

Deputy Fire Marshals To Be Appointed in Montgomery County

Inspections Planned Throughout Area to Prevent Disasters

Appointment of a deputy fire marshal by each of the 13 volunteer fire companies in Montgomery County will be made by the county board of fire commissioners...

Irving W. Johnson, president of the association, said the names of the 13 candidates will be certified by him and sent for final approval to Mr. Goutrun. He explained the deputies will inspect possible fire hazards in the county in an attempt to prevent disasters such as occurred recently in Boston.

The Prince Georges County commissioners early this week requested Mr. Goutrun to appoint deputy fire marshals to inspect fire hazards in that county.

Meanwhile Mr. Johnson and Victor H. Bender, regional fire marshal for the Silver Spring area, will meet with a special fire hazard commission of the Maryland National Park and Planning Commission to investigate fire hazards pending appointment of the deputies. The committee is headed by Fred W. Tuemmler, planning director of the commission.

Chief James W. Just, fire coordinator for Montgomery and Prince Georges Counties, recommended enlargement of the fire fighting facilities at the Silver Spring control center.

Other Moves Proposed. Urged establishment of a direct line between Silver Spring and the Prince Georges County control center at Hyattsville so Montgomery County fire companies could respond to blazes in Prince Georges in case of emergency and vice versa.

He said Montgomery County representatives should be stationed at the Prince Georges control center during blackouts and that similar steps should be taken by Prince Georges officials.

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Winchester Editor's Son Killed in African Battle

WINCHESTER, Va., Dec. 18.—Pvt. Charles Loring Hoover, 22, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Hoover of Winchester, was killed in action in Africa on Sunday, November 29, the War Department informed his parents.

The elder Hoover is news editor of the Winchester Evening Star and one of Virginia's best-known newspapermen.

Pvt. Hoover, who was inducted at Roanoke last January 22, was a student of art and was working with the art department of a Washington art firm when he was called to service. He had done considerable illustrating for magazines and pamphlets.

He graduated from the Hadley High School here in 1937 and entered the Abbott School of Fine and Commercial Art at Washington, winning two scholarships. He received honorable citation for his portrait work.

Survivors include his parents, a brother, John F. Hoover, and his grandmother, Mrs. Ida P. Willis, all of Winchester.



PHOTOGRAPHIC MONKEYSHINES—The Christmas card friends of the boys of Utility Squadron 7, San Diego, Calif., will receive this year symbolizes (with quite a few liberties) the indefatigable Navy photographer who has "covered" a year of war from Pearl Harbor through the battles of the Coral Sea, Midway, the Solomons, the Aleutians, West Africa, etc. This montage, like all official Navy photographs, was executed by "Photographer Anonymous, Second Class."

Oil Rationing Delay Until Jan. 15 Asked By Illinois Governor

Telegram to President Calls 65-Degree Heat Insufficient for Health

By the Associated Press. CHICAGO, Dec. 18.—Gov. Dwight H. Green today asked that oil rationing be delayed until January 15. He said that a 65-degree heat is insufficient for health and that rationing should be postponed until the weather improves.

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Robber of Cab Drivers Gets 5 to 20 Years

James W. Nolan, 31, colored, who was identified by police December 1 through a stolen gas ration book, pleaded guilty to five charges of armed robbery in District Court today and was sentenced to serve from five to 20 years by Justice James M. Proctor.

According to evidence presented to the court by Assistant United States Attorney John C. Conliff, Nolan robbed four taxi drivers of a total of \$22 in cash and one liquor store of \$3 in cash.

His technique, the prosecutor told the court, was to hire a taxi, direct the driver to an isolated part of town, rob the driver of his money, and drive away in the cab.

Rockville Clerk Begins Third Term

ROCKVILLE, Md., Dec. 18.—Clayton K. Watkins, clerk of Circuit Court since 1931, subscribed to the oath before Judge Steadman Prescott here yesterday and began the fourth year term to which he was elected last month.

Mr. Watkins immediately reapointed the following deputies: Miss Margaret C. Scherrer, Miss Pauline Counselman, Mrs. Margaret W. King, Mrs. Louise Boyley, Mrs. Louise V. Price, Mrs. Lucie King, Fennington and Mrs. Lucie King.

Mr. Watkins entered the clerk's office as deputy in 1916. He was made clerk in 1931 for the unexpired term of the late Preston B. Ray and has since been elected three times. This year he had no opposition.

Man Given Jail Term For Steamboat Stebbing

Henry L. Cox, 34, colored, was sentenced to 16 months in jail for stebbing a steamboat in the Potomac River yesterday.

On evidence presented to the jury by Assistant United States Attorney John C. Conliff, Cox was convicted of the charge in connection with the fatal stabbing May 30 of Charles Jones, 27, colored, on the Potomac River excursion steamer Robert E. Lee.

'Mohammed,' Aide Sentenced As Women Followers Watch

As nine crimson-robed women followers sat in District Court Justice Bolitha J. Laws today sentenced David Jones, 41, was sentenced to from one year to four years and six months in consideration of the fact that he already has spent approximately seven months in jail.

Five members of the cult previously had been sentenced in District Court to serve between one and four years.

"If you are sincere in your religious belief," Justice Laws told Bogans, "it is unfortunate you must serve a jail sentence. But it is my duty as a judge to uphold the laws of the land which you have deliberately violated, though you claim to have violated them in the best of faith."

Jones explained to the court that Mohammed, was sentenced to from one to five years. David Jones, 41, was sentenced to from one year to four years and six months in consideration of the fact that he already has spent approximately seven months in jail.

Miss Herlihy's Appearance After Night in Mexico Described by Witness

(Earlier Story on Page A-6.) BISBEE, Ariz., Dec. 13.—Slightly-burnt Margaret Herlihy and the 200-pound Capt. David G. Carr engaged in a terrific fight before Carr was fatally shot the night of August 14, an Army provost marshal testified today.

On cross-examination the witness, Lt. Col. Walt C. Rathbone of Fort Huachuca, admitted that "from outward appearances Carr seemed to have got the worst of it."

Examines Miss Herlihy. Lieut. Col. Rathbone said he examined both Miss Herlihy, who is on trial for murder, and Carr in an effort to determine the cause of her injuries. He said Miss Herlihy had a cut lip, the left side of her face was swollen, fingernails on her left hand were broken off. There were bruises and swelling on the side of her throat and she was having difficulty talking and complained of pain in her right ankle and shin, he stated.

Capt. Carr, Lt. Col. Rathbone testified, had been bitten twice in the palm of his left hand, and there were five marks above the wrist which might have been teeth marks; his right eye was partially closed; there were scratches "all over his face," his throat was bruised and scratched "as if he had struck a hard object."

Return From Mexico. Lt. Col. Rathbone said he found red hair, hairpins and broken fingernails in the automobile in which the couple returned from a night of drinking across the Mexican border. The officer admitted on cross-ex-



SANTA ANA, CALIF.—FRED PERRY ENLISTS IN AIR FORCES—Fred Perry, internationally famous tennis star, grinned happily today as he shouldered his duffle bag after enlisting as a private at the Santa Ana Air Base. He will serve in the physical fitness division.

House Group to Decide Issue Over Purchase of Waterman Ships

3-Day Hearing Concluded On Maritime Transaction With Mobile Corporation

The question of whether the Maritime Commission acted outside the intent of the Merchant Marine Act in its transactions with the Waterman Steamship Corp. was left today for the House Merchant Marine Committee to decide as three days of hearings came to a close.

A controller general's report, criticizing both the Mobile Air, corporation and the Maritime Commission for a transaction whereby the commission purchased from the company five old ships for \$3,374,700, instead of re-purchasing five other ships which it had previously sold Waterman for \$596,000, raised the issue.

Representatives of the General Accounting Office held that under a strict interpretation of the law the original sales agreement, had it been re-purchased at a price reflecting the cost of improvements minus depreciation.

The commission and the corporation, however, contended that the transactions were separate and distinct in view of the public interest and that it was in the public interest to purchase the five ships it acquired.

W. B. Garner, vice president of Waterman, and Bon Grasslin, corporation attorney, both denied that the original contract with the commission permitted later repurchase on conditions cited by the accounting office.

George F. Tullos, chief investigating officer for the General Accounting Office, testified yesterday that "no finding had been found to establish that the report of the Waterman transaction was 'factually incorrect.'"

He added that no facts developed during the hearing indicating that there should be any modification of the report.

O'Connor to Oppose U. S. Control Over State Pay

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Dec. 18.—Gov. O'Connor has indicated he views any effort to place federal control over salaries of Maryland State employees as an encroachment on State rights.

However, he said yesterday, he had no objections to passing along to the office of James F. Byrnes, economic stabilization director, information concerning proposed salary increases for State employees, provided there were "no strings attached."

"If Mr. Byrnes asks Maryland to pass along salary proposals so that the federal Government will have a better understanding of wage levels throughout the Nation, I can not consider such a request as an infringement on the sovereignty of Maryland," he said.

An order from Mr. Byrnes' office, the Office of Economic Stabilization, originally provided that the War Labor Board is empowered to regulate wages or salaries of any State or political subdivision.

Later, Attorney General William C. Walsh said, he had been given to understand by Mr. Byrnes that compliance would be made voluntary rather than compulsory.

Louis Barley Dies at 74; Was Alexandria Judge

Judge Louis C. Barley, 74, former judge of the Alexandria Corporate Court, died yesterday in Winston-Salem, N. C., at the home of his daughter, Mrs. William F. Baldwin.

Judge Barley lived in Alexandria for more than 50 years. He succeeded Judge J. K. M. Norton on the bench of the corporate court in 1920. His successor was Judge Robinson Moncure.

Judge Barley was a graduate of Randolph-Macon College and of the University of Virginia Law School.

He lived in New Alexandria until six months ago when he went to Winston-Salem to live with his daughter. Other survivors are a son, Capt. Louis C. Barley, U. S. A., and several grandchildren.

Funeral services were to be held this afternoon at Christ Church, Alexandria, with the Rev. Edward R. Welles officiating. Burial will be in St. Paul's Cemetery, Alexandria.

Man of 74 Is Fastest Knitter in South Utah

ST. GEORGE, Utah.—A knitting career begun with string garters when he was 7 years old is carrying 74-year-old Joseph F. Barton along to enviable records with the clicking needles.

Mr. Barton, ranked as the fastest knitter in Southern Utah, has turned out 31 sweaters and 27 pairs of socks since he began knitting for the Red Cross last July. He hopes to smash his World War record of 94 sweaters and 102 pairs of socks.

Racing News Today's Results and Entries for Tomorrow

Results Charles Town

Table of race results for Charles Town, including race numbers, names of horses, and odds.

New Orleans

Table of race results for New Orleans, including race numbers, names of horses, and odds.

Selections Charles Town (Fast)

- List of race selections for Charles Town, including race numbers and names of horses.

Into Yunnan Repulsed

By the Associated Press. CHUNCKING, Dec. 18.—Japanese forces to drive northward along the western bank of the Salween River in Western Yunnan Province have been thrown back to their base at Tengyueh, the Chinese command reported tonight.

Britain Plans to Spend 20 Million in India

LONDON, Dec. 18.—The British government is preparing to spend more than \$20,000,000 in the British West Indies on projects to relieve unemployment and other social and economic conditions such as underlay recent disorders there, it was disclosed today.

Kilgore Sees Troop Perils in Varied Gun Calibers

Senator Kilgore, Democrat, of West Virginia, advocate of greater standardization of Army and Navy equipment, declared today that the varying calibers of cannon used by the two services represented a potential hazard to American fighting men.

Winchester (Va.) Mayor Is Greeted by Briton

WINCHESTER, Va., Dec. 18.—Christmas and New Year's greetings from Gen. Francis Griffiths, lord mayor of Winchester, England, today were in the hands of Mayor Charles R. Anderson. He expressed hope that "1943 will bring us nearer to victory."

Wife Steers Court To Hidden Assets

WATERBURY, Conn.—Knowledge of her husband's habits won for Mrs. William Bellemare \$20 in cash, Mr. Bellemare, before Judge John L. Gaffney in a support case, turned his pockets inside out to show he had no funds.

50,000 Schools Offer Pre-Army Training

Pre-induction training was offered by the Army today to the students of the Nation's 50,000 public, private and parochial high schools.

New York Bank Stocks

Table listing New York bank stocks, including bank names and prices.

Mme. Wei Tao Ming Visits China Relief Bazaar, Buys Scrolls

Mrs. Roosevelt's Secretary Purchases Powder Box As Gift for Employer

Mme. Wei Tao Ming, wife of the Chinese Ambassador, made her first visit to the United China Relief Bazaar today and bought two Chinese scrolls, original water colors, at a dollar each.

Mrs. Helm Is First Buyer. First purchaser was Mrs. Edith B. Helm, secretary of Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt, who bought a blue and gold enamel powder box for the President's wife.

The United China Relief Bazaar comprises a variety of Christmas gifts, porcelain dishes, chop sticks, silken prints, Chinese brass bowls and other art pieces mostly contributed by friends of China.

At the Queen Wilhelmina Fund Bazaar, Mme. Loudon, wife of the Netherlands Minister to the United States, displayed the Dutch books and sabots of her country.

Dr. Robert Smith Heads Hispanic Foundation

Appointment of Dr. Robert C. Smith as director of the Hispanic Foundation was announced today by Archibald MacLellan, librarian of Congress.

A member of the Library staff, Dr. Smith will serve in the absence of Dr. Lewis Hanke, who has undertaken a special assignment for the State Department.

Dr. Smith is a member of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences.



MINNEAPOLIS.—THREE ARMY FLYERS DIE—Eight minutes after taking off on a routine flight an Army bomber crashed Wednesday near Cottage Grove, Minn. The three crewmen aboard perished. Witnesses said the bomber had been flying low and hit a high-tension wire before crashing and exploding.

Lincoln (Continued From First Page.)

initely determined on, and that he will accept. The substitution of Senator Brown for Mr. Henderson will bring a sigh of relief on the part of legislators. The OPA, as run by Mr. Henderson, has become the No. 1 headache of the war effort.

It has antagonized members of Congress and, more important, it has antagonized the great mass of American citizens, including both businessmen and consumers. It has tied up business of all kinds with red tape. It has irritated the public with its dictatorial attitude. It has built up a huge organization, costing a great amount of money.

If the job is entrusted to Senator Brown, efficiency and simplification, with much of the official red tape eliminated, will be the order of the day or he will know the reason why. While he is a "lame duck" Senator, having been defeated for re-election last November by his Republican opponent, Judge Homer Ferguson, his appointment as head of the OPA cannot be considered a reward thrown to a defeated Democrat.

Every since he has been a member of Congress, a service which included four years in the House and six in the Senate, he has shown both firmness and independence. No more striking example was his leadership of some of the liberal Democrats in the Senate in the Supreme Court bill fight. The administration realized that the jig was up when he and his colleagues flatly declared they would not go along on that measure. It was withdrawn.

Senator Brown will undertake to make use of voluntary measures as far as possible. Furthermore, fixing prices for non-essentials and luxuries, as has been done by the OPA, makes no sense to him. The thing to concentrate on is fixing prices for the essential foods, clothing, fuels, rents, etc.

It may be expected, also, that Senator Brown will seek to give the ordinary citizen a better hearing than he has been having. There has been a tendency on the part of some Government agencies to grab great quantities of materials, on the theory that they will be needed to equip prosecute the war. In some cases the amounts demanded are said to have been far greater than could be used in a long time.

Congress Sharpening Knife. The present huge setup of the OPA, with a tremendous personnel undoubtedly will be given a going over by the new head of the organization when he takes office. It was no secret at the Capitol that he was in January, what comes into being in January, was sharpening its pruning knife to cut the appropriations for the OPA to the bone.

Had Mr. Henderson remained as head of the OPA there would have been a major war waged by many members to get him out. His resignation, accepted by the President, comes in the nick of time.

Part of the opposition of Democratic Senators and Representatives to Mr. Henderson grew out of the fact that he would not play politics for and with them. He made appointments to the OPA on the recommendation of the Governors of States, very largely, whether the Governors happened to be Republican or Democrat. This incensed Democratic members of Congress, who believed that this political patronage should have been theirs.

Violent Reaction to OPA. More recently, however, increased opposition on Capitol Hill to Mr. Henderson has been due to the violent reaction of the public to the OPA, as evidenced, members believe, in the last elections, when the Republicans made great gains in the House and Senate and

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OWI Will Sponsor Magazine For Free Circulation Abroad

The Office of War Information is sponsoring a magazine to be issued soon for free circulation abroad "to counter enemy propaganda by showing the character of America, its war aims and the magnitude of the American war effort."

The publication, a slick-paper magazine to be called Victory, will be issued every two months and published by the Crowell-Collier Publishing Co. on a non-profit basis. Edward Stanley, director of the New York office of the OWI overseas branch, will be in charge.

The magazine will carry advertising and "thus provide an avenue by means of which the American business community may tell the world how American industry is geared to the war effort," OWI said.

En Guardia, sponsored by the Office of Co-ordinator of Inter-American Affairs. Victory will be patterned after En Guardia in editorial content, being largely pictorial, but unlike the publication for Latin America, Victory will carry advertising.

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Argentina Cool to Protest Against Axis Code Ban

By the Associated Press. BUENOS AIRES, Dec. 18.—Foreign Minister Enrique Ruiz Guinazu indicated last night that Argentina would reject protests from Germany, Italy and Japan against a decree limiting the Axis embassies to a daily quota of 100 words in diplomatic code messages.

The protests were filed yesterday on the grounds that the regulations prevented the Axis diplomats from carrying out their normal duties.

Dr. Ruiz Guinazu said he would submit the protests to President Castillo, but disclosed that he had told the diplomats the situation had been carefully investigated before the decree was issued and there was little chance of its being revoked.

Prices in China Ordered Frozen at Nov. 30 Level

By the Associated Press. CHUNGKING, Dec. 18.—Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek, taking the lead in a campaign to combat rising living costs in China, announced today that commodity prices, transportation charges and wages would be frozen January 15 at their level on November 30.

Observers predicted the order might result in another drop in the black market rate for the American dollar, which has slumped more than 25 per cent in the last two weeks.

According to economic experts, prices of most commodities in China today are about 50 times what they were before the war.

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OPA Cuts Five Ounces From Meat Ration For Next 3 Months

Fights Local Shortages By Lending Packers Part of 1943 Quotas

The Office of Price Administration late yesterday clipped about five ounces a week from every person's meat diet by reducing the amounts of pork, lamb and veal available for civilian consumption in the first three months of next year and, at the same time, moved to relieve current meat shortages by allowing packers to borrow on their first quarter quotas of 1943.

Decision to curtail further the amounts of the three meats to be consumed by civilians was made on recommendation of Secretary of Agriculture Wickard, food administrator, who said demands of the armed services and lease-lend were greater than had been indicated earlier. The amount of beef for civilians remains at 70 per cent of the comparable 1941 quarter.

In an accompanying action designed to encourage farmers to produce more, OPA placed specific dollars-and-cents wholesale ceilings on all poultry at prices slightly higher than those which have prevailed at any time this year. OPA said new retail prices for all poultry, except turkeys, would be announced shortly, but added that housewives would find prices at their neighborhood stores "marked up only slightly, if any, from present levels."

Quotas Available Sunday.

The move to relieve meat shortages prevailing in many areas, including Washington to some extent, enables slaughterers to begin utilizing their new first quarter quotas on December 20—12 days ahead of time. This will enable immediate resumption of operations by packing houses which have exhausted their quotas for this year, and will enable those with restricted activities to increase deliveries. Amounts "borrowed" from next year's quotas must be made up entirely, though gradually, in the first three months of 1943.

The meat reduction makes the following percentages of first quarter 1941 deliveries available for civilians in the first three months of next year: Beef 70 per cent, pork 70 per cent, veal 70 per cent, lamb and mutton 75 per cent. Quotas for



SOMERVILLE, N. J.—EVEN DORIS IS SHORT OF GAS—Gas rationing is no respecter of wealth, and so Doris Duke Cromwell, known as "the world's wealthiest girl," used this buckboard to drive 3 miles from her estate to Somerville for mail. Beside her is Bob Hannon, farm hand. The buckboard belonged to her father, the late James Buchanan Duke. —A. P. Wirephoto.

the current quarter, which represent percentages of deliveries during the fourth quarter of 1941, are: Beef 70 per cent, pork 75 per cent, veal 100 per cent, lamb and mutton 95 per cent.

Cuts in civilian meats will be a little deeper than indicated by the reduced percentages, officials said, since total deliveries in the first quarter of 1941 were somewhat less than those in the final quarter of that year.

Poultry Supply an Aid.

It was expected that the cut in civilian quotas will result in a reduction of the per capita meat supply of around five ounces a week. This does not, however, take into account the larger supply of poultry expected to be available. Since the Government already has asked all persons to limit themselves to 2½ pounds of meat a month, the new cut reduces the weekly ration to two pounds and three ounces.

Meat rationing, already announced, now is not expected to be put into effect before mid-January. Delays in printing the all-purpose ration book, under which meat will be doled out on a point basis, are understood to have caused a slight postponement in the start of rationing. Officials have made no statement as to the precise amount of meat civilians will receive under rationing.

Mr. Wickard, in recommending the further cut for civilians, explained that estimates early last fall indicated demands of the armed services and lease-lend would require about 6½ billion pounds of meat in all of 1943. Latest requirements show that two billion pounds will be needed for war uses during the first quarter. Should this demand continue throughout the year, the total meat for war purposes would exceed earlier estimates by nearly two billion pounds.

The Secretary said United States armed services require most of the meat. He said we have exported under lease-lend no lamb or mutton. Lease-lend exports of pork have been running at about 13 per cent of total production.

Provides Against Shortages.

OPA took steps to assure that there will be no such shortage in meats as now exists. The current

Agriculture Merits First Rank in War Effort, Hoover Says

Ex-President Declares Farmers Must Be Given Labor and Machinery

By the Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Dec. 18.—Agriculture must be advanced to the "very first rank of war industries," and farmers must be given labor and more machinery to help the Nation's food production program, according to former President Hoover.

Mr. Hoover, food administrator in World War I, said in a press conference yesterday that the problem in war—"especially in total war"—was production, and "the best remedy for price and other troubles is to have enough of the commodities wanted."

The former President criticized what he described as "division of authority" in the present food con-

trol machinery and of the method of price fixing. He added that only in the last two months has the administration been moving in the direction indicated by World War I experience.

"In the last war all nations had tried price ceilings, then called legal maximums," Mr. Hoover said. "We realized the debacle which resulted and didn't adopt them. We adopted a system of fixing prices as close to the source as possible, with a percentage profit limit for retailers. We arrived at the farm prices with advisory boards.

"The constant shift in demand imposes insurmountable obstacles on the present price ceiling system . . . and one result is the growth

of black markets all over the United States." He said that the old system had avoided much detail, and "I think we reduced consumer consumption more in the last war by voluntary methods than has been done by rationing in this war. I don't know whether the voluntary system would work, but it certainly should be tried on some articles."

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Fifth Column Linked To Mexican Murders

Mysterious murders in Tulancingo, Mexico, the Hidalgo mining and textile center, are linked by the population to the activities of fifth columnists and factory workers to rebel against compulsory military training.

At the time of the sabotage a German, an Italian and a Japanese were arrested. The bodies of three murdered men were all found within a week.

Invasion Force Member Returned Too Soon

By the Associated Press.

GETTYSBURG, Pa.—Corpl. Roy K. Mickleby spent 17 months learning invasion tactics. Then, rarin' for action, he headed for North Africa.

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McNutt Urges Students And Instructors to Remain in Colleges

Temporary Deferments Authorized for Those in Certain Technical Courses

By JESSE O. IRVIN.
Manpower Chairman Paul V. McNutt and National Educational Association officials today urged all students and instructors to remain in colleges and universities until called for military duty.
"This plea came when Mr. McNutt announced temporary selective service deferment for certain technical, engineering and other technical students had been authorized.
The manpower commission said while recruiting for the Navy, Marine Corps and Coast Guard is permissible until February 1, local draft boards had been instructed to accept enlistments until January 1 because the current quotas for these services have been filled.
It was explained that applications could be made to draft boards by men seeking to enlist, but that no acceptance would be allowed until after the new year.
Lists Those Deferred.
Immediately after the announcement of a joint educational training program by Secretaries Stimson and Knox that will soon place an estimated 250,000 potential fighting men in some 350 colleges and universities with their tuition paid by the armed forces, Mr. McNutt said students who will be deferred until the end of the academic term include:
1. All medical students (including hospital internes and residents), dental students and veterinary students enrolled in approved institutions and subject to selective service; and all pre-medical, pre-dental and pre-veterinary students who have completed one year of study in approved institutions.
2. All graduate students enrolled in approved engineering curricula; and all undergraduate students who have completed one year of study in approved engineering curricula.
3. All undergraduate and graduate students in approved colleges and universities who are specializing in chemistry, physics or bacteriology and are within two years of the completion of the specialized curricula.
4. All full-time instructors and all part-time instructors also devoting the balance of their time to study in any of the curricula will be deferred until July 1, 1943, or until otherwise directed by the Manpower Commission.
Draw From Enlisted Ranks.
Under the Army-Navy System, many young men who would have been college students in peacetime will train for special war assignments and commissions.
However, Dr. Francis J. Brown of the American Council on Education, stressed that the specialized program will be put into effect only by an official military call, and will draw most of its "war students" from enlisted ranks. Others to be transferred from the Reserve Officer Training Corps will be notified later, he said. Meanwhile the ROTC and other college training programs will continue unaffected.
George F. Zook, president of the council, expressed the belief the military march into the school system would be limited to the duration of the war.
The new program seems certain, however, to intensify the wartime tempo of the once carefree collegiate atmosphere. In uniform and under military supervision, the men will live, eat and work in segregated units at the school.
Their coming to the campus will "temporarily upset" the routine of America's liberal education system, Secretary Stimson said, but he stressed that the move was vital to victory.
Some College Opposition.
Opposition to the plan began to appear in some colleges and universities. Michigan University was reported to be outspoken against the move and its president was insisting that colleges be allowed to give drafted student extension courses while in military cantonments.
Actually the Army and Navy program as finally adopted differs in some respects from the plan proposed by the educational committee headed by Dr. Edwin E. Day, president of Cornell University. The committee was appointed by the council to work with military authorities.
Committee members said today the adopted program is "inadequate" and Dr. Day said he had written Mr. Stimson that the withdrawal of men from colleges by February 1 would disrupt the special training courses now in operation and seriously weaken the college.
"The inevitable consequence of the proposed War Department plans would be so injurious that, in the interests of military efficiency, we urge that a new and more satisfactory timetable be substituted for that now proposed," Dr. Day's letter stated.
Dr. Harold D. Dods, president of Princeton University, said the "program would act as a stabilizing influence." He expressed regret, however, that the Army's plan, unlike the Navy's, "aims at training for Army specialties to the exclusion of all else."
Reserve Is Important.
In announcing his deferment program, Mr. McNutt said "a continuing reserve of technically trained men is all important in the Nation's manpower needs." It estimated that the Army and Navy plan affects about 10 per cent of the student body.
"Plans which will affect a large part of the remaining 90 per cent of college students, both men and women, are now under consideration by the War Manpower Commission," he declared, adding:
"All this is ample evidence that the Army and the Navy and the War Manpower Commission set a high value on the importance of higher education."
Mr. McNutt said the commission was planning ahead so that there will be adequate reserves of college-trained manpower in essential occupations. Students must be trained for leadership in professional and technical fields to avoid serious shortages, he asserted.
Under Civilian Conditions.
Education Council officials who sat in on the program-planning pointed out that the youths will be studying strictly under civilian conditions. They said control of the schools will

WPB Adopts D. C. Ad Club Plan For Zinc Saving as Official

Program Made Part of U. S. Release For Guidance Throughout Nation

The 12-point zinc saving program recently adopted by the directors of the Advertising Club of Washington was approved yesterday by the Conservation Division of the War Production Board which made the program part of an official release and suggested that it could be put into operation immediately throughout the United States.
The WPB said the Advertising Club and co-operating newspaper publishers "are to be congratulated for the intelligent and constructive conservation effort that this program represents."
Common sense conservation measures are stressed in the recommendation made by the local club, the statement continued.
"If this program for zinc conservation is followed by all newspaper artists, advertising copywriters and production men they will have made a most significant contribution to the war effort" it is said. "Conservation of material is often achieved simply by applying common sense to a limitation order."
Represents Consensus.
The zinc-saving program proposed by the Advertising Club "can be put into operation immediately throughout the entire United States," the WPB pointed out, and "represents a consensus of newspaper advertising executives, advertising agencies, department, food and specialty store advertising managers and radio stations."
The members of the Advertising Club's Zinc Committee which drew up the program follows:
Newspapers—S. H. Kaufmann, chairman, assistant business manager, The Evening Star.
Department stores—James Rotto, vice chairman, advertising manager, The Hecht Co.
Agencies—Henry J. Kaufman, president, Henry J. Kaufman Advertising Agency.
Engravers—Louis Janof, president, Advertisers' Engraving Service, Inc. Shopping News—W. N. Freeman, general manager, Washington Shopping News.
Specialty stores—Miss Ruth Ohlson, advertising manager, Frank R. Jelliff, Inc.
Printers—O. T. Wright, president, National Capital Press, Inc.
Food stores—L. H. Butler, advertising manager, Safeway Stores, Inc. Lithographers—N. Ward Guthrie, president, Guthrie Lithograph Co.
50 Per. Cut in February.
The WPB limitation order, which prompted the zinc-saving program called for a 25 per cent reduction in the use of zinc by commercial and newspaper engraving plants,

effective November 16, 1942. A 50 per cent reduction goes into effect February 15.
Limitations on the use of zinc became necessary because of heavy demands by armament manufacturers.
The Advertising Club's 12-point program follows:
1. Border cuts must not be made. Use standard type borders and their combination. (a) Design art borders only when they can be used frequently.
2. Screened type must not be used. Don't use double printing on Ben Day or wash background.
3. Don't prepare hand lettering. Use available type. (a) Don't use blowup type when it is possible to select suitable type faces available in necessary sizes.
4. Do not tie one piece of art onto another in a manner that creates waste areas. (a) Don't tie in extended type-text with illustration, so as to increase the zinc area.
5. Make all cuts, so far as possible, that they may be adapted to future use. (a) Use cuts over again as often as possible.
Don't Repeat Jobs.
6. Don't order the same engraving to be made more than once. Newspaper exchange cuts—so, when ordering a repeat advertisement or a layout, utilizing illustrations that appeared in a previous advertisement, please specify where and when the cuts last appeared so that they can be picked up for use. If publishers or printers are to store your cuts, be sure to indicate the ones which will be used repeatedly so that they will be saved.
7. Use mats from mat services or newspapers.
8. Newspaper mats will be saved for 60 days, if advertisers indicate that such practice will avoid remaking cuts previously used.
9. Standardize size and style of signatures and trade marks for continuous re-use.
10. Develop efficient filing system of often-used cuts: paste picture of cut on outside of envelope for easy identification.
11. In preparing art work, use standard reductions—"same size," "third off," "half off"—to save time and zinc in engraving plant.
12. Return all unusable zinc to your engraver, newspaper or printer. (WPB rules that any one holding "obsolete plates" after September 30 will not be entitled to new plates during the calendar quarter.)
IN GENERAL: Consider every layout from viewpoint of eliminating all unnecessary use of engraving.

remain completely in civilian hands, although each will be assigned a "military commandant." Dr. Brown said servicemen will have civilian housing, food and instruction, and probably will associate with civilian co-eds. To simplify the separate housing problem, some schools may empty their fraternity and sorority houses for the servicemen, scattering civilian students throughout the cities in other quarters.
"However," Dr. Brown said, "these decisions will be up to the institutions themselves. The military forces simply will contract for their facilities and housing, feeding and training facilities."
College girls will be urged to continue their studies to keep the schools operating on as regular a schedule as possible in wartime, officials said. Most military classes will be in separate rooms from the co-educational courses, but not in separate buildings, and classes may be mixed in some cases, the school leaders said.
Including the estimated 93,000 servicemen now being trained in specialized spots such as the pre-flight schools, the program will put some 300,000 uniformed youths in college.

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Appointment of Lee To Park Commission Upheld by O'Connor

Maryland Governor Discounts Protests Of Montgomery GOP

By the Associated Press.
ANNAPOLIS, Dec. 18.—Gov. O'Connor has refused to countenance protests of the Montgomery County Republican State Central Committee against appointment of Lt. Col. E. Brooke Lee to the Maryland-National Park and Planning Commission, saying the appointment was made from personal knowledge of Col. Lee's "experience and qualifications."
"I can see no point in continuing what is apparently a political feud," Gov. O'Connor said in a response to a charge by the Montgomery Republicans that the appointment of Col. Lee was "contrary to the will of the voters."
"The appointment by me of Col. Lee was by my knowledge of his experience and qualifications, for he has served as controller, secretary of state, member of the State Roads Commission, and a member of the Board of Regents of the University of Maryland," Gov. O'Connor declared.
The Republican group protested also Col. Lee's appointment as Montgomery Park commissioner, and the committee said in a formal statement that Col. Lee had been "roundly repudiated" by the voters in his Congressional bid in November.
The appointment by Gov. O'Connor showed, the committee asserted, that the Democratic organization and Gov. O'Connor were controlled in Montgomery County by Col. Lee.
"They demonstrated that when the county political boss cracks his whip the will of the people is disregarded," the statement continued. "They demonstrate also that the political boss cannot be eliminated unless and until each and all of the office seekers under his domination and control are eliminated too."



"SHOOTING FOOL"—Charles Zuke of Big Rapids, Mich., earned the title "shooting fool" from his commanding officer, Capt. Melvin Schulz, when he was officially credited with shooting 22 Jap snipers. They were all plucked out of trees and holes in New Guinea with a Garand rifle.
—A. P. Wirephoto.

State Plans Yule Party For Michigan Marines

By the Associated Press.
SAN DIEGO, Calif., Dec. 18.—More than 200 Michigan marines will be remembered by their Wolverine State tonight at a \$5,000 Christmas party—the first presented at the marine base here by a State for its warriors.
More than two tons of presents arrived yesterday to be presented to

the 225 Michigan boys now in boot camp.
The party was arranged by W. F. Doyle, chairman of the Michigan State Park Commission. He will represent the State and the Michigan State Store Association, a group of 3,000 retail establishments, which provided the presents. Three gifts will be presented to each Michigan marine by Linda Darnell, film actress.
In behalf of Gov. Murray D. Van Wagener, Mr. Doyle will present the base a message from the State's chief executive and the official Wolverine flag.



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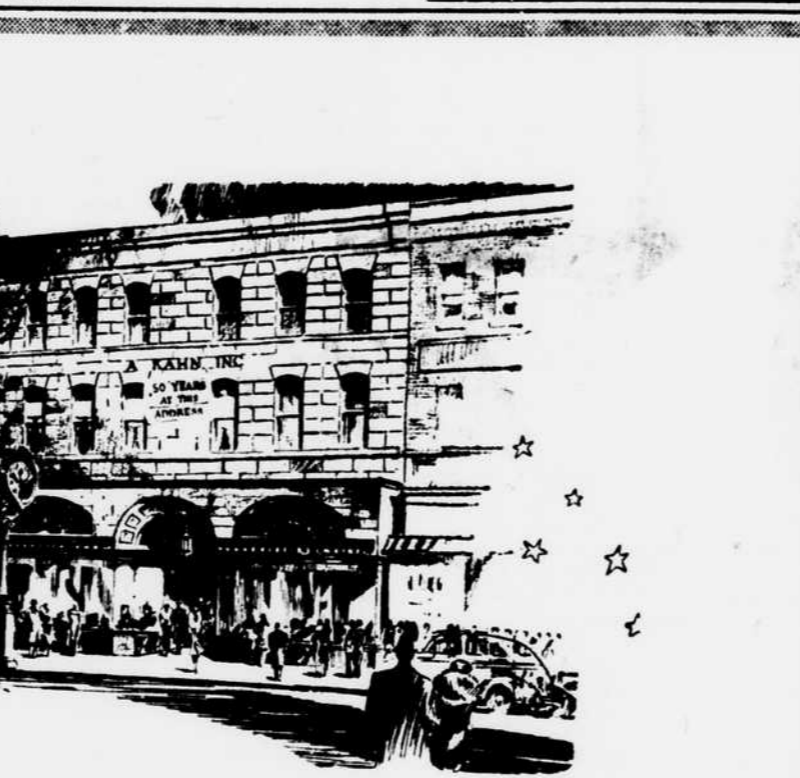
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By the Associated Press.
ALTON, Ill.—Grocer William H. Black ran this classified ad in the Alton Telegraph:
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New River Marine Base Named After Gen. Lejeune

The Navy announced today that the Marine Corps amphibious training base at New River, N. C., had been designated as Camp Lejeune in honor of Lt. Gen. John Archer Lejeune, U. S. M. C., who commanded the 2d Division of the AEF during the World War.
Gen. Lejeune, who died November 29, also served as commandant of the Marine Corps from 1920 to 1929. The camp named for him covers 200 square miles of the North Carolina seacoast, and marines fresh from recruit instruction at Parris Island, S. C., go to New River for rigorous training in amphibious warfare.
The base is a training center for the paratroopers, air-borne infantry, barrage balloon units and schools for motor transport troops, engineers and other specialists.
Gen. Lejeune was the only marine officer ever to hold an Army divisional command—the 2d, half of which was composed of marines. After his retirement in 1929 he became superintendent of Virginia Military Institute and held that post until 1937.

Prince William Schools Close

MANASSAS, Va., Dec. 18 (Special).—Prince William County schools closed today for the Christmas holidays. Richard C. Hayden, county school superintendent, said classes will be resumed January 4.

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Miss Herlihy to Tell Own Story in Slaying Of Officer-Husband

Matrimonial High Lights In Life of Capt. Carr Related by Defense

By the Associated Press. **BISBEE, Ariz., Dec. 18.**—The dramatic climax of Margaret Herlihy's murder trial came today as she prepared to relate to the witness stand her story of the slaying of her husband, Capt. David D. Carr, to whom she was secretly wed.

From the time of her arrest, soon after the Fort Huachuca anti-tank officer was found lying from two bullet wounds, the attractive red-haired defendant admitted shooting him, declaring he beat her and she feared for her life. But the complete story of the fatal quarrel between the 21-year-old girl and Capt. Carr remained to be told.

Died August 15.

Capt. Carr died early in the morning of August 15, a short time after police found him lying on a bedroom floor in the home of the girl's parents, Lt. Col. and Mrs. E. G. Herlihy, at Douglas, 24 miles east of here.

In a sensational opening statement yesterday, Defense Attorney W. E. Foley declared the 27-year-old officer had been twice married, claimed a third woman as his wife, never had been divorced, and was of a brutal and immoral nature.

Mr. Foley gave this outline of Capt. Carr's tangled marital affairs: Married Florette Bellerose in Massachusetts in 1935. Entered into a common law mar-

riage with Alice Lippolt in New Orleans in 1940. Married Ruth Duke, Phenix City, Ala., in January, 1942.

"The pattern of Capt. Carr's life became so complex as to drive all reason from any man," the defense attorney contended.

He pictured the officer as harried by demands from Alice Lippolt and Ruth Duke Carr that he make some provision for them and asserted Capt. Carr "tried to get rid of his third wife, Ruth Duke Carr, but couldn't because she was pregnant by him."

Witness Unable to Appear.

Superior Judge William G. Hall was to rule today on the admissibility of a deposition from Alice Lippolt of Columbus, Ind. Col. Herlihy said out of court that she was unable to come to Arizona because "she is desperately ill and probably dying of an ulcer in her lung."

Col. Herlihy, on the stand, asserted that when Capt. Carr first met Margaret last May "he acted like a man in love who was beginning to learn how to behave himself, but from August 1 he acted like a man out of his head."

Of the secret marriage of Margaret and Capt. Carr the defense attorney said:

"He took her across the line on June 21 and caused her to become intoxicated in order to persuade her into a void Mexican marriage with him."

Third Victim of Crash Dies in Hospital Here

Isabelle Crawford, 15, colored, of Landover, Md., died in Casualty Hospital today, the third victim of an automobile accident Wednesday night on the Defense Highway near Vista, Md.

Two other occupants of the car, which police said was wrecked when it failed to take a curve, died shortly after reaching the hospital. They were Helen Crawford, 17, a sister of the girl who died today, and John Harrison, 19, Glenn Arden, Md., also colored.

Helen Brown, 20, colored, of Glenn Arden, the fourth occupant of the automobile, was reported in critical condition by hospital officials.



INDIA.—SHOWING A SNAKE CHARMER HOW—With his buddies gathered around, Sergt. John Stafford of West Point, Miss., took over the waiting horn to show this native snake charmer a thing or two about how doughboys charm a hooded cobra. The snake charmer stayed around—just in case.

11 Cleared on Charge Of Conspiracy To Make Liquor

District Court Jury Reaches Verdict in \$60,000 Tax Case

Eleven persons charged with conspiring to violate liquor tax laws by operating moonshine stills in Southern Maryland and distributing their product in the District, were acquitted by a District Court jury at midnight last night, which decided that the Government had failed to prove conspiracy.

Cleared of charges that they conspired to manufacture and sell 20,000 gallons of whiskey to deprive the Government of \$650,000 in taxes between 1938 and 1941, were the following:

Alvey D. Gamble, Jr., 37; Emory L. "Smith" Bowie, 36; and Joseph H. Hill, 41, colored, said to be ring-leaders in the operations; Charles W. Gamble, 23; Hyman Wolf, 21; Daniel L. Riley, 34, colored; Curtis M. Taylor, 26, colored; James J. Hawkins, 33, colored; George L. Matthews, 28, colored; John S.

New York Papers Raise Cost of Sunday Issues

By the Associated Press. **NEW YORK, Dec. 18.**—Beginning Sunday, the cost of the Sunday editions of the New York Times and the New York Herald Tribune in the area outside of the 50-mile suburban districts and up to 100 miles will be increased from 10 to 12 cents, representatives of both papers said today.

In the area beyond the 100-mile districts the Sunday paper cost will be increased from 12 to 15 cents, with some exceptions.

President Likes Setup Of Railway Mediation

By the Associated Press. President Roosevelt indicated today that he favored use of customary machinery for handling any disputes over railway wage increases.

A press conference questioner wanted to know whether it was in accord with his views that the War Labor Board should have jurisdiction over any pay increases for the railway workers.

The Chief Executive said there was regular machinery for handling that and it had worked extremely well over a period of years. He said he would not worry about it.

The National Railway Mediation Board has handled rail wage questions for years.

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Firemen Save 3 Women, Child in Apartment Blaze

Firemen rescued three women and a 2-year-old baby from the third story of an apartment house at 3719 Twelfth street N.E., during a two-alarm fire today.

Lt. Robert L. Lynch of No. 15 Truck Company brought down Mrs. George McVey and Mrs. Helen Mattson. He then passed the child, Nancy Buck, to Pvt. G. T. O'Brien and took the child's mother, Mrs. M. L. Buck, down the ladder.

Firemen said the blaze started in a basement storage room, but they were unable to determine the origin. Dense smoke blocked the stairs and hallways.



Some of the boys stationed in this unidentified city in India spend their leisure hours sight-seeing from the humps of camels. —A. P. Photos.

Printers Will Resume Work in Chicago Shop Handling Magazines

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Battle of Africa Involves Outcome of Whole War

Struggle for Mediterranean Control Is Fight for Basic Resources

By DEWITT MACKENZIE. **CAIRO, Dec. 17 (Delayed).**—We shouldn't let the fascination of the Axis debacle in the Libyan desert prevent us from raising our eyes so we may get a view of the tremendous potentialities of an Allied victory which will drive the Hitlerites into the sea.

The outcome of the whole war is immeasurably involved.

This historic battle isn't just for the possession of the harsh terrain over which it is being waged. It is for control of that great arterial waterway—the Mediterranean.

It should be remembered that this war is one of resources, coupled with the domination of the communications over which those resources must be moved to the theaters of action. From this standpoint the Mediterranean is one of the most vital among the strategic waters of the world.

Not only does it feed most of the countries adjacent to its shores, but it is the sole shortcut to the Orient.

Thus we see that the moment we drive the Axis out of North Africa our progress toward final victory will be vastly accelerated. Allied air forces will then have bases from which they can drive the Boche Luftwaffe from such strong positions as Sicily and Crete, which have hamstrung the main Mediterranean channels.

Once cargo ships can cross again from Gibraltar to the Suez Canal we shall have an entirely new situation. The whole Middle East and India can be reached comparatively quickly with supplies and troops. Aid for Russia through Persia and the Caucasus will be facilitated. The possibility of Hitler breaking through the Caucasus into the Middle East—if indeed that danger still exists in any degree—will be nil.

One of Basic Operations.

So the battle of the sands of North Africa is one of the basic operations of the entire war. Its ramifications literally war around the world. Each hammer blow that Gen. Sir Bernard L. Montgomery strikes at Marshal Erwin Rommel, for example, makes the structure in Gen. Douglas MacArthur's territory vibrate because the Allied drive in the Mediterranean theater is in effect an assault on the Japanese left wing.

Once Rommel and the Axis forces in Tunisia have been disposed of, a new haven will open up for Allied forces and it will be a new hell for Hitler.

The lack of airbases within easy striking distance of major Axis bases has handicapped the British and American air forces terribly. Also, of course, a great fleet of planes has been tied to the land fighting in Africa.

The release of equipment and the acquisition of secure strategic airbases will permit a new aerial offensive which will take Axis territory from stem to stern. This will be possible not only because of a vastly improved strategic position but because American and British warplane production is beginning to swamp the Axis.



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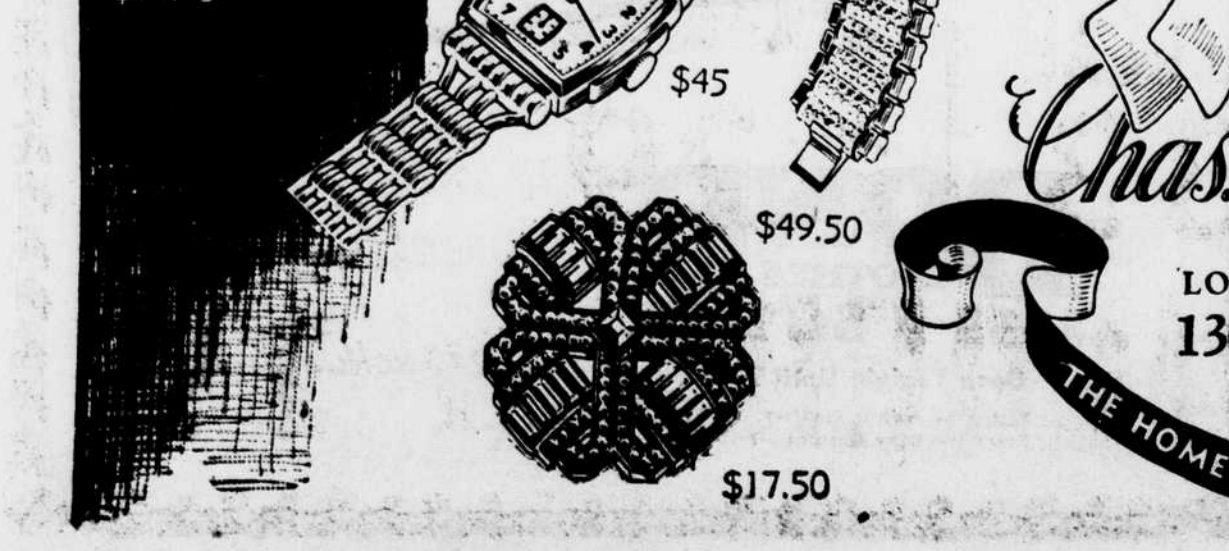
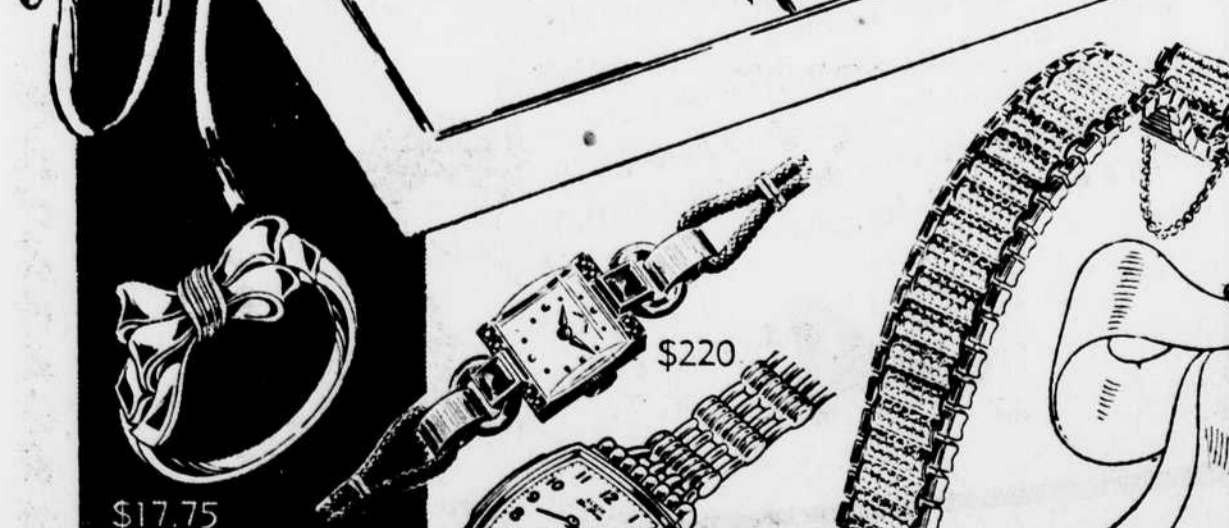


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Plunge Fatal to Man Seeking to Flee Blaze

A 66-year-old colored man jumped to his death from the third floor of a rooming house early today after fire broke out on the first floor.

Victim of the fall was Wilson Hinton, a roomer at 222 I street N.W. No one else was injured in the fire, although damage was estimated at about \$1,000, and several roomers were taken down ladders by firemen.

The fire, according to observers, was caused by the explosion of a kerosene stove in the rooms occupied by Wheeler Barnes and his family on the first floor.

Mr. Hinton was found by firemen in the adjoining area way. He was taken in a fire rescue squad ambulance to Freedmen's Hospital and was pronounced dead on arrival.

Tony Martin Is Drafted By Army as a Private

By the Associated Press. **LOS ANGELES, Dec. 18.**—Singer Tony Martin, recently dismissed from the Navy for unfitness after 11 months' service, was back in the armed forces today—this time as a draftee.

He was inducted into the Army on orders from his draft board and will report to Fort MacArthur December 26.

While in the Navy, Martin was involved in the court-martial case of Lt. Comdr. Maurice Aruff, charged with accepting a \$500 automobile from the singer for facilitating the latter's enlistment with a specialist rating. Aruff was dismissed from the service.

Chaplain's Past Serves Army for Longshore

By the Associated Press. **AN ALASKA OUTPOST.**—Soldiers at this post walk and talk a little more carefully now around the chaplain. They're not just sure what his background might be.

Not since a ship docked here needed an emergency longshore crew. Soldiers stepped forward for most of the jobs, but Chaplain Joseph M. Applegate, once pastor of the Pigeon Boulevard Christian Church in Los Angeles, grabbed the winch driver's seat.

He moved the cargo, too, without dropping a slingload. The secret, he admitted, was learned when he was busy working his way through the University of Oregon several years ago and did a little longshoring on the side to help pay expenses.

Norton (Va.) High School Burns; Loss \$75,000

By the Associated Press. **NORTON, Va., Dec. 18.**—The Pound High School, a brick and stone structure, attended by 450 students, was destroyed by fire last night.

The building contained 11 classrooms, offices and an auditorium. School officials estimate the loss at \$75,000. Principal O. M. Morris said he did not know the origin of the fire.

Today's AEF Soldier Found Less Impulsive

By the Associated Press. **That the United States soldier of today differs from the doughboy of 1918 is asserted by Belfast men who served in the last war. He is considered just as friendly as was his father, but less impulsive and more likely to leave first advances to others. While this difference may be due in some measure to the book of instructions on how to behave, it is believed it goes deeper.**

One of the veterans, who asked an American soldier about it, received this reply: "When we see how your cities have been knocked about and hear what all the ordinary folk have gone through and see for ourselves what sacrifices they are making—well, it makes us feel sort of quiet about ourselves. We are going to do plenty over here—with your help—but until we've done it you won't find us shooting off our mouths very much."

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60,549 Coal Miners Quit Jobs During Year

By the Associated Press. **The Bituminous Coal Division reported today that 60,549 miners had quit their jobs this year and that the manpower situation was particularly acute in some regions.**

The net loss was held to 33,763 men as of last April 1 by recruitment of new workers and by employment, but later information indicated the net loss had grown much larger, the division said.

Memo from Santa's Hat

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MARMALADE SPENCER FARMS 2 lb. jar	29c
TUNA FISH FRANCO WHITE MEAT No. 1/2 can	43c
PANCAKE FLOUR PILLSBURY'S 2 20 oz. pkgs.	17c
BUCKWHEAT PILLSBURY'S 20 oz. pkg.	11c
SYRUPS VERMONT MAID OR LOG CABIN 12 oz. bot.	17c
POPCORN JOLLY TIME WHITE OR YELLOW 2 10 oz. pkgs.	25c
APPLE BUTTER MUSSELMAN'S 24 oz. jar	15c
RIPE OLIVES LIBBY'S MEDIUM No. 1 can	22c
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FOOD COLORS MCCORMICK ASSORTED 4 vial pkg.	23c
CORN STARCH STALEY'S CREAM 1 lb. pkg.	9c
JUNKET RENNET POWDERS 3 reg. pkgs.	25c
MACARONI MUELLER'S Straight or Elbow 9 oz. pkg.	8c
SPAGHETTI MUELLER'S Regular or Thin 9 oz. pkg.	8c
EGG NOODLES MUELLER'S Fine or Wide 6 oz. pkg.	8c
MACARONI "CAVALIERE" 16 oz. pkg.	10c
EGG NOODLES "CAVALIERE" (ALSO BOWS) 2 8 oz. pkgs.	15c

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WILKINS lb. 30c	BEECHNUT lb. 33c
ORIENTA lb. 30c	KAFFEE HAG lb. 34c
GILL'S HOTEL SPECIAL lb. 31c	SANKA lb. 35c

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IT'S TENDER GREEN
BROCCOLI original bunch **23c**

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GLACE FRUITS lb. **29c**

TANGERINES FLORIDA SUGAR-SWEET doz. **17c**

SWEET POTATOES PORTO RICAN RED 4 lbs. **19c**

COLLARD GREENS FRESH NEARBY 2 lbs. **9c**

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MUSHROOMS SNO-WHITE lb. **29c**

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BABY FOOD 3 reg. cans **19c**

Aunt Nellie's Green 'n Clean
SPINACH No. 2 1/2 can **17c**

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SAUERKRAUT quart jar **16c**

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MUSTARD MCCORMICK REG. OR HORSERADISH 2 8 oz. jars	17c
WORCESTERSHIRE DURKEE 5 oz. bot.	13c
VITAMIN SALAD CHEF'S BEST pt. jar	19c
PICKLED BEETS CHEF'S BEST pt. jar	19c
COLE SLAW CHEF'S BEST pt. jar	19c
RED CABBAGE CHEF'S BEST pt. jar	19c
CUBE STARCH STALEY'S 1 lb. pkg.	8c
WINDEX MAKES GLASS SPARKLE 2 6 oz. bot.	25c
DINNER NAPKINS HUDSON 17"x17" pkg. of 100	19c
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Gas Ban Throws Huge Burden on D. C. Transportation
 Closing of Schools Today One of Steps Urged To Relieve Jams
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assurances in these directions were given Mr. Flanagan by John H. Royer, Jr., spokesman for the Combined Cab Service, Inc., an organization of a group of fleets: Jack Dolton of the Blue Light Cabs and Harry Davis for the Diamond Cabs. Two immediate problems Capital Transit Co. officials were studying this afternoon was a gas supply for the company's own bus and streetcar operators who live in nearby Maryland and Virginia and the need for expanding Sunday transportation service.
 Company officials said that if a substantial number of operators live in the nearby areas and have been driving to work, the company may seek OPA authority to furnish gas line from company stocks to the stranded operators.
 On the score of churchgoers who have previously driven on Sunday, transportation executives said they were now making plans to expand their Sunday service.
 Care of Sick Assured.
 Meanwhile the District Medical Society succeeded in winning assurances this afternoon from District OPA Administrator Whitney Leary that the care of the sick would not be interfered with. Mr. Leary said that doctors who do not have sufficient gas can cash single coupons on an emergency basis to make calls necessary for the medical protection of the community, even if that meant cashing coupons every day. The city's 850 doctors are C card holders.
 Three Steps Recommended.
 Three emergency steps were recommended shortly after noon by the Regional Committee of Defense Transportation Administrators. They are:
 1. To school authorities: That school children be released for the Christmas holidays as of the end of school hours today, instead of next Wednesday afternoon, as a means of making more streetcar and bus capacity available for employed persons.
 2. To the Merchants and Manufacturers' Association: That beginning at once, Washington stores be opened to the public between 10 a.m. and 7 p.m. It was said the Executive Committee of the association would meet this afternoon to act on this suggestion.
 3. To the Capital Transit Co.: That it cut out all outlying bus service where there is a walk of a half-mile or less to street car lines.
 Gas stations were besieged early this morning with A-card holders, who were joined around 11 a.m. by B and C card holders. The proprietors took the position they would cease selling gas only when they received official orders.
 When the first official word came, some said they had been told to sell A, B and C card holders enough gas to get home on but others immediately closed their establishments.
 Leaves Auto at Station.
 One of the first victims was Don Thompson of 2724 Tenth street N.E., who was waiting in line at the Firestone station at Thirteenth and K streets N.W. when it came to stop sales. Mr. Thompson's tank was dry. With the aid of bystanders, the motorist pushed his car aside and said he would leave it at the station until he could get the gas to move it.
 The OPA was using virtually every means at its command to halt gas sales. In a teletype notice to local OPA offices, it emphasized that it would do the notifying. First step was to get assurances from the oil industry that the various companies would notify all their outlets of the official stop order. Radio, newspapers and regional offices were also told to spread the word as fast as possible.
 How much gasoline was left in this metropolitan area could not be estimated in view of this morning's run on the gas tanks. One station, shortly before the stop order came, reported that the gas on hand had dwindled in a few hours from 16,000 to 2,000 gallons. Some station operators were reported as saying that after the run, there might not be enough gas left for emergency vehicles.
 "Hell of Jam" Seen.
 Mr. Van Duzer estimated that 40 per cent of Washington workers have been going to and from work in private automobiles. One of the group who met with Mr. Van Duzer this morning predicted "there is going to be one hell of a jam on mass transportation beginning tomorrow morning."
 F. A. Sager, chief engineer of the PUC, has suggested to the transit company that wide-scale short-routing of buses be arranged so that they would stop on the fringe of the downtown area. People would then walk from this "fringe" to their offices, allowing the buses

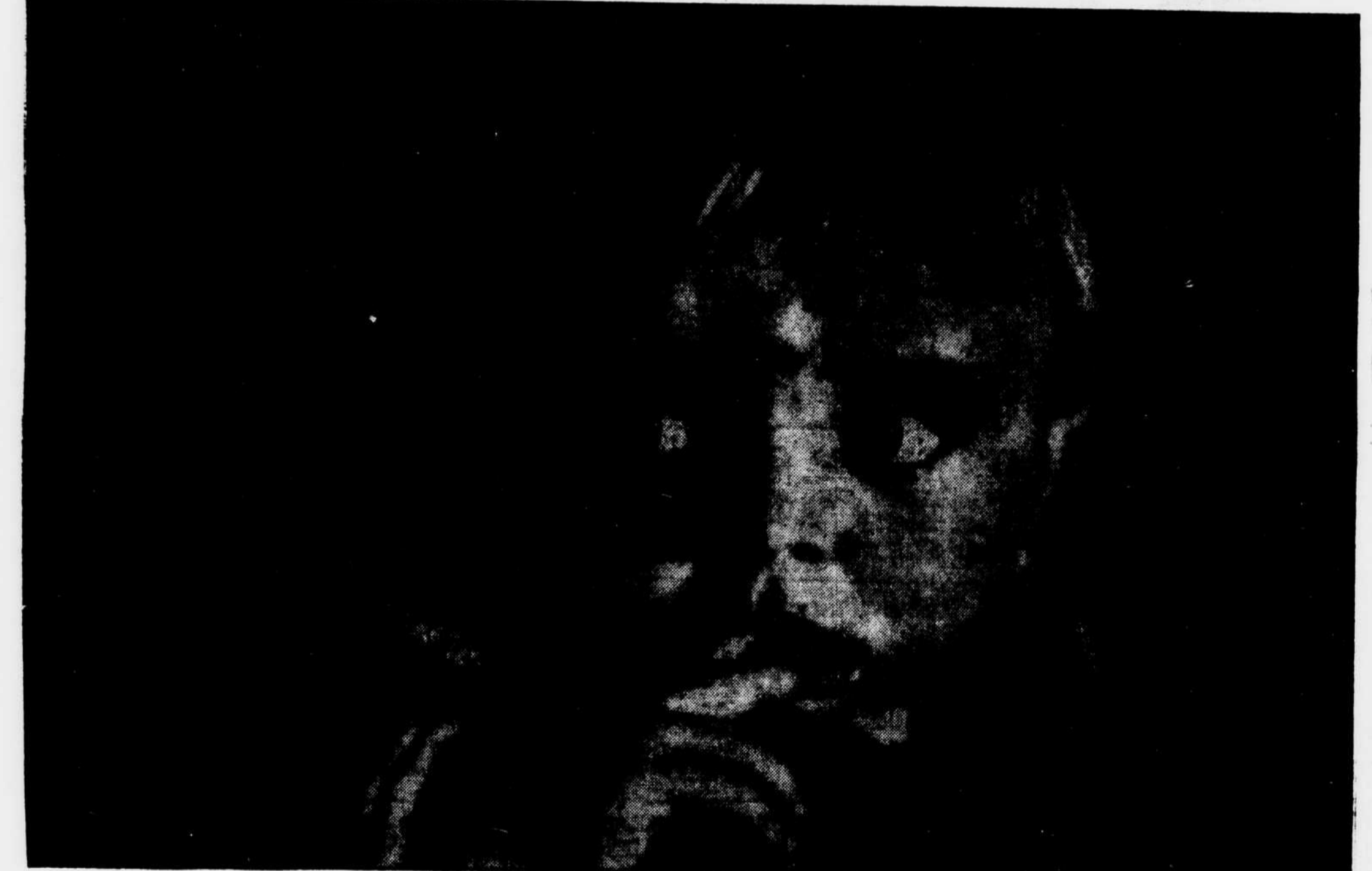
to return to the outlying areas more quickly.
 President Merrill said he was considering short routing of buses on outlying lines for the same purpose. Another plan is to reduce the number of stops along the streetcar routes to speed transportation.
 Conference Called.
 An emergency conference of company officers and engineers was called for this morning by Mr. Merrill to survey the situation to see what the company could do.
 The company has "T" cards for its transportation, and these are not suspended, but the company's principal worry was how it could handle more streetcar and bus passengers.
 "While we have not been limited yet as to our supplies of gasoline," said Mr. Merrill, "we can see we are facing plenty of trouble. The public, being unable to get any more gas, will come to streetcars and buses for transportation. Also our own men, many of them, drive to and from work in their own cars and lack of gasoline for them may delay their getting to work. It looks like a serious problem since our streetcars and buses now are heavily loaded at rush hours and the problem is how we can accommodate still more riders."
 Police Survey Ordered.
 A survey has been ordered by the chief clerk of the District Police Department to find out how much gasoline supplies are on hand in the various precincts here.
 Police announced that they would temporarily suspend the 18-hour parking regulations because of the emergency. They also said policemen would be assigned tomorrow to loading zones for streetcars and buses where there is a heavy pickup so they can assist transit officials and prevent trouble, should it arise.
 A spokesman for the Standard Oil Co., one of the largest distributors of gasoline here, said it was impossible at this time to predict how long the supply would last here.
 "The storage capacity for gasoline here is limited," he said. "We all have to depend on supplies coming in from time to time from outside. The tense situation on both gasoline and fuel oil, makes it impossible to say how long the present supply of gasoline here will last."
 W. K. Jawish, manager of the service station at Georgia and New Hampshire avenues N.W., tried to discourage gas seekers by partially blocking the driveways into his establishment, but he couldn't keep the motorists out. They drove over the sidewalks to get to the gas tanks.
 A feminine gas attendant at one

station, Miss Margie Marchael, said she filled tanks constantly from the time she went to work at 7:30 a.m. until the station closed to all but T-bookholders.
Gasoline
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 meet the critical situation. A more detailed order will be issued shortly. Meanwhile, it is up to the public and to the gasoline distributing industry to co-operate to permit the use of our very limited supplies of gasoline for essential services.
 Evasion Seen Blocked.
 Mr. Joseph said the operators' check would block motorists trying to "shop" from one station to the next to get a full tank.
 A spokesman at the national OPA offices said Mr. Joseph's order was issued from the regional office and not from here. Whitney Leary, District OPA administrator, said he had not been advised of the action taken by the regional office and that the order would not go into effect until he had received official notification from Mr. Joseph.
 The suspension order was issued shortly after Petroleum Administrator Ickes had conferred in New York with Mayor La Guardia. Mr. Ickes would not comment, but said a statement from the OPA in Washington probably would be issued later in the day.
 Leon Henderson, retiring OPA administrator, notified all retail gasoline dealers in the East that they were to suspend sales to holders of A, B and C books—as well as holders of E and R coupons for non-highway use except "for emergency use."
 Text of Henderson's Order.
 The text of the drastic Henderson order follows:
 "Until further notice, as of 12:01 p.m. today (noon) all retail sellers of gasoline at filling stations in the District of Columbia and the 17 Eastern States of district 1 are forbidden to honor gas ration coupons except "T" coupons for commercial vehicles or one coupon of any class for emergency use."
 Officials of the OPA and the Petroleum Administration for War were in conference all morning, and it was indicated they were drawing up a more detailed plan for meeting the gasoline crisis.
 The action taken by the OPA was far more drastic than had been expected. Last night OPA spokesmen had indicated the suspension of "A" coupons was imminent—in fact, an announcement of this suspension had been prepared.
 But officials of OPA and PAW

could not agree on the phrasing of the announcement, and as a result it was not made.
Causes Rush for Gasoline.
 News of the impending cut was carried on the radio and in the morning newspapers. Thousands of holders of "A" books descended on gasoline stations in the East. Dealers expressed fears that the gasoline stocks—already dangerously low—might be drained even further by this morning's run.
 It was believed this circumstance caused OPA to order immediate suspension of all sales except to commercial vehicles. The "T" coupons which are still to be honored are held by trucks, taxis and like vehicles. The T coupons recently replaced the S books.
New York Supply Drained.
 The crisis arose yesterday when it became known that virtually every drop of gasoline in New York had been drained off. To replenish New York stocks, it became necessary to draw on supplies in other sections.
Office of War Information summoned newspapermen to its headquarters last night for an "important announcement." The reporters were informed that the suspension of the "A" books was to be ordered. From Atlanta came an announcement by a local OPA official that the suspension had been ordered for midnight.
 Reporters in Washington waited for more than three hours for the announcement of the suspension. They learned that it was delayed because Robert W. Horton, deputy OPA administrator in charge of information, and Ralph K. Davies, deputy petroleum administrator for war, could not agree on how to phrase the announcement.
Horton Explains Stand.
 Mr. Horton took the position that, since the cut was so drastic, the public should be informed in detail of the reason for it. Mr. Davies said that he would not take the responsibility for making such an announcement and insisted on a generalized statement.
 Finally, shortly before midnight, the OWI issued a terse press release which said there would be no cut in the "A" cards during the night.
 You can still buy a good automobile and you don't need priority to do it—use a little Star ad. NA. 5000.

Individual Savings Set Record at 26 Billion
 By the Associated Press.
 The Commerce Department estimated today that individual savings in 1942 would amount to \$26,000,000,000, a new record.
 The record savings were attributed by the department's survey of current business mainly to the sharp rise in incomes, curtailment of durable goods purchases and price ceilings.
 Individual savings last year were estimated at \$12,900,000,000 and in 1940 at \$7,400,000,000.
Delay Ties Up Office
 PORTLAND, Oreg. (AP)—Robert O. Case, designated School Board chairman some time ago, waited weeks before succeeding C. W. Aldrich. It took that long to get a plate with his name for the check-writing machine.

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This Little Girl Has Seen Too Much

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 She's seen the strange, dreadful fear growing in her mother's eyes.
 She's watched them take her father to a concentration camp — shuffling, stumbling. Her father who was always so strong and proud and full of fun!
 She is only 7—but she knows what it means to lose a war!
 You don't.
 But you could—unless you, and I, and everybody make it our personal job to see that we win!
 There is one thing we can all do. We can lend the money to pay for the guns and tanks and planes that'll win this war! Not give it, lend it—by putting it in War Bonds. And more Bonds. And still more Bonds! And the easy way to do

this is join the millions who are now buying Bonds through the Pay-Roll Savings Plan.
 While plenty of people on the Pay-Roll Savings Plan are setting aside more than the 10 percent Uncle Sam needs, a lot are investing less.
 The fellows who aren't yet in the Plan—or, being in, haven't yet hit their 10 percent—aren't unpatriotic, or Fifth Columnists, or anything like that. They're just human. They just haven't realized their country's crying need for every cent—now! They haven't realized that Americans have been licked in battle for lack of planes, ships, tanks, and bullets—tools that the money we'd like to spend for fun has got to buy!
 Uncle Sam hopes that every single one of us will realize it—by January 1, 1943. By that date it hopes that everybody on a pay roll will be in the Pay-Roll Savings

Plan—and that we'll "Top That 10 Percent by New Year's."
 So, if you aren't setting aside your 10 percent, go on in and tell 'em you want to raise your sights. Not to 6 percent or 7 percent or 8 percent—but to at least 10 percent. If you can put in more than 10 percent—do it. If you aren't yet in on the Pay-Roll Savings Plan—sign up tomorrow!
WHAT YOU SHOULD DO
 If you are—
 1. Already setting aside 10 percent of your pay for War Bonds through the Pay-Roll Savings Plan—boost that 10 percent if you can.
 2. Working in a plant where the Plan is installed but haven't signed up yet—sign up tomorrow.
 3. Working in a plant where the Pay-Roll Savings Plan hasn't been installed, talk to your union head, foreman, or plant manager, and see if it can't be installed right away.
 4. Unable to get in on the Pay-Roll Savings Plan for any reason, go to see your local bank or other issuing agent. They will be glad to help you start a Plan of your own.

"TOP THAT 10% BY NEW YEAR'S!"



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William Muehleisen, Mount Vernon Savings Bank Organizer, Dies

Short Illness Fatal; Funeral Services Set Tomorrow

William Muehleisen, 74, an organizer and first president of the old Mount Vernon Savings Bank, died yesterday at his home, 5604 Sixteenth street N.W., after a short illness.

Mr. Muehleisen continued as president of the bank until he retired in 1928. A native of this city, he was educated in grammar and high schools here and at the old Columbian University, now George Washington University.

Formerly he was a director of the Franklin National Bank and had served as a director of the Real Estate Mortgage and Guaranty Co. He was a 32d degree Mason and belonged to Almas Temple of the Shrine. He also was a member of the Washington Board of Trade.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Adelaide Muehleisen, and a sister, Mrs. Anna M. Knox, of this city, and a brother, J. Alwin Muehleisen, of Deal, N. J.

Funeral services will be held at 3 p.m. tomorrow at Hines' funeral home, 2901 Fourteenth street N.W. The Rev. Dr. Chester Smith will officiate. Burial will be in Prospect Hill Cemetery.

Honorary pallbearers will be Robert T. Highfield, Dr. Edwin Behrend, Sol Lansburgh, Julius Eisenblat, William Moore and Albert S. Gatley.

Hospital Founder Dies

MIAMI BEACH, Fla., Dec. 18 (AP).—Dr. A. Noah Schiller, 58, New York physician and one of the founders of the Jewish Memorial Hospital here, died here yesterday after a brief illness. He arrived three weeks ago from New York.

Survivors include his widow, the former Miss Lucille Kimbrow, whom he married in Talbotton, Ga., on July 3, 1905; two daughters, Mrs. James H. Lemon of Washington and Mrs. O. D. Waters, Jr., of Glen Echo, Md.; and a son, Ensign William N. McGeehe, Jr., Air Corps, U. S. N., who is stationed at Norfolk; a brother, E. Hinton McGeehe of Talbotton, Ga., and three grandchildren.

55-Degree Heat Ruled Too Cold for Justice

By the Associated Press. BELLEVILLE, Ill.—Circuit Judge Maurice V. Joyce ruled a room temperature of 55 degrees was too cold for justice and suspended court.

The judge remarked the building's furnace apparently lacked strength to push enough heat up to the third floor courtroom.

In Memorium

MURRAY, GEORGE M. In loving memory of my dear father, GEORGE M. MURRAY, who passed away six years ago today, December 18, 1936.

Deep in my heart is a sacred place, where I hid from mortal eyes. Dwells strong and true a love, that never fades and never dies.

DEVOTED SON. MURRAY, GEORGE M. Sacred to the memory of my devoted father, GEORGE M. MURRAY, who passed away six years ago today, December 18, 1936.

In life I loved you dearly, in death I do not care. In death I do not care, in death I do not care.

HIS DEVOTED WIFE, LILLIAN E. MURRAY. SANDERS, LOUIS EDWARD. In memory of my dear father, LOUIS EDWARD SANDERS, passed on to the great beyond December 18, 1942.

Work, Dr. Hubert. On Monday, December 14, 1942. At Denver, Colo. Dr. Hubert was a devoted husband and father.

In Memorium

BUTLER, LOUISE. Sacred to the memory of my mother, LOUISE BUTLER, who departed this life seven years ago today, December 18, 1935.

Before our eyes she faded, growing weaker day by day. Patiently bearing her sufferings, until God took her away.

To see her slowly leave us, as helplessly we stood by. And drained the cup of bitter grief, the grief we saw her die.

HER DAUGHTER, MATTIE. BUTLER, LOUISE. A tribute of love to the memory of my dear mother, LOUISE BUTLER, who departed this life seven years ago today, December 18, 1935.

Off and off my thoughts do wander, to a grave home far away. Where I laid my dear mother, seven years ago today.

HER DAUGHTER, FLORENCE, WILMINGTON, Del. COATES, MAMIE E. In loving remembrance of our dear mother and wife, MAMIE E. COATES, who departed this life two years ago today, December 18, 1940.

Some may think you are forgotten, and the wound is nearly healed. But little do they realize, that this lies in our hearts concealed.

'Flight' in His Cab Costs Driver Tag Of Cadet-to-Be

Edward T. Morgan, 3959 R street S.E., cab driver, was forced to give up his driver's license for a pilot's license much sooner than he had expected after he was brought before Judge Walter J. Casey of Traffic Court on a 44-mile-per-hour speeding charge today.

Mr. Morgan pleaded guilty to the charge, declaring that just the day before he had been accepted as an aviation cadet and "I guess I was thinking more about flying than driving."

"You were flying the wrong machine," commented Judge Casey, suspending the \$10 fine.

Mr. Morgan's driving license was revoked for the duration, even though he does not go into the Air Forces for about three months.

Mrs. Marian C. Sewall Rites Set Today

Funeral services for Mrs. Marian Crowell Sewall, 3609 Thirty-fourth street N.W., who died Wednesday in Doctors' Hospital after a short illness, were to be held at 2:30 p.m. today in Bethlehem Chapel of Washington Cathedral. Funeral services and burial were to be private.

Mrs. Sewall was the wife of Eugene D. Sewall, a former principal examiner of the Patent Office and later a patent attorney for General Motors Corp. until retiring in 1940.

Born in Rahway, N. J., Mrs. Sewall came here as a bride when her husband was appointed to a position at the Patent Office. Later, while Mr. Sewall was with General Motors, they made their home in Dayton, Ohio, and in Detroit, until returning here after Mr. Sewall retired.

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Mrs. Sallie Walker Dies; Resided Here 66 Years

Mrs. Sallie L. Walker, 89, widow of Maj. Samuel H. Walker, former Washington superintendent of police, died Wednesday at her home, 420 B street N.E., where she had lived for 66 years.

Funeral services will be held at 10:30 a.m. tomorrow in the home, followed by private burial in Congressional Cemetery.

Mrs. Walker was a member of Waugh Methodist Church, a charter member of the Board of Managers of the Methodist Home, member of the Daughters of the American Revolution, the First Families of Virginia, the Colonial Dames of the 17th Century and the Daughters of the American Colonists.

Mrs. Walker, who had lived here since 1874, was born in Annapolis. She is survived by six children, Mrs. William B. Hardy, Arthur B. Walker, Miss Rosalie Walker, Mrs. Henry J. Walker, Mrs. Maxwell W. Smith, Mrs. McLean B. Smith, three grandchildren, and 5 great-grandchildren.

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Dr. A. P. Honess Dies

STATE COLLEGE, Pa., Dec. 18 (AP).—Dr. Arthur P. Honess, 55, for 25 years a member of the Pennsylvania State College faculty, died yesterday after a heart attack. He was a professor of mineralogy. Dr. Honess had received widespread recognition for his work in each field of minerals.

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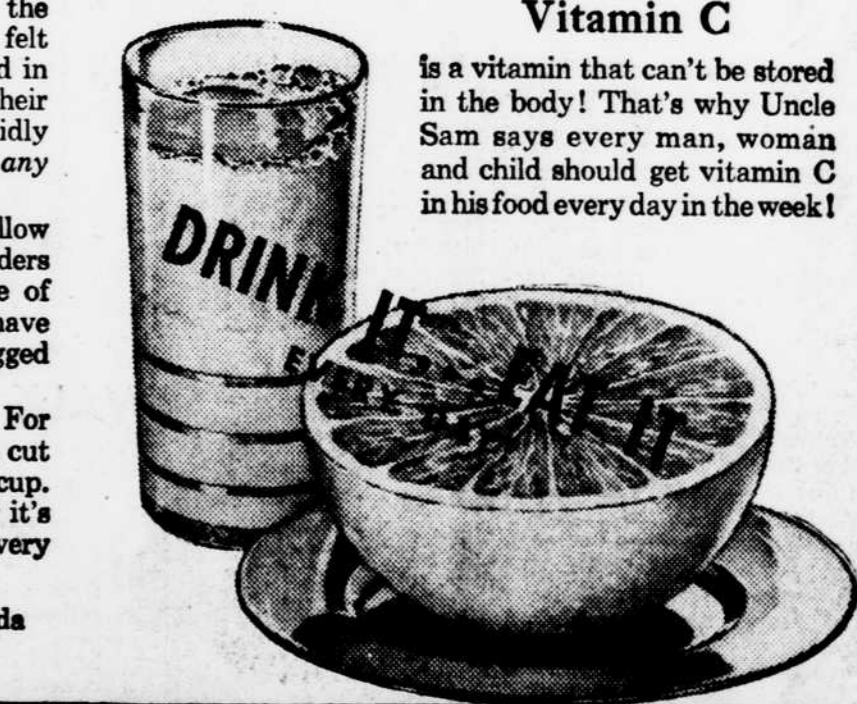
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Oldest U. S. Press Club to Mark 50th Anniversary at Party

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 18.—It's always looked like a corner taproom, but—
When President Taft once stopped by, the members obligingly gave him pointers on the state of the Nation—and he listened.
Thurston, the magician, called frequently—and picked up new card tricks. Richard Harding Davis also made it his hangout.

They'll all probably be there in spirit tonight, when the Pen and Pencil Club, oldest press club in the Nation, observes its 50th anniversary.
The club, a hangout of the great and near-great of three generations, is celebrating with a party at which copy boys may argue with editors, and statesmen, industrialists, thespians and politicians can have their say, too. But regardless of their

names, once inside the celebrities will have to fend for themselves. It's all going to be very informal.
The club already has received congratulatory messages from President Roosevelt and Gen. MacArthur. The President praised the working press for its understanding of its obligations, and Gen. MacArthur messaged from Australia.
"Tell your members from an old soldier at the front that the pen is still mightier than the sword."
Tonight's celebrators will remember that George M. Cohan was an enthusiastic member, that Ed Wynn supposedly started his comedy career by entertaining copy readers, that

Victor Herbert made the club his Philadelphia headquarters, that Johnny Black wrote "Dardanella" at a table not far from the bar and that William Jennings Bryan visited the club although he was a draftee.
The club, in membership at least, always has been stag. The only woman member was Elizabeth M. Murray, torch-singing comedienne of the 1890s, whose songs the members liked so well that they voted her in.
Unemployment in Jamaica is increasing and the government may finance relief work.

Admiral Sir Percy Noble Confers With Roosevelt

Admiral Sir Percy Noble, new head of the British Admiralty delegation in this country, conferred with President Roosevelt at the White House yesterday.
He succeeds in the admiralty post here Admiral Sir Andrew Browne Cunningham, who now is commanding the British fleet operations in the Western Mediterranean.
Before coming to Washington Sir Percy was commander in chief

of the Western Approaches involving control of British convoys to and from Russia.

Becomes Officer Candidate

MANASSAS, Va., Dec. 18 (Special).—The Prince William County Selective Service Board announced today that George Keith Lyons has been accepted as a volunteer officer candidate and will report to Charlottesville December 28.

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Spanish Leaders Make Official Visit to Lisbon

By the Associated Press.
MADRID, Dec. 18.—Spain's Foreign Minister, Gen. Count Francisco Gomez Jordana, and a group of 12 persons, including military, diplomatic and Falangist party leaders, have left Madrid for Lisbon, the Foreign Ministry announced last night.
The Spaniards will be guests of the Portuguese government in a visit

which is part of a series of moves to align their neutrality stand in the war.

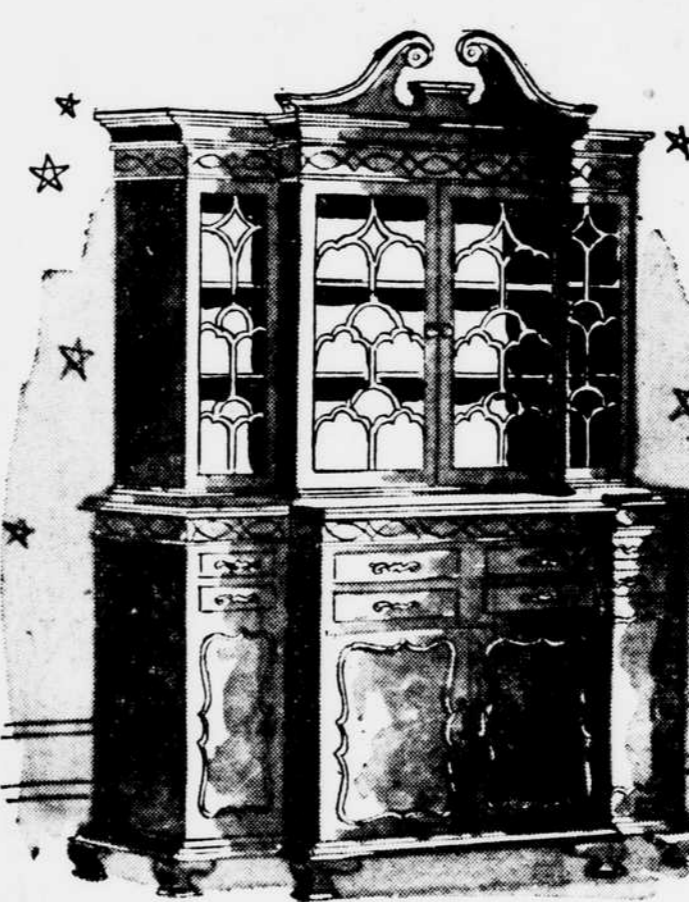
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D. C. Sergeant's Note to Santa Asking Victory Wins Contest

By the Associated Press.
LUKE FIELD, Ariz., Dec. 18.—Some of the boys at this huge Army air field would like to find the scalps of Hitler, Hirohito and Mussolini in their Christmas stockings, and others want everything from breakfast in bed to an introduction to Gen. Douglas MacArthur, but the great majority of them are far more serious.
 Ninety-eight per cent gave as their first choice of a Christmas gift, peace—with victory.
 Public relations officers, wondering just what men in the ranks would choose as the gift of gifts, conducted a letter-to-Santa contest, and found the average soldier surprisingly serious-minded.
 "He's grown somewhat beyond cartoons of cigarettes and pairs of socks," Maj. Fred R. Donaldson said. "Instead he's thinking about the rest of the world."
 Winner of the contest was Sergt. Louis E. Nyberg of Washington, a squadron clerk. He started off his list with a bit of philosophizing.

"I am like so many thousands of persons in these United States. I like to read and write what I please; I have always voted the straight Republican ticket and read the funny papers on Sunday. I believe in God and go to church, not because it is the conventional thing to do—I find peace and solace in church. Just Mr. Average American! My way of life is simple, but in its simplicity lies its charm."
 Sergt. Nyberg wanted:
 1. The war to end immediately.
 2. The United States to be victorious.
 3. A world congress to insure everlasting peace.
 4. A true, workable, democratic United States.
 5. Universal brotherly love.
 He won a three-day pass and a chance to visit a Hollywood movie studio.
 Pvt. Benjamin L. Rush, address ungiven, the runnerup, expressed the desire to visit a wonder girl in Hollywood—his wife—and added:
 "My feet are flat, ain't got no gas, but I shore would like that three-day pass."

War Work of University Shown in Virginia Film

By the Associated Press.
CHARLOTTESVILLE, Va., Dec. 18.—Warlike activities of the University of Virginia are pictured in a film, "The Campus on the March," which has just been released by the moving picture division of the Office of War Information.
 The film was given a private showing in the Naval ROTC Building last night before a group of persons who aided in making the production possible.
 "The Campus on the March," which will be loaned for showing to schools and clubs throughout the University of Virginia's Extension Division, also shows some of the war efforts of Cornell University, Dartmouth College, Harvard University, Hampton Institute, Purdue University, Texas A. and M. College, Tulane University and the Universities of California, North Carolina and Texas.
 The film, which was directed by Francis Lyon, who went to Hollywood from Washington to make war pictures, also will be shown in movie theaters throughout the Nation.

Wife Gets Gas Book In Divorce Award

By the Associated Press.
OKLAHOMA CITY.—The judge awarded Mrs. Helen M. Kuhler a divorce from Herman J. Kuhler, plus—
 One feed store, three automobiles, one motorboat and the family gasoline rationing book.

Bus Driver Gives Life To Protect Passengers

By the Associated Press.
WINCHESTER, Va., Dec. 18.—Collision of a passenger bus with a parked truck west of here yesterday caused the death of C. H. Barnhouse of Clarksburg, driver of the bus.
 Mr. Barnhouse apparently rammed into the truck rather than swerve to the side of the highway and risk rolling the bus over a 75-foot embankment. James B. Willis, West Virginia State trooper, said the passenger vehicle, a Capitol Grayhound bus, was headed eastward to Winchester and Washington.
 The driver, pinned behind the wheel and mortally injured, told his passengers to get off the bus and call for help. As far as was learned here, none of the passengers was injured.

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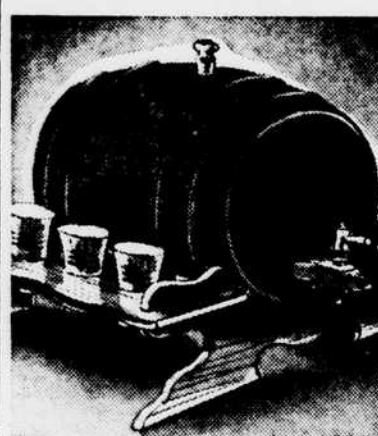
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How long is the Beveridge Report?
 It is divided into two parts. The first contains 172 pages of the report itself. To anyone who has thought at all about the future of mankind, these pages, whether one agrees with them or not, will be exciting and stimulating. The balance of the book, 122 pages—making 300 in all—consists of appendices referring directly to matters discussed in the report.

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Hottel Quits Maryland U. Athletic Publicity Job

W. H. (Bill) Hottel, for more than 20 years the medium through which Maryland newsmen were informed of athletic doings at the University of Maryland, has announced he has resigned that position.

A note to his "fellow scribes" topped Hottel's last release from College Park yesterday. It said: "This is a swan song. After more

than 20 years in a publicity role at Maryland as a sideline, I have become convinced I should be just a one-job man in my 'bread and butter' pursuit as assistant sports editor of The Star. I hope you haven't beaten me to this conclusion.

"I have had lots of fun in the Maryland job, have made many valued friends, such as you, and am leaving without ever having had to resort to aspirin tablets."

The dollar is a war weapon with the advantages of a boomerang. Put into War bonds, it will return to you later with interest.

Arlington Stores Reported Exceeding Price Ceilings

Arlington County shoppers today were warned by the price control section of the county ration board many prices on holiday merchandise are exceeding price ceilings fixed by the Office of Price Administration.

Urging shoppers to familiarize themselves with OPA ceiling prices, board officials said a close watch is being maintained at stores during the pre-Christmas buying period.

Copies of price regulations are available at the board's offices, officials said. They added that shoppers may receive these lists in order to check prices on articles purchased.

Mrs. C. F. Clayton, county gasoline administrator, reminded car owners to bear in mind the expiration dates on gasoline books and to regulate their consumption of gasoline accordingly. In many instances B books cannot be renewed until the end of a three-month period.

Persons, she said, being "squeezed" due to the lowered value of a book

coupons may apply at the board for supplementary gasoline. These applications should be mailed in, she said.

The ration board officers, officials said, will be closed from noon next Thursday until December 28.

Alexandria Wardens Aid Civil Defense Recruiting

In an effort to encourage Alexandrians to register for civilian defense jobs, one registration blank

has been sent to each of the city's wardens. They have been asked to sign up one volunteer each for any of several types of civilian defense work.

When a two-week registration period produced only 17 volunteers, the civilian defense organization decided to try another method of obtaining the 1,000 workers needed to organize a block plan and to serve as wardens, auxiliary police and firemen, nurses' aides and in other necessary jobs.

Civilian Defense Co-ordinator Carl Budwesky has emphasized that

only persons not already engaged in some civilian defense work are being asked to register. He expressed the belief that there are at least 1,000 persons in the city not enrolled in the civilian defense forces who can render valuable service.

The North Ridge Citizens' Association has agreed to furnish leaders for the block plan in that area, and the district chairmen of the association are already signing up workers.

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9 a.m. to 9 p.m.



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\$8.95

Choice of walnut or mahogany finish. Has utility drawer.



Boudoir Chair
\$6.95

Designed for smart appearance and comfort. Covered in colorful glazed chintz.



Bridge Lamp
\$3.49

Attractively styled and richly finished in maple on hardwood. Parchment shade. An excellent gift.



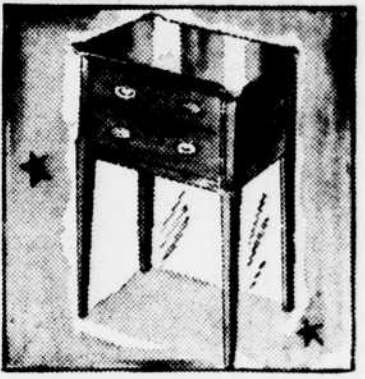
Desk Chair
\$6.49

Choice of mahogany or walnut finish on hardwood. Has attractive Lyre back and leatherette covered seat.



Jr. Lamp
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Smartly styled lamp with indirect reflector. Complete with beautiful parchment shade.



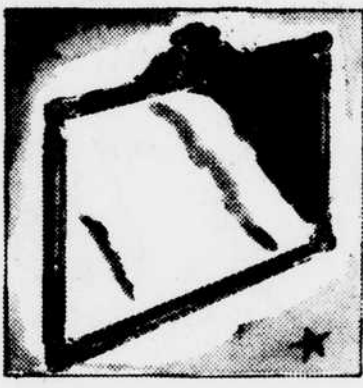
Commode
\$11.95

Smartly styled and expertly constructed of hardwood with mahogany finish. Has two drawers.



Duotherm Heater
\$64.95

Beautiful new cabinet design in brown enamel finish. Available with power-air unit at small additional cost.



Framed Mirror
\$5.95

Gold finish framed mirror with genuine plate glass. Attractively styled. An ideal gift!



Chair & Ottoman
\$26.95

Comfortable spring construction and upholstered in fine quality velour. Ottoman to match.



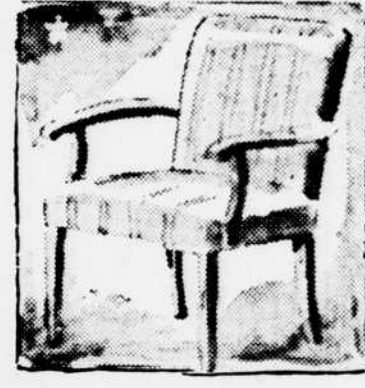
Oval Braided Rugs
\$1.19

21x32-inch braided rugs in choice of many attractive colors. Excellent quality.



Sewing Cabinet
\$12.95

The perfect Christmas gift! Smartly styled cabinet of hardwood, richly finished in walnut. Fully equipped.



Occasional Chair
\$10.95

Modern style chair covered in cotton tapestry. Hardwood frame finished in blond.



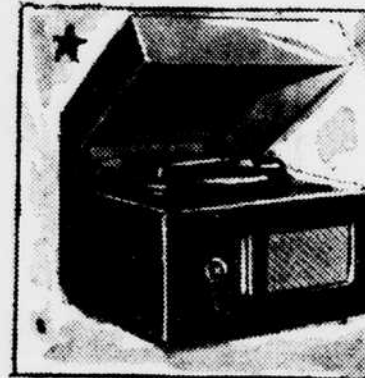
Philco Console Radio
\$69.95

Famous Philco Radio in attractive walnut-finish cabinet. Has many features found in higher-priced radios. Model A-861. Liberal Credit Terms—at The National.



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Emerson table model radio in attractive ivory finish, plastic cabinet. Model 301.



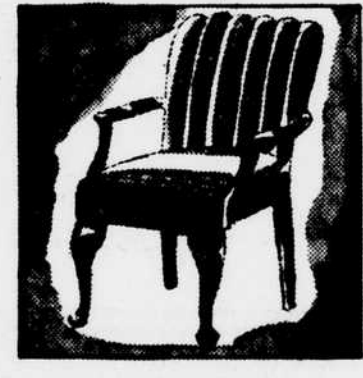
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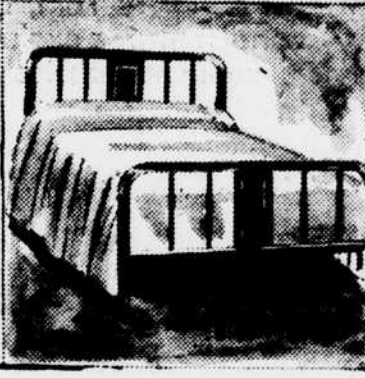
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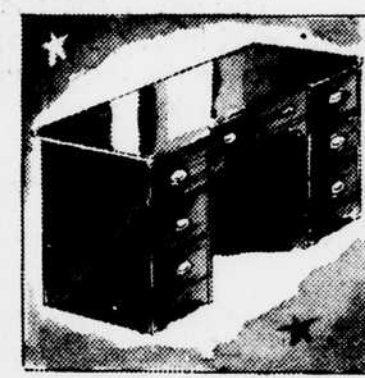
Occasional Chair
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Hardwood frame, finished in walnut. Covered in tapestry. Sturdily built.



Metal Bed
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Sturdily built of metal for lasting service. Finished in brown enamel. Twin or double size.



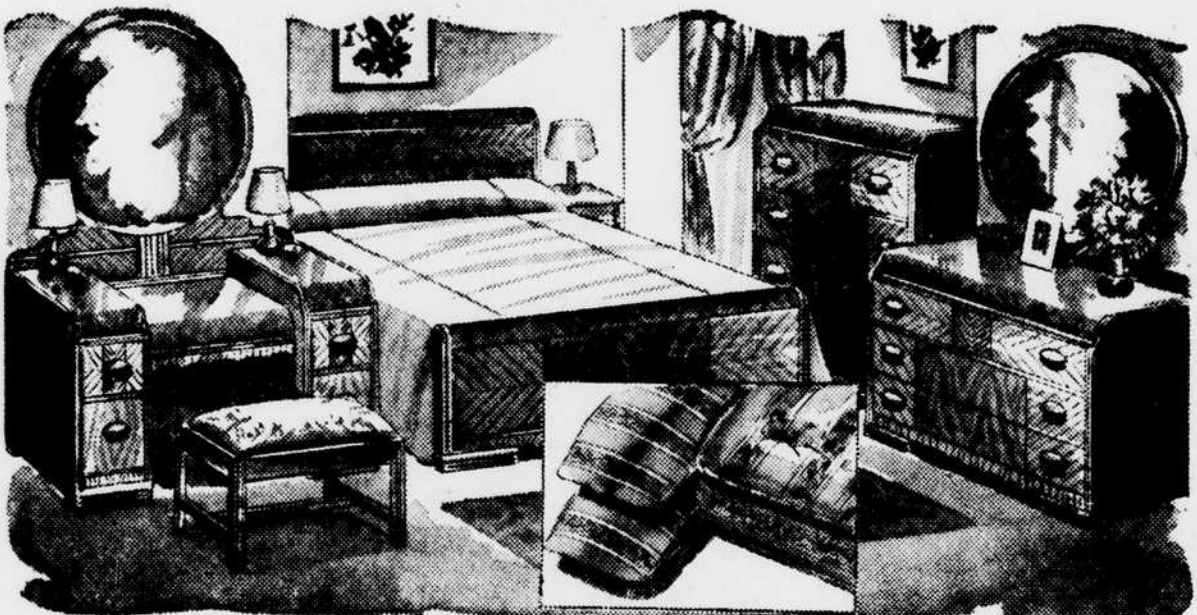
Kneehole Desk
\$16.95

Smartly styled kneehole desk with seven spacious drawers. Richly finished in walnut on hardwood.



Colonial Rocker
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Smart Philippine mahogany frame, upholstered in Colonial tapestry.



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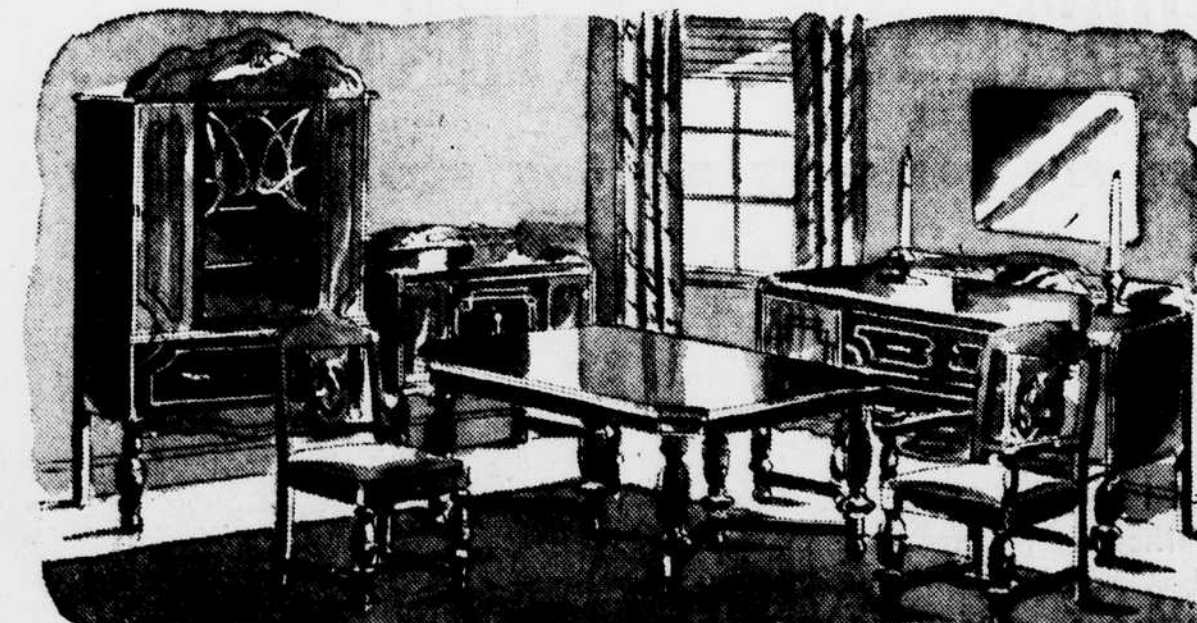


2-Pc. Modern Living Room Suite

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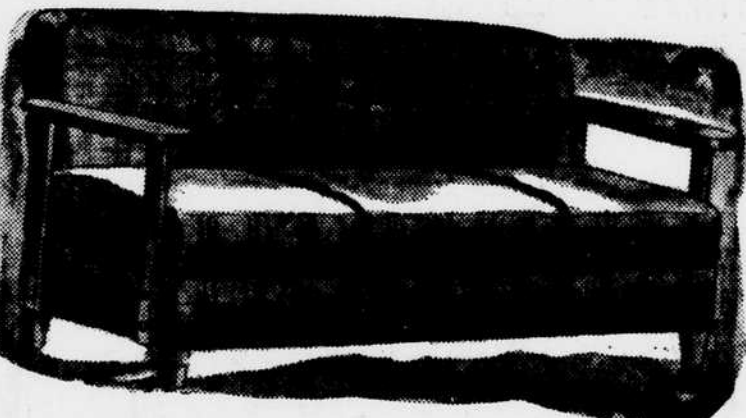


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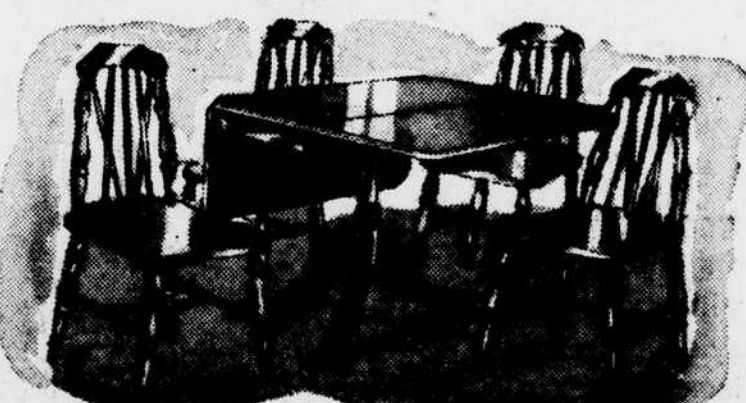
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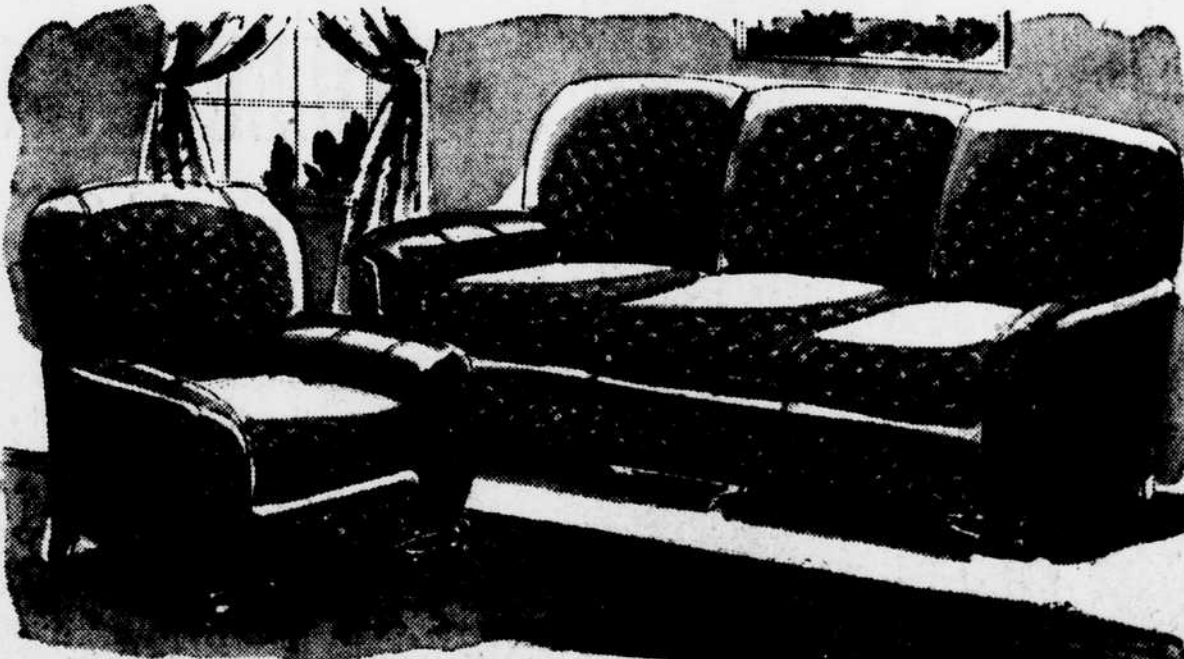


5-Pc. Mahogany Dinette Suite

Dropleaf table with Duncan Phyfe base constructed of hardwood and richly finished in mahogany. Four Windsor style chairs included. An outstanding value!

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Federal Bar Unit Told Of Great Simplicity In 1893 White House

Robert Lincoln O'Brien, Cleveland's Secretary, Describes President

How the serious illness of President Grover Cleveland in 1893 was concealed from the Nation, and other anecdotes of the White House of 80 years ago, were related by Robert Lincoln O'Brien, secretary to Mr. Cleveland and former editor of the Boston Herald, before the Federal Bar Association, yesterday at the Harrington Hotel. In recent years Mr. O'Brien was chairman of the United States Tariff Commission.

Mr. O'Brien dwelt on the "tremendous simplicity" of the White House of 50 years ago, and likened it to the regime of President John Tyler, who held "fireside chats" with friends at night.

Commenting on the present staff of 720 White House employees, Mr. O'Brien said in his day there were only nine employees. The audience laughed heartily when Mr. O'Brien, with relish, remarked: "It is a source of gratification to me that I did the work 100 persons do today."

Operated on at Sea.

President Cleveland was secretly operated on at sea, Mr. O'Brien disclosed. Reporters were advised by Mrs. Cleveland that her husband was on a lengthy fishing trip and needed a long rest. The President had undergone a facial operation and was a sick man when he landed, Mr. O'Brien said.

"A reporter for the Philadelphia Press finally spilled a story that something was seriously wrong with the President," Mr. O'Brien related. "That threw a scare into the Nation. The Secretary of War stepped into the picture and held a press conference in a stable, far removed from the dwelling in which the President was resting. He told reporters that the President had been needing dental treatment for several ailments and had decided to have it all done at the same time. The reporters were divided. Some swallowed the story, others did not believe it. But finally editors took up the cudgels and assured the people that the President was all right, and this crisis was safely passed."

President Was Honest.

Mr. O'Brien, president of the Harvard Club of Washington and a noted raconteur, said it was characteristic of President Cleveland's rugged honesty that he refused to write a letter of condolence to a powerful New York politician whose daughter was dying. Advisers said political advantage could be derived during the campaign then in progress if the President would write such a letter. This particular political boss, afterward a United States Senator, had opposed Mr. Cleveland's renomination in the Democratic convention, Mr. O'Brien related.

Letters received at the White House from job seekers, Mr. O'Brien said, invariably stressed the applicant's "great devotion to the Democratic party and his poverty." It remained for an applicant from Missouri, seeking a postmastership, Mr. O'Brien related, to set a "new low for political preferment" by writing the President as follows: "If I am given this postmastership it will enable me to marry and support a wife—just as the presidency did you."

Court Bars Lawyer, Guilty Under Enemy Agents' Act

By the Associated Press. AKRON, Ohio, Dec. 18.—Attorney Frank B. Burch, 65-year-old former State Senator, yesterday was barred by six Common Pleas judges on charges of "misconduct and unprofessional conduct" arising from Burch's conviction for failure to register as a paid agent of the German government.

The judges' opinion stated: "Rarely, before this hearing, have the members of this court ever witnessed such a conclusive and devastating destruction of the credibility of a person testifying."

Burch was fined \$1,000 after admitting last year that he accepted funds from Dr. Karl Kapp, former Nazi consul in Cleveland, as charged in a Washington Federal grand jury indictment. A jail sentence was suspended.

Duchess Buys Many Gifts, But Not One for the Duke

By the Associated Press. MIAMI BEACH, Fla., Dec. 18.—Christmas shopping on a large scale occupied the Duchess of Windsor today, but not a gift did she buy for her husband.

The Windsors, the Duchess said, have agreed to buy gifts for soldiers, children and servants, but not to spend a dime on each other.

Fifty pipes, 250 tubes of shaving cream and a 16-foot Christmas tree were but a few of the many items on her shopping list, all designed for the soldier's Yuletide party at the Nassau Casino.

While the Duchess shopped the Duke played golf.

They plan to return soon to the Bahamas, where the Duke is Governor.

3,500 Toxoid Injections Given in County Schools

Approximately 3,500 toxoid injections have been given in Montgomery County schools. Dr. Leon Salzman, assistant health officer of the County Health Department, announced today.

All the first to third grade children in the county whose parents signed consent slips were given the diphtheria toxoid, he said. Very few parents refused to sign the slips, he said.

Dr. Salzman said one child contracted a severe case of diphtheria within two weeks after having refused the toxoid.

The health officer urged that pre-school age children be given diphtheria immunization because of the high rate of mortality among this group. All children should have two doses of diphtheria toxoid by the time they are one year old, he said.

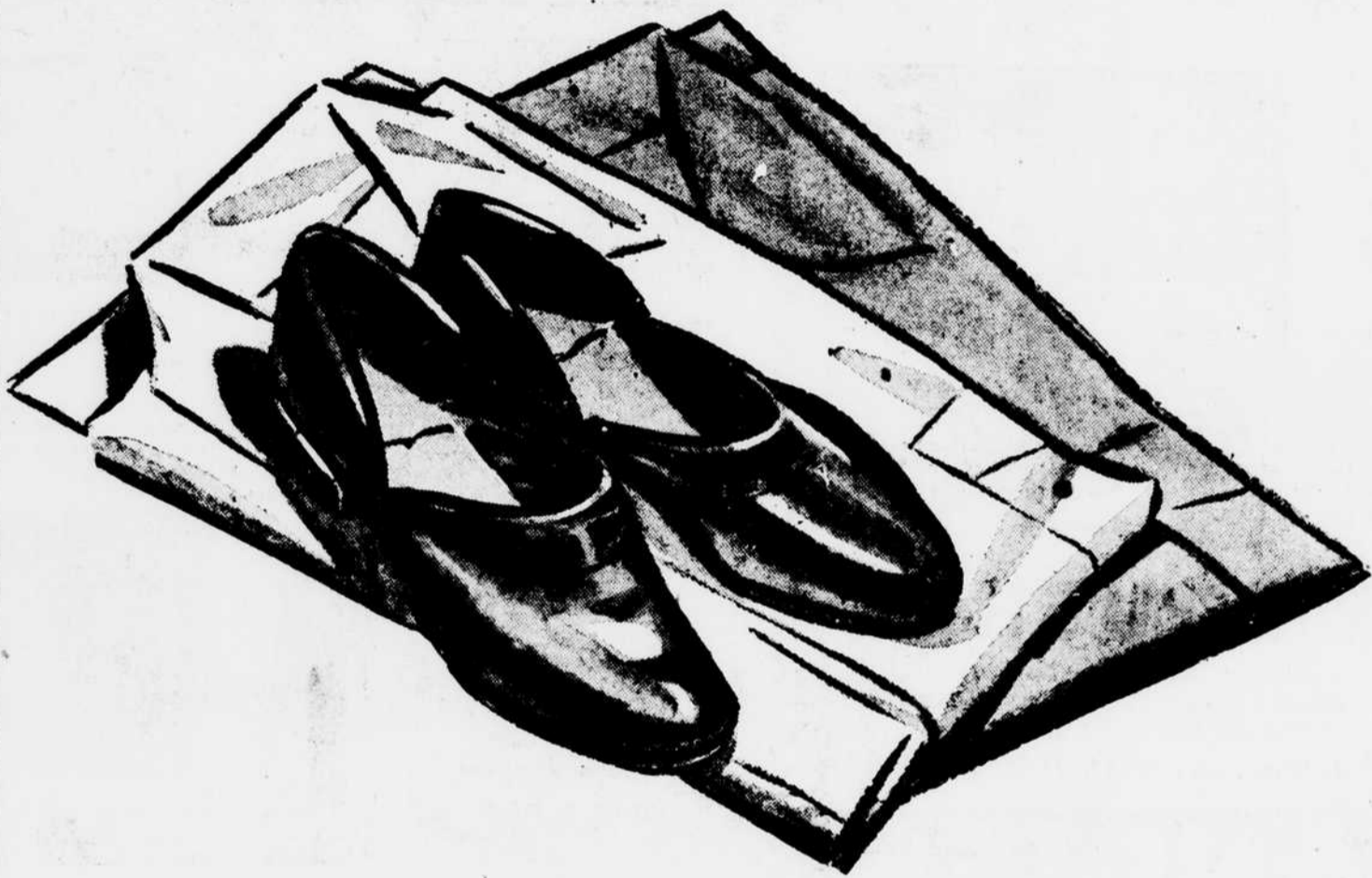
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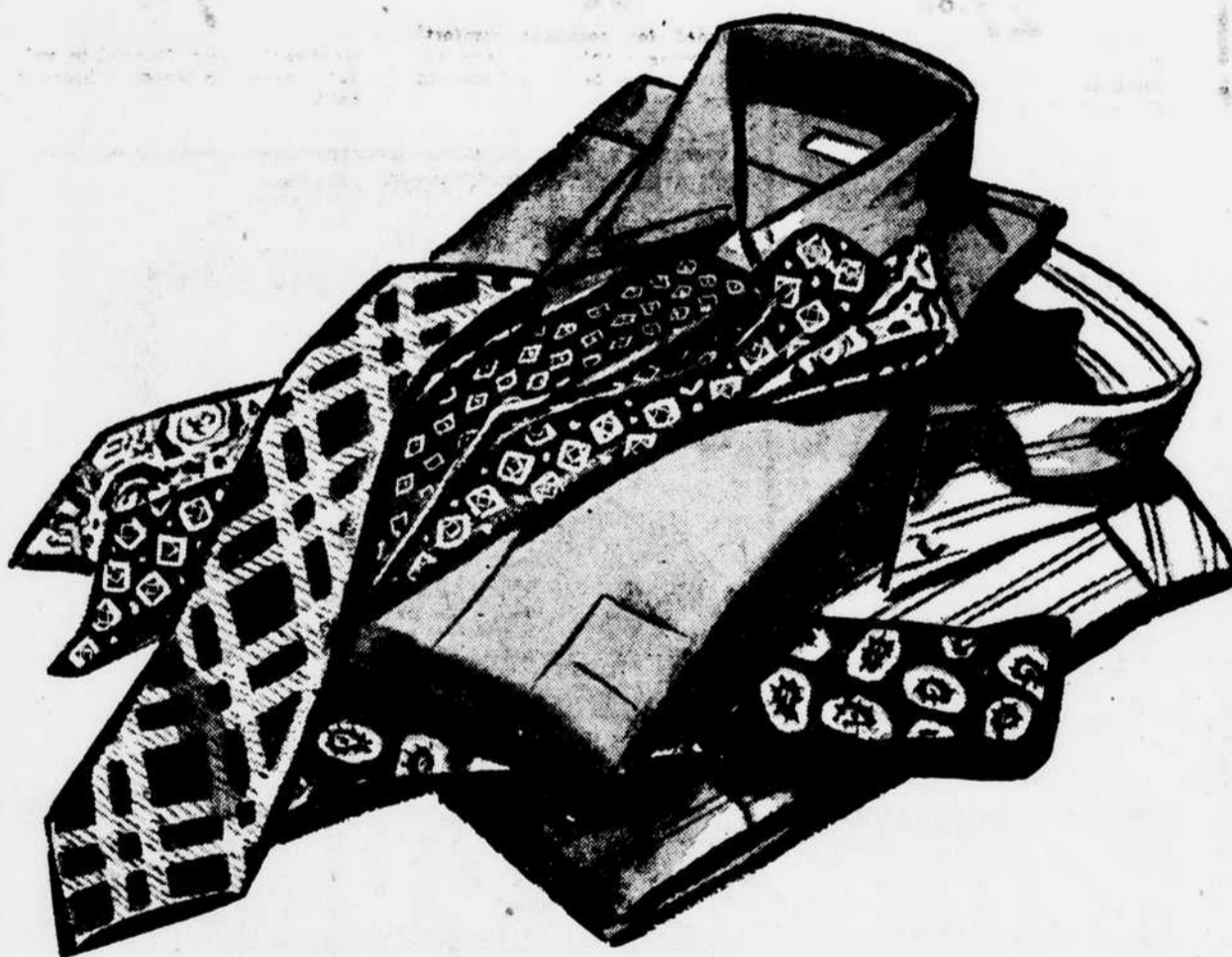
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Navy Shirts	\$2.50 to \$4.50	PAJAMAS, Man Tailored	\$5.95 and \$7.95
Wembley Ties	\$1	HOSIERY . . . new colors in practical rayon, sizes 8 1/2 to 10 1/2	\$1 and \$1.25
Interwoven Hose	50c to \$1	HANDBAGS in leather and cloth	\$3 to \$10
McGregor Field Jackets	\$8.50 and \$12.50	LUGGAGE in canvas and leather, fitted cases, week-enders, wardrobes, pulimans	\$7.95 to \$35
Wool Gloves	\$1.50 to \$2.50	COSTUME JEWELRY . . . famous CORO jewelry, including Coro Pearls, pins, bracelets, earrings	\$1 to \$25
Neverbreak Luggage	\$12.50 to \$35		
Toilet Kits	\$2.50 to \$6.50		
Money Belts	\$1 and \$1.50		
Sweaters	\$2.95		
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200 Interned Japs Released to Take Civilian Jobs

Relocation Officials Act to Relieve Crowded Conditions at Centers

By the Associated Press.
Approximately 200 of the 110,000 West Coast Japanese who were sent to war relocation centers after the attack on Pearl Harbor have been released to resume normal activity in American life.
Statisticians of the War Relocation Authority estimated today that orders are emerging at the rate of about 10 a day, after being investigated for character and loyalty to the United States. They leave voluntarily to take regular jobs outside the proscribed areas of California, Western Washington and Oregon and Southern Arizona.
The WRA said it was fostering this method of dispersing some of the Japanese, about two-thirds of whom are native United States citizens, as one means of solving the crowded relocation problem now centered in 10 camps.

9,000 Helped Harvest Beets.
The granting of indefinite leaves to those obtaining regular work supplements the program under which some 250 were allowed to transfer from Pacific Coast to Midwestern and Eastern colleges, and under which large groups were granted temporary leave for seasonal work.
More than 9,000 were allowed to go out on temporary leave to help harvest sugar beet crops in the West, but most of them have returned to the centers.

John Baker, director of WRA'S Office of Reports, said there are "very few" pro-Axis sympathizers among those remaining in the centers.
They include temperaments ranging from the gentle to the rough—and tensions resulting "normally" from a mass of persons living together, Mr. Baker said, account largely for recent troubles in the centers at Manzanar, Calif., and near Parker, Ariz.

Tension Is Great.
Back of these troubles, Mr. Baker added, are a variety of nerve-straining factors common when large groups live together under unavoidably crowded conditions, and a complexity of other factors such as personal differences and jealousies and factional disputes.
The ultimate issues, however, revolve around the question of whether the self-rule governments, fostered by the WRA and operated by American-born evacuees, or outside authorities should take jurisdiction over evacuees accused of beating up others.
In both recent cases the center government was given jurisdiction, and now the WRA has laid down a policy to avert further trouble—when evacuees are accused of a crime classed as a felony they will be tried in regular civil courts, but center governments will try misdemeanor cases.

British Trucks Pull Coke-Burning Trailers
Hundreds of trucks and motor coaches, each towing its coke-burning trailer to produce fuel for the engine, are becoming familiar sights on British roads.
The authorities in London say that 10,000 of them will be operating soon. The producer cylinder is loaded with anthracite, low-temperature coke, or peat, and lit by a special pilot flame. Suction from the end draws the flame through the fuel, generating producer gas—carbon monoxide—which, after being led through filters, passes to the cylinders of the engine. Producer gas mixed with air burns or "explodes" in the cylinders just like the gasoline vapor and air mixture.

Two Senators Propose 'Pay-as-You-Go' Tax Laws

By the Associated Press.
Senator Barbour, Republican, of New Jersey declared in a statement today that the new Congress should enact pay-as-you-go taxation before the "staggering" 1942 income tax bills come due March 15.
Living costs have risen, "but there has been no incentive to save from current income for the inevitable tax bill," he said. "Few in the lower brackets yet realize what they will have to pay."
"Too many American citizens are going to have an unpleasant session with the tax collector at that time," Senator Barbour declared. "To prevent official embarrassment and wholesale attachment of available assets, pay-as-you-go seems inevitable."

Senator Guffey, Democrat, of Pennsylvania said last night in Philadelphia he would sponsor a 3 per cent sales tax measure in the next session of Congress to apply on all articles but food.
"The Senator said he also would press for enactment of pay-as-you-go income tax plan, with deductions at the place of employment."

Building Material Stocks Aid British War Effort

Large stocks of building material held in reserve have proved a great aid in Army construction jobs in Britain. Not long ago at an Army base camp 3,750 trucks and 500 freight cars arrived, all fully laden with materials gathered from nearby places.
The materials included asbestos sheeting, corrugated iron, plaster boards, rainpipes, tarpaulins, and glass and muslin for windows. They were drawn from stocks accumulated all over the country by building material dealers acting for the Ministry of Works and Planning in London.
They were strategically distributed and available on the spot, thus saving long freight hauls and delays.

Russia Called Nation Of Young People

Sir John Russell of Rothamstead, England, back from an investigation of Soviet agriculture, says that Russia is a country, outside of towns, of young people. In the villages there are no cats or dogs, but crowds of children.
These communities are like garden allotments, with no flowers, although Russians are fond of them, but abundance of potatoes, cabbages, tomatoes, cucumbers and melons. The favorite drink is like fortified ginger pop.

All day long big loud-speakers blare. An old villager said: "Things have been hard for me; they will be better for my children."

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Fenton Leith Named President of Peoples Life Insurance.

New Chief Has Served Company Since 1909; Succeeds Chiswell.

By EDWARD C. STONE.

Fenton F. Leith, who has been connected with the Peoples Life Insurance Co. of Washington since 1909, was elected president of the institution yesterday.

Mr. Leith has been vice president since 1926. Prior to that time he was claim adjuster for 12 years.

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Stock Market Edges Higher for Second Session in Row.

New High Highs Plentiful, But Profit Taking Restrains Many.

By VICTOR EUBANK.

Associated Press Financial Writer. NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—For the second session in a row the stock market today topped the million-share total and, while many leaders were restrained by profit casting on Thursday's speedy rally of 1942, new highs for the year longer were plentiful.

Bullish sentiment continued to reflect the good war news, the ready absorption of tax offerings and generally hopeful business prospect, but some quarters lightened commitments on the idea the bulge of yesterday might have been overdone.

The list developed mild irregularity at the start and, in the final hour, trends remained a shade uneven. Variations ranged from fractions to a point or more.

Blocks of 1,000 to 5,000 shares of issues quoted under \$5 were mainly responsible for the turnover. Notwithstanding frequent slow-downs for pivots, transfers for the full proceedings were around 1,100,000 shares, compared with 1,307,000 the day before.

Prominent on the upside, a number of peak levels since October, 1941, were Chrysler, Goodyear, American Airlines, Deere, Oliver Farm, American Can, Westinghouse, Standard Oil (N. J.), Texas Co., Dow Chemical, Union Carbide, General Motors, Johns-Manville, U. S. Gypsum, Allied Chemical, Eastman Kodak, Norfolk & Western, Armour, Wilson Co., Bethlehem, Montgomery Ward, Douglas Aircraft and Woolworth. Some of these eventually wavered.

Backward was United States Steel, Youngstown Sheet, American Telephone & Telegraph, Consolidated Edison, Santa Fe, Pennsylvania, Goodrich, Sears Roebuck, J. I. Case, Boeing, Glenn Martin, Cerro de Pasco, American Smelting and Air Reduction.

Still in front in the curb were Aluminum of America, Great Petroleum and Sheddin Williams. Interim laggards were Aluminum Ltd., Gulf Oil, Lake Shore and Pittsburgh Plate Glass.

Odd-Lot Dealings.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 18 (AP)—The Securities Commission reported today that transactions by customers with stock dealers and specialists on the New York exchange involving 15,919 shares, including 4,708 shares of preferred stock, were reported.

Curb Stocks.

By Private Wire Direct to The Star.

Table of curb stock prices for various companies including American Express, American Telephone, and American Gas.

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Osborn Joins Board of Western Pacific.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—Election of A. Perry Osborn as director and Executive Committee member of the Western Pacific Railroad was announced today.

Simonds Saw Orders Christmas Bonus.

By the Associated Press.

FITCHBURG, Mass., Dec. 18.—Santa Claus sawed out some good news for the workers of Simonds Saw & Steel Co. yesterday in the announcement of a Christmas bonus in varying amounts up to \$100 would be distributed by the company to 3,600 workers at the main plant and the several affiliated companies.

Wholesale Commodity Index Up Further.

By the Associated Press.

The Bureau of Labor Statistics reported yesterday its wholesale price index rose 0.4 per cent last week to 100.5 per cent of the 1926 average. It was the highest level reached in more than 16 years.

London Market Narrow.

LONDON, Dec. 18 (AP)—Stock prices held about steady on average today, although there were minor fluctuations in some sections.

Firm's Name Changed.

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 18 (AP)—The name of Scully Steel Dec. (P)—The name of Scully Steel Corp. subsidiary, has been changed to United States Steel Corp. effective January 1, 1943.

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Venezuela Re-enacts Funeral of Bolivar

By the Associated Press.
CARACAS, Venezuela, Dec. 18.—Venezuela re-enacted the funeral of its liberator, Simon Bolivar, in solemn pageantry yesterday which capped a three-day observance of the 100th anniversary of the removal of his remains to the National Pantheon here.

Although Bolivar led movements which resulted in the independence also of Colombia, Ecuador, Panama, Peru and Bolivia, he was a Venezuelan and Venezuela heads the list of Latin American countries he liberated from Spanish rule.

All the Bolivarian countries were represented by special envoys. The solemn climax of the ceremony came when the President of Venezuela placed a wreath on Bolivar's tomb and the liberator's famous sword—given him by Lima, Peru—was placed on a satin cushion and borne by four generals to an artillery wagon of Bolivar's time, to be paraded in an ornate coffin to the San Francisco Church.

The route was lined by troops and the cortege was escorted by mounted squadrons of the "Gulas Dela Guardia," Bolivar's own corps.

German Trade Pact Signed in Madrid

By the Associated Press.
BERLIN (From German Broadcasts), Dec. 18.—A German Transoceanic news agency dispatch from Madrid last night reported the signing in the Spanish capital of a Spanish-German trade agreement.

Germany recently also concluded trade agreements with Italy and Finland.



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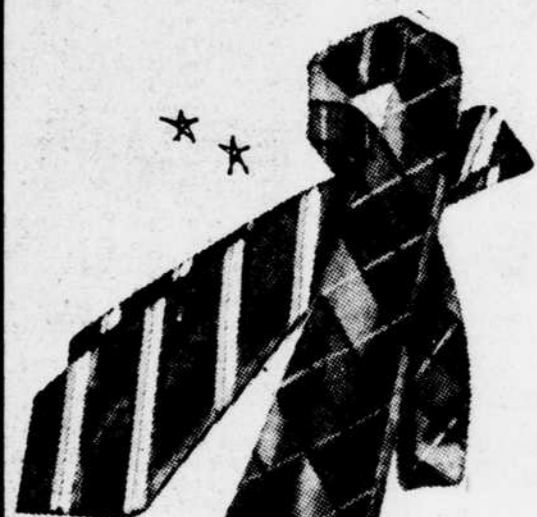


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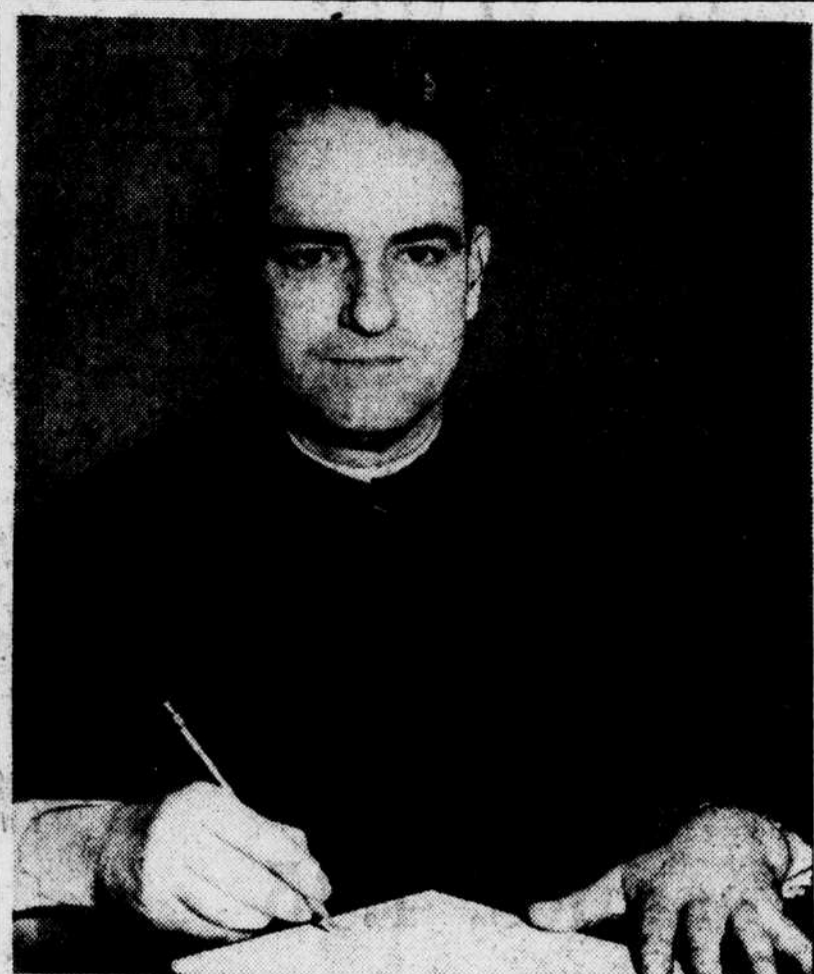


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Father Gorman Named Head of Georgetown U.

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THE VERY REV. L. C. GORMAN, New president of Georgetown University. —Star Staff Photo.

Georgetown University greeted a new president today in the Very Rev. Lawrence Clifton Gorman...

The change in the administration of Washington's 153-year-old Jesuit university, which took place informally last night...

Georgetown University's 153-year-old Jesuit university, which took place informally last night, had a pleasant sequel, however...

His first association was from 1926 to 1929 as assistant professor of chemistry when he was young...

When Dr. O'Leary's six-year term expired last spring it was known that he would continue in office only as long as it would take to find a suitable successor...

Active in Many Societies. Since the armed services are preparing a program of college training for soldiers and boys in the 18-19-year group...

Georgetown's former president took leave of the student body last Monday before the Christmas holidays...

Gave Degree to Pope. Another event that assumed greater importance shortly after it occurred was the awarding of an honorary degree upon the pope...

Zoning Change Pleas Draw Protests at Bethesda Hearing

U. S. Agencies, Citizens And Organization Hit Owners' Proposals

Two applications for rezoning of property on MacArthur boulevard from residential A to commercial D drew protests of nearby residents...

The applications opposed were those of Annie Mae Dellinger, owner of a restaurant—the Old Hill Top Inn—located near the District line on MacArthur boulevard...

Letters of protests on both applications were filed by Irving C. Root, superintendent of National Capital Parks, who stated that his office declines that the Maryland Commission refuse to grant any more commercial zoning along MacArthur...

Additional objections to the Delinger petition were the Brookmont Civic Association and the Conduit Road and Vicinity Association...

Ohio Man Found Dead At D. C. Parking Lot. A man identified by papers in his pockets as Howard W. Mitchell, 55, of Columbus, Ohio, was found dead early today on a parking lot...

Secretary of State, Cardinal Pacelli, on the occasion of his memorable visit to Washington before his election as Pope. President Quezon of the Philippine Commonwealth also received a degree from the former Georgetown president shortly before the outbreak of the war...

Maryland Plan For War Council Draws Fire

Legislators Opposed; Steering Unit O. K.'s \$200 State Bonus

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS. BALTIMORE, Dec. 18.—A proposal made to the Legislative Council that a Maryland "war council" be created and given power to suspend legislative actions deemed detrimental to the war effort...

Discussion of the "war council" bill was limited by Acting Chairman Thomas E. Conlon to a few words, but afterward some of the legislators said they were opposed to anything which would nullify their legislative rights.

Mr. Hammond contended the "bill would abridge no constitutional authority," and when he was asked why such authority could not be delegated to the Governor he said he "understood the Governor does not want such power."

Mr. Hammond planned the proposed commission bill. Conservation Commission bill and several other matters, the Legislative Council issued a 124-page manual of its labors. A supplement will be ready for the General Assembly when it convenes January 6.

Other Moves Proposed. He urged establishment of a direct line between Silver Spring and the Prince Georges County control center at Hyattsville so Montgomery County fire companies could respond to blazes in Prince Georges in case of emergency and vice versa.

Louis Barley Dies at 74; Was Alexandria Judge. Judge Louis C. Barley, 74, former judge of the Alexandria Corporate Court, died yesterday in Winston-Salem, N. C. at the home of his daughter, Mrs. William F. Baldwin.

Teacher Learns Morse Code From Students. Jim Varela and Dick Lansdale, 17-year-old seniors at Bethesda-Chevy Chase High School, who expect to be in the armed forces next year, are doing their bit in the meantime as instructors in International Morse code for a class of 20 Victory Corps members at the high school.

Fire Engine Gadget Priorities May Imperil Seat Pleasant's Yule. Unless Santa Claus—or the War Production Board—brings the Seat Pleasant (Md.) Fire Department a couple of critical gadgets for Christmas, fire had better stay away from the doors of the area's 10,000 residents.



AUTOISTS RUSH GASOLINE STATIONS—Hoping to buy all the gasoline they could under "A" ration books before the suspension of all but "T" rations, drivers are shown above lined up at a filling station at Connecticut and Nebraska avenues N.W. This was typical of scenes all over the Metropolitan Area early today.

Appointment of Lee To Park Commission Upheld by O'Connor

Maryland Governor Discounts Protests Of Montgomery GOP

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS. ANNAPOLIS, Dec. 18.—Gov. O'Connor has refused to countenance protests of the Montgomery County Republican State Central Committee against appointment of Lt. Col. E. Brooke Lee to the Maryland-National Park and Planning Commission...

The appointment by me of Col. Lee was by my knowledge of his experience and qualifications, for he has served as controller, secretary of state, member of the State Roads Commission, and a member of the Board of Regents of the University of Maryland," Gov. O'Connor declared.

Arlington Pastor Resigns To Become Navy Chaplain. The Rev. George J. Grewenow, pastor of the Faith Lutheran Church, Arlington, for the last eight years, has resigned to enter the Navy Chaplain Corps as a lieutenant (j. g.).

Heatless Days-Faced In Fairfax by Those Without Oil Coupons. With some 1,500 applications for fuel oil yet to be processed, heatless days are in prospect for some Fairfax County homeowners who have not received their ration books or have failed to secure fuel oil deliveries during the six-day promissory note extension period granted last week by the OPA, officials said today.

55-Degree Heat Ruled Too Cold For Justice. BELLEVILLE, Ill.—Circuit Judge Maurice V. Joyce ruled a room temperature of 55 degrees was too cold for justice and suspended court.

Higher Newsprint Price Considered in Canada. OTTAWA, Dec. 18 (Canadian Press).—Discussions of an increase in the price of Canadian newsprint are now being conducted with the possibility that a basic rate of \$10 a ton higher than at present will be established, an informed source said yesterday.

Navy Interviews Prove 'Headache' To Draft Board

The new order requiring men to volunteer for the Navy and Marine Corps through their local selective service boards was termed a "headache" today by the Rev. Ernest A. De Bordenave, chairman of the Alexandria board.

Mr. DeBordenave said it took about a half hour for a clerk to handle each request for induction into the Navy or Marines, and that, coming at the same time as the registration of 18-year-olds, he expected the additional work to swamp the staff.

Besides its regular work, the office has been besieged with telephone calls during the last few days from mothers of 84 boys who were inducted on December 14 and who must report back after their seven days' leave in the enlisted reserve on December 21.

Volunteers Become Fewer. Pointing out that no salaried workers have been assigned to the fuel oil branch of the Fairfax County Rationing Board, Mrs. Murray said that volunteers had become fewer since the OPA extension was granted.

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Commission Inspects Proposed Locations On Fort Drive Route. The National Capital Park and Planning Commission has postponed until later today any action it may take in connection with the dispute that has arisen over proposed sites for war housing projects along the Fort drive route.

Assurances were given by Mr. Ihler that the housing units would be of the demolishable type and would be removed as soon after the war as possible. While housing of this type is necessarily lower cost to achieve its purpose, the projects would be little more in appearance, it was said. It was felt that the temporary nature of the projects would not serve to depress real estate values in the area.

Prince Georges Calls 30 Married Men For Induction. Thirty married selective service registrants, the first 3-A men to be called for induction in Prince Georges County, Md., have been ordered to report Monday by Draft Board No. 2 in Upper Marlboro, it was announced today.

At the same time it was revealed that Draft Board No. 3 in Upper Marlboro has been inducting married men with children if the men were married after October 16, 1940, date of the first draft registration in the country. Board officials explained that these men have been classified as 1-A.

O'Connor to Oppose U. S. Control Over State Pay. ANNAPOLIS, Md., Dec. 18.—Gov. O'Connor has indicated he views any effort to place federal control over salaries of Maryland State employees as an encroachment on State rights.

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Text of Henderson Letter

Resignation Laid to Recurring Ailment; President Hopes He'll Return to Service

The President yesterday received the following letter of resignation from Leon Henderson, administrator, Office of Price Administration.

Dear Mr. President:

I hereby tender my resignation as administrator of the Office of Price Administration, to become effective at your will, with the hope that you will select my successor immediately.

My departure from Government service is dictated principally, as you have so understandingly known, by a recurrent physical difficulty and a rather bad impairment of my eyesight. I have consulted my physicians since I last talked with you and they are more firmly convinced than ever that in the near future I must take a long rest as I have done before.

I am well along with some major programs, which we have discussed, including simplification of retail pricing and the first of the extremely important point system rationing plans. I expect to devote a large part of my remaining service to stabilization of the fuel oil and mileage rationing programs, so that these may be no more special burdens to my successor than the others which have had such excellent community acceptance.

Naturally I'll be available to help my successor, and regardless of the date of my termination I shall be readily available and eager to explain any and all OPA actions for which I have had responsibility. You realize I have a justifiable pride in the integrity, courage, impartiality and superb strength of the far-flung organization which represents OPA to every American in every county and every territory of this country.

Each day of proud service here has put me further in debt to my country, and to you, my Chief, for giving me such golden chances to do my utmost.

With affection, I am
Sincerely yours,
LEON HENDERSON,
Administrator.

In accepting the resignation of Mr. Henderson, the President wrote him as follows:

Dear Leon:

When you last talked with me of the condition of your health, I hoped that it would improve and that your physicians would advise that it was possible for you to continue your work. It is disappointing to learn that you must resign. Under the circumstances I cannot insist upon your continuing and with great reluctance accept your resignation, effective upon the appointment and qualification of your successor.

I cannot tell you how much I regret your having to leave the service of the Government at this time. The duty of placing a ceiling on the prices of commodities and when a shortage exists, rationing the available supply among the civilian population is an exceedingly difficult and thankless task. You have performed this service with energy and with unexampled courage. You have not spared yourself, and I, as well as all others who have any conception of the problems entrusted to you, appreciate your patriotic service.

I hope that after you have had the rest prescribed by your physicians, your condition will be so improved that you can return to the service of the Government. Keep me advised as to your condition, not only because of my interest in all that concerns you, but because when you are able to return to work I shall certainly want your assistance in some other capacity.

Very sincerely yours,
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Dr. Neal Hamilton Fairley of London, authority on tropical diseases, will speak before the faculty and students of the George Washington University School of Medicine tomorrow at 11 a.m.

Dr. Fairley, consulting physician in tropical diseases at Cambridge, England, will speak on "Malaria." He holds the rank of colonel in the Australian Army Medical Corps.

Montgomery Schoolboy Patrol to Be Honored

In recognition of their perfect record in accident prevention during the present school year, 70 members of the Montgomery County Schoolboy Police Patrol will be entertained at a theater party tomorrow as guests of Andrew Newman, County Chief of Police.

Schools represented include the Bethesda, Somerset, Westbrook, Cabin John, Chevy Chase, Alta Vista and Kensington Elementary and Our Lady of Lourdes Parochial.

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The Chilean Ambassador, Senor Don Rodolfo Michels, will be host at luncheon tomorrow, entertaining in honor of the Minister of the Interior of Chile, Senor Raul Morales, who has returned from a short stay in New York.

Entertaining By Residents In the Suburbs

Eleanor Sherburne Honored at Shower In Takoma Park

A number of parties have been given recently in the suburban areas and many residents are entertaining out-of-town guests. In Takoma Park Mrs. Louis D. Bliss entertained at a surprise shower at her home in honor of Miss Eleanor Sherburne, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Royal G. Sherburne, also of Takoma Park, whose marriage to Lt. Patrick M. Deming, U. S. Army Air Corps, will take place January 4.

Several engagements have been announced; Niece of Judge to be Married

Mrs. Mark Returns To Arlington Home

Mrs. Oscar H. Mark of South Arlington with her children, Audrey and Oscar H. Mark, Jr., have returned from a two-weeks visit at Miami, Fla., with her mother, Mrs. John H. Brown. Another daughter, Mrs. Stanley Brayshaw, accompanied them to join her husband at Boca Raton where he is in the officers training school. Another daughter, Miss Shirley Mark, also left recently for Miami to spend the winter with her aunt, Mrs. Lula Quimby, and her grandmother, Mrs. Brown.

Mrs. Bruce Wallace Hostess at Tea

Mrs. Bruce Wallace was hostess at tea Wednesday afternoon, entertaining in her apartment at 2115 F street, when she had a small group of her friends, made during her 25 years in Washington during which she has served the English Speaking Union as secretary.

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MRS. LESLIE H. CROSS. The former Miss Opal Lauritta Haugsted, her marriage to Capt. Cross, U. S. A., took place recently. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Y. C. Haugsted of Wakeman, Ohio, and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. Frederick Cross of Lancaster, N. Y.



MRS. FRANCIS H. LADSON. Before her marriage, Mrs. Ladson was Miss Barbara C. Moore, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. James S. Moore of this city. Mr. Ladson is the son of Dr. and Mrs. Herman H. Ladson.



MRS. ROY KENNEDY SKIPTON. Mrs. Skipton, before her marriage, was Miss Mary Beth Buller. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William G. Buller of Little Rock, Ark., and Lt. Skipton is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy E. Skipton of Mount Rainier.

High Officers To Attend Naval Ball Tonight

Holiday Event Will Benefit War Charities

Rear Admiral and Mrs. Randall Jacobs, Rear Admiral and Mrs. Ferdinand L. Reichmuth, Rear Admiral and Mrs. William B. Young and Rear Admiral and Mrs. Theodore D. Raddock, jr., will attend the Junior Naval Officers' Christmas Ball to be given tonight at the Mayflower Hotel for the benefit of naval war charities.

Miss Sybil Harris And R. A. German Recently Married

In the presence of intimate friends, Miss Sybil Jean Harris became the bride of Mr. Robert Archer German, U. S. N. R., at a double ring ceremony performed Saturday in the chapel of the Mount Vernon Methodist Church.

By the Way—

Beth Blaine Mrs. Graham Dougherty has worked for the American Red Cross for the past 10 years... first as chairman of volunteer special services for the Clarke County (Va.) Chapter, and since a year ago last August an assistant director of the National Red Cross in charge of the canteen corps.

Margaret Bixler To Wed Tuesday

Invitations have been issued by Mr. and Mrs. Walter Glen Bixler for the marriage of their daughter, Miss Margaret Elizabeth Bixler, to Mr. Odie Robert Howell, jr., U. S. A., which will take place Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock in the Calvary Methodist Church at Twenty-third

Arriving for Visit

Miss Patsy Ann Foster will arrive in Washington this week end from Mt. Holyoke College to spend her Christmas vacation with her parents, Col. and Mrs. Eugene M. Foster at their residence in Chevy Chase, Md.

Admiral Bunker And Wife Hosts Last Evening

Admiral C. W. O. Bunker, the recently appointed head of the Naval Hospital in Bethesda, Md., and Mrs. Bunker entertained at dinner last evening.

Several Engagements Announced; Niece of Judge to be Married

Mr. Jacob Shientag of Brooklyn has announced the engagement of his daughter, Miss Beatrice Shientag, to Mr. Virgil Smirnov of this city. Mr. Porter is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen T. Porter.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas M. Gallagher announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Marian Elisabeth Gallagher, to Capt. John J. Canney, jr., U. S. M. C., son of Capt. and Mrs. John J. Canney of Cambridge, Mass.

Mrs. Paul Profe

Mrs. Paul Profe recently have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Lucille Profe, to Mr. Leonard G. Porter of this city.

Several Engagements Announced; Niece of Judge to be Married

Miss Shientag, now a laboratory technician for the City of New York, attended Paine Hall School and is a graduate of New York University. She is the niece of Mr. Bernard L. Shientag, New York Supreme Court Justice.

Mr. Smirnov, son of Dr. and Mrs. Louis M. Smirnov of New York, is a graduate of the University of Alabama and is taking graduate work in personnel administration at George Washington University.

The wedding will take place in June and the couple will make their home in Washington.

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'Evergreen Fiesta' Continues at Arts Club

Clifford Berryman Cartoon Attracts Wide Interest

A three-day "evergreen fiesta" opened yesterday at the Arts Club...

A cabaret and vaudeville including soloists, magicians, dancers...

A dance to the music of a well-known local orchestra...

Guests were received last night by "Santa Claus," impersonated by Frank B. Steele...

Dr. Hans Kindler, last year's president, heads the committee...

Officers of the club for the coming year include Bedford Brown, president; Mrs. Bittinger...

YWCA Girls Plan Party Tonight

A Christmas party will be held by girls living at the YWCA...

A tea party and a program to include Christmas vesper...



Santa Claus is framed in pine boughs as members of the Arts Club decorate for the "evergreen fiesta"...

Women's Federation to Sponsor \$250 Student Nurses Scholarship

A resolution to sponsor a \$250 student nurse scholarship was adopted yesterday...

Mrs. Arthur C. Watkins, president of the federation, also made a formal request for contributions...

Mrs. Charles P. Keyser, chairman of the Budget and Finance Committee...

Writers' League Gets New Stories

Thousand word stories for the monthly contest held by the Writers' League of Washington...

Advertisement for Thom McAn shoes, featuring a large image of a shoe and the slogan 'Your ONE-STOP XMAS SHOP!'.

Advertisement for Thom McAn 'BETTER BOUDOIR SLIPPERS', featuring an image of a slipper.

Advertisement for Thom McAn 'BETTER HANDBAGS', featuring an image of a handbag.

Advertisement for Thom McAn 'BETTER HOISERY', featuring an image of a pair of socks.

United Nations Discussion Series Aided by 20 Clubs

Monday Evening Lectures to Start On January 25

Representatives of more than 20 women's organizations are assisting in the distribution of tickets for the United Nations Discussion Series...

Following a pattern which proved successful in promotion of the Latin American Lecture series...

The committee has announced that additional tickets may be secured from Mrs. G. S. Jameson...

Mrs. Raymond Clapper is chairman of the discussion series...

The first speaker, Dr. Hubertus J. Van Mook, Minister of Colonies...

Club leaders met at the home of Mrs. Gifford Pinchot...

Among those attending were Mrs. Frederick Livesey representing Vassar College alumnae...

Mrs. Charles H. Pierce, in charge of the sale of tuberculosis seals...

Mrs. Ellis Logan was in charge of the Christmas program...

Mrs. Arthur C. Watkins, president of the federation...

Mrs. John G. Kellar, Thomas A. Simons, Miss Ruth Ribbe, Mrs. Louise Wilson Dunwell...

Yule Relief Party

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Mrs. Gale Hostess At Christmas Party Of Park View Club

A "White Christmas" theme predominated at the holiday party held last night by the Park View Women's Club...

The white color scheme was carried out in the decorations...

The program included selections on the vibraphone by Miss Joanna Floyd...

Special guests included Dr. Jorge Alcazar, an agronomist from Bolivia...

DAR Chapter To Hear Lecture

A talk on "The Star of Bethlehem in Heraldry" will be given by Miss Martha McCabe...

Guests will include Mrs. Geoffrey Creyke, Mrs. Roy C. Bowker, Mrs. R. H. Lyle Seaton...

Hadassah Lecture

"Life in an Agricultural Colony in Palestine" will be the subject of a talk by Dr. Clarence Efromson...

Others attending were Mrs. Mordecai Ezekiel, United War Relief Center...

White or silver-wrapped gifts for everyone present were produced from a large snow-ball container...

Mrs. Gale, in a white evening gown, received the guests...

B. Ashburn was in charge of the supper-table and Mrs. A. Blondell Howe was program chairman.

Kappa Delta Dance

Members of the Kappa Delta Sorority from George Washington University will entertain soldiers...

Mrs. Gale, in a white evening gown, received the guests...

Peru Names It 'Plant That Walks Like Man'

A plant found on the coast of Peru has been named "the plant that walks like a man" because its roots resemble feet and legs...

Marriage License Applications

Under D. C. law, couples must apply for a marriage license on one day, wait three full days and receive their license on the fifth day...

Guy Richards, 33, 1740 N. St. N.W., and Clarice Larson, 24, 4511 11th St. N.W.

Ernest Willard Hobbs, 28, 724 Park rd. n.w., and Nancy Rucker, 25, 8 Hanover st. n.w.

Ensign Willard Hobbs, 28, State College, Pa., and Hazel Choate, 28, 2018 Woodley rd. n.w.

John Yatsko, 24, 1424 Chapin st. n.w., and Josephine Guerin, 23, 810 20th st. n.w.

Lawrence Banks, 26, 1450 Girard st. n.w., and Louisa Alderson, 24, 1450 Girard st. n.w.

Robert Travers, 31, 1205 Wylie st. n.e., and Gladys Lindover, 18, 1205 Wylie st. n.e.

Births Reported

Paul and Katharine Auth, boy; Maryland and Beatrice Bas, girl; Robert and Mattie Bauserman, boy...

Julius and Marion Knammann, boy; C. Menard and Gertrude Fisher, boy; Donald and Will Getzys, girl...

Births Reported (Continued)

James and Annie Wood, boy; Isiah and Nellie Wood, boy; James and Ann Wood, boy...

John and Alice O'Neill, girl; Julian and Julia Palmer, girl; Peter and Frances Polanski, boy...

William and Marjorie Powell, girl; Jennings and Wilma Reed, girl; Rogers and Loreta Rootkot, girl...

Lee and Mildred Sebold, boy; Francis and Virginia Armstrong, girl; John and Louise Battie, girl...

John and Susan Bickel, boy; Walter and Charlotte Brooks, boy; John and Frances Jackson, boy...

John and Rosa Johnson, boy; James and Thelma Turner, girl; John and Leona Wilson, girl...

James and Thelma Turner, girl; John and Leona Wilson, girl; James and Annie Wood, boy...

The Hub advertisement featuring fashion models, clothing items, and promotional text. Includes sections for Double Duty Coats, Quality and Savings, A Duration Classic, Gifts for the Woman, and Housecoats. Price points are clearly listed for various items.

Tin Conservation Order Baffles Small Canning Plant Operator

Complicated Tables and Involved Wording Make WPB Ruling Incomprehensible

By CARTER BROOKE JONES.
The fellow studying his trade paper with an harassed, mystified expression is T. K. Tupper, who runs a small canning factory out in what metropolitan residents smugly call the sticks.

Mr. Tupper has before him a reprint of War Production Board Conservation Order M-81 as amended December 9, 1942. The trade paper has tried to summarize the order for him. It seems, in general, the order limits the use of tinplate, terneplate and blackplate for packing food and other products in cans; that it specifies the can products which may be used for each purpose; that it establishes quotas for all the items covered.

But Mr. Tupper figures he'd better read the order itself. No use getting in bad with WPB. The order covers five large, closely printed pages, interspersed with tables showing in detail how each canned product is affected. After wading through the "definitions" he comes to this:

"No person shall sell or deliver any can except under purchase order or contract validated by a delivery to such person of a purchaser's certificate, manually signed by the purchaser or an authorized official of the purchaser, in substantially the form attached hereto as Exhibit A. No person shall manufacture, sell or deliver any can which he knows or has reason to believe will be used in violation of any provision of this order."

Restricted Further.

Apparently that's up to can manufacturers. But listen to this: "No person shall, during the calendar year 1943 (or the seasonal year 1942-1943 when specified) purchase, accept or use for use for packing a product any can except to the extent permitted in Schedules I, II and III attached to this order."

That hits Mr. Tupper. He glances at the schedules. He finds, on Schedule I, certain products, like peaches, which he packs on a modest scale. He finds, among the required can sizes, these notations: "2-3-cly-10" and "6-2". Whatever they may be. How the heck is he going to know whether the factory sends him "2-3-cly-10" or "6-2" or something else? He hasn't the haziest idea what those cryptic symbols mean. He knows can sizes, in general, but not this stuff. The schedules define also the tin content of each. How is he to know that?

He reads on. Eventually he finds: "This order and all transactions affected thereby are subject to all applicable provisions of the priorities regulations of the War Production Board, as amended from time to time."

That seems to cover a multitude of tins—and about everything else. They could get you on that provision, Mr. Tupper, if they didn't have anything else on you. Skipping back over the order, he re-reads this: "The sizes of the can specified for a particular product"

indicate the only sized cans which may be used for packing that product, except that such product may, subject to all other restrictions imposed by this order, be packed in cans larger than the largest size specified therefor."

But if you couldn't understand what was meant by the largest sizes specified... Mr. Tupper finds toward the close of the order, that it was based on this: "P. D. Reg. 1, as amended, 6 P. R. 6680; WPB, Reg. 1, 7 F. R. 561; E. O. 9020, 7 F. R. 329; E. O. 9040, 7 F. R. 527; E. O. 9125, 7 F. R. 2719; sec. 2, (a) Pub. Law 671, 76th Cong., as amended by Pub. Laws 89 and 507, 77th Congress."

Which, of course, makes the whole thing simple.
Query Is Hopeless.
Mr. Tupper appears, an hour later, seated across the table from the firm's part-time lawyer, Col. Wayne.

The colonel also has studied the order. Mr. Tupper suggests a letter to Washington. Perhaps at least they'll interpret those can sizes, and what priorities regulations issued in the past are applicable.

"Well," the colonel observes, "you know what happened the last time I wrote to Washington, the time I asked for an interpretation of that OPA order that hit you?"
Mr. Turoser recalls the reply from Washington. It was even more complicated than the order which provoked the correspondence. The reply left the colonel in a state of profane indignation and without enlightenment.

Situation General.
Many small business men—manufacturers, jobbers, retailers—have complained that they can't understand the orders that emerge from WPB, OPA and other agencies. They call in their lawyers, and the chances are the lawyers don't know little more. Letters to Washington are reported usually to produce the same result that brought cholera to Col. Wayne. The little businessmen can't afford to send high-priced legal counsellors to Washington. Even if they could, it's not so easy, say those who should know,

to get an interpretation of a Federal order.
The Senate Small Business Committee, for instance, has had stocks of such complaints from merchants and manufacturers. They write that they can't understand orders affecting their lines and can't find anybody who does. As a result, they don't know whether to go ahead doing business as they have or take some other tack.

One of the best-informed men in Washington on small business problems, a former Federal official, suggested:
"These WPB and OPA orders should be codified, so that lawyers over the country can study them intelligently and refer back to previous orders which are being amended. And it wouldn't hurt anyone to simplify the orders, to make them intelligible to those whom they govern."

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Alexandria USO Plans Gifts for Servicemen

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The Girls' Service Club of the USO has asked each member to be responsible for collecting 10 small

gifts and a drive to collect gifts donated by members of the community has been started by the USO.

Gift boxes have been placed at both Peoples Drugstores in the city and at J. C. Penny's, the G. C. Murphy store and the USO at 1605 Cameron street to receive the gifts which will be distributed at the party and also sent to men stationed nearby who are unable to attend the party.

Maj. Tappin to Lecture On 'Chute and Ski Warfare

"Parachute and Ski—Our Army's Newest Weapons" will be the subject of a lecture sponsored by the National Geographic Society at 8:15 o'clock tonight in Constitution Hall. Maj. John Tappin of the Army headquarters staff here and Miss Deborah Bankart, widely known ski instructor, will be the speakers. Their remarks will be illustrated by motion pictures.

Maj. Tappin, an authority on parachute and ski warfare, is not appearing in an official but in a personal capacity. Miss Bankart was the third woman in the Nation to win the status of a ski instructor.



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3. Cut butter into small pieces and heat over hot water until soft enough to beat. But do not melt the butter.
4. Add dissolved gelatine and salt to the milk. Gradually whip milk into butter with a Dover egg beater or electric mixer until milk does not separate.
5. Add coloring if desired.
6. Pack in dish or container and place in refrigerator until hard. Keep in refrigerator when not in use.

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1/2 teaspoonful vanilla

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2. Dissolve thoroughly over hot water.
3. Pour cream into a deep bowl, making sure it is sufficiently deep so cream will cover the "beaters," add sugar and vanilla, and stir until sugar is thoroughly dissolved. **Important!**—Be sure to have cream thoroughly chilled.
4. Add dissolved gelatine and beat until stiff with a Dover egg beater.

Note: When the whipped cream is used for purposes other than for a topping, follow same procedure but omit sugar and vanilla.

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District Civilian Defense Workers Are Told of War Life in England

The two acts of foreign countries most appreciated by the people of England are the contributions of clothing made by Americans, and the diversion of "blitzes" from England caused by the Russian people's brave stand, Mrs. Roosevelt said yesterday.

She made the statement to Chief Deputy Air-Raid Warden William Mileham and his staff and the councilors of the District Emergency Housing and Feeding Corps at a meeting in the home of Mrs. Gifford Finchot, 1615 Rhode Island avenue N.W., chairman of the corps.

"The people of Britain feel that if Russia hadn't put up the fight that it has, England would have been annihilated," Mrs. Roosevelt said. "The British know what the Russians have been going through because they have been through it themselves."

Aid to Russia Stimulated.
 The British people are showing their appreciation of Russia's diversion of Hitler's bombs, through the constant stream of money they pour into the British Russian War Relief, Mrs. Roosevelt said. She added that Mrs. Winston Churchill, chairman of that group in England, had only found it necessary to give two radio speeches to stimulate contributions to the Russians since the attack on Russia.

Answering a variety of questions, Mrs. Roosevelt said that the United States did not know what a blackout was. She described the stylized streets of London, illuminated only by red headlight slits of occasional autos. She said workers in the blacked out factories never see daylight in the winter. Changed social patterns in England have resulted from the blackout, she said. The theater hour begins at 6:45 and ending at 8:45.

"People don't dress for dinner any more," Mrs. Roosevelt said, "because they know they'll have to walk home afterwards."

Clies Women's Role.
 When Mr. Mileham asked, "Is the air raid service in England composed entirely of men?" Mrs. Roosevelt answered with a laugh: "There is nothing in England today composed entirely of men." Women dispatch riders are drilled like acrobats and have to jump motor cycles over burning wreckage exactly as the men do, she said.

"There is nothing in England that a girl or woman cannot do as well as a man, except jobs requiring brute strength, the British say," declared Mrs. Roosevelt. "And they carry out that statement in practice."

She said that there was not a single vehicle, truck or car, in England today that a woman couldn't drive. Women change the giant tires themselves, learning to do that without straining themselves.

No Let Up in Civil Defense.
 In answer to a comment from Mr. Mileham that there had been a general letup in interest in civilian defense due to the Allied victories abroad, Mrs. Roosevelt said: "That there had been no such letup in England."

"This is because emergency equipment and personnel in England are used to make community daily living better."

When not combating Axis bombs and their effects, British civilian defense workers take their mobile canteens to schools and farm workers to serve good meals. As a result of the rule that school children must have one hot meal a day, and the careful attention given nutrition in the Government-initiated "British Restaurants," British people are healthier today than ever, Mrs. Roosevelt said.

Where To Go What To Do

CONCERT.
 Navy Band Symphony Orchestra, Marine Corps Auditorium, 8:15 o'clock tonight.

DANCES.
 Kappa Gamma Sorority, Mayflower Hotel, 8 o'clock tonight.
 Junior Naval Officers' Committee, Mayflower Hotel, 8 o'clock tonight.
 Central Recreation Center, Thirteenth and Clifton streets N.W., 8:30 o'clock tonight.
 Washington Stage Society, Wardman Park Hotel, 10 o'clock tonight.

FASHION SHOW LUNCHEON.
 United Nations Club, Raleigh Hotel, 1 p.m. tomorrow.

MEETINGS.
 William and Mary Alumnae, Hamilton Hotel, 7 o'clock tonight.
 New York University, Willard Hotel, 8 o'clock tonight.

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. to 10 p.m. today.

Recreational games, Roosevelt Center, Thirteenth and Upshur streets N.W., 7:30 o'clock tonight.
 Tennis instruction, McKinley Center, First and T streets N.W., 7:30 o'clock tonight.
 Ballroom dance class, NCCS, Women (USO), 7:30 o'clock tonight.
 Dancing, refreshments, hostesses, games, Service Men's Club No. 1, 8 o'clock tonight.
 Ballroom and square dancing, dramatic class, MacFarland Center, Iowa avenue and Webster street, and Central Center, Thirteenth and Clifton streets N.W., 8 o'clock tonight.
 "A Home Away from Home," Church of the Ascension (Episcopal), 1201 Massachusetts avenue N.W., 8 o'clock tonight.
 Women's Battalion dance, Bureau of Engraving, Fourteenth and C streets S.W., 8 o'clock tonight.
 Open house for servicemen, Emory Methodist Church, 6104 Georgia avenue N.W., 8 o'clock tonight.
 Religious services, open forum and social hour, Adas Israel Congregation, Sixth and I streets N.W., 8 o'clock tonight.
 Square dancing, refreshments, old-time orchestra, First Congregational Church, Tenth and G streets N.W., 8:30 o'clock tonight.
 Dancing, games, refreshments, Friendship House, 8:30 o'clock tonight.

45 Prince Georges Men To Report for Induction
 Prince Georges County (Md.) Draft Board No. 1, Hyattsville, announced today that 45 selective service registrants, including one volunteer officer candidate, have been ordered to report at 7:15 a.m. Wednesday at the board's office before leaving for the Army induction center at Baltimore.

The volunteer officer candidate is Aaron Chinitz. The other 44 men scheduled to report are:

Greaves, Robert H. Guy, Alvin I.
 Davis, Herbert A. Condon, Robert F.
 Salberry, Samuel Z. Hill, Leon W.
 Bowers, Stanley R. Magness, B. E.
 Hartman, Robert L. May, Albert
 Bowman, Andrew S. Meredith, Walker C.
 Worley, Alvin R. Ertler, David H.
 Kavanagh, C. J. Clark, Michael W.
 Jones, Irvin E. Lewellyn, Bruce J.
 Knapp, S. J. Oursley, Frank M.
 Kirby, Miner E. Koster, William F.
 Latta, Don E. Raines, William F.
 Raines, William F. Parsons, Martin
 Wrenn, A. L. Wrenn, A. L.
 Bowman, Joseph M.
 Thompson, R. J. Miller, Joshua H.
 Field, Frank W. Lunsford, Joe
 Leith, George F. Butler, Floyd
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Sikorski Declares Hitler Is Finished on Offensive

By the Associated Press.
CHICAGO, Dec. 18.—Gen. Wladyslaw Sikorski, Premier and commander in chief of the Polish government in exile, said yesterday that "as far as offensive warfare goes, Hitler is now finished."
He asserted the Axis was on the downgrade, and added:
"For Hitler to continue the war now means he must use up all his raw materials, all the slaves of the conquered countries, all the available supplies. Then he will have nothing left. . . . Hitler, for the first time, is forced on the defensive."
The general, here for a short visit, recorded the Allied invasion of Africa as the turning point of the war, and suggested that "we must now prepare for peace lest war's end find us unready."
He told interviewers he favored a

ederation of Eastern and Central European countries, "which will not only safeguard the security of those nations between Germany and Russia, but likewise will be a neutral rampart of security for Soviet Russia."

Mother Mails Gift to Son In Army, Learns He Is Dead

By the Associated Press.
NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—The cares of Mrs. Margaret Cameron had lightened when she went to the Post Office and mailed a big package of Christmas presents to her 23-year-old son in the Army.
But when she returned home a telegram from the War Department was waiting.
"The Secretary of War," read the telegram, "desires to express deep regret that your son, Pvt. Raymond Francis Cameron, died on December 12 in the Western European area of a gunshot wound."

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King and Queen Visit RAF Ferry Terminal, Chat With Employees

Many Americans Helping Beat U-Boats by Flying Supplies Over Atlantic

By LEWIS HAWKINS, Representing American Correspondents

ON THE WEST COAST OF BRITAIN, (Delayed). (AP)—Men, women and machines of the unsung RAF ferry command had their hour with royalty today when King George and Queen Elizabeth II, in addition to a terminal of the service that nullifies Hitler's U-boats.

The men who fly the planes across the Atlantic and the men and women who make these flights possible and repair and rent the planes when they arrive were all interviewed briefly by the royal couple.

After looking through a plotting room which tells where every flying craft is each hour and the weather center in which are made up the forecasts that help to hold losses to less than one per cent, the King and Queen went to the administration building, where many Americans work in close co-operation with the RAF.

There King George showed particular interest in the fact that Capt. Ruskin Watts of Westfield, N. J., wore RAF wings in addition to United States AAF wings. Capt. Watts explained he won the British wings in the last war.

Chat With Americans.

Other Americans who chatted with the King and Queen here, answering many personal questions, included Maj. Harry L. Clark of Manhasset, N. Y.; Capt. R. E. Montgomery of Pittsburgh and Kansas City, and Capt. Dale Honeycutt of Dunganon, Va.

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Fellow workers were amazed when she failed to report on a recent morning, but found when she came in at noon that she had taken a brief time off to have all her teeth extracted. She expressed disappointment that she had to miss the entire morning at the dentist's office before getting back to her beloved engines.

W., M. & A. Counsel Moves To Get Case to High Court

Counsel for the W. M. & A. bus line today took the first step in the rate battle with the Office of Price Administration by asking the Court of Appeals to prepare papers necessary for an appeal to the Supreme Court.

James P. Donovan, attorney for the bus line, announced he will file an OPA injunction suit filed after the company had increased rates between Seat Pleasant, Md., and the District from 10 to 15 cents October 26. The company reduced the fare to 10 cents December 10, pending a Supreme Court decision.

Mrs. Roosevelt 'Steals Show' As Performer at Canteen

Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt stole the show last night in her first performance on a Washington stage before an all-servicemen's audience.

The audience which packed the Stage Door Canteen sent waves of applause stageward as Mrs. Roosevelt participated in the canteen's first broadcast over the National Stage Door Canteen radio program, which previously has originated in New York.

Praising the entertainers who contributed their talents "for the purpose of soldier morale," Mrs. Roosevelt said she wished stage door canteens could follow our fighting men to every front.

Sharing the stage with her were Milton Berle, comedian, and Helen Menken, stage star. They put on a series of skits contrasting romance and home life before and after rationing.

Remarked Mr. Berle about the rooming problem here: "The only room I could get in the hotel is so near the street I have to wait for the green light before I can get out of bed."

After the broadcast, Mrs. Roosevelt retired to a balcony to watch the other performers and later volunteered to return and tell the boys of the soldiers she met on her recent trip to England. She received another enthusiastic reception.

Others who spoke briefly were Alexander Woolcott and Brock Pemberton, New York producer who has been a backer of the parent canteen organization.

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Fairfax Youths Register In County Office Bldg.

Special Dispatch to The Star.

FAIRFAX, Va., Dec. 18.—Because of the closing of county high schools today for the Christmas holidays, Fairfax County selective board officials announce that the registration of 18-year-old youths in the county will be held from now until December 31, at the local board office in the County Office Building.

For the convenience of high school pupils required to register, registration centers were established in the four high schools, when the registration period opened. Since Wednesday, six registrants have volunteered for enlistment in the Navy.

Youths Plead Not Guilty In Fatal Auto Mishap

By the Associated Press.

CHAMBERSBURG, Pa., Dec. 18.—Five youths pleaded not guilty yesterday to charges of voluntary manslaughter and involuntary manslaughter in the death of Harry Pryor, 19, of Smithsburg, Md., fatally injured last Friday night when the automobile in which he was riding crashed into a tree.

Pvt. James A. Walsh of the Pennsylvania Motor Police filed information against the five before Justice of the Peace John S. Gillan, who fixed bond at \$3,500 each and had them returned to Franklin County jail.

The youths are Ernest Shade, Joseph Ditch, Arthur Stouffer and Harry McKean, all of Waynesboro, Pa., and Junior Carbaugh of Fayetteville, Pa.

A coroner's jury found the collision was caused when the driver, Paul R. Cartee, lost control because he was being pursued and shot at by the five youths held.

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Sequined Jacket—bright purple rayon crepe plustered in fuchsia sequins, fuchsia skirt. Misses' sizes: \$25.

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Jelleff's—Misses' Dress Shop, Second Floor

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A super Santa Claus collection at \$3.95 short sleeve pastel shirts; Romney-ruffled blouses with long sleeves; plus the three sketched above ... come see them, they make the grandest gifts imaginable.

Rayon Jersey—The glamorous looking and feeling fabric tailored with convertible collar, yoke back; purple, black, red; 32 to 36, \$3.95.

Ruffly Lace—frilly sheer rayon with wee lace all down the front; black or white; 32 to 38, \$3.95.

Border of Stitching smart touch around plunge collar and front! White, sand, cranberry, shocking, brown, gold, black. Baskanese rayon, 30 to 40, \$3.95.

Jelleff's—Christmas Blouse Shop, Third Floor

Choice!
\$3.95

Pro-War Brazilians Hit by Silencing of Former Attache Here

Gen. Amaro Bittencourt Muzzled by Order of Military Heads

By ALLEN HADEN, Correspondent of The Star and Chicago Daily News.

MONTevideo, Dec. 18.—The conflict within the Brazilian Army as to whether or not to make active war, deepening since October 31, took a turn against the Allies with War Minister Urico Garpar Dutra's forbidding of speeches, lectures and publications on the subject without previous authorization by the war ministry.

The immediate purpose is to silence Gen. Amaro Bittencourt, former military attache to Washington, who, since his return to Brazil, has resolutely demanded active Brazilian participation in the war.

The effect of Gen. Dutra's order is to quell at least temporarily the insistence on war by the younger officers and liberal elements of Brazil, and to maintain his own war position.

The Ministry of War is moving very slowly in mobilizing army effectives, following the general empowering decrees to do so adopted on September 16 and 28. Volunteers have been refused enrollment, and so-called "progressive" mobilization has consisted in gradually calling up small contingents of reserves. Last Friday class 2 and 3 reservists were permitted to volunteer.

The public has reacted unenthusiastically to mobilization. In early November, a special war ministry order forbade the newspapers to print any item indicating that reservists had failed to present themselves on call.

The younger officers had their say on October 31 in what was little short of insubordination. Col. Estillac Leal, speaking for the graduating class of the war college from which come Brazil's generals of tomorrow, named the Axis as the enemy and demanded that the administration of President Getulio Vargas make war, braving immediate imprisonment by so doing. Until Col. Leal spoke, no high officer of the Brazilian Army had mentioned the Axis as Brazil's enemy.

The debate is not over. The younger officers scored a point in favor of the Allies when they forced Chief of Staff Gen. Goes Monteiro to take sick leave in mid-October.

Pro-war and pro-ally, the younger officers lost a round last Saturday with Gen. Amaro Bittencourt's muzzling by Gen. Dutra.

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75 Colored Selectees Begin Army Life Tomorrow

A group of 75 colored registrants of the District will report tomorrow at 10 a.m. for assignment to Army training camps.

The men were inducted December 12 and were issued one week's reserve status. They are:

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| Bowles, Arthur E. | Walker, Edward P. |
| Jacobs, Sterling J. | James, Edward R. |
| Thompson, H. W. | Mitchell, William |
| White, Leonard | Jones, Frederick |
| Wallace, Wardell N. | Robinson, W. B. |
| Hamilton, John W. | Bowen, Edward C. |
| Williams, Claude J. | Ivey, William W. |
| Yates, Augustus L. | Williams, Edgar L. |
| Harris, Grady | Boze, Herman H. |
| Thompson, Horace | Green, Arthur |
| Johnson, Charles A. | Boze, Norman H. |
| Tox, William, Jr. | Chambers, John R. |
| Jackson, James H. | Meachem, A. P. |
| Coleman, Charles A. | Twitty, Frank M. Jr. |
| Boyle, James L. | Mallory, Arthur B. |
| Hazel, Arthur M. Jr. | Jackson, Ellis J. |
| Hughes, Carlton C. | Boyd, Huston O. |
| Devi, Kenneth | Kelly, William J. |
| Clark, George W. | Reeder, Julie |
| Hicks, James E. | Arty, Lewis E. |
| Brown, Ralph A. | Harrison, George H. |
| White, James P. | Wyer, Dallas |
| Gantt, Francis B. | Wimbush, Merlyn |
| Miller, William M. | Crockett, John M. |
| Nick, James, Jr. | Crook, Carl E. |
| Vold, Dennis | Harris, Eugene |
| Ellish, George E. | Wells, Andrew J. |
| Chinister, J. J. | McNeil, William P. |
| Lundy, Manning J. | Sawyer, Edward O. |
| Hickens, C. E. Jr. | Jones, Earl E. |
| Ashford, Leonard | Hubbard, Polaris L. |
| Napper, Daniel H. | Mitchell, Walter L. |
| Thomas, Cornelius | Napper, Al D. |
| Davis, William | Keller, Charles E. |
| Watts, Ralph E. | Tyler, Melvin |
| Jones, Henry H. | Holmes, Charles E. |
| Holloway, George T. | Taylor, Walter L. |

Barger to Join Staff of Sidwell Friends School

Frank Barger, assistant headmaster at the McDonough School, Baltimore, has been named principal of the Upper School of the Sidwell Friends School here. He will begin his new duties the first of the year.

He was graduated from St. John's College in 1925 and received his master's degree from the University of Maryland. On completion of the latter studies he joined the staff of the McDonough School.

Aside from his designation as principal of the Sidwell Upper School, his complete schedule has not been completed, school officials said today.

12,000-Gallon Gas Book Issued by Mistake

By the Associated Press. KANSAS CITY.—A fuel oil distributor noticed coupons he had received from a customer were not like others.

The Rationing Board quickly discovered the coupons were good for 100 gallons, not 10 gallons each; and the coupon book totaled 12,000 gallons instead of the 1,200 allotted the customer.

The board fixed it.

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Here for you,
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Elizabeth Brewster Shoppers!

Bewildered and befuddled about Christmas shopping? Let one of our Elizabeth Brewster shoppers lend you a helping hand. She will be glad to suggest gifts, to help you find them and remain with you until your shopping is finished.

If you do not see an Elizabeth Brewster Shopper as you enter the store (she wears the name inscribed on a white satin badge) don't hesitate to tell the floorman or salesperson that you want her!

Give her a gift she would choose for herself...
A U. S. War Savings Bond!



THE NEWER
Jelleff's
1214-20 F-Street

Give Gold Stripe
Futuray Rayon
Adjustables
to all *Short, medium, and tall!*
\$1-\$1.15-\$1.35
(3 pairs \$2.85-\$3.30-\$3.90)

"Made to my measure," says the junior miss, and her mother adds, "Made to my measure, too"! These famous Adjustables adjust to fit every leg length smoothly and flatteringly, and Futuray rayons are superbly dull and fine-textured, made with the skill and infinite care for which all Gold Stripe stockings are famous.

Of course, regular top stockings too in sizes and lengths for everyone on your list.

\$1, \$1.15 \$1.35 (3 pairs \$2.85 to \$3.90)

Only at Jelleff's! At our downtown store and also at our uptown shops: 1721 and 3409 Conn. Ave. Also at our Bethesda Shop, 6936 Wisconsin Avenue.



The LONG Bag
is a smart choice!

Shiny alligator-grained calf, beautifully shirred, with wall pocket and zipper pocket. Brown, tan. \$5.

Ribbed rayon bengaline bag 14 inches long and wonderfully spacious within. Black. \$5.



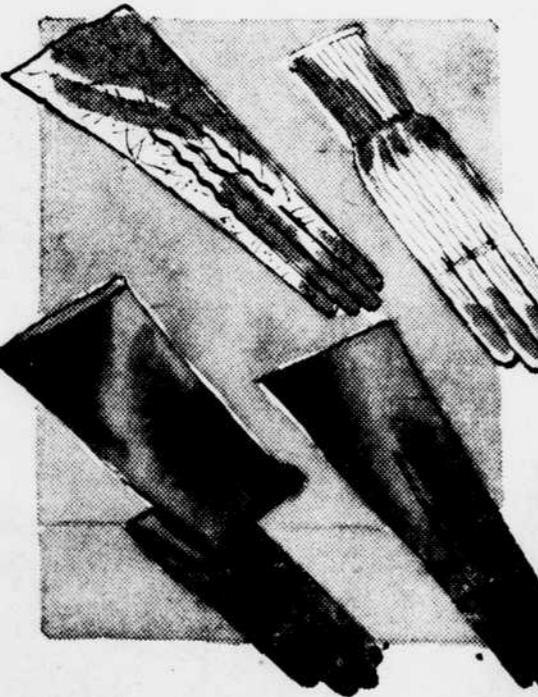
A lovely pin?
The time?

These Charming
Watches Supply Both

Bow Pin with large sapphire blue stone center and a gem of a little watch. \$30

Two-tone coppery and yellow gold color pin with jewel stones and watch. \$20.

Plus 10% tax



Gloves

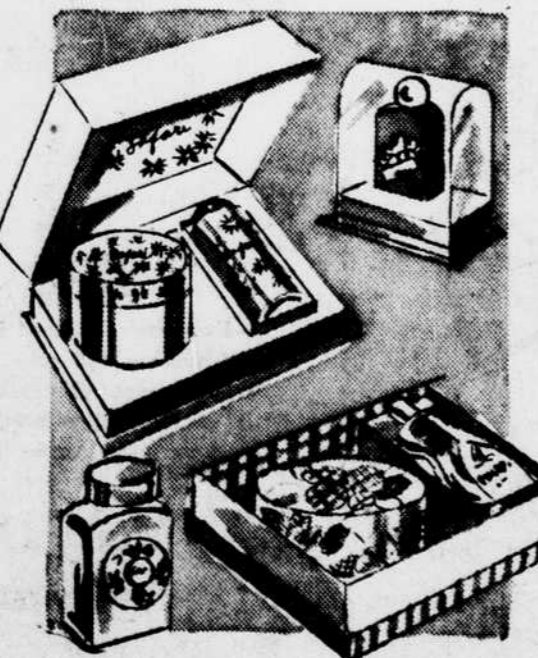
4 pairs Make a Wardrobe!

WARM wool gloves in black, brown, yellow, red, green, white. \$1.50.

CASUAL pigskin gloves in white, brown, cork, natural, oatmeal. \$4.

DRESSY doeskin (doe-finished sheepskin). Our superb Romney exclusives in black, brown, beige. \$5.

FORMAL above-elbow length rayon gloves in red, white, black, pink, aqua. \$2.



"Fragrantly yours"
Gifts by Tussy

Pinafore Bath Set consisting of eau de cologne and dusting powder. The pink checked gingham design is adorable! By Tussy, \$2.

Safari scented Bottle Essence and Dusting Powder, by Tussy, \$3. Safari sachets, \$1.

"Remember Me" is the command of Tussy's gilt-radiant bottle filled with perfume, \$2 and \$5.

(All prices plus 10% tax)



For someone special...

The witchery of black lace and filmy black rayon. Pink ribbon bows for that out-and-out feminine touch. GowA, \$8.95; Robe, \$8.95.

Underwear Shops, Second Floor

The beauty of white rayon jersey... she will look like a Grecian Goddess in this classic model with rows of shirring at waist, deep V-neckline bodice, also tearose, maize, blue, black; 32 to 40, \$3.50.

Underwear Shops, Second Floor

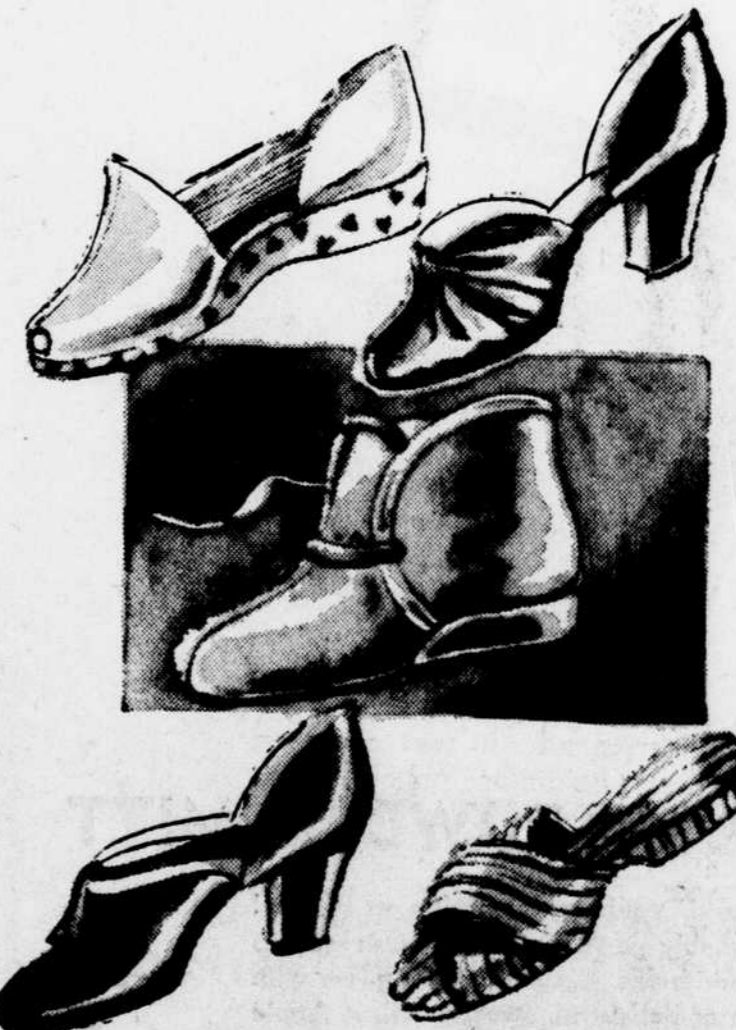
The prettiness of pink—especially in a negligee with collar and cuffs of lace-edged embroidered organdie, a softly gathered drawing waist, frog buttoning front, \$16.95, or in a divinely cut robe bound with rayon satin, \$10.95. Both in rayon crepe.

N negligees—Fifth Floor

The Vanity of Lovely Slippers... Sluffs, mules, cozy boots, teddy boots, platforms, slack slippers, indoor and outdoor slippers; heaps of colors and types from Joyce, Daniel Green, and other talented slipper designers. \$1.75 to \$5.30.

Hearts of Gold—Joyce's pretty platform slipper in white rayon satin and rayon faille cloth. She'll wear it for lounging and dinner slacks. \$4.95.

Joyce's "Bambi"—simply adorable slipper; bow-knot draped camp, medium heel. Rayon satin in ciel blue, tearose, dubonnet, royal blue, wine. \$3.75.



Parlor Plush Boot—newest hit; feels like a teddy bear; laces up over ankle to keep her warm. Baby pink, blue, white; hemp sole. \$6.

Daniel Green "Loll"—everybody loves this soft leather slipper with comfy semi-hard sole. Wine, blue black. \$4.35.

Joyce Cotton Chenille Scuff—cute and comfortable and dipped pretty colors. Beauty red, baby pink, French blue. \$1.95.

Jelleff's—Christmas Slippers, Fourth Floor



Only 5 Days To Buy GIFTS

Shop Saturday 9:30 A.M. to 6:00 P.M.
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Choose Her Gift from
the Hundreds of Fine

Handbags

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at \$3.00

—Envelopes, top-handles, pouches, underarm types! Suedes, alligator-grained calf, patents, broadcloths, failles, rayon cords and rayon velvets! Small bags and mammoth ones. In black, brown, wine, red, navy and tan!



at \$3.95

—There's a type here for every woman, regardless of age and activities! Broadcloth, alligator-grained calf, cespines, rayon cords . . . finely lined and appointed. Beautiful costume colors and unflinching black.



at \$5.00

—Exquisitely designed bags to dramatize her clothes with individuality and color! Every important type from the artfully draped dressmaker bag to the sleek and tailored bag. In soft crushed leathers, broadcloths, patents, cowhide, ocel, alligator grains, rayon failles.

Many Other Beautiful
Styles at \$2.00 to \$12.95

Kann's—Handbags—Street Floor.

Glitter Hats

FOR A SPARKLING CHRISTMAS



High Shako in Winter-White, sparkled with jet and misted with veiling. \$2.99

Gay as a wink! Black pillbox banded with sequins, flounced with lace. \$5.00

Piquant pomp in Winter-White—streaked with black sequins, alluringly veiled. \$2.99

\$2.99 and \$5

—Don't let the sparkle of Christmas out-sparkle you! Hop into your gayest dress and climax it with one of these look-at-me hats! Come to Kann's for it! We've the most compliment-provoking collection of glitter hats that ever charmed a fighting man! The three beauties illustrate our point!

Kann's—Millinery Shop—Second Floor.

Lovely Pastels and Prints in New . . .

"Paramount"

CLASSICS . . .

New Arrivals in
The Sports Shop

\$5.95

—You'll get a lift just looking at these exhilarating new monotone prints and clear, light pastels! Fine rayon crepes tailored by "Paramount" in your favorite classics and softer models, many with new "surprise" details. Rose, grey, blue, beige, aqua and monotone prints. Sizes 12 to 20. P.S. They make grand gifts for mother, sister or aunt!

Kann's—Sports Shop—Second Floor.



For Luxury-Loving Women . . . "SEAMPRUFE" SLIPS AND GOWNS . . .

\$3

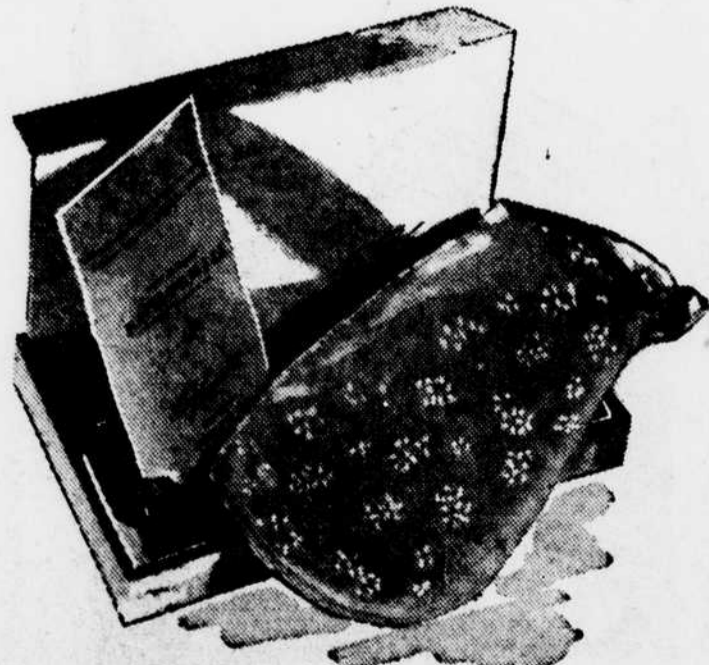
—SEAMPRUFE SLIPS she's admired in Mademoiselle and Vogue! Shimmering rayon satin and soft rayon crepe . . . in Laxtex yarn seam, four-gore or bias-cut styles. All with guaranteed seams, adjustable straps. Tealose or white. Sizes 32 to 44.

—SEAMPRUFE GOWNS to make her a "sleeping beauty!" Glamorously lovely styles with long, flowing skirts . . . lavish laces . . . exquisite tailoring. Shining rayon satins and dull rayon crepes in tealose or blue. Guaranteed seams. Sizes 32 to 40.

EACH

Exclusively
At Kann's
In Washington

Kann's—Lingerie—Second Floor.



LUXURY POWDER MITT

\$1

—An enchanting gift, as feminine as she is! Lovely, refillable powder mitt in dainty shades of pink, blue, maize, or white. Complete with four ounces of delightful, sweet-smelling Apple Blossom bath powder . . . packed in a smart gift box.

Kann's—Toiletries—Street Floor.

WARM CASUAL COATS With Detachable LININGS . . .

\$29.95

—Good news for you, for your Santa! A just-arrived group of these grand two-in-one coats . . . with detachable quilted linings! In your favorite Balmacaan and Boy Coat models . . . expertly tailored of wool and camel hair and beautiful heathery tweeds (properly labeled as to fibre content). Sizes 10 to 20.

Kann's—Coat Shop—Second Floor.



Certification of Employees For Civil Service Speeded

In a new move to speed the certification of employees for civil service status under the Ranspeck Act, the Civil Service Commission today notified all agencies that formalities would be dispensed with for the time being, and that a simple listing of the names of those affected would be acceptable. Under ordinary circumstances, regular forms would be necessary to cover each indi-

vidual case, but the commission said these could be filed later. To be eligible for civil service status, the employe must have been in service July 1, 1941, and have had at least six months' meritorious service. A further qualifying test will be a non-competitive examination given by the commission. Agencies have been slow in making their recommendations, according to the commission, with the result that the impending deadline—December 31—finds many employes still awaiting certification. The commission also announced

Eviction Suit, Charging Vicious Dog, Dismissed

Pinkie—the pet dog of Mrs. Weldon Drake, 2200 First street N.W.—had his day in court yesterday. Judge Bruce Clagett, in Landlord and Tenant Court, dismissed the eviction suit brought against Mrs. Drake by Miss Blanche Vance, 83 W street N.W., her landlady. She sought to evict Mrs. Drake and her family from their apartment on the

Quezon Chaplain to Speak

The Rev. Pacific Ortiz, chaplain to President Quezon of the Philippines, will speak before the Plus XI Guild Sunday at 4:30 p.m. at the guild house, 1721 Rhode Island avenue N.W. Miss Mary Hardy will be chairman.

Bethesda Bank Dividend

The regular annual dividend of 1½ per cent and an extra dividend of 1 per cent, both payable on December 28, were declared by the Board of Directors of the Bank of Bethesda at its monthly meeting held Tuesday. The dividends are payable to stockholders of record December 18, 1942.

G. W. U. Jewish Students To Attend Services

Members of the Jewish Students' Foundation at George Washington University will be the guests of the B'nai Israel Synagogue, Fourteenth and Emerson streets N.W., at services at 8:30 o'clock tonight. Rabbi Henry Segal, spiritual leader of the congregation, will address the students on "The Book and the Sword." Following the service, Arthur Braver will conduct an open forum

Bang! Your waste kitchen fats can make explosives for our guns!

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5 More Days...1 More Evening...To Shop For GIFTS!

Regular Store Hours: 9:30 A.M. to 6 P.M. . . . MONDAY, the 21st — 12:30 Noon to 9 P.M.



**MOTHERS!
WIVES!
DAUGHTERS!**
Give Him an
"ALPACUNA."
The Perfect
Christmas
Gift!

ALPACUNA*

Quality Overcoats of 3-Fibre Luxury Fabric

\$47.50

—Alpacuna is built to give warmth without undue weight. Yet it is tough—mind you—for the harshest weather. Luxury soft and staunchly durable, in a three-fibre wool blend, face constitutes 62% of fabric and back 38%, backed with 100% cotton for added wear. Lined with Seaglen satin, a celanese* rayon. You'll be proud to own an ALPACUNA! You'll be amazed at the long, persistent service it will give . . . at its fine, soft texture . . . at its comforting warmth.

*A Registered Trade Name.

**GIVE A MAN A
STURDY, PRACTICAL
'Rainbreaker' Raincoat**

And Watch Him Grin!

\$15.00

—Many a man wants, but never seems to get around to buying it himself. He'll enjoy this one—Fine combed cotton yarn in the new putty shade—lightweight—self-lined, water-repellent, fly front, slash or patch pocket—center vent. Regular, short, long sizes.

Kann's—Men's Store—Second Floor



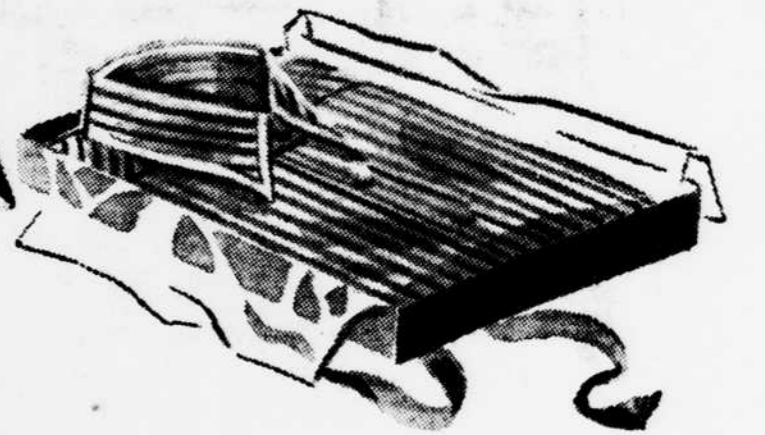
"SHIRTCRAFT"

Sanforized SHIRTS
(Residual Shrinkage Not Over 1%)

- The PRACTICAL Gift!
- The SMART Gift!
- The QUALITY Gift!
- The PERFECT Gift!

\$1.99

These are the high-quality shirts men like to buy for themselves or to receive for gifts. Full cut, color fast and sanforized to hold shrinkage to less than 1%. Favorite whites plus a large selection of woven fancy patterns. Sizes 13½ to 18.

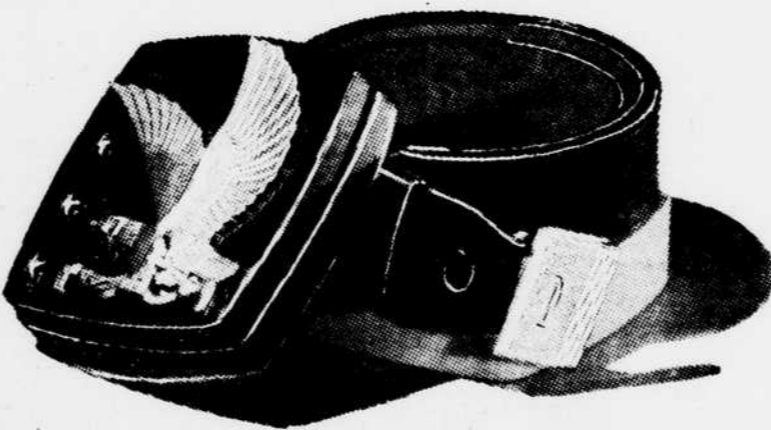


**GIVE HIM A "HICKOK"
BELT and BUCKLE SET**

If you're worrying about what to give the males on your Christmas list we suggest you stop right here. For this is the answer to your problem. A Hickok Sterling Silver Buckle with his initial and a genuine leather belt in black or brown.

\$2.50

Packed in Dual-Purpose Box



Women Love Hats—Men Go For TIES! And They Prefer

**"TROJAN"
"Drapestitch" TIES**

\$1.00

—Ties are jolly—ties are good cheer. Every man enjoys ties, more especially if they happen to be Trojan ties. Trojan ties are easy to select, for they are made to blend with his shirts, or his suits. Give him Trojan ties and watch the "Thank you" in his smile.



**HOLEPROOF
"PACERS"
With Garter-Top**

65¢

A rare treat, elastic garter top hose—no other sock has these exclusive features—accepted by men everywhere as the ultimate in comfort, convenience, pattern and color rightness. Fine quality socks in rayon or lisle—with attached garters for the price of the socks alone. Garters are guaranteed for the life of the sock.

Kann's—Men's Store—Street Floor.



**Fine GLOVES
By "BACMO"**

- Tops in Quality!
- Tops in Style!

**FAVORITES IN ANY
MAN'S WARDROBE!**

—Good looking, easy fitting, warm gloves by "Bacmo." Choose his glove needs for driving, business or dress from our grand selection. Soft, supple pigskins, good looking mochas, fine quality cape leathers in styles for every taste.

\$3.95

Kann's—Men's Store—Street Floor



Shoes Designed for Young Feet!



Start them off right in shoes that cater to youthful needs. Storm's Health Shoes are scientifically constructed and correctly designed. Shoes to guide children's feet into health and sturdiness. Available for boys and girls of all ages!

Non-Corrective \$3.25 to \$5.00 Corrective \$4.50 to \$6.25

STORM'S health shoes

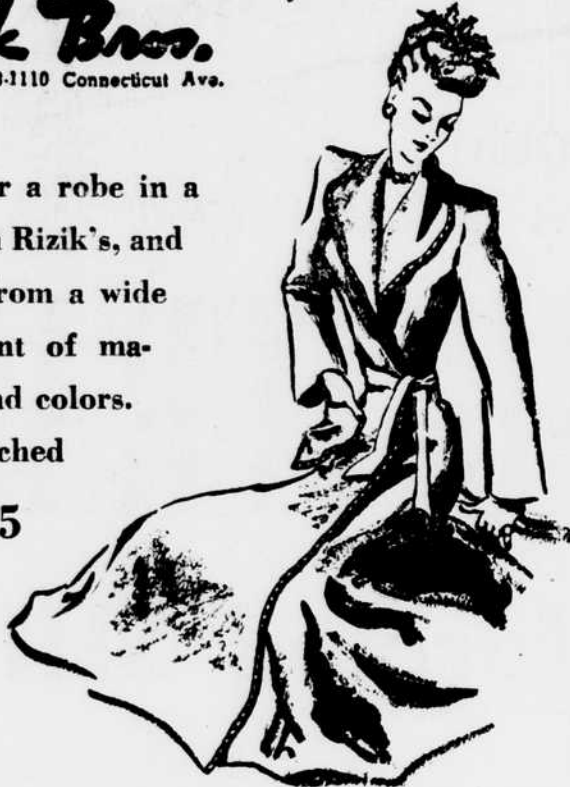
526 12TH STREET N. W. Between E and F Streets N. W.

Mary Jane Patent Leather Shoe

Rizik Bros. 1108-1110 Connecticut Ave.

GIVE her a robe in a box from Rizik's, and choose from a wide assortment of materials and colors. One sketched

14.95



Advertisement for NUTS CHRISTMAS MIXED NUTS 79¢ LB. and PEANUTS 2.49. Includes details about freshness and packaging.

Southern Democrats Admit Party Rifts, See No GOP Gains

Replies to Spangler Reveal Dixie's Dislike For New Deal Policies

By the Associated Press. ATLANTA, Dec. 18.—Some Southern Democratic leaders said today that the Solid South was splitting at the party seams, but predicted that Republicans were wasting time looking hopefully in this direction. Their comment came quickly after new Republican party chairman, Harrison Spangler, said in Washington he was informed Southern Democrats were "much more interested in forming a new party or defeating the New Deal."

The new GOP chief heard further, he said, that many Southern States were "seething with distrust of the New Deal" and cited Oklahoma as a "perfect example." There, he continued, E. H. Moore, a Democrat, "ran as a Republican" and defeated Senator Lee, an all-out supporter of the New Deal.

Spangler Called "All Wet." Retorted Harvey C. Combs, Democratic committee secretary for Arkansas: "As far as Arkansas is concerned, Mr. Spangler is all wet. It's very far fetched to believe Arkansas would do like Oklahoma."

Gov. Sam Jones of Louisiana, recent open advocate of a coalition of Southern and Midwestern Democrats, asserted "it is unquestionably true that the South is ripe for a political revolution, but I cannot see that this gives aid or comfort to either of the existing major parties. The South owes nothing to the Republican party. Its own Democratic party has failed it miserably. More recently the Democrats of the North have defied all the political traditions of the South." Although some Southern Democrats are distrustful of "certain New Deal policies," Alabama's party chairman, Gessler T. McCorvey scoffed at the idea of any bolting in this section in 1944.

Other Leaders Comment. T. W. Conely, Florida chairman: The Spangler statement is "a mere propaganda attempt to camouflage dissension existing in the Republican national party. * * * It is true that some Democrats disagree with the New Deal policies, but this dissension is not strong enough to split the party." J. Lon Duckworth, Georgia chairman: "The Republican party has nothing to offer the South. I feel confident Democrats of Georgia will never align themselves with the Republican party. If changes in policy are necessary, this can and will be attained through the Democratic party that has served the South these many years."

Gov. Spessard Holland of Florida: "There are plenty of Democrats who do not approve of the attitude of various Federal bureaus in trying to push for their special objectives while war is on, but I am sure that most Democrats will feel there is a better chance to correct this situation within the ranks of the liberal Democratic party rather than by hoping for a reversal in form on the part of the reactionaries."

Cottages Are Turned Into 'Battle School' For Home Guards two rows of derelict cottages in Glasgow, Scotland, have been turned into a "battle school." Voluntary labor has provided the scene for house-to-house fighting.

Tough Whiskers Bring Raise in Shave Price SAN DIEGO—Barbers, complaining about the growing toughness of whiskers in this city, home of the big Marine Corps Training Base, upped the price of a shave from 35 to 50 cents. "It takes about as long to give a man a shave as it does to cut a head of hair," explained a barber.

Discrimination Suit Won By Southernaire

By the Associated Press. ROCHESTER, N. Y., Dec. 18.—Four members of the Southernaire, colored radio and concert singers, yesterday won State Supreme Court jury verdicts of \$245 each against the Sagamore Hotel for alleged racial discrimination.

The quartet, consisting of Spencer Odum, pianist; Lowell Peters and Homer Smith, tenors, and Jay Toney, baritone, all of New York City, testified that when they came here for a concert February 15, 1941, they were denied use of the dining room of the hotel where they were registered guests.

Hans G. Beutler Dies; Spectroscopic Expert

By the Associated Press. CHICAGO, Dec. 18.—Hans G. Beutler, 46, research associate in physics at the University of Chicago, was found dead in his bed last night. Death apparently was caused by a cerebral hemorrhage.

Mr. Beutler, who came to this country from Dresden, Germany, in 1934 and was regarded as one of Germany's leading spectroscopists, had not appeared at his Chicago classes for two days. Faculty members went to his apartment to investigate found him dead. Police said he apparently had been dead for two days.

New St. Marys Sheriff Tenders Resignation

By the Associated Press. ANNAPOLIS, Md., Dec. 18.—Sheriff Daniel J. Bowles of St. Marys County submitted his resignation to Gov. O'Connor yesterday because of ill health. Mr. Bowles, a Republican, was elected November 3. Gov. O'Connor has asked Attorney General William C. Walsh for a ruling on the procedure in appointing a successor to Mr. Bowles.

Large advertisement for Toyland Dolls. Features several dolls with captions: 'A. Big baby with bright eyes and soft ringlet curls. 22-inches tall! Her warm coat and bonnet are trimmed with maribou... \$6.95', 'B. She's every inch a lady! Lustrous rayon coat and bonnet trimmed with dainty lace. She wears shoes, socks and rubber panties. \$6.09', 'C. Ringlet curls about this pretty face. She has big eyes with long lashes and she goes to sleep. Dressed in a warm cotton flannel coat and bonnet. \$6.09', 'D. "Chuckles"... The smiling baby, 20 inches high. She wears a beautiful white dress and bonnet with fancy embroidery trim. She cries and sleeps, too! \$5.00', 'E. All smiles! Baby "Chuckles" 22-inches tall. Soft lightweight body cuddly as can be. Beautifully dressed \$5.00', 'F. This adorable little miss wears a coat and bonnet with white maribou trim. She's 18-inches tall, goes to sleep and cries \$4.09'. Also features a doll house advertisement: 'BIG 4-ROOM COLONIAL STYLE DOLL HOUSES With Over 100 Pieces of Cardboard Furniture! \$2.94'.

Advertisement for Emily pajamas. 'EMILY OPEN HOUSE for GIFTS'. 'for her SLEEPING BEAUTY'. 'GAY PRINT PAJAMAS... Fine rayon crepe in tea rose or blue with a floral print. Additional flatferry in the lace edged neckline. Sizes 32-40. \$3.00'. 'LONG SLEEVE NIGHTIE... to keep her lovely... and warm! In heavenly baby pink or baby blue rayon crepe. Sizes 34-40. Lacey, luxurious, yet only \$3.98'. '1308 F STREET N. W. Open every evening till 7:30 • Thurs. till 9'.

Advertisement for Atherton's Pet Shop. 'A Christmas Gift... that will bring cheer into your life throughout the year—for many years—a Golden-Voiced Canary. Atherton has a wonderful selection of guaranteed singing male choppers—priced \$9.95 to \$12.95'. 'PARAKEETS Yellow and green... \$6 a pair Blue birds... \$7 a pair'. 'Atherton's PET SHOP 619 F.N.W. National 4702'.

Men Fight in Streets for Bread As Inflation Rages in Teheran

War-Smitten Capital of Iran Looks To American Experts to Solve Problems

(Second of a Series.)

By LELAND STOWE.

Foreign Correspondent of The Star and Chicago Daily News.

"All I knew about Persia was cats, carpets, the Persian Gulf and Omar Khayyam," laughed the young American Army captain. "A couple of months ago I got my orders, out of the blue. Next thing I knew I was here in Teheran."

And Teheran, we must admit, is about as topsy-turvy as any war-torn, inflation-ridden capital on the globe today. While there are new batteries for a car cost \$120, a standard-sized typewriter was selling for \$400, razor blades could be had for \$4 a dozen, and a plump Persian playboy had just bought a new Buick for \$18,000. Thousands of the city's ragged masses were standing in the breadlines for hours. When the bakeries opened their doors men and boys fought frantically to get within reach of a small morsel, and hundreds daily were turned away empty-handed.

But Teheran had accumulated two new night clubs, very chic and de luxe, since I had stopped there last spring on my way to Russia; and also a swanky restaurant called the Polonia as an invitation to the thousands of Polish refugees who arrived as—and are to remain—Teheran's biggest social problem. The first of last April I could have purchased a handsome engraved cigarette case of Persian silver for \$10. In mid-November the same shopkeeper quoted me a price which amounted to more than \$400 when I turned away the expression on his face clearly indicated that plenty of other Americans, or Englishmen, would be along.

Everything is topsyturvy. Everything is crowded and bustling in Teheran and everything is topsyturvy. Iran is a country which produces enough wheat to feed itself, yet it is already suffering from an acute food shortage—because there are not nearly enough trucks available to deliver wheat and vegetables to Iran's cities and big towns. Completely unaware that the country is on the verge of serious food riots, unless the Allies can ship hundreds of motor lorries there very soon, hundreds of British Tommies jostle along the sidewalks, laughing and joking. The same sidewalks are jammed with people of dozens of races and tongues, including Russian officers, Sikhs and Ghurkas from India, Hungarians, Polish, Rumanians, Jewish and Serbian refugees, and now a sprinkling of American Army boys.

Only 10 years ago Teheran's streets were also crowded with camels. For Iran, which is more than six times larger in area than the British Isles, consists chiefly of vast deserts. But Iran's camels and donkeys were imported and banished by King Automobile during the past decade. So today, in a desperate effort to ease its transportation crisis, the Iranian government has ordered 1,500 camels to be imported from India—a vast desert country, importing camels! But the camels will have to walk all the way from India. That means they can't arrive for several months. In fact, it takes 40 days for a camel caravan to cover the 600 miles from Meshed (inside Iran) to Teheran whereas cats can do it in three days. But when the British took over the lower half of Iran they commandeered, for war purposes, 1,800 out of the 2,300 motor lorries in the entire country.

No Rations, Despite All. Teheran alone consumes between 250 and 300 tons of wheat a day—so it takes nearly 100 of the remaining 500 trucks in all Iran to keep most of Teheran's 750,000 population supplied with a minimum of bread. Then the 25,000 Polish refugees require a good many lorries for their needs; and there are scores of other urgent needs for trucks, and there are another 14,000,000 Iranians scattered around the country with maybe 100 trucks left over to cater to their necessities—and the tires are wearing out fast on what few trucks there are.

Despite all this, there is no rationing of wheat, or bread, or rubber tires, in Iran. Hoarding of wheat goes merrily on by members of the country's upper and middle classes, but the local government is described as powerless to stop it. Who says that Teheran is not topsyturvy? One American remarked to me, "hoarding of wheat is getting worse here every day, but the Iranian Parliament is in such a bedlam that the government can't do anything. They can't stop it, but we don't stop it for them. You see the British want to be as diplomatic as possible. They always hesitate to intervene. They don't want to appear to use strong-arm methods, and some of them don't worry much about the reactions of the Allied occupation on the country itself. Anyhow, this thing is building up for a bust-up, unless the Allies get busy hunting for solutions."

Look to America. So below the bustling, carefree gaiety of Teheran's street scenes and night life the problem of food, existence and a square deal to 15,000,000 Iranians is daily becoming more acute. And, as it happens, the Iranian government and the Iranian people are looking more and more to Americans to lend them disinterested help in their great national dilemma. The Iranians turn chiefly to the Americans because British commercial interests, such as the tremendously profitable Anglo-Iranian Oil Co., have had an important influence on their country for a long time and they have acquired a fear of British domination. Rightly or wrongly, as in so many other parts of the world, the Iranians feel that Americans will be less likely to use their country as a "pawn of empire."

So a striking assortment of American experts and advisers have been employed by the Iranian government in recent months. Among them are Joseph P. Sheridan, food adviser; Prof. Winsor, an irrigation expert who will promote plans to put more land under cultivation; Col. A. A. Niewirth, adviser to the Minister of Public Health; Col. Lynn S. Thurman, who is in charge of reorganization of the Teheran police system, and Col. Norman P. Schwartzkopf of the Lindbergh case fame, who is busy reorganizing the nation's gendarmerie. In addition, the Iranian government has enlisted the services of Dr. Arthur C. Millsbaugh, an authority on Persian finances, to help battle against the grave danger of uncontrolled inflation. Knowing

the terribly tough job ahead of him, Dr. Millsbaugh has asked for full powers as a financial czar.

Experts Esteemed.

The American experts and their staffs, who have thus far gone to Iran, have been carefully selected—thanks to extremely good judgment in Washington—and have created an excellent impression among the Iranians. So, too, has the American Minister, Louis Dreyfus—and one should also mention his equally able and hospitable wife. In all honesty Mr. and Mrs. Dreyfus constitute a remarkable diplomatic team. They have won both the esteem and friendship of Iranians everywhere. At this exceptionally vital crossroads between Soviet Russia and Anglo-American bases in Africa, India and the Near East, the Dreyfuses have an 18-hour-a-day job and they treat it that way.

Iran is not only a difficult post for an American Minister. Right now it's a tough spot for Americans and British in general. Its domestic political situation is a mess; if possible, its finances are in a worse mess, and its economics are topsyturvy. British and Soviet troops occupied Iran in order to assure a southern lease-lend route into Russia and also to keep the Nazis from completing a half-built Trojan horse in this strategic land.

Pro-Nazi Sentiment Strong. But pro-German sentiment is still very strong among Iranians, while anti-British and anti-Russian feeling is almost as pronounced in the opposite sense. For these reasons, it was absolutely essential to have an American Minister and American experts in Teheran who could command the confidence of the country's elite.

Even so, Iran cannot be steered clear of food riots or a "bust up," or

many more headaches for the Allied high commands, by an American Minister of unusual ability or a few well-chosen American advisers. What is most significant about Iran is this: Iran is a typical challenge to British-American statesmanship and leadership. The key to American success in Teheran to date has been the fact that a handful of intelligent men have been working on the basis of "doing something for the Iranians as well as ourselves."

Pan-American Quits. Some months ago Pan-American airplanes extended their run from Cairo and Basra, on the Persian Gulf, up to Teheran. That greatly facilitated mail and other services into Russia and there was room for many more passenger planes per week. In and out of Teheran, since British Overseas Airways were not able to handle more than a fraction of the demands. Despite this fact, Pan-American soon pulled out of Teheran and the explanation which we heard there on all sides was, "The British don't want Pan-American competition in Iran." Since I left Teheran our Army Transport Corps, being under military control and in no sense a commercial enterprise, has resumed flights into the Iranian capital.

American engineers are now in charge of the Iranian railroads by invitation of the Iranian government. This development has also provoked comment among some of those local British representatives who are incurably commercial.

Commenting on this type of reaction, one American remarked slyly: "It's too bad. This is no time to be worrying about post-war advantages or business opportunities. The only thing any of us ought to be thinking about is winning the war—and along with that, having these people as our friends after the war is over."

Great Allied Problem. Iran today is a striking example of this great Allied problem, and of some of the very real difficulties which stand in the way of its solution. On the other hand, some of the Pan-American boys who used to come into Teheran were a pretty cocky lot. When the time came for them to choose between going over into the Army transport command or returning to other posts with Pan-American at home, upon the testimony of an American woman who resides in Teheran, "90 per cent of them decided in favor of

their pocketbooks." To the Britishers in Iran that looked pretty commercial minded, too.

To the blithe traveller (of which there are many more still wandering around the map then you could possibly imagine), Iran looks bright and smiling and Teheran beckons as a half-Oriental, half-Occidental oasis in which to drown all care. In reality Iran is a testing ground in international co-operation and for British-American teamwork. In both respects it demonstrates what a tremendous lot of loyal and concentrated effort remains to be made, by ourselves and by the British alike.

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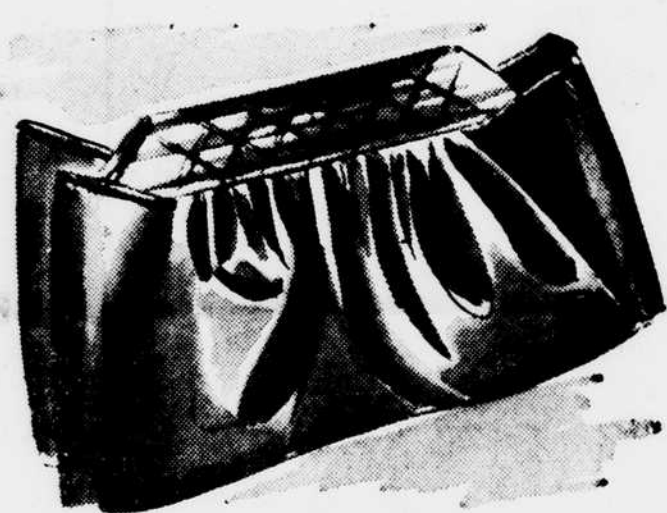
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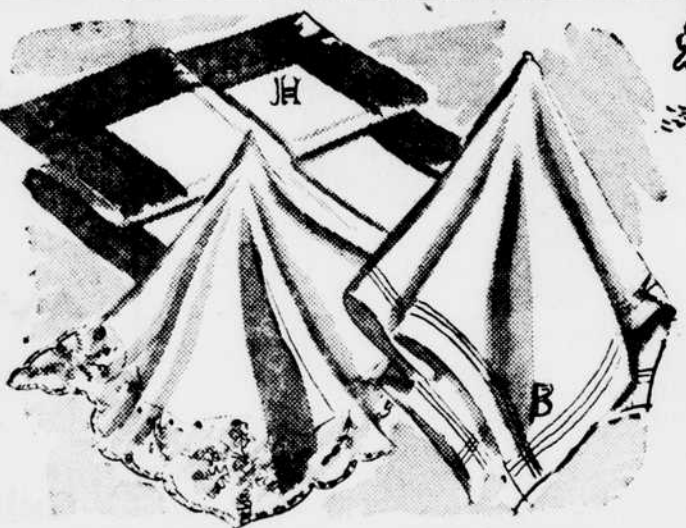


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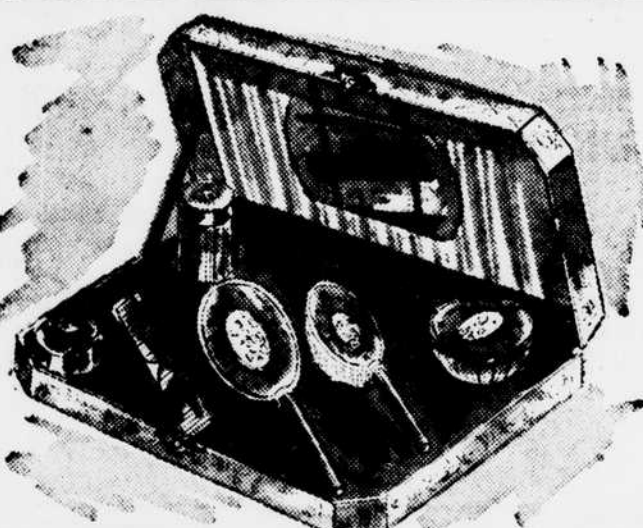


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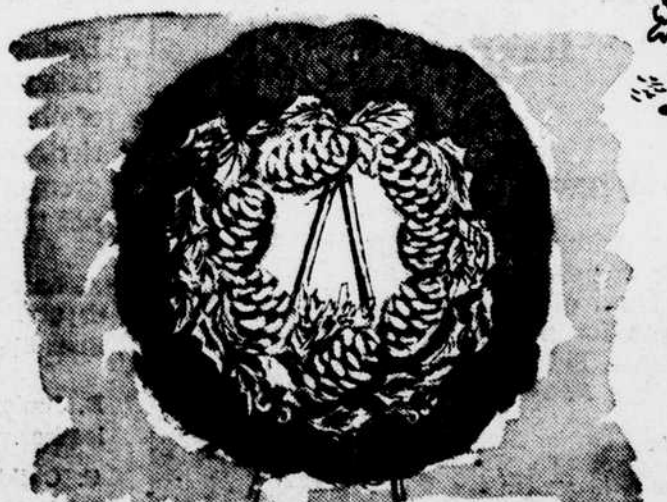


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Alexis Smith Began Vogue For Willowy Gals in Films

In Silent Days Only Tiny Damsels Rated As Feminine Allure

By HAROLD HEFFERNAN, North American Newspaper Alliance

HOLLYWOOD.—Sights and sounds: Remember the days of pink-sized movie cuties? A gal couldn't get a job in Hollywood then unless she stood a mere inch or two above a midget. Prime requisite for stardom in 1925 was abbreviated height—as witness the success of Mary Pickford, Mary Miles Minter, Clara Bow, Alice White, Colleen Moore and countless other shorties who went on to great popularity in earlier films. Being blond and a little dumb about world matters weren't insurmountable hindrances either, as we recall. Let's turn the page now and see what happens. Everybody's grown up! Talent scouts today stumble right over the tiny girls in a frantic search for tall, willowy creatures who can look over the leading man's shoulders. There are a few diminutive ladies doing all right, to be sure—Judy Garland, Sonja Henie, Veronica Lake and Carmen Miranda—just about complete the list—but definitely the trend today is toward the tall.

Alexis Is Tall

Alexis Smith is perhaps the rangiest feminine star in Hollywood. She can take a little credit, too, for this strange trait on eight. Studio statisticians give out her height as 5-8, but she looks even taller when standing alongside Errol Flynn's 6-2 in "Gentleman Jim." Alexis recalls her fright when she walked onto the Warner Brothers' lot a year and a half ago to be interviewed about a movie test. "I can't see the idea of tall girls trying to make themselves look shorter," she said. "Flat-heeled shoes and slouching shoulders make us look terrible, in my opinion, so I decided to give my height the works. I wore high-heeled pumps and put my hair up high on my head, with a rakish little hat set on top. Imagine my fears when the man who interviewed me turned out to be unusually short.

"As we stood there chatting, it seemed to me, in my anguish, that he didn't come up any higher than my waist. He was perfectly swell, but once he did look up into my face, at a 15-degree angle, and said, 'You are just a little bit tall, aren't you?' Anyway, I got the test—and a contract."

Among stars who stand 5-6 and more today are Hedy Lamarr, Linda Darnell, Lucille Ball, Katharine Hepburn, Carole Landis, Marie Montez, Rosalind Russell, Cobina Wright (almost as tall as Alexis), Laraine Day and Ingrid Bergman. So, the new slogan is—grow up, young woman, and then head westward.

Quickie Flash:

Joel McCrea turned down one of the most promising roles of his career, that of Kansas in "So Proudly We Hail," because of sensitiveness over the war service situation. The character is a Marine and Joel figured he'd be subject to razing if he wore a uniform without being actually on the fighting lines himself. Other male stars have refused uniform-wearing roles for the same reason. Think of the plight of poor George Raft! With meat rationing fast approaching and meatless days already here, George finds himself face to face with a gastronomical

problem of Gargantuan proportions. Ever since he's been in the movie chips George has seen to it that steak—thick, luscious, Kansas City cuts—were on his plate three times a day. At one time the Brown Derby flew in special Raft cuts from Midwest packers. One of Hollywood's outstanding feminine stars, unattached at the moment, has a habit of cultivating deeply romantic attachments for gentlemen playing in her films. About to embark on a new movie, she displayed unmistakable signs of interest in a handsome young actor brought in from the East to work opposite her. During their first luncheon discussion over the role, the young actor deftly tossed a bombshell. "My wife will be out next week," he said. "We are very devoted. I expect her to be on the set most every day."

Boston Socialite Debuts

Even the Warner Brothers, who have seen almost everything, shudder when they encounter Helmut Dantine on the studio highways. Dantine is the fellow who threw panic into spectators (to say nothing of Greer Garson) as the hunted Nazi aviator in "Mrs. Miniver." He owns the most fiery, menacing pair of big blue eyes we've ever seen, making him appear just as fearful off the screen as on.

Paramount thinks it has a find in Sonny Tufts and has assigned him to a fat role opposite Paulette Goddard in "So Proudly We Hail." Tufts is great copy for the press boys. He's one of those scion fellows, being descended from a Boston family that founded Tufts College. All the Tufts in the past had gone to Tufts. But Sonny went to Yale. There he was a football and crew star. He came out here looking for a job. Dropped into the studio and was signed. Just like that.

When Bette Davis was in Springfield, Mo., the Mayor presented her with an "Oscar Oscar." It was a wooden figure of an Indian girl. Bette promised then that she would take up with the Motion Picture Academy the idea of having "best performance" awards made of wood for the duration. And she has done just that. The reaction was good, too. Those copper statuettes are on their way out.

(North American Newspaper Alliance, Inc.)

School Workers Injured

KLAMATH FALLS, Oreg. (AP).—Margaret Heath, cook at the Fremont School cafeteria, slipped on the sidewalk en route to work and suffered a broken arm. At the hospital she met Warren Harris, Fremont School janitor, who slipped on the sidewalk en route to work and suffered a broken arm.

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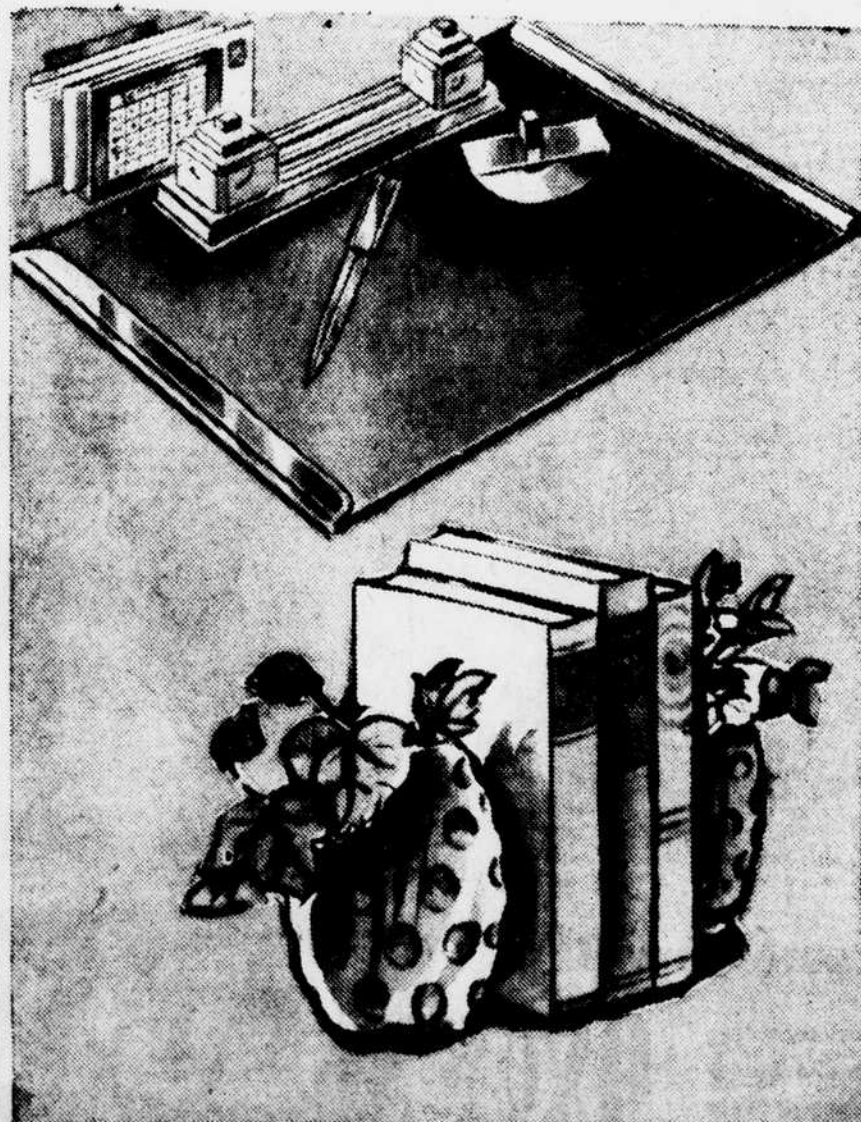
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Senate Group Postpones Fixture Sale Bill Hearing

Indefinite postponement was ordered yesterday in the scheduled hearing of Government officials before the Senate Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds on the House bill which would permit transfer and sale of equipment in Government buildings.

Those who had come as witnesses at the request of the committee were told that since Congress had ad-

ditioning plants in the Capitol and other buildings in the Capitol group could be removed under this legislation.

It was agreed that a member of the Senate committee would introduce the bill at the opening of the new Congress to speed its consideration that much.

The bill is especially designed so that refrigerating plants for air conditioning, now operated in Government buildings, can be released for use in the manufacture of synthetic rubber. The question has been considered whether the air-

Defense Forces Seeking Tourists' Snapshots

By the Associated Press. Some of those snapshots American tourists took on their peacetime travels in Europe, Africa, Asia and the Far East might be helpful in winning the war.

The pictorial records division of the Office of Strategic Services, operating under the joint chiefs of staffs of the Army and Navy, said

Penny Collection Put In Circulation by Thief

By the Associated Press. KANSAS CITY, Kans.—Just as the Government suggested, H. V. Bumgartner's penny collection is back in circulation.

Police caught the thief who stole the 500 coins, but he didn't have a cent on him.

Thomas Fortune Ryan's Kin Wins Promotion in Africa

By the Associated Press. WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY AT CASABLANCA, Dec. 18.—Sergt. Richard N. Ryan, grandson of the late New York financier, Thomas Fortune Ryan, yesterday became one of the first enlisted men in the

stallions, airfields, highways, docks, harbors, coast line, beaches, canals and rivers.

The announcement made it clear, however, that pictures should not be sent immediately. Persons having them were asked to apply to Col. L. E. Norris, Strategic Photos, Box 46, Station G, New York City, for a questionnaire.

Some pictorial mementos already have yielded "illuminating information," it was announced.

These are the types of material wanted: Aerial views, industrial in-

stallions, airfields, highways, docks, harbors, coast line, beaches, canals and rivers.

African campaign to win promotion in the field.

Sergt. Ryan was the first soldier to reach the hotel rooms of the German Armistice Commission at Fedala, and won a Silver Star for standing guard over documents despite an intense bombardment, during which the hotel was struck several times.

The 31-year-old sergeant appeared happy but slightly disturbed as Maj. Gen. George Patton cut the stripes from his sleeves and pinned the gold bars of a second lieutenant on his shoulders. After the ceremony Ryan looked ruefully at the sleeves and

said: "I don't know what the sergeant who owns this blouse will say about these ripped chevrons. I had to borrow the blouse from his because I lost mine in landing."

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- (J) A Raincoat Is Her Reigning Choice . . . So give her a bright-colored cotton gabardine raincoat lined with plaid cotton flannel. Sizes 9 to 15 in the group. . . . 7.99
- (K) Highlight Her Christmas Day Date . . . Give her this festive dress-up frock in black rayon crepe frock with sulphur-yellow, embroidered with black sequin butterflies. Sizes 9 to 15. . . . 19.95 (Young Washington Shop, Third Floor, F St. Building)



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RAF's Role in War On U-Boat Indicated By New Committee

British Cabinet Group Weighs New Moves To Deploy Bombers

By VICTOR GORDON LENNOX, Foreign Correspondent of The Star and Chicago Daily News.
LONDON, Dec. 18.—The composition of the British Cabinet's anti-U-boat committee, announced by Prime Minister Churchill, gives an indication of the important role played by the Royal Air Force in combating the enemy's intensified attacks on Allied sea lanes.

In addition to Chairman Churchill and Deputy Chairman Sir Stafford Cripps, the committee includes Air Secretary Sir Archibald Sinclair and Air Staff Chief Sir Charles Portal. Other members are: First Lord of the Admiralty A. V. Alexander, First Sea Lord Sir Dudley Pound, Production Minister Oliver Lyttelton and Transport Minister Lord Leathers.

Atlantic Area Patrols.
Some people have found it mysterious why the RAF bomber command has not lately delivered 1,000-bomber raids despite the constant tremendous airplane flow from the factories. It is no secret to the enemy that great areas of the Atlantic, now after many months, have been increasingly patrolled by multi-motored planes which might otherwise be employed in bombarding Germany and Italy.

Obviously, it is not desirable to indicate the numbers of aircraft thus employed but it can be taken that it is considerable. There is also an extensive employment of bombers as minelayers at the entrances to enemy harbors which are yielding excellent results, as your correspondent indicated in an earlier dispatch.

Now, as the prospects for continental invasion draw nearer, there are mounting demands for multi-motored planes to tow gliders and to transport airborne divisions. It is probably not realized that a single airborne division requires the employment of bomber-type aircraft numerically equivalent to the total number of bombers at present engaged in frontline service.

Immediate Aims.
These factors have recently led to a discussion of what is the best sequence for the employment of the total available bomber production. There is a consensus in responsible quarters that the first need is to give maximum support to the North African operations thus hastening the opening up of the shorter and securer Mediterranean sea route. The next priority is seen as allocation of planes requisite to secure the safety of the Atlantic supply lines, thereafter concentrating everything possible to make available air attacks from Britain against Germany.

Echid these immediate aims, the Allies would be building up invasion forces from all the services in readiness to take advantage of the first signs of cracking German morale under the weight of air bombardment. This theme is capable of substantial expansion but this outlines the general trend of thought discoverable in London.

Doolittle's Men Forego Candy For Algiers Kids' Yule Feast

By GAULT MacGOWAN, War Correspondent with the American Forces in North Africa.
ALGIERS, Dec. 18.—Gen. "Jimmy" Doolittle is a tough guy when the bombs are falling, but he's got a heart of gold beneath his bedeviled khaki blouse.

He's giving up his December candy ration for the kids of Algiers, so they may have sweets when the American Red Cross gives them a Christmas party. He has also appointed a committee to insure that the party's a swell show.

There'll be a French Santa Claus, since the English of the Algiers kids is confined to simple words like candy, okay, chocolate, chew-gum, gimme and stick-em-up. There will be a Christmas tree, with a soldiers' chorus for singing Christmas carols, and the 12th Air Force officers are following the general's example and

also giving up candy and collecting gifts of cakes, games, toys and books wherever they can be bought in the shops. There have never been so many dollars around Algiers before, and every one from the ragged street beggars up seems likely to be liberally supplied with Christmas hand-outs.

Even the raggedest Arab beggars probably will receive gifts since it is understood that 60 tons of clothing are arriving for distribution to the natives on New Year Day.

Giving up candy means something here for soldiers, who can buy it only once a week at the rate of two bars per man. (Incidentally there is no sugar in Algiers it is eaten pronto.)

During Axis days in Algeria the sugar was sponged up for the benefit of Rommel's army in Libya. The generosity of Gen. Doolittle's army with bombs for Bizerte and candy for Algiers is something new hereabouts.

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British Film to Be Shown

An English moving picture based on Dickens' "Christmas Carol" will be shown at 7:45 o'clock tonight in the social hall of the Chapel of the Redeemer in the Glen Echo-Fairway Hills area. It was announced yesterday. Supplementary short films also will be shown.

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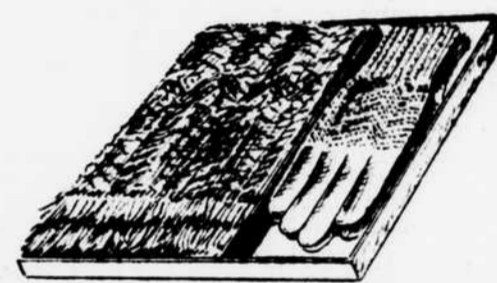
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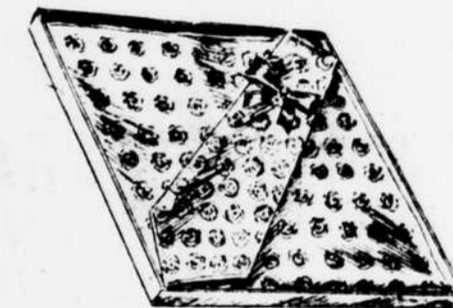
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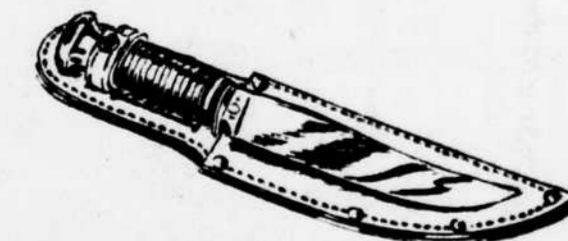
Matching Necktie and Handkerchief—a bit of sartorial exactness for your boy. Of cotton, boxed together\$1, \$1.25



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Pilot Gets Wheelchair As Service Award

By the Associated Press.
KANSAS CITY—Fifteen years ago Transcontinental and Western Air Lines announced it would give a service pin to five-year-employees, another to ten-year men.

"What do you get after 15 years, a wheel chair?" asked Pilot Lou Goss.

Here from Los Angeles for a staff meeting, Pilot Goss had completed 15 years of service—and was on crutches because of a motorcycle accident.

Fellow employees gave him a wheel chair.

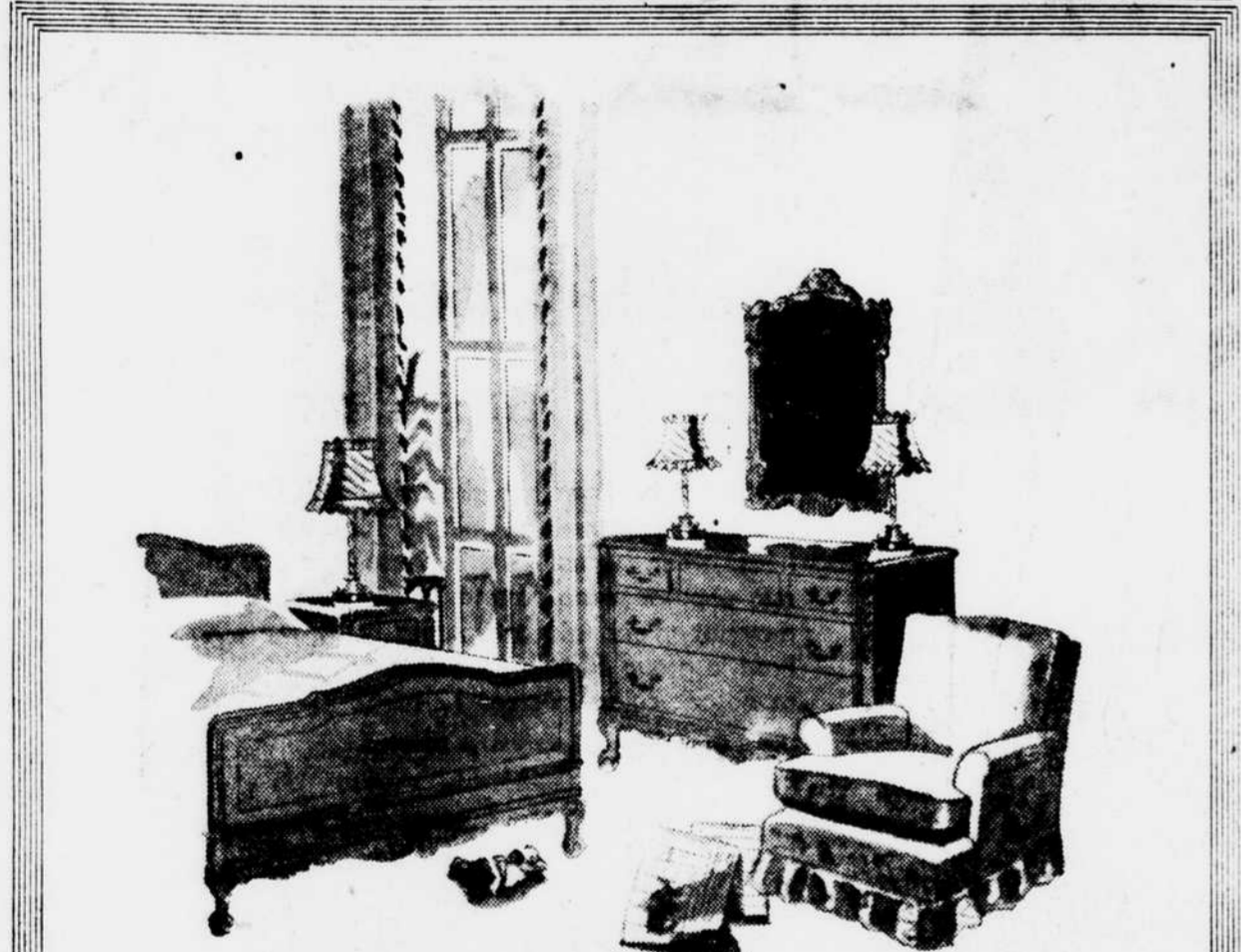


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Dinah Shore Just Raises Cook's Wages and Holds Her

Singer Had Hard Bumps Before She Clicked as Vocalist on Networks

By SHEILAH GRAHAM, North American Newspaper Alliance.

HOLLYWOOD—Knaravela is Dinah Shore's cook. She receives a salary of \$28 a week. She gets all day Sunday off, half day Wednesday, half day Friday, and occasionally when she wants to do some shopping she gets a few hours here and there.

"But Knaravela is worth that to me," says Dinah Shore, "because I'm strictly a home girl and she's a good cook, and any sort of cook is hard to get these days." Knaravela has had two raises in three months. She started at \$21, mentioned defense work a month later, was raised to \$25, was caught looking through the Lockheed want ads, and was jumped to \$28. She does not know it yet (and you must not send her this column), but Dinah would raise her again at the mere drop of a hint that Douglas Aircraft, for instance, is paying fat wages.

Home Town Girl.

"What I like about Hollywood," says Dinah, who is now appearing with Eddie Cantor in "Thank Your Lucky Stars," "is that it's more fun to stay home than to go out dancing. I was raised in Nashville, Tenn., where a girl is taught how to cook and how to make a home agreeable so that she'll marry early and get off her parents' hands. I was considered quite an old maid in Nashville because I was unmarried at 21. But there was no one there with whom I wanted to settle down. So I went to New York on spec."

This was in 1938. Dinah had been "singing around Nashville, but no one, except my sister, believed in me. I always wanted a radio and records career. I don't think I'm much good for the stage as I can't overdo things."

With \$233 that had "sort of" plus stacks of letters and production, Dinah arrived in New York and went the rounds of the agents. "But I'd open my mouth and sing and feel so scared that nothing would come out. One man felt sorry for me and got me a job singing on a small radio without pay. I sang every day in the week. The job lasted about a month, then my money ran out."

Has Early Trials.

"I lived with a model, and she earned \$13 a week. My sister and brother-in-law used to give me some money now and then. But things weren't exactly prosperous with me. Came New Year eve and I had a singing job for the night. I had to sing all night, but was to get \$25. I'd consumed our last strip of bacon, the weather was cold, and I spent my last dime on a bus drive to the place where I was to sing. When I got there they'd given the job to some one else!"

At this point in her New York

career Dinah broke down and wept. Then she telephoned her father in Nashville. "I just want money to eat dinner, that's all," she sobbed. "My father was scared," she says. "He'd opposed my singing career up to that point, but he said, 'If you like to work that much you stay there and I'll wire you some money. After that things started moving and I got a job to sing at the Strand Theater with a band for \$75 a week.' But fate had not yet finished tormenting Miss Shore. "Of my first week's salary \$80 was stolen. But that was still \$15 more than I'd earned in New York."

Dinah came to Hollywood last April with the Eddie Cantor radio program. She now also has her own show. She sings and dances and acts in "Thank Your Lucky Stars," but of her acting she says, "I don't think better Davis will be fired on my account." And regarding her dancing, "Zorina hasn't anything to worry about." But her singing is in a class by itself.

Only One Marriage.

Dinah is still unmarried. She is now 25.

"I'm rather too busy for love," she explains, "although I sometimes date George Montgomery, and I date Jimmy Stewart when he's here. But I want to look them all over carefully before getting married. I want it to last, and I shall only be a wife once. It's important to have some sort of pattern to cling to in your mind or you're likely to be carried away."

Dinah was perturbed when the gossip columns had her eloping with Glenn Ford. "We were at a bond rally together and he dropped me off on the way home," she explains. "The next day it was in all the papers that we were madly in love. I was so embarrassed because he's engaged to Eleanor Powell, and I like her. I had to do some explaining!"

The songstress lives in a duplex apartment with two girl friends—her secretary, Marian Rufus Crane, and Radio Actress Shirley Mitchell. The three of them were reared together in Nashville. And Knaravela looks after them—when she isn't having a day off, that is.

Agencies Battle Acute Gas Shortage in Brazil

Agencies to counteract the acute gasoline shortage have swung into action in Brazil. Activities of the Gasogene Commission have been extended to promote use of gasogene equipment on motor vehicles all over the country.

The Institute of Sugar and Alcohol controls alcohol output and will turn over to the National Petroleum Council in Rio de Janeiro for use as motor fuel alcohol in excess of industrial requirements. All raw sugar will be distilled into alcohol except 13,000,000 bags needed for domestic market.

Singer, 90, Entertains U. S. Troops in Ireland

Among the veteran stage celebrities who entertain the American troops in Northern Ireland is Charles Coburn of Belfast, who recently celebrated his 90th birthday anniversary.

He told the soldiers that when he visited Monte Carlo he was forbidden to sing his famous song, "The Man Who Broke the Bank at Monte Carlo," with this added admonition, "We do not encourage gambling."

Off stage his name is Colin Whitton McCallum. His son is a member of the British Parliament.

Deaths Reported

Belle C. Penn, 82, 1239 Rock Creek Road, Chevy Chase, Md.

Chel A. Carlson, 81, 803 D st. n.e.

Minna E. Pierce, 78, 3551 Holmead pl. n.w.

Amelia M. Piror, 75, 3433 Wisconsin ave. n.e.

Francis Kubnet, 75, 625 E st. s.e.

Morton C. Sewall, 70, 3610 34th st. n.w.

Adam Lauer, 65, Riverdale, Md.

Robert E. Shill, 67, 2750 Wisconsin ave.

Beulah Killemon, 52, Forestville, Md.

Ralph W. Ives, 41, 201 1/2 st. n.w.

Mary Inez Purvis, 49, Alexandria, Va.

Thomas R. Webster, 48, Alexandria, Va.

Elizabeth J. Dero, 28, Chevy Chase, Md.

Alice Blaser, 25, 3013 7th st. n.e.

Charles F. Armstrong, 2, Midland, Va.

Infant Kytle, 1211 Jefferson st. n.w.

Infant Christina, Dahlgren, Va.

Frances Hampton, 98, 1218 Kenyon st.

John W. Walker, 73, 1622 11th st. n.w.

Ellie A. Hoyes, 66, 916 1st st. n.w.

Clarence S. G. Bassett, 70, 1505 15th st. n.w.

Thomas McBride, 65, Cedar Heights, Md.

Robert T. Taylor, 61, 1511 Swann st. n.w.

Isiah Waters, 57, 1815 L st. n.w.

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Otis Nolan, 34, Bethesda, Md.

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Best gift of all for your beloved mother—this frock of black rayon crepe with graceful contrasting blue yoke spiced with glittering black sequins. From a large group in sizes 36 to 44 and 16 1/2 to 24 1/2. The \$10.95 dress shown is in shorter-women's sizes
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B—Brushed Rayon Robe for Larger Figures in wine or blue is fully cut. Note the flaring long sleeves. Sizes 38 to 44 \$5.95

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B—"Baa-Baa" Cotton Fleece Slippers, leather soles. White, rose, pink, copen blue, royal. Sizes 4 to 8—\$2.25

C—Women's Traveling Slipper in case. Red or blue ostrich-grain capeskin. Sizes 4 to 8—\$2.45

DOWN STAIRS STORE, WOMEN'S AND CHILDREN'S SHOES.

Gifts for Baby and His Nursery

A—Pair of Plastic Placques for the nursery. Animals in pastels in relief—\$1.50

B—"The Drummer Boy" Wood and Metal Lamp. Red, white and blue—\$2.95

C—Three-piece Turknit Set, hand-embroidered cotton Turkish towel and 2 washcloths, pink and blue—\$1.65

D—Cotton Turkish Toweling Bib with nursery designs, pink or blue—25c
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H—Adorable pinafore of crisp cotton with angel wings of eyelet embroidery. Pink, blue or blonde-curl yellow; sizes 1 to 3.....\$3.95
INFANTS' FURNISHINGS, FOURTH FLOOR.

I—Yes, the whirl of a dirndl dress for sweet young persons from 3 to 6. Cotton in berry red or blue and white checks, appliqued with a great big flower.....\$3.95
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J—Teen-agers are "mad about" skirts and shirts—so—
A pleated wool skirt—green, red or navy; sizes 10 to 16.....\$5.95
A rayon shirt classic—white, gold, brown, green or rose.....\$2.25
GIRLS' FURNISHINGS, FOURTH FLOOR.

K—A dirndl that looks as though a garden of flowers had been spilled over it—thrillingly in store for size 7 to 14½. Cotton broadcloth with white pique emphasizing the pointed basque top.....\$2.95
GIRLS' APPAREL, FOURTH FLOOR.

L—Oo-oo, what pretty pajamas—engaging pink or blue rayon with contrasting smocking. With frothy cotton lace. Sizes 8 to 16....\$2.95
GIRLS' FURNISHINGS, FOURTH FLOOR.

M—Baby needs many a pair of socks—especially soft cotton with candy stripes or fancy cuffs. Bright or pastel; sizes 6 to 8½. Pair, 29¢
CHILDREN'S HOSIERY, FOURTH FLOOR.

N—Dressed-up hands are proudly conscious of brushed rayon gloves, white or beige. Mother likes their un-fussy simplicity—classic pull-ons. Pair.....\$1
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O—Pretty cotton hankies—festive-ly flowered—perfect "stocking" presents. Each.....20¢
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C—For little mothers of large doll families, an 18-inch washing machine with wringer. Red and white finish on heavy gauge metal.....\$3.65

D—The whistling Streamlined Mechanical Train appeals to young engineers. 8 curved and 8 straight tracks, red streamlined locomotive with spring motor and key, 3 freight cars and caboose.....\$2.95

E—Playette Theatre makes story hour even more fascinating. Potential playwrights, stage managers, and actors move from favorite stories come to view. Of sturdy cardboard with "Little Black Samba" and "Three Little Pigs" settings and characters.....\$1.50

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THE CHRISTMAS TOY STORE, FOURTH FLOOR.

Full-Time War Work For Women Urged in New OWI Booklet

Survey of Situation Says Volunteer Jobs Should Be 'Sideline'

American women should plan on full-time war work with volunteer jobs as "sidelines," the magazine section of the Office of War Information said today in a 45-page booklet released for public distribution, entitled "War Jobs for Women."

The booklet is the first publication since the war to give in concentrated form the types of war jobs available to women now and in the coming year.

Breaking down jobs into those with the Government, those in war industries, business and the professions and volunteer posts, the booklet points out that shortages of labor power are still localized.

Nearby Cities Listed.
Washington is given as one of the labor shortage areas along with Elkton, Perryville and Cumberland, Md., and Hampton, Roads, Va. Twenty-one other cities in States ranging from California to New York and Massachusetts to Mississippi are listed as industrial areas with "substantial opportunities."

Predicting that 6,000,000 women will be added to the labor force by the end of 1943, bringing to 20,000,000 the total number of women employed, the booklet points out that the bulk of these new workers will come from the Nation's 23,000,000 non-farm housewives.

Some of these new workers will have to be mothers of young children since there are only 4,400,000 housewives who do not have children under 16. Nursery schools and after-school programs are a necessity, the booklet points out, as are adequate pregnancy leave provisions for women in war industry.

The largest woman-employer among the war industries is ammunition, including artillery and small arms. Women can perform from 70 to 90 per cent of the jobs in these plants. The estimate is that two-thirds of workers in ammunition may be women soon.

200,000 Now at Work.
At this time 200,000 women are employed. Tremendous increases in the percentage of woman workers were made in 1942, and are predicted for 1943, in aircraft, the electrical industry, machinery, tool and die, and in the pharmaceutical industry.

More spectacular is the work that former housewives, stenographers and sales girls are doing at Aberdeen (Md.) Proving Grounds, where they test out anti-aircraft and machine guns, drive tanks and run 15-ton cranes.

The need for women in farm labor is stressed, as is the shortage existing in the communications industry.

Nursery Specialists Sought.
Among professionals, the nursery school specialist and child psychologist "will soon find her special training in great demand," the booklet states. Well-known shortages are also existing in medicine, nursing, and teaching in elementary and secondary schools.

Despite the need of training courses for woman industrial workers, only 140,000 out of 3,100,000 trainees in the Federal Vocational Training for War Program have been women. It was expected, however, 100,000 women would be training this month.

Women in the armed forces, Army and Navy nurses, the WAACS, WAVES and WAAFS are mentioned as examples of the most direct type of war work.

Equal Pay Hailed.
Pay for various jobs in Government, industry and the professions is listed in some cases. The War Labor Board's stated principle that women should get equal pay for equal work is cited as "a great advance over the situation in the past war."

In the section on volunteer work, nurses' aides are mentioned as the service needing women most. Other volunteer jobs in civilian defense and civilian mobilization are listed. The booklet, however, ends on this full-time note:

"It's a woman's war now. No discussion of the work of the woman

volunteer would be complete without emphasizing the fact that we are in this war all the way . . . and women should be thinking in terms of going into full-time work and carrying along many of their volunteer activities as sidelines. It has been done in England. It can be done here by careful planning and hard work."

Mrs. Garrett to Direct Red Cross Yule Parcels

The American Red Cross today announced the appointment of Mrs. George A. Garrett of 1711 Twenty-second street N.W. as national representative of Red Cross groups preparing gift packages for prisoners of war.

First of such centers packaging gifts for prisoners will open next month in Philadelphia. The parcels will contain 11 pounds of food, tobacco and soap and will be distributed to American and other United Nations prisoners of war and civilians held by the enemy.

The work will be done by Red Cross volunteers.

Fair at Berwyn School

The annual country fair of the Berwyn (Md.) School will be held at 8 o'clock tonight at the school. The program will include dancing, a turkey raffle, a pantry shelf, Christmas table and a grab bag and peep shows. A door prize also will be awarded.

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The one in the Harden House lobby is, and it looks like some embarrassing situations for that swank New York hotel. But leave it to

JOSEPH HARRINGTON

America's new fiction favorite, to find a happy ending for any story—even this one, the latest of his Harden House stories . . . Don't miss "The Christmas Tree", Sunday in THIS WEEK Magazine, with

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True luxury to make your man feel his home "is his castle" . . . for these robes are a blend of camelhair and wool with the best qualities of each. Note that long length to keep his legs warm . . . that excellent tailoring that means so much extra added comfort in wear. Rayon cord binding and sash. Sizes small, medium, large, \$40 extra large

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The Leisure Coat for His Leisure Moments

An all-wool—and nicely lightweight—lounge coat for that air of luxury at ease. So tailored that he is completely comfortable yet smartly dressed. Roomy and full-cut. Soft \$10.95 plaid effects

Perfectly Matched to a Young Man's Taste

Not a "zoot" combination, but a pleasing blend of sports coat and slacks, a combination of tailored-in as well as styled-in comfort and informality.

The Sports Coat—an all-wool three-button tweed with an easy fitting lounge drape. \$18
The Slacks—to contrast, gabardine or covert, again all-wool. \$10

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via this clever Hat Certificate Method. You indicate the price you want to pay on it—then present it Christmas morning in a miniature hat box—with a hat brush enclosed. In 8 denominations \$5 to \$25 from

Store Hours 9:30 to 6:15, Thursdays 12:30 to 9 . . . the store will be open next Monday from 12:30 to 9 instead of Thursday, December 24th, Christmas Eve—when regular Store Hours will be observed.



Give Him the Victory Gift This Christmas—a War Bond

VICTORY BOOTH, FIRST FLOOR; U. S. POST OFFICE, FIRST FLOOR; ALL SERVICE DESKS (Except the First Floor).



Cool Pipe, Fine Tobacco—Smoking Pleasure for Every Man on Your Christmas List

Come in and select that fine briar from a wide and unusually complete selection of types, styles and prices. Choose, too, many different fine tobaccos and tobacco kits. For example:

A. Middleton's Blending Chest of fine tobaccos—seven in all—a treasure for pipe smokers who like to blend their preferred mixture. With a measuring cup and an oil-silk pouch, and instructions -----\$6.50

B. Middleton's Popular Variety Kit of five tobacco mixtures—a blend for every taste. Ready to mail----\$1

C. Victoria Pipe, made in England, short and sturdy, \$2.50

D. Victoria Pipe, made in England, flat-bottom style, \$2.50

E. Savoy Pipe, made in England, short, small bowl, \$3.50

F. Savoy Pipe, made in England, small and slender, \$3.50

G. Kensington Pipe, made in England, short -----\$4

H. Kensington Pipe, made in England, fat bowl-----\$4

I. Dovercourt Pipe, made in England, in a tapered modern shape with flat end-----\$5

J. Dovercourt Pipe, made in England, in a rich swirled-grain, light tone-----\$5

K. Woodlothian Straight-grain Briar, made in England, in a curved-stem shape, \$8.50

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Made from the same famous GRO-PUP formula that has made ribbon form GRO-PUP a favorite in thousands of homes. It provides grown dogs and puppies with every known mineral and vitamin needed for growth and vigor. Experts endorse it; dogs love it! Economical, also! 2 boxes, fed as directed, will feed the average-size dog one full week! Now available at your grocer's in both meal and ribbon form.

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Fairfax County Schools Close Today for Yule

Special Dispatch to The Star.
FAIRFAX, Va., Dec. 18.—Fairfax County schools close today for the Christmas holidays, reopening on January 4.
Closing date originally was December 22, but the longer holiday was authorized by the School Board this week to allow teachers to return home before the holiday transportation rush started and to conserve fuel in the schools.
School officials said the extra period will result in curtailment of the regular Easter holidays.
In an effort to relieve the shortage of school bus drivers, the board began the employment of high school students this week on several of the bus routes.
Replying to a delegation representing Mount Vernon High School, which requested additional teachers at that school, the board said an acute shortage of teachers is developing, three teachers now being needed on the staff at Mount Vernon.
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Paper's 127-Year Record Ended by Printers' Strike

By the Associated Press.
CANTON, Ohio, Dec. 18.—For the first time in its 127-year history, The Repository — Canton's only daily newspaper—will not go to press today.
This was announced by the owner, Brush-Moore Newspapers, Inc., after composing room employees affiliated with the Canton Typographical Union voted last night to strike in an effort to enforce demands for pay increases.
In a statement broadcast locally, the management said the strike action "apparently comes as a consequence of a breakdown in collective bargaining processes between a closed shop typographical union and this newspaper under demands for wage increases."
The dispute was referred to the War Labor Board at Washington, John D. Raridan, Brush-Moore's executive editor, reported.
Thomas A. Holland of Indianapolis, vice president of the International Typographical Union, said the newspaper's 73 compositors had sought raises "commensurate with the increased cost of living" in negotiations for a new contract to replace an agreement which expired October 1.

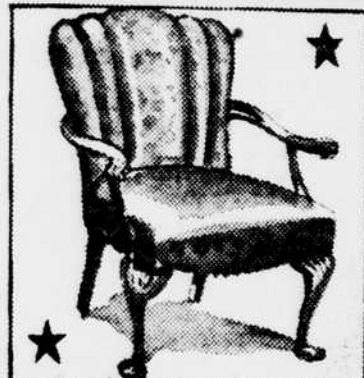
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Roosevelt Lauds Selassie For War Against Axis

By the Associated Press.
President Roosevelt last night congratulated Haile Selassie, Emperor of Ethiopia, on his recent declaration of war against Germany, Italy and Japan.
Welcoming the ancient African kingdom into the United Nations' fold and assuring the Emperor of lease-lend aid, the President in his message noted the particular significance of Ethiopia's declaration of war.
"By virtue of this historic declaration," he said, "the first nation to be freed from the yoke of Axis oppression has joined its forces with those of the United Nations in this great struggle to preserve the freedom of mankind."
Ethiopia, invaded by Mussolini in 1936 and incorporated into the Italian Empire, was liberated by British armies last year.

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Occasional Chair \$13.95

Large high channel back chair in rayon fabric. Richly carved mahogany frame.



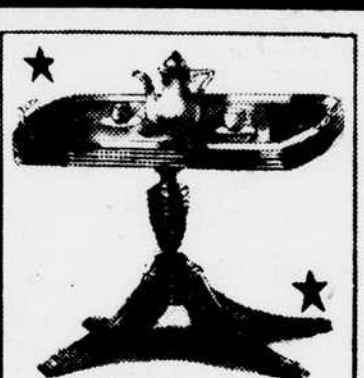
Colonial Rocker \$26.88

Genuine mahogany frame with spring seat and high back in appropriate cotton tapestries.



4-Piece Salad Set \$2.98

Large platter, bowl, fork and spoon. Ornamental glassware with ruby trim. Gold or chrome finished handle.



Coffee Table \$9.95

Duncan Phyfe design in genuine mahogany veneers. Removable glass tray top.



Boudoir Chair \$5.99

Soft, spring seat and shaped back. Nicely tailored in colorful glassed chintz with valance bottom.



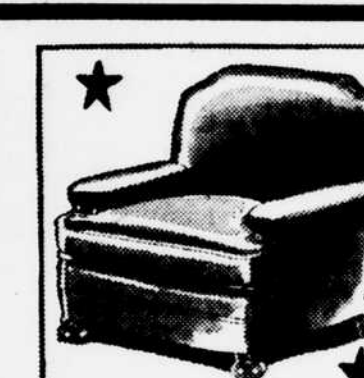
Reclining Chair and Ottoman \$29.95

Tailored in cotton tapestry and fitted with walnut finished hardwood grip arms.



Chest of Drawers \$9.95

Conventionally designed of hardwood in walnut finish. Three convenient drawers.



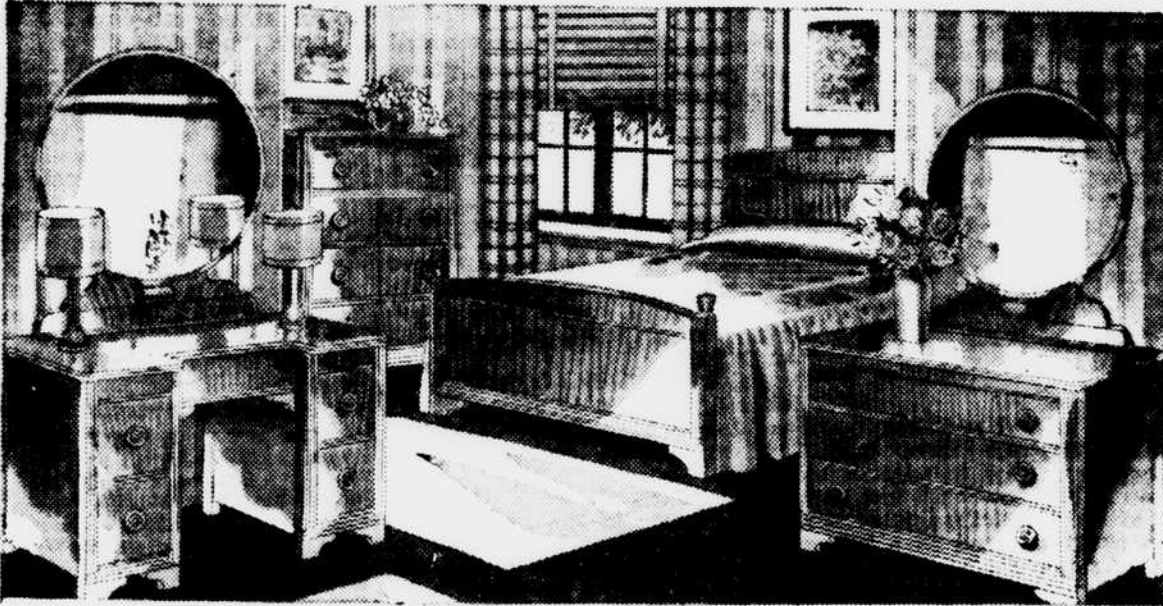
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English lounge design with reversible spring cushion seat. Durable ootom frieze cover.

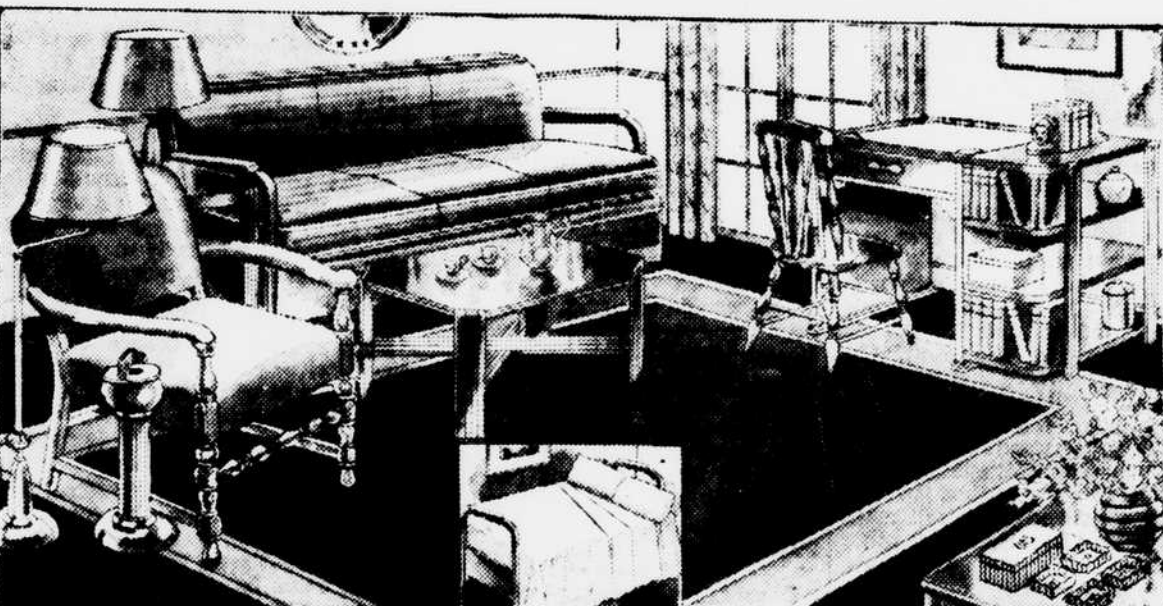
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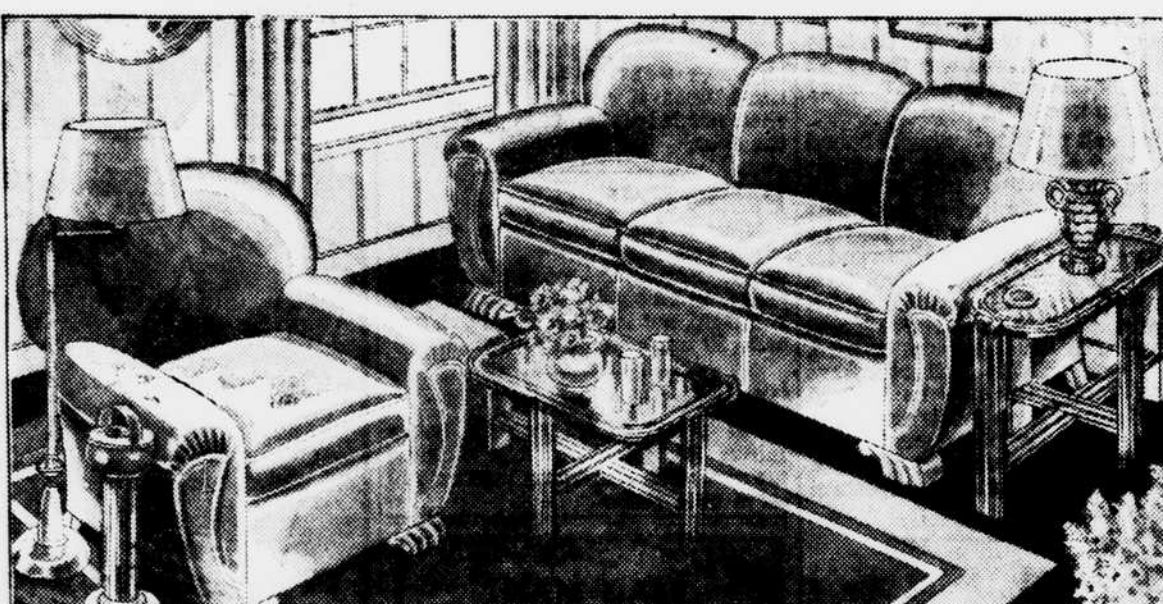
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3-Piece Limed Oak Bedroom Suite \$79
A new modern version, streamlined in genuine oak veneers, bleached to a lovely blonde shade. Especially designed to meet present day requirements. You will find this a suite of unusual appeal. Dresser or vanity, chest of drawers and full size bed.
Only \$16.00 Down—Balance Easy Terms



13-Pc. Simmons Sofa Bed Complete Ensemble \$79
Nicely tailored in cotton tapestry—fitted with back, arms and innerspring mattresses. Complete with knee-hole desk and chair, coffee table, end table, 5-piece cigarette set, occasional chair, floor and table lamp.
Up to One Year to Pay—At The Hub



7-Pc. Kroehler Living Room Ensemble \$88
A new semi-modern creation in colorful cotton tapestries designed with broad arms and reversible cushions. Sofa and matching chair, complete with glass top coffee and end table, bridge lamp, pottery table lamp and smoker.
Up to 12 Months to Pay—At The Hub



10-Pc. Limed Oak Modern Dinette Suite \$84
A smart setting for the small dining room or dinette. Genuine oak veneers in a light blonde shade on hardwood. Buffet, china cabinet, extension table, four chairs and three-piece crystal console set.
A Whole Year to Pay—At The Hub

Toy Specials!



SLED \$2.95
Oak body in natural finish with color trim. Flexible steel runners.



BABY DOLL \$3.49
Cutey dressed in your choice of colors. Natural face and closing eyes.



DOLL COACH \$6.95
Wooden body in blue or gray with color trim. Folding leather fabric hood.



ROCKER \$3.55
A good-sized rocker of sturdy maple nicely finished. Will give years of pleasure.



Cotton & Rayon Pinch Pleated DRAPERIES \$3.98 pr.
Size 36x2 1/2 yards each side. Fully lined and complete with tie backs. Choice of colors.



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Simulated leather two-tone hassock in choice of colors.

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9x12 or 8.3x10.6
Axminster Rugs \$28.88
Beautiful Oriental or Colonial designs in new fall colors. All-wool face and guaranteed perfect.

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Broadloom Rugs \$33.88
Your choice of solid shades or tone on tone patterns in many various colors. All-wool face.

Heavy Felt Base Rugs \$4.98
9x12 or 9x10 1/2 feet. All guaranteed perfect.

GIFT VALUE
From Our Clothing Dept.

Clarion Radio-Phonograph \$119.95
New model C582 in handsome modern walnut cabinet. Powerful receiver with concealed fully automatic phonograph.

Fancy and White MEN'S SHIRTS \$1.39
3 for \$4.00
Full cut, high quality men's shirts in all white and fancy patterns. Choice of colors. Sizes 14 to 17.

Lane Cedar Chest \$39.50
An exceptionally large chest in beautifully blended genuine walnut veneers on solid red cedar. Waterfall design with lift up tray.

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'Springtime in Rockies'

Betty Grable Divides
With Carmen Miranda
In Song-Dance Frolic

Blond Betty Grable in technicolor hues and Carmen Miranda in rainbow colors singing South American lyrics in her unique style, are the stars of "Springtime in the Rockies," a musical with a light fiction framework to introduce singing and dancing specialties.



Andrew R. Kelley.

There's not a thought of the war or a mention of it in this spectacular feature of Loew's Palace, which enlists some of Twentieth Century Fox's top-draw entertainers. Miss Grable and John Payne, co-stars in a Broadway musical, are romantically inclined—

but he has a weakness for pretty girls which generates romantic conflict. When the two meet in a showy close, Miss Grable joins her former dancing partner, Caesar Romero, for a Western tour, eventually landing at Lake Louise in the Canadian Rockies. From there springs the title. Payne flies there, picking up a valet, Edward Everett Horton on the way, also a secretary in the Latin pepper pot, Carmen Miranda. Thence a struggle to determine whose engagement ring Betty will wear.

Vocal interruptions include "Run Little Raindrop Run" by Miss Grable and Payne, Carmen Miranda singing "Chataooga Choo-Choo," later more South of the border numbers with her string sextette. Most elaborate production number comes in the finale, "Pan-American Jubilee." On the comedy end the picture is well served by Charlotte Greenwood, who finds time for her eccentric dancing, and Edward Everett Horton, one of Hollywood's most skilled farceurs, given rich opportunity here.

Betty Grable is photogenic and decorative, handles well her song-and-dance moments, Caesar Romero and John Wayne fight for mirily's hand without coming to blows. The Harry James band is woven logically into the Lake Louise background with its typical rhythms, best number being "I Had the Craziest Dream," with the band soloist doing the vocal.

Toward the end the fiction sags as though the authors had told their story and ran out of ideas, but on the whole "Springtime in the Rockies" is first-class musical entertainment. Director Irving Cummings getting the ultimate out of its laugh lines.

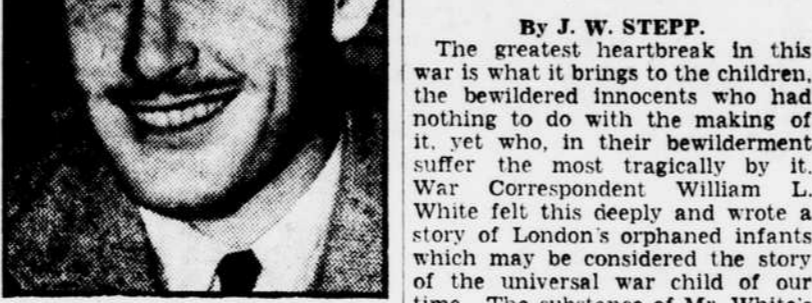
The supplementary program at the Palace is worth waiting for. It includes a March of Time, "Mr. and Mrs. America" showing how an average town is affected by war's demands. Nesbitt's "Magic Alphabet" tells the story in capsule form of how America became vitamin conscious. The William Saroyan

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'Journey for Margaret' Is Poignant Story of War

Orphans of World Carnage Center
Of Film Superbly Done by Entire
Cast; Ghezis on Capitol Stage



WINS REPEAT—Errol Flynn, whose picture, "Gentleman Jim," was voted the soldiers' favorite in the camp theaters for November. Feature after two weeks at the Earle moves today to the Metropolitan Theater for a third downtown week.

The greatest heartbreak in this war is what it brings to the children, the bewildered innocents who had nothing to do with the making of it, yet who in their bewilderment suffer the most tragically by it.

War Correspondent William L. White felt this deeply and wrote a story of London's orphaned infants which may be considered the story of the universal war child of our time. The substance of Mr. White's book now forms the basis for the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer film, one of its best, of the same name, "Journey for Margaret," which opened yesterday at the Capitol.

Whether Mr. White's material has been preserved with unflinching faith is almost irrelevant in the light of the job M-G-M has done. Producer B. P. Fineman, Maj. W.

S. Van Dyke II, who directs, and the entire cast have made the idea their own. They have made "Journey for Margaret" a living, terribly human account that should be engraved on the minds of every person fighting the war now, and whose responsibility it will be to make and keep the peace and civilization for the youth to come.

Robert Young in giving what must be the most convincing characterization of a child, is a war correspondent just arrived in the London of 1940, disillusioned, cynical after witnessing the shameful collapse of democracy on the continent. He has lost faith in humanity, feels there is no longer anything worth writing about in a world of callousness and deceit.

Then, a few months later in another hall of bombs, the correspondent finds his "story"—and his personal salvation. He helps pull a small boy from under the wreckage of a house, and, clutching a toy lamb, his only remaining connection with reality. The correspondent sees this boy, Peter, later in an orphan school, whose director (Fay Bainter) seeks only to help the child with tenderness and understanding, the bomb-psychoses of her small charges. He sees the desperation with which the little fellow clings to his toy, the terror with which he regards all grown-ups, because it was a grown-up who took him away from his mother. Margaret is introduced as "Capriccio Espagnol." The famous troupe spent several between-tour weeks on the Warner lot last summer to make Hollywood's first all-ballet movies. Stars of the company who appear include Leonide Massine, Alexandra Danilova, Tamara Toumanova, Igor Youkessky, Mlada Mladova and others.

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Orders Pouring Into National For 'Arsenic'

Boris Karloff Heads
Cast For Run
New Year Week

Thousands of mail orders are pouring into the National for the engagement of Boris Karloff and "Arsenic and Old Lace" New Year week. When this smash Broadway hit was here last season with another cast it attracted the sum of \$45,000 to the box office in two weeks. This time the engagement is limited to one week only by the original New York company that played for upwards of two seasons at the Fulton Theater and since last August has been rocking the Nation with laughter from California to Massachusetts.

It is announced that there will be no increase in prices New Year eve and that a bargain matinee will be given Wednesday. Seats will go on sale Thursday, December 24.

Featured players appearing with Boris Karloff in "Arsenic and Old Lace" are Josephine Hull, Jean Adair, John Alexander, Clinton Sundberg and Edgar Stehli.

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Marines Film Pays Tribute To Brave Corps

March of Time Offers
Full Length Feature
At Loew's Columbia

All of the great respect and admiration which America holds for the United States Marine Corps will be heightened by the documentary "March of Time," which opens today at Loew's Columbia Theater yesterday.

The officers and enlisted men are toughened warriors, as the Japs have discovered, and in tracing their training from the time that new recruits enter a "boot" camp until they are ready for action as shock troops, provides graphic historical background and scenes to stir your patriotic fervor.

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Dance Festival Slated for Little Screen

Eleven Featurettes
Of Classic, Folk
Dance Listed

The Little Theater will present Washington's first all-dance film festival starting next Wednesday, when 11 different featurettes assembled especially for the occasion provide a program of classic and folk dancing representing the best such celluloid efforts of Hollywood.

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AMUSEMENTS. FOR WASHINGTON'S BEST SHOWS

LOEW'S CAPITOL Pat 14th
NOW... DOORS OPEN 10:45
W. L. White's "JOURNEY FOR MARGARET"
Robt. YOUNG • Laraine DAY
Stage
Jackie MILES • HI, LO, JACK and a DAME
OTHERS

Added: "MARCH OF TIME" and SAROYAN'S Short, "THE GOOD JOB"

PALACE Pat 13th
NOW... DOORS OPEN 10:45
"SPRINGTIME IN THE ROCKIES"
BETTY GRABLE • JOHN PAYNE
HARRY JAMES MUSIC

COLUMBIA Pat 12th
NOW... DOORS OPEN 11 A. M.
A Full Length Fighting Feature!
"WE ARE THE MARINES"

AMUSEMENTS. TODAY'S NEIGHBORHOOD MOVIES

BUY WAR BONDS AND STAMPS AT ANY LOCAL THEATER

CAROLINA 1114 N. C. Ave. S. E.
At 5:30 P. M.
"BATTLE OF MIDWAY"
WALTER BRENNAN, Also "BATTLE OF MIDWAY" at 7:30 P. M.

CIRCLE 2105 Pa. Ave. N. W.
At 1:30 P. M. and 8:30 P. M.
"THE GREAT ESCAPE"
"THE PATENT LEATHER SHOE"
"THE PATENT LEATHER SHOE" at 1:30 P. M. and 8:30 P. M.

CONGRESS 2031 Nichols Ave. S. E.
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DUMBARTON 1513 Wisconsin Ave.
At 8:30 P. M.
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FAIRLAWN 11 919 S. P. St.
At 8:30 P. M.
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GREENBELT 2533 Pennsylvania Ave. S. E.
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HIGHLAND 2533 Pennsylvania Ave. S. E.
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RADIO PROGRAM Last-minute changes in radio programs sometimes reach The Star too late for correction that day.

Table with columns for radio stations (WMAL, WRC, WOL, WINX, WWDC, WWSV) and their respective programs and times.

THE EVENING STAR FEATURES. Star Flashes: Latest news, twice daily; WMAL at 8:30 a.m. and 5 p.m. America at Work: Students of upper-grade schools dramatize production on the home front.

TOMORROW'S PROGRAM

Table with columns for radio stations and their programs for the following day.

UNCLE RAY'S CORNER —By Ramon Coffman

When one Boston building was burned down a short while ago, hundreds of persons met their death. What a different story that was from the Great Fire of London which destroyed thousands of buildings but took the lives of only six persons.

Points for Parents —By EDYTH THOMAS WALLACE

If we wish children to keep the truth, we will not "corner" them and tempt them to lie. This is a common mistake parents make.

TARZAN (Follow Tarzan's thrilling adventures in The Sunday Star.) —By Edgar Rice Burroughs



OAKY DOAKS (Oak's adventures are a regular feature of The Sunday Star's colored comics.) —By R. B. Fuller



SCORCHY SMITH (There's plenty of adventure in the colored comics.) —By Frank Robbins



BO (Bo is just as interesting—just as human—in the colored comic section of The Sunday Star.) —By Frank Beck



DAN DUNN (Dan Dunn continues his fight against crime in the colored comic section of The Sunday Star.) —By Norman Marsh



RACE RILEY and the COMMANDOS (There's real adventure in the Sunday comics.) —By Milburn Rosser



STONY CRAIG (You'll like The Sunday Star's colored comics.) —By Frank H. Rentfrow, U.S.M.C.



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REG'LAR FELLERS (Read The Star's 16-page colored comic book every Sunday.) —By Gene Byrnes



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WPA PROJECT NO. ADDITION TO DIS-49-140-COMMISSIONERS OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA. Notice is hereby given that the following sealed bids for construction of certain additional facilities for the Medical Group at the GALLINGER MUNICIPAL HOSPITAL...

LEGAL NOTICES.

PAUL B. ELKAN, Attorney. Columbia Building, 116 5th St. N.W. IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA...

DAVID L. RIORAN, Woodward Bldg. IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA...

DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA. In the Matter of Limited Partnership No. 12345...

What do you do? (Answer tomorrow.) (Released by the Bell Syndicate, Inc.)

Take My Word for It. By FRANK COLBY. French Names in the News. Clip this column for reference...

TUNE IN TONIGHT. JOAN BENNETT. TOMMY RIGGS & BETTY LOU. SWAN PURE, WHITE FLOATING SOAP. WRC at 7:30 P.M. Buy Defense STAMPS and STAMP out the Axis!

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Bridge Swindles—No. 129

It's a mystery to us how South wound up playing the hand at two spades, when East should have been making three hearts for game and rubber. Some of East's defensive plays are equally mysterious...

The bidding: East: South West North 1♣ Pass 1NT Dbl. 2♣ 2♦ 2♥ 2♠ 2NT 3♣ 3♦ 3♥ 3♠ 3NT 4♣ 4♦ 4♥ 4♠ 4NT 5♣ 5♦ 5♥ 5♠ 5NT 6♣ 6♦ 6♥ 6♠ 6NT 7♣ 7♦ 7♥ 7♠ 7NT

Yesterday you were Oswald Jacoby's partner and, with neither side vulnerable, you held:

Shenken You Lightner Jacoby Pass 10 10 Pass Pass Dbl. Pass Pass Dbl. Pass 24 Pass (?)

Question No. 1259. Today you hold the same hand, but the bidding is different: Shenken You Lightner Jacoby Pass 10 10 Pass Pass Dbl. Pass 14 Pass (?)

Remove one letter from each word and rearrange to spell the word called for in the last column. Print the letter in center column opposite the word from which you have removed it...

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CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

- HORIZONTAL: 1 Address of respect, 2 Pres, 3 Combining form: far, 4 Japanese rice paste substance, 5 Dilseed, 6 Mohammedan prince, 7 An opening, 8 Apparatus for descending from airship, 9 Sinks in middle, 10 Mohammedan priest, 11 A light meal absorbed, 12 Girl's name, 13 To run off the tracks, 14 Part of stable, 15 Capital of Persia, 16 Ostrich-like bird, 17 Clever, 18 Toward the sheltered side, 19 Therefore, 20 Yellow ochre, 21 Male sheep (pl.), 22 Flying mammal, 23 Close friend, 24 Capital of Morocco, 25 Indian mulberry, 26 Uppermost part, 27 Shallow cooking in tin, 28 To look fixedly, 29 To persecute, 30 Weight of India, 31 One's abode, 32 Food fish, 33 Earth goddess, 34 To reach across, 35 Bitter vetch, 36 Part of a poem, 37 To depart hurriedly, 38 Hebrew letter, 39 A bird, 40 To mix, 41 Consumes, 42 For, 43 Tattered cloth, 44 Nurse goddess of healing, 45 Period of time.

Vertical: 10 Landed, 11 Before, 12 Symbol for cerium, 13 Universal language, 14 Hebrew word for anything, 15 Seed container, 16 Part of 'to body', 17 South American vulture, 18 Placid, 19 American author, 20 Went hurriedly, 21 Movable form for supporting anything, 22 Hebrew month, 23 Female horse, 24 Heavenly body, 25 To strike heavily, 26 Singing voice, 27 Part of a poem, 28 To depart hurriedly, 29 Hebrew letter, 30 A bird, 31 To mix, 32 Consumes, 33 For, 34 Tattered cloth, 35 Nurse goddess of healing, 36 Period of time.

Crossword puzzle grid with numbers 1-46.

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LETTER-OUT puzzle grid with words: CAMEL, BLUEST, FRESCO, FRESHET, FRIENDS.

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MOON MULLINS

Comic strip panel 2: YOU KNOW GOD AND WELL, MOONSHINE, I NEVER GAVE MISS SLITHER THAT WATCH TO BOUGHT FOR LADY P'S CHRISTMAS PRESENT— I WAS JUST SHOWING IT TO HER AND—

HUGH STRIVER

Comic strip panel 3: THE JUICE POURING THROUGH THIS METER PROVES THAT SOMEONE IS IN THAT HOUSE MR. MEN.

THE SPIRIT

Comic strip panel 4: UNDERSTAND, EBONY, MY REFUSAL TO LOAN YOU A HUNDRED DOLLARS TO BUY SCARLETT A DIAMOND FOR BIRTHDAY IS NOTHING PERSONAL!

FLYIN' JENNY

Comic strip panel 5: JUST BEFORE DAWN—ON A U.S. CRUISER— THE LIEUTENANTS COMPLIMENT SIR-FILMS FROM JENNY DARE—NOW ON THE TANKER JUPITER.

DINKY DINKERTON

Comic strip panel 6: SO YOU'RE GOING TO THE THEATRE—WHY? OH, I WASN'T GETTING ANYWHERE—OH, I'M SO TIRED OF IT ALL!

DRAFTIE

Comic strip panel 7: JUST MY LUCK! CHARLOTTE'S GOT A STEADY—DARN IT!

LITTLE STORIES FOR BEDTIME

Chatterer the Red Squirrel is a scamp himself, and not to be trusted. Nobody in the Green Forest or on the Green Meadow trusts him. And people who cannot be trusted themselves never trust any one else.

Sonnysayings

I heard baby tellin' the kids how you kin question a sleepin' person and they is bound to tell ever'thing they know. I am pertendin' to be asleep and I'll mischief 'em by tellin' 'em somethin' redic'less!

Lost U. S. Unit Fought French From Pigsty in North African Battle

Sailor, Reported Missing, Returns to Describe Two-Day Stand

Reported missing after the American landing operations in North Africa, James J. Berardi, an 18-year-old member of the Coast Guard, has arrived in the United States.

His experiences included fighting the French from a concrete pigpen and later being taken prisoner of war. Young Berardi enlisted in the service at Boston, Mass. His wife now resides at Supply, N. C.

According to the story told by the young sailor he was in a lighter carrying troops ashore when they made a wrong turn. Landing in the heavy surf 15 miles north of the town of Fedala, the lighter became grounded. When the men were unable to get it off the beach they joined the Army because the other landing craft had returned to the transports.

Strafed by Planes.

Shortly after landing, he reported, the party was strafed by 13 French planes which killed one soldier and wounded two others. He said the group then attempted to fire the guns of the Army's half-tracks, but they were jammed. He then volunteered with others to carry wounded to a hospital.

They encountered some French infantry and armored cars and during a fight which lasted several hours the Americans took up a position in a cement pigpen, with walls a foot thick and seven feet high.

"We crowded right in with the pigs," said Mr. Berardi, "and didn't mind the company at all."

Held Out Two Days.

They held their pigpen against assault for two days until their ammunition began to run low. Finally, with but six rounds of ammunition left for their lone tommy gun, they began to think of surrender. They reasoned, they said, the French would soon start using mortars and grenades. They did.

One well-placed grenade would have wiped out the whole force in the pigpen and he and two others of the party volunteered to walk out to the French and surrender.

"That's the only time I was real frightened," Mr. Berardi said. "Shorty," a sharpshooter, covered us with a tommy gun as we walked out with our hands in the air. We knew that if the French fired on us 'Shorty' would get some of them. He had picked off three officers just before we walked out."

Questioned by French. Shortly after the surrender, he said, the mortars which the French had sent for finally arrived, con-

vincing the Americans they were lucky in surrendering. They were first taken to Rabat, where they were questioned by French officers. He reported that they were very nice, but all the questions were answered with "maybe" and "could be" and one of the French questioners said, "I knew you Americans wouldn't talk, but we had to ask the question."

After spending some time at the French fort in a cold, damp room they were shuttled back and forth between French headquarters and various small towns in French Morocco. He said one trip was made in charcoal-burning buses, which were stopped at frequent intervals while Frenchmen gathered wood for fuel. When the French guards went after the wood, he reported, they asked the American prisoners to hold their rifles.

Fed Raw Horse Meat.

At one place the Americans were confined in a dark room, so dark the sailor reported, that we couldn't tell what we were eating. One time they thought they were eating beef until some one lit a match and found it was raw horse meat. However, he said, he couldn't blame the French, because that was all they had to eat. They didn't make the prisoners work, but any time they volunteered to help they receive extra wine.

The Coast Guardsman said he became friendly with one of the French officers, whom he later found out was born in New Jersey. The Frenchman told the American sailor that the French did not want to fight the Americans, and that if they were given weapons and food they would fight on the Allied side.

Six days after they had landed, the group was released and taken by an American truck convoy to Casablanca. As their ship had already left for the United States they were sent home on another vessel.

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860-Page Plastics Catalog Lists Composition Bottle Cap

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—Wizards in the world of substitutes predict that 1943 will be the beginning of the "plastics age."

And if you think you've looked through a lot of that transparent stuff, manufacturers say "You ain't seen nothing yet."

Biggest single news item in the 860-page plastic catalog for next year, a huge book not yet off the press, is a beer and beverage bottle cap. It will replace 140,000 tons of steel—enough to construct 45 Liberty ships.

The most hopeful experiment now in progress is an all-plastic automobile tire.

Thousands of plastic parts go into modern-day battle tanks, and from the emergency needs induced by war, the inventors of new products have allowed their imaginative

minds to stray to the creation of such varied devices as plastic bugles (for the Army) and plastic horse gas masks (for the cavalry).

Explaining the growth of plastics and the overnight application of them to military, industrial and civilian use, Charles A. Breskin, publisher of Modern Plastics Magazine and author of the new catalogue, said today in an interview:

"The war has shifted the plastics industry around in such an amazing manner as to set the stage right now for the plastics age. A year ago plastics played an emergency role in substituting for and replacing the strategic metals and rubbers. The war job performed was so

excellent, the conversions so numerous, that many plastics also became critical materials, available only for war usage."

The "all seeing" plastic-topped motor car of the future already is styled and ready, Mr. Breskin said. Plastic textiles used in drapes and curtains will resist dirt and grease, and plastic jar-top sealers soon will make housewives forget how the Japs bottled up the rubber industry.

Tuberculosis Found In Nearby Schools

Approximately five per cent of the children in the elementary colored schools in Montgomery County reacted positively to tuberculin tests just completed, Dr. Leon Salzman, assistant health officer said today.

These figures are based on a study made in the last few weeks by Dr. Carroll Palmer of the National Institute of Health, Dr. Salzman stated.

An investigation is being conducted to determine the source of the infection. Dr. Salzman said this project has been made possible through additional health nurses, who in turn have been made available through Christmas seal sales and county appropriations.

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