, Jr., as its aces in its two games so far. Rice has totaled 29 points in his two starts.

## Two National Swimming Events Assigned to D. C. At AAU Convention

By the Associated Press.  
CHICAGO, Dec. 14.—The Amateur Athletic Union re-elected Lawrence Di Benedetto of New Orleans, La., president, urged the adoption of a Nation-wide physical fitness program revised to emphasize swimming, and selected sites of 1943 championship meets before closing a three-day convention yesterday.

The convention failed to name sites for national competition in men's outdoor track and field, wrestling, ice hockey, volleyball and codeball and did not choose a 1943 convention place, although St. Louis, Columbus, Ohio, and Pittsburgh entered bids.

Two of the championship events awarded went to the District of Columbia association of the union. They are the men's and women's national indoor junior 50-yard freestyle swimming championships, to be held on January 16.

## Georgia Squad Revises Itinerary for Jaunt to Pasadena Tilt

By the Associated Press.  
ATHENS, Ga., Dec. 14.—Due to transportation difficulties, the Georgia Bulldogs have revised itinerary plans for their jaunt to Pasadena to meet U. C. L. A. in the Rose Bowl New Year Day, Coach Wallace Butts said.

The team will forego a week's stop at Tucson, Ariz., for practice and will continue westward without a halt. The route will be via Atlanta, Birmingham, Memphis and Kansas City, he said, with departure scheduled for early Friday.

Before the Bulldogs leave for the West Coast, however, they will undergo a four-day session of rough work. Butts said, with several scrimmages slated.

The team worked out voluntarily all last week in the absence of their mentor, who accompanied All-America Frankie Sinkwich to New York and Youngstown, Ohio, where the Georgia fullback was feted.

### Hockey Statistics

AMERICAN LEAGUE			
Western Division			
W	L	T	Pts.
Buffalo	8	2	18
Indianapolis	8	2	20
Pittsburgh	9	0	18
Cleveland	6	11	2

Eastern Division			
W	L	T	Pts.
Hershey	12	10	24
Providence	12	10	24
Washington	11	11	22
New Haven	4	10	8

### Results Yesterday

W	L	T	Pts.
Washington, D. C.	0	1	0
Providence	0	1	0
Indianapolis	2	0	4
Hershey	2	0	4

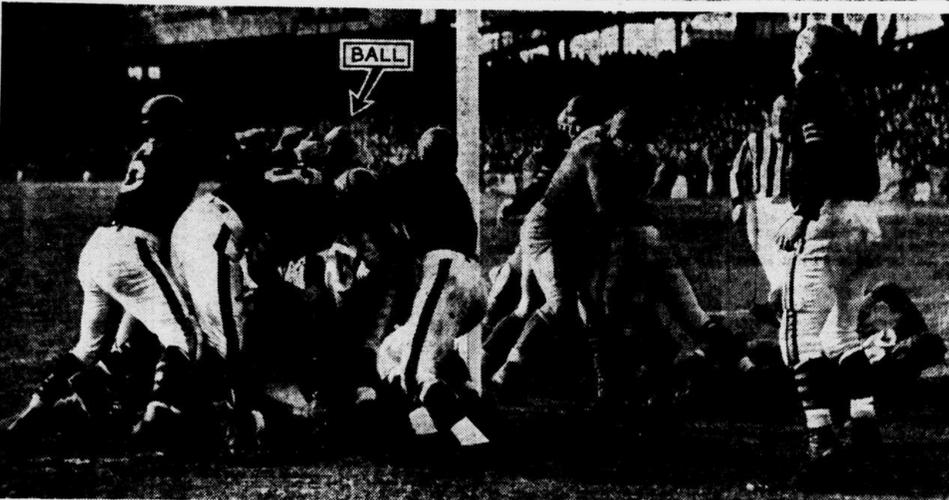
### NATIONAL LEAGUE

W	L	T	Pts.
Boston	9	5	20
Montreal	8	5	19
Chicago	8	5	19
St. Louis	8	5	19
Philadelphia	8	5	19
Montreal	8	5	19
New York	7	5	17

### Results Yesterday

W	L	T	Pts.
Chicago, B.	0	1	0
Montreal, N. Y.	0	1	0
St. Louis, N. Y.	1	0	2
Detroit, N. Y.	1	0	2



### ANDY PROVES HANDY

Farkas was a tower of strength on attack for the Redskins in their 14-6 upset of the Bears yesterday, before a konk on the noggin forced his removal from the game, non compos mentis. Upper picture shows Andy diving for an 8-yard gain that netted a first down in a series of 11 drives

## Robinson Is Rarity In Fistic Warfare, Says Tendler

By the Associated Press.  
PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 14.—Lew Tendler, the old left-hander of boxing, turned restaurateur, rates Ray "Sugar" Robinson as "the kind of a fighter who comes along once in a hundred years."

Along with some 10,000 other Philadelphians, Tendler plans to be at the arena tonight to watch the hard-hitting Harlan, welterweight, go after his first straight ring victory in a 10-round clash with Al Nettlow, on leave from the United States Navy. A capacity crowd is expected, although Sugar is a top-heavy favorite.

### Robinson Well-Balanced Fighter.

Lew, who fought such ring greats as Benny Leonard, Johnny Dundee, Terry McGovern and Rocky Kansas, and knocked out George Chaney in one round, says of Robinson that "he does everything in the ring and does it well."

Robinson has a beautiful jab and it hurts. He can punch with a punch up, and last, but not least, he is about the only man in the ring today who can tie up a fighter in a clinch and make it stick. I can't recall ever having seen a boxing man who had as much."

But while he's willing to praise Robinson to the skies, Tendler shies away when asked to compare him with some of the greats of other days, Leonard, for instance. "You can't compare them the same way he has changed too much," says Lew.

### Nettlow Confident.

Despite Tendler's high opinion of Robinson, and the fact it is shared by many fight followers, Nettlow and his manager, Al Weill, are far from ready to admit the fight will be a walkaway. Marty Servo, who came close to breaking Sugar's victory string a year ago, will be in Nettlow's corner tonight, and the sailor man says he'll fight in the same crouching, crowding style that Servo employed. Nettlow is using all of his Christmas leave for the bout and he says he "didn't come up here to lose."

## Marine Quint Triumphs In Heurich Inaugural

Jacobsen Florists, Marine Barracks and the Heurich Hotel are the early leaders in the Heurich Basket Ball League. They were the winners as the loop opened its 10th season last night. The Florists topped General Accounting Office, 45-40; the Marines defeated Navy, 45-36, and Petworth came through against Hydrographic, 35-28.

### Shoreham Closes Pool, Meets to Be Shifted

To conserve fuel and chemicals, the Shoreham Hotel swimming pool has been closed for the winter, according to an announcement from Dudley Gordon, manager.

It will reopen about May 1. The indoor swimming meets generally held at the Shoreham will be shifted to other pools.



### SAD DAY FOR HALAS

Lt. Comdr. George Halas, U. S. N. R., recently resigned Bears' coach, looked on wearily yesterday as his former charges were mauled by the Redskins. Two years before he had seen his Bears wallop the Tribe, 73 to 0. With him on the Chicago bench were Paddy Driscoll (left), backfield coach of the Bears; and Hank Anderson (right), line coach.—A. P. Photo.

## Mrs. Winters' Mephisto Wins High-Grade Kennel Show

### Foberman Pinscher Best in Field of 100; Judge Ferguson Puts in Difficult Time

By R. R. TAYNTON.  
Probably the best sanction match ever presented here from the standpoint of smoothness of management and quality of entries was held yesterday at the Building Laborers' Hall, 525 New Jersey avenue N.W. The National Capital Kennel Club played host to 100 dogs and about three times that number of people to the great satisfaction of most exhibitors and spectators.

Ernest E. Ferguson, great Dane and poodle breeder from California, put in a strenuous afternoon sorting out both breeds and groups and finding the best dog in the match. This was a Doberman pinscher owned by Mrs. George Winters and called Mephisto. He was handled by Mrs. Harvey Brown, the breeder, whose chief sense of satisfaction in making the nice win was that it was a memorial to her beloved Faust, sire of the pup, which died last summer.

The chief winner was not the only pleased patron. In most breeds the quality was so high that to win best in the sex or best of breed was as great a satisfaction as it would be at a licensed, open show. Mrs. W. H. Benjamin, owner of the best great Dane, Zita, was jubilant. Mrs. Betty Place's chow chow, Wong Pu of Waltonby, which won best in the Southern Chow Club's annual sanction match, held in connection with this show, was delighted.

Col. G. King, who showed a 5-month-old Dalmatian, Kingcrest Kinsman, and topped the strong non-sporting group with him, was also pleased as Punch. Comdr. L. H. C. Johnson, who showed a black

cocker spaniel, Shada, to first in the group, was not far behind the colonel in smiles.

## Parochial School Fives See Plenty of Action

Eight games were played yesterday in the Parochial School Basket Ball League, three in the Gonzaga Division and the five in the St. John's loop.

St. Joseph and St. Aloysius played the tightest game, with St. Joseph a 10-9 winner at Gonzaga. In other games there, Blessed Sacrament trimmed Holy Name, 43-16, and St. James defeated St. Anthony, 20-8. In the St. John's games, St. Gabriel downed St. Stephen, 30-14; St. John's No. 2 defeated St. Charles, 15-8; Georgetown topped St. Thomas, 23-8, and Immaculate disposed of St. John's No. 1, 31-12.

## Garibaldi, Shapiro Mix In Turner Mat Semi

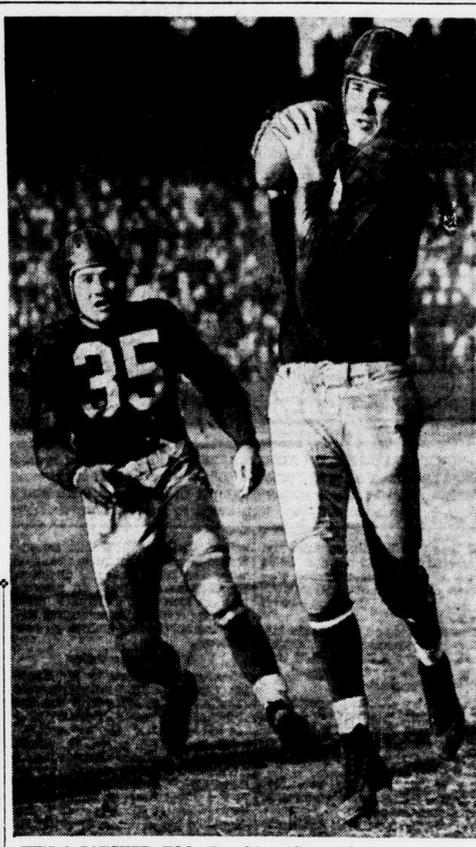
Gino Garibaldi and Benny Shapiro will tangle in the semifinale program at Turner's arena. A two-man team match also will be added to the program, Promoter Joe Turner announces.

The feature engagement lists the Yellow Mask against Johnny Long of Baltimore. This is a return engagement, the two having worked to a draw last week.

Three years ago—New York Yankees named year's No. 1 sports team in Associated Press poll for fourth straight time.

### Take Care of That Cold STAY RIGGS OVERNIGHT TURKISH BATHS

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### HE'S A CATCHER, TOO

Baugh's gridiron talents are not confined to passing and kicking, as is depicted by this shot of him intercepting a pass in his own end zone to snuff a determined Bear bid for a score in the final period. Anxiously looking on is Wilbur Moore (35), who earlier made a sensational catch of a long pass by Sammy to offset the Chicago's only—and unearned—touchdown.—A. P. Photo.

## Corinne Hauser, Leon Fleisher Victors in Bowling Upsets

### No Matter Who Wins in Evening Star's War Savings Event It Won't Surprise

Corinne Hauser won the 15th annual Meyer Davis event and Leon Fleisher the first annual Bethesda Bowling Center Open in big upsets last night, but no matter who wins The Star's War Savings Tournament it won't be a surprise. So many are competing under conditions that give equal opportunity to all that no dopester extant would hazard a prediction on the outcome.

Competition in the qualification test of the event will be continued tonight with the windup slated next Saturday night. The three-game final will be rolled at all Metropolitan Washington maple plants during the Christmas holidays with alley managers setting the gates for their rollofs.

Judging by the scores rolled during the first week of the qualification round it should be a cinch for the latecomers to make the grade. Pinfall was unusually light throughout the opening week. Fifty per cent of the field at each establishment will go into the final, for which there will be no cost for bowling.

### Lois Gladding Second.

Mrs. Hauser, a member of the Forsythe team of the Arcadia Independent Ladies' League, furnished the big surprise at the Lucky Strike by coming from behind in the final game to win the city's oldest women's event of its kind from Lois Gladding, Brookland Recreation star, by a margin of nine pins with a 10-game score of 1,198, while Fleisher, diminutive Convention Hall pinman and a decided dark horse, won the 6-game Bethesda affair with a final-game spurt to a 79-pin margin with 787 and Ray Watson of Brookland, seventh, with 783.

### Bethesda Stars Victors.

George Hugely's All-Stars won by a margin of 11 pins from the Brookland Recreations at Bethesda last night, by a score of 1,904 to 1,893 but not before the challenging Michigan Parkers threw a scare into the super Bethesda outfit by carrying the close battle to the final box. Featured by Tony Santini's 148 and 404 the Hugely combination won the first game by a 79-pin margin with 666 but the Brooklanders came back with 671 to 591 to enter the final game a stick ahead. Karl Gochenour led the losers with 403 and Ray Watson aided a lot with 156 and 388.

### Hawkins

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game and so did the others. It was one of those days when everybody looked good."

Steve Owen, round coach of the New York Giants, commented: "It was one of the hardest fought games I've ever seen. I wouldn't have wanted to be out on that field taking the punishment some of those boys took."

Joe Strydhar, the bruising tackle who has been one of the reasons for the greatness of the Bears, agreed with Flaherty that team play, not individual brilliance, won for the Redskins.

"The Redskins line just outplayed us and that's what beat us," said Strydhar. "That shifting defense didn't bother us as much as the fact that the whole Redskins line out-charged us all afternoon. For that game they were the best team and they deserved to win."

## Revamped Lions Face Cleveland Hockey Club Tomorrow

### Gauthier Will Replace Ceryance, Star of Win Over Providence

Washington's hockey Lions, happy over last night's 3-0 victory over the Reds at Providence, will have a revised line-up on the ice for tomorrow's game here against Cleveland Blues.

Frank Ceryance, goalie hero of last night's victory with 27 saves, is returning to the Hershey Bears, from which club he has been on loan, and Washington's regular net tender, Paul Gauthier, will take over. He has been resting a lame leg. Marcel Bessette, the 190-pound winger obtained from Providence in exchange for Defenseman Alex Singbush, will make his local debut. Part of the deal which sent Singbush to Providence had the Reds giving up all claim to another Washington wing, Jimmy Jamieson.

The Lions will be bidding for their first victory of the season over Cleveland tomorrow. They lost in Cleveland, 4-0, and the two since have played 3-3 and 5-5 ties.

Another standout in addition to Ceryance in Washington's shutout victory last night was Defenseman Frank Mailley. He played the whole 60 minutes except for 2 minutes he spent in the penalty box. George Mantha, playing coach, also intended to do an ironman stint last night, but he was sent to the bench with an injured wrist during the second period.

Washington put over two goals in the first period and one in the third. Leo Richard netted the last two, while the first was by Fernand Gauthier. Gauthier's opening goal slid between Goalie Mike Karakas' feet. Richard's goal in the same period resulted from a smart combination play, while his third-period marker was a high hard one down the middle.

Meanwhile the Buffalo Bisons and Hershey Bears, leaders, respectively, in the American League's two divisions, played their second straight 3-3 deadlock last night.

## Willie Pep 2-1 Choice Over Aponti Torres At Turner's Tonight

### Feather Champ's Title Not at Stake; Carilli And Conway Clash

A 10-round bout between Willie Pep of Hartford, Conn., recognized as the world featherweight champion in New York, and Aponti Torres of Puerto Rico heads tonight's fight program at Turner's arena. Pep's title will not be at stake as this is an over-the-weight engagement, with Torres pushing the beam at 128 pounds when he finished training yesterday at the Apollo gym.

Pep is expected to scale around 126 pounds. He did no training here, having conditioned himself in his native Hartford. The title is a fairly new one for him, he having won it about three weeks ago with a victory over Chalkey Wright at Madison Square Garden. His well-known left jab particularly was effective that night and with memory of that in mind the boys are making him a 2-1 favorite to win over Torres tonight.

(Torres no relation to Joe Torres) formerly held the feather title in Central America and Panama. Among those who have beaten are Joey Stack, Phil Terranova, Johnny Dell and Joe Silva.

Pep's real name, incidentally, is Papaleo. This was revealed last Saturday night when he was married at Hartford. His bride was Mary Woodcock of that city.

An attractive semi-final has Clint Conway, New York heavyweight, against "Big Joe" Carrilli of Hartford. This is a six, 100-pounder Buddy Komar against Les Matricini. A four-rounder between Bernie Cady and Oliver Coen opens the program at 8:45. Other matches, both six-rounders, are Billy Reed against Kid Alexander, and Kid Lewis against Dave Juniors.

Today a year ago—West Coast sites for Rose Bowl and East-West grid games cancelled at Army's request because of war; Chicago Bears whipped Green Bay, 33-14, in playoff for western title in National Football League.

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British Press Forward as Rommel Retreats to West

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no major engagement had developed up to that hour.

The official announcement that the Africa Corps was retreating westward toward Tripoli, its main Libyan base, was interpreted as clearly indicating the 8th Army had gone through Marshal Rommel's main fortified positions between the Gulf of Sirte and the salt sinks to the south.

(Military informants in London said it was probable that Marshal Rommel came to the conclusion he was in for a beating if he stayed at El Agheila, so he just pulled out to head off certain disaster.

"This is the first time in this war that a great German army has found itself faced by equal forces, and what happens?" one military source commented. "The German army pulls out without a fight."

It is difficult at this stage to predict how far Marshal Rommel would retreat before making a real stand, said this informant.

Rearguard Action Expected. Marshal Rommel quit the most defensible position left to him east of Tripoli, it was pointed out, and it was likely that the Germans and Italians would fight strong rearguard action until they get to that port.

Some quarters believed the Axis might make a stand at Misurata, an oasis position protected by salt marshes some 300 miles from El Agheila. There, Marshal Rommel would have a shortened supply line to Tripoli, but, on the other hand, each mile he retreats brings nearer a junction of the 8th Army and Allied forces in Tunisia.

Gen. Montgomery would be aided considerably in his renewed pursuit by the use of Bengasi and Tobruk Harbors to land supplies at his rear.

Although both these ports were without wrecks of Axis ships, military sources here pointed out that they were in operation immediately after the British moved in, with "the navy unloading stuff almost before the last Germans got ashore."

Allied mastery of the air over Libya was emphasized by the official announcement that, in addition to providing brilliant support to the 8th Army, medium bombers swept far ahead of these operations to bomb Sousse in Tunisia, an across the Mediterranean to attack the Sicilian port of Palermo again Saturday night.

Allied Circles Jubilant. While the bulletin gave no details of the fighting or the losses inflicted on the enemy, Allied circles were jubilant. For the nature of the ground over which Marshal Rommel is retreating offers few possibilities of defense.

Observers pointed out that the next readily defensible position where the wily Axis chieftain might be expected to make a stand is at Misurata, 300 miles west of El Agheila and only 100 miles from his main base at Tripoli.

Since launching his drive at El Alamein in Egypt October 23, Gen. Montgomery's forces have driven Marshal Rommel back approximately 700 miles and have inflicted staggering casualties on his vaunted Africa Corps.

The first hint that Gen. Montgomery had struck again came Saturday from the German radio, which said the British had tanked that morning with two tanks and two infantry divisions after a heavy bombardment by artillery and planes.

Treachurous Marshes. El Agheila had been selected by Rommel as the spot to make his stand because the passable territory there is limited to the narrow strip flanked on the north by the Mediterranean and on the south by treacherous marshes.

Little action had been reported from this front since the fall of Bengasi 23 days before the British Gen. Montgomery apparently had been using to rest his forces and mass fresh men and equipment for a final thrust to carry out his pledge to drive the Axis from North Africa.

Indications that his preparations were about complete, the British began to take shape last week as reports filtering back from the front told of increasing activity by British patrols and Allied planes.

The first blow apparently was a long-range tank battle fought on the southern end of the line and was followed by another thrust at Mersa Brega on the opposite flank.

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LINE-UP OF FORCES ON NORTH AFRICAN FRONT—Flag symbols and arrows indicate array of Allied and Axis forces in Tunisia and Libya where Allies are pressing Axis from East and West. In Tunisia Allies repulsed enemy attempts to infiltrate north and south of Medjed El Bab, and in Libya British reported they "continued to probe enemy defenses before El Agheila."

that time they lost six warships and three other vessels sunk and failed to get through, but they did succeed in doing unannounced damage to intercepting American naval forces.

The new raids on the Munda airfield—only 150 miles from Guadalcanal—brought indication that previous bombings had rendered the base temporarily useless.

The Sunday attack as reported today apparently was the fourth heavy aerial assault made on the enemy base, constructed as a buffer and an offensive threat to the American airfield on Guadalcanal.

The Munda positions were first attacked Wednesday, according to Navy communicators.

Army Flying Fortresses again attacked them Friday, when 155 bombs, 100 pounds each, were dropped on the airfield. Again Saturday the Fortresses returned to the attack, scoring four 1,000-pound bombs on the flight strip and dropping eighty 100-pound bombs in the base area.

Manpower (Continued From First Page.)

in a 90 per cent turnover in personnel during the year.

Mr. Mitchell organized the Texas Employment Service in 1934 and it became a model organization for other State systems. He made an outstanding mark in securing sufficient migratory labor for Texas farms.

This record, covering a period of six years, attracted attention in Washington and in 1940 he was named director of the Employment Service. He returned to Texas after

BYRON MITCHELL.

a short stay in this office. Last year, Budget Director Smith requested his services and he has been in charge of budget matters pertaining to the Manpower Commission since its organization in April.

At the age of 17, when the United States went to war, Mr. Mitchell enlisted in the Marine Corps. He was assigned to the 2d Division and participated in all major battles during 1918. He was returned home in 1918 with serious wounds.

He resumed his studies and was graduated from the University of Texas and Columbia University's School of Business.

Mr. McNutt said today that every effort would be made to strengthen and enlarge the Employment Service. He said the service's personnel, which was particularly "unhappy" in the service's personnel, which is an indication of what Mr. Mitchell's duties will be.

Mr. McNutt declared that congressional restrictions had caused 2,641 vacancies in the service's personnel which, he said, totaled 17,710 men and women, and that there had been 8,028 jobs shifted during the year.

Seventy-one per cent of the stenographic help had left the organization during the period. Many of them, it was said, were "pirated" by other Government agencies.

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reassessment of parity along the lines proposed would boost price levels by 10 per cent and increase the cost of living at a time when every effort was being made to prevent inflation.

Other Major Bills Pending. Parity is a standard calculated to equalize the ratio between a farmer's income from crops and his expenditures for manufactured articles.

The parity controversy is only one of several which appear likely to be left hanging in the air if leaders succeed in forcing final adjournment Wednesday.

One of the most discussed of these centers around a House-approved measure authorizing a \$5,000,000 increase in the borrowing and lending authority of the Reconstruction Finance Corp. which furnishes funds for programs undertaken by several Government agencies.

Included among these is the Board of Economic Warfare, headed by Vice President Wallace.

Inspired by testimony of Federal Loan Administrator Jones at a closed session of the Banking Com-

mittee that the RFC had no recourse but to make funds available when the BEW issued a directive, Republicans demanded an amendment which would require prior RFC approval of expenditures before the BEW could embark on new projects.

Compromise Falls. Last-minute efforts by Mr. Jones to compromise this controversy were reported to have met with the flat statement of Republican leaders that the bill would not pass this session.

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From Boston, word came that Mayor Tobin had offered assistance to sorely-ried medical facilities at St. John's. He offered to supply supplies of blood plasma by plane to treat the badly-injured and also offered the services of Dr. Charles C. Lund, Boston City Hospital expert on burns, who treated victims of the night club fire.

Mayor Andrew Carnell of St. John's said this morning, however, that "the situation is well in hand" and that he had so advised Mayor Tobin.

Dormitories Upside-Down. "The generous offer of supplies and the services of Dr. Lund is very much appreciated, but it is not considered necessary," he said.

No inflammable paper decorations were used ordinarily in the hostel, but it was not known definitely whether special Christmas streamers may have been strung in the auditorium and dance hall for Saturday's dance.

Besides being a recreation center, the hostel had roomy dormitories, upstairs for service men. Twisted, blackened and covered with ice, the quick thinking thinking seemed to have saved the hostel from a total loss.

Chicago Grain (Continued From First Page.)

CHICAGO, Dec. 14.—An early upturn that lifted December wheat futures to 1.32 1/2, highest price offered here for nearby delivery contracts since last January, faded today when mill buying and short covering subsided.

Strong demand for actual grain, with No. 2 grades quoted anywhere from 5 1/2 to 17 cents a bushel over December contracts, highest since 1937, stimulated buying in the futures pits. Other grains, however, lagged behind, except for December rye which rose a cent. Wheat's reaction was partly in sympathy with a decline in corn prices reflecting increased receipts.

Wheat closed 1/2 lower to 1/4 higher compared with Saturday, December \$1.32 1/2. May 1.33-1.34; corn unchanged to 1/2 lower, December 87 1/2-88 1/2; soybeans unchanged to 1/2 off; rye 1/2 lower to 1/4 higher.

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Stock Volume Lifted By Switching and Tax Selling

Prices Remained Mixed In Narrow Range At Day's Close

By VICTOR EUBANK, Associated Press Financial Writer.

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—A little more tax selling and switching in today's stock market raised volume to one of the best levels in more than a month without altering the generally irregular price picture.

While individual firm spots were present from the start, many leaders failed to make progress and trends remained foggy at the close. Variations were small in most cases although a few wider spreads were in evidence.

Low-quoted issues turned over in sizable blocks and special offerings of 12,000 shares of Twin Coach and 6,700 Du Pont, both heavily oversubscribed, not only bolstered sentiment but helped activity. There were many slow intervals, but the day's aggregate was around 700,000 shares. A year ago the dealings were much speedier and the direction was sharply downward. Wall Street suggested that tax adjustments in the current December so far have been well under those of the like 1941 month.

Dividends and earnings continued to exert a beneficent influence on some stocks, but were ignored by others. The financial sector was cheered by the good war news, although it was debatable how much of a factor this was market-wide.

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NEW YORK BOND MARKET

Bonds By Private Wire Direct to The Star.

TODAY'S SALES (Domestic in Dollars): U.S. Gov. 4 1/2% 1942-43, 100,000; U.S. Gov. 4 1/2% 1942-43, 100,000; U.S. Gov. 4 1/2% 1942-43, 100,000.

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Steel Quotations

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MORTGAGE LOANS Favorable Rate FIRST DEED OF TRUST ONLY GEORGE I. BORGER 643 Indiana Ave. N.W. Nat'l 6350

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SAVE YOUR MONEY where SAVING pays! Here you know your savings are SAFE, because they are insured to \$5,000 by a Govt. Agency...

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CONTINENTAL BAKING COMPANY Preferred Dividend No. 16 The Board of Directors has declared this day a regular dividend of two dollars (\$2.00) per share on the outstanding Preferred Stock, payable January 1, 1943 to stockholders of record at the close of business on December 18, 1942.

REAL ESTATE LOANS TO BUY NEW HOMES And to Refinancing Existing Mortgages LET us handle your real estate and home loan financing. Applications considered on improved property, not only in Washington but in nearby Maryland and Virginia.

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### Manpower Described As Greatest Problem Of American Cannery

Civilian Shortages In Fruits, Vegetables Seen From Lack of Labor

CHICAGO, Dec. 14.—Manpower was described today as the No. 1 problem facing the Nation's fruit and vegetable canners who said the shortage of labor precluded any expansion of the country's canning facilities to meet increased Government and civilian demand.

The labor problem occupied a high place on the program of today's convention of the National Canners' Association whose members received Friday a WPB decree that approximately one-half of the 1943 pack of popular fruits, vegetables and juices should be set aside for the armed forces, leasehold and other Government agencies.

Carroll E. Lindsey, president of the association, said that only with favorable weather and other crop conditions and by recruiting the bulk of canning plant labor from entirely new sources could this year's pack total be maintained.

The loss of labor to military service and to war plants, he asserted, will force many small canning plants to close unless communities can be organized on a patriotic basis and labor recruits are found in entirely new fields.

Another official of the association warned that civilian America would sit at the second table next year insofar as most canned fruits and vegetables are concerned.

Carlos Campbell, director of the group's Division of Economics, explained that the Government took about 35 per cent of the 1942 pack of corn, peas, tomatoes, green beans and spinach, but that the armed forces would require more than 50 per cent of the 1943 pack.

Shows Increase. Approximately 130,000,000 cases of these vegetables were canned this year, he said, adding that the total represented an increase of 53 per cent over the 1940 pack.

The convention also will hear Government officials explain instructions issued last Friday outlining the amounts to be canned in each class of fruit and vegetable, the amount the Government proposes to take and the type of container the canners will be permitted to use.

### Medical Center Seeks 32 Student Dietitians

The Army Medical Center is looking a long way ahead for its personnel needs, announcing openings today for 32 women as student dietitians for appointment September 1, next, and March 1, 1944.

The entrance salary—payable during a six-month training course—is \$420 annually, from which will be deducted \$330 for subsistence and \$21 for retirement, leaving a net of \$69.

Those who complete the course will be eligible for appointment at \$1,440 annually.

You, too, can go on a raid. Make yours on that old pile of junk metal.

### Navy Will Name Ships for Young, Callaghan, Scott

Three destroyers now under construction will be named for three Naval officers who died in the night battle off Guadalcanal November 13, the Navy Department announced last night.

The men to be honored are Rear Admiral Daniel J. Callaghan, commander of the force which whipped the Japs; Capt. Cassin Young, skipper of the cruiser San Francisco, Admiral Callaghan's flagship, and Rear Admiral Norman Scott, who commanded a division of cruisers in the engagement.

The destroyers to be named for Admiral Callaghan and Capt. Young are building in the Bethlehem yards at San Pedro, the third destroyer is on the ways at the Bath (Me.) Iron Works.

Admiral Callaghan, a Californian, was a former White House aide. Capt. Young was a native of the District, and Admiral Scott, a native of Indiana.

### Marine Corps League Bans Frills at '43 Convention

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—The Marine Corps League will have an unusual 1943 national convention. No entertainment, no social activities and no attempt to beat the drums for a large attendance.

Roland L. MacDonald of Boston, the league's national chief of staff, said yesterday that as most of the members, marines and former marines, are actively engaged in the war effort, principally at the fighting fronts, a "streamlined" convention would be held next Labor Day week end.

Plans for the convention, which will be devoted to the business of expediting the wartime activities of the league, were made at a conference of league officials yesterday.

Senator Brooks of Illinois, former marine and an aide to the national commandant, Common Pleas Judge Alexander Ormsby of Jersey City, N. J., told the staff members that "The marine always has action in his heart and the passion to fight even unto death for the decent things of life."

James H. R. Cromwell, former United States Minister to Canada, also an aide to Judge Ormsby, also spoke. Thomas E. Wood, commandant of the league's Cincinnati, Ohio, detachment, was named chairman of the league's "Win the War First Committee."

### The Best Christmas Dinner Ever

If you wait until an AIR RAID starts, it will be too late to INSURE against it.

Personal war damage accident insurance for EVERY MEMBER of the family.

Ask Us for Full Particulars The American Home Mutual Life Ins. Co. Telephone National 9895

### Thebaud, Famous Schooner, Joins Coast Guard Fleet

By the Associated Press. GLOUCESTER, Mass., Dec. 14.—A sleek and beautiful lady of the sea, the schooner Gertrude L. Thebaud, queen of the Atlantic fishing fleet, has put aside the workaday world to go to war as flagship of the Coast Guard's Corsair fleet patrolling the coast.

It was no quiet enlistment for the favorite lady of the Gloucester fleet. Rough and ready fishermen, hiding their sentimental soft-heartedness under their salt-crusted oilskins, saw to that.

Thebaud joined the Corsair fleet with full naval ceremony. Her new crew, trim in their dress blues, stood at attention against the starboard rail. Her old crew, in their Sunday best, stood on her spotless deck.

Coast Guard officers, and a Navy officer or two with a fondness for sail, stood at attention to hear the commissioning order read.

### 3 D. C. Girls at Trinity Are Sodality Members

Three Washington freshmen of Trinity College here have been taken into the Sodality of the Blessed Virgin Mary in traditional ceremonies held in the college chapel, the school announced today.

They are Teresa Gatti, 4200 Sixteenth street N.W.; Miss Elizabeth Claire Jackson, 3405 Carpenter street S.E.; and Miss Emily M. Duchesne of 6523 Sixth street N.W.

### \$5.00 TOTAL COST TO PURCHASE an "ALL RISK" FUR POLICY.

Why not use and enjoy your furs with the assurance that if anything happens to them—at home, in the theater, restaurant, shopping, anywhere—you will be promptly reimbursed for loss or damage.

An "all risk" fur policy will insure your furs at all times and in all places against practically all risks. No one who owns furs valued in excess of \$200 should be without this protection.

We will gladly quote rates Harrell Brothers & Campbell 716 11th St. N.W. Telephone NA. 0804

### Auto Crash Kills Two

CUMBERLAND, Va., Dec. 14 (AP).—Mrs. Frances Quinn Powell, 57, was killed yesterday in a two-car collision seven miles west of here.

### YOUNG WOMEN Here Is Your Opportunity To Be An AIRLINE STEWARDESS

IF YOU are 21 to 28 years old and interested in a war-time position with a peace-time future . . . if you like people and get along well with them . . . if you are attractive (but not necessarily beautiful) . . . if you like the idea of getting into Air Transportation . . . and if you meet the additional requirements listed below . . . you are cordially invited to write now to arrange for an interview shortly after January 1st. Successful candidates will be employed and sent through Company

Training School at New York. Next class starts February 1st.

In your letter, please state age and other qualifications in terms of these requirements: Unmarried; not more than 125 pounds; not exceeding 5'6"; eyes not requiring constant use of glasses; at least two years accredited college, plus two years of business or professional experience.

Interviews will be arranged in Washington. Write to Personnel Director, Stewardess Section, N-28, Box 697, New York Airport Station, New York.

## SAFeway Christmas Food Guide

Now is the time to start Laying in your Holiday Needs

<b>WALNUTS</b> RED DIAMOND	lb.	32c	<b>Fruit CAKE</b> 2 lb. size	\$2.25
<b>ALMONDS</b> IN THE SHELL	lb.	33c	<b>LAYER FIGS</b> 6 oz. pkg.	12c
<b>ALMONDS</b> 8 oz. pkg.	33c	<b>Mince Meat</b> 24 oz. jar	24c	
<b>MIXED NUTS</b> Almonds, Walnuts, Pecans, Brazil	lb.	37c	<b>PEEL</b> ORANGE OR LEMON 3 3 oz. cans	25c
<b>BRAZIL NUTS</b> RICH, HEARTY FLAVOR	lb.	35c	<b>MOLASSES</b> BRER RABBIT GREEN LABEL	14c

Holiday Items Subject to Having Stock on Hand

Here is a Christmas dinner planned to add special sparkle to your holiday season. Items such as cranberry sauce and holiday pudding may be made ahead of time, and stored until the day of the feast. It saves precious last-minute rushing. And shopping early for the rest of the dinner saves time, too.

### THE BEST DINNER EVER

Roast Turkey or Chicken with Sage Stuffing  
 Extra Stuffing Gible Gravy  
 Baked Hubbard Squash Buttered Beets  
 Spiced Pear with Cottage Cheese garnish with Parsley  
 Whole Cranberry Sauce  
 Hot Cloveleaf Rolls Jam  
 Nuts Coffee

### HOLIDAY PUDDING

1 1/4 cups flour  
 1 cup soda  
 1/2 cup salt  
 1/2 cup cinnamon  
 1/2 cup cloves  
 1/2 cup shortening  
 1 cup brown sugar, firmly packed  
 2 eggs  
 1 cup graded raw potato  
 1/2 cup finely chopped onion or citron substitute  
 1/2 cup finely chopped candied lemon peel  
 1 cup seedless raisins  
 1 cup finely chopped walnut meats

Sift flour, measure, and sift again with soda, salt, and spices. Cream shortening. Add sugar gradually, creaming well. Add unbeaten eggs one at a time, beating well after each addition. Add carrots and potatoes. Dredge fruit and nut meats in 1/2 cup of flour mixture. Add flour to shortening mixture gradually, beating well after each addition. Combine with fruits and nut meats, stirring until blended. Fill well-greased 1 1/2-quart mold two-thirds full, cover tightly and place on rack in kettle. Fill kettle with boiling water to 1/4 depth of mold. Cover kettle and steam 3 hours, or until done. Add additional water as needed. Serve hot with hard sauce or a foamy sauce.

### GUARANTEED-FRESH PRODUCE

It's rushed from the fields to Safeway daily. All your money back if you're not entirely pleased.

<b>APPLES</b> Eastern Delicious	4 lbs.	25c	<b>Stringless Beans</b> Round	1 lb.	15c
<b>APPLES</b> Yorks or Blacktwigs	2 lbs.	11c	<b>Cabbage</b> New York State	1 lb.	3c
<b>APPLES</b> Western Delicious	1 lb.	12c	<b>Carrots</b> Tops Clipped	1 lb.	9c
			<b>Cauliflower</b>	1 lb.	15c
			<b>Bunch Turnips</b>	2 bchs.	17c
			<b>Tomatoes</b>	1 lb.	19c
			<b>Fresh Spinach</b>	2 lbs.	23c
			<b>Kale or Collards</b>	2 lbs.	15c
			<b>Cranberries</b>	1 lb.	21c
			<b>Emperor Grapes</b>	1 lb.	15c
			<b>Florida Grapefruit</b>	2 lbs.	9c
			<b>Florida Oranges</b>	5 lbs.	29c
			<b>Yellow Onions</b>	3 lbs.	14c
			<b>Potatoes</b> U. S. No. 1-10	1 lb.	29c
			<b>Red Sweets</b>	3 lbs.	17c

Produce prices subject to daily market changes and to having stock on hand.

### THE NEALS TREAT THE BOYS AND VICE VERSA

LOOKS LIKE A BULL CHRISTMAS WITH JUST THE TWO OF US HERE. DO YOU PLAN TO COOK OR SHALL WE EAT OUT?

OH GOING TO COOK A GRAND DINNER POPPY! ALL THE TRIMMINGS TOO. I'VE ARRANGED FOUR HOLIDAYS TO COME TO DINNER!

PETTY, YOU'VE ALWAYS HAD THE BRAINS IN THIS FAMILY—I HOPE SOME NICE FAMILY INVITES OUR BOB TO CHRISTMAS DINNER.

MRS. NEAL—THIS DINNER IS JUST THE WAY MY ANNA COOKS AT HOME—I CAN'T TELL YOU HOW HAPPY I AM TO BE HERE.

WE'RE TICKLED TO HAVE YOU—WE WANT YOU TO FEEL AT HOME. DON'T HOLD BACK BOYS—THERE'S PLENTY OF "SECOND" FOR EVERYONE.

I DON'T KNOW WHEN I'VE ENJOYED A DAY MORE HAVING THOSE BOYS HERE. WAS A REAL TREAT TO ME—JUST AS IT WAS TO THEM.

MERRY—DID YOU NOTICE HOW MUCH THAT ONE BOY WAS LIKE OUR BOB? THEY WERE ALL SO PLEASED AND I FEEL SO MUCH BETTER HAVING THEM WITH US. WE ALL FEEL MORE THANKFUL THIS CHRISTMAS.

### COFFEE MEANS MORE NOW

Buy it—Use it, wisely

Have your coffee ground exactly right for the type coffee maker you use. Keep coffee in a container tightly covered. Measure both water and coffee carefully. Use fresh, cold water, bring to full boil. Make only what you will use. Keep your coffee maker clean.

Edwards	lb.	26c
Nob Hill	lb.	24c
Maxwell House	lb.	32c
Wilkins	lb.	30c

STAMP NO. 27 from ration book No. 1, redeemable for 1 lb. of coffee, provided age shown on book is 15 yrs. or over.

### SAFeway GUARANTEED MEATS

You save money on meat any day at Safeway because Safeway meats are priced low every day of the week.

<b>Pork Chops</b> End Cut	lb.	29c
<b>Pork Chops</b> Center Cut	lb.	37c
<b>Veal Cutlets</b>	lb.	47c
<b>Veal Chops</b> Sirloin	lb.	37c
<b>Veal Chops</b> Loin	lb.	41c
<b>Cream Cheese</b> Varieties 1/2 lb. pkg.	21c	
<b>Pork Sausage Links</b>	lb.	40c
<b>Liverwurst</b>	lb.	33c
<b>Pork Liver</b>	lb.	19c
<b>Calf Liver</b> Diamond S.	lb.	49c
<b>Bulk Scrapple</b>	2 lbs.	25c

### PORK ROLL

A grand breakfast treat, sliced and fried to a golden brown. Serve with eggs for a tempting dish.

lb. **49c**

### SAVE WASTE FATS FOR EXPLOSIVES

LUCERNE GRADE A HOMOGENIZED MILK 2 qts. **23c**

JULIA LEE WRIGHT'S ENRICHED BREAD Dated for Freshness 1 lb. loaf **8c**

"SWING TO KING" SYRUP 2 lb. jar **16c**

LUX TOILET SOAP 4 cakes **25c**

OCTAGON LAUNDRY SOAP 3 cakes **13c**

Old Dutch CLEANSER 2 cans **13c**

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## WAR BONDS AND STAMPS

All Fuel Oil Coupons Ready For Distribution

Can Be Obtained From Ration Boards, OPA Chief Says

L. P. Stewart, OPA director for the District, reported today that all processing in connection with fuel oil coupons had been completed...

The director said coupons are now ready for every one and that they can be obtained immediately from the rationing boards...

Many Not Called For. Mr. Stewart urged all fuel oil users who have not yet received notices by mail to go to their board anyway...

Meanwhile, the OPA announced that the validity of fuel oil coupons for the first and second heating periods had been extended one week each...

The extension was ordered, it was explained, to aid industry in making oil deliveries. With a two-week overlap instead of just one week between heating periods...

Other Areas Get Extensions. The longer over-lapping period, they said, should make it possible for larger quantities to be delivered on such visits.

OPA also has extended to December 19 the period during which fuel oil users in Fairfax County and seven other Virginia areas may purchase oil under the "coupon credit" system.

The original deadline was December 9, but the extension was ordered because an influx of war workers in the District has soon as seven other Virginia areas...

Woodward & Lothrop Writ Hearing Delayed. Hearings on a motion by the Office of Price Administration for a temporary injunction enjoining Woodward & Lothrop, department store...

At the same time, George M. Austin and Gordon Eakle, counsel for OPA, revealed that the agency's drive to enforce price ceilings will be directed against "other" alleged violators in the District...

Mrs. Charlotte E. Paul, District Native, Dies. Mrs. Charlotte E. Paul, 75, wife of a retired Government employe, died yesterday in Washington Sanitarium where she had been a patient for several months.

A native of Washington, Mrs. Paul spent most of her life here in the District with the exception of 18 years when she lived in the Midwest with her husband, Charles E. Paul. Mr. Paul served in the Interior and Treasury Departments for half a century...

Victor H. Boyden Dies; Former FSA Attorney. Word was received here today of the death of Victor Hugh Boyden, former member of the legal department of the Farm Credit Administration and member of the War Trade Board here during the World War...

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The reduction is 20 per cent for "A" card holders and 10 per cent for "B" card holders. The cuts apply to all new and renewal policies, he said.

Mr. Moore added that the same reductions will be made in other States when approval of supervising authorities is obtained.

There has been a noticeable decrease in collision accidents in the 17 Eastern States in which gasoline rationing has been in effect since last May, according to the Underwriters' Association. However, it was said that the ratio of paid losses to premiums written has been maintained by increased cost of each collision accident.

Due to higher costs of material and labor, it was added, two collision accidents at present cause an insurance loss of as much or more than three such accidents a year ago.

In announcing the reductions, the association said it was expressing the wish of its member companies to assist the national effort to keep cars in use and help motorists, whose mileage is reduced by gas rationing and tire shortages, to carry adequate insurance protection.

D. C. Military Personnel Get New Sleeve Insignia. New and distinctive sleeve insignia for the personnel of the military district of Washington has been authorized for distribution the latter part of this month.

The new insignia, which will be worn on the left sleeve of the uniform, consists of a blue oval, slightly larger than a three-inch diameter, bordered in white. The Washington Monument in white is pictured against a green ground, and a double-bladed sword in red, with hilt and pommel of yellow gold, is superimposed across the Monument.

Describing the insignia, the War Department declared "the Monument is emblematic of the military area and the sword is symbolic of protection over that area. The blue represents the infantry and the Navy; the scarlet and gold, the Marine Corps; the scarlet, the field artillery and engineers; the yellow the cavalry, and the green and gold the military police."

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Aboard transports en route to base hospitals, first-aiders give additional treatment to the wounded. Care of the stricken given this way may often prevent more serious consequences and save lives.

Shortage of Yule Ornaments As Well as Trees Predicted

Stores Here Report Low Stocks As Manufacturers Cut Output

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Three Men Wounded As Cruising Police Foil Holdup Attempt

Patrol's Gunfire Hits Two Robbers; Bullet Grazes Victim's Finger

Two colored holdup men were wounded and their white victim was grazed by a stray bullet early yesterday when, according to police, two scout car patrolmen broke up an attempted robbery in the 400 block of New York avenue N.W. and opened fire in the chase that followed.

One of the holdup men was captured after being wounded in the abdomen and left wrist and the other was arrested an hour later when he appealed at Freedmen's Hospital for treatment of a gunshot wound in the right arm, police said.

Wallet Recovered. Raymond Gauzza, 26, of 615 K street N.W., whose wallet containing \$2 was found in the pocket of one of the colored men, was struck in the right index finger when one of the seven shots, fired in the chase, went wild.

According to police, Mr. Gauzza was walking in the 400 block on New York avenue about 4:45 a.m. when he was seized from behind and thrown to the ground by the two colored men.

Pvt. S. Weiner and M. R. Luebkert of the second precinct, driving by in a scout car, saw the commotion. As they investigated, the colored men fled.

Pvt. Weiner opened fire on one, hit him in the abdomen, and then turned his gun on the other, firing several shots as the second man fled down an alley.

First Man Surrenders. The first man surrendered in Naylor's court after being struck in the arm by one of the two shots from Pvt. Luebkert's gun.

Mr. Gauzza was given first aid at Emergency Hospital for the wound to his finger.

Jews Urged to Inform World of Their Plight. It is the duty of all Jews to call attention of the world to what is going on in Europe, where 5,000,000 persons of the Jewish faith have been doomed to extermination, Rabbi Adolph Kohlenz of Baltimore told a special assembly last night at Adas Israel Synagogue.

There is too much silence, too much ignoring of the tragedy befalling us before the eyes of Germany, the Rabbi said. "Five million people are dying on the block and they don't know why the response throughout the world is so cold, so silent. Not only Jews are falling in this duty; the honor of the conscience of civilization is at stake. We must unite and go before the tribunal of justice for the world united when the war is won."

In his call to prayer Rabbi Norman Gershenfeld of the Washington Hebrew Congregation said: "We pray that our hearts should understand that Israel does not suffer alone, and Israel's wounds cannot be healed alone. Only in the coming victory of the kingdom of God, the honor of the earth, will peace come to Israel."

WPB Allows Transit Lines More Parts for Next Year. The War Production Board has authorized a 15 per cent increase in 1943 over 1942 in the production of repair and maintenance parts for streetcars, trolley buses and rolling stock of elevated and subway systems.

The order provides that carriers may acquire repair and maintenance parts, in proportion to the growth in volume of passenger service.

In authorizing increased production of parts, WPB said that civilian needs in urban transportation must be met largely with present equipment, since new rolling stock will be available only in small amounts due to the scarcity of materials and the fact that builders now are engaged in supplying military vehicles, ordnance material and industrial equipment for war purposes.

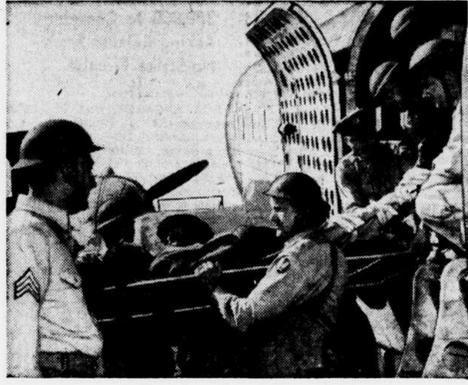
Ousted Colored Workers Plan Protest to WPB. A committee of the United Federal Workers of America, Local No. 203, was to confer today with War Production Board officials on the reported dismissal of 85 night-shift clerks, all colored, after one week's employment with WPB.

The workers met yesterday with union officials and told of receiving notices of inefficiency before being dismissed.

Heads Fraternity. Edward Graham Waring, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Waring, 1416 Crittenden street N.W., has been elected president of the local chapter of Psi Chi, national honorary psychology fraternity, at Southern Methodist University. He also is president of the S. M. U. Interfraternity Council.

Mrs. Marie Beacham Rites To Be Held Wednesday. Funeral services for Mrs. Marie H. Beacham, who died Saturday in St. Petersburg, Fla., will be held here at 11 a.m. Wednesday in the Lee funeral home, Fourth street and Massachusetts avenue N.E. Burial will be in Oak Hill Cemetery.

Mrs. Beacham, who was the widow of John A. Beacham, had lived in Florida since retiring from Government service in 1940. She was the daughter of the late Marcellus and Mary Pomeroy Holtzman.



As plane lands, ground ambulance speeds wounded to the hospital. These pictures were taken at Patterson Field, Dayton, Ohio, one of the many fields where air forces first-aiders are being trained. The students shown here soon will be applying their lessons in war theaters throughout the world.—A. P. Features.

Men Challenged Not to 'Fudge' On Blood Donation Promises

Procurement Committee Chairman Observes They Have Unfounded Fears of Ordeal

"Men are bigger sissies than women—and usually they think up very important reasons why they can't keep the appointment they made in an exuberant manner."

So speaks Miss Marjorie Gibbs Russell, chairman of the Blood Donor Procurement Committee of the District Chapter, American Red Cross. Men who want to accept her challenge will be welcomed cordially at the donor center, Twenty-third and C streets N.W.

The Army and Navy has asked the center to step up its donations from 250 to 500 a day. Plasma from donations has saved lives in the war zones, enabling wounded men to regain their strength.

Having made five donations herself, Miss Russell can speak with authority on the subject. "As a pioneer in the blood plasma procurement program, she told The Star, it has had a lot of experience in recruiting volunteer donors."

No Fearsome Ordeal. "One of the principal obstacles we have tried to overcome is the fear so many seem to have. Persons of more than ordinary courage seem to shed the ordeal. Yet it is not to be in any way compared with a trip to the dentist."

"Then, too," she said, "a lot of wild rumors and stories get up about rapid circulation, such as the necessity for going to bed for hours, Extension 212, any healthy person between 21 and 60 years of age may make an appointment for a donation."

A group of 25 women employees of The Star will go to the donor center to make donations this afternoon. The group is to be in charge of Sue Lumbard, Mrs. John E. King. They will elect two of their number to serve as captains in assembling the next donor group.

Two D. C. Policemen Three Others Hurt In Traffic Accidents. Motorist Is Accused Of Failing to Give Full Attention to Driving.

Five persons—two of them policemen—were injured in week-end traffic accidents.

Struck by a streetcar that jumped a switch at Eleventh and C streets N.W. last night, Pvt. E. B. Dickerson, 36, of the Traffic Bureau, received a sprained shoulder and wrist, bruises and shock. He was released from Emergency Hospital after treatment.

Pvt. George Wood, 43, also of the Traffic Bureau, received possible concussion, cuts and bruises late Saturday when his motor cycle crashed into a scout car at First and M streets S.E. His condition was described as not serious today by attendants at Providence Hospital.

Joseph Pittelman, 58, of 4707 Kansas avenue N.W., received possible hip and elbow fractures last night when struck by an automobile while crossing Georgia avenue N.W., at the New Hampshire avenue intersection. He was admitted to Casualty Hospital.

Driver of the car was listed by police as Eric T. Hand, 21, of 4231 Jennifer street N.W.

Also struck by an automobile while crossing the street was Gilbert McLand, 22, colored, of 1824 Eleventh street N.W., who received minor injuries last night at Florida avenue and Seventh street N.W.

The driver, Robert D. Austin, 37, of 1905 Kenilworth avenue N.E., was charged with failure to give full time and attention to driving. After hitting Mr. McLand, the car knocked down a fire alarm box.

James Berl Norris, 20, of Hampton, Va., received minor injuries when his motor scooter collided with an automobile at Independence avenue and First street N.W.

Friends, Officials Honor Dr. Bocock Tomorrow. Dr. Edgar A. Bocock, superintendent of Gallinger Hospital, will be honored at 9 p.m. tomorrow by officials and friends on his 15th anniversary as head of the institution.

Presentation of gifts to Dr. Bocock will be made by Admiral P. S. Rosster, chief of the hospital staff and former Navy Surgeon-General. Although several department heads will make short talks, the celebration will be brief because of the war, an official said.

Dr. Bocock is a retired Army major. During the World War he served with the Army in Panama, and for a time was inspector of hospitals for the Army.

P.-T. A. Meeting Changed. The December meeting of the Parent-Teacher Association of the East Silver Spring School will be held tonight instead of December 21, the regular meeting date.

Workers Sought For Part-Time Federal Jobs

WPB Is Looking For Hundreds Of Specialists

Pointing to a new influx of workers in the Government service, the Civil Service Commission today was ready to receive applications for part-time employment in any category, an announcement last night stating that this unusual procedure was made necessary by the difficulty encountered in recruiting sufficient numbers of full-time qualified personnel.

This step, it was said, is not entirely without precedent, as some temporary workers were used in the Veterans' Administration in World War I.

At the same time, the commission said that "many hundreds of production and materials control specialists must be recruited" for the new controlled materials plan of the War Production Board, and that a Nation-wide drive would be inaugurated to enlist these specialists whose pay will range from \$2,000 to \$5,600. The employes will be assigned to the board and the War and Navy Departments, and other war units.

Dual Job Restrictions. The part-time employment plan is being started in Washington, but will be extended to the field. Persons gainfully employed on full-time employment either in Government or private industry are not eligible for the part-time work. The dual employment law provisions would prevent any Government employe from taking on added duties, as the holding of more than one job is prohibited when the combined rate of pay exceeds \$2,000 annually. Agencies are permitted to hire part-time workers only when their needs cannot be filled from regular registers.

The commission said that there is particular need now for stenographers and typists, at \$1,440 annually; duplicating machine operators, \$1,250-\$1,440; messengers, \$1,200-\$1,320.

Limit on Working Hours. Their working hours will be limited to three-quarters of a regular tour of duty and the working schedule must be fixed before they enter on the job.

Appointees will be paid under the regular Classification Act scales, with compensation regulated by the number of hours worked.

In outlining the scope of the drive for production specialists, the commission said that among the groups urgently needed are persons with industrial or engineering experience in the fields of copper, aluminum, carbon steel, alloy steel, machine tools and machinery production; electrical and communications equipment; transportation equipment and engineering materials, such as plastics, rubber and construction materials.

These employes are to assist in the allotment of critical materials going into military and essential civilian supplies and equipment.

Thomas Peter Honored For Church Attendance. Thomas Peter, 77, who hasn't missed attending church and Sunday school for 37 years, was honored yesterday at the Atonement Lutheran Church.

Although he has never actually preached, Mr. Peter has been teaching in the Young Men's Bible Class for 35 years and was superintendent of the Sunday school from 1913 to 1915.

Dr. Howard E. Snyder, pastor, paid tribute to Mr. Peter as an ideal servant of God. Robert W. Volland, present superintendent of the Sunday school, described his teaching record as an inspiration to the rest of the staff. A bouquet was presented to Mr. Peter by Virginia Callahan, 5, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Callahan, 1642 Varnum place N.E.

Mr. Peter lives with his wife at 2831 Fourth street N.E. He was retired from the Government Printing Office in 1932.

Curtain Speech By Miss Cornell Sets Precedent. Requests for the issuance of the new passes will be made to the committee as follows:

All elements of the United States Citizens' Defense Corps—through their respective chiefs of the protective services.

Civilian Mobilization—through the respective chairmen and through the office of the director of Civilian Mobilization.

Elements of civilian defense not included in the above categories—through the office of the executive director.

Members of the armed services—through channels to the headquarters, Military District of Washington.

Departments of the Federal government and of the District government through the officials in charge of air raid precautions as designated by the heads of the respective departments.

Applications for individuals not covered by these categories will be submitted directly to Maj. Kelly.

When it was over and the cast had responded to curtain call after curtain call, Miss Cornell, visibly affected, broke a personal precedent, and made her speech at the other players listened with ill-concealed amazement.

Immediately after the performance the cast went to Philadelphia. The show will play a week's engagement there before opening in New York.

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Establishment of a juvenile court in Prince Georges County, Md., passage of a liquor control law by the State Legislature and "better handling" of liquor-control problems are among the objectives...

The group is headed by M. A. Nicely of Temple Hills, as temporary president. Mrs. David Kennedy of Silver Hill is temporary secretary.

19 Men Who Enlisted Before Ban Are Named

Special Dispatch to The Star. MANASSAS, Va., Dec. 14.—The Prince William County Selective Service Board today announced the following 19 men who enlisted before the ban was stopped:

- Manassas—Roger William Cross, Jr.; Army: Stanley Garland Boatright; Army: George Lewis Oleyar; Navy: Wilbur Wesley Ledman; Army: Clyde Jordan Nicholson; Army: William Hunter Blakemore; Army: Warren Nelson Hynson; Navy: Quantico—George Katsarelis; Marine Corps: David Leonard Ward; Marine Corps: Melvin Hassell Houghton; Marine Corps: Edward Romine; Marine Corps: Cecoquan—Fred Alfred Proctor; Army: Heinz Theodore Schwarz; Coast Guard: Robert William Stalter; Navy: Macrae Wilbert Boxley; Army: Woodbridge—Ralph Heron Allen; Army: William Frederick Weider; Navy: Hoadley—Morgan Francis Hensley; naval aviation cadet: Dumfries—James Bruce Kellison, naval aviation cadet.

Four Children Perish In Virginia Fire

By The Associated Press. LEXINGTON, Va., Dec. 14.—Four colored children burned to death when fire destroyed a two-story frame dwelling Saturday night. The blaze was believed to have started from an overheated stove.

War Aid Institute Slated at Manassas

An institute for disaster preparedness and civilian war aid will be held under the sponsorship of the Prince William County Chapter, American Red Cross, on Wednesday, beginning at 10 a. m. in the Presbyterian Church at Manassas, Va., according to W. Sedrick Saunders, chairman of the County Committee on Disaster Preparedness and Civilian War Aid.

Baltimore Flyer, Pacific Hero, Admits Scare Before Flights

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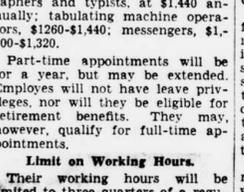
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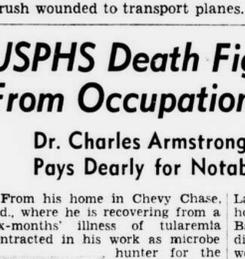


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USPHS Death Fighter Rallies From Occupational Disease

Dr. Charles Armstrong, Tularemia Victim, Pays Dearly for Notable Experiments

From his home in Chevy Chase, Md., where he is recovering from a six-months' illness of tularemia contracted in his work as a microbe hunter for the Hygienic Laboratory of the United States Public Health Service, Dr. Charles Armstrong recently listened to a radio dramatization of the Oyster School of his part in the fighting of the 1939 epidemic of psittacosis (parrot fever).



Dr. Armstrong. The broadcast was the first of a series sponsored by The Star Radio Station WMAL and the Radio Committee of the District Schools.

Seated in an armchair with his feet raised high on a footstool to relieve the vein inflammation left in the wake of tularemia, Dr. Armstrong recalled how he and his assistant, Harry Anderson, had gone to their laboratory when a call came from Annapolis for information regarding the disease which already had claimed several lives there and was threatening to spread.

About all that was known of the mysterious "parrot fever" in 1939 was that a French veterinarian, No-card, who had worked with it in the Paris epidemic of 1902, had claimed it was caused by a bacillus which he called bacillus psittacosis.

Shortly after the epidemic of 1939 the Public Health Service took measures to control the importation of parrots and State authorities began to inspect those already in the country for signs of the disease. By sacrificing for experimental purposes one-tenth of the imported and home-bred birds, the Health Service was able to stop the spread of the disease, though not until 30 to 40 people had died from its effects.

Dr. Armstrong's challenge to death in the case of parrot fever is only one of six he has survived in the 26 years he had been with the Public Health Service. While touring the island of Hawaii in 1914, he was struck by the disease, which he called bacillus psittacosis. Rushing to Annapolis, Dr. Armstrong had secured the first culture scrapings from the cage of a sick one. Using healthy parrots, he and Mr. Anderson fed the cage scrapings to some and inoculated others with mashed tissue from the dead bird. Almost immediately they had parrot fever aplenty in their cellar laboratory. Almost immediately, too, they discovered that the disease was not caused by a bacillus, as No-card had believed, but by a virus infection.

Garrett County Youth Is Killed in Action

MORGANTOWN, W. Va., Dec. 14.—The War Department has notified Mrs. Ethel Blaney of Morgantown, formerly of Garrett County, Md., of the death of her son, David Butler, killed in action November 9 in foreign service.

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Traffic Fatality Toll Shows Marked Drop In Prince Georges

Rubber, Gas, Rationing Cited in Decrease; Homicides, Suicides Rise

While Washington's traffic toll has exceeded last year's total, Prince Georges County, Md., shows a marked decrease in traffic fatalities in the 12 months ending November 30.

Traffic deaths in Prince Georges County are 25 less than the same period of 1941, according to statistics released today by Dr. James I. Boyd, deputy medical examiner. The report, however, shows an increase in the number of homicides and suicides.

Thirty-nine persons met their deaths as results of traffic mishaps during the last 12 months, while 64 were killed during the preceding year. January was the peak month this year, with nine traffic fatalities recorded. The previous year 60 persons were killed in traffic accidents in Prince Georges.

Thomas Peter Honored For Church Attendance

Thomas Peter, 77, who has missed attending church and Sunday school for 37 years, was honored yesterday at the Anneton Lutheran Church.

Although he has never actually joined the congregation, Mr. Peter has been teaching the Young Women's Bible Class for 35 years and was superintendent of the Sunday school from 1913 to 1915.

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Prince William Clubs' Meetings Scheduled

The following schedule for Prince William County (Va.) Clubs this week has been announced by Mrs. B. Johnson, county home demonstration agent, and Miss Nell Gries, assistant agent, at Manassas: Tomorrow the Woodbine 4-H Club will meet at the school at 10 a. m. to study sweater-laundering demonstrations.

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Men Challenged Not to 'Fudge' On Blood Donation Promises

Procurement Committee Chairman Observes They Have Unfounded Fears of Ordeal

"Men are bigger sissies than women—and usually they think up very important reasons why they can't keep the appointment they made in an exuberant manner."

So speaks Miss Marjorie Gibbs, president of the Blood Donor Procurement Committee of the District Chapter, American Red Cross. Men who want to accept her challenge will be welcomed cordially at the donor center, Twenty-third and C streets N.W.

"The Army and Navy has asked the center to step up its donations from 250 to 500 a day. Plasma from donations has saved lives in the war zones, enabling wounded men to regain their strength."

Virginia Scrap Collectors Honored at Launching

WIMINGTON, N. C., Dec. 14.—The North Carolina Shipbuilding Co. honored Virginia school children yesterday for their participation in the scrap metal campaign and at the same time received its third award from the United States Maritime Commission for outstanding achievement in the production of Liberty ships as it sent its 49th freighter, the Pocahontas, down the ways.

New Maryland Delegate Busy As Dairy Head, Civic Leader

A president of a dairy company, who also finds time to direct the organization of Minute Men in five Southern Maryland counties, is one of the new members of the House of Delegates from Prince Georges County.

Curtain Speech By Miss Cornell Sets Precedent

By The Associated Press. PORT GEORGE G. MEADE, Md., Dec. 14.—For the first time in her long career as one of the leading actresses of the American stage, Katherine Cornell gave a curtain speech yesterday.

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In a letter accompanying the petition, Mrs. Louise Lee, president of the association, declared that "the size of Kaywood Gardens would seem to make this application a matter of substantial importance in this defense rental area."

Three Sections in Complaint

Among complaints in the petition are: (1) that present rentals in the development should be considerably lower on the basis of comparable housing accommodations; (2) that initial rentals included "important" facilities and services which have not been furnished and which have been repudiated; and (3) that in at least six major respects, facilities and services at Kaywood Gardens are inferior to those available "at the average of listed housing developments."

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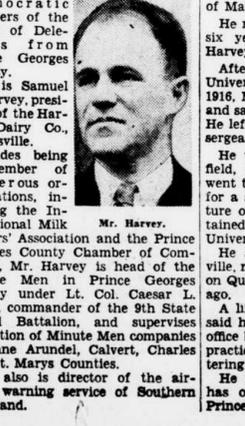
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### Liquor Shipments Cut, Drought Forces Alaska To Close Saloons

#### Prices of Whisky and Beer Soar as Retailers Laugh at OPA

By the Associated Press.  
NOME, Alaska, Dec. 14.—Alaska is winding up its liquor business and getting prepared for a dry winter.  
With patrons four deep at the bars, the last jiggers of whisky are pouring from bottles, the last cans of beer are being handed to favorite customers—at a dollar a can. Along the main streets of a half dozen towns, "for rent" signs have appeared where liquor stores used to be.

There are several reasons for the impending drought, but the chief one is an unofficial, but nonetheless stringent embargo on liquor shipments to the Territory. There are more valuable things than liquor to occupy cargo space.

**May Outlast Spring.**  
Some predict that the Territory, which never even took prohibition very seriously, will be almost bone dry for the first time in its history after the holidays. Others believe that supplies will last, if rationed carefully, until early spring.

This last fling is an expensive one for the drinkers. Bar owners are trying desperately to pay out their indebtedness in a few weeks instead of the months or years they had planned. Store owners are trying to make present stock pay for everything. As a result, the sky is the limit and the OPA is merely a meaningless collection of letters.

In one Nome bar, a three-ounce glass of beer costs 35 cents. (Thus a 12-ounce can brings the barkeeper \$1.40.) Whisky and soda served in an old-fashioned glass is a dollar. An ordinary brand of bourbon is \$3 a pint. What Scotch remains brings \$9 a fifth.

**Scarcest Off Ship Lanes.**  
In Anchorage clubs, drinks which sold for 40 cents in September now are 65 cents. Officers enjoying a certain privacy in one club pay 75 cents for a glass of beer when it is available. Prices are higher generally throughout the Territory after 10 p.m. when a drink which was legal for a man in uniform to buy between 6 p.m. and 10 p.m. becomes automatically a bootleg product, under Army regulations.

Generally speaking, the drought is most severe in the towns furthest from steamship lines. Southeastern Alaska has not suffered much shortage, getting some of its supplies even by chartered fishing boats.

But soldiers returning from isolated posts found in Anchorage and Fairbanks in November that purchase of whisky by the bottle was virtually impossible. What stores

remained open were carefully rationing their stocks—at 50 to 100 per cent above normal prices—to customers of long standing.  
Many bars now open only for the four hours when soldiers may legally drink each evening. Thus they reduce the cost of help, lights and heating. In Nome, by fiction one of the continent's wettest towns, only four bars remain open.

**Others Close Down.**  
In Fairbanks, where one leading wholesaler received his last shipment of whisky and beer August 20, three stores closed and two others were bought out during October alone. In Anchorage—where Joe E. Brown made himself locally famous by describing the town as the biggest saloon he had even seen—two large bars closed temporarily during October, others in November. About half the score of liquor stores shut their doors.

As to the causes of the shortage, the attitude of the Army undoubtedly enters into the picture. Army authorities never have directly opposed sale of liquor in the Territory, but they never have been friendly to it, either.

And now, in Nome, military police not only are stationed in the bars, but in at least one have appropriated a high bench from which they can get a running start to break up fights or prevent illegal sales after hours.

At several places in the Territory, commanding officers declared certain bars "off limits" for troops when repeated violations of the 10 o'clock curfew were reported.

**Alutians Dry Since Summer.**  
More important, however, is the official attitude toward shipping of

liquor. The first item cut off shipping lists to Dutch Harbor last spring was anything alcoholic. As a result, Unalaska and other places in the Aleutian Islands have been dry all summer.

In July a forewarning of the drought came with a charge by Alaskan Chambers of Commerce that liquor was being brought to the Territory in shipping space needed for food and essential supplies. Subsequently, an official order decreed that not more than 10 per cent of the cargo of any freighter leaving Seattle for Alaska could consist of non-essentials such as liquor.

The War Shipping Authority went further, directing steamship companies not to load any liquor while any other cargo was available.  
The shipping companies in some instances declined to accept liquor shipments. The Navy even frowned on the chartering of fishing vessels for carrying liquor, pointing out that if such vessels could carry liquor, they could just as easily carry war cargo.

**Prohibition Via Embargo.**  
So, though technically liquor may still be brought to Alaska, actually there is an effective embargo against its shipment. And bars reminiscent of the gold rush days are about ready to give up their romantic ghosts.

All of this, however, means nothing to the small towns of Deering and Kotzebue on the Arctic coast. The 14 white persons in Deering and 40 in Kotzebue have not been able to buy a drink for a long time. It's all because of the election of an Eskimo Town Council under urging

from the Bureau of Indian Affairs. The Council's first act in each town was to declare that locality legally dry under the local option law. In all the years they had known them the whites never suspected the 900 Eskimos in the two villages felt that way.

**Deer Hunter in Tree Killed by Companion**  
By the Associated Press.  
WILLIAMSPORT, Pa., Dec. 14.—Perched in a tree while hunting deer, Lester Hershey, 27, of Lititz, Pa., was shot and killed near here the last day of deer season.

State Motor Policemen J. B. Mays and W. G. Fink said Mr. Hershey's brother-in-law, Luther Crouse, fired the fatal shot.  
They quoted Crouse as saying that the hunting party had seen widest tracks and that when he noted an object in the tree he fired. Crouse and a companion had been driving deer while Hershey and another hunter took positions in the tree, the officers said.

**Farm Bureau to Elect**  
Election of officers will feature the annual banquet of the Prince Georges County (Md.) Farm Bureau at 6:30 p.m. Thursday in Trinity Parish Hall, Upper Marlboro.

### Farm Union Demands New System on Deferments

By the Associated Press.  
ST. PAUL, Dec. 14.—The National Farmers' Union, through its Executive Board, yesterday proposed that the Department of Agriculture seek cancellation of a War Manpower Commission ruling which, the Executive Board said, classifies three-fourths of the Nation's farmers as "non-essential."

Under a selective service ruling made shortly before selective service became a part of the War Manpower Commission, "essential" farm workers were defined as farmers handling 16 cows or their equivalent in other livestock or crop acreage. Through President James G. Patton, the Farmers' Union Executive Committee declared that "examination shows that less than 25 per

cent of the Nation's 6,000,000 farms are 16-cow or equivalent farms."  
"In this 25 per cent, it is doubtful that half are operated without a second man, either son, brother or hired hand," he said. "Yet a 32-cow rating is necessary for the deferment of one additional farm worker."  
As an alternative, pending de-

termination of farm manpower needs and the mobilization of American agriculture to meet rising needs, Patton continued, the farmers' union proposed deferring of all experienced farm operators and regularly employed farm labor.

Uncle Sam will give you many tanks—if you get in that scrap.

**Taxes to Be Discussed**  
LEONARDTOWN, Md., Dec. 14 (Special).—A discussion of tax problems in St. Mary's County will feature a meeting of the St. Mary's County Taxpayers Association at 7:30 p.m. tomorrow in the court house here.

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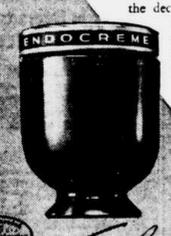


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### Diplomats in New York On Visits Over Week End

**Sr. Don Rodolfo Michels Joins Chilean Minister of Interior**

The Chilean Minister of Interior, Senor Raul Morales, who arrived in Washington early Friday morning, left later in the day for New York. The Ambassador, Senor Don Rodolfo Michels, joined him in New York Saturday and will return to Washington today. The Minister of Interior is not on an official visit but will come back to the Capital later this week. He probably will be here in time for the small and informal tea which Senora de Michels will give Thursday afternoon.

The Greek Ambassador, M. Cimón P. Diamantopoulos, also has been in New York for a few days, having gone there to attend the rally Saturday afternoon during the intermissions in the Metropolitan Opera. The subject was Greece and the Ambassador was the principal speaker. This evening the Ambassador and the Naval Attache of the Embassy, Capt. Alfred L. Leondopoulos, will speak at Town Hall and are expected to return to Washington tomorrow.

New York also claimed attractive Senora de Cardenas, wife of the Spanish Ambassador, who expects to join him at the Embassy later this week.

Also in New York is the Yugoslav Ambassador, M. Constantin Fotich, who will be back late today or tomorrow.

The Costa Rican Minister and Senora de Fernandez, with their two daughters, Senorita Leda Fernandez and Maria Fernandez, will return to their Costa Rican home early in the new year. The Minister will combine business with pleasure on the trip before returning to his post here to have a brief vacation. Another reason for their trip home at this time is the health of the young daughter, Maria, who has been seriously ill and needs a warmer climate, so they will be at home during their summer season and escape the winter of North America.

Senorita Norma Fernandez, the other daughter of the Minister and Senora de Fernandez, will remain here, where she is attending school.

The Commercial Attache of the Legation, Senora Don Victor Manuel Iglesias, left the week for Costa Rica where he has some business for his government.

### Mme. Van Kaathoven To Be Visited by Mrs. Harry S. Black

Mrs. Harry S. Black of New York will arrive the middle of next week to spend Christmas and the holidays with Mme. van Kaathoven in her home at 2500 Massachusetts avenue.

Mrs. Black will be accompanied by her brother, Mr. Henry May, who will be at the Carlton during the holiday season. Mrs. Black and her brother are the daughter and son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Henry May, socially prominent in the Capital some years ago. Mrs. Black, as Miss Isobey May, was a debutante here, being presented by her father, after the death of her mother, in their home on K street facing Franklin Park, which recently was torn down.

### Dorothy A. Hurst Weds J. E. Triplett

Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Hurst announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Dorothy A. Hurst to Mr. James E. Triplett, U. S. N. son of the late Mr. and Mrs. James E. Triplett.

The ceremony took place December 7 in South Mills, N. C.

### Visit SMALL'S Gift Center for Gifts for Friends Who Love Gardens, Birds and Flowers

Dupont Circle Dupont 7000

Miss Mary Olds entertained a few friends yesterday at her home on Bradley boulevard, Chevy Chase, Md.

### Diana Rowland And Lt. Proddow Are Married

**Bride Given In Marriage by Capt. Gene Tunney**

Making plans for her wedding in less than 24 hours Miss Diana Rowland, daughter of the late Dr. and Mrs. Henry C. Rowland, became the bride of Lt. Robert Proddow, Jr., U. S. N. R., son of Mr. and Mrs. Proddow of Red Bank, N. J., Saturday afternoon. Lt. Proddow was given a brief furlough from his duties at the Naval Air Station in Norfolk Friday evening to begin Saturday and the arrangements for the wedding which took place in All Souls' Memorial Episcopal Church, were completed in a few hours. The pastor, the Rev. Dr. H. H. D. Sierrett, officiated in the presence of only a small group of close friends and a few relatives.

The bride's brother, Maj. Henry C. Rowland, U. S. A., is on foreign duty and in his absence she was given in marriage by her cousin, Capt. Gene Tunney, U. S. N. She wore a traveling suit of purple with a dark green hat trimmed with tiny four-leaf clovers.

Mrs. Donald Downs was matron of honor and her only attendant, and Mr. Frank Ryan was best man.

Lt. and Mrs. Proddow will spend as much time as possible in Washington, where the latter has occupied the home of her mother on Massachusetts avenue. The engagement of Miss Rowland to Lt. Proddow was announced December 3 by the former's aunt, Mrs. George Lauder, of Greenwich, Conn. The bride was graduated from Miss Madeira's school and is a member of the Junior League. Lt. Proddow formerly was stationed in Washington.

### North Carolina Democratic Club Christmas Party

Soldiers, sailors and marines stationed in and near Washington will be the guests of honor at a special Christmas party and dance which will be given Saturday evening by the North Carolina Democratic Club of Washington in the Continental Room of the Wardman Park Hotel.

Mr. N. C. Hines, president of the club, will head the receiving line and will be assisted by Mrs. Robert A. Erwin and Lt. Col. Arthur L. Smith in welcoming the guests. Members of the club will provide gifts for the servicemen. High ranking officers of the three services also will be among the honor guests.

Further information about the party and dance may be obtained from Mrs. Dorcas P. Woodruff and Mrs. Edith W. Gordon.

### Will Entertain Sunday

Mrs. Truxtun Beale has issued cards for a late afternoon party to be given Sunday afternoon at her home to meet Frances Nash, in private life Mrs. Edwin M. Watson, following her concert. The tea is being given in co-operation with the Women's Committee of the National Symphony Orchestra of which Mrs. Beale is chairman of entertainment.

### Wedding Notices

The Star sometimes receives requests to print notices of weddings that have taken place as long as a week or more previously. Under ordinary circumstances, The Star cannot grant such requests. Notices of weddings must be received by The Star in advance of or on the date of the ceremony, and must bear a signed authorization.



MRS. ROBERT PRODDOW, Jr. —Harris-Ewing Photo.

### Mary FitzGibbons And T. F. Carrig Are Married

The Rev. William Sweeney officiated at the marriage ceremony Saturday afternoon of Miss Mary Margaret FitzGibbons and Mr. Thomas F. Carrig of Jersey City, the ceremony taking place at 3 o'clock in St. Gabriel's Church.

Wearing a gown of white with a corsage of orchids, the bride, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David P. FitzGibbons, was escorted to the altar by her father. She was attended by her sister, Miss Jane E. FitzGibbons, as maid of honor, and Mr. Joseph Carrig of Jersey City was best man for his brother.

A reception after the ceremony was given at the home of the bride's parents, out-of-town guests attending included Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Carrig and Miss Rita Carrig of Jersey City.

### Mrs. John G. Fletcher Entertains Guests In Chevy Chase

Entertaining at a dessert bridge Saturday evening, Mrs. John G. Fletcher, wife of Maj. Fletcher, U. S. A., now on duty on the West Coast, had as her honor guests Mr. and Mrs. Lester H. Mitchell of Denver, Colo., who are visiting relatives here until after the holidays.

Among others at the party were Mrs. Maxine Willey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. Warren W. Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver F. Busby, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford A. Betts, Dr. and Mrs. Julian Pollard, Mrs. Warren F. Mosman and her sister, Miss Marion Farnham, and Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Durkin.

Mrs. Fletcher's party was held at her home in Chevy Chase, Md. Mrs. Muriel King of Glen Ridge, N. J., is spending several weeks with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Blinn, in Westmoreland Hills, Md.

### Mrs. Jacob Loose Postpones Visit To Washington

Mrs. Jacob Leander Loose has postponed her semi-annual visit to Washington until after the new year and is remaining in her home in Kansas City, where she has many and varied interests.

She recently attended the annual party given in her honor at the Gillis Orphans' Home following the presentation of a pair of shoes to each of the children. There are 51 boys and girls at the home and this is the 34th consecutive year that she has provided shoes for the young people. Each year a party has been given in her honor which the children enjoy as much as Mrs. Loose for always there is ice cream and cake, and frequently, as this year, the shoes already have been fitted and are worn to the fete.

Mrs. Loose was here in the spring before going to her summer home at Gloucester, Mass., but did not stop here on her way West in the autumn. During the few short weeks that she was here last spring she was entertained every day by her wide circle of friends in the Capital.

### State Society Party

The annual Christmas party of the New Jersey State Society will be held tomorrow evening at 8:15 o'clock at the Women's City Club. There will be dancing, games and refreshments and newcomers to Washington from New Jersey are invited to attend.

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Tilda de Kauffmann daughter of the Danish Minister and Mme. de Kauffmann, has been asked to draw the lucky name of the person who will receive a bond at the Christmas War stamp party to be held December 23 from 6 until 8 o'clock by the Washington Figure Skating Club. She is away at school, but will return to Washington Wednesday. Her mother will help in the sale of stamps and her sister Lisa, who has been skating with the club this winter, will be in one of the program numbers.

The party, one of the many gay fetes planned for the holidays, will include on its program group numbers by members, exhibition skating and ice dances. There will be prize dances open to members of the club and their friends.

Mrs. Stuart A. Rice is general chairman for the affair and Mrs. Edgar McPeak is in charge of the sale of War stamps, which with chances on War bonds must be purchased for admission. Assisting Mrs. Rice with plans for the party are Mrs. Redvers Ople, Mrs. William J. Miller, Mrs. Walter Bainbridge, Mrs. Kenneth Mygatt, Mrs. Dallas Dort, Mrs. James B. Patterson, Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. Carleton Hoffman, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Leroy Pakke, Mrs. Fred Ramsdell, Mrs. Fred Berquist and Miss Chiyō Thomas.

The opening number will be a fourteen-step to military music and will be presented by members of the services and junior girls. As an encore one of the big dance numbers there will be a special routine given by Mrs. Creighton Peet, Mr. Ernest Hall, Mrs. Clarence Leroy Parker, Mr. Lewis Sigler, Mrs. Mahlon Meier, Mr. David Speck, Miss Eleanor Werner and Lt. Trenton Ruebush.

### June C. Pickeral Bride in Manassas Of P. C. Wilkins

Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss June Catherine Pickeral to Mr. Paul C. Wilkins, the ceremony taking place December 5 in the home of the bride's parents, Dr. and Mrs. H. E. Pickeral, in Manassas. The Rev. John M. De Chant officiated.

Dr. Pickeral escorted his daughter to the improvised altar and she was attended by Miss Betty Beane. The wedding was informal and the bride wore a dress of aqua velvet with a corsage of white roses and lilies of the valley, while Miss Beane was dressed in wine velvet and wore a corsage of roses.

The son of Mr. W. C. Wilkins of Strasburg, Va., the bridegroom is a graduate of Roanoke College and now is with the Department of Agriculture.

Washingtonians attending the wedding included Miss Desma McIntuoff, Miss Lucille Funk and Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Billingsly.

### By the Way—

Beth Blaine

There aren't very many wartime jobs more exciting than driving an emergency ambulance, certainly not in Washington anyhow. The four young women from the American Women's Voluntary Services who have volunteered to drive the Casualty Hospital Emergency ambulance and have been doing it since the middle of November have had excitement—and plenty of it.

Only a few days ago two of the four, Mrs. Alex Preece, wife of the prominent young Washington physician, and Mrs. Eugene Carusi, whose husband is a lieutenant commander on active duty, got a hurry call to go to a gasoline station on Main street. A lady, it seems, had stopped to buy some gasoline on her way to the hospital to have a baby, and the baby had stopped for nothing, and was arriving right there in the gas station! Ceci Carusi and Polly Preece arrived almost simultaneously with the baby. They got the mother on a stretcher, wrapped her comfortably in blankets and put her in the ambulance. The baby was wrapped in the remaining blanket and while Mrs. Preece drove the ambulance Mrs. Carusi held the baby on her lap while, under police escort, they streaked to the hospital. At this writing, both mother and baby are doing splendidly!

Another time there was a hurry call to rescue a lady whose husband had just hit her in the eye with a jar of peanut butter. The aim was so accurate and the hit so forceful that the eye needed considerable stitches before it began to look normal again. The only concern of the husband, say the AVWS girls, was his concern as to whether or not he would have to accompany his "wounded" wife to the hospital. When told he would not he put on his hat and walked rapidly away.

Many of the calls, far from being humorous, bespeak only tragedy and sorrow... such as the young woman, penniless, and with 10 children, who tried to take her own life. She was taken to the hospital, given treatment and is now being given spiritual as well as physical care and made to feel that life can be far too worthwhile to toss away.

This was one of the calls received by the other two drivers, Mrs. Robert A. Lovett, wife of the Assistant Secretary of War for Air, and Mrs. William Ritchie, wife of the Second Secretary of the British Embassy.

Every morning from 9 to 12 these four women are on call at Casualty Hospital. They sit in the board room of the hospital waiting the signal which comes over the loud speaker and calls them to immediate action. They take turns going out and only two girls go at one time. While they are in the ambulance on the way to a call they are still in communication with the Police Department (from whence all their calls come), since the ambulance is equipped with a radio. They may even be on the way to one call and receive another en route which seems even more urgent. In this case they respond to the calls in the order of their urgency.

Despite the strenuous requirements of this particular detail, it's one of the most popular among members of the ambulance corps. Eight women already have been trained to meet its requirements and have the "hack" licenses required for all ambulance drivers—but only four can be used on this one ambulance.

So you needn't apply for this duty, but that doesn't mean that plenty of drivers aren't still needed at the AVWS. They are! And soon, says Mrs. Conyers Reed, chief of the emergency section, the AVWS hopes to have their girls driving hospital ambulances all over the city. And it looks as though they would!

### First Candlelight Concert Today

The first of the candlelight concerts for this season will be given this afternoon in the Phillips Gallery under the auspices of the Washington Chamber Music Society. The program this afternoon will inaugurate the ninth year for these concerts and Miss Patricia Baker, Miss Lydia Langer and Miss Margherita Sterling will serve as ushers.

The sponsors of this series include Mme. Laoudon, Mrs. Emory Scott Land, Lady Campbell, Mrs. Eugene Byrnes, Mrs. Walter White, Mr. John Russell and Mr. Boris Shishkin.

### Miss Johnnie Oliver Recently Married

Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Johnnie Louise Oliver, daughter of Mrs. S. S. Maddox of Waco, Tex., to Lt. Roland Zachman, U. S. N. R., the ceremony taking place December 3 at Perryburg, Ohio, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray E. Zachman, parents of the bridegroom. The Rev. Reichel officiated in the presence of members of the immediate families.

The bride attended Baylor University in Waco and Lt. Zachman is a graduate of Ohio State University and a member of Sigma Chi and Phi Delta Pi.

Lt. and Mrs. Zachman are now at home at 1401 Kenilworth street, Arlington.

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### Cash for Needy Suggested for Practical Yule

#### Church Women's Council Officer Cites Advantages

By Frances Lide.

It's a joyful task to fill Christmas baskets and take them to needy families during the Yuletide holidays.

But it's a lot more practical—and more charitable, too—to give a mother the money to buy her own household's Christmas, in the opinion of the Washington Council of Church Women.

When the mother can go out and purchase her family's Christmas gifts, youngsters are spared that feeling of being the objects of charity, Miss Etta Mal Russell, the council's executive secretary, points out.

Often it's not even necessary for the children to know that the gifts represent an outsider's contribution. In fact, they really come from "Santa Claus."

The council has learned that the mother of a family often is a fine bargain-hunter, knowing just what her brood needs and how to cut corners to fill those needs to the best advantage.

About 200 Families Listed. With about 200 families on its list to be cared for this year, the organization is busy collecting the funds to provide a practical, as well as a happy Christmas for approximately 650 children and 400 adults.

Although many families on the list can pay some of their running expenses, they are definitely on a submarginal standard of living. Perhaps the rent can be taken care of and there is some money for food. But there's nothing for "extras"—and that means Christmas, too.

Council policy is to provide funds for an article of clothing and a toy for each child and to see that each adult gets an article of clothing.

Ten dollars will care for a small family; from \$15 to \$18 for a medium-sized family and \$25 for a large household. But cash gifts of any denomination are welcomed at the council office at 1751 N. street N.W.

For those who have a talent for making pretty holiday packages, however, the church women have another program. There is a year-round project at Gallinger Hospital, which takes on added impetus at Christmas and "happytime" boxes are a special feature this year.

A "happytime" box is a pretty package containing several small gifts suitable for either a boy or a girl of a given age. A description on the outside indicates for what type person the box is intended.

Similar packages are being prepared this year for adults in the tuberculosis and isolation wards.

The council also is soliciting candy, fruit or plain cookies for the Gallinger patients, as well as trees and decorations to be set up in the wards.

Program for Alley Residents. A third phase of the organization's Christmas program is its twilight carol service held on Christmas eve in Washington's inhabited alleys. Originated seven years ago by Miss Russell, the alley service is arranged as a time for inspiration and companionship.

Residents gather about trees set up in each of the alleys and a Christmas worship program is held.

Although groups sponsoring the individual services frequently supply gifts for families living in the alleys, here, too, the privacy of the home is respected and the packages are delivered early in the day before the crowds gather.

Mrs. Roosevelt always attends one of the services and this year will make her appearance at the Georgetown program held on Wisconsin avenue at K and Grand streets N.W.

Mrs. Harry Warner Frantz, assisted by Mrs. George Everett of the St. Alban's Branch of the Women's Auxiliary of the Episcopal Church, is to be in charge.

All of the carol services are being planned under the leadership of Mrs. Harold B. Rogers.

Mrs. Joy Elmer Morgan is the council president.

### Catholic Daughters To Give Christmas Play With Carols

"The Songs of Christmas," a play with carols and tableaux, will be presented at the annual Christmas party of Court District of Columbia No. 212, Catholic Daughters of America, tomorrow night at the Willard Hotel. Scheduled for 9 p.m., the party will follow the business session at 8 p.m.

The Christmas story told by Miss Mary Ellen Dashiell, president of the Washington Story League, and a visit from "Santa" also will be featured.

The USO choral group will be among those attending and, together with the Christmas Committee, will sing the carols, with Mrs. Marie Moray playing the accompaniments. Soloists for the evening will include Miss Marie Jacobs, accompanied at the piano by Miss Beatrice Lambour, and Miss Marcelyn Bridal. Miss Catherine Kelley, Miss Rose Mangano, Miss Edna Roach, Miss Marjorie Brown and Miss Helen Madigan.

Those appearing in the play will be Miss Marie Vollmer, Miss Margaret Berckman, Miss Helen Marx and Miss Marie Clements.

The party is being arranged by Miss Genevieve Sweeney, Miss Mary Hines, Mrs. Eileen Fisher and Miss Vollmer. Mrs. Elizabeth Eighan, grand regent, will preside over the business session.

The court will observe its annual custom of bringing gifts to be placed under the Christmas tree, the packages this year being designated for the boys in the military service. The gifts will be packed into kits and sent to the men in hospitals. Miss Mary Barrett heads the committee in charge.

### Msgr. Phelan to Give Book Review

"The Judgment of the Nations," by Christopher Dawson will be reviewed by Msgr. Lawrence J. Phelan at a meeting of the Study Guild Catholic Library at 8:15 p.m. Tuesday at the library, 1725 Rhode Island avenue N.W. The public is invited. In addition to its usual hours from 8:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m., the lending library is now open during the noon-day period from 11:45 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. A complete line of up-to-date literature is available.



MRS. LEE PRICE CALFEE, who is handing last-minute calls today and tonight from volunteer blood donors in the Chevy Chase area willing to make contributions tomorrow from 10 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. at the Woman's Club of Chevy Chase. Mrs. Calfee heads the Chevy Chase Blood Donor Unit of the Red Cross. Her telephone is Wisconsin 5435. —Underwood Photo.

### Arts Club Activity To Reopen With Gala 'Fiesta'

#### Program to Be Held Thursday, Friday And Saturday

The Arts Club which has been closed to semi-weekly activities for the past six months, during repairs of damages caused by fire, will reopen with a gala "Evergreen Fiesta" to be held Thursday, Friday and Saturday from 2 to 11:30 p.m. each day.

Supper will be served Thursday and Friday evenings followed by a vaudeville show. There will be magicians, dancers, soloists, and a group from the Fort Belvoir choir will be presented. Dancing to the music of a popular local orchestra will be enjoyed Saturday evening.

Dr. Hans Kinder, president of the club, heads the Committee of Arrangements. Others include Mr. and Mrs. Frank Steele, Mr. and Mrs. Lenox Uhler, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Freu, Mrs. Charles Blittinger, Lewis Loftin Moneyway, Miss Elizabeth Lewis, Mrs. George Girty, Ensign Andrew Gleason, Miss Elizabeth Baldwin, Mrs. Henry Hinck, Mrs. Charles Stratton, Harold Long, William J. McManus, Miss Marjorie Davis, John Sohl, Mrs. Warren Emley, Mrs. Wagner Brown, Mrs. R. B. Patterson, Mrs. S. A. Kimberly and Mrs. Susan B. Chase.

The fire which six months ago disrupted the club program and prevented the semi-weekly gathering of the artists, architects, musicians and writers composing the membership, destroyed valuable paneled floors and stairways which have now been repaired.

### Miss Vogt to Speak At ORT Tea

A talk by Miss Helen Vogt, fashion writer of The Star, will be a feature of the membership tea to be held by the Washington Chapter of ORT from 2:30 to 5 p.m. Saturday at the home of Mrs. Aaron Schwartzman. Her subject will be "What We'll Do Without and Why We'll Like It."

Each member is being asked to bring a member to the affair, which is being called a "tea for two for victory."

The work of the organization, which is training hundreds of refugees and a number of professional persons for skills needed in war industries, will be discussed during the afternoon.

### Auxiliary to Fill Yule 'Mail Bag'

The annual Christmas "mail bag" for Central Union Mission will be filled by members of the Washington Auxiliary of the Railway Mail Association at a meeting tonight at Capitol Park Hotel. Mrs. William M. Collins, president, will be in charge.

A program featuring Yuletide customs also will be presented, followed by a "surprise" and distribution of gifts for each member.

### Discuss Charter

The charter form of government for Montgomery County will be discussed by members of the Silver Spring Woman's Club at a special meeting to be held at 1:30 p.m. Wednesday. The meeting, which is to be an important one, will be held at the Jessup Blair Community House.

### Nursery School Need Surveyed In Takoma Park

#### Club Considers Sponsoring Project For Working Mothers

A survey of the need for a nursery school for children of working mothers in the Takoma Park area is being made under auspices of the Takoma Park Women's Club as a part of its defense program.

The project is being handled by Mrs. George Robertson under the club's Defense Committee, headed by Mrs. F. L. Lewton.

Should the club decide to sponsor a nursery school, it probably will be set up in a school building in Takoma Park, Md., which has been offered for the purpose, according to Mrs. Lewton.

In the meantime, members of the club are attending a course for voluntary child care aides being given on Tuesday afternoons from 1 to 3 p.m. at the Silver Spring Baptist Church. The course is a repetition of the one offered on Tuesday mornings at College Park, Md., by the University of Maryland. Arranged by Prof. Edna McNaughton of the University of Maryland, the course offers instruction from a number of specialists in child care.

Mrs. A. F. Harrison is in charge of enrollment for the proposed nursery school and with the assistance of Mrs. John B. Mertie is sending out questionnaires relative to the need.

Mrs. Frank Nichols and Mrs. Frederick G. Umhau head a committee on operations, while Mrs. Walter Harman and Mrs. Benjamin Abbott are working on the subject of equipment. Mrs. Lewton, Mrs. F. C. Lincoln and Mrs. W. C. Youngman are working up a possible staff.

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### Kappa Gamma Club Plans Initiation Banquet Friday

An initiation banquet for new members will be given by the Kappa Gamma Sorority at 7:45 p.m. Friday at the Mayflower Hotel.

Mrs. Helen D. McChesney, the national president, will preside, assisted by the national officers, Mrs. Mercedes Hurt and Mrs. Joe R. Davis.

Guests of honor will include presidents of the seven chapters in Washington and the Alpha Gamma chapter in Baltimore as well as the honorary members who are Senator Hattie W. Carraway, Mrs. John Kee, Mrs. Arthur Clarendon Smith, Mrs. John Alford White and Mrs. Dorothy Hutcheson.

A dance at 10:30 p.m. will follow the banquet with over 100 enlisted men as special guests.

### Waycroft Club Plans Christmas Party

An old-fashioned Christmas party will be given by the Waycroft Woman's Club at its monthly meeting at 7 p.m. Friday at the home of Mrs. Guy Ramsdell, 5163 North Washington boulevard. Husbands of members will attend to enjoy the supper, singing and exchange of gifts.

Assisting the hostess will be Mrs. Ben White, Mrs. Lewis Ward, Mrs. H. L. Riely and Mrs. Lee Porter.

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### Red Meat Shortage For Yule Season Is Facing Utah

Markets Have No Steak And Roast Beef Is Just Pleasant Memory

By the Associated Press.  
SALT LAKE CITY, Dec. 14.—Utahans are looking forward with a noticeable lack of glee to a white meat Christmas.

Utah is in the throes of a red meat shortage. There are no more big, juicy steaks in most of the markets of the State and roast beef is just a pleasant memory, particularly in the vicinity of Salt Lake City, Ogden, Provo and Brigham City, which have undergone tremendous industrial and military expansion in the last year.

The State's packers have used up their kill quota for the remainder of the year and they have made it painfully clear that what little red meat is on the market now is all there is going to be until after January 1.

Retail meat dealers, packers and Gov. Herbert B. Maw have begged the OPA for an emergency allotment and to boost the Utah slaughter quota for the next quarter—but with little hope. In a statement to customers of the American Packing and Provision Co., E. W. Fallentine, general manager, said it appears "definite" Utah will receive no extra allotment, "but instead a more drastic cut is inevitable."

Among the reasons cited for the shortage by the Governor, the retailers and the packers is an estimated 39 per cent increase in population since the last three months of 1941, on which period the kill quota is based; the fact that during that period one large packing concern was fighting a boycott and its slaughter was down 23.6 per cent, and the termination of operations since that time by another company which, during those all-important three months shipped large amounts of beef into Utah.

Turkey and chicken still are available in reasonable quantities, but at the rate stocks are dwindling some Utahans may have beans for Christmas.

### Four Children Perish In Virginia Fire

By the Associated Press.  
LEXINGTON, Va., Dec. 14.—Four colored children burned to death when fire destroyed a two-story frame dwelling Saturday night. The blaze was believed to have started from an overheated stove.

Dr. E. P. Tompkins, coroner, said the children were Beatrice, 13; Christina, 12; Virginia, 4, and Scarlett, 3, children of Chester L. Wright.

The coroner said the children were trapped in the upstairs rooms, but that a brother jumped to safety from a window. The children's parents were away when the fire began.

Uncle Sam will give you many tanks—if you get in that scrap.

### Extra Safety Measures Ordered Adopted at Stage Door Canteen

On orders of Federal inspectors, additional safety measures have been put into effect at the Belasco Theater where the Stage Door Canteen is located, it was learned today.

To make certain that no fire hazards exist, the canteen will hold its first fire drill tomorrow night at the peak. Mrs. Lawrence Langer, canteen director, said today she is confident that the theater can be emptied in a half minute of a capacity throng of about 700 workers and servicemen guests.

### New York Official Charges Union Broke Contract

By the Associated Press.  
NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—Chairman John H. Delaney of the Board of Transportation has advised Mayor La Guardia that the appeal of the CIO Transport Workers' Union to the War Labor Board in its wage controversy with the city releases the city from all obligations to observe terms of its labor contracts with the union.

Thirty-two thousand transit workers are demanding a general wage increase of 15 per cent over levels of January 1, 1941, and the union has sought to have the WLB take jurisdiction in the controversy.

On the other hand, the city has taken the position that the WLB has no jurisdiction and last week refused to send a representative to a WLB hearing on the question in Washington.

Mr. Delaney charged the union with breaching the agreement reached in June, 1941, between the Mayor and Philip Murray, CIO president, whereby the city assumed labor contracts with the IRT and BMT subways when they came under municipal ownership. This agreement, Mr. Delaney said, called for a status quo relationship.

**P-TA Meets Tonight**  
The December meeting of the Mount Rainier-Brentwood Consolidated Grade and High School Parent-Teacher Association will be held at 8 o'clock tonight. Pupils of the Mount Rainier and Brentwood grade schools will present a combined

### Where To Go What To Do

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Washington Society of Amateur Cinematographers, Fairfax Hotel, 6:30 o'clock tonight.

**DINNER DANCE.**  
Eastern Shore Society of Washington, Shoreham Hotel, 7:45 o'clock tonight.

**LUNCHEONS.**  
Civitan Club, Mayflower Hotel, 12:30 p.m. tomorrow.

**Optimists Club ladies' day, 12:30 p.m. tomorrow.**

**Women's National Press Club, Willard Hotel, 1 p.m. tomorrow.**

**American Council on Education, Mayflower Hotel, 12:45 p.m. tomorrow.**

**FOR MEN IN THE SERVICE.**  
Stage Door Canteen, Belasco Theater, Madison place and Pennsylvania avenue N.W., 6 o'clock tonight.

**Officers of the United Nations, Burlington Hotel, 10 a.m. until 10 o'clock tonight.**

**Snacks, Servicemen's Club No. 1, 2 p.m. today.**

**Swimming, music appreciation, gameroom open, Jewish Community Center (USO), 5 p.m. today.**

**Rhythmic dancing exercise class, Thomson Center, Twelfth and L streets N.W., 7:30 o'clock tonight.**

**Badminton, Central Center, Thirteenth and Clifton streets N.W., 7:30 o'clock tonight.**

**Recreational games, Roosevelt Center, Thirteenth and Upshur streets N.W., 7:30 o'clock tonight.**

**Tennis instruction, McKinley Center, First and T streets N.E., 7:30 o'clock tonight.**

**Informal dancing, games, community singing, refreshments, Rhoads Service Club, 1315 Fourth street S.W., 7:30 o'clock tonight.**

**Dance, refreshments, hostesses, Servicemen's Club No. 1, 8 o'clock tonight.**

**Victoria hour, YWCA, 8 o'clock tonight.**

**"How to Enjoy Music," Washington Chapel, Sixteenth street at Columbia road N.W., 8:30 o'clock tonight.**

**Music appreciation hour, Jewish Community Center (USO), 8:30 o'clock tonight.**

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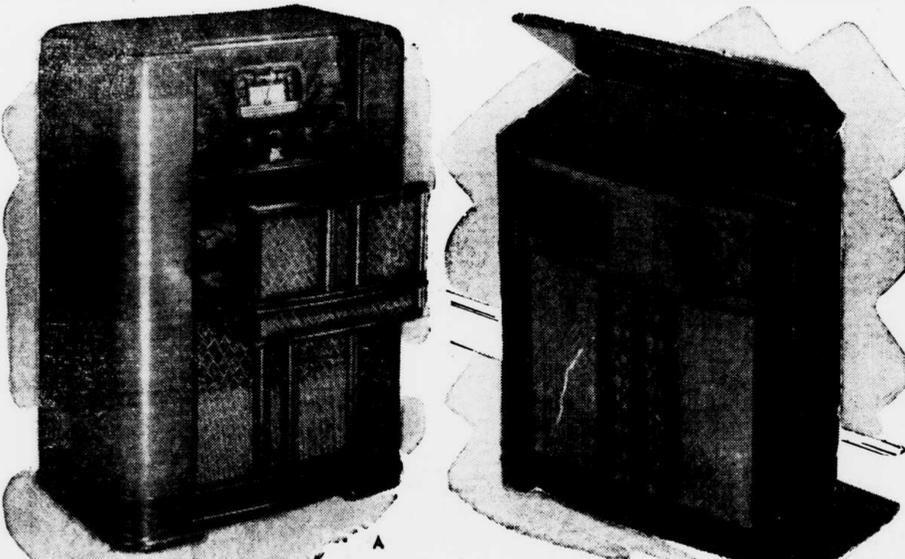
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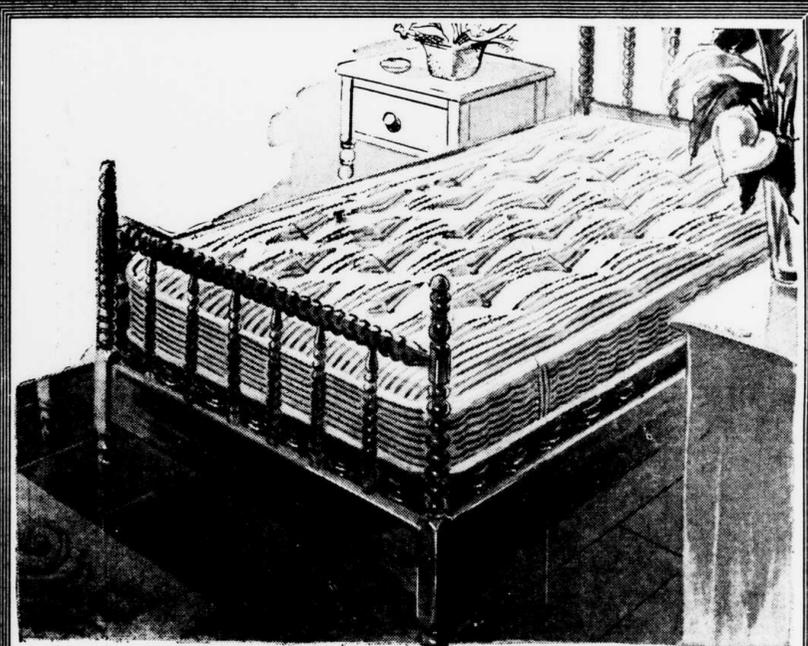
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**Gen. McClure Denies Discrimination in Handling War News**

**Insists British Press Gets No Favoritism On African Dispatches**

By the Associated Press.  
 LONDON, Dec. 14.—Brig. Gen. Robert A. McClure issued a statement today categorically denying what he said was "recent editorial comment in United States newspapers falsely describing what is purported to be a discriminatory policy against the American press" in war coverage.

Gen. McClure, chief of staff of the United States Army in the European theater of operations, did not specify the source of the editorial comment. A similar statement issued simultaneously at the British Ministry of Information, however, mentioned "articles" in the New York Daily News, December 11, and the Chicago Tribune, December 12.

The controversy apparently concerned chiefly dispatches from North Africa, which in some cases have been delayed more than a week.

(A Washington dispatch Friday to the New York Daily News declared that "behind the scenes of the North African campaign a furious battle is being waged between United States and British authorities over a discriminatory policy against American newspapermen that is inflicting an overwhelming time handicap on this country's press.")

(London newspapers were declared scooping the world daily by from six hours to as many days. "As explained to the News by spokesmen for the Office of War Information and the War Department," the dispatch said, "the reason is that because of the limited facilities in North Africa, our correspondents must route their stories through London. Already once censored at the original filing point in North Africa, the stories are again subject to the blue pencil in London before being retransmitted to the United States.")

(The Chicago Tribune in an editorial December 12 entitled "Via London" declared: "A number of readers have asked us why so much of the news of the American operations in North Africa carries a London dateline. We don't know, but we share the belief that the dispatches should come to us directly from Gen. Eisenhower's headquarters, without being filtered through another censorship or rewritten. The American reporters at the front are capable. Their work is not likely to be improved by being rewritten by British newspapermen whose journalistic standards, in

the main, are less exacting than ours.")

**Discrimination Denied.**  
 "It has been erroneously stated," Gen. McClure said, "that British wire services are able to obtain better transmission of dispatches than American agencies; that the War Office in London daily supplies correspondents with information not available in Washington."

"London journals have also had a reflection of this false impression in cables received from North Africa which describe the holding up of American dispatches in favor of British stories. Still further evidence of the general misunderstanding has been found in comments concerning censorship delays in London."

"There has been no discrimination between the British and the American press . . . there has been no unusual censorship delay in London and all stories marked 'censored' are passed to the proper agencies immediately. Others are cleared as quickly as possible. (Most North African dispatches have come through United States Army headquarters in London.)"

"The War Office in London has not given out information that was not available to correspondents in North Africa. If an occasional British dispatch has been cleared before an American story it was solely the result of good fortune in communications and there is no record of this occurring consistently."

**Field Censorship Difficult.**  
 "Field censorship is always difficult and time-involving. The communications system between North Africa and London and the United States has been severely taxed since the task forces made their landings."

"Our censors, our public relations officers and our communications officers are doing all within their power to provide expedient and fair transmittal of all news dispatches. It is hoped the American press will take steps to correct the false impression, wherever it exists."

(More detailed accounts of the fighting in North Africa were

promised by Secretary Stimson in Washington Saturday.  
 "At the same time that we are laying the foundations for our military operations," he said in a statement, "we are laying the foundation for good communications to go along when the matter is settled, and when the line of communications have been completed and the radio stations have been acquired and developed, we can communicate directly with Africa instead of through other round-about channels which involve delay.")

The British statement detailed the mechanics of handling different sorts of messages and concluded: "There is no delay whatever in London. Delays occur at the source and also because of transmission difficulties."

**Steve Vasilakos Honored At Rally in New York**

Steve Vasilakos, White House peanut vendor who has been giving away sacks of peanuts with each War bond purchased at his stand, was honored last night at a rally of the American Civic Educational Progressive Association in New York.

Steve was presented by his physician from attending the bond rally because of a heart ailment. The Greek society has chosen him the "common people's man of the year."

In a message to the rally, Steve defined America as meaning freedom to make an honest living without interference.

Secretary of the Treasury Morgenthau, in a communication, said Steve has "shown himself to be the finest type of citizen."  
 "While the vendor: 'I have never bothered anybody in my life, and nobody has stood in my way of making a living. This is what America has meant and means to me. If we lose this war, I will not be able to sell peanuts at my stand any more—I don't want that to happen to me.'"

**French Give Freedom To British Internees Held in West Africa**

**Dakar Radio Declares Situation With England 'Completely Clarified'**

By the Associated Press.  
 All British internees in French West Africa have been released, it was learned authoritatively today.

Word of this action by French authorities has been received by the State Department here and by the American Embassy in London, and coincides with broadcasts by Radio Dakar to the effect that serious differences between the Darlan administration in Africa and the British government have been clarified.

"On all our frontiers," the Dakar radio said, "the situation is completely clarified and no dispute separates us any longer from the British. Our task is defined. There is henceforth only one duty for all to work, to prepare and when the time comes, to fight. There is henceforth but one aim—the common victory."

The Dakar radio, in emphasizing French West Africa's desire to cooperate, quoted Lt. Gen. Dwight

Eisenhower, chief of American forces in North Africa, as follows:  
 "In order to attain our great common goal the needs of the armies of the United States, of its Allies and of French Africa must take precedence over all others."  
 Particular significance was attached to the Dakar announcement, since it was at Dakar that Vichy France and Britain came close to open war. That was in the summer of 1940, when a British-supported Free French squadron attempted to take the strategic base and withdrew after shelling the town and damaging French warships.

**St. Andrew's Society Plans Burns Fete**

Plans for celebration January 23 of the 184th anniversary of the birth of Robert Burns, Scottish poet, were announced today by the St. Andrew's Society of Washington.

A procession of kiln-clad Scotsmen bearing a genuine Haggis pudding and reading of the poet's "Address to the Haggis" will climax the anniversary as it has in the past. There will also be Highland dancing, and bagpipe playing.

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- Door Decoration. Set of three frosted (real) pine cones. Colorful with bells and ribbon. Set . . . 95c

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- To Yourself!

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Corsets—Second Floor



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- ALL NEW STYLES!
- BRIGHT PASTELS!
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- LINGERIE TRIM!

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Kann's—Budget Dress Shop—Second Floor



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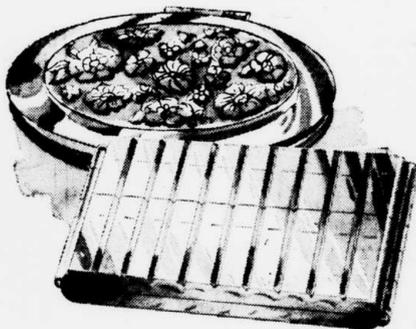
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—Smart, clever, lightweight! Holds full pack, each cigarette in its separate compartment. No crushing. In crystal, tortoise, ruby, emerald and sapphire colors.

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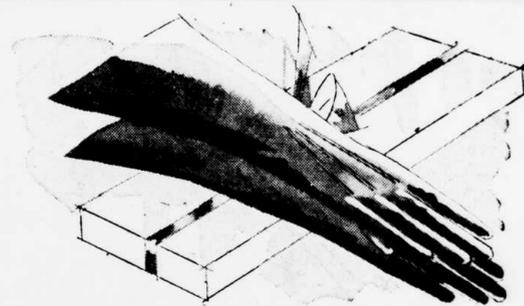
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Specially Priced!

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—"Beautyskins" for the most discriminating women of know! Because they're made of only the most perfect imported skins . . . are treated with almond cream . . . are washable and perspiration-proof . . . are soft and fragrant! We show a four-button classic pullon . . . available in white, black, brown and other important colors. Sizes 5 1/4 to 7 1/2.

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Kann's—Gloves—Street Floor.



# Despite Everything... Dreams of Childhood Must Come True...

Wars may be raging all around the globe... the people of every nation may be undergoing unusual hardships and sacrifices... the whole world may be topsy-turvy, BUT... childhood dreams at Christmastime must be made to come true! We've pictured here a few of the many things we know youngsters dream about, things that would make them genuinely happy on Christmas morning. Time is getting short! Christmas will be here before you realize it. And the children you know... your own, your nephews and nieces, your neighbors', or your distant friends' children... all of them are, in a way, depending on you to help make their dreams come true.



**Big Baby Doll**, 23 inches high "Chuckles." She cries, has sleeping eyes, soft body, long lashes and open mouth. Adorably dressed!... **\$5.00**  
(Toys, Fourth Floor)



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**Hood and Mittens** to keep Jack Frost from nipping little ones! Warm, cozy yarns in many bright colors. Gift boxed. **\$1.39 to \$2.29**  
Separate Hoods... **\$1.00**  
(Milliners, Street and Second Floors)



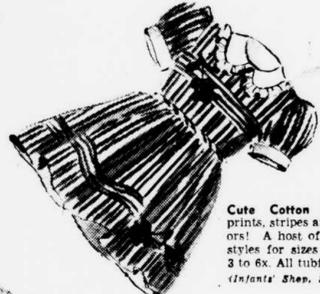
A Bag "Like Mother's" will delight little ladies! Hosts of styles in simulated leathers and pretty fabrics. Tan, brown, red, green and navy. **\$1.00**  
(Handbags, Street Floor)



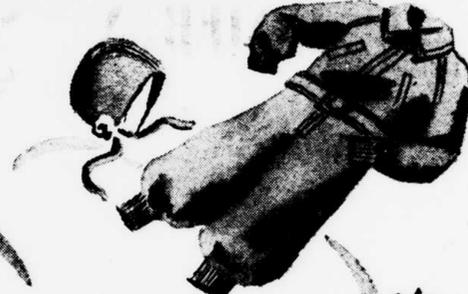
"Squeaking" **Bunny Slippers** for tots, sizes 4 to 12! Soft, furry shearling in blue, pink or cream. Bunny head "squeaks" at every step!... **\$1.59**  
(Slippers, Fourth Floor)



**Warm 'n' Cozy Robe** in fluffy cotton chenille. Berry, blue or rose with matching cord. Generously cut for little ones, sizes 3 to 6. **\$2.99**  
(Infants' Shop, Fourth Floor)



**Cute Cotton Dresses** in prints, stripes and solid colors! A host of enchanting styles for sizes 1 to 3 and 3 to 6x. All tubfast! **\$1.25**  
(Infants' Shop, Second Floor)



**Snow Baby Suit**, a wonderful one-piece style with zipper front and knitted anklets and wristlets to keep out Jack Frost! Sizes 2, 3, 4. Blue, red, navy... **\$5.99**  
Separate Hat to match... **79c**  
(Infants' Shop, Fourth Floor)



**Primary Blocks** for tiny tots! Big bagful of blocks, 70 in all—made of smooth wood in many shapes, sizes, and bright colors... **\$1.00**  
(Toys, Fourth Floor)

**Little Boys' Suits** in a grand array of styles! Solid color pants with striped top, and solid colors with contrasting trim. Some with belts and ties. Sizes 3 to 6x. **\$1.99**  
(Infants' Shop, Fourth Floor)



**Bunny Fur Mitts** will make them clap their hands with joy. White with green or white palms. Warmly lined—smart and comfy... **\$2.00**  
Plus Tax  
(Gloves, Street Floor)



**Sleeping Dog**, such a lazy but lovable pooch! He wants to sleep all the time, and little tots just love to cuddle him—he's so nice and soft! **\$2.09**  
(Toys, Fourth Floor)



"Old Spice" Soap Babies—"Martha, Matilda and Jane"! All with paper bonnets tied with ribbon and nestled in a lovely gift box the little lady can use later for her trinkets... **\$1.00**  
(Toiletries, Street Floor)



**Hankie Booklets** combine the novel with the practical! "Toll Time," "Bambi" and "Pick-a-Hankie" picture booklets. From three to seven hankies in each... **59c**  
(Handkerchiefs, Street Floor)

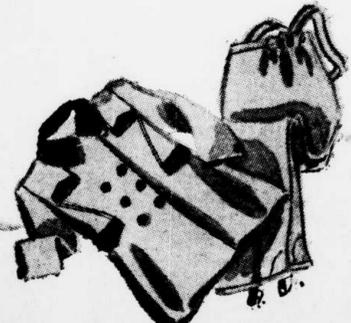
**Charming Jewelry**, nicely boxed, is a thrilling gift for "little women"! Bracelets, necklaces and pins in gold and silver finishes, simulated pearls and sterling silver... **\$1.00**  
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(Jewelry, Street Floor)



**Soft 'n' Warm Sweaters** in pretty button-front style. Dainty pastels and smart dark shades. For tots, sizes 1 to 3 and 3 to 6x... **\$1.99**  
(Infants' Shop, Fourth Floor)

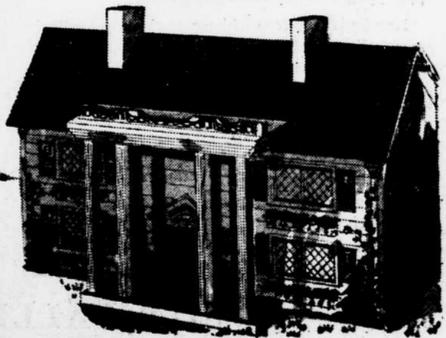
"Paint Without Paints"—4 invisible color paint books and a paint brush, completely boxed! "Mother Goose" and other verses! Amusing and educational... **60c**

**Telephone Book**... full of things to do, and two phones to talk thru... **\$1.00**  
(Downstairs Bookstore)



**Little Girls' Coat Sets** in snug tweeds and fleeces, some with soft cotton velvet trim. Fully lined, zipper-fastened leggings to match. Many styles in sizes 3 to 6x. **\$12.98**  
(Infants' Shop, Fourth Floor)

**Doll House** to thrill every little girl! Four rooms completely furnished with 114 pieces of furniture, including pictures and simulated rugs. Unassembled, easy to set up... **\$2.98**  
(Toys, Fourth Floor)



### Roles of Captive and Captor Played by U. S. Ensign in Africa; Strafed by Own Aircraft

Separated from the Coast Guard transport unloading troops north of Casablanca, a small detachment of Navy men led by Ensign Harry A. Storts, 26, Peoria, Ill., spent four hectic days ashore as captors, then as captives of French forces, during which they were strafed by American planes, the Navy disclosed over the week end.

Ensign Storts' story follows: "I was in command of a tank lighter. We left the ship according to schedule, but on the way in we developed engine trouble. We had just about got that fixed in good order when an enemy plane that looked like a Messerschmitt came down and strafed us. We lost one man and the boat filled with water. We were able to make an emergency landing and get the rest of the men ashore, but we were forced to land several miles up the beach from the main landing operation. This meant that we were isolated in hostile territory.

Planes Came Over. "Shortly after we landed, eight planes came over after us and we lost several men. Everybody, including coast guardsmen and soldiers,

dug themselves into shallow pits and fox holes. This was about noon, and every half hour during the rest of the day the planes came over and strafed us. In the meantime, we were forced to keep up an intermittent duel with snipers who were trying to pick us off from concealed positions inland. We thought it would never get dark, but it finally did. By this time we had lost another man and had three wounded and we decided to send for help.

"Five men salvaged a rubber raft and started for a destroyer anchored offshore. Four others and myself started to walk to the town of Fedala. We took enough rations for one meal and three canteens of water. We walked all Sunday night and all day Monday, and after dark Monday we arrived at an Army command post. The officer in command detached a force to relieve our men on the beach. I went with them to show them the way.

"Early Tuesday morning as we came around a bend in the road we surprised a group of French soldiers eating breakfast. We quickly made them prisoners and took them along with us. However, our trip was in vain. When we reached the beach we found that the men we had left there were gone.

Captives of French. "They themselves had been captured by the French. This information was given to us at this point by one of our French prisoners. "There seemed to be nothing to do but return to the Army command post, but before we left we 'booby-trapped' the equipment we had originally left on the beach. Then we started back on the route that we had already been over twice before.

"The country was flat, but occasionally we had to detour around ravines or heavy brush. We were getting along well when suddenly native soldiers appeared all around us as if by magic and opened fire. Their sand-colored clothing had camouflaged them and they seemed to emerge from the ground. There were between 150 and 200 of them led by French officers. In the first burst of fire they killed several of our men and eight of the French soldiers that we had originally captured. Every other member of our party was wounded.

"We were then taken to the first-aid station at Bouznika. On the way we saw several other ambushes similar to the one into which we had fallen. At Bouznika the French treated our wounds and sent us on

in a truck which was attacked by one of our own planes. The truck was put out of commission. "Plane Fires on Group. "By this time we were very tired and somewhat confused. In one day we had captured a force of Frenchmen, been captured ourselves by other French who had fired on their own men in doing so. Then one of our own planes had fired on us. At any rate we walked back to Bou-

haut and spent Tuesday night there. The French treated us as well as they could, but there was only enough food for those seriously wounded and only two glasses of water per man. "The next morning, Wednesday, we heard that Casablanca had fallen. We got hold of a French priest who could speak English and demanded that we be released. In a short time the French allowed us to leave, although only two of us, another man and myself, were able to walk. We were driven to Fedala, where my ship had docked, and I got aboard at noon, exactly four days after I had left it in the landing boat."

### WHEN SHOULD A FAMILY BORROW IN WAR-TIME?

MANY PEOPLE hesitate to borrow in war-time. Their hesitation is justified. This is a time to avoid debts if you can do so without undue hardship. It is better for you and for the war effort to reduce your debts if you can.

Before you get a loan in these times, be sure that you really need it. Much borrowing which is reasonable enough in peacetime now appears extravagant and unwarranted. Don't borrow to buy something you may be able to get along without. Don't get a loan to pay for a trip which you may not need to take at all. Don't borrow to buy new things if you can make your old things do for the duration. In short, before you borrow, ask yourself if a loan is necessary and will be really helpful.

If a personal loan, repayable in monthly instalments, is the best solution to your financial problem, come in and talk it over with us.

When a loan can help a family to work out a constructive financial program, Household lends \$50 to \$300. Loans are made on furniture, cars or without security. We never take wage assignments or require endorsers. The borrower may repay in monthly instalments arranged to fit his own income and situation. Charges are made only for the actual time the borrower has the money. Household's rate is 2% per month. The Maryland Small Loan Law authorizes a maximum rate of 3 1/2% per month.

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\$ 50	\$ 25.75	\$ 17.34	\$13.13	\$ 8.93	\$ 6.83	\$ 5.57							
75	38.63	26.01	19.70	13.39	10.24	8.35	\$ 7.09						
100	51.50	34.68	26.26	17.85	13.65	11.13	9.46						
125	64.38	43.34	32.83	22.32	17.06	13.92	11.82						
150	77.26	52.01	39.39	26.78	20.48	16.70	14.18						
200	103.01	69.35	52.52	35.71	27.30	22.27	18.91						
250	128.76	86.69	65.66	44.63	34.13	27.83	23.64						
300	154.51	104.03	78.79	53.56	40.95	33.40	28.37						

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### Study Planned in South Of Race Bias in Wartime

By the Associated Press. CHAPEL HILL, N. C., Dec. 14.—A special study of rumors and happenings due to racial conflicts in wartime has been started by the Institute for Research in Social Science at the University of North Carolina.

Dr. Howard W. Odum, director of the institute, said that because of the great importance of the study to the South emphasis of the study would be placed on changing race situations.

"Our inquiries will be directed primarily," he said, "for rumors and stories in the white South. These will be supplemented by other stories among the Negroes. Prof. Charles Johnson of Fiske University is making a similar study among Negroes."

He said the institute's preliminary studies would cover the following points:

"Examples of rumors of whatever sort about what 'they say' is going to happen; 'stories' of what 'they' have heard has happened, such as women quitting work for one purpose or another; actual happenings, such as treatment of Negroes in buses or railway stations or the relationships between soldiers and citizens, and also special incidents that are on the positive side, where whites and Negroes have done something especially good or outstanding."

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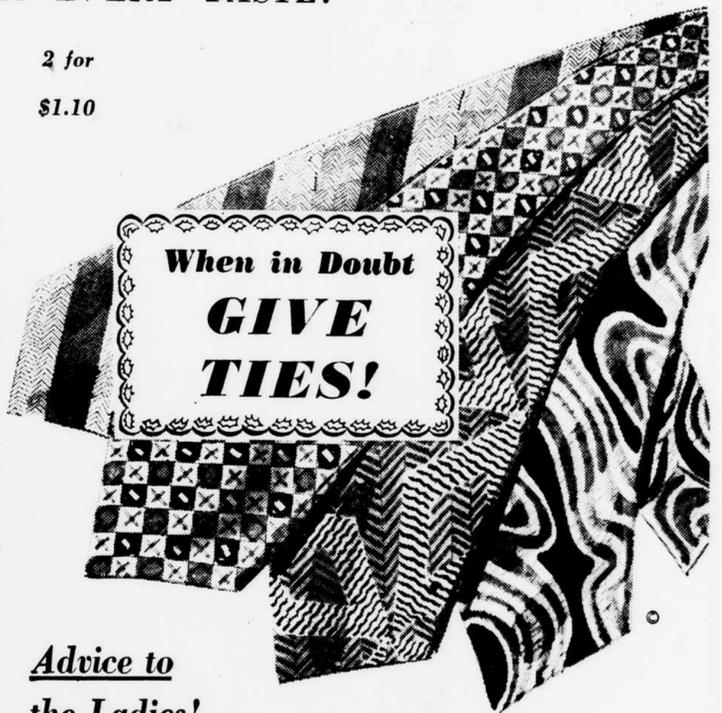
59¢

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\$1.10

—You'll never find a more pleasing selection of TIES than right here in this group at this low price. Good-looking patterns, smart styling, resilient construction for easy tying. Rayon fabrics in handsome patterns, stripes, neat and bold figures, all-over patterns and paisleys.

Men's Store—First Floor.



When in Doubt GIVE TIES!

Advice to the Ladies!

## Mens' Winter Weight

HOSE

69¢ 3 Pairs \$2.00



—Discontinued styles from a famous maker of finer quality hose—some are all wool, others are part wool and part cotton, each properly labeled with fabric content in a variety of colorful patterns—including Argyle and clock effects. Sizes 10 to 12 in the group.

Kamm's Men's Store—Street Floor

**Sun Valley IDAHO**  
 Winter Sports Capital of the Nation  
**CLOSES**  
**DECEMBER 20, 1942**  
 to Help Win the War

Manpower shortage, food and fuel rationing and transportation congestion make advisable the closing of America's great year 'round resort for the duration of the war emergency.

Hundreds of patrons with reservations for the Christmas holidays and throughout the winter season are being notified as rapidly as possible.

Although Sun Valley, deep in the Sawtooth Mountains in Idaho, went on a horse and buggy status many weeks before gasoline rationing so that buses and other gasoline-propelled vehicles could be released for more essential tasks, the Sun Valley management has decided that its entire personnel can be more usefully occupied during this period.

Curtailment of travel is being advocated by our government and food and fuel rationing causes serious

dislocation of local supplies by unnecessary shifting of civilian population.

Therefore, the operators, the Union Pacific Railroad, whose Board Chairman is in London as Special Representative of the President in Great Britain, and whose President, W. M. Jeffers, is in Washington as Rubber Director, deem it in the interest of the times to close this world famous resort.

Since its opening in 1936, Sun Valley has become internationally famous. Its success is testimony to its setting in the mountains, its unrivalled facilities for skiing, skating, dog-sledding and outdoor warm water swimming in the Winter, and swimming, riding, trap-shooting, golf, tennis and outdoor ice-skating in the Summer, all of which will be available again after the war.

SUN VALLEY, IDAHO

### Nine District, Nearby Women Enter School At Florida Base

#### Rear Admiral's Daughter Reports to WAACS; Enlistments Increase

Nine women from Washington and vicinity reported for four weeks basic training at the Daytona Beach, Fla. WAAC training center today.

Among them were Miss Ruth H. Woodson, daughter of Rear Admiral W. B. Woodson, judge advocate general of the Navy, and Miss Mary L. Devereux, telegrapher teacher from the Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Co. Miss Woodson reportedly chose the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps because its members may be assigned to duty on foreign shores.

In the group were: Omie L. Heath, 1740 Euclid street N.W.; Nora L. Smith, 937 K street N.W.; Caroline Stover, 3725 Macomb street N.W.; Rosella E. Mooney, 6114 Fifty-fourth avenue, Riverdale, Md.; Miss Woodson, 2304 E street N.W.; Thelma A. Beamer, 705 East Capitol street; Miss Devereux, 3708 New Hampshire avenue N.W.; Elizabeth W. Vance, 2114 N street N.W.; and Beverly H. Marienthal, 787 Rock Creek Church road N.W.

Enlistments in the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps continue to increase in Washington, according to Lts. Julia M. Kerby and Marian L. MacAdam, WAAC recruiting officers. Thirty-nine women from Washington and nearby areas were sworn in last week at the Eagle Building recruiting office and placed on the reserve list awaiting call to active duty.

They are: Aline M. Brown, 3701 Thirteenth street N.W.; Ruth S. Pedigo, 424 Roger Smith Hotel;

Naomi E. Harris, 1906 Vermont avenue N.W.; Ruth M. Baker, 2440 Sixteenth street N.W.; Olivia S. Easter, 2150 Pennsylvania avenue N.W.; Helen H. White, 1012 Jackson street N.E.; Carolyn M. Williams, Alexandria, Va.; Carmen B. Knox, 5012 Ventnor road; Ruth Freeman, 5518 Fourth street N.W.; Nancy P. Julia, 6443 Thirty-first street N.W.; Julia W. Travis, 316 Seaton place N.E.

Seventeen More Join.

Elsie G. Stewart, 4100 Cathedral avenue N.W.; Joan H. Richmond, 1708 Lamont street N.W.; Lillian A. Florence, 1611 Park road N.W.; Helen Duncan, 5151 Palisade lane; Ethel D. Beardslee, 4106 Third street N.W.; Eleanor W. Gibson, 2806 Bruce

place N.E.; Thelma L. Lytle, 1321 Jackson street N.E.; Madeline Anderson, 1312 Sixteenth street, N.W.; Lillian E. Weisheit, 2113 K street N.W.; Ruth A. Bakke, 1539 I street N.W.; Kaye M. Munari, 918 Nineteenth street N.W.; Ora L. Harris, 1915 Fourteenth street N.W.; Aileen M. Nisewarner, 900 Nineteenth street N.W.; Mary B. Wahl, 1121 Twenty-fourth street N.W.; Charlotte M. Jenkins, 1310 Sixteenth street N.W.; Elizabeth A. Leeper, 2000 Connecticut avenue N.W.; Rosemary Krieger, Fillmore Gardens, Arlington, Va.

Edith L. Hyde, Leonardtown, Md.; Anna F. Nesbitt, 1622 N street N.W.; Mary T. Wall, 4520 Georgia avenue N.W.; Wilfred I. Powell, 2126 R

street N.W.; Gertrude M. McCarthy, 2415 First street N.W.; Margaret B. Johnson, 723 K street N.E.; Adeline C. Rome, Silver Spring, Md.; Ruth Corbeth, 3305 Eighteenth street N.W.; Mae I. Conners, 2820 Pennsylvania avenue S.E.; Anna M. Zepp, 1784 Lanier place N.W.; and Mary S. Bowles, 4709 Riverdale road, Riverdale, Md.

**W. C. McKemie Dies**

RICHMOND, Va., Dec. 14 (AP).—William C. McKemie, 39, head of a bottling company here, was stricken with a heart attack and died yesterday while drilling with a unit of the Virginia Reserve Militia cavalry.

### Union Wishes Congress Merry Christmas, Maybe

The National Federation of Post Office Clerks, one of the AFL affiliates that campaigned unsuccessfully for a straight pay raise for Government employees, today wished Congress a "merry Christmas"—maybe.

A statement by Thomas H. Garrison, secretary of the Publicity Committee, telegraphed from Kansas City, said:

"There will be a quorum of workers in every post office in America,

every day, Sundays and holidays included, as long as there is a piece of mail to be worked, regardless of the inequities visited upon us by a negligent Congress or an apathetic public. The mail will go through.

"The art of working under duress of forgetfulness or neglect belongs to the veterans of the post office service and other Government agencies. With all this and more we do wish every member of the Congress a merry Christmas, a very restful vacation and a happy New Year."

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**Elizabeth Arden**

Her new, giftable Lipstick \$1 (Plus 10% tax)

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The Lipstick—the same fine, velvety texture women love.

20 Fashionable shades—the one most flattering to her surely must be here!

"Gifts from the Land of Enchantment" are Arden Gifts of Beauty! Perfumes, Colognes, Gift Sets!

Jelleff's—Exclusive Arden Section—Street Floor

# Rayon Stockings

—if they're GOLD STRIPE they're GIFT-RIGHT!

For well over thirty years the Gold Stripe has stood for stocking leadership the world over. Today it is your guide to quality in rayon stockings as identified in Gold Stripe Futuray, the stocking success of the times, the gift stocking of Christmas!

At \$1.35 3 pairs \$3.90  
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—"Adjustables" of Futuray rayon with cotton tops, adjustable to short, medium and long lengths.

—Short length (averaging 27 inches). Futuray rayons for junior misses.

—Everyday standby, service-sheer rayons, 100 denier, in smart daytime shades.

—Oursize Futuray rayons with cotton top and foot, sizes 9½ to 11.

—Sheerer, duller 75 denier Futuray rayon stockings with the "Gold Stripe" below which no garter run can pass.

—"Adjustables" — most satisfactory answer to your gift problems because these stockings fit all length requirements!

—Black Stockings, smart in or out of the "service"! Regular tops as well as "Adjustables".

—Sheer glamour in 50 denier (equivalent to 2-thread) Futuray rayon stockings.

—"Adjustables" in lovely 75 denier (equivalent to 3-thread weight). Short, medium, tall, these stockings fit all.

—Smart mesh stockings of Futuray rayon, in black and lovely new shades.

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Gloves \$5

You're giving her one of the finest gloves obtainable. The skins are imported from Arabia and styled here "just so," especially for us. They wash easily, beautifully, and will not crack.

White, Black, Brown, Beiges

Glove gifts for every feminine name on your list. Wool mittens to elbow-length evening gloves!

Jelleff's—Christmas Gloves, Street Floor



Smart, serviceable!

Alligator-grained calf Handbags \$5

Shoulder Strap, Panier Pouch, Underarm Pouch, Black, Brown, Rust

She'll be so pleased receiving one of these; the graining is so natural it looks real; the leather is supple as fine alligator. Pick any one of these beauties for a grand and glorious Christmas. All have wall pocket and zip sections!

From an abundant gift assortment of Jelleff bags—\$2 to \$20.

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# Fish Dinner in Style

## Leonard Feasts Fellow Members On Seafood at Jeudi Club

As Reported by Arthur H. Deute

Last week, the four couples who make up the membership of the Club de Jeudi meets every Thursday evening at one home after another, to see what the male members can do when it comes to cooking dinner, were all a-dither and a-twitter. There was to be a great fish dinner, prepared by Leonard, himself, the fisherman of the group. A mess of rockfish had been guaranteed. But it so happened that a really heavy storm came up, and the rock, as they are known by one and all, hunted the low levels of the Bay. Also, it seems they became seasick and lost all interest in the choicest bait. This, however, did not stop the indomitable Leonard. He merely stopped in at his favorite fish market and laid in a good supply of flounder (popularly known hereabouts as "sole") and a nice sea-trout. The sea-food dinner would come off as per schedule, win, lose or draw, in spite of high water or storms. Promptly at seven, Leonard fired his bow and the service began. As a fish dinner, it was very, very satisfying. As an example of culinary art performed by the mere male, it was excellent. One might whisper, though, that when all is said and done, this dinner is more spectacular than difficult. One does not have to be a wizard of the skillet to do it up brown. The menu was:

- Fish Chowder
- Filet of Flounder Almondine
- Silver Potatoes
- Sliced Cucumbers
- "Catfish Alley" Corn Bread
- Bottled Beer
- Melon
- Demi Tasse

Here are the recipes, as supplied by Roy himself:

### FISH CHOWDER

Remove all bones from a 2-pound sea trout, cut fish into bits half an inch square. Peel and dice half a dozen medium potatoes to same size as fish. Mince an onion size of an egg. Cover with water and cook until potatoes are tender—don't boil—just simmer. Last of all, add six cups of milk, half a stick of melted butter, salt and pepper to taste. Heat up, stirring gently. This makes eight generous cupsful.

### FILET OF FLOUNDER ALMONDINE

Have ready the slices of flounder figuring 16 slices for the party. Also have ready a cupful of blanched almonds. Melt butter in a skillet in which to fry the fish. Dip each slice in flour to which salt has been added. Fry it on both sides to a good golden color. Then place fried filets on a serving platter. With the butter still in the skillet, pour in the almonds, adding more butter if needed. Cook the almonds to a light tan. Then pour butter and almonds over the flounder. Garnish with parsley. Serve.

### SILVER POTATOES

Silver potatoes are raw potatoes peeled and cut into toothpicks and cooked in deep fat until crisp. Then dry out on brown paper.

### "CAT FISH ALLEY" CORN BREAD

Mix three cups of yellow corn meal with just enough boiling water to make a rather stiff dough. Add a little salt and, last of all, six tablespoons of leftover bacon fat. Spread this mixture in a baking dish or tin, but be careful to keep it thin—only about three-quarters of an inch. Cook in 400 degrees for 10 minutes and then reduce heat to about 350, and continue until dry in the center. This is crispy, crusty "pone"—grand with fish.

### BEER IS, OF COURSE, FINAL

Beer is, of course, final, but if you like beer, here is the place for it. Have the melon well iced. And serve coffee in small cups, to make it go further.

# Have Children Read Aloud In Class

## Helps Train Vocal Organs in Right Infections

By Angelo Patri

There are many complaints about the inability of older school pupils to read with benefit to themselves. In my experience these complaints are amply justified. There are many boys and girls of secondary school age who read poorly, much too poorly if they are to accomplish their tasks.

Many of these children have foreign-born parents who talk their own language at home. They live in the "colony" and all their neighbors, and their companions, talk that language. The children, torn between two forces, school and home, compromise and talk a composite of English and the home language.

This makes for a peculiar accent, an odd pronunciation, peculiar construction of sentences. The children think in those terms. When they are in school they hear a language strange to their ears, to their minds and to their tongues. They mess up the English language as they read poorly. They spell miserably, their attempts at composition are sad. The teachers struggle with them in a vain endeavor to force them to reach the standard of English set by the course of study, a standard difficult enough for the English-speaking child.

When it comes to reading, the teacher's work is cut out for him. If he tries to correct pronunciation he has every word to correct, for the fundamental principle should be endeavor to correct and teach one pupil, the rest of the class will be idle. Yet something must be done to teach the English language, spoken and written, to these children.

One of the best ways imaginable is to have them read aloud. Increase their reading time and insist upon hearing them read. Silent reading for such children is going to get them nowhere. They need to train their vocal organs to the demands of our tongue, the needs of the infection, the emphasis, the very tones of the language. That is not done in silent reading.

The most practiced readers often slide over words that are unfamiliar and snatch the meaning from the context. These beginners in reading guess at the pronunciation of a word and let the meaning go if they read silently. The result of this is that many of them talk in the same way that they read. Their words are an imitation of the right one.

We had a foreign-born boy in his early teens who seemed to be intelligent but who could not master the English language sufficiently to read a problem, or write a correct sentence. When we studied his difficulty we discovered that he did not pronounce English words correctly. Some of his words were fantastic in comparison with the ones he thought he was using. His speech and the teacher's speech were as far apart as any two different tongues could be, but he thought he was talking English.

All backward children, all children of foreign parentage who are struggling with our language, all beginners of reading—and this includes the primary grades—should read orally, should read often, do much talking, exercise their speech powers until they acquire command of correct forms. Silent reading does not meet the needs of such children.

### Clean Coffee Pot

A strong solution of borax and water boiled in the coffee pot occasionally will help to keep it sweet.

# Warm Set for Baby



By Peggy Roberts

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# Presenting Mr. Snowman!

## He Is Easy to Make and May Be Used As Substitute for Christmas Tree

By Adelaide Kerr

Ever decorate with a snowman instead of a Christmas tree? He is very inexpensive and has a jaunty air which children love. Besides, he may be easier to obtain this year when there are fewer Christmas greens and priorities have laid a hand on tree trimmings.

Make the materials required to make the snowman: 1 fold of white crepe paper and one of green; 3 tissue balls (1 large, 1 medium, 1 small); 1 yard-long dowel stick 3/8 inch in diameter; 1 sheet of white cardboard; 2 sheets of heavy paper, 1 red and 1 black; 2 yards of white linen tape; 1 spool of wire; 1 dozen 18-inch wires and 1 high hat.

And here is the way the snowman is made: A good solid standard begins with the dowel stick wrapped closely with a strip of white paper cut across the grain 1 inch wide. After this, place 8 or more double pieces

of 18-inch wire around the stick at one end, so that half of their length protrudes at the end, and wrap the other ends to the stick with paper. Next, bend the wires, chicken's foot fashion, and fasten them with gummed linen tape to the top of a cardboard circle 9 inches in diameter. Finally, brush paste on top of the circle and cover with white crepe paper.

To fashion the snowman's body, open the three big white tissue balls and slip them over the dowel stick. Out of the black paper cut circles for eyes and buttons, and fasten them on with gummed linen tape. Use red paper for the mouth.

To make the arms, cut a 20-inch square of white crepe paper. Stretch it thoroughly, roll it around a broomstick, and fasten the edge with paste. Then crush the paper down along the stick. Draw out the stick and paste the crushed tube in place on the snowman. Repeat the process for the second arm. Cut out mittens from red paper and paste to each end of the crushed paper tube.

To make the scarf, cut a piece of green paper across the grain, 36 inches by 10 inches. Slit bands of white paper across each end and slash the ends into a fringe. Add the hat, which can be bought, and the snowman is ready.

The day before Christmas, set him on a table and bank the Christmas packages around him in a gaily colored heap.

# Principal Food Sources of Vitamin C

## Leafy Vegetables, Fruit, Potatoes Are the Best

By Edith M. Barber

"Can you tell me an easy way of finding out whether I am giving my family enough vitamin C in their daily meals?" writes a reader. It so happens it is relatively easy to check on the vitamin C intake. The National Research Council has recommended that at least 75 milligrams a day should be allowed for each person.

The principal food sources of this vitamin are citrus fruits, tomatoes and some of our raw, leafy vegetables. If we take half a cup of orange juice for using one whole one, we will have 45 of those necessary milligrams. The same amount of canned grapefruit juice will provide 30 milligrams, while canned tomato juice will give us 19. If possible, a double quantity of these fruit juices might be added. A half a cup of pineapple juice provides 15 milligrams.

Among the other best contributors of this vitamin are cauliflower and cabbage. One quarter of a small head of cauliflower—which might be one serving—provides in its raw form at the vitamin C we need for a day. Some of this, however, is lost in cooking. For this reason, raw cauliflower should be used more often than it is in salads. One cup of chopped cabbage, in raw form, will give us 30 milligrams, and there is good reason for using one raw and other types of cabbage salad.

Practically all salad greens contribute vitamin C. Raw turnip is also a good source and can be used cut in strips, like carrots, as a relish. Among fruits other than those mentioned, apples, peaches, plums, pears and grapes, all of which are in season just now, provide small amounts. If we use a citrus fruit or tomato juice once a day, take some other fruit daily and eat a raw salad and a cooked vegetable beside potatoes, we will get our quota of vitamin C. It should be noted that potatoes contribute valuable amounts of this vitamin and because we generally eat them every day they are valuable sources.

### PINEAPPLE, CABBAGE AND PIMENTO SALAD

- 1 cup shredded canned pineapple.
- 2 cups shredded cabbage.
- 2 minced pimentos.
- 1/2 cup mayonnaise.
- Cabbage leaves.
- 2 tablespoons capers or minced olives.

Mix pineapple, cabbage, pimentos and mayonnaise. Arrange each serving in cup made of cabbage leaves on individual plates and sprinkle with capers or minced olives. Yield, six servings.

### FRESH FRUIT CUP

A mixture of fresh fruits in whatever proportion desired may be used. All fruit should be thoroughly chilled and carefully prepared. A little grenadine or grape juice may be added for color and sweetening. Sherry or port wine or a liqueur may be added. The cup may be garnished with mint sprigs. Orange or lemon ice is delicious with many fruit cups when added just before serving. Allow about one-half cup fruit for each serving.

# Writing to Serviceman

## Keep Letters Cheerful; Tell Him Choice Stories About Friends

By Dorothy Dix

A young girl asks me if I will tell her how to write a letter to a boy friend who is in the Army. She isn't in love with him or he with her, so there is no sentimental interest involved, as the movies say. Otherwise, the matter would be easy. She would just let herself go and slush over on paper with endearments and sign it with X X X (kisses) and she'd feel as if she had written a poem. The recipient would gloat over it because it would bolster his belief that Clark Gable has nothing on him as a lady killer. Also it would make entertaining reading when passed among the other boys at camp.

But deprived of this source of inspiration the girl finds that writing letters to a boy toward whom she entertains only kindly feelings is rather hard going. After she has told Joe that she had received his last letter and is glad to hear that he is well, she doesn't know how to go on from there. Yet she knows how heartening a letter from home always is and how dejected and neglected one always feels when the postal clerk says, "Nothing for you." Hence she wants to do her bit by cheering up the lads at the front but when she sits down to put pen on paper, she discovers that suddenly she has gone dumb.

There used to be a handy little volume called "The Complete Letter Writer" that contained forms for letters in which one had only to insert "Dear Mary" or "My Beloved Evalina" or "Tom" or "Dick" or "Harry," according to the name and sex of the one to whom you were going to send the missive and presto, the job was done. There was a place for the most eloquent language, expressing the most beautiful sentiments, varied to suit any occasion, a letter that any one would be proud to write and pleased to get and no coddling of the brain or chewing the fat was involved. If you have met a long felt want with many a youth and maiden but, alas, this valuable help in a time of trouble is out of print now and boys and girls are left to flounder around in the epistolary quagmire as best they can.

To these I would gladly hold out a helping hand, but about the best advice I can give them is, first, not to write anything in a letter that they would not be willing to see published in their home paper, and secondly, not to write letters that are gobs of gloom. "Nothing for you," cannot be cheerful in a letter, keep away from the ink pot. Remember that anything that is written seems 10 times as fatal and final as when it is spoken. When our friends tell us about their troubles we pat them on the back and say, "There, there, don't have met a long felt want with many a youth and maiden but, alas, this valuable help in a time of trouble is out of print now and boys and girls are left to flounder around in the epistolary quagmire as best they can."

But when the writers say their hearts are breaking and their world is full of woe, we brood over it and it poisons our days and keeps us awake at night.

Don't write him that his mother is looking terrible and that she bursts into tears every time she speaks about him.

Don't feel it your sacred duty to tell him that his best girl is going around with a nasty stranger or that Tom Smith has got his place at the bank.

It isn't necessary to tell him about all of the gay parties the bunch are going to.

Write him all the jolly gossip you can pick up for he is a lot more interested in knowing what is going on at home than he is in what is being done in the territories of Europe. Tell him about your war work and how many sweaters you are knitting and how you are getting along with your first-aid class so that he will feel that you are trying to serve your country your way, just as he is doing in his. Only impress on him that his is the big way and yours is the little way. And don't forget to keep telling him in every letter how the crowd misses him, how they talk about him and how proud they are of him. Pat him on the back and blow the bugle for him.

White him little stories about the people he knows. About your kid nephew painting up his dog's mouth with his mother's lipstick because he thought ladies with red mouths looked so cheerful. About the two little cuties who walked out on the Red Cross when they found that they would have to wear caps at their work that would hide their new permanent; about fussy Mrs. Jones who sent a list of all of her son's favorite dishes to the commissary department and so, on and on, about people whom he is interested in.

Pad out your letters by sending your boy friends clippings out of papers and magazines. The boys at the front don't see many of these so cut out the clever little cartoons and the articles about things that they would have to wear caps at their work that would hide their new permanent; about fussy Mrs. Jones who sent a list of all of her son's favorite dishes to the commissary department and so, on and on, about people whom he is interested in.

These advisers are legion. And they meet you on every street corner if you are walking your dog. Your only recourse is to close your ears to them. Just nod knowingly and go on back home without giving the conversation a second thought.

Feed your dog as you always have. If you can get the food. JEAN.

# Spicy Figs in New Pie

This fig sour cream pie is spicy and deliciously appropriate for crisp winter evenings. You'll find everyone enjoys its unusual combination of flavors.

- 1 cup dried figs
- 1 cup brown sugar
- 1/4 tsp. salt
- 1 lbs. quick-cooking tapioca
- 1/2 tsp. allspice
- 1/2 tsp. ginger
- 1 cup sour cream
- 2 eggs
- 4 tbs. white sugar for meringue

Pastry for one 8-inch crust.

Pour boiling water over figs, cover and let stand for about 5 minutes; drain, clip stems and put figs through a food chopper, using medium knife. Combine sugar, salt, tapioca and spices, and blend with cream. Add beaten egg yolks and figs, and mix well. Allow to stand about 10 minutes. Pour into a pastry-lined pie pan and bake about 35 minutes in a moderately hot oven (400 degrees Fahrenheit). Cover with meringue made of egg whites and 4 tablespoons sugar. Bake about 15 minutes in a moderate oven (350 degrees Fahrenheit). Serves six.



This fig sour cream pie is an especially good dessert for cold winter evenings. It is full of vitamins and other nourishing elements, successfully disguised by its luscious flavor and texture. You'll find the recipe to the left.

# From a Woman's Angle . . .

## Nursery School Tests Prove That Grandma Was Right

By Betsy Caswell,

Women's News Editor.

In an article by Dr. Dorothy Baruch, in the American Journal of Orthopsychiatry, the writer states that nursery school tests have proved the fallacy of the "miserable" policy in bringing up children.

This is good news. The stern regime and lack of cuddling so popular with young mothers during the fabulous 20s, always seemed inhuman to me. Grandmothers, who had rocked their youngsters to sleep, kissed bruises and scratches "to stop them from hurting," and permitted a healthy and uninhibited playtime, protested against the new order all in vain. Daughters told them they were old-fashioned; children should be brought up to be independent, obedient and unobtrusive. In other words, to be as little trouble as possible around the house.

Now Grandma is vindicated. According to Dr. Baruch, children of well-to-do parents, brought up under such sterile and cold conditions have shown definite maladjustment. Strong measures had to be adopted by the nursery schools to overcome the unfortunate effects of early training. Children who had never been allowed to "talk back" or even to express an opinion were given dolls, called "Mummy" and "Daddy" and encouraged to abuse them.

Others who were afraid to play because they had been forever told "don't touch," "don't make mess," were turned loose in washable rooms with all the paints and clay for modeling they wanted.

Other extreme measures were used to combat other inhibitions. These all seem almost too severe to most of us, but the schools had to fight firmly rooted beliefs and repressions—and strong methods were necessary.

There would seem to be a lesson for all parents in this. And, if heeded, it should give those babies being born into this warring world a better chance than seemed possible. For, despite all the misery that may await them, they may be sure of a mother's and father's open affection, of being understood, and of having a happy and carefree babyhood. They will not be left alone for hours at a time, frightened and unhappy, just to be "disciplined." In reality the only one that

profited by such "disciplining" was mother, who could go out to a bridge game or the movies, and not be bothered by having to attend to the baby.

The warmth of love, and the joy of its open expression will belong to the babies of 1943, we hope. There is too much hate and turmoil going on all over the world to withhold the smallest scrap of affection from a little child. Now is the time to build the foundation for a future world in which friendliness and affection will predominate. And we can't start with a better cornerstone than the next generation.

So Grandma was right, after all!

# Use Leftover Potatoes

Leftover mashed potatoes (sweet or white), may be fashioned into small cakes, rubbed with melted butter and browned for five minutes in the oven. In these, creamed vegetables, chicken or fish may be served.

# Disinfect Sinks

It is a good plan to disinfect sinks and drains once a week.

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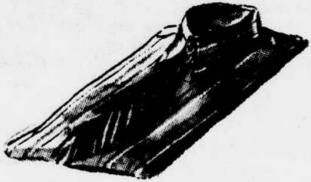
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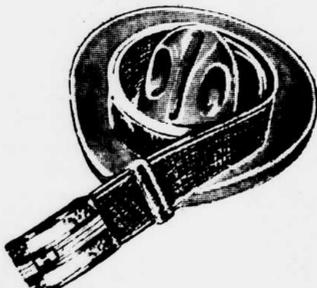
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# Women Even Learn to Eat From Mess Kits In Escorted Tour of Fort Meade

By YVONNE CAHOON, Staff Correspondent.  
FORT MEADE, Md., Dec. 14.—Just give women a little Army life and they won't care if there is a shortage of silk hose. Then it would be woolen socks that would be at a premium. That's what 18 women discovered on a personal inspection tour of the combat training of the 76th Infantry Division. I know. I was one of them.  
It began before dawn. We drove from Washington in—well, one of the girls called them station wagons. "Station wagons nothing," growled the soldier driving. "These are sausage hounds."  
They may have been sausage hounds, but they certainly were cold. "Look, we're at the Moscow front," another girl cried as we approached the fort. "Why didn't I remember my fur-lined boots?"  
**Introduced to Jeeps.**  
The soldiers were drilling on large fields covered with a blanket of snow. We tumbled out of the "sausage hounds" at post headquarters only to face the prospect of boarding a train of jeeps to begin our field observation.  
"How do you get into the things?" demanded one of the girls. The only way we could discover was to step on a small projected bit of steel near a front fender and fall in, a procedure which was repeated many times that day. Getting out involved another method. You stand on the side railing and jump. We finally settled ourselves, bundling our feet in a pair of Army blankets, and the jeeps began to roll toward the outskirts of the fort. "What are those men doing?" cried one amazed girl as she pointed to a group of men who seemed to be taking tumbling lessons.  
"I know! It's the ju-jitsu," exclaimed the girl beside her. "Oh, did you hear that one's back crack as he landed."  
"It's just the 417th Infantry Regiment undergoing its daily ranger training," an officer explained to us. "Every man in the division must have an hour of this training each day."  
**Officers and Men.**  
"But they don't look like soldiers," another girl remarked. "You can't tell the officer from the private, even."  
"It's just that they are wearing fatigue clothes," the officer answered. "And no insignia of rank are worn during this training."  
I saw one man, thrown high in

the air by his partner, come crashing down on the hard snow-packed ground head first with the cry, "ship ahoy."  
From the ranger training grounds we were jolted over rough roads until we came in sight of a row of large jeeps. Looking at our programs, we discovered that it was the field artillery battalion station.  
"How would you like to fire one of these big howitzer guns?" asked Brig. Gen. Henry C. Evans, commander of the 76th Division Artillery.  
"How would I like it? I was thrilled."  
"Pull that handle when I give you the signal," one of the soldiers manning the gun instructed. "And stay away as much as you can from the body of the gun."  
**Like Auto Crank.**  
The handle looked like a crank on an automobile and wasn't more than a foot long. The powder was "rammed" in the gun, and my instructor shouted, "Number 3 all ready, sir."  
He then gave me the signal to pull. I grabbed the handle and lunged away from the gun. It went off with such a thunderous report that I was sent rocking on my very cold feet.  
"It wasn't so bad," I declared nonchalantly. "It didn't knock me down as I thought it would."  
"I can't stand this cold any longer," one girl moaned. "I am going back to the jeep. My feet are frozen."  
"Wait a minute," I said. "There's a soldier with a whole armful of woolen socks. He's passing them out."  
It was like bargain day at a department store. The poor soldier was besieged by 18 women clamoring for the socks. I pulled mine on right over my shoes.  
"Our next stop, one of the 'guides' announced, would be at the lookout station where, with the aid of binoculars, we would be able to observe the effect of the artillery fire on a farmhouse some 6,000 feet away."  
**Telephone From Foxhole.**  
The first shots fell short of the objective.  
"Two M's right," came a voice from nowhere.  
"We looked where the voice came from, and there in a foxhole, calm as you please, was a soldier talking on a telephone. This man, it was explained to us, observed the accuracy of the fire, and by telephone

directed the sighting of the guns. By this time it was close to 2 p.m. and we began looking in vain for the field kitchen. That we were guests was quite forgotten in our clamoring of "when do we eat."  
However, our jeeps, seeming to ignore the fact that it was time to eat, carried us still to another corner of the huge fort. Leaving our transportation, we walked about 200 yards when we met a man in full combat regalia. The name tag which he wore designated him as company commander.  
"Would you care to see some of my men?" he smiled mysteriously.  
**Army Suddenly Rises.**  
No sooner had we answered "yes" than he had raised his whistle to his lips and blew a shrill blast.  
"Oh look, they're popping right out of the ground," the girl standing next to me exclaimed.  
It was just like seeing men rise from the dead. It wasn't long before we were surrounded by several hundred soldiers. They had lain hidden in fox holes and trenches and we had passed not more than five feet from many of them without becoming aware of their presence.  
"It was about that time we caught the familiar odor of hot food. About 100 yards away lay the field kitchen. They call it mutiny in the Navy, and whatever it is called in the Army, I am going to do it unless I eat right now," declared one of the girls.  
"You are going to eat right away," laughed one of the officers. "However, two of the platoons are going to be served first so that you can get an idea of how to handle the mess kits," he added.  
"Oh-h-h-h," was our only answer.  
**Try Everything.**  
After a few minutes of feasting our eyes on the steaming cauldrons, we took our turn before the company cooks.  
"Something of everything" was the general chorus all the way down the line.  
The next problem was how to hold two dishes and a cup and eat at the same time. This was solved by setting the cup on the ground and holding two dishes in one hand.  
The next thing on the program, we noted by the schedule, was "participation in motorized problem." This operation, we further noted, was to be handled by the 76th Reconnaissance Troop.  
The problem, we soon learned, was

to take a nearby hill. This operation was to be directed by radio and we were not only instructed to ride in the scout cars but to operate the radio.  
"Let me call you sweethearts" were the only coherent words which came over those receiving sets that afternoon. Too many of the girls tried to talk at once and the radios were put out of commission.  
**Right-Angle Curves.**  
"You'll find this ride a lot of fun," grinned the driver of the first scout car as I climbed in. "Just hold on."  
"You see," said my driver as we darted around right-angle curves in the road, "this is the point car and we must investigate all side roads before the rest of the motor section can proceed."  
With those words barely spoken we suddenly turned off the road, missed a tree by inches and flew over deeply rutted roads only to turn back the next moment to the main road and proceed until we came to another side road, where we repeated the same operation.  
"We've contacted the enemy," the driver shouted as he stopped the car with a jerk.  
Before I could ask where the "enemy" was, he was out of the car with his rifle and had thrown himself on the ground, spontaneously firing the rifle into a thicket across the road.  
"Do you want to shoot the gun?" he asked when I had followed him. It went off very smoothly. There was very little "kick" to it.  
When we returned to our jeeps after the wild trek across country, we were told that our next stop would be at the "gas house."  
**Brief Instruction on Gas.**  
"We don't have time to instruct you on how to put on a gas mask. They will be hung on for you," the officer in charge told us. "We are going to demonstrate the effects of mustard gas, chloropicrin gas, which smells like flypaper, lewisite gas, which gives the odor of geraniums, and phosgene gas, which you can distinguish by the odor of cornstik." There was a regular routine by which we were exposed to the gases. First we took a deep breath and exhaled a little. Then the gas was discharged and we cautiously moved forward.  
"Oh, I can smell it," we chorused.

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### Wickard Sees Wide Market for Farm Products After War

#### Secretary Addresses Eastern Group in Move To Boost 1943 Output

By the Associated Press.  
 NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—Secretary of Agriculture Wickard told a meeting of Eastern farm leaders today that given full industrial employment and a "reasonable" foreign trade policy after the war, there would be a market for every needed product a farmer could produce.

Addressing the last of a series of regional meetings to mobilize agriculture for 1943 war production, the new food administrator said that even then it would be necessary to curtail some products and expand others, but that "if we follow any other course, I don't see how we can expect anything but a series of incurable farm problems."

Mr. Wickard promised to "do everything possible to make our national food program one closely knit process from the fields and barns to the mess kits and the tables" and he urged farmers to produce the necessary foods to the limits of their ability.

**Lauds Thrifty Housewife.**  
 The American housewife, Secretary Wickard said, could help on the food problem by learning to substitute plentiful foods for those which were scarce, and, "above all, she can prevent waste."

"Farmers can produce enough food to meet all special needs and still give all the people in this country good diets," he said. "I doubt if they can much longer produce extra amounts to be wasted in kitchens. It is as important to save a pound of food as to produce one."

The Agricultural Secretary said farmers would not have the problem of converting to a peacetime basis as would industrialists because the need for great farm production would not end when peace came.

"In general, the same kinds of products which are so greatly needed during the war will be the ones that are needed after the war," he said. "For several years after the war, the United Nations will have to feed the people of Europe and Asia whose agriculture has been crippled in the Axis invasion."

High school boys and girls, women's groups and city men would be needed next year to help alleviate the farm manpower shortage, Mr. Wickard said.

The Secretary spoke of milk production since it is the predominant farm effort of the Northeastern States and said the national goal for 1943 would be 122,000,000,000 pounds of milk.

"I don't know how I could give too much praise to the dairy farmers of the Northeast and in other parts of the country for the wonderful production record they set in 1942," Mr. Wickard said. "It is true that they did not quite come up to the production goal, but they did not miss it much."

Dairy farmers produced 120,000,000,000 pounds, he said, describing it as far better than any previous record in the Nation.

### Private Funeral Services Held for Helen Westley

Special Dispatch to The Star.  
 NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J., Dec. 14.—Private funeral services were held today for Mrs. Henrietta Remson Manney Conroy, whose stage and screen name was Helen Westley.

Mrs. Conroy, a founder and director of the Theater Guild, died Saturday at her home in nearby Franklin township.

She had acted in such plays as "Moulin Rouge," "Death Takes a Holiday," "House of Rothschilds," "Arm of Green Gables" and "Robert."

She is survived by a daughter, Mrs. J. J. Burns, and a brother, Charles Fonteyn Manney, both of New York.

### PROPOSALS.

**COMMISSIONERS, D. C. WASHINGTON**  
 December 11, 1942. Sealed proposals will be received at Room 309, District Building, until 12 o'clock, p.m., December 21, 1942, and then publicly opened for furnishing about 5,000 tons of bituminous concrete mixture of alternate A and B. Room 425, District Building, for proposals and specifications. del. 12.14.10.11.

**COMMISSIONERS, D. C. WASHINGTON**  
 December 14, 1942. Sealed proposals will be received at Room 309, District Building, until 10 a.m., December 22, for furnishing Cone and Gate Valves, Cast Iron and Steel Pipe, Couplings, and Accessories. Schedule 1785, December 29, Water Meter Parts, Schedule 1577. For specifications and information apply to Purchasing Officer, Room 309, District Building. del. 12.14.10.

**WVW PROJECT NO. ADDITION TO DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, WASHINGTON, D. C.**  
 Sealed bids for construction of certain Additional Facilities (Temporary Buildings) to be known as the Medical Group, at the GALLINGER MUNICIPAL HOSPITAL, located east of Nineteenth Street and south of B Street, Southeast (in Reservation No. 13), Washington, D. C. will be received by said Commissioners at Room 309, District Building, Washington, D. C., until 2:00 P.M. (EWT) on the day five (5) days after date of receipt by prospective bidders of preference rating referred to below, and then publicly opened and read aloud. The terms, conditions, and specifications of the Contract Plans, Specifications and Forms of Bid Bond and Performance Bond, may be examined and secured at the Office of the Chief Clerk, Engineering Department, Room 425, District Building, and copies thereof obtained upon deposit of certified check, payable to the Collector of Taxes, D. C., in the sum of Twenty Dollars (\$20.00) for each set. Not more than three (3) sets will be furnished to any one general contractor. Upon returning such sets promptly and in good condition said deposits will be refunded. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bids. Each bidder must deposit with his bid security in an amount not less than five per centum (5%) of the base bid in the form and subject to the conditions provided in the Instructions to Bidders. Time will not be a material factor in evaluating bids. (See paragraph 15 of the Instructions to Bidders.) Attention of bidders is particularly called to the requirements as to conditions of employment to be observed and minimum wage rates to be paid under the contract. The attention of the bidders is also particularly called to the time for submission of bids which shall be five (5) days from the date of receipt by same of preference rating. Written acknowledgment will be required. No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty (30) days after the actual date of the opening thereof. (See Paragraph 14 of Instructions to Bidders.) G. M. THORNTON, Secretary, Board of Commissioners, D. C. del. 12.14.10.11.

### LEGAL NOTICES.

**PAUL E. JAMIESON, Attorney,**  
 Woodward Building.

**IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES for the District of Columbia—LEONA M. STUTTS, 426 13th Street, Northeast, Washington, D. C., Plaintiff, vs. ROBERT LEE STUTTS (last known address Route 1, Delmar, Delaware), Defendant—No. 12-711.**—The object of this suit is for an absolute divorce on the ground of voluntary separation for five consecutive years without cohabitation. On motion of the plaintiff, it is this 14th day of December, 1942, ordered that the defendant, Robert Lee Stutts, cause his appearance to be entered herein on or before the fourth day, exclusive of Sundays and legal holidays, occurring after the day of the first publication hereof, and that if the cause will be proceeded with as in case of default. Provided, a copy of this order be published once a week for three successive weeks in the Washington Law Reporter, and The Evening Star before said day. (S.) MATTHEW F. McCURTRE, Justice of the Peace. Attest: CHARLES E. STEWART, Clerk. By HILDA MARIE GOWEN, Deputy Clerk. del. 14.21.

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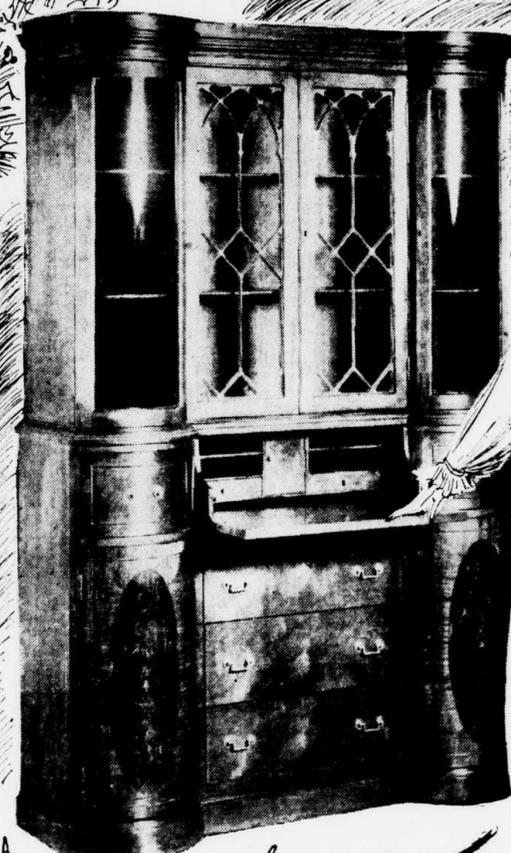


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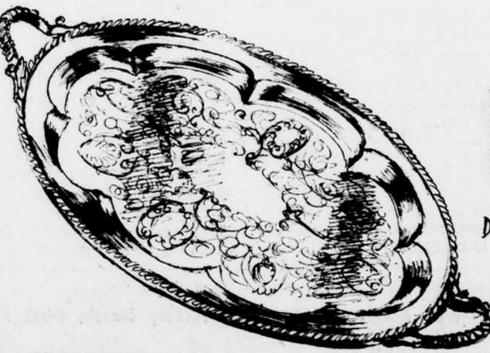
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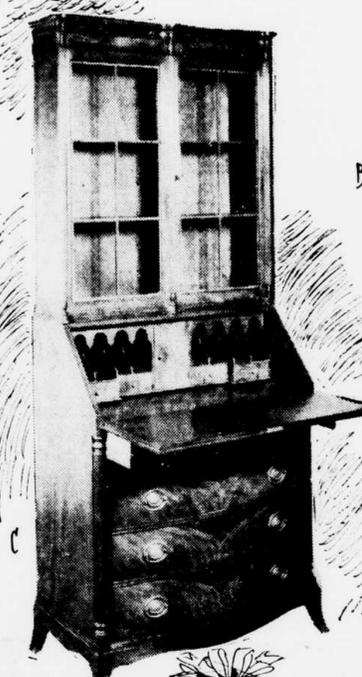
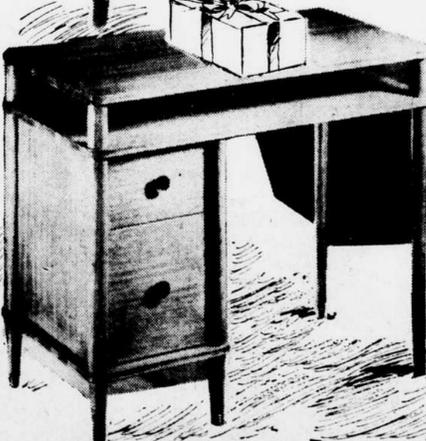
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**C. Sheraton-design Secretary** for "Madame secretary"—Well-proportioned beauty as well as utility. Reeded corner posts well express the careful detailing. Mahogany. . . . \$105

**D. Modern-design Desk** for the student—or for your modern room. Note the modern—and convenient—full-length under shelf. Two drawers. Toasted mahogany. . . . \$32

Use Our Convenient 6% Deferred Payment Plan—the only charge is for interest at 6% per annum, on declining monthly balances.

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Business advertisements under Situations Wanted will be charged the regular classified rate.

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When cancelling an advertisement please cancellation number which is invariably printed in the ad in order to discontinue advertisement in case of claim for adjustment.

SPECIAL NOTICES WILL SELL FOR STORAGE BILL 1938 Terraplane coupe, engine No. 10870K, serial No. 10870K, Dec. 22, 1942, at 10 a.m.

THE NEXT EXAMINATION IN OPTOMETRY for the District of Columbia will be held on Feb. 25, 26, 27, 1943.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCK-RODERS of the District of Columbia will be held on Feb. 25, 26, 27, 1943.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That the annual meeting of the stockholders of the District of Columbia will be held on Feb. 25, 26, 27, 1943.

ACCOUNTANTS (2) Juniors or semi-juniors in C. P. A.'s office. State exam. qualifications. Salary \$250 per week.

AMBULANCE ATTENDANT (white), draft exempt, would accept 75 points, initial salary \$100 per week. Write Box 408-K, Star.

AMBULANCE DRIVER, exper., with permit to also help in undertaking establishments. Good wages. Write Box 408-K, Star.

AUTO or truck mechanics wanted. We offer as the world's largest and best known auto repair shop in Washington, D.C.

AUTO MECHANIC, all-around man, needed to complete shop new-car dealer. Excellent wages. Write Box 408-K, Star.

BAKER, exper., all-around helper, steady work. Apply 3000 Georgia ave. n.w.

BOOKKEEPER, general office worker, male, 25-35, must be neat, steady, good wages. Apply 1414 K St. N.W.

BOY for fountain, 8 nights and every other Sunday. Eastern Pharmacy, 1207 10th St. N.E.

BOY, white or colored, over 18, tidy, bicycle, wash dishes, daytime job. Also Pharmacy, 2214 Wisconsin.

BRICKLAYERS (15) wanted. Turn right first road past D.C. line on New Hampshire ave. n.w. Drive to subdivision. Steady work. Union wages.

BRICKLAYERS and LABORERS, hospital building, Fort Myer, Va. Building site in front of chapel.

BUTCHER AND GROCERY CLERK, experienced, excellent salary, references. Box 145-K, Star.

BUTCHER, exper., good pay and hours. Bureau Market, 10th and N. Building site in front of chapel.

CHEF, colored, small restaurant, able to manage kitchen. Good wages and hours. M. 8-12.

COOK, white. Apply Metropolitan Club, 1200 H St. N.W.

COUNTER-GRIFFLE MAN, 38 to 55, good pay, 6 days increase to right man. Martindale Restaurant, 2142 Calif. St. N.W.

COUNTERMAN, experienced, 50c week to start. 60 hours uniforms furnished. Hikeer's Drug, 402 Conn. Ave.

COUNTERMAN, over 21, experienced, good hours and good wages. Apply 2477 18th St. N.W.

DISHWASHER, colored, good pay, no Sunday work. Apply weekdays, Georgia Lunch, 1200 5th St. N.E.

DISHWASHER and PORTER, colored, 40c week and meals. Apply Courthouse Deli, Store, 331 E St. N.W.

DRIVER for cleaning store. Established route, satisfactory salary, 2010 4th St. P. DRIVER for light delivery truck must know city, references required. Clark's, 705 14th St. N.W.

HELP MEN. (Continued)

MAN, white, pleasant work must be reliable. Dayton Products Co., 1009 9th St. N.W.

MAN, colored, for dept. store at utility man. Permanent position. Apply with permit, 1023 7th St. N.W.

MEN, circulation work, earn \$10 per day. Room 429 Bond Bldg., 2nd floor, daily. PRESSER, first-class, apply at once, 3307 Conn. Ave. N.W.

ROOM CLERK (2), 1 for regular duty, 1 for relief. Must be thoroughly experienced. In front office for busy hotel. Good salary. In letter of application state exper. as to date of availability. Apply Box 391-K, Star.

RUG CLEANER, experienced preferred, but not necessary. Steady job, good pay. Diener Rug Cleaning Co., 1221 22nd St. N.W. District 8774.

SALESMEN (2), for package liquor store. Attractive proposition, salary and commission permanent position. References required. Apply Clark's, 705 14th St. N.W.

SHOEMAKERS, finishers, 3514 Connecticut Ave.

SHOEMAKERS, must be all around experienced men, steady work year around. Highest salary paid. Call 5141.

SODA DISPENSER, part time, for evenings (See Sunday) 70c per hour. Apply to: Steady. Apply Babbitt's Drug Store, 1108 F St. N.W.

SODA FOUNTAIN MEN, white, wanted at front office for busy hotel. Good salary. In letter of application state exper. as to date of availability. Apply Box 391-K, Star.

SODA FOUNTAIN MAN, experienced, good hours, good pay. Apply 1737 Columbia rd. n.w. District 8774.

TIRE CHANGER, young, colored man, exp. good pay. Standard Tire & Battery Co., 24 H St. N.W.

TRUCK DRIVER, must know city, permanent position, good pay. Apply Mr. McCall, 1549 4th St. N.W.

WATER-HOUSEMAN, experienced, for house, good wages, 1325 18th St. N.W.

IRON WORK HELPERS For industrial work. Learn a trade. Fred S. Gichner Iron Works, Inc., 1214 54th St. N.W.

PHARMACISTS, exp. working cond. refs. \$65 per week. Empire Pharmacy, 1738 Conn. Ave. N.W.

ADVERTISING SALESMAN WANTED. Experienced newspaper display advertiser. Must be competent copy, lay-out, and sales. Moderate starting salary. Reply should include a sample of your previous work. Write Box 408-K, Star.

MACHINE AND INSTRUMENT MAKERS. APPLY FRENCH & CO., 4708 REFRESHING AVE., BETHESDA.

EXPERIENCED Clothing salesman who are accustomed to handling better trade. Permanent position in the environment. Salary \$250. Inc. Write Box 408-K, Star.

DRUG CLERK, Not registered, good salary, permanent position, experience desirable. Hikeer's Drug, 402 Conn. Ave.

USHERS AND DOORMEN, Apply Earle Theater Bldg., Room 732, 8 o'clock p.m.

COLORED MEN For kitchen work, no Sundays. Apply Tally-Ho Restaurant, 812 17th St. N.W.

CLAIMS ADJUSTOR For personal injury claim work. Experience in adjusting personal injury claims absolutely essential. Good salary. Write Box 408-K, Star.

CLOTHING SALESMEN, Good opportunity being offered to 20 experienced, ages 25 to 40, draft exempt, to connect permanently with Washington's oldest and leading strictly military uniform store. Good wages and benefits. Social consideration to one previously employed with required background. Salary commensurate with experience. Hold strict confidence and can be arranged to suit your convenience. CALL EXECUTIVE 8274 FOR APPOINTMENT.

SHOE SALESMEN Experienced Apply Superintendent's Office, 4th Floor S. KANN SONS CO. 1825 14th St. N.W.

Good pay Permanent Jobs Automotive Machinists Experienced Mechanics Radiator Men Apply Mr. Wearne or Mr. Wise 1825 14th St. N.W.

COUNTER MEN 18-50 YEARS OLD Little Tavern Shops, Inc. Interviews—Sunday, Monday, Wednesday 10 a.m.-12 noon, Also Monday, Wednesday, 6-8 P.M. Apply Room 210, Homer Bldg., 13th and F Sts. N.W. FOR INFORMATION, call SL 550 6900

MECHANICS 15 experienced truck mechanics to work on heavy equipment. \$1.25 per hour for 40-hr. week. Time and half over 40 hours. Work vicinity of Washington. Box 40-K, Star

IMMEDIATE OPENINGS FOR MEN IN Various capacities Experience not necessary Apply Superintendent's Office, 4th Floor S. KANN SONS CO.

ENGINEER First-Class Large established company with fine equipment. Steady position with good salary. Box 388-K, Star.

HELP MEN.

TIRE SERVICEMAN. Wanted, man experienced in handling truck tires. Cooper General Tire Co., 1602 4th St. N.W.

BUSHMELN, Two, experienced on men's coats, at once. Steady position, good pay. Apply to: CALL EXECUTIVE 8274 FOR APPOINTMENT.

DRUG CLERKS, over 18 yrs. of age, for steady work; good pay, 8-hour day, 6-day wk., vacation with pay. Apply in person, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. daily. Employment Department, Peoples Drug Stores, 77 P St. N.E.

FIREMAN, Gordon's Laundry; good pay, short hours. Apply Mr. Barnett, 8025 Georgia ave.

CAFETERIA MANAGER Must understand food merchandising, food costs and personnel. Excellent opportunity for the right party. No Sunday work. Apply Washington Restaurant Ass'n, 2003 Eye St. N.W. "Good Food is Good Health."

Senior Accountant College graduate preferred. Salary arranged, \$2,400-\$3,000. 5 1/2 - Day Week. Catholic. Draft exempt. Excellent opportunity. Call Mr. O'Haire, Republic 3553 Ext. 300, Afternoons

ENGINEER Good Steady Job In New Dry Cleaning and Laundry Plant Must have at least 3rd class license Call in person at once. THE KENT STORES, INC. 2035 West Virginia Ave. N.E.

BOYS, 2 (COLORED) As Package Runners Apply Mr. Ware Wine Steward After 1 p.m., Shoreham Hotel.

LABORERS Good Scale Transportation Long Job Lee Gardens 10th and Lee Blvd. Arlington, Va. (Opposite Fort Myer)

TRAFFIC CHECKERS For full-time outside clerical work. Ages 18-60, in good health, able to stand several hours at a time. Good vision, accuracy and legible handwriting essential. Alternate day and evening shifts. 6-day week. \$130 per month to start. Automatic increases. Also need men for part-time work, able to report between 6 and 7:30 a.m. or 2 and 3:30 p.m. and work several hours at a time at 65c per hour.

APPLY IN PERSON WEEKDAY MORNINGS CAPITAL TRANSIT CO. 36th Street and Prospect Avenue N.W. Take Route No. 20 "Cabin John" Streetcar

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BOOKKEEPER, experienced, take over general ledger; knowledge of Social Security, income tax returns necessary; opportunity for advancement. Reply, stating experience, references and salary expected. Box 255-M, Star.

MEN Ages 21-65 High school graduates, already deferred in the draft, for inside work in shops, garages and storerooms. Experience not needed. Must be quick and accurate at figures and have a legible handwriting. Six-day, 44-hour week. \$100 to \$130 month to start, depending upon qualifications, with opportunity for advancement. Apply weekdays mornings. CAPITAL TRANSIT CO. 36th and Prospect Ave. N.W. Georgetown. Route No. 20, Cabin John Streetcar.

PORTERS Must be neat in appearance, experience not necessary. Apply Employment Office, Fourth Floor LANSBURGH'S DEPT. STORE 7th, 8th & E Sts. N.W.

MEN WANTED STREET CAR-BUS OPERATORS 21-60 Years of Age No Experience Necessary Training Paid For Apply weekday mornings—Employment Office Capital Transit Co. 36th St. and Prospect Ave. N.W. Georgetown. Route 20, "Cabin John" Street Car

MANAGER FOR LAUNDRY BRANCH OFFICE Man over 60 years of age, experience unnecessary. Position permanent. Good opportunity. SEE MR. COCKRILLE 1402 R ST. N.W.

EMPLOYMENT SERVICES. BUSINESS. SECRETARY, pleasant environment; starting salary, \$120 mo. Bradshaw Placement Service, 214 Evans Bldg.

OFFICE CLERK, \$25. 5 DAYS WEEK. Adams Agency, 204 Colorado Bldg., 14th-G.

TYPISTS, \$1,440. Many opportunities in banks, etc. Adams Agency, 204 Colorado Bldg., 14th-G.

BOOKKEEPER, \$30. Experienced, neat, intelligent. Adams Agency, 204 Colorado Bldg., 14th-G.

SELECT POSITIONS. WANTED AT ONCE. Receptionist, see 20-25. \$30-\$45 wk. Typists (25) (f) \$30-\$35 wk. Comptometer Oper. \$30-\$40 wk. Accountants (m) \$40-\$50 wk. Drivers (m) \$40-\$50 wk. Credit Men \$40-\$50 wk. Salesmen \$40-\$50 wk. Need 60-75 new applicants daily. Free registration. LARGEST agency in city. PERSONNEL SERVICE, 1311 G St. (10c gr. 18th Church).

HELP MEN & WOMEN. Help keep food production lines moving, make good money in this essential work. CAFETERIA HELP NEEDED In government building in Washington and in Pentagon Building in Arlington, Va. No experience necessary, immediate placement Apply 8 A.M. to 4 P.M. 1119 21st St. N.W.

GOLDENBERG'S 7th, 8th and K Sts. HAS OPENINGS FOR Salespeople Floormen, Porters Clericals Apply Personnel Office—2nd Floor

YOUNG LADIES Ages 16-20. Essential war work. No experience necessary. Permanent positions open. Rapid increases in pay, and many opportunities for advancement. Reply in longhand, giving age, education, weight and telephone number. Box 401-K, Star

CASHER Experienced Preferred Permanent Position Immediate Opening Apply Raleigh Haberdasher Employment Office 2nd Floor 1320 F ST. (Continued on Next Page)

HELP MEN.

Car Preparers Steady Employment MEN, ages 21-50, to clean passenger train cars, 8 hours per day, 6 days per week; rate of pay, 58 1/2 cents per hour. Time and one-half for overtime. See MR. SWAFFORD, Eckington Coach Yard Building, 5th and T Streets N.E., 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

WASHINGTON TERMINAL CO. Countermen Good pay, good working conditions Apply Little Giant Shop 1808 Adams Mill Rd. N.W.

HOUSEMEN Several colored housemen; steady, year-round, inside job. Good pay. Apply at Once Housekeeper Ambassador Hotel 14th and K Sts. N.W.

CASHIERS In good health, active and accustomed to standing several hours at a time. Good moral character and clear record of past employment essential. Good vision, accuracy at figures and legible handwriting. Full time evening shifts. Steady work. 6-day, 54-hour week, \$150 per month to start, automatic increases. Apply in Person Weekday Mornings CAPITAL TRANSIT CO. 36th St. and Prospect Ave. N.W. Georgetown. Route No. 20 "Cabin John" Streetcar

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BEAUTICIAN, good, conscientious operator, for a neighborhood shop; full or part time. 320 Kennedy St. N.W. GS 8686.

BEAUTY OPERATOR, experienced, good salary and comm. hours, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.; 12-6-2 days. 285 59th St. E.D. 3369.

BEAUTY OPERATOR, all around, good salary and commissions. Gaston of Paris, 1741 Conn. Ave. N.W.

BEAUTY OPERATOR, part time; good pay. Ebel Tailors, 1108 F St. N.W., 4th floor.

BEAUTY OPERATOR, experienced; days 9 to 6, 10 to 7. ME 6875 any time.

BEAUTY OPERATOR, steady position. Emily, Inc., 1221 Conn. Ave. N.W.

BEAUTY OPERATOR, experienced in all branches; \$30 week, plus commission. Steady work. Call SH 9833.

BOOKKEEPER-STENOGRAPHER, must be experienced steady job for the right person. 455 7th St. N.W., Fox Fur Co.

CASHIER, for drugstore; exper. pleasant job; good salary; quiet atmosphere. 21st and O Sts. n.w.

CASHIERS for parking lots, \$10 for 44-hour week to start; between 18 and 30 years of age. Apply 301 Homer Bldg., 601 10th St. N.W.

INSTRUCTION COURSES. NUMERICAL CARD-PUNCH course, \$18; machines rented, \$8 mo. Also tutor H. B. and grade subject. Clear shorthand and typing. Day or night. SH 6049.

HELP MEN & WOMEN. BOOKKEEPER-STENOGRAPHER for real estate office; experience necessary; state super. and salary expected. Box 244-K, Star.

Frank R. Jelleff, Inc. WANTED Desk appointment clerk Manicurists General operator (Man or Woman) BEAUTY SALON 5th floor. Box 372-K, Star

Experienced Tellers or Cashiers Wanted For well-paid bank work. Attractive working conditions. No application from an individual at present employed in a Washington bank will be considered.

Hechinger Co. Offers Permanent Positions For Men or Women Experienced in Selling Any of the Following: Hardware, Lumber, Building Material or Plumbing Supplies Also to facilitate accurate and prompt delivery to our customers—openings for either men or women as Warehouse Office Clerks, Lumber Checkers and Delivery Routers Good working conditions. Excellent opportunities with salary open depending on experience. Apply Mr. O'Neill 15th and H Sts. N.E. ATLantic 1400

STENOGRAPHER, Experienced, for national accounting. Permanent position. Salary \$250. Call Mr. Ball, DE 1050, Monday.

TYPIST-CLERK, Accurate with simple figuring, 6-day week, opportunity for advancement. In circulation dept. Apply to: Mr. Ball, DE 1050, Monday.

SHOPPERS, 18-25, for national retail shopping service; no experience necessary. \$20 weekly; advancement; must be free to travel. 523 Star Bldg.

YOUNG WOMAN, High school graduate, for general office work in engineering office. Must be able to type and draw. Have some experience in drawing or drafting. Salary, \$110 per month, plus expenses. Advancement increases. Apply Personnel Dept., Room 308, Capital Transit Co., 36th and Prospect Ave. N.W. Georgetown (take Route No. 20, Cabin John streetcar), or write for info. At: Miss Ruth Heim.

CLERK to post payments. High school graduate needed with 20 and 30 preferred; 5-day week. Permanent position. Good working conditions. Call Mrs. Mantell, Hobart 2476, Monday or Tuesday.

WHITE PANTRY MAID. No Sunday. Good salary. Good references. Apply District 3125 for app't.

GIRLS, 2 bright, active, to learn how to run the Graphotype and Multigraph. Good pay while learning and permanent employment thereafter. Ages 20 to 35. High school education and a little office experience preferred. 5-day week. Good working conditions. Call Hobart 2476, Monday or Tuesday.

SALESWOMAN, \$50 week. Experienced saleslady for coats and dresses, in one of Washington's finer ladies' stores. Must definitely know how to sell and dress windows. Position permanent. Must be neat and personable. Correspondence confidential. Box 397-K, Star.

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CHAMBERMAIDS, two, wanted by Hotel 2400, 10th St. Apply to Mrs. Carpenter. CLEANER, white, experienced, good typing; salary \$36.50 weekly; good working conditions. Apply to: Mr. Ball, DE 1050, Monday.

COLLEGE STUDENT or teacher or other person to give lessons in English, French, Spanish, etc. Apply to: Mr. Ball, DE 1050, Monday.

COUNTERMANS, light colored, 12-18, no Sunday; \$18 wk. Capitol Cafe, 1905 Pa. Ave. N.W. No phone calls.

DENTAL ASSISTANT, excellent environment and opportunity for young lady with pleasing personality and business ability; state and ref. Box 398-K, Star.

DIETITIAN, assistant in local hospital; must have grad. exper. in dietetics; permanent position. Box 398-K, Star.

EVENING WORK, for checkroom. Apply Mr. Kass, Chevy Chase Ice Palace, 4461 Conn. Ave. N.W.

FANCY PRESSER, position open as head presser. Must be patient and dependable, evening shifts, but off one day per week on week. Salary about \$120 per month to start; full-time work only. Write for interview. Write to: Mr. Ball, DE 1050, Monday.

MOUNTAIN GIRLS, experienced; \$55 per m. Henderson's Grill, 735 14th St. N.W.

GIRL to work on soda fountain, \$28 per m. in room 306, Capital Transit Co., 36th and Prospect Ave. N.W. Georgetown. Take Route No. 20, Cabin John streetcar, or write for appointment. Attention Miss Ruth Heim.

HOUSEMOTHER, night duty, young children's boarding school. Live in. \$25 per month. Apply rear 2131 O St. N.W. between 11 and 12 o'clock.

MASSEUSE, experienced in giving deep reducing massage. Apply in person, 4th floor, Empire Club, 1221 Conn. Ave. N.W.

NURSE, practical, white, care 1 child, live in. \$25 per week. Phone WS 20-20, 20-20.

MODEL, for portrait studio, aged 20-30; pleasant work; will train high school salary; \$25 per wk. Apply Photo Studios, 202 National Press Bldg., after 10 a.m.

SEAMSTRESS—Apply at Once New England Furrier, 717 12th St. N.W. No phone calls.

SEAMSTRESS to sew carpets, experienced; good salary; comfortable room; private bath. State experience and reference in application. Box 270-M, Star.

STENOGRAPHER, experienced; general office work. Apply P. J. Nece Co., 745 7th St. N.W.

SWITCHBOARD OPERATOR, for guest club, hrs. 5:30 to 10:15. Call 1325 10th St. N.W.

TEACHER of experienced woman to care for 6-year-old boy mornings or days. Duration variable. In person, 1430 K St. N.W., after 10 a.m.

TYPIST, general office work. Apply Washington National Press Bldg., after 10 a.m. 202 National Press Bldg., after 10 a.m.

WAITRESS, part-time, 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. in room 306, Capital Transit Co., 36th and Prospect Ave. N.W. Georgetown. Take Route No. 20, Cabin John streetcar, or write for appointment. Attention Miss Ruth Heim.

WOMAN, over 40, to make an educational survey of Washington and vicinity; permanent salary; \$45 per day plus expenses; must have neat appearance, pleasing personality and good health. Write Box 143-K, Star, with reference number, if any.

WOMAN, colored, above 25, part of full-time; exper. unnecessary; earnings \$33 up daily. Apply 1218 St. V.M.C.A. Tues. 9:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Ask for Mr. Block.

WOMAN, white, home for 1-yr. old child

HELP WOMEN. (Continued). DRAFTSWOMAN. Excellent opportunity for thoroughly trained, experienced topographic draftsman. Good salary, good hours, pleasant work. Give us information on training positions held, names of former employers, address and telephone. Do not return if you are not interested. Phone Mr. Gordon, 10th and Eye sts. n.w. National 6264. 17-345-7. Star.

HELP WOMEN. (Continued). CASHIERS. Restaurant experience desired. Also openings for beginners. Apply After 11 A.M. O'Donnell's Sea Grill 1221 E St. N.W.

MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE. (Continued). BEDROOM SUITE, 3-pc. walnut; attractive ice refrigerator, inoper. spring mattress and bed; also, almost new, 3-pc. BRUNN. Before noon and after 6.

MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE. (Continued). BABY CHICKS. BARRED ROCKS, R. I. Red, White Leg, Blue Game, etc. 1942. Call after 5 P.M. 619 R St. N.W. Metropolitan 0088.

SHOE SALESWOMEN FOR WOMEN. Experienced. Apply Superintendent's Office, 4th Floor. S. KANN SONS CO. 237 Woodward Bldg. 15th & H Sts. N.W.

CLERK-TYPISTS STENOGRAPHERS PAYROLL (1) STATISTICAL (1) AUDITING (1) TYPISTS (3) STENOGRAPHERS (3) FILING (1) \$1320-1800 salary range Catholic Cultured environment 5 1/2 day week. Group insurance. Apply Room 301, 1312 Mass. Ave. N.W. 12-7

MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE. (Continued). TABLE MAT SET, beautiful, hand crocheted, 12 x 20, 12 x 18, 12 x 14, 12 x 10, 12 x 8, 12 x 6, 12 x 4, 12 x 3, 12 x 2, 12 x 1. Call after 5 P.M. 619 R St. N.W. Metropolitan 0088.

MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE. (Continued). ROOMS FURNISHED. 1419 CHAFFIN ST. N.W. - Beautifully furnished, 2 1/2 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, central heating, etc. Call after 5 P.M. 619 R St. N.W. Metropolitan 0088.

OPPORTUNITY FOR WOMEN. Mechanically inclined; to do service work for nationally known office equipment corporation. Apply Mr. Waite 237 Woodward Bldg. 15th & H Sts. N.W.

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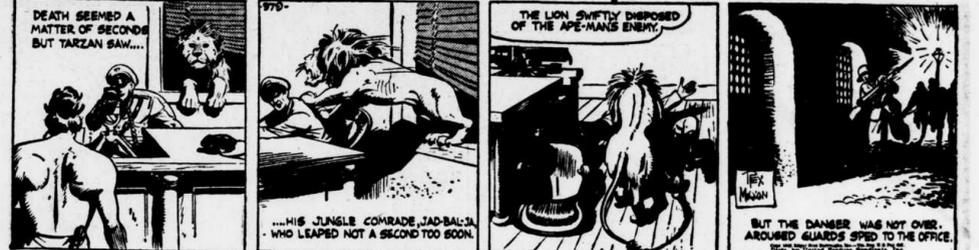
UNCLE RAY'S CORNER —By Ramon Coffman

"Every time I feel bad, I go and buy myself a new hat." So spoke a certain lady the other day, and I believe some other women have the same idea. Hats seem to mean a great deal to many persons of the feminine sex. The problem of hats—women's hats—has held widespread interest for countless years. When I was a boy, people talked about the "move-

POINTS for Parents —By EDYTH THOMAS WALLACE

Instead of discontinuing children's desires because some families are sad, why not try to make brighter the holidays for those who need help? This Mother: "Will you talk it over with your children and then let me know whether you'd like to join the Blacks and us and have our tree together this year?" Not This Mother: "No, we're not going to have a Christmas tree this year. With so many families we know feeling worried about their soldiers it doesn't seem right for us to be gay."

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South dealer.  
Neither side vulnerable.

▲Q10432  
♥7  
♦KJ  
♣KJ653

▲A5 N ▲J97  
♥Q1085 W ▲432  
♦10652 E ▲74  
♣1098 S ▲AQ742

▲K86  
♥AKJ98  
♦AQ983

The bidding:  
South West North East  
1♥ Pass 1♠ Pass  
3♦ Pass 3NT Pass  
4♣ Pass 5♥ Pass  
6♠ Pass Pass Pass

"North maintains that there was no point in showing his clubs over three diamonds, for it was impossible for South to have club support. When South then rebid the diamonds, North indicated which of the red suits he liked better.

"South insists that North bid the hand like a fool. He not only concealed the five-card club suit, but also refused to rebid the five-card spade suit. His actual bidding sounded like four spades, four clubs, three diamonds and two hearts. With that distribution only a modicum of high-card strength was needed to bring in 12 tricks.

"The results tend to back up South, since four spades could have been made without much trouble. But six diamonds was set three tricks! Results aside, who was right?"

South was perfectly correct and North should take the mothballs out of his sackcloth suit, for he should be repenting vigorously. It was all right for North to suppress the clubs, but over four diamonds he should have bid four spades. If South had three-card spade support, as was actually the case, it would be difficult for South to raise the spades for fear that North had a four-card suit. If South had poor support for spades there would be time later on for North to indicate a preference for diamonds. Had North bid four spades South would (or should) have passed, and a sound contract would have been reached.

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Saturday you were Howard Schenken's partner and, with neither side vulnerable, you held:

▲AQ73  
♥Q6  
♦J94  
♣Q1062

The bidding:  
Schenken Jacoby You Lightner  
1♠ Pass 1♠ Pass  
1NT Pass (?)

What do you bid? (Answer tomorrow.)

Answer—Bid two no-trump. This gives a better description of your general strength than a raise in clubs. As long as your partner was able to initiate no-trump bidding you are not worried about the red suits. Your minor honors will supplement his holdings in those suits.

Score 100 per cent for two no-trump, 60 per cent for two clubs, 20 per cent for three clubs.

Question No. 1255.

Today you are Oswald Jacoby's partner and, with neither side vulnerable, you hold:

▲KQ52  
♥KQ  
♦AQJ73  
♣AQ4

The bidding:  
Schenken You Lightner Jacoby  
Pass (?)

What do you bid? (Answer tomorrow.)

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14 Printer's measure 25 Soaks 37 A fruit  
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**Take My Word for It**  
By FRANK COLBY.

**Names in the News**

Many readers have asked for the origin and meaning of the name Gibraltar. One writes, "Until recently Gibraltar to me was just the trademark of an insurance company."

In A. D. 711, a Moslem general, Tariq ben Zaid, landed an army on the Rock during his invasion of Spain. To the Rock was given the name Jabal Tariq, meaning "Mount of Tariq." Gibraltar is a corruption of that name. Gibraltar was taken from Spain by allied British and Dutch action on July 24, 1704. Mediterranean is from the Latin medius, "middle," and terra, "land," and has the meaning of "nearly inclosed with land." Since the Fascist party rose to power in Italy, Mussolini has repeatedly referred to the Mediterranean as Mare Nostrum, a Latin phrase meaning "our sea," and pronounced: MAH-ray NOSS-trum.

By a curious extension, nostrum also means "medicine prepared and recommended by quacks; a worthless remedy." I cannot resist the temptation to make a bad pun by observing that "mare nostrum" has turned out to be a very bad medicine for Italy's humbug Caesar, of Casablanca, seignior of Western Morocco. The name is Spanish and means "white house." Pronounce it: KAH-sah-BLANHNG-kah. The Arabian name is Dar el Beld, pronounced: DAHR el BAY-dah.

French words and names are occurring with increasing frequency in the news. I should like to send you my free pamphlet which contains condensed and simplified rules for pronouncing French, especially valuable for public speakers, broadcasters, study clubs. This pamphlet was prepared in collaboration with a French-born professor of a large university. Send a stamped (3-cent), self-addressed envelope to Frank Colby, in care of The Evening Star. Ask for French Rules Pamphlet. (Released by the Bell Syndicate, Inc.)

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**SUBURBAN HEIGHTS** —By Gloyas Williams



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**NATURE'S CHILDREN** —By Lillian Cox Athey

**CORN.**

Farmers have harvested a record corn crop for 1942. The yield was about 35 bushels per acre, the price received averaging 77 cents per bushel. Despite the serious handicap of labor shortage, lack of new machinery and even vital repair parts for old ones, the farmers have reached the goal they set for themselves when they were asked to bring in a bumper crop.

Few Americans realize how important corn is to their well being. Some think of corn as needed for canning, to be fed to stock and for

Soll, climate and seed suited to one another must be the first consideration of the farmer planting his fields in corn. After this he has drought or too much moisture to contend with, and the corn plant is very attractive to insect pests. Especially does he have to be alert for the bollworm or corn earworm, whose appetite costs the growers over our land well over \$4,000,000 annually. Of course, there are also corn smut and fungus diseases and other difficulties.

There are weeds that flourish in the corn fields, and there are a few animals that are fond of corn in the milk stage, but these are of minor importance.

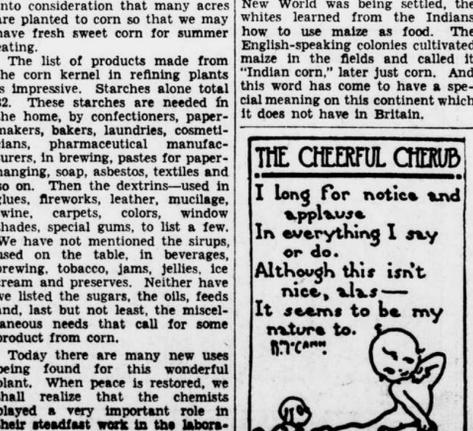
For food, we find that corn contains protein, carbohydrates other than fiber, a trace of fat, crude fiber, ash, calcium, phosphorus, iron and copper, Vitamins B-1, C and G.

Corn now holds first rank among agricultural products of the United States. About one-half of the corn grown in the world is raised in our country.

During the early days, when the New World was being settled, the whites learned from the Indians how to use maize as food. The English-speaking colonies cultivated maize in the fields and called it "Indian corn," later just corn. And this word has come to have a special meaning on this continent which it does not have in Britain.

**THE CHEERFUL CHERUB**

I long for notice and applause  
In everything I say  
or do.  
Although this isn't nice, alas—  
It seems to be my nature to.



**LITTLE ORPHAN ANNIE** (More of Orphan Annie's adventures in the colored comic section of The Sunday Star.) —By Harold Gray



THESE THEY GO! DR. CLOVER AND DOC ZEE—ALWAYS TOGETHER—THEY HATE TO BE SEEN WITH ONLY ONE HAND—

AND POOR KATE! ALL ALONE—LOVIN' DOC SO TERRIBLY MUCH. ALL THESE YEARS, BUT NOTHING SHE CAN DO OR SAY—HAVIN' TO JUST SIT BY AN WATCH DR. CLOVER GET HIM—

STILL, I WONDER—DR. CLOVER IS SWELL—WOULD SHE TRY TO CUT OUT KATE, IF SHE KNOWS HW-M-BUT SHE DOES KNOW—AND SHE MUST LIKE DOC ZEE—

AND AS LONG AS DOC ZEE HAS NEVER EVEN HARDOY LOOKED AT KATE, HOW COULD YAM SAY OF CLOVER WOULD BE CUTTING OUT? BEST OF ALL SITUATIONS LIKE THAT, I GUESS NOBODY IS SPORED TO BE PARTICULAR WHOSE FEELINGS GET HIT—GEE!

**MOON MULLINS** (Laugh at Moon Mullins on Sundays, too, in the colored comic section.) —By Frank Willard



YOU MEAN TO SAY THAT THEM SISTERS IS TWINS, MOON?

YEH—BOTH OF 'EM.

OH-OH!

OH, WELL, I GUESS I'LL EAT EMMA CANDY THIS CHRISTMAS.

GOOD GRIEF, GIRL! ARE YOU IN EVERY SHOP IN TOWN?

**HUGH STRIVER** (Your favorite comics appear every day in The Star.) —By Herb and Dale Ulrey



ARE YOU GETTING THAT LANGMAN?

AT ONCE, MR. GROSSKOPF!

I LOVE THE IDEA, OH—NO FACTOR AS SHE BITES THROUGH THIS PAPER—COULD BITE THROUGH THEM AND SOME!

HE'S UPSTAIRS! YOUR EDITOR—BURTON—I MEAN!

WHY SO EXCITED? OH—GO UP AND ENTERTAIN HIM!

LOOK! MR. KEEM! THERE'S HOWIE BURTON!

LET'S GIVE THE BOY-EDITOR A BREAK—WE'LL CALL ON HIM. WUGH!

**THE SPIRIT** (Keep up with The Spirit's war on crime in The Sunday Star's comic book.) —By Will Eisner



TO EBONY WHITE, VALET EXTRAORDINARY TO THE SPIRIT—AS IT MUST BE TO ALL MEN—CHRISTMAS SEASONS ADECE!

BUT, SCARLETT, AFTER ALL THESE YEARS.

YOU HEARD ME, EBONY WHITE! A GENUINE, SHINY DIAMOND ENGAGEMENT RING—O'RELSE!

DEY'S ONLY ONE SOLUTION! AH GOTTA GET DAT WOMAN A DIAMOND FOR CHRISTMAS OR LOSE MAH GAL.

AWRRK!

AM SAID A SHINY DIAMOND, YO CHIGLEH!

**FLYIN' JENNY** (Flyin' Jenny also flies every Sunday in the colored comic section.) —By Russell Keaton and Glenn Chaffin



ANY, THERE! YALL GOING OUR WAY?

COULD BE, MISTER—WE'RE JUST SORT OF WANDERING AROUND!

AIN'T IT NICE AND FRIENDLY TO HEAR VOICES AGAIN?

I'LL SAY—ESPECIALLY WITH A GOOD OLD DIME DRAW! I HOPE THEY HAVE SOME HAM AND YAMS.

SO HELP ME, RED! IT'S A COOL PALGALS—ONE OF 'EM REAL PURTY!

AW, YOU'RE DREAMIN'! HEAVEN'S WHERE WOMEN ARE—AND THIS AIN'T IT.

**DINKY DINKERTON** (Don't miss Dinkerton's hilarious adventures in the colored comic section on Sundays.) —By Art Huhta



DINKY HAS A CLEW TO BELL'S MYSTERIOUS ACTIONS!

WHY DOESN'T HE TELL SNIFFY?

IS HE TRYING TO BREAK UP THEIR ROMANCE?

SOME-TIMES I WISH BELLA HAD BEEN TH CAT SANDY—THEN I'D KNOW I COULD MERGE ON A ROCK PILE!

AW, SNAP OUT OF IT!

WHAT YOU NEED IS A NIGHT OFF—LET'S CELEBRATE LIKE WE USED TO DO BEFORE LOVE WRINKLED THAT NON-STOP FOREHEAD OF YOURS!

THIS LEG OF LAMB SANDWICH IS ALL I WANT—MY APPETITE SUFFERS WITH MY HEARTY!

THEY SAY TH' SHOW AT TH' LOLLY FOLLIES IS GOOD—LET'S TAKE IT IN!

GIVE US SEATS DOWN FRONT—MY FRIEND IS LOVESICK AND THIS IS PART OF MY CURE—IT'S SO MESSY AS SHOOTIN' HIM!

AW, CAN'T WE GO HOME TO SLEEP?

**DRAFTIE** (Laugh at Draftie and Oinie in The Sunday Star's colored comic section.) —By Paul Fogarty



SORRY, BUT WE'VE NO ROOMS LEFT!

BUT MY-GOSH, MISTER WE GOTTA STAY SOMEPLACE WERE TEN THOUSAND MILES FROM HOME—GIVE US FEW ROOMS.

YAA—AN LONESOME!

BOYS, LET ME BE YOUR HOST DURING YOUR VISIT TO AUSTRALIA.

WELL, THAT'S AWFUL NICE OF YA, STRANGER.

HOST? WHAT'S DAT GUY TALKIN' 'BOUT?

BUT WE DON'T KNOW WHO DIS GUY IS—HE MIGHT BE A BUSH WACKER—ER WHATEVER DEY CALLS BANDITS IN AUSTRALIA.

THAT'S RIGHT, OINIE WE DON'T EVEN KNOW HIS NAME!

GOOD MORNING, MR. KENT?

HOW ARE YOU, MR. KENT?

NICE DAY, MR. KENT?

I BET HIS NAME IS KENT!

MIGHT BE AT DAT—SHERLOCK!

**LITTLE STORIES FOR BEDTIME** —By Thornton W. Burgess

Chatterer, the Red Squirrel, was hurrying through the Green Forest. He didn't know just where he was going. He had but one thought, and that was to get as far away from Shadow the Weasel as he could. It made him have cold shivers all over every time he thought of Shadow.

"Seems to me you are in a pine tree here was passing."

Chatterer knew that voice without looking to see who was speaking. Everybody in the Green Forest knew that voice. It was the voice of Sammy Jay.

"It looks to me as if you were running away from some one," jeered Sammy.

Chatterer wanted to stop and pick a quarrel with Sammy, as he usually did when they met, but the fear of Shadow the Weasel was still in his heart.

"I—I—am," he said in a very low voice.

Sammy Jay looked as if he thought he hadn't heard right. "Before he had known Chatterer to admit that he was afraid, for you know Chatterer is a great boaster. It must be something very serious to frighten Chatterer like that."

"What's that?" Sammy asked sharply. "I always knew you to be a coward, but this is the first time I have ever known you to admit it. Who are you running away from?"

"Shadow the Weasel," replied Chatterer, still in a very low voice, as if he were afraid of being overheard. "Shadow the Weasel is back in the Green Forest, and I have just had such a narrow escape!"

"Ho!" cried Sammy, "this is important. I thought Shadow was up in the Old Pasture. If he has come back to the Green Forest folks ought to know it. Where is he now?"

Chatterer stopped and told Sammy all about his narrow escape and how he had left Shadow the Weasel in a hollow of a chestnut tree with Redtail the Hawk watching for him to come out. Sammy's eyes sparkled when Chatterer told how he had pulled the tail of Old Redtail. "And he doesn't know now who did it; he thinks it was Shadow," concluded Chatterer with a weak little grin.

"Ho, ho, ho! Ha, ha, ha!" laughed Sammy Jay. "It wish I had been there to see it."

Then he suddenly grew grave. "Other folks certainly ought to know that Shadow is back in the Green Forest," said he, "so that they can be on their guard. Then if they get caught it is their own fault. I think I'll go spread the news."

You see, for all his mean ways Sammy Jay does have some good in him, just as everybody does, and he dearly loves to tell important news.

"I wish you would go first of all and tell my cousin, Happy Jack the Gray Squirrel," said Chatterer, speaking in a hesitating way.

Sammy Jay leaned over and looked at Chatterer sharply. "I thought you and Happy Jack were not friends," said he. "You always seem to be quarreling."

Chatterer looked a little confused, but he is very quick with his tongue, is Chatterer. "That's just it," he replied quickly. "That's just it! If anything should happen to Happy Jack I wouldn't have him to quarrel with, and it is such fun to see him get mad!"

Now, of course, the real reason why Chatterer wanted Happy Jack warned was because down inside he was ashamed of that dreadful thought that had come to him of leading Shadow the Weasel to Happy Jack's house so that he himself might escape. It had been a dreadful thought, a cowardly thought, and Chatterer had been really ashamed that he should have

ever had such a thought. He thought now that if he could do something for Happy Jack he would feel better about it.

Sammy Jay promised to go straight to Happy Jack and warn him that Shadow the Weasel was back in the Green Forest, and off he started, screaming the news as he flew, so that all the little people in the Green Forest might know. Chatterer listened a few minutes and then started on.

"Where shall I go? I don't dare stay in the Green Forest, for now Shadow will never rest until he catches me."

**Answer to Yesterday's Puzzle**

1. 2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. 8. 9. 10. 11. 12. 13. 14. 15. 16. 17. 18. 19. 20. 21. 22. 23. 24. 25. 26. 27. 28. 29. 30. 31. 32. 33. 34. 35. 36. 37. 38. 39. 40. 41. 42. 43. 44. 45. 46. 47. 48. 49. 50. 51. 52. 53. 54. 55.

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## Millard Taylor—Excellent In Sibelius Concerto

### Symphony Concertmaster Is Soloist, Playing Work With Emotional Feeling and Pure Tones

By ALICE EVERSMAN.

Just returned from a short concert tour, the members of the National Symphony Orchestra showed no traces of fatigue at the concert yesterday afternoon in Constitution Hall, but exhibited instead the added assurance and polish which playing before other audiences in strange cities gives them. The program yesterday honored the concertmaster, Millard Taylor, whose excellent leadership of the violin section has resulted in vast improvement. Mr. Taylor appeared as soloist with the orchestra playing the Sibelius violin concerto, which was first heard here nine months ago with Antonio Brosa as the interpreter.

There is a quality in Mr. Taylor's tone that has a Sibelius sound. While not overly large, it is purify itself with a nostalgic timbre in keeping with that same tendency in the composer's music. The violin's opening measures confirmed this, and while Mr. Taylor played the daring technical passages with dash and brilliancy, he allowed the personal character of his tone to come to the fore in every melodic instance.

His performance was splendidly poised and easy, marked with emotional feeling and thorough musical understanding. Each movement was applauded at its conclusion and cheering mingled with the hand-clapping to recall the young artist many times at the end.

The public knows Sibelius best through his symphonies. His patriotism, his patriotism and his dramatic instincts are synonymous with his music. The violin concerto, however, is of another stamp and leaves one rather bewildered at not being able to round out completely the picture of the composer.

In the concerto his well-known voice is heard often, but it gives way to a writing that might belong to any composer not so individualistic as Sibelius. There is a curious separation of the solo violin from the orchestral background for one who so superbly blends all instruments.

There is only one pronounced instance when the two are merged, the finale of the first movement after a tutti where Sibelius reverts to his symphonic form and brings the body of instruments together in massive, telling effect. Such orchestral outbursts occur occasionally but in the main, the orchestra forms an accompaniment and not a very distinguished one either.

He has written excellently for the violin, providing the player with all the opportunities dear to an artist's heart, with a beautiful cantilene in the second movement and a dazzling and difficult final Allegro. Only a soloist of Mr. Taylor's caliber can do justice to it but even so the disparity remains between the violin portion, to which Sibelius brought a personal knowledge since he intended at one time to become a violinist, and the greater writing that has made him famous.

When the concerto was performed by Carl Halir in Berlin in 1905, Richard Strauss conducted and in-

with something of that same lonely Nordic character in its themes, opened the program, which closed with another work in a nationalistic spirit, Weinberger's "Czech Rhapsody." In matters of dynamics, the orchestra gave an unusually fine performance of these numbers but was less successful in the Mozart "Symphony No. 29 in A major, K. V. 201." The undulating charm of style in this work, in spite of its sharp accents, was not projected as smoothly and convincingly as has been the orchestra's custom in playing Mozart and the general tendency was toward heaviness.

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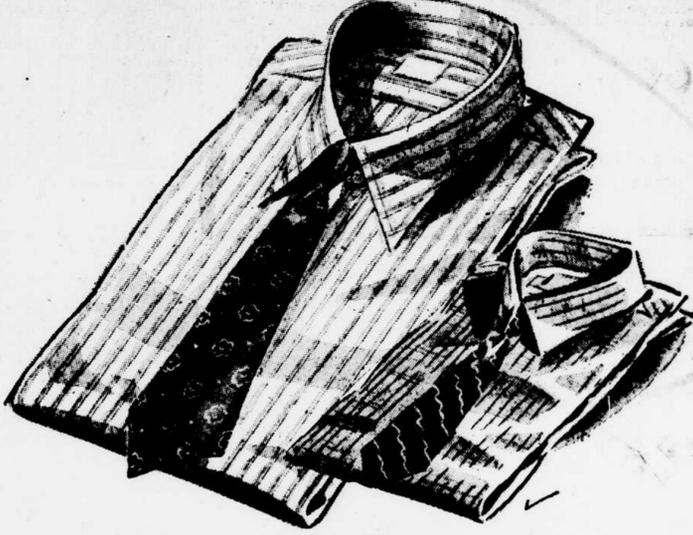
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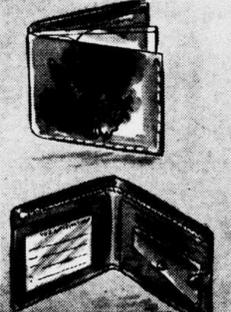


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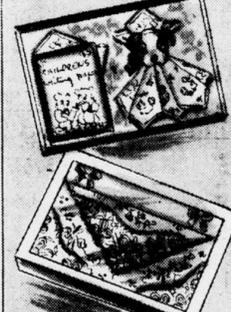


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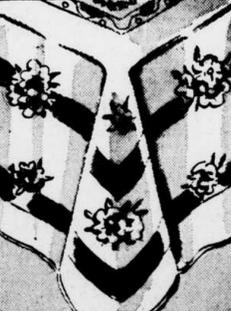


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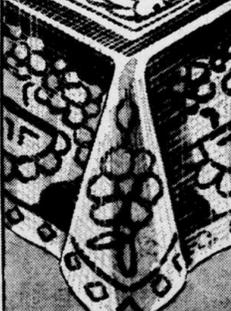


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