

Temperatures today—Highest, 82, at 3:30 p.m.; lowest, 62, at 6:40 a.m. Yesterday—Highest, 70, at 5:30 p.m.; lowest, 61, at 3:10 a.m. Full report on page A-4.

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REDS TAKE SOUTHERN ANCHOR OF NAZI LINE

Tentative Order Lifts Riding Ban Wednesday

OPA Directive Sent To Field Offices Is Still Unofficial

By the Associated Press. A tentative order to lift the ban on Eastern pleasure driving Wednesday has been sent to field offices of the Office of Price Administration.

The order has no official status yet, although OPA has given every indication that it was working to free Eastern motorists of the no-pleasure driving restriction either by September 1 or next week end.

Chester Bowles, general manager of OPA, said three weeks ago the agency hoped to liberalize Eastern gasoline restrictions early in September.

The tentative order lifting it Wednesday was sent to field offices so they could be ready for instant action removing the restriction. It will not take effect, however, until definite word comes from OPA headquarters here.

Hopes for a bigger allotment for Eastern motorists September 1 were dampened yesterday by Richard C. Harrison, chief of the gasoline rationing section of the Office of Price Administration, who declared that "B" and "C" coupon holders would fare no better in the matter of an increase September 1 than motorists on "A" ration.

Stocks in East Low. Mr. Harrison explained in a broadcast interview on the Blue Network that gas stocks in the East are low and have been declining in the past four weeks.

The motor fuel rationing director added that while a bigger allotment is still planned, "it may take weeks— it may even be months."

He said the two-week-old cut from four to three gallons per ration coupon in the Middle West and the Southwest was saving 50,000 barrels of fuel a day and "as the decrease of gas consumption in those States creates a surplus of gasoline stocks, which can at last be moved east for civilian use, we hope most certainly to increase the A ration in the East."

27 Get Suspended Terms For Outlaw Mine Strike

PITTSBURGH, Aug. 30.—Suspended sentences of six months each and a probation period of three years were imposed today by Federal Judge F. P. Schoonmaker on 27 miners who pleaded no contest to charges of violating the Smith-Connally Antislavery Law.

"I am lenient with you because you may have been misled in your actions," the court commented as the defendants, first to be prosecuted under the War Labor Act, stood before him.

Three of the 30 originally indicted in connection with what United Mine Workers' officials claimed was a "wildcat" strike in Western Pennsylvania's soft coal fields between June 23 and July 13 were unable to appear due to injuries suffered recently.

'43 Food Output to Hit New Peak, Wickard Says

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 30.—Secretary of Agriculture Wickard said today that 1943 production of both crops and livestock will be one-third higher than the 1934-39 average and 48 per cent greater than the output of the World War, although it will come from the same agricultural plant operated by 14 per cent less manpower.

Over-all farm production will set a new record for the fifth consecutive year, Mr. Wickard said, and if normal weather prevails, civilian food supply will be comparable to the 1935-39 average.

Mr. Wickard spoke at the opening session of the four-day postwar planning conference of the Rural Electrification Administration.

Writer Says De Gaulle Proposed Aid for Anti-Roosevelt Faction

Intercepted Mail Pouch Reveals Letter From French General to U. S. Politician

By HELEN LOMBARD. President Roosevelt did not choose to soften the blow to fighting French sympathizers in the United States when he announced that the American Government was extending a limited recognition only to the French Committee of National Liberation.

The somewhat acid tone adopted by the President in making this announcement is traced back, in informed circles in Washington, to the unfortunate "diplomatic bag incident" which occurred last week.

A De Gaulleist diplomatic courier arrived in New York and the official envelope which he was carrying was retained by the American authorities because the courier did not have his credentials in order. That the bag would contain confidential directives to fighting French leaders in this country was a foregone conclusion and this type of diplomatic correspondence would have attracted no particular attention.

Proposed Anti-Roosevelt Move. Among the other communications, however, was a letter which Gen. Charles de Gaulle had written to one of the outstanding political opponents of President Roosevelt. In this particular letter the Fighting French leader is said to have offered to contribute, through some of the liberals in the United States who are ardently supporting de Gaulleism, to the defeat of President Roosevelt in 1944.

The communication went into some detail and suggested that the tried and true friends of the Fighting French should be organized into a party to elect de Gaulle in 1944.

President Roosevelt returned to Washington this morning and immediately began a series of conferences at which it was intended to review the work of his Quebec meeting last week with Prime Minister Churchill and military and political leaders of the American, British and Chinese governments.

Later in the week he will be joined here by Prime Minister Churchill, who is holidaying in Canada.

The first visitor on the President's visiting list today was Chinese Foreign Minister Dr. T. V. Soong, who had a noon engagement. Secretary of State Hull lunched with the President and at 2 o'clock he was joined by Gen. George C. Marshall, chief of staff, and Gen. H. H. Arnold, Army Air Forces chief.

Post-Quebec Talks. Stephen T. Early, the President's press secretary, said that all these talks could be called post-Quebec talks and said they would give the President his first opportunity to talk with these other participants in the Canadian meeting on "their own home grounds."

Particular interest was attached to the visit of Dr. Soong, inasmuch as the Quebec plans called for a stepping-up of the warfare in the Pacific theater under Lord Louis Mountbatten, who will head up a newly-created Allied Asiatic command.

Upon leaving the White House, Dr. Soong said that he was "just rounding up my talks" with the President after the discussions they had in Quebec.

Asked if he could comment on the general nature of the conversation today, the Chinese Foreign Minister laughed and told newsmen, "You can guess."

Likes Mountbatten. He said he heard nothing from his own government since the Quebec conference and that there were certain things on which he wanted to talk.

Called Charge "Silly." "I still don't feel that I should languish in jail while waiting for counsel," Morton insisted.

"But I can't admit you to bail, you are charged with murder," the commissioner said to get hold of him, "Well, that's silly," the suspect replied. Before being led back to his cell, he surrendered \$188 in cash which was discovered in his pockets.

The police said Morton was picked out of a line-up by Miss Minnette Sherman, 3238 Davenport street, as the man she saw board a cross-town bus in blood-stained clothing on Macomb street in Rock Creek Park Saturday night.

Miss Sherman told police the man got off the bus at Calvert street and Connecticut avenue. She went to the police station to give her evidence after reading of the slaying, police said.

Julius Nachman, manager of the row. The commissioner refused his request.

Denmark's Fleet Scuttled, Nazis Shoot Refugees

Many Boats Fleeing To Sweden Sunk; King Interned

By the Associated Press. STOCKHOLM, Aug. 30.—Big fires blazed fiercely today among the scuttled hulks of Denmark's naval vessels in Copenhagen Harbor as offshore Nazi patrol boats and planes shot at Danes fleeing a new German military dictatorship clamped on the rebellious kingdom.

Refugees streaming into Sweden said scores of persons were drowned as the Nazi gunners sank many small motorboats, sailboats and fishing smacks in the Oeresund, the narrow stretch of water between Denmark and Sweden.

The Germans ignored the usual Copenhagen blackout last night. Street lights blazed brightly as patrols in tanks and armored cars toured the city enforcing the martial law decreed by the German military commander who had interned King Christian X, who is 73, in his castle outside Copenhagen and set up Nazi rule to replace that of the resigned Danish government.

Fires Visible From Sweden. The fires in the harbor area could be seen from the Swedish coast. A series of deafening explosions set them off at dawn yesterday as Danish naval forces sent the greater part of their small navy to the bottom.

Forty-five vessels of various types, including two new destroyers and nine submarines, were sunk, ammunition dumps blown up and harbor fortifications wrecked.

Nine naval ships, two of them small destroyers, reached safety in Swedish ports yesterday. Another torpedo boat arrived at Landskrona last night and three more vessels carrying a total of about 75 persons reached Sweden this morning.

One of the latest reports reaching Sweden said members of the cabinet, including Prime Minister Eric Sverdrup, were in internment with King Christian at the castle.

Threatened to Abdicate. The cabinet conferred with the King until the early hours yesterday before Gen. Hermann von Hanneken, German commander in Denmark, issued his proclamation at 4:10 a.m. announcing Nazi martial law.

The King threatened to abdicate if the cabinet accepted a drastic ultimatum submitted by German Minister Werner Best Saturday. The cabinet's flat rejection of the demands signaled the end of Danish collaboration and the smashing of the German effort to establish Denmark as a showcase model for other occupied countries.

The Danish people received little information of the swift movement of events in their country, as no newspapers had been published for two days.

The Danish radio later announced that Gen. von Hanneken had taken over the country.

Pickets Opposing Pegler Include Editor's Home

By the Associated Press. NEW YORK, Aug. 30.—The National Maritime Union (N.M.U.), which has been picketing the New York World-Telegram's plant the past 12 days in protest against writings by columnist Westbrook Pegler, today began picketing the Park avenue office of Roy W. Howard, president and editor of the paper.

Three pickets carried placards demanding removal of Mr. Pegler's column from the World-Telegram. They also distributed handbills urging the same action.

The newspaper previously had stated in an editorial that Mr. Pegler's views were not necessarily those of the paper and that it did not plan to remove the column.

Markets at a Glance. NEW YORK, Aug. 30 (AP).—Stocks mixed; price changes negligible. Bonds steady; some rails supported. Cotton firm; trade and commission house buying.

CHICAGO.—Wheat closed 1/4 lower to 1/2 higher; profit taking. Rye unchanged to a cent down.



NEWPORT NEWS, VA.—BAD NEWS FOR TOKIO.—As Secretary Knox leans against the huge aircraft carrier Hornet, Mrs. Knox christens the flat-top with a resounding splash. The ship, to replace the sunken Hornet, used by Maj. Gen. James H. Doolittle for his historic raid on Tokio, was launched today.

Jap Counterattacks Push Allies Back In Salamaua Area

U. S. Infantry Lands Unopposed on Isle Near Kolombangara

By the Associated Press. ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN THE SOUTHWEST PACIFIC, Aug. 30.—Fierce Japanese counterattacks along the entire front at Salamaua, New Guinea, have forced Allied troops to yield ground at some points, while in the Solomon Islands, American infantrymen have landed unopposed on Arundel Island, just west of New Georgia and within artillery range of Japanese-dominated Kolombangara.

"Our troops have been forced to give ground slightly in some points of the Salamaua sector," said a spokesman at Gen. Douglas MacArthur's headquarters.

The headquarters communique said sharp ground fighting was going on along the entire front, "with the enemy launching frequent counterattacks to preserve his hard-pressed positions."

American and Australian troops, powerfully supported by aircraft, slowly but methodically have been closing in on the Salamaua airfield.

Natural Gas Pipeline From Southwest Approved

By the Associated Press. A 1,200-mile natural gas pipe line running from the Southwest to the Appalachian manufacturing area was approved by the War Production Board today which said it "must be built" by the winter of 1944-45.

WLB advised the Federal Power Commission it would approve materials for the pipe line as soon as the commission decides which of two applicants will build the line.

The Tennessee Gas & Transmission Co. has an application to build a line from Corpus Christi, Tex., to a terminal point at Cornwall Station, Va. The Hope Natural Gas Co. has applied for permission to build a line from the Hugoton field of Kansas and Oklahoma to the same terminal.

WFB said neither line has any substantial advantage over the other in requirements for critical materials and equipment. Either would require about 215,000 tons of steel. The completed line will be either 22 or 24-inch. Present estimates call for delivery of about 200,000,000 cubic feet a day from either line. Either can be stepped up to 300,000,000 daily if needed.

Kaiser's Stropson Killed. BERN, Aug. 30 (AP).—A tiny notice on the back page of the Frankfurter Zeitung today announced that Capt. Dr. Hans Georg, Prince of Schonach-Carolath and eldest son of Hermine von Preussen, widow of Kaiser Wilhelm, was killed August 9 on the eastern front.

Heavier Tokio Raids Hinted By Knox at Hornet Launching

Christening of New Carrier Delayed 45 Minutes by Failure of Mechanism

By the Associated Press. NEWPORT NEWS, Va., Aug. 30.—A great name in the history of the United States Navy was reborn today with the launching of the aircraft carrier Hornet amid cheers of spectators who a moment later heard Secretary of the Navy Knox hint broadly at plans for large-scale aerial blows against Tokio.

Last year's bombing of the Rising Sun capital was "only a small sample of far bigger raids to come," Secretary Knox asserted in a speech a moment after his wife sent a bottle of champagne foaming over the bow of the ship which replaces the flat-top of the same name sunk last year in the Santa Cruz Islands.

The launching was delayed 45 minutes because of faulty functioning of the launching mechanism. A few minutes before the Hornet was to slide into the James River, J. B. Woodward, vice president and general manager of the Newport News Shipbuilding & Dry Dock Co. told several hundred spectators the launching would have to be postponed several days. Later, however, he said the ceremony would proceed; that there had been no accident, but that the hydraulic pressure holding the ship in place had threatened to build up so rapidly that it was necessary to proceed with caution in the launching of such a heavy ship.

Secretary Knox recalled in his speech that the ship would be christened by Mrs. Knox.

Federal Draft Policy Overstepped by Fly, Inquiry Counsel Says

List of 1,069 Presented For Deferment Was Cut To 218, Reilly Declares

By J. A. O'LEARY. Charges that Chairman Fly of the Federal Communications Commission went beyond the administration's draft policy for Government employees in asking President Roosevelt for deferments in the FCC were made today by Hugh Reilly, an associate counsel of the House committee investigating the commission.

Mr. Fly, Mr. Reilly said, was guilty of "misrepresentation to the President" in handling the deferment program.

Mr. Reilly contended that the President had indicated in a memorandum to all agencies that there would be few employees who, by reason of unique experience and rare technical ability, might be irreplaceable. Committee counsel then sought to show that many of the FCC employees for whom deferment

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Taganrog's Fall Hints Crumbling Of Whole Front

Donets Forces Threatened With Encirclement

By the Associated Press. LONDON, Aug. 30.—Premier Stalin announced the capture of Taganrog, the Germans' southern anchor of the 1,500-mile Russian front, today in a special order of the day.

The Germans earlier today admitted evacuation of the city. Stalin said the capture was the result of a fierce engagement in which the Russians routed the Nazis. The Germans said the town was evacuated after they had destroyed the town and harbor installations.

The capture of Taganrog indicated the Nazis' entire southern front positions were crumbling. Stalin, whose order of the day was broadcast by the Moscow radio and recorded by the Associated Press, said the new victory was achieved as a result of a bold maneuver by Soviet cavalry and mechanized formations which broke through to the rear of the enemy troops.

Stalin's May Fall. With the fall of this important Sea of Azov port to the Red Army, the capture of Stalino, Hitler's southern front headquarters 70 miles to the northwest, may follow soon.

Taganrog, the Germans said in their daily high command communique, was "evacuated according to plan" after being "completely destroyed." It was another of the so-called "strategic withdrawals" which German propagandists have been at pains to color as Nazi triumphs.

The fall of Taganrog came as a surprise, since there had been no reports of heavy fighting in this region recently from either Moscow or Berlin, but the position of the city had been obviously imperiled since the Russians captured the railway station of Donetsk-Amvrosievka just a week ago, cutting Taganrog's only rail line to the north and west. Donetsk-Amvrosievka is 40 miles north of Taganrog.

Whole Right Flank Compromised. Evacuation of Taganrog makes it clear that the whole right flank



GERMANS QUIT TAGANROG.—Arrows indicate how Red Armies on the southern front are today pressing toward Poltava, Krasnodar, and Stalino, with Berlin reporting Taganrog abandoned by German troops. Shaded area is held by German Army.

of the German army is compromised and indicates that a general pulling back, starting with the Soviet offensive in the Donets Basin a few days ago, has been stepped up.

Taganrog had been heavily fortified by the Germans, and its recapture by the Russians indicates the power of the current Red Army drive. Last winter's Soviet offensive, which began with the victory at Stalingrad, swept on past Rostov in this region but stopped short just east and north of Taganrog in the face of a violent Nazi defense of the city.

There was no immediate indication whether the Germans would attempt to stand a few miles west (See RUSSIA, Page A-6).

U. S. Judge Rules Rent Control Law Invalid

By the Associated Press. MACON, Ga., Aug. 30.—United States District Judge Bascom S. Deaver today ruled "invalid and unconstitutional" the rent control section of the Emergency Price Control Act of 1942.

Judge Deaver handed down the decision in the Middle Georgia District Court in the case of John W. Payne vs. J. H. Griffin, both of Thomasville, Ga., in which Mr. Payne had sued Mr. Griffin for damages on grounds Mr. Griffin had charged an above-ceiling rent.

The jurist held that Congress had delegated too much power to the rent control agency for setting prices. Last winter's Soviet offensive, which began with the victory at Stalingrad, swept on past Rostov in this region but stopped short just east and north of Taganrog in the face of a violent Nazi defense of the city.

Ten Killed in India Crash Fatal to Washington Man

By the Associated Press. NEW DELHI, India, Aug. 28 (Delayed).—Ten persons, including a British major general and a British brigadier, were killed in the crash of an RAF transport plane Friday which resulted in the death of Robert Rand of Washington and Brookline, Mass. It was announced today.

(The death of Mr. Rand, 25, Calcutta director of the United States Office of War Information, was disclosed in dispatches Saturday.)

The plane was en route from New Delhi to Calcutta when it crashed in a landing failure at Allahabad. Of the 12 persons aboard eight were killed. Three others were gravely injured and two of them died later. Mr. Rand was the only American aboard.

The killed included Maj. Gen. Thomas George Gordon Heywood, 56, and Brig. Hugh Poynton Radley, 51, both veterans of the World War.

Harry Hopkins Enters Hospital for Checkup

Harry Hopkins, confidential adviser to President Roosevelt, is at Naval Hospital, it was learned today, for a "periodic health checkup."

He went there on the orders of Rear Admiral Ross T. McIntire, Surgeon General of the Navy, who is White House physician. Mr. Hopkins had no serious ailment, it was understood.

Under the Rent Control Act, a tenant may sue for damages if a landlord violates the rent ceiling

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Bulgarian Premier Works to Keep Hold After Death of King

By the Associated Press. ISTANBUL, Aug. 30.—Bulgaria, unsettled by the death of King Boris, presented a potential problem to Hitler today as Premier Bogdan Philov sought to reconcile conflicting elements in the nation which made his position none too secure.

The five-member regency which, according to German broadcasts, will rule in behalf of the boy King Simeon II, apparently is dominated by an anti-German, pro-British church leader—the Metropolitan of Sofia, Stefan, who has protested Gestapo activity in Bulgaria and against anti-Semitic laws passed during the last two years.

The Queen Mother Ioanna, second member of the regency, also is regarded as decidedly anti-German. Prince Kiril, brother of the late King, and Philov are both pro-German, but far from strong, while the fifth regent is a politically unknown Supreme Court justice.

Military Cabinet Expected. Composed by such diverse elements, it seems highly unlikely that this regency will be able to prevent the organized Philov government from collapsing and being replaced with a military cabinet.

In that event the leader of the government probably would be selected from the military hierarchy which is enthusiastically pro-German. Such a government doubtless would be pliant to German desires and might break off relations with Russia and agree to assume the chief burden of the defense of Greece or even participate in the Russian war.

The possibility of a popular uprising which would overthrow the monarchy and establish a Republic or Socialist government under the sway of Bulgaria, on whom the Bulgarians have traditionally looked as a friend, was not entirely discounted here.

However, such a revolt was considered possible only if the Germans are unable to send sufficiently strong forces into Bulgaria or to the borders to keep the situation in hand.

Minister Sees Gestapo Chief. In any event, the situation apparently will demand close watching by Hitler.

The first evidence of increased German influence in Bulgaria quickly followed the death of Boris when Minister of the Interior Peter Gabrovsky twice conferred with the Gestapo chief in Bulgaria upon means of keeping order within the nation.

First reports indicated that the death of Boris provoked consternation throughout Bulgaria.

The British radio reported yesterday that crowds had staged peace demonstrations in the streets of Sofia and said the German Embassy in the Bulgarian capital had been stoned.

The broadcast said Boris' death had precipitated an internal crisis and that communications with other countries had been suspended. The peace demonstrators were said to have shouted for "Boris' resignation."

The Bulgarian public appears to fear that the nation now will quickly fall completely into the hands of the Germans. While there have been no signs of serious disturbances, the conferences between Gabrovsky and the Gestapo chief apparently indicate the government's fears.

Hitler Sends Sympathy To Premier and Queen. LONDON, Aug. 30 (AP).—The Berlin radio said yesterday that Hitler sent the Premier and Queen Ioanna of Bulgaria following the death of King Boris.

The broadcast, recorded by the Associated Press, said Hitler sent this telegram to the Premier: "I would like to convey to your excellency on the occasion of the death of his majesty King Boris mine and the German people's most cordial sympathy."

"I know that you are closely linked to your sovereign in his historic mission for the future of Bulgaria as a faithful counsellor. I feel with you deeply the heavy loss which Bulgaria has suffered.

"Please express my condolences also to the royal Bulgarian cabinet."

The following telegram, the broadcast said, went to the widowed queen: "The moving news of the death of his majesty King Boris has given me great sorrow. Bulgaria loses in King Boris a sovereign who led the history of his people with admirable courage and circumspect wisdom.

"I myself like in him a faithful friend and ally whose memory will be forever highly honored by myself and the German people. I ask your majesty to accept mine and the whole German people's deeply felt and sincere sympathy for the royal house and the Bulgarian nation."

Baltz Heads Division In War Loan Campaign

Edward C. Baltz, secretary and director of the Perpetual Building Association, will head the building and loan division in the Third War Loan campaign which begins September 9.

The appointment was announced yesterday by John A. Reilly, chairman of the District of Columbia War Finance Committee. Mr. Baltz, who attended Georgetown University, holds executive positions on the boards of banks and insurance companies and is a former president of the United States Savings and Loan League, which has 4,000 member associations in the United States.

A former commodore in the Corinthian Yacht Club, Mr. Baltz has turned his cruiser over to the Coast Guard, which uses the vessel on coastal patrol.

A final meeting to map plans for the drive will be held Thursday when member associations will pledge bond purchases and work out a system for over-the-counter sales.

Catalog for Purchasers of War Bonds No. 6



How an attack dog disarms an enemy, by seizing the hand holding a pistol, will be demonstrated by war-trained canines and Quartermaster Corps specialists during the Army show starting September 9 on the Washington Monument grounds.

There are 40,000 dogs fighting, or being trained to fight, for Uncle Sam.

Trained from 6 to 13 weeks, dogs and handlers become inseparable. The dogs are used for sentry, attack, first aid, messenger and sledge teams, according to their intelligence, strength, speed and disposition.

All except the sledge dogs, which are bought, are donated to the Government. They are trained at Front Royal, Va., and four other remount depots.

'Back the Attack' Rehearsals To Get Under Way Sept. 6

Three days of rehearsals will precede the Army's "Back the Attack" show which opens September 9 on the Washington Monument grounds, as a feature of the Treasury's Third War Loan drive.

Approximately 1,500 Army officers and enlisted personnel have received orders to report on Sunday and begin rehearsals on September 6.

Beginning tomorrow night, the grounds will be floodlighted to permit night work to rush installations for the show.

Potomac Electric Power Co. electrical crews today were putting the finishing touches on installation of a transformer.

Two other developments today were the installation of 30-ton locomotive and military railway equipment on the grounds facing Fourteenth street, and announcement that the Army's dog machine, a spectacular veteran of overseas campaigns, will be included in the huge exhibit.

The locomotive was to be hauled by trailer to the Monument Grounds and there rolled down to steel rails through a "cribbing" operation, without aid of a crane. The engine is painted a battleship gray.

The Army's mechanical smoke generator, trailer mounted, will be shown here publicly for the first time. Spewing jets of snow-white smoke from their thin-lipped mouths, these generators blinded enemy troops in North Africa with impenetrable screens along wide fronts.

On the theory that "you can't hit what you can't see," the Army says the mechanical smoke-generator is the latest, most effective weapon in the military science of deception.

This smokemaker has proved capable of producing 50 to 100 times as much smoke, with less cost and less human effort, than any previous smoke apparatus, officials said.

"Junior," so-called in its experimental stage to distinguish it from other generators, looks like a "gay 90's" engine.

Strike Vote Called Off By Hosiery Workers

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 30.—A coast-to-coast strike vote under the Smith-Connelly Act, scheduled to begin today, was called off last night by the American Federation of Hosiery Workers (CIO), following a conference with members of two employers' associations and Peter J. Manno, Federal conciliator.

Fred G. Krivonoz, acting regional director of the National Labor Relations Board, who was to have supervised the vote, said "all arrangements for the Smith-Connelly secret ballot scheduled to begin August 30 among 12,000 employees in the hosiery industry from coast to coast are cancelled."

Members of the Pull-Fashioned Hosiery Manufacturers of America said the Keystone Hosiery Manufacturers' Association agreed with union officials to extend their current contract, due to expire August 31, for 15 more months.

Union and management officials also agreed, on invitation of the Labor Department, to go to Washington Wednesday in an effort to iron out their differences in regard to a new contract.

Members of the union had voted Saturday in favor of striking for their original demands.

The union withdrew its original strike notice filed July 30 with the NLRD, the War Labor Board and the Labor Department.

Under the Smith-Connelly Act, such withdrawal means that, in the event agreement is not reached by September 15, the whole procedure leading up to another strike vote must be repeated.

New Machines, More Labor

Unable to get new machines, Columbia is increasing its road-construction crews to keep up the schedule of progress.

British Eager to Push Air Offensive, Says Publisher McLean

By the Associated Press. PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 30.—Robert McLean, president of the Associated Press and of the Evening Bulletin, got back after a month in England and Scotland, said today the British, confident of victory, are eager to press the Allied air offensive to the fullest lest the Germans develop an effective defense against bombers.

"Unless our American Air Force in the European theater is built up to full strength at this time we run the risk of Germany finding the defensive tactic or weapon which will deprive us of our present opportunity," he said.

Will Lessen Invasion Cost. "The British remember how they kept Germany from cashing in on a golden chance of victory in the other World War; German submarines had the British supply lines strangled so that Britain was within two weeks of defeat. Then the British discovered the means of coping with U-boats."

Encouraged as they are by the Allied bombings, the British do not believe that bombings alone can defeat the Axis, he said.

"But they are convinced," he added, "that the bombings will lessen materially the cost of invasion of the continent because of the destruction of enemy equipment, the destruction of factories which manufacture that equipment and the disrupting of lines of communication."

Points to Air Battles. "The fury, the viciousness with which the Nazis are pressing home the attack against Allied bombers demonstrate how badly the bombings are hurting them. The German defenders are fighting with the same intensity as did the British fighters against the Luftwaffe in the battle of Britain. They are acting as if the fate of Germany depends upon them, and quite likely it does."

Mr. McLean went to England at the invitation of the British Ministry of Information. He returned Saturday night by Clipperton. His comments were reported today by Carl W. McCordie of the Bulletin staff after an interview.

Workers Begin First Strike Voted Under Connally Law

By the Associated Press. JAMESTOWN, N. Y., Aug. 30.—Employees of the Jamestown Metal Equipment Co.'s Blackstone avenue plant stopped work today in the first strike in the Nation to occur following a strike vote under the anti-strike law.

The workers halted affirmatively, 25 to 1, last Wednesday, on the question: "Do you wish to permit an interruption of war production in wartime as a result of this dispute?"

The controversy involves charges of discrimination filed by Local 1,240, International Association of Machinists, against the company in regard to the laying off of nine union members July 29.

The company claims the layoffs were necessary because of cancellation of an order of one of its primary customers.

The strike involves 28 workers.

Colman Court-Martial Trial Set for Sept. 6

By the Associated Press. SELFRIDGE FIELD, Mich., Aug. 30.—Col. William F. Colman, former commanding officer at Selfridge Field, will go on trial before a general court martial here starting Monday, September 6, Col. William L. Boyd, present commanding officer, announced today.

The announcement said he would be charged with violation of several articles of war. Col. Colman was relieved of his command on May 6, a few hours after the shooting of Pvt. William McRea, 24-year-old colored soldier.

Pvt. McRea has recovered and has been released from the station hospital.

Tooth Shortage Takes Teeth Out of Dimout

SANTA MONICA, Calif.—William Chain, Los Angeles, charged with violating the dimout ordinance, told the court he had lost his false teeth, and was driving with his headlights shining brightly in an effort to find them.

"A personal crisis," ruled Police Judge Samuel J. Crawford, suspending a \$10 fine.

Mrs. Margaret Kelly Dies After Long Illness

Mrs. Margaret E. Kelly, widow of J. Frank Kelly, president of the J. Frank Kelly Lumber Co., died yesterday at Garfield Hospital after a long illness.

Surviving are her mother, Mrs. Sarah Combs and a son, Jack Kelly. Services will be held at 11 a. m. at the Pumphrey funeral home at Bethesda, Md.

Mrs. Kelly was a member of the Chevy Chase Presbyterian Church and an active worker on the board of directors of the Presbyterian Home and the Florence Crittenton Home. The Rev. Hilmus Hollister, pastor of the Chevy Chase Church, will officiate.

Army Lists Names of 10 Killed in Utah Plane Crash

By the Associated Press. WENDOVER, Utah, Aug. 30.—Names of five officers and five enlisted men killed in the crash of an Army bomber on Bonneville Salt Flats were announced today by Lt. A. J. Madden, public relations officer at the Wendover Air Base.

They included: Second Lt. Dwight B. Belknap, Ridott, Ill. Second Lt. Samuel J. Todd, Darby, Pa. Second Lt. Robert M. Danner, Cattaraugus, N. Y. Second Lt. Lewis D. Allan, Moles, Minn.

Sergt. Elmer W. W. Reeser, Boyertown, Pa. Sergt. James O. Henderson, Jr., Atlanta, Ga. The bomber exploded and burned as it struck the salt flats, scene of many land speed record drives.

Youth Killed, Score Injured in Coast Warehouse Blast

By the Associated Press. GRIDLEY, Calif., Aug. 30.—An explosion killed one youth and injured approximately 20 more early today as fire swept through a warehouse owned by the Sutter-Butte Canal Co.



Wisconsin Liberals Back Roosevelt Fourth Term

By the Associated Press. GREEN BAY, Wis., Aug. 30.—Wisconsin—birthplace of the Republican and Progressive Parties—today is mothering another, the Liberal Voters' Unity League.

The organizers, 75 State liberals, declared themselves for a continuation of President Roosevelt's leadership "until this struggle (war) is terminated," and declared "that an interruption of this leadership would disrupt the plans and strategy of the leaders of the United Nations and would result in a lack of confidence of the people of the United States."

A statement of principles called for unconditional surrender of the Axis nations, declared for an "economy of abundance" and supported the policies of President Roosevelt and of Vice President Wallace.

A successful fight for adoption of this statement was led by Representative McMurray, Milwaukee Democrat.

Canadian Prime Minister To See Churchill Again

By the Associated Press. OTTAWA, Aug. 30.—Prime Minister W. L. Mackenzie King will leave here this afternoon for Quebec to confer with Prime Minister Churchill, who is scheduled to deliver a radio speech tomorrow at 1 p. m.—Eastern war time.

Members of the War Committee of the Canadian cabinet will also go to Quebec for a final session prior to Mr. Churchill's departure from Canada.

The British Prime Minister has been fishing at a camp in the Quebec area since his war conferences with President Roosevelt.

Subaltern Mary Churchill, daughter of the Prime Minister, left Quebec by air today for the United States, where she will tour camps of the Women's Army Corps. She plans to rejoin her father in Washington where he will visit President Roosevelt later in the week.

Processed Food Dealers Warned on Inventories

By the Associated Press. Wholesale dealers of rationed processed foods were advised by the Office of Price Administration today that their inventories for the October 3-30 reporting period must not exceed six times the point value of their August sales.

The formula remains the same as that announced for the September reporting period, and will permit wholesalers to obtain adequate supplies of balanced stocks during the peak canning season, OPA reported.

Four Soldiers Hurt In Auto-Truck Crash

By the Associated Press. FREDERICKSBURG, Va., Aug. 30.—Four soldiers returning to Camp Lee last night were injured when their car collided with a truck 4 miles south of here on Route 2.

Injured were George H. Hughes, 30, of 5654 North Sixth street, Arlington; Howard Rosen, Lawrence C. DeGrange and Ned H. Kelly.

The men were brought to a hospital here and then removed to a hospital at Fort Belvoir.

USO Entertainers May Get \$12,000 Each for Injuries

By the Associated Press. NEW YORK, Aug. 30.—The board of directors of the USO Camp Shows, Inc., has recommended that \$12,000 each be paid to Gypsy Markoff, Jane Froman and Lorraine Rognan, entertainers injured in the crash of a clipper at Lisbon February 22, Abe Lastfogel, USO Camp Shows, Inc., president, said today.

The board will take formal action on its recommendation September 9, Mr. Lastfogel said.

Miss Froman and Miss Markoff are recuperating from injuries received in the crash. Mrs. Rognan is the widow of Roy Rognan, who lost his life in the accident.

All had gone aboard as members of a USO camp show to entertain American servicemen.

Pope Will Broadcast Wednesday Morning

By the Associated Press. LONDON, Aug. 30.—The Rome radio announced yesterday that Pope Pius XII will broadcast a message from the Vatican and over all Italian stations at 7:15 a. m., Eastern War Time, Wednesday. The announcement did not indicate the nature of the broadcast.

The Vatican radio had announced Saturday night that an important announcement might be made yesterday, but the station went off the air immediately after mass yesterday morning without making any statement. The Rome broadcast, recorded by the Associated Press, followed a few hours later.

Horse Draws a Tax As Well as a Taxi

By the Associated Press. HUGO, Okla.—Taxicab companies, forced to quit hauling fares to night spots because of gasoline restrictions, instituted horse-drawn hacks and buggies to care for amusement seekers.

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Volunteers Meet Need For Freight Handlers

By the Associated Press. NEW YORK, Aug. 30.—The rush of persons answering an emergency call for temporary freight handlers to move vital war materials in New York and Jersey City, Hoboken, Bayonne and Weehawken, N. J., reached such proportions that the United States Employment Service and the Railroad Retirement Board announced yesterday no more were needed.

Regional director Ray R. McCurry of the Railroad Board said more than 4,000 persons had responded since a hurry call for full or part-time workers was broadcast Thursday in an effort to remedy a critical jam in metropolitan railroad yards and piers.

"We certainly appreciate the response to this appeal," said Mr. McCurry. "It was gratifying and we regret that some of the people who came in today could not be put to work."

"I think the railroad people are to be commended for the way they put these people to work at odd hours."

Nine New York and New Jersey employment offices set up for the purpose were jammed with applicants.

Imprisoned Ploesti Raiders Visited by Rumanian King

By the Associated Press. ISTANBUL, Aug. 28 (Delayed).—King Michael and Queen Helen of Rumania visited some 700 American flyers imprisoned at Sinaia shortly after the Ploesti oil field raid August 1, a semidiplomatic report said today.

During the royal visit, Michael, who speaks English easily, was said to have offered to write to prisoners' families personally. From the rear ranks of the crowd of prisoners, some one asked the King, "Couldn't you care?"

This report said the Americans were imprisoned in one of the many fine hotels of the town, which is a summer resort built up in the reign of King Carol. The wounded were said to be receiving special medical care. The dead were buried with military honors at a "heroes' cemetery" at Ploesti.

Cairo dispatches August 2 announced that 20 of the huge fleet of United States Liberators which struck Ploesti oil installations failed to return. The men held at Sinaia were among those who parachuted or landed crippled craft on enemy soil.

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## Selective Service Plans Survey Of All Available U.S. Manpower

A nationwide inventory to uncover all sources of manpower before fathers are drafted will begin on September 15.

First inventory in the history of the Selective Service, the nationwide counting of noses is designed to give an up-to-the-minute picture of what is left in the manpower barrel.

For the first time national headquarters will be told how many children each draft eligible father has. Under present regulations this figure would have no significance since order number rather than the number of children will determine how soon a prewar father enters the armed forces.

The figure will be available, however, in case Congress wants to use the number of children as a determining factor.

**Hardships May Vary.** Selective Service Director Lewis B. Hershey has said a man with one child may be a hardship case where a father of several children could be drafted without disrupting his family.

During the two weeks allowed for the inventory, draft boards have been instructed to stop all classification. In other words, the classification will be frozen as of the day the reports are turned in so that national headquarters will have a last-minute view of the manpower pool.

The inventory will be concluded the day before the draft boards are permitted to start calling prewar fathers.

Every step to be taken by the Selective Service System in the coming months must be based on an accurate knowledge of the classification and status of every registrant, draft boards were notified.

**To Cover All Categories.** The inventory is a major step in the program to make available for induction every possible registrant who is not occupationally or otherwise deferred before men with Group 4 (prewar) children are called.

It will also disclose to the local board those cases where registrant had not been reconsidered in accordance with the most recent regulations and those cases in which classifications should be reopened and considered anew for any reason.

Draft officials explained that while draft boards are required to make a monthly report, it takes in only the men that are available for induction and does not include those who have been inducted, those

## Two Killed, Six Injured In Wreck Caused by Bee

**By the Associated Press.**  
RICHMOND, Va., Aug. 30.—A bee sting caused the death of two persons and injuries to three others in a traffic accident here yesterday.

A sixth person was injured when he was struck by a cab as he crossed the street to give aid.

The dead were Mr. and Mrs. John S. Harvey of Richmond, who died at a local hospital after their car crashed into a telephone pole at Chamberlayne avenue and Mitchell street.

Before he died, Mr. Harvey said he was stung by a bee and lost control of the car.

The injured were Mrs. Elma Simpson of Richmond, Miss Alice Morrison of Lynchburg, Mrs. Alice Morton of Richmond, all passengers in the car, and Thomas Lythgoe, who was hit by the cab.

## Father of 7, Headed for Draft, Refuses to Seek War Plant Job

**By the Associated Press.**  
KANSAS CITY, Aug. 30.—Peter Werp, father of seven, who says he'll take his chances in the draft rather than run for cover in a war plant, was a step nearer military service today.

"I'm a cinch," the 36-year-old bank accountant reported cheerily after his preliminary physical examination. "I'll be the same when I'm called to Fort Leavenworth (for induction), too. I'm disgustingly healthy."

A bank employe for 15 years, Mr. Werp was one of several hundred fathers who reported for preliminary examinations yesterday. None was informed officially whether they had passed, Mr. Werp said. But he laughed, "I couldn't miss passing."

If he is drafted, his family would receive \$122 a month, and Mr. Werp himself \$22. That hardly approaches

girls, range in age from 9 months to 12 years.

Mr. Werp said the bank management had not asked any deferment for him, but "do I give up my bank training and experience, feeling maybe like a coward as I hunt for a place in a war plant to escape fighting? No, I'll take my chances with the draft."

Born in the United States, of Lithuanian descent, Mr. Werp has no prejudice against fighting.

"If I have to fight, I'm really going to give it all I've got."

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## Roosevelt

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more information—this reference obviously being to the Quebec plan for intensifying the war against the Japs.

He said he felt the Mountbatten appointment would be "very much welcomed" and added "I think he's a grand person."

The President stopped for several days on his way back from Canada, where his last appearance was made Wednesday, when he spoke at Ottawa.

Prospects for a tri-partite meeting among representatives of the United States, Great Britain and Russia, mentioned as a possibility in the joint Quebec communique, may receive the attention of the President and the Prime Minister, as well as political questions involved in administering temporary governments of liberated nations.

Since their meeting at Quebec, Denmark has flamed into open rebellion against the Nazis and King Boris of Bulgaria has been assassinated—two developments which are expected to claim the close attention of the British and American chiefs of state.

Some officials, however, are inclined to believe the Prime Minister's latest visit here will be concerned largely to gathering up any loose ends or discussing secondary questions that may have remained unsettled at conferences in the Canadian city in the last two weeks.

**Wording of Communique Cited.** They based this on the phraseology of the joint communique which said that the President and Prime Minister "were able to receive and approve the unanimous agreement on political issues 'underlying or arising out of the military operations.'"

It also was pointed out by these same officials that this would be the first opportunity for the Prime Minister's wife and daughter Mary, a subaltern in the Territorial Service, to see America's wartime capital since the British leader began his trips to Washington in December, 1941, a few weeks after the Japanese struck at Hawaii. They did not accompany him here then or on his visits in June, 1942, and May, 1943.

Mr. Churchill, who remained in Canada after the Quebec strategy conferences ended last Tuesday, will deliver a radio address tomorrow at 1 p.m. EST. It has not been announced when he would reach Washington.

**Domestic Conferences Expected.** For Mr. Roosevelt, the new week embraces conferences on many domestic questions as well. Congressional leaders will soon be arriving for the September 14 reconvening and the legislative program will need canvassing.

Major personnel shifts are pending, too, with first official word awaited on the reported resignation of Sumner Welles as Undersecretary of State, and a successor, and the possible appointment of Justice Samuel I. Roseman of the New York Supreme Court to a full-time administration job.

Norman Armour, Ambassador to Argentina, home for consultations; James C. Dunn, political adviser to Secretary Hull; Breckinridge Long, an Assistant Secretary of State, and several others have been mentioned for the Welles post.

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### Eden to See Maisky And Winant, Spurring Hope of Soviet Talks

Three-Party Conferences At Least of Foreign Ministers Seen

By the Associated Press.  
LONDON, Aug. 30.—Speculation on the possibility of an early Anglo-Russian-American conference was given a new boost today when it was learned that Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden will meet both Ivan Maisky, former Russian Ambassador to Great Britain, and United States Ambassador John G. Winant tomorrow.

The meeting between representatives of the three big powers might have been held even earlier, diplomatic sources indicated, except for the fact that Mr. Eden is reporting today to his war cabinet colleagues on the results of the Quebec conference between President Roosevelt and Prime Minister Churchill. Many diplomatic observers are convinced that Mr. Eden, Mr. Maisky and Mr. Winant will consider the possibilities of joint, personal, three-power conversations, at least on the "foreign minister level." It was announced yesterday that Mr. Eden had returned to England by plane from Quebec and at the same time it was reported that Mr. Maisky, replaced in Britain as Ambassador recently, had returned.

The Daily Mail, featuring the story, said a tri-partite conference probably would take place within two weeks either in London or Moscow or "at some intermediate spot." It said Mr. Eden would represent Great Britain and Foreign Commissar Vyacheslav Molotov would represent Russia, while a high-ranking American delegate would be chosen by President Roosevelt. The Daily Mail hinted that the latter might be Norman H. Davis, formerly Mr. Roosevelt's special Ambassador in Europe, who is now in London on Red Cross business.

The paper noted that the Allies "are in fullest agreement."

### Pacific

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drome during the last few weeks. The airfield is about 2 miles from the isthmus on which the town of Salamaua is located.

**Gen. Blamey in Field.**  
Allied headquarters disclosed yesterday that Gen. Sir Thomas Blamey, commanding the Allied land forces in New Guinea, is in the field for the "kill" at Salamaua.

Supporting the Allied ground forces, attack planes made low-level sweeps against enemy barge hide-outs and water-front installations at Salamaua.

Near Lae, 10 miles east of Salamaua, Flying Fortresses dropped 29 tons of bombs, destroying three jetties and 20 barges at Vaco Point. Concerning the landing on Arundel Island the communique said simply: "Our ground forces made an unopposed landing and are now consolidating."

The landing took place last Friday. The island, on which Japanese troops were stationed until recently, is only 3 miles south of Kolombangara Island and provides positions from which field artillery could shell the Vila airdrome.

**Hansa Bay Attacked Again.**  
A strong force of Mitchell bombers Saturday morning delivered a second heavy attack within a week from medium altitude against Hansa Bay, midway between Wewak and Mbang on the northeast coast of New Guinea. A 2,000-ton ship, a patrol boat and 31 barges and luggers were destroyed. Roaring fires were started in fuel and ammunition dumps on the waterfront. Smoke billowed up to 4,000 feet over the target area. There was no interception, but Japanese ground gunners shot down one of the Mitchells.

Allied reconnaissance planes attacked and damaged a 7,000-ton freighter-transport at Kavieng, New Ireland, while other reconnaissance craft hit a small merchantman in the Shortland Island area and destroyed six barges on the west coast of Long Island in Vitiaz Strait.

Medium aircraft bombed Dili, Timor, at night, leaving a spreading fire which was visible 45 miles away. The communique reported a "minor enemy air raid" on Vella Lavella, the Central Solomons Island recently occupied by the Allies.

Yesterday's communique from Gen. MacArthur told of an air battle which occurred Thursday during a raid by Liberators, Corsairs and Kittyhawks on the enemy air base of Kahili, on Southern Bougainville. During a raid on the airdrome 30 Japanese interceptors took on the Americans in running battles. Fourteen enemy planes were downed. There was no mention of any American losses.

### Jap Plane Losses

**In Solomons 14 to 1**  
GAUDALCANAL, Aug. 27 (AP) (Delayed)—American flyers of the Solomons Air Force and American ground defenses maintained a superiority ratio of nearly 14 to 1 in destroying 191 Japanese planes in the Solomons area last month.

Maj. Gen. Nathan F. Twining, commanding the newest combat group in the South Pacific, cited these enemy losses at a press conference today and disclosed that American losses during the same period, between July 25 and August 26, were only 14 fighter planes. Six American pilots were rescued.

The Solomons air commander was particularly proud of the fighter-plane record in protecting American vessels hauling cargo to troops who have pressed within 80 miles of Japanese-held Bougainville Island in the Northern Solomons, despite continual heavy Japanese assaults. The general's figures show American fighters downed 100 enemy fighters, 16 dive bombers, one medium bomber and 15 float-type planes during the month. American bombers felled 36 Japanese fighters while night fighters brought down two enemy medium bombers. Anti-aircraft guns accounted for one Japanese fighter, 13 divebombers, 6 medium bombers and one float plane.

"One of the strange features of the present aerial campaign," said Gen. Twining, "is the absence of any sizeable number of Japanese medium bombers."



**MRS. ROOSEVELT IN SOUTH PACIFIC**—Wearing the uniform of a special envoy of the American Red Cross, Mrs. Roosevelt inspects a guard of honor of native Fiji troops on her visit to the islands in her tour of the Southwest Pacific area. —Signal Corps Radiophoto from A. P.

### Knox

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speech that the first carrier Hornet was in for the kill at Midway, covered herself with glory in the Solomons, and that from her flight deck soared the bombers "which pledged, with flaming blasts on Tokio, America's determination that Pearl Harbor will be avenged."

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**Carrier Shangri La Soon.**  
"In her death," the cabinet member declared, "the Hornet made doubly sure she would not die. For, besides the new ship we are christening here today, we are also to have the new aircraft carrier Shangri La."

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Secretary Knox pointed out that the new Hornet is the eighth United States ship to bear the name, said each of her predecessors had "added glory to our flag" and expressed confidence that "this present ship will be no exception."

"But," he added, "this date has another significance in the history of our Navy. On August 30, 1913—30 years ago—Admiral George Dewey and the Navy's General Board proposed the creation of a Department of Naval Aviation. Later that same year, this proposal was put into effect by 31-year-old Assistant Secretary of the Navy Franklin Delano Roosevelt."

"In those 30 years, naval aviation has grown to become one of the major striking arms of our fleet in action. And the aviation of the United States Navy today is without a superior in all the world."

Like her predecessor, the new Hornet was built at the plant of the Newport News Shipbuilding & Dry Dock Co., had the same sponsor, Mrs. Knox, and the same matrons of honor, Mrs. Ralph A. Bard, wife of the Assistant Secretary of Navy, and Mrs. Rawleigh Warner of Winnetka, Ill.

A survivor of the first carrier Hornet, Comdr. Edward B. Harp, Jr., U. S. N., of Hagerstown, Md., delivered the invocation at today's launching ceremony.

### Pacific Thrusts Readied, Admiral McCain Says

By the Associated Press.  
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sibly the most powerful," Admiral McCain said.

Admiral McCain urged all members of the naval air arm to continue "the unrelenting punishment we have given the enemy from the air until he is utterly defeated." He predicted that the dozen or so new combat carriers launched since Pearl Harbor will help bring about the "complete defeat" of Japan.

An undisclosed number of "baby flat tops" are in action or nearly ready for battle, the Navy said, to augment the fleet of giant carriers. The Navy added that 27,500 bombing, fighting and cargo planes will be in naval service by the end of 1943.

Admiral George Dewey, hero of the battle of Manila Bay, ordered establishment of the naval air force 30 years ago. The branch consisted of 38 officers, 163 men and 54 planes at the start of the World War. Today the Navy has a 30,000-a-year pilot training program and is schooling 100,000 plane mechanics annually.

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### Dean Hastie to Return To Law Post at Howard

William H. Hastie, dean of Howard University Law School, will return to his university duties tomorrow, following his recent resignation as

civilian aide to the Secretary of War, a position for which he was granted leave of absence from the University in 1941.

During his absence the law school was administered by Acting Dean Leon A. Ransom.

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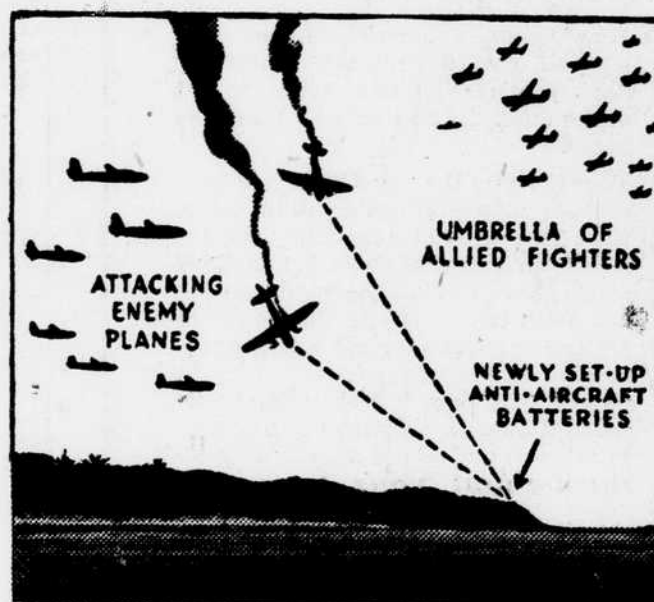
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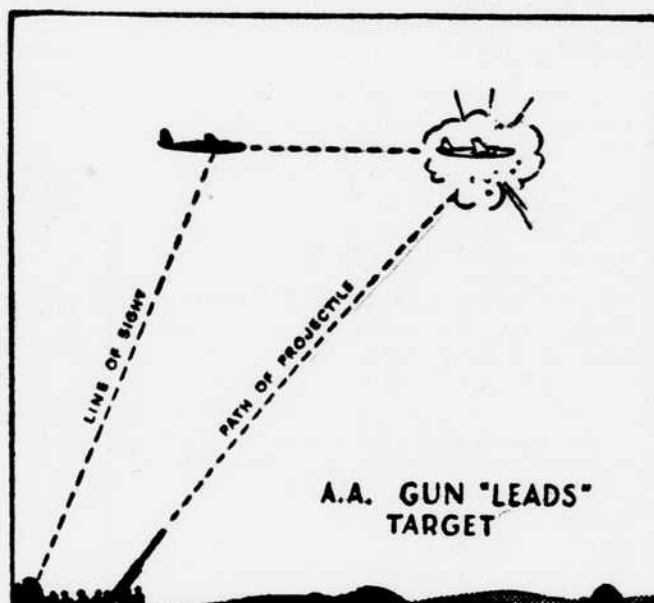
**2. There are three ways to take the sting out of enemy air power, and invading Allied armies use all three. First, bombers attack enemy air fields. Second, an umbrella of fighter planes goes after attacking enemy planes. Third, as soon as possible after primary landings have been effected, anti-aircraft batteries are set up. These batteries are mechanized and the mechanisms seem like magic itself.**



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### Federal Draft Policy Overstepped by Fly, Inquiry Counsel Says

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was asked did not fall in that category. According to Mr. Reilly a list of 1,069 employees in 11 categories of radio and engineering work was submitted to the President in December, 1942, and the White House cut that list to 218.

**List Included Deferred Men.** On objection by Charles R. Denny, attorney for the FCC, Mr. Reilly agreed that the 1,069 included all employees in the 11 classes of work including those above military age and others already deferred on other than occupational grounds.

While the hearing was in progress, the FCC issued a statement to show that total deferments on occupational grounds, "in the true sense is 271" and that at the same time more than 300 of the commission's employees are serving in the armed forces.

Mr. Reilly said the Cox Committee "deliberately distorted the true picture."

"Over 90 per cent of the employees whose deferment was sought by the commission are skilled communications engineers engaged in work in connection with the Nation's telephone, telegraph and radio operations, these men if employed in comfortable work in private industry would be automatically deferred," the statement said.

"Because we have been able to replace lawyers, accountants and administrative personnel, no employee in these groups has been deferred." At the outset of the hearing, Representative Miller, Republican of Missouri, presiding in the absence of Chairman Cox, questioned the necessity for withholding the names in specific cases, but finally agreed to the suggestion of Mr. Reilly to identify them by numbers only to avoid any injustice in the event of possible errors in the record.

**66 Cases Discussed.** To support his claim that many of the employees for the commission asked deferment did not have the irreplaceable background mentioned in the President memorandum, Mr. Reilly had Harvey Walker, committee investigator, give an outline of 66 cases.

According to Mr. Walker, 41 were men who had gained radio experience in the Army or Maritime Commission before going to the FCC and one was a former stock exchange clerk.

Mr. Reilly said the employments of the other 25 before appointment in the FCC were as follows: One was a butter maker for 18 months; one a glove cutter for 18 months; another a barber and another a bee raiser.

At this point, Mr. Denny broke in to assert that the man listed as a butter maker had no radio licenses and that the barber also held a radio license.

List is Continued. Continuing the list, Mr. Reilly said they included a carpenter, a motion picture operator, a sheet metal worker, a clerk and bookkeeper, a baker, a student, jewelry modeler, coal mine pumper, laborer, electric tester, shipping clerk, soldier, a blue printer, musician, candy factory cook, clothing salesman, and a lumber jack.

Mr. Reilly also presented a specific case in which he said the commission sought deferment for a 27-year-old single man with no dependents whose record indicated 1 1/2 years in high school and a home study course in radio, who held an amateur radio license. Counsel for the FCC accented, however, that this man had been a radio operator for 13 years and had passed the Civil Service test for the several promotions he received after joining the commission.

Representative Miller had declared earlier that "if there is any man now in a bombproof Government position and hiding from military service" the country should know it.

He said he saw no reason for withholding names in cases where there is positive proof of deferment without justification, but suggested names be avoided where there is any doubt.

### Russia

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of Taganrog on the west bank of the Mius River, or withdraw some 60 miles farther to the west to Mariupol.

**Heavy Red Losses Claimed.** The Berlin radio said that Russian soldiers had suffered heavy losses.

### Weather Report

(Furnished by the United States Weather Bureau.)

District of Columbia—Warmer this afternoon, moderate temperature tonight and Tuesday.

Maryland and Virginia—Warmer this afternoon, moderate temperature tonight and Tuesday.

**River Report.** Potomac and Shenandoah Rivers clear at Harpers Ferry. Potomac clear at Great Falls.

**Report for Last 48 Hours.**  
Saturday: 4 p.m., 70; 8 p.m., 69; Midnight, 66.  
Sunday: 4 a.m., 66; 8 a.m., 66; Noon, 66; 4 p.m., 66; 8 p.m., 65; Midnight, 63.

**Record for Last 24 Hours.**  
(From noon yesterday to noon today.)  
Highest, 70, 5:30 p.m. Year ago, 76.  
Lowest, 62, 6:40 p.m. Year ago, 65.

**Record Temperature This Year.**  
Highest, 98, on August 10.  
Lowest, 6, on February 15.

**Humidity for Last 24 Hours.**  
(From noon yesterday to noon today.)  
Highest, 94 per cent, at 8:30 a.m.  
Lowest, 81 per cent, at 3:30 p.m.

**Tide Tables.** (Furnished by United States Coast and Geodetic Survey.)

**The Sun and Moon.**  
Sun, today, 6:38 a.m. to 6:12 p.m.  
Sun, tomorrow, 6:38 a.m. to 6:12 p.m.  
Moon, today, 6:13 a.m. to 7:51 p.m.  
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**Precipitation.** Monthly precipitation in inches in the Capital (current month to date):  
Month: 1943, Average, Record.  
January: 2.02, 3.27, 6.84  
February: 2.88, 3.27, 6.84  
March: 3.88, 3.27, 6.84  
April: 3.88, 3.27, 6.84  
May: 4.88, 3.27, 6.84  
June: 4.88, 3.27, 6.84  
July: 4.88, 3.27, 6.84  
August: 4.88, 3.27, 6.84  
September: 4.88, 3.27, 6.84  
October: 4.88, 3.27, 6.84  
November: 4.88, 3.27, 6.84  
December: 4.88, 3.27, 6.84

### 'Work-School Program' Urged By McNutt in Labor Crisis

By MIRIAM OTTENBERG.

A "work-school program" to prevent the sudden exodus of millions of youngsters from the labor force when school begins was advocated by War Manpower Chief McNutt today.

He told a press conference that a part-time work program for school children would have the effect of continuing their education while permitting student manpower to be used in the national interest.

Mr. McNutt said it did not matter whether the youngsters are in war production since if they are in service industries—clerking at the corner grocery—they are still replacing other workers who can find jobs in war industries.

Before school begins, he said, WMC will advise school boards on how a part-time work program can be carried out.

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### Walker Urges Shoppers Start Yule Purchasing Now

By the Associated Press.

The Post Office Department recommends that Christmas shopping be started really early this year—indeed, right now.

Postmaster General Walker puts forth this argument for early shopping: "Millions of persons will buy Christmas gifts for members of the armed forces overseas within the next few weeks because of time limitations necessarily placed on such mailings. While these purchasers are in the stores, those of them who intend to mail gifts to civilians also can be urged to do that buying now before the holiday rush."

Purchasers now have a better selection of articles from which to choose than they will have later when the annual buying rush has depleted store stocks.

And, what is more, the Post Office Department wants to get busy on the job of carrying Christmas packages in this year when war and travel are overburdening all rail and other facilities.

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### German-Owned Yacht Picks Up British Flyers

By the Associated Press.

LISBON, Aug. 30.—The crew of a three-engined British plane which crashed today 7 miles off Cabo Raso near Lisbon was picked up by a German-owned yacht, the Blue Danube, manned by the secretary of the German Legation.

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### RED STAMP FOOD VALUES SAFEWAY MEATS

#### SMOKED HAMS

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#### PICNICS

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#### STRIP BACON

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POINTS PER LB.	ITEM	PRICE
[8]	Sliced Bacon Grade A	41c
[2]	Fresh Spareribs	23c
[4]	Pork Liver	22c
[2]	Fresh Pork Hocks	20c
[2]	Dry Salt Backs	17c
[3]	Dry Salt Butts	16c
[5]	Frankfurters Skinless	37c
[7]	Thuringer	35c
[5]	Bologna	33c

### Laborless Labor Day

How about a laborless Labor Day for you, the Homemaker? Truly you deserve relaxation along with the rest of the family! And it can be done, you know.

To make sure the day will be free from cooking, plan your menus for the entire week end so that practically all the meals can be cooked Saturday. Holiday meals needn't follow the regular schedule. With breakfast later in the morning and heartier, too, and a substantial dinner in the evening, lunch can be merely a snack or left out entirely. Of course dinner should be plentiful enough to take care of robust appetites, so we recommend the following:

#### LABOR DAY DINNER

Old-fashioned Baked Beans  
Hot Spiced Beets  
Cabbage, Carrot and Orange Slaw  
Whole Wheat or Boston Brown Bread  
Butter or Margarine  
Appleauce Shortcake  
Beverage

**Ahead-of-time cooking**—The beans, beets and shortcake can all be prepared ahead of time so that most of the work is done. Just reheat the beans for an hour before serving time. The beets can be cooked for Saturday with enough left over to spice and reheat for Monday. The shortcake and appleauce can easily be prepared earlier and united at the last moment.

**For that holiday air**—If it is warm enough, carry the dinner outdoors and enjoy it picnic style. If the weather discourages this, then serve it buffet style with everyone serving himself. What a work-saver this method is and everyone enjoys that kind of dinner.

**Baked beans can be different**—Practically everyone has her special way of baking beans. My favorite method is to put an onion in the bottom of the bean pot, then heap in the boiled beans, add sweetening, seasonings and enough bean liquor for moisture and bake. The onion flavor permeates each and every bean in a most delicious manner. If you want to be different, try baking other beans such as limas, pink or pinto beans by your favorite method. While they are in season, chopped fresh tomatoes can be used instead of tomato sauce, too.

**Early bird shoppers**—If you want to get a running start on the relaxation schedule, then do your shopping early with your complete menus in mind and overlapping each other. For instance, a meat loaf could be served hot Saturday and cold Sunday. Vegetables for one meal can go into the salad the next day, and so on throughout the week end.

**JUST DESSERTS**—If you want to finish dinner off in a triumphant manner, then look to Julia Lee Wright's article in this week's Family Circle Magazine. It's all about sugar and shortening saving desserts.

### Holiday Foods

Peanut Butter Beverly	1 lb.	29c	
Peanut Butter Real Roast	2 lb. jar	52c	
Soda Crackers	Buy Baker	16c	
Burry's Bix Crackers	2 10 oz. pkgs.	25c	
Graham Crackers	Pirale Gold	16c	
Graham Crackers	Wabisco Honey Maid	19c	
Krispy Crackers	Loose-Wiles	19c	
Stuffed Olives	3 oz. bot.	20c	
Champion Pickles	Dill Mixed	28c	
Dill Pickles	Colonial	8 oz. jar	10c

#### ENRICHED BREAD

Julia Lee Wright's  
Dated for Freshness! 1 lb. loaf **8c**



### RATION TIME TABLE TOMORROW (TUESDAY, AUG. 31st) IS THE LAST DAY RED STAMPS T, U, V, W MAY BE USED

Stamps X and Y may be used through Oct. 2nd

BLUE STAMPS R, S, T—Now good through Sept. 20th. Stamps U, V, W become valid Wednesday September 1st.

POINTS EACH	ITEM	PRICE
[1]	Cherub Milk Smooth, Rich	6 tall cans 53c
[1]	Evaporated Milk Carnation, Pet or Borden	1 tall can 10c
[4]	Dalewood Oleo Margarine	1 lb. 22c
[4]	Honey Nut Oleo Margarine	1 lb. 18c
[4]	Jewel Shortening	1 lb. 19c
[3]	Pure Lard	1 lb. 17c
[1]	Smithfield Spread James River Brand	4 1/2 oz. jar 21c
[3]	Amber Deviled Ham	7 oz. jar 60c
[4]	Wesson Oil for salads, cooking	1 qt. 27c
[4]	Spry Shortening	1 lb. jar 24c

#### Blue Stamp Values

[18]	Standard Tomatoes	No. 2 10c
[11]	Green Beans Standard	1 can 14c
[2]	Hurff's Vegetable Juice	12 1/2 oz. 9c
[2]	Chicken Broth	1 can 8c
[14]	Mott's Applesauce	No. 2 11c
[15]	Red Hill Catsup	14 oz. 15c
[15]	Del Monte Catsup	14 oz. 17c
[3]	Holly Prune Juice	1 quart 21c
[5]	Tomato Juice Sunny Dawn	24 oz. 11c
[4]	Tomato Juice Libby's	20 oz. 10c

#### BABY FOODS

[2]	CLAPP'S STRAINED	7c
[2]	CLAPP'S CHOPPED	9c

FRESH FRUITS & VEGETABLES ARE NOT RATIONED

### SAFEWAY Homemakers' Bureau JULIA LEE WRIGHT, Director

#### NON-RATIONED VALUES

PABLUM	Baby Cereal large	18 oz. pkg. 34c
CLAPP'S	Baby Cereal or Oatmeal	2 8 oz. 25c
GERBER'S	Baby Cereal or Oatmeal	2 8 oz. 25c
BISCUIT MIX	Sapphire	8 oz. 7c
APPLE JUICE	Mott's	20 oz. bot. 10c
DELMONICO	Macaroni or Spaghetti	8 oz. 6c
MUELLER'S	Macaroni or Spaghetti	9c
CIGARETTES	Popular Brands	10 pkgs. 13c
PANCAKE FLOUR	Aunt Jemima	20 oz. 10c
KARO BLUE LABEL SYRUP		24 oz. 15c
BORAX	20 Mule Team	2 lb. 23c

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#### STALEY'S

Cube Starch 1 pkg. for 1 lb. when you buy 2 lbs. 16c

#### DURKEE'S DRESSING

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### FARM FRESH PRODUCE

#### PEACHES 2 lbs. 35¢

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Stringless Beans	Round, Fresh	1 lb. 13c
New Green Cabbage		2 lbs. 9c
Fresh Eggplant		1 lb. 12c
Parsnips		2 lbs. 19c
Fresh Tomatoes		1 lb. 7c
Red Sweet Potatoes		2 lbs. 23c
Rambo Apples		2 lbs. 25c

#### POTATOES

New, round white. 10 lbs. 32¢

Produce prices subject to daily market changes and to having stock on hand.

### VARIETY DOES IT!

WE'VE SURE BEEN EATING SOME FINE MEAT, ELLEN. THIS STEAK IS JUST RIGHT!

NEXT MORNING

OH, DEAR! WHAT WITH COMPANY COMING AND THAT STEAK WE HAD LAST EVENING, I HAVE A PROBLEM. WHAT AM I GOING TO DO FOR RED POINTS?

I MIND OF THOUGHT YOU'D LIKE IT, GEORGE. BUT IT COST A LOT OF POINTS—AND WITH THE BROWNS COMING FOR DINNER NEXT SUNDAY!



### SAFEWAY

WHY DON'T YOU TRY SOME OF THOSE, MRS. SMITH? THEY'RE FINE ON TOAST, WITH A RICH GRAVY SAUCE!

MY, THEY'RE CERTAINLY LOW IN POINT COST! LET ME HAVE ENOUGH FOR FOUR PEOPLE, WILL YOU?

NEXT SUNDAY

HOW DO YOU DO IT, ELLEN? GEORGE TOLD ME YOU HAD STEAK LAST WEEK, AND NOW THIS!

DARN GOOD, EH, JIM?

MY SAFEWAY MEAT MAN SUGGESTED IT—AND COMPARED TO OTHER MEATS THEY'RE PRACTICALLY NO POINTS A POUND! LAMB KIDNEYS ON TOAST!



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### Allis-Chalmers Strike Delayed Pending WLB Hearing September 11

By the Associated Press.  
 SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Aug. 30.—Threat of a walkout by production workers at two Springfield plants of the Allis-Chalmers Manufacturing Co. was withdrawn temporarily today, pending the outcome of a War Labor Board hearing in Washington September 11 of a union jurisdiction dispute.

Certification of the dispute between the United Farm Equipment and Metal Workers (CIO), recognized as bargaining agency at the plants until April, 1944, and District 50, United Mine Workers of America, to the WLB by Secretary of Labor Perkins was credited by District 50 officials with having "saved the situation."

Hugh White, District 50 regional director, had predicted a walkout beginning today, but a decision to delay such action and to accept a WLB invitation to be represented at the hearing was approved by an unopposed voice vote at a mass meeting sponsored yesterday by District 50.

Mr. White said most of the 165 persons who attended were members of District 50, which claims 1,500 members among eligible plant employees.

In a secret strike vote August 4 at the plants, the first of its kind in the Nation under the Antistrike Act, workers voted 1,005 to 836 their willingness to interrupt war production.

The Allis-Chalmers Co. in a newspaper advertisement, said "our hands are tied by law; there is nothing we can do about it." The advertisement said the company is unable to deal with District 50 because Local 120 of UFMW is the recognized bargaining agent.

### 98 D. C. Selectees Report Tomorrow

Ninety-eight District men will report to their respective services tomorrow.

Now on their post-induction furlough, the group includes 56 selectees for the Army, inducted August 24; five for the Marine Corps and two for the Coast Guard, inducted August 17. The list follows:

- |                       |                     |
|-----------------------|---------------------|
| Chaconas, Gus C.      | Hornstone, Max B.   |
| Kennedy, John J. Jr.  | Lucas, Edward A.    |
| Dickerson, R. L.      | Hays, Kenneth N.    |
| Davis, Robert W.      | Wedge, Leonard F.   |
| Deitchler, William E. | Burns, Lawrence P.  |
| Tirbat, Peter         | Sturkie, John C.    |
| Hardisty, John O.     | Garrison, C. H.     |
| Coppock, John O.      | Farmer, Albert M.   |
| Lois, Dean R.         | Obert, John E.      |
| Burnett, James T.     | Rubin, Arthur Z.    |
| Pine, Vincent         | Conner, Paul C.     |
| Bailey, Leo C.        | Groves, Malcolm H.  |
| Foster, Groves H.     | Smith, Donald K.    |
| Mattinelli, James B.  | Riley, Thomas D.    |
| Lyndberg, Eugene J.   | Siringham, L. W.    |
| Nichols, Herman       | Urciole, Paul A.    |
| White, William C.     | Weaver, Allen E.    |
| Cohen, Harold M.      | Hauchman, Aaron     |
| Dryzer, Oliver        | Apollman, Leslie A. |
| Groer, Samuel B.      | Hughfield, W. G.    |
| Glaser, Bernard       | Weedon, Carl W.     |
| Beane, G. H. Jr.      | Boskey, Bennett     |
| McGuire, Leo N.       | Duffield, Earl B.   |
| Motherhead, C. B.     | Lackate, Alexander  |
| Freeman, Joseph H.    | Payne, Calvin W.    |
| Vann, Charlie E.      | Branic, Josephus R. |
| Ooster, Elie M.       | Harrington, Hubert  |
| Brown, Julius         |                     |

### Nazis in Russia Using Shields Like Crusaders

By the Associated Press.  
 MOSCOW, Aug. 30.—The latest device the Germans have produced in their efforts to defend themselves against the Red Army's summer offensive is a portable armored shield something like the Crusaders used to carry.

The shields, measuring 30 by 50 inches, are placed about every 100 yards at important points and German troops hide behind them to fire on advancing Red Army men, according to Pravda, official Communist party newspaper.

The Germans also have produced steel and concrete boxes, holding six or seven men, which serve as ready-made fortifications, Pravda reported, adding that more than 70 of these were found along two and a half miles of the Donets Basin front.

### Murder

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 Tivoli Wine & Liquor Store, 3318 Fourteenth street N.W., also told police a man purchased liquor of the brand contained in a bottle found at the scene of the slaying at about 6 p.m. Saturday and returned about 11 p.m. in blood-stained clothing to buy more. Police said Mr. Nachman's description of the purchaser resembled that of the suspect.

Morton admitted he was with Mrs. Groome in the park Saturday afternoon, police said, but denied any connection with the slaying. Police said he told them he struck her when she attempted to get his money.

Morton told them he had met Mrs. Groome in January, police said. Clothing found in his room was identified by Miss Sherman as that worn by the blood-stained man she saw boarding the bus, they declared. Morton is about 5 feet 9 inches tall and weighs about 160 pounds.

Three Others Questioned.  
 Morton was the fourth man questioned in the case. The first was the person who found the body. He was freed immediately after questioning yesterday at the Eighth Precinct Station. Later a taxi driver

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and a railroad man were questioned and released.

The body of Mrs. Groome was jammed under a picnic bench near Pierce Mill, in one of the most popular spots in Rock Creek Park. The body was badly bruised and battered, her clothes were in disarray and the scene bore evidence of a terrific struggle.

Death had been caused by a skull fracture, apparently inflicted by a blunt instrument, police said. Mrs. Groome's dress had been torn from her body and one of her shoes was lying 6 feet away.

Meanwhile, laboratory tests were being made on the broken whisky bottles which were found at the scene and on a piling which had been wrenched with great force from a bench nearby. Coroner A. Magruder MacDonald was still conducting an examination of the body today.

**Geologist Finds Body.**  
 A 32-year-old geologist who was taking a walk through the park discovered Mrs. Groome's body about 8 a.m. yesterday.

Sensing at once that Mrs. Groome had been slain, the geologist, Edgar O. Bowles, who lives at 5000 Massachusetts avenue N.W., rushed to the nearest highway in search of aid. At the Rock Creek Bridge he

encountered Sgt. Reed Hammond and Pvt. C. F. Lowery of the 10th precinct.

After examination of the body, police said Mrs. Groome evidently had been killed between 10 p.m. and midnight Saturday.

Mrs. Edna Foltz, 54, a sister of the victim, told police Mrs. Groome left home at about 10 p.m. Saturday with a railroadman with whom she had been acquainted for about 14 years ago. Her first husband died and she was divorced from two others, Mrs. Foltz said.

Mrs. Foltz, an employe at Doctor's Hospital, said Mrs. Groome had worked at one time for the Red Cross and for the Government. She last saw her sister at 3:30 p.m. Saturday, when she boarded a streetcar at Fourteenth and R streets N.W. It is not known whether she rode or walked to the place in Rock Creek Park where her body was found.

Mrs. Groome was described as "a woman who merely came and went without saying much to anybody." She did not discuss her private

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affairs with her fellow workers, it was said.

Residents of the apartment house where Mrs. Groome and Mrs. Foltz resided said the sisters had been living in the apartment since late winter or early spring. When she first appeared, they said, Mrs. Groome was very quiet and reserved. Sometime later, they asserted, Mrs. Groome dyed her hair red and began

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You've never let her see you cry. Not once, since that telegram came and she twisted it all up in a little ball, then smoothed it and put it in the desk.

But, lying in bed, you play "Pretend"—pretend you can hear his step as he comes up to your room—pretend you can feel a stubble brush your forehead. And sometimes, in the dark, you can almost smell a cigarette-y suit close to your face.

Later you dream—dreams that you don't tell about. And in the morning you wake up with that funny, empty feeling in your stomach.



Poor little guy. We—all of us—wish there were something we could do. Perhaps there is. Why shouldn't it be this?

We can resolve that the plans your father had for you shall remain within your reach, that you shall have the chance to grow and learn, that your opportunities will be bounded only by your own get-up-and-go, that you will progress and prosper in direct relation to your own ability—in a land of freedom and opportunity.

Those are the things your Dad valued, the things for which he gave his life. Though some may strive to change all that—provide you with the "benefits" of an all-powerful government, the "advantages" of regimentation, the "blessings" of bureaucracy—we can resolve they won't succeed.

You, son, won't read these words, and if you did, they wouldn't mean much to you now. But your father's friends—known and unknown—are making you a promise, just the same.

You may never hear it from their lips. But if you were older you would read it in their faces—recognize it in their spirit. They are determined to keep America free. To keep it a land in which government is the servant, not the master of the people. To keep it the kind of America your Dad wanted to preserve—for you.

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Tosheff and others were factionalists with whom he was obliged to deal in terms of statecraft. To illustrate the difficulties of his position, let it be mentioned that in a single year—1924—there were approximately two hundred political assassinations in his realm.

The Timid Approach

Those anonymous Government officials who are advocating repeal of the thirty-day strike notice provision of the Smith-Connally law blend nicely into the picture of our weak and timid approach to any real solution of this country's wartime labor problem.

The Health Program

When all factors are considered, the \$5,000,000 budget proposed by Health Officer Ruhlman for the next fiscal year appears conservative rather than otherwise, calling for increases in personnel and facilities that are modest in relation to the size of wartime problems created by serious population overcrowding.

Boris of Bulgaria

When King Boris III married the Princess Giovanna of Savoy, third daughter of the King of Italy, in 1930, his bride greeted him with tears in her eyes. She knew the tragic legend of his country, the sorrowful story of the house of Coburg to which he belonged.

Thursday Banking Hours

While most of the banks have made provisions in the past for late afternoon business on at least four days a month, the change announced last week by President A. S. Offutt of the District Bankers' Association has the advantage of making more uniform the adjustment of the city's commercial business to suit the convenience of Government employees.

Nazis Facing Crisis In Scandinavia

Events in Northern Europe are beginning to form an interesting, pattern—perhaps by chance, perhaps by design.

War Prisoners' Labor

Outlines of the agreement between the War Manpower Commission and the War Department on employment of prisoners of war to meet domestic labor shortages indicate the extreme care with which our authorities are approaching this project.

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Union Fight On Law Falls On 2 Issues

By DAVID LAWRENCE. Although "political action" committees of the AFL and CIO are urging the defeat of members of Congress who voted for the Smith-Connelly law...



David Lawrence.

This could mean that the real objection of the AFL and CIO is limited to the two sections opposed by the President. Otherwise the AFL and CIO would be obliged, in order to be consistent, to oppose the re-election of President Roosevelt for a fourth term.

If, therefore, the CIO and AFL are going to rest their case on the two sections of the law to which Mr. Roosevelt objected, then these two labor organizations are saying in effect that they want the right to use union dues for political purposes and also that they oppose the filing of a 30-day notice of intention to call strikes.

Corporations Restricted.

A campaign based on those two issues would not be difficult to understand. The right of labor unions to be exempt from the same law which for years has prohibited corporations from using stockholders' money to make political campaign contributions is one that will interest the rank and file of labor unions throughout the country.

If public attention is to be focused in the coming political campaign on what is being done with workers' money and on the apparent insistence of high officers that political slush funds and lobby war chest be maintained, the way will be opened for a discussion of whether repeal of both the ban against labor unions and corporations should be sought.

As for the taking of the strike votes, the issue will test the position of the leadership of the national unions before the bar of public opinion. A simple law requiring notice of strike is being attacked on the ground that this provokes strikes. Actually the records show that before the 30-day cooling period expires, the notice of a strike becomes academic and the strike call in every instance is withdrawn.

The fact that in many plants, workers have voted to strike when the issue is put on a ballot is no reflection on the Smith-Connelly law, but raises the question of whether the anti-strike pledge given by the national unions and their leaders is one that the unions themselves can fulfill. It raises the question of the responsibility of labor unions and whether the leadership will be as effective as it has been in carrying out the terms of the informal pledge.

To Assume Great Importance. The widespread tale that the existence of the privilege of balloting on strikes causes agitation is fallacious. Wherever grievances or demands for wages are deeply rooted, they cause agitation anyway. It is true the Smith-Connelly law has added to the burdens of Federal agencies like the National Labor Relations Board and War Labor Board, but as soon as rival labor unions find they cannot upset collective bargaining elections by strike polls and when the machinery of the War Labor Disputes Act is fully set forth in a few key decisions, the law will take on the importance to labor that the National Railway Mediation Act has had for years.

On the Record—

By DOROTHY THOMPSON. When Mr. Litvinoff left Washington last May, informed persons knew he would not return. They also knew that he was deeply discouraged. He had been sent not as a mere ambassador, but as a great Soviet statesman, whose mission was to inaugurate a new policy and establish the basis of a sound and permanent co-operation between Russia and America in war and in peace.



Dorothy Thompson.

The orientation toward America would, it was hoped, become the main line in Soviet foreign policy. There were good historical reasons for this. In the history of both states there have always been antagonisms regarding internal administration, but never conflicts in foreign policy. Of all the people whom the Soviet government could have selected, Mr. Litvinoff was best fitted for the task.

Left Here Depressed. It is an open secret that when he left he was thoroughly depressed and felt he had failed in his mission. He had been unable to produce concrete results, either regarding military policy, or in the matter of Russia's western frontiers and strategic interests. Even more important was the general atmosphere in Washington, which appeared hostile to Russian influence wherever it might appear, and which seemed to find it unimportant to take account of the Russian attitude.

This situation, which was unhappy enough, has certainly not been improved by the enforced resignation of Mr. Sumner Welles.

When Mr. Litvinoff left there was an unclear situation in the State Department. The dominating position was occupied by the Secretary, whose interests have always been tariff questions and free trade, and who has displayed a deplorable lack of understanding of the larger political questions of Europe and the psychology of other peoples.

Favored Constructive Policy. Mr. Welles, as Undersecretary of State, was neither pro nor anti Russian, but acutely conscious of the supreme necessity of reaching basic agreements with all our Allies. Younger and more versatile than his chief, he knew that the time to reach decisions is in advance of major operations, and not after them. He was in favor of pursuing a more energetic and constructive policy. Or—to say it all more simply—he was in favor of a policy. He was not the man to be discouraged by difficulties that, frankly, were, and are, in the way. By that fact alone he was bound to come into conflict with the statute is championed by railroad labor.

Clearly, the AFL and CIO "Political Action" Committees are poorly advised in their tactics for, taken literally, their position amounts to a continued demand that the right to strike be unlimited in wartime and that labor unions be permitted to use their dues for political purposes. On neither of these issues, when thoroughly debated, would the labor politicians find themselves commanding public support.

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with the people who apparently believe that a policy is a luxury not to be afforded in wartime. Now, it has not been amusing to see how this difference of opinion and temperament degenerated into a bitter personal fight. To put it bluntly, it has been disgusting.

Through different channels, a personal smear campaign was begun against Mr. Welles, much of it a whispering campaign irrelevant, untrue and completely irrelevant in its nature. And whatever Mr. Welles did caused suspicion in Mr. Hull's bosom.

Welles Held Irreplacable. For instance, Mr. Welles was accessible to top-rank journalists, writers and editors, who have spent their lives in a study of foreign affairs and other countries and peoples. Always discreet, and impeccably loyal to his department, he felt the necessity of understanding what was going on in other people's minds. He was profoundly concerned about the political position of America in this war and in the world to come. And there is exactly one person who can take Mr. Welles' place and enjoy equal prestige amongst knowledgeable people in this country, in South America and abroad in general.

The situation was critical enough, and this move makes it more critical. It will cause distrust amongst the Russians, the French, the Latin Americans, the British, and the best informed Americans.

It is of no use to explain to other nations that there were domestic necessities impelling this move. If the President's authority with his own party is so weak that he must take a move which he well knows is, to say the least, internationally unfortunate, in order to hold a majority in line, what confidence can any nation have in the continuance of any policy?

Russian Relations at Stake. It has been proposed, as a way out, to send Sumner Welles as Ambassador to Moscow. Somebody of the caliber of Sumner Welles certainly should have been sent there a long time ago.

Of course, the thing that made the Davis absence in Quebec conspicuous was the presence there of Brendan Bracken, head of the British Ministry of Information, who is the English counterpart to Mr. Davis. Every other British official brought over by Prime Minister Churchill was matched by his American counterpart except Mr. Bracken.

As the Quebec conference had more publicity and was attended by a far larger number of newspapermen than any previous Anglo-American conference, the attendance of the heads of the information services seemed particularly timely and important. The British head was very importantly there, but the American head was not on hand.

Hardly His Own Choosing. Instead, his place was taken by the President's secretary, Stephen Early. Able and affable as Mr. Early is, this just was not his job and it very distinctly was Mr. Davis'. The incident is regrettable and the flimsy excuses made to cover it up in no way alter the fact that Mr. Davis, fresh from a trip abroad and personally knowing Mr. Bracken, was left behind.

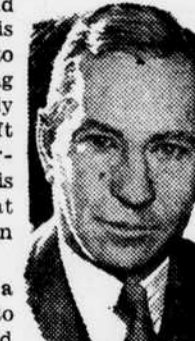
It is not reasonable to ascribe Mr. Davis' absence to his own volition. Either Mr. Roosevelt just forgot him or purposely ignored him. There seems no other explanation and the statute is championed by railroad labor.

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The Great Game of Politics—

By FRANK R. KENT. Attention has been called by several newspapers to the strange absence from the recent Quebec conference of Elmer Davis, head of our OWI, and there again is speculation as to whether, having been pointed out publicly, he would rather hold on to his job.



Frank R. Kent.

It seems a question as to which he would rather hold on to—his self-respect or his job. Some take one view; some the other. On the one hand, it is held that, on his return, the President will take some step to restore the damage done to Mr. Davis. He is extremely adept at that sort of thing. Some way or other, it is felt, he will find a way of soothing the naturally ruffled feelings of the OWI director.

On the other hand, it is contended that, coming on top of a lot of other things—mistakes, resignations, presidential spankings, congressional kickings around, etc.—this final and public humiliation may be a little more than even the somewhat impervious Mr. Davis can stand and he will be glad to get back to his radio-commentator field with a slightly diminished prestige and after a rather rueful experience.

Likely Not to Happen. However, the betting in Washington is rather against the Davis resignation. For one thing, it is said, Mr. Davis is not an easy man to offend. For another, while he resents criticism, nothing diminishes his finer consciousness of righteousness. He loves the limelight and, it is held, would stand a good deal more pushing around before moving out.

Participating in the discussion, which will take place in the Presidential Room of the Hotel Statler, will be William H. Davis, chairman of the War Labor Board; Joseph Padway, general counsel of the American Federation of Labor; and Lee Pressman, general counsel of the Congress of Industrial Organizations.

British Attorney General To Be Honored Here. Wartime labor laws in the United States and Great Britain will be discussed at a dinner to be held September 7 in honor of Sir Donald Somervell, British Attorney General, by the District Chapter of the National Lawyers' Guild.

It is natural since the American and the British governments have adopted the dogmatic policy of "unconditional surrender" while Moscow is willing to negotiate with a government which has no trace of Nazism in it.

But in his anxiety to show how absolutely false these rumors are Mr. Bracken forgets recent history. He states with the full authority his position gives him that "Great Britain and Russia have a treaty governing this point (a separate peace) and Soviet Russia has never broken its word."

This Changing World—

By CONSTANTINE BROWN. Secretary of State Hull and Brendan Bracken, British Minister of Information, issued simultaneous statements last Friday voicing their utter dissatisfaction with the written and spoken comments of certain members of the newspaper profession.



Constantine Brown.

The fact that both statements were synchronized tends to show that the matter had been discussed at the Quebec conference and the Secretary of State and the British cabinet undertook to fire a warning shot to those who were believed by the two governments to be provoking disunion among the United Nations and thus playing Hitler's game.

Mr. Hull's statement at his press conference was cautious and dealt in generalities. The Secretary is intimately acquainted with the American press and realizes that with the exception of a few trouble makers whom he suspects of having espoused causes alien to the real interest of this country the rest of the press and radio commentators are keenly interested in seeing this country come out of the war with its skin as intact as possible.

Hence, he did not call attention to any specific incident, but said that "a few of the writers and commentators whose utterances are easily distinguishable from those of all others in excess of zeal for one theory or another have dealt carelessly with the facts and have lent aid and comfort to the enemy."

Whether he referred to newspapermen and commentators who have espoused certain ideologies or with those who have spoken about matters which some people would like to have hushed up is a pure speculation.

Germany Seeks the Peace. Mr. Bracken was much more specific in his talk to the press in New York. With typical British frankness he labeled as "unconscious fifth columnists" those who fostered Nazi propaganda by spreading rumors that Russia might seek a separate peace with Germany.

In supporting his theory he made a couple of probably involuntary errors. He mentioned that rumors were spread in this country—assumedly by press and radio commentators—that Russia was seeking a separate peace. The truth, as far as it is known, is that hard-pressed Germany is seeking a separate peace with Russia.

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There were non-aggression pacts between Russia and Finland and Russia and Poland and while it is unpleasant to recall that both pacts were broken by the Soviet government they, unfortunately, are historical fact. There is as much danger in minimizing the possibility of German-Russian peace as there is in exaggerating it.

Fight for Russia. There is a strong tendency among those who present the situation to the American public to stress the view that all members of the United Nations must be brothers in the war and be moved by the same emotions. For instance, they want to picture the Russians as following the same pattern as ourselves. The fact is the Russian soldiers and their leaders are fighting primarily for Russia.

If by the success of their arms they destroy Hitlerism so much the better for all concerned. But we must treat our association with Russia as a business tie-up in which the Soviet government must seek and obtain what is best for the country. There are few if any Americans who do not hope and pray that the present association among the United Nations will remain and lead to establishment of a real world peace.

The American public has subscribed generously to the large sums which we are spending to help our Allies and will not grumble when the casualty lists from Europe become heavy. In the last war, whereas the allied nations with the exception of the United States obtained territorial advantages for which they actually fought, the people of this country wanted nothing; they fought for the slogan in which they believed—to make safe for democracy.

Twenty-one years later they discovered that democracy, or what appeared to be democracy from a distance, was in jeopardy again. Britain and France took up Hitler's challenge to save the territorial integrity of a questionably democratic republic, Poland. The American people and the Government did all they could within the framework of the Neutrality Act to help the hard-fighting democracies against the totalitarian states.

When the war is over the people of the United States will not wish to be faced with another conflict. It is admitted in the highest quarters here that some surprises might be forthcoming, although our high-ranking officials believe that a negotiated peace between Russia and Germany is an extremely remote possibility.

But since it is unpolicy and undiplomatic for the Government to mention the possibility it is necessary for the free press in this country to draw the attention of the public to the fact that, remote as it may be, such a possibility exists. If the possibility does become a reality the reaction of the American people might have a serious effect on the outcome of the war.

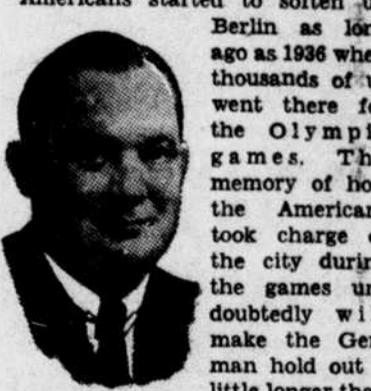
This effort to keep the American people informed of even a vague possibility does not mean it is playing into the hands of Herr Hitler and Herr Goebbels. Quite the contrary. Then came the Americans. They were the largest contingent, they were the best contingent. Everyone in the stadium wanted to know how the Americans would react when they passed before Hitler. You could almost hear breaths being held as our boys and girls came closer and closer with the Stars and Stripes leading the way.

They took Hitler in complete stride. He was still a housepainter in their books. They didn't straighten their backs as they approached and when they passed the box not so much as one head turned to the right. There was no saluting. No dipping of colors. No nothing. They just ambled on. You didn't get the feeling that our boys and girls were being disrespectful. You got the feeling, and don't think the Germans didn't get it, too, that being Americans the athletes felt they didn't have to go through the little rituals that the others felt they had to observe.

I say again that the Germans had a little taste of Americans in 1936. Man, do I want to be there when we go in there with real strength. If I am lucky enough to be there I am going straight for that jail and take a swing at the police lieutenant who fined me more marks than I was allowed to put on my expense account at the time. (Distributed by McNaughton Syndicate, Inc.) Rubber may be synthetic, but the will to victory must be genuine. Have you bought any War savings stamps today?

McLemore—Americans in '36 'Softened' Berlin

By HENRY McLEMORE. Berlin is about to be leveled by the British but the Americans deserve an assist.



Henry McLemore.

Americans started to soften up Berlin as long ago as 1936 when thousands of us went there for the Olympic games. The memory of how the Americans took charge of the city during the games undoubtedly will make the German hold out a little longer than they would like in this war just in order to keep the Americans from the gates.

My own contribution to the softening up of Berlin was an attempt to scale the wall of the Chancellery and sing, "Is it true what they say about Hitler," from the little balcony that extends from what I later learned to be Hitler's private sleeping quarters. All of this took place at 4 in the morning, and I was assisted in my effort to shimmy up to the balcony by a prominent midwestern banker. Naturally, I didn't get very far before members of Hitler's elite guard had me by the seat of the pants, hauled me down, and took me off to jail.

I spent some fine hours in that calaboose, being as no one in it spoke English and my German was (and is) limited to hum, heinie and donner und blitzen.

Drive on Swastikas. Every American seemed at one time or another to decide that he should have a swastika to take home with him. The shops sold them for a reasonable sum, but that wasn't the kind the Americans wanted. They craved the big one that flew from the flagpoles along Unter den Linden. Don't think they didn't get them, either. It was not an uncommon sight to see as many as three Americans at once ignoring policemen and valiantly climbing the pole to yank down the Nazi flag.

But as good as the Americans were at removing swastikas we did not have a man who could touch a wily little Canadian who spent every waking moment removing swastikas from wherever they were. Apparently he didn't go to Berlin with any intention of seeing the Olympic games. He worked like a little beaver from morning until night destroying swastikas. The American Olympic athletes themselves didn't do anything to encourage the Germans in their belief that they are supermen. Not only did they beat the daylight out of the huns in feats of strength and stamina, but they gave their German pride an awful shellacking on that fine morning when the games opened with the impressive parade of the nations.

Americans Don't Bow. The American athletes were the last of the visiting Nations to swing through the giant portals of the stadium. Before them the athletes of England, France, Belgium, Holland, Norway, Poland, and all the other countries had passed in snappy formation before Hitler's box. Colors were lowered, and command "eyes right" was obeyed, and in many instances the Nazi salute was given to Der Fuehrer.

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ARCHIBALD, WILLIAM. On Monday, August 30, 1943, WILLIAM ARCHIBALD...

BELL, LILLIAN B. On Friday, August 27, 1943, LILLIAN B. BELL...

BRUNKEN, EDWIN HERMAN. On Sunday, August 29, 1943, EDWIN HERMAN BRUNKEN...

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CONTE, EDITH. On Monday, August 30, 1943, EDITH CONTE...

COSTELLO, HESTER FAY. On Saturday, August 28, 1943, HESTER FAY COSTELLO...

Alabama Mine Blast Death Toll Set at 21; 23 Others Burned

By the Associated Press. BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Aug. 30.—Twenty-one dead were counted today from the two gas explosions which late Saturday early yesterday...

Second Blast More Violent. E. I. Evans, Southern district manager for Republic, said in a statement...

Had Been Inspected. Sayreton, third largest coal producer in Alabama, employs approximately 1,000 on all shifts, but the No. 1 opening was not affected...

Braths. MURRAY, MARGARET M. On Saturday, August 28, 1943, at the home of her daughter...

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PRESTON, NELLIE. On Sunday, August 29, 1943, NELLIE PRESTON, daughter of the late Alice Preston...

SMITH, C. BROWN. On Saturday, August 28, 1943, C. BROWN SMITH...

STOKES, MARCUS BUTLER. On Sunday, August 29, 1943, MARCUS BUTLER STOKES...

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BIRMINGHAM, Ala.—HE ESCAPED MINE EXPLOSION—Andy M. King, a member of the rescue squad trapped in the Republic Steel Corp. coal mine here, describes the scene to reporters.

lamps and with safety hats and shoes. Andy M. King, 31-year-old miner, a member of a volunteer rescue squad...

Fire-Prevention Week Set by President; Huge Losses Cited. By the Associated Press. President Roosevelt today designated the week starting October 3 as Fire Prevention Week...

Williams F. Lemon Rites Scheduled for Today. Honorary pallbearers for Williams F. Lemon, deputy clerk of District Court...

Robert M. Libbey Dies; Funeral Rites Friday. Funeral services for Robert M. Libbey, 82, of Washington, who died yesterday at Emergency Hospital...

Gabriel B. Taylor Dies; Christadelphian Leader. Gabriel Bradstreet Taylor, 73, a leader among the Christadelphians, a religious sect, died yesterday of a heart attack...

Illinois Manufacturer Found Dead in Hotel Here. Victor S. Johnson, 61, president of the Mantle Lamp Co. of America and a resident of Oak Park, Ill., was found dead yesterday in his room at the Willard Hotel...

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Funeral Rites Tomorrow for Brig. Gen. Stokes. Funeral services for Brig. Gen. Marcus B. Stokes, 75, retired, who died yesterday at Walter Reed General Hospital...

Italian People Irked By Reported Flight Of Ciano and Family

By the Associated Press. AT THE SWISS FRONTIER, Aug. 30.—The reported flight of Count Galeazzo Ciano, former Italian Foreign Minister and son-in-law of Benito Mussolini, today angered the Italian people who considered him one of those most responsible for the Fascist regime...

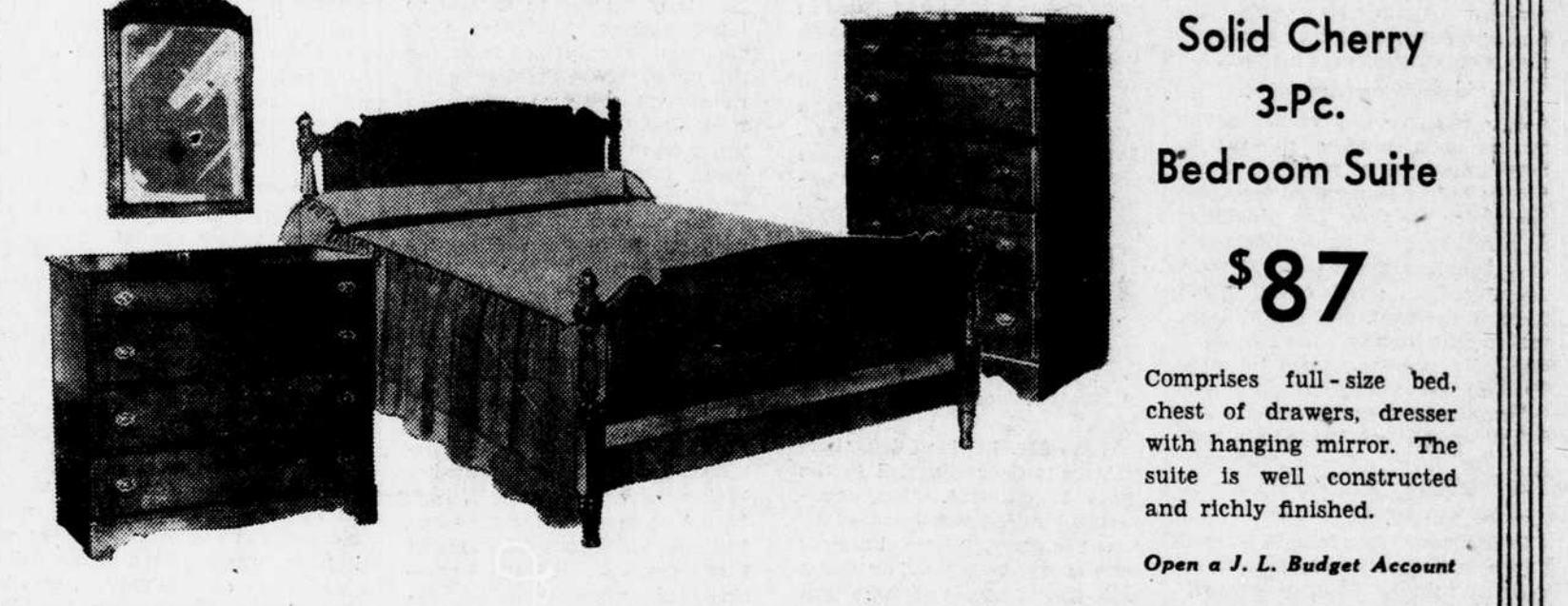
the police around his home and escaped. The Swiss Telegraphic Agency dispatch estimated the fortune Ciano built under Fascism at many millions of dollars.

Skill Was Too Close. PHOENIX, Ariz. (P)—A private, somewhat shaggy, failed to pass inspection. "There was no one to cut my hair," he explained. He's the company barber.

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### Fortresses Hit Orte, Rail Center 40 Miles From Italian Capital

By the Associated Press.

**ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN NORTH AFRICA, Aug. 30**—Flying Fortresses struck at Orte, railway center 40 miles north of Rome, for the first time, and medium bombers delivered heavy new blows at vital rail targets at Torre Annunziata on the Bay of Naples yesterday in the methodical daily destruction of the Italian communications system.

At the same time light and medium bombers, divebombers and fighters ranged far and wide over the toe of Italy, laying waste the enemy's gun positions, rail and road links and encountering only slight opposition in the area already reported nearly deserted.

After the heavy pounding by American B-26 Marauders, Torre Annunziata railway yards again were smashed today by RAF and Canadian Wellingtons.

**20 Enemy Planes Destroyed.**

Twenty enemy planes were destroyed in the day and night operations. 17 of them shot down by bombers and a fighter escort in the raids on Orte and Torre Annunziata. Three Allied planes are missing, an Allied headquarters communique said.

Yesterday's far-reaching air attacks followed a bombardment of an enemy artillery battery on the Calabrian coast near Cape Pellaro Saturday afternoon by a British cruiser and destroyer. The return fire of the coastal batteries was ineffective, an Allied naval announcement said.

British Boston and Baltimore bombers and American B-25 Mitchells and P-40 Warhawks participated in the concerted attacks on the Italian toe, hitting gun positions near Reggio Calabria and San Giovanni on the eastern shore of Messina Strait, railway junctions at Cosenza and freight yards at La Mezia. A-36 Invaders also scored a direct hit on a temporary bridge over the Angitola River.

**Explosions in Freight Yards.**

The marauders rained bombs on a large concentration of boxcars in the Torre Annunziata freight yards south of Vesuvius, causing a large explosion and many fires.

The most determined enemy opposition of the day was encountered by the Marauders when about 50 enemy fighters attacked them.

The Fortresses, which employed their customary high-level precision bombing tactics at Orte, had scant trouble with the enemy fighters. Orte, which is one of the important points on the Rome-Florence rail line, was chosen to receive its first taste of Fortress bombing after high-flying American raiders on successive days had smashed at Sulmona, 100 miles east of Rome, and Terni, 40 miles north of the Italian capital.

Torre Annunziata has been one of the favorite targets of the ceaseless campaign to wipe out Southern Italy's communications. It had been battered on two nights by Wellingtons.

Rome reported in its daily communique, recorded by the Associated Press, that Orte, Salerno and Catanzaro had been raided and that considerable damage was caused. Seven Allied aircraft were reported shot down.

Italian and German air formations attacked Allied naval units in the port of Augusta, the communique said, adding that one oil tanker of 8,000 tons was seen to explode and another of equal tonnage set afire. An attack on an Allied convoy in the Western Mediterranean by German bombers was said to have damaged a battleship and cruiser.

**Messina Area Undeclared.**

A complete lack of defensive action around the Messina Strait and deeper inland surprised tactical air force raiders as they gave the Calabrian coast another concentrated blasting. One RAF fighter leader declared the area appeared "dead and deserted."

Air force officials, however, were reluctant to attach any immediate significance to the lack of flak or other signs of enemy activity.

Previously, both anti-aircraft guns and artillery had been very active in that area.

One of the heaviest of the week end attacks was delivered in daylight Saturday by American Liberators from the Middle East against shipping and rail installations at Taranto, important naval base on the Italian heel.

Attacking in two waves, the Liberators made a direct hit on a large cruiser in the harbor and a near miss on a medium-sized vessel believed to be a transport. The main station was hit and a freight train in the yards was seen to explode.

On the previous night, British Liberators and Halifaxes from the Middle East started fires in a chemical works at Crotona on the sole of the Italian boot and returned without loss.

Saturday's deepest penetration into Italy was made by Flying Fortresses of the North African Force. They struck briefly at railroad yards at Terni, 45 miles north of Rome.

Large numbers of enemy fighters were encountered by the Fortresses and also by medium bombers which attacked many other communications targets in the Naples area. Twenty-eight were reported shot down against an Allied loss of eight planes. Another enemy fighter was destroyed by the Crotona raiders Friday night.

Attacks in the Naples area were led by Mitchells and Marauders, which hit the rail yards at Cancello about 12 miles northeast of Naples, and at Aversa, 15 miles to the north, and shot up radio installations on the islands of Ventotene off the coast.

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### Goebbels Tells Berlin People To Stay Home

By the Associated Press.

**LONDON, Aug. 30**—A mass migration of Berlin residents to the fields and forests surrounding the city to escape future Allied air raids has been barred by Propaganda Minister Joseph Goebbels, according to dispatches from Spain.

Goebbels' instructions are that "nobody in Berlin may leave his home at night without an approved reason," the Berlin correspondent of the Madrid newspaper ABC said, explaining that the rule was adopted to force all residents to help clean up the damage following attacks.

Although the city has been spared for the last few nights no one expected the immunity to last and the Spanish correspondent noted the population was bitterly despondent and weary. Only a small portion of the debris left by the RAF last Monday night had been removed from the city's main streets, the correspondent said.

### Landlord's Appeal From Fine Overruled

The Municipal Court of Appeals has dismissed an appeal by James A. Yeager, rooming house operator, from his conviction several months ago on eight charges of violating District rooming house regulations.

The appellate court held the appeal was not properly filed since, in cases where the penalty imposed is less than \$50, the defendant has only the right to make application for an appeal.

Fined \$25 on each charge, a total of \$200, Yeager had filed a notice of appeal.

The opinion, written by Judge Andrew Hood, said "each case was

a single judgment from which there was no right of appeal but only the right to make application for an appeal. The right of appeal is a statutory right and the jurisdiction of this court is purely statutory.

"We have no discretion to entertain appeals not taken in accordance with the statute and we cannot extend the language of the statute."

Yeager was convicted of operating four houses without rooming house licenses and failure to provide adequate bath facilities in each of the houses.

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### Tillie Feels Silly And Evades Rescue

By the Associated Press.

**SALT LAKE CITY**—Tillie Coletti, secretary in the State Publicity Department, said the funniest thing that ever happened to her was this:

"I was walking across a narrow bridge late at night when the headlights of a car startled me so much I forgot I was on the bridge and fell into the canal. The man driving the car got out and looked for me—but I felt so silly I waited under the bridge until he left."

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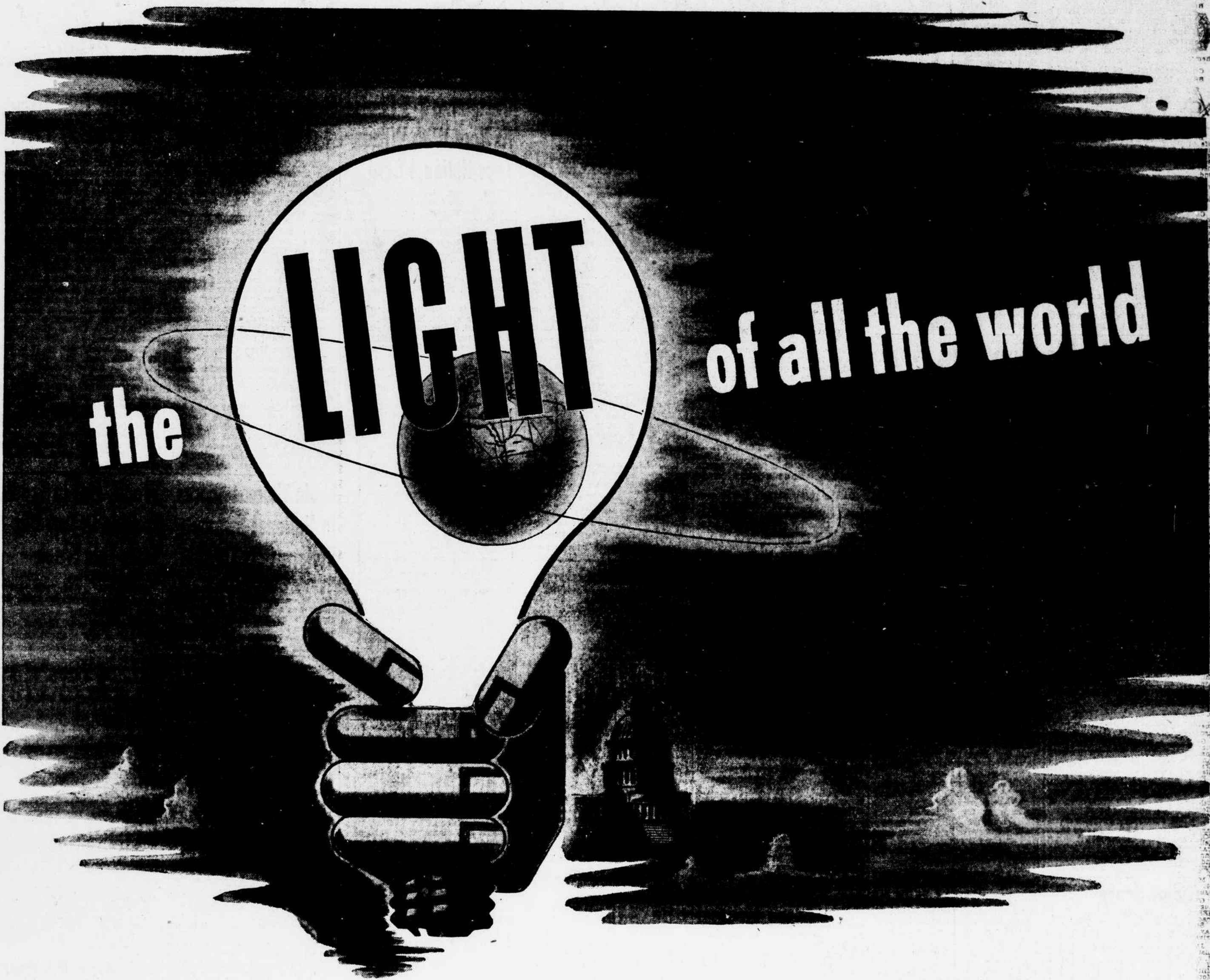
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Win, Lose or Draw

By GRANTLAND RICE, Special Correspondent of The Star. Football to Show Unexpected Strength

NEW YORK, Aug. 30 (NANA)—There will be gaps in the ranks—many gaps—but within a short while football will show unexpected strength on both the pro and service-college side.

The pros will be far stronger than any one figured they would be six months ago. And the Navy has sent enough fancy talent to take good care of a large college group, and give each section fast-moving and scrappy contests through the fall.

After all, the Navy got its share of college football stars from the 80,000 students they are sending back for war training, and from this collection there are several hundred names remembered from last year's program.

And it won't be long now. The first big All Star-Redskins collision is only a few days behind, as September catches more action than the first autumn month ever saw before.

Redskins Retain Class Just a few months back the pro outlook was about as deep and dark as the mouth of a railroad tunnel. It looks different now. Mr. George Preston Marshall's Washington Redskins, defending champions, will be something to suppress.

Sammy Baugh once gives them a decided jump on the field. And he isn't the only star they have left, not overlooking a powerful line that includes the 280-pound Wee Willie Wilkins.

In close pursuit of the Redskins you are likely to find Curley Lambeau's Green Bay Packers, the Chicago Bears and the New York Giants.

Director Lambeau was lucky to get Don Hutson back. The Packers may miss Cecil Isbell, but Don still will be dangerous with any passer who can keep the ball in the same county.

Curley will have a pretty good football team ready for the opening whistle. Lambeau has good stuff on hand and you can bank on him to do his share.

Giants and Bears Strong Large Steve Owen of the Giants admits that he will have a much better ball club than he hoped to have some while back.

"I'm not saying we can handle the Redskins," Steve said, "but nobody is going to shove us around. We have a good, big line and we

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No Mistake Earns Hunter Title Over Hollejo at Silver Spring

By LARRY LAWRENCE. Recruit turned in a smooth performance to win the pairs of hunters. No Foolin, latest acquisition of Mrs. Gardner Hallman, gave a consistent performance in his introduction to local show circles.

Five-gaited saddle horse—Won by Wayne Moore's Spide of Life, second, Mr. Hartzler's Red Boy, third, M. L. Sennard's Ribland, lead.

Open hack—Won by June Curran's Needmore, second, Frances Crouse's Hollojo, third, name Hunter, No Foolin, fourth, Eva Rabbit's Jack's Queen.

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Costantino 7-5 Choice As Bout With Wilson Tops National Card

Two fancy, top-flight featherweights, Lulu Costantino, East Side New Yorker, and Jackie Wilson, Pittsburgh Negro, tangle for 10 rounds at Griffith Stadium tonight in a battle that gives promise of being the best so far this summer.

Costantino is rated a 7-5 choice tonight, largely on his punching ability and boxing skill. They are expected to be duking the tough little East Side slugger which makes him a dangerous customer.

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Cincinnati's Hot Drive Bags 14 of 18 Games; York Misses Mark

By TED MEIER, Associated Press Sports Writer. It seems far-fetched, but there is a possibility that the Cincinnati Reds may overhaul the St. Louis Cardinals in another of those hot September finishes usually associated with the National League.

A quick glance at the standings shows the Cards out in front by 10½ games with only 34 left to play. The standings fall to show, however, that in the last two weeks the second-place Reds apparently have found themselves. In that next week end, the senior loop will witness another do-or-die right down to the wire.

Reds Draw Record Crowd. The largest crowd in the history of Crosley Field—38,017, including 35,475 paid—turned out in Cincinnati yesterday and watched the Reds win the opener, 5 to 3, and lose the nightcap, 3 to 2, in 11 innings, after coming from behind to tie the score in the ninth on Max Marshall's single.

Elmer Riddle received credit for his 17th win in the first game, although it took Clyde Shoun's relief pitching to stop the Cards from the seventh on. In the nightcap it was Max Lanier who kept the Cards' lead from being shaved to 8½ games.

Taking the mound in the 10th Lanier pitched two perfect innings, striking out four of the six batters to face him. In addition he singled to start the 11th and eventually scored the winning run on Walker Cooper's one-baser.

Rudy York, Detroit slugger, clouted two homers as the Tigers beat the St. Louis Browns twice, 15 to 5 and 4 to 2, but fell one shy of tying his record of socking 18 round-trippers in one month. The Tigers are idle today and tomorrow, thus costing York a chance to break the record.

Yanks' Killers Big Help. Charley Keller and Roy Weatherly each walked two homers and Spud Chandler won his 17th of the season in the first game, thus costing York a chance to maintain his 9½-game edge in the American League.

Keller's second homer and his 24th of the season came with one on in the ninth inning of the first game and tied the score at 4-4. In the 10th Weatherly walked his first hit, a home run, to give the Yanks a 6 to 4 lead. The Yanks took the nightcap easily, 5 to 1, behind Chandler's five-hit twirling and Weatherly's single, triple and home run. It was the first time the Yanks have beaten Huggins in nine tries.

Rip Sewell of Pittsburgh failed to hit in his first 20-game winning in the majors when the Chicago Cubs knocked him out of the box with a seven-run uprising in the ninth to win the first game of a twin bill, 11 to 2. The Pirates gained a split by taking the nightcap, 3 to 1, on Hank Grzanich's pre-hit pitching.

Major League pitcher Albie Reynolds pitched Cleveland to a double win over the Chicago White Sox, 2 to 1 and 6 to 1. Harder yielded five hits and Reynolds was touched for seven blows, but had an easier time aided by Jeff Heath's 18th homer and Russ Fegan's four hits.

Dodger Hurler Sparkle. With their two starters going the distance for the first time in weeks Brooklyn swept a double-header from the Phillies, 3 to 1 and 8 to 0. Whit Wyatt pitched perfect ball for six innings of the opener, then yielded six runs in winning, 3 to 1. Ed Head likewise held the Phillies to six hits. Arky Vaughan, Dodger shortstop, made his 2,000th major league hit in the second game.

Jim Tobin and Al Javery each won his 12th game of the season in pitching the Boston Braves to a double triumph over the New York Giants 4 to 1 and 1 to 0.

Scramble for Juvenile Racing Title May Last Till Derby Day

By the Associated Press. NEW YORK, Aug. 30—Like a kid who finds out on Fourth of July what Santa Claus left him last Christmas, the turf's 2-year-old steppers probably won't know who their real champ is until about Derby Day next spring.

With the sub-par set of colts knocking each other off regularly and the fillies failing the colts, the whole juvenile title set-up is as scrambled as chicken hash.

And, unless some youngster comes along in the Washington Park Futurity Saturday or the Belmont and Pimlico Futurities later in the fall to straighten it out, there's a distinct possibility the headman will remain a mystery until next spring.

Others in Same Class. In the same league as R. Sterling Clark's Maryland Hope, Smolensko, which closed 15 lengths to finish second in the Grand Union Hotel stakes a week ago; Professor Lee, owned by Henry Lustig, New York restaurant man, and winner by 5 lengths in his only start; Warren Wright's Pensive, which may turn out to be the fair-haired boy of the Blue Grass next May; George Widener's Lucky Draw, which took four straight early in the summer and then went to the hospital; and James Powers' Detroit-owned Nelson Dunstan, named after a sports writer, but which runs like a good colt in spite of it.

Leola Thomas Scores In National Swims; Riviera Gets Title. In the first of the first day of hostilities, Sawin's charges were defeated with Jack Cody's Multnomah Club squad from Portland, Ore., at 10 points apiece, but it was strictly a "one-hoss" race from the start.

When the girls called it a day Saturday Riviera was out of reach with 37 points, 16 ahead of Multnomah and 22 over third place Women's Swimming Association of New York.

To Annulations yesterday showed Leola Thomas of Ambassador Club of Washington, D. C., was the lone Capital scorer on the final day of the meet. She was third in the 100-meter medley, trailing Catherine Breen of the Akron (Ohio) Firestones and Florence Schmitt of New York's WSA. Miss Breen set a national junior record in winning in 4:48.2.

One New Senior Mark. Only one new record was set in the senior events. That was a stinging 1:24.3 performance by Jane Dillard of Fort Worth, Tex., in the 10-meter breaststroke. Her time bettered the mark of 1:26.6 set by Edith Pemberton in 1939.

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Skins Drill Against Packer Aerial Duo

Relieved from heavy duty during their defeat last Wednesday night in Chicago the Redskins will scrimmage at their College Park training field either tomorrow or Wednesday.

Bergman wants the men to perfect their defense technique against such passes as those tossed by Glenn Dobbs at Chicago, when the Skins were beaten by the College All-Stars 27 to 7.

Bergman realizes his lads will be going up against the toughest testing combination in pro football next Sunday when the Green Bay Packers will be met in an exhibition at Baltimore Municipal Stadium. Don Hutson, rated the finest pass receiver in football, and probably Cecil Isbell, who means the skin to the left and right, will be with Green Bay. Tickets for this game are much in demand, reports Redskins General Manager Sid Carroll, who again warns that season ticket sales for local Redskins games will end tomorrow after which seats will be placed on public sale without priority rights.

Three Sundays of action stretch ahead of the pro football champs. In addition to the Green Bay game, the Chicago Bears will be met September 12, also at Baltimore, and the Chicago Cardinals at Buffalo, September 28.

Yanks Batter Paige, Get Revenge for D. C. Loss CHICAGO, Aug. 30.—Washington Homestead Grays gained a measure of revenge for a recent defeat handed them in Washington by the Kansas City Monarchs by defeating that club, 7-4, in a baseball game yesterday.

With Catcher Josh Gibson leading the batting attack, the Grays forced Pitches Leroy (Satchel) Paige from the game after five innings. The Grays' big inning was the first when three runs were scored.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 30.—Winning the national junior girls tennis tournament wasn't enough of a day's work for 18-year-old Doris Hart.

After trimming Dorothy Head of Alameda, Calif., 6-3, 6-3, for the singles title at the Philadelphia Cricket Club yesterday—and doing it in 33 minutes—the slender June graduate of a Miami, Fla., high school took a partner and annexed the doubles title.

With 16-year-old Shirley Fry of Akron, Ohio, she defeated Betty Rosenquest of South Orange, N. J., and Lillian Loudas of New York, 6-4, 10-8, rallying from 2-5 in the second set.

League Statistics

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### Johnsen D. C. Tennis Champ; Doubles to Murphy, Suter

Davey Johnsen holds two of the important tennis championships decided here this summer to rank as Washington's No. 1 player of the year. He was upset in the Middle Atlantic tourney by the unheralded Bill Gifford of Hartford, Conn., but otherwise he swept the important competitions, taking the City of Washington title in The Star tournament early in the spring and finishing the series of important events by winning the District championship yesterday.

Scores at the Edgemoor Club as he defeated Hugh Lynch in the final were 7-5, 6-0, 6-2. The doubles title was won by Lt. Dick Murphy and Cliff Suter with a 6-3, 6-4, 6-6, 6-4 triumph over Lt. John Van Ryn and Bud Chandler.

An upset appeared in the making as Lynch stepped ahead of Johnsen to start the singles and led 5-3. Davey, however, changed his style to a driving forehand and backhand, and then ran up an unusual string of 14 consecutive games, taking the second set at love and leading 4-0 in the third before Lynch was able to put out the fire.

### Rippy Standout to Win Washington Club Links Crown

By WALTER McALLUM.

Just as he was in the qualification round Claude Rippy, the elongated North Carolinian with the scarred cheek, is a standout to win the Washington Golf and Country Club links championship. Minus the presence of Lt. Ralph S. Fowler, U. S. N., the defending champ, Rippy should breeze through the field in the title tourney whose match play rounds get under way this week over the Virginia course. Nor was Rippy expected to win the medal, which he accomplished with a 3-over-par 73. He meets E. R. Holze in the opening round. Other first flight pairings are:

First flight—J. B. Evans vs. John C. Holzberg, Rod Arien vs. Lt. J. W. Orend, J. Kirschner vs. Lt. F. S. Fenner, Ken Binstman vs. Maj. James Whitaker, Harold Hair vs. Lt. Tracy L. R. Boone, Dr. W. R. McLister, Maj. R. F. Alexander vs. P. W. Coffer.

Second flight—D. B. Tuxhorn vs. Paul Perkins, Dr. C. M. Gray vs. Lt. R. S. Johnson, Lt. C. F. Blandin vs. B. B. Camp, C. A. Land vs. J. S. Nichols, Lt. J. A. Schoas vs. H. S. Swarthout, Lt. J. A. Jones vs. C. F. Grimm, R. W. Westwood vs. R. Kaufman, H. P. Bissell vs. R. W. Ayers.

Third flight—Capt. G. Thomas vs. R. E. Wilson, R. E. Chadin vs. D. R. Monser, Dr. E. T. Nohars vs. Gus Lingery, W. C. Clever vs. Lt. Comdr. C. F. Lynch, George F. Rutherford vs. Lt. J. Lang, Jack Joslin vs. Lt. G. W. Knight, H. E. Wilby, Clyde Kellogg, H. F. Lawson vs. R. L. Hutchinson.

**Bob Early Wins Junior Title.**

Bob Early, son of Felix Early, and nephew of White House Secretary Steve Early, won the Washington junior championship with a card of 84. Second was Brian Bell, son of the late Associated Press Washington Bureau chief, with 85. H. M. Bryington and A. W. Lloyd won their way to the final of the Birney Cup tourney, beating W. E. McDonald and Ralph S. Jones.

Betty Ling, a newcomer from New York, is the new women's champion at Indian Spring. She licked Mrs. Marty Gordon, 6 and 5, in the final over a slow course yesterday. The new champion works for Uncle Sam and Pro Mel Shorey says she is one of the best linkswomen around town.

Ensign Ralph Bogart, now a Navy flyer, was the hot number in a star foursome at Indian Spring. The former District champ played the long course in 2-under-par 68, and with FBI Agent Billy Shea whipped Charley Malone and Claude Rippy, 4 and 3. Ralph, former District champ, is very much on his game.

In the women's tourney at Indian Spring Mrs. R. E. Zuber and Mrs. Earl Clary have reached the final in the second flight. Third-flight finalists are Mrs. Al Lazzari and Mrs. William O'Brien. Mrs. B. H. Burrows won the third flight consolation, beating Mrs. Carl Jorg, 3 and 2.

**Clines Kenwood Victor.**

H. H. (Spike) Clines, now the Chairman of the Board of Governors Trophy at Kenwood, a 36-hole medal play handicap. Clines wound up with a subpar 69 yesterday to add to an 80 for a medal score of 149, and a net 141, with an 8 handicap. Second were W. H. Wenzel, 77-72-6-143, and Charles L. Valle, 75-80-12-143.

Back in town is Pro Al Houghton, who has spent several months in Brazil on Government work. Al says he contracted malaria while on the job. He looks ready to break par again.

### Culp, Nelson Outbowl Week-End Rivals

Stewart Culp, 93-average Silver Spring bowler, and Arthur Nelson, District League sharpshooter, were week-end tournament victors after the former posted a gross 746 in the Red Cross handicap at Brookland Recreation and the latter hit the maples for 654 in the Colonial Village event.

Sue Stokes of Silver Spring tallied 175-734 to land second place in the Red Cross event. Bill King, metropolitan match-game champion, had top scratch set of 646.

Nelson, member of Colonial Village's new District League team, won the Virginia tournament by 41 pins over Bill Hubbard of Northeast Temple.

In added attractions at Brookland, a mixed team beat Bratburd Pigettes, 1,612 to 1,610, while Lois Cladding and Karl Gochenour defeated Ruth McClintic and Gordon Remsburg, 1,229 to 1,176.

A meeting of Bethesda Business Men's League will be held tonight at the Boulevard at 8.

**Eastern Branch Gets Title**

Eastern Branch baseball team defeated Manor Park, 13-0, to win the Eastern Division championship in the Boys' Club of Washington Baseball League. Bernie Myles pitched a three-hit game for the winners.

### Gray, Given a 'Day', Does It Up Brown

By the Associated Press.

MEMPHIS, Aug. 30.—It was "Pete Gray day" at the Memphis baseball park yesterday and the one-armed Chick outfielder showed his appreciation to Southern Association fans by rapping out five hits in seven times at bat, handling seven chances afield without a bobble, stealing a base and pulling an unassisted double play.

## Where To Go What To Do

**CONCERTS.**

Navy Band, Capitol Plaza, 7 o'clock tonight.

Marine Band, Marine Barracks, 8 o'clock tonight and 12:30 p.m. tomorrow.

"Music of the Masters," Jewish Community Center, 8:30 o'clock tonight.

**RECREATION.**

Wash Club for War Workers, 4 p.m. to 11 o'clock tonight. Fox trot and waltz dance class, 8:30 o'clock tonight.

**FOR MEN IN THE SERVICE.**

Stage Door Canteen, Belasco Theater, tonight; Dorothy Taylor and Jean Seaman, Army Air Forces Dance Band and Capitol Theater show.

Tickets to shows and sports events, "The Hut," E street at Pennsylvania Avenue N.W., 4 p.m. to 8:30 o'clock tonight.

Pepsi-Cola Center, 9:30 a.m. today to 12:30 a.m. tomorrow. First three floors open to servicewomen.

Masonic Service Center, 1 p.m. to 10 o'clock tonight.

**Officers.**

Officers' Club of the United Nations, Burlington Hotel, 10 a.m. to 10:30 o'clock tonight. Introductory cards to concerts and entertainment.

Swimming and golf, Kenwood Country Club, all day. Guest cards at Burlington Hotel.

**Servicemen.**

Classes and Study Groups.

"Games, Central Center, 7:30 o'clock tonight.

Swimming, 5 p.m.; dance instruction, 8:30 o'clock tonight; Jewish Community Center (USO).

"Beginners' French, 7 o'clock; square dancing, 8 o'clock tonight; Thompson Center.

"Spanish class, discussion group, Northeast USO, 1912 North Capitol street, 7:30 o'clock tonight.

"Social dancing, games, Roosevelt Center, 8 o'clock tonight.

**Recreation.**

Refreshments, voice recordings, Salvation Army (USO), 6 o'clock tonight.

Dance, special floor show, Rhoads Service Club, 8 o'clock tonight.

Square dancing, YWCA (USO), 8:30 o'clock tonight.

"Supper club, games, Northeast USO, Sixth and Maryland avenue N.E., 6 o'clock tonight.

"Amateur camera and movie guild, NCCS (USO), 925 G street N.W., 7:30 o'clock tonight.

Dance, refreshments, hostesses, Servicemen's Club No. 1, 8 o'clock tonight.

**FOR COLORED SERVICEMEN.**

"Open house, Leisure Lodge, noon to midnight tonight.

"Archery and photography lessons, games, YMCA (USO), 2 p.m. today.

"Open house, Hearststone War Workers' Club, 1703 Eleventh street N.W., 4 p.m. to 11 o'clock tonight.

Dance, 9 o'clock tonight.

"Baking cookies, outdoor recreation, YWCA (USO), 7 o'clock tonight.

"Variety show, Bancker Service Club, 8 o'clock tonight.

"War workers welcome.

For details call USO information booth, NA, 2831.

### Softies Launch Tourney To Decide M. A. Entry

Two games tonight at Washington Stadium open the District softball championship series. At 8 o'clock, Engineering and Research, Twilight League champs, tackle Briggs Clarifiers. This will be followed by a game between Garvin's Grill, winner of the Night Owl League title, and Westminster, champ in the Southwest Recreation loop.

The tournament winner here will compete on Saturday in the one-day tourney in Baltimore for the Middle Atlantic title and the right to represent this section in the nationals at Detroit. The Maryland crown is being decided in Baltimore tonight between Dr. Pepper of Frederick and the Cummins Blues, winners last year of the Middle Atlantic championship.

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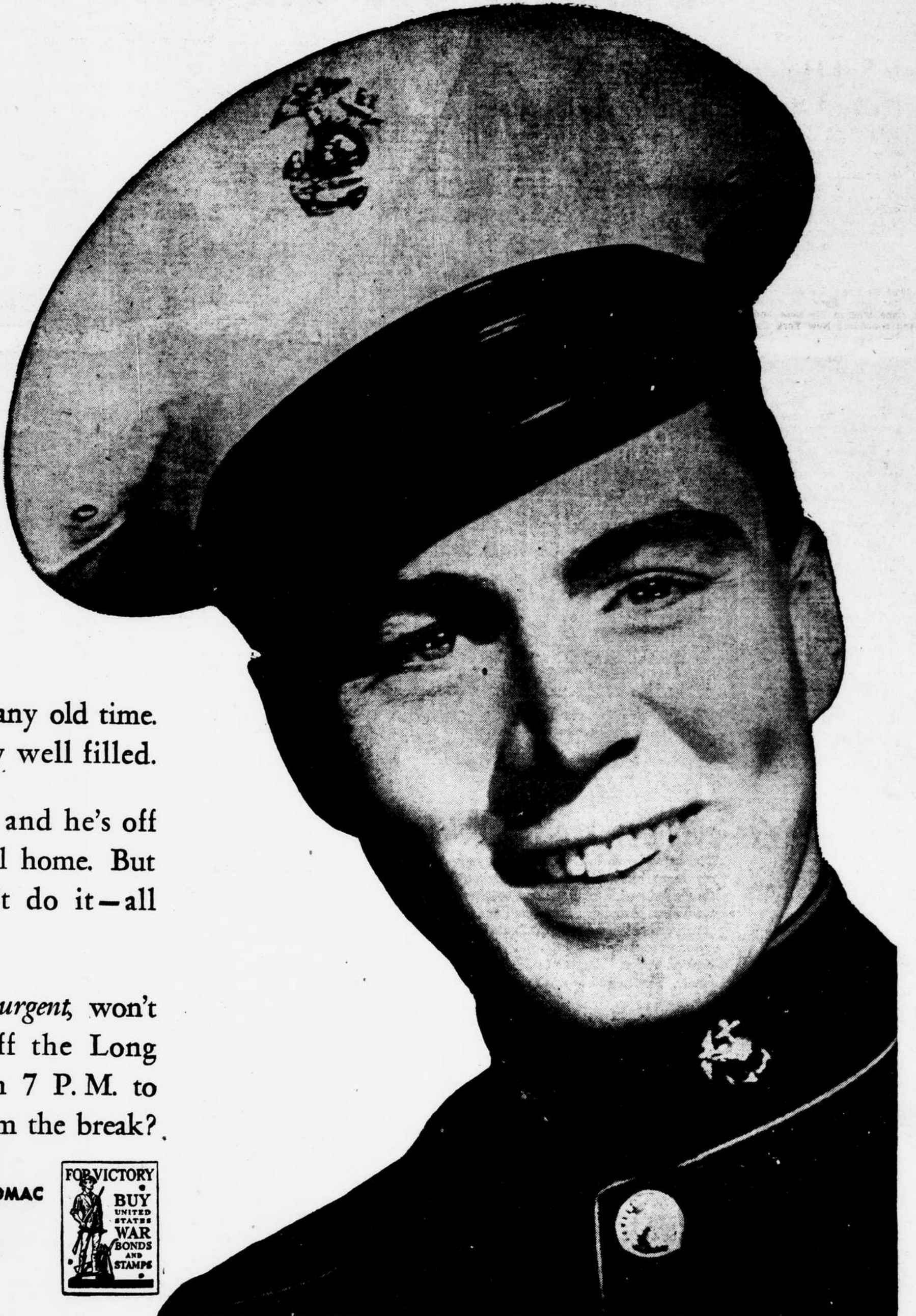
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College Honors Officer of United Air Lines

Special Dispatch to The Star. CHICAGO, Aug. 30.—Cyril C. Thompson, vice president—public relations of United Air Lines, has been awarded the honorary degree of doctor of laws by Parsons College, Fairfield, Iowa, for his contribution to the development of air transportation and continued leadership in that field.

\$15,000 Fee Released in Utility Financing

By the Associated Press. PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 30.—The Securities Commission released jurisdiction over a \$15,000 fee to be paid to Chapman & Cutler, Chicago law firm, as counsel to underwriters of \$45,000,000 of first mortgage bonds, series C, due 1973, issued by Northern Indiana Public Service Co., a subsidiary of Midland Utilities Co.

N. Y. Curb Market

Table listing various stock prices and market activity for the New York Curb Market.

Big Stock Offering of Braniff Airways Reaches Market

By The Associated Press. NEW YORK, Aug. 30.—Braniff Airways, Inc. today offered 40,000 shares of common stock priced at \$12.75 a share to raise \$510,000 for post-war expansion of its domestic commercial transportation facilities.

Advertisement for Braniff Airways, Incorporated, offering 400,000 shares of common stock at \$12.75 per share.

N. Y. Bond Market

Table listing various bond prices and market activity for the New York Bond Market.

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United States Treasury Position table showing financial data for August 1943.

### Washington Bankers To Attend Wartime Parley of ABA

By HAROLD B. ROGERS.  
Plans are being made by Washington bankers to attend the wartime conference of the American Bankers Association at the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel New York City, September 12 to 15.

Headed by A. Scott Offutt, president of the District Bankers Association, and vice president of the City Bank, the group will include at least 14 others. Other bankers may join the group later.

Already on the list to attend are Mr. Offutt, Robert V. Fleming, president of Riggs National Bank, who is former president of the ABA; Wilmer J. Waller, vice president and cashier of Hamilton National Bank; John A. Reilly, president of Second National Bank, who was president of the District of Columbia Bankers last year; T. Stanley Hollister, vice president and trustee officer of the American Security Trust Co.; Frederick P. H. Siddons, vice president of American Security Trust Co.; and Charles H. Doing, first vice president of Washington Loan & Trust Co.

F. G. Addison, Jr., president of Security Savings & Trust Co.; M. F. Calnan, president of Liberty National Bank; Rutherford J. Dooley, vice president and cashier of the National Bank of Washington; George M. Fisher of Washington Loan & Trust Co., president of the Bank of Commerce & Savings; Linwood P. Harrell, executive vice president of the Morris Bank of Washington; S. William Miller, vice president of the Union Trust Co.; and Richard A. Norris, vice president and cashier of Lincoln National Bank.

From the Washington office of the ABA will go D. J. Needham, general counsel of the ABA, and J. O. Brott, assistant general counsel.

The ABA today announced that nearly \$7,000,000,000 of war production loans and commitments by 428 of the Nation's larger banks are outstanding on June 30, and according to a semiannual report on war lending.

The survey shows that the total of bank loans and commitments for financing the manufacture of armaments and war supplies increased \$22,000,000 during the first half of 1943.

Of the \$6,914,618,000 of war loans and commitments outstanding on June 30, \$678,000,000 were for construction of war plants and factories, and \$6,236,000,000 were for the purchase of raw materials and for other production expenses.

The \$6,236,000,000 of outstanding loans and commitments for the purchase of raw materials and for other production expenses, is an increase of \$1,228,000,000 over the total of such loans outstanding at the end of 1942. This increase in loans parallels an increase in physical production of nearly all categories of war supplies and equipment during the first half of this year over the preceding six-month period.

Construction Loans Down.  
On the other hand, the \$678,000,000 of loans for construction of war plants and factories outstanding on June 30 is a decrease of \$235,000,000 in such loans as compared with the total outstanding at the end of 1942.

A downward trend in war factory construction and equipment loans began during the second half of 1942, by which time the conversion, construction, and equipping of war plants was nearly completed, and actual production of increasing amounts of war goods from these factories was begun. The decline in the outstanding total of these loans may be expected to continue because the plants and capital equipment of most war industries are now completed.

The future trend of bank loans to war industries for the purchase of raw material and for other production expenses will be in direct relation to the trend of the output of the war plants.

Woodward & Lothrop common stock sold today at the Washington Stock Exchange at 40. Potomac Electric 5 1/8 preferred went at 116. Washington Gas 4 1/4 preferred at 105 1/4.

### Washington Exchange

Table with columns for Stock and Bonds. Includes sub-sections for Bonds, Public Utility, and Stocks. Lists various securities and their prices.

### N. Y. STOCK EXCHANGE

Main stock exchange table with columns for Stock and Bonds. Lists various securities and their prices.

### Most Stocks Remain In Narrow Range; Dealings Quiet

By VICTOR EUBANK.  
Associated Press Financial Writer.  
NEW YORK, Aug. 30.—Stocks generally held to slim area in today's market, and while a handful of favorites managed to inch forward, most leaders were at a standstill or in slightly lower ground.

The principal watchful-waiting arguments still included: Doubts regarding the forthcoming tax program, imminence of a record Government War bond drive and thoughts of sudden invasion of continental Europe which might stave off the fate of the Axis in the West.

Gold mines were in front at the start, although some variations followed through minor fluctuations in the price of gold and silver.

Advancing at intervals were Homestake, Bethlehem, Southern Railway, Anaconda, American Telephone, Consolidated Edison, Goodyear, Montgomery Ward, United Fruit, Standard Oil (New Jersey) and International Harvester. The minus division the greater part of the time were United States Steel, New York Central, General Motors, Chrysler, Texas Co., Goodrich, Kodak, Westinghouse, Republic Steel, General Electric and Union Carbide.

In a do-nothing cup Aluminum of America was supported along with Technicolor, Sunray Oil and New Jersey Zinc.

Bonds were more or less listless.

### Steel Rate to Hold At 99.4 Per Cent In Current Week

By the Associated Press.  
NEW YORK, Aug. 30.—Steel operations this week will remain unchanged at 99.4 per cent of capacity with output the same as last week's 1,732,500 tons, the American Iron & Steel Institute estimated today.

A month ago operations were at the rate of 97.7 per cent of capacity and output 1,702,200 tons. A year ago the rate was 97.6 per cent and production 1,669,600 net tons.

Prices subsequently lost more than half their advance on profit and margin. Steel's active buying and selling program, imminence of a record Government War bond drive and thoughts of sudden invasion of continental Europe which might stave off the fate of the Axis in the West.

Gold mines were in front at the start, although some variations followed through minor fluctuations in the price of gold and silver.

Advancing at intervals were Homestake, Bethlehem, Southern Railway, Anaconda, American Telephone, Consolidated Edison, Goodyear, Montgomery Ward, United Fruit, Standard Oil (New Jersey) and International Harvester.

Bonds were more or less listless.

### Washington Produce

From the War Food Administration.  
KIDNEY BEANS—Market firm. Prices nominally unchanged. Prices paid for Federal-State stock received from Federal-State (August 30): Whites, U. S. grade A, average, 44-46 average, 44 1/2; U. S. grade B, average, 42-44 average, 42 1/2; U. S. grade C, average, 40-42 average, 40 1/2; U. S. grade D, average, 38-40 average, 38 1/2.

Market averages table with columns for Stocks, Bonds, and other market indicators.

Money Market table with columns for various financial instruments and their rates.

MORTGAGE LOANS section with text about favorable rates and interest.

Chicago Livestock section with text about market conditions.

Business Briefs section with text about absenteeism and industrial accidents.

Commodity Prices section with text about market trends.

Baltimore Stocks section with text about local market activity.

Chicago Produce section with text about market prices.

Chicago Grain section with text about market conditions.

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Clatterback Jury Selection Moves At Slow Pace

Half of 60-Man Panel Exhausted, With 3 Chosen

By a Staff Correspondent of The Star. LEESBURG, Va., Aug. 30.—With more than half the panel of 60 jurors exhausted, the Loudoun County Circuit Court had selected only three talemans by 12:30 p.m. for the trial of Thomas William Clatterback on a murder charge in the slaying of five persons on the T. Morris Love farm near here on June 1.

Clatterback is charged with the killing of Mr. Love, prominent farmer, his wife and son James, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Russell, tenants on the Love farm.

Twenty-nine of the 32 veniremen were excused by Judge J. R. F. Alexander. All but one stated under oath that they held opinions in connection with the case that could not be disregarded.

One prospective juror told the court he was conscientiously opposed to capital punishment, and was relieved from service.

A panel of 20 jurors must be selected, with the prosecution and defense each entitled to eliminate four men.

Examination Proceeds Slowly. Examination of jurors proceeded slowly and it appeared certain that a new panel would have to be summoned to provide enough unprejudiced talemans. During the first hour of the trial, only five men were examined and all were excused from jury service.

Judge Alexander adjourned court for lunch at 12:30 and ordered the trial to resume at 1:45 p.m.

Earlier, Judge Alexander denied a defense motion for a change of venire. A change of venire would mean getting a jury panel from outside the county.

A motion that the present venire of 60 talemans be quashed was presented by Defense Counsel Maj. Robert A. McIntyre of Warrenton, Md. McIntyre contended Clatterback could not be given an impartial trial by residents of this county.

Judge Alexander and Maj. McIntyre engaged in a spirited dispute during the questioning of one prospective juror. McIntyre charged the jurist with phrasing his questions so as to change the mind of the talemans.

Judge Alexander denied the accusation and several times ordered the defense counsel to refrain from interrupting the proceedings.

Defendant Is Quiet. During the proceedings Clatterback sat quietly facing the judge, taking a keen interest in the discussion. He was brought into the courtroom shortly after 10 a.m. by two Virginia State troopers. He was not shackled, but walked briskly behind one of the troopers to his seat in the courtroom.

He was wearing dark trousers and a white shirt, open at the neck. He wore neither coat nor tie.

Brother Sits Nearby. His brother, M. W. Clatterback, sat within 10 feet of the defendant on a chair reserved for him just outside the rail. During the proceedings he leaned over eagerly to catch every word.

Several relatives of the slain Love family were present before the trial opened. Miss Sarah Love, who was not at home the day of the murders, entered the courtroom with a sister of Mrs. Love, about 11 a.m., and took a seat directly behind the prisoner.

Proceedings were interrupted 20 minutes after court convened when it was discovered no stenographer was taking a transcript. The court waited while attorneys located the secretary of Commonwealth's Attorney Charles F. Harrison, who is prosecuting the case, and she agreed to take notes.

Judge Sits Behind Jury. The courtroom is laid out so that the jurors will sit in two rows of chairs directly below Judge Alexander, with their backs toward him. A long table, about 10 feet long, is in front of the first row of jurors, and the attorneys and the prisoner have places at this table, facing the judge and jury. Witnesses will sit at a smaller table alongside the attorneys and also will face the judge.

The courtroom filled rapidly after the doors were thrown open shortly before the trial began. Judge Alexander instructed Sheriff S. P. Alexander to lock the doors when the spectator seats were filled and not to allow any one, including newspapermen, to re-enter once they left the room.

Judge Questions Talemans. Each juror was asked by Judge Alexander: "Have you been a resident of Virginia one year and of Loudoun County six months?"

"Are you related to Mr. Clatterback, Mr. Love or Mr. Russell?"

"Have you formed or expressed any opinion concerning this case and if so can you disregard it?"

"Do you have religious or conscientious scruples against imposing capital punishment if the law provides for it?"

Although Maj. McIntyre examined several of the prospective jurors closely, Mr. Harrison, who is being assisted by W. W. Butzner of Fredericksburg, Va., took almost no part in the proceedings.

Trial Was Delayed. Indicted on first-degree murder charges at the June term of the court, Clatterback is alleged to have slain the five persons after an argument with Mr. Love over two notes signed by Clatterback for \$2,500 which the farmer was holding.

Originally set for June 30, Clatterback's trial was postponed first until July 26. Birth of a daughter to the defendant's wife caused the trial to be postponed the second time.

Mr. Harrison said Clatterback signed a confession saying he killed the five persons. However, the quarryman pleaded innocent to the first-degree murder charge in the indictments at his arraignment.

New Advertising Campaign. England's auto manufacturers are engaged in an industry-wide institutional advertising campaign.



ACCUSED SLAYER ON WAY TO TRIAL—Thomas William Clatterback (left) as he was being led from the Leesburg (Va.) jail today to face trial on charges of slaying five persons on the A. Morris Love farm in Loudoun County June 1.—Star Staff Photo.

Pfc. Donald Chapman, 400,000 Are Required To Declare Incomes In Maryland District

Washingtonian Had Been Reported Missing Earlier In Sicily Campaign

Statement Must Be Made Before September 15, Collector Warns

An estimated 400,000 taxpayers in the Maryland district, including Washington, will be required to file a return on or before September 15 and make payment of at least half the amount of the balance of 1943 Federal income tax estimated to be due at that time, it was announced today by A. Parks Rasin, acting collector of internal revenue.

He said 1,200,000 copies of the Declaration of Estimated Income had been mailed to 1,200,000 taxpayers in the Maryland district.

Many persons do not realize, Mr. Rasin said, that the withholding tax of 20 per cent does not automatically make all persons current on their 1943 incomes.

Those required to file a return include single persons earning over \$2,700 a year or married persons earning over \$3,500 a year; those with dividends, interest, rents, professional fees, and other income; those who are not subject to withholdings, such as persons in the armed forces, clergymen, domestic servants and farm labor.

All taxpayers are urged by Collector Rasin to read carefully the instructions which accompanied the forms to determine whether they are required to make a declaration, so as to "avoid penalties for either failure to file or for making substantial understatements of 1943 income." Persons in doubt, Mr. Rasin emphasized, should get in touch with his office.

Mr. Rasin pointed out that while the law requires employers to furnish a written statement to employees only after the end of the year, employees probably would need to file a return in filing the September 15 return.

Employers to give their employees a statement of withholding deductions for each payroll period to help them compute their estimated total withholdings for the year.

Order Preserves Leaves Of Abolished Agencies

President Roosevelt today issued an executive order that will preserve the leave due employees in statutory agencies which go out of existence.

By virtue of the order, workers in abolished agencies who have not exhausted their accumulated and current accrued leave may be transferred to the rolls of other agencies in which they can remain for as long as a year, until their status, to absorb the leave. In addition to giving the leave due, it was explained at the Civil Service Commission, the order also would facilitate the re-employment by transfer of such employees.

The order was issued at the request of Secretary of the Interior Ickes, and was designed primarily to care for members of the staff of the Bituminous Coal Division who still had leave due them when the unit went out of existence August 23. It would aid employees likewise situated, however.

In the absence of the order, the abolition of an agency automatically would wipe out the leave due employees there.

Analysis May Indicate Cause of Girl's Death

Further discoveries regarding the events leading to the death Saturday of Miss Vivian Spivey, 23, Waverly, Va., factory worker, will have to wait the result of the chemical analysis now being made, police said today.

Ben G. Wilkinson, Jr., former State's attorney and author of the original work-or-fight measure, which was adopted after several revisions, said the law "has gotten results we might have waited a long time for if we had depended on others."

See Purpose Served. "Whether or not the law is constitutional is up to the eight men who sit on the Court of Appeals,"

Mr. Wilkinson said. "I think, however, that it will have served its purpose before it ever reaches these men, if it ever does."

Mr. Wilkinson said the problem of getting chronic loafers to work has become increasingly great in Maryland's rural sections, and added that the law already has put many of these to work without bringing many of them into court in the 12 counties covered by the law. Fewer than a dozen men actually have been sentenced under the law.

He said several members of the House of Delegates from other counties said they were there with only one idea—to pass a work-or-fight law. Maryland passed a similar law in the World War which is still on the books, but requires an order by the Governor to put it into effect.

He added that while there was some opposition to the measure from members who feared it was an infringement of personal freedom, even in wartime, the consensus was that the law was a necessary emergency act.

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Eligibility Lists For War Homes Are Extended

Many More Jobs Are Classified As Essential

Living quarters provided under the war housing program in metropolitan Washington were made available to many more classes of workers today in an extension of the eligibility lists.

Milton Fisher, regional representative of the National Housing Agency, defined essential war workers who may be eligible for war housing as employees of Government war agencies, civilian employees stationed at military or naval bases of reservations and employees of essential private establishments or services as determined by the FHA in consultation with the War Manpower Commission.

Employees in the following plants and establishments, whose work is classified as indispensable, may obtain war housing, Mr. Fisher said, if they meet the eligibility requirements:

- Communications companies, airlines, railroads, transit companies, Alexandria Iron Works, Briggs Clarifier Co., Carnegie Institution Laboratory, Engineering and Research Corp., General Electric Co., Inc.; International Business Machines Corp., Johns Hopkins Scientific Laboratory, Josses Iron Works, Kaiser Co., Inc.; National Electric Machine Shops, Inc.; Pan American Airways Corp.; Potomac Electric Power Co., Remington Rand Co., Smoot Sand & Gravel Co., United Service Organizations, Virginia Public Service Co., Washington Gas Light Co., Washington Institute of Technology, Western Electric Co., Aircraft Manufacturing Co., Southern Oxygen Co.

Other Organizations Included. Washington offices of national industries, business establishments, labor unions and other organizations also are included, provided they are engaged primarily in war activities, except those listed above.

Other than those listed also may secure accommodations if specifically certified in writing by the United States Employment Service. Classification as indispensable in-migrants of the Director of Placement, District of Columbia Employment Center, is a prerequisite to consideration.

Mr. Fisher said that indispensable in-migrants of the following local activities, also would be eligible for housing, if certified by the Director of Placement, District of Columbia Employment Center, is a prerequisite to consideration.

Laundries, dry cleaning establishments, restaurants, cafeterias and hotels; apartment and office building maintenance; food, fuel, ice distribution; newspapers and news-gathering agencies; educational services; medical, dental, public health services, and fire and police protection.

Classifications Listed. To receive classification as war housing eligibles, Mr. Fisher said, workers must be engaged in essential war work and must also be in one of the following classifications:

A worker who has moved to the Washington area from beyond a reasonable commuting distance from his place of employment.

A worker who has moved to the area since July 1, 1943, or has brought his family here since that date and is now living under intolerable conditions, seriously affecting his efficiency.

A worker who is now commuting an unreasonable distance to his place of employment.

A worker who is forced to move from his present quarters to a rooming house, boarding house, or other family housing may be found at 1400 Pennsylvania avenue, 117 1/2 North Fairfax street in Alexandria and 3115 Wilson boulevard in Clarendon.

'Work-or-Fight' Law Effective, Montgomery Lawmakers Say

County Delegates to Maryland House Doubt Constitutionality of Act Will Be Tested

The effectiveness of Maryland's "work-or-fight" law, which received wide notice last week with the conviction and subsequent retrial and appeal of Stanley Day, 19-year-old Laytonville 4-F Army rejectee, was upheld today by the Montgomery County delegation in the House of Delegates.

Doubting that there was any question as to the law's constitutionality, members of the delegation pointed out that it has already served its purpose, anyway. They knew of no plans to test its validity.

Meanwhile officials of the Justice Department, who said last week that the Day case was "under consideration" by the Civil Liberties Division to determine if anti-peonage laws had been violated, said the fact that Day was released might influence their attitude.

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Owner Won't Oppose Move to Condemn F Street Houses

Operate Now at Loss, Counsel States; Tenants Face Dwelling Problem

There will be no contest over the move of District officials for a condemnation of the two old frame dwellings at 2518 and 2520 F street N.W., where the water supply was shut off last month after a dispute over the size of the water bill.

This was announced today by John O. Allen, real estate agent, for the owner of the F street dwellings, after the Board for Condemnation of Insanitary Buildings notified the owner to show cause why the dwellings should not be razed.

Mr. Allen said the owner wished to have the buildings removed, that they long since were beyond operation except at a loss.

Where the tenant families will go was a problem that concerned Mrs. Helen Dues Hoffman of the Washington Housing Association. She said there are no available dwellings for individual families in the low income groups, except perhaps where some member is engaged in necessary war work.

"If there were," she added, "the Housing Association would have a line of applicants blocks long." She said she would continue to follow the case and said it may be as much as six months before condemnation and eviction proceedings were concluded.

Wolverton Opposes Cutting Newspapers

By the Associated Press. SEATTLE, Aug. 20.—The Nation's Washington area newspaper must be solved through increasing production rather than curtailing newspapers, Representative Wolverton, Republican, of New Jersey, member of a Congressional committee investigating the newspaper situation, declares.

All members of the committee. In an interview last night with the Post-Intelligencer, agreed that newspapers are more important to the war effort of the United States than to that of any other nation, and newspaper production must be returned to normal as rapidly as possible.

"Our problem is a joint one, shared by Canada, which produces 72 per cent of the newspaper used in the United States," Chairman Boren of the committee said.

"Mills are producing only about 65 per cent of their normal output of newspaper now. The big problem is one of manpower in the woods."

"We have recommended both to the War Manpower Commission and Selective Service that all wood cutters and pulp manufacturing activities be considered essential to the war effort."

The group leaves today for Portland, Ore.

John G. Mills, 86, Dies; Retired Maryland Banker

By the Associated Press. BALTIMORE, Aug. 30.—John G. Mills, 86, of Cambridge, retired president of one of Maryland's largest banking firms, a former publisher and attorney, died last night in Maryland General Hospital.

Mr. Mills was head of the County Trust Co. of Maryland for four years prior to his retirement. He suffered a paralytic stroke several weeks ago. He had been in ill health for several years.

Youth Hit by Streetcar In Serious Condition

Nathaniel Nickens, colored, 18, of 1026 Twentieth street N.W., is in a serious condition at Casualty Hospital after being struck at Fifteenth street and Deane avenue N.E. early today by a street car. According to police, the youth was walking across the tracks at 3:05 a. m. when the car hit him. At the hospital, his right leg was amputated.

The street car, police said, was operated by Matthew Burger, 29, of 417 Second street N. E.

Coe Is Reappointed To Zoning Board

Theodore I. Coe today was reappointed by the Commissioners to the Board of Zoning Adjustment for a three-year term beginning October 1. Mr. Coe now is chairman of the board.

Engineer Commissioner Charles W. Kutz, who recommended the reappointment, praised Mr. Coe for his knowledge of zoning law and regulations and his "very satisfactory service."

Charge Account Delivery Regulations Are Eased

The Federal Reserve Board amended its consumer regulations today to permit merchants to deliver charge account closing dates in default unless unchanged.

In another amendment also intended to relieve manpower problems the board ruled that merchants may adopt "cycle billing" systems, spreading account closing dates through the month, on permission from their reserve banks.

Daily Rationing Reminders

Canned and Frozen Foods, Etc.—Blue coupons in Ration Book No. 2: R. S and T good any time through September 20. U, V and W will be good September 1 through October 2.

Meats, Fats, Etc.—Red coupons in Ration Book No. 2: T, U, V and W good now but expire at midnight tomorrow. X is valid now and any time through October 2.

Y became valid yesterday (Sunday) and will be good through October 2. Z will be valid September 5 through October 2.

Brown stamps in Ration Book No. 3: A stamps will be valid September 12 through October 30; B stamps September 19 through October 30.

War Ration Book No. 3—Civilians who have not received these new books should apply to local ration boards. Book will be used beginning September 12.

Eligible servicemen should apply before next Tuesday by mailing applications to OPA Mailing Center, Chicago, Ill. Forms obtainable from commanding officer. Sugar—Coupon No. 14 in Book No. 1 good for 5 pounds through October 31.

Gasoline—Old-type B and C coupons shown in books number 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 218, 219, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, 229, 230, 231, 232, 233, 234, 235, 236, 237, 238, 239, 240, 241, 242, 243, 244, 245, 246, 247, 248, 249, 250, 251, 252, 253, 254, 255, 256, 257, 258, 259, 260, 261, 262, 263, 264, 265, 266, 267, 268, 269, 270, 271, 272, 273, 274, 275, 276, 277, 278, 279, 280, 281, 282, 283, 284, 285, 286, 287, 288, 289, 290, 291, 292, 293, 294, 295, 296, 297, 298, 299, 300, 301, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 307, 308, 309, 310, 311, 312, 313, 314, 315, 316, 317, 318, 319, 320, 321, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, 332, 333, 334, 335, 336, 337, 338, 339, 340, 341, 342, 343, 344, 345, 346, 347, 348, 349, 350, 351, 352, 353, 354, 355, 356, 357, 358, 359, 360, 361, 362, 363, 364, 365, 366, 367, 368, 369, 370, 371, 372, 373, 374, 375, 376, 377, 378, 379, 380, 381, 382, 383, 384, 385, 386, 387, 388, 389, 390, 391, 392, 393, 394, 395, 396, 397, 398, 399, 400, 401, 402, 403, 404, 405, 406, 407, 408, 409, 410, 411, 412, 413, 414, 415, 416, 417, 418, 419, 420, 421, 422, 423, 424, 425, 426, 427, 428, 429, 430, 431, 432, 433, 434, 435, 436, 437, 438, 439, 440, 441, 442, 443, 444, 445, 446, 447, 448, 449, 450, 451, 452, 453, 454, 455, 456, 457, 458, 459, 460, 461, 462, 463, 464, 465, 466, 467, 468, 469, 470, 471, 472, 473, 474, 475, 476, 477, 478, 479, 480, 481, 482, 483, 484, 485, 486, 487, 488, 489, 490, 491, 492, 493, 494, 495, 496, 497, 498, 499, 500, 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509, 510, 511, 512, 513, 514, 515, 516, 517, 518, 519, 520, 521, 522, 523, 524, 525, 526, 527, 528, 529, 530, 531, 532, 533, 534, 535, 536, 537, 538, 539, 540, 541, 542, 543, 544, 545, 546, 547, 548, 549, 550, 551, 552, 553, 554, 555, 556, 557, 558, 559, 560, 561, 562, 563, 564, 565, 566, 567, 568, 569, 570, 571, 572, 573, 574, 575, 576, 577, 578, 579, 580, 581, 582, 583, 584, 585, 586, 587, 588, 589, 590, 591, 592, 593, 594, 595, 596, 597, 598, 599, 600, 601, 602, 603, 604, 605, 606, 607, 608, 609, 610, 611, 612, 613, 614, 615, 616, 617, 618, 619, 620, 621, 622, 623, 624, 625, 626, 627, 628, 629, 630, 631, 632, 633, 634, 635, 636, 637, 638, 639, 640, 641, 642, 643, 644, 645, 646, 647, 648, 649, 650, 651, 652, 653, 654, 655, 656, 657, 658, 659, 660, 661, 662, 663, 664, 665, 666, 667, 668, 669, 670, 671, 672, 673, 674, 675, 676, 677, 678, 679, 680, 681, 682, 683, 684, 685, 686, 687, 688, 689, 690, 691, 692, 693, 694, 695, 696, 697, 698, 699, 700, 701, 702, 703, 704, 705, 706, 707, 708, 709, 710, 711, 712, 713, 714, 715, 716, 717, 718, 719, 720, 721, 722, 723, 724, 725, 726, 727, 728, 729, 730, 731, 732, 733, 734, 735, 736, 737, 738, 739, 740, 741, 742, 743, 744, 745, 746, 747, 748, 749, 750, 751, 752, 753, 754, 755, 756, 757, 758, 759, 760, 761, 762, 763, 764, 765, 766, 767, 76

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**U. S. Is Not Swayed By Refugee Views on Leaders, Berle Says**

By The Associated Press.

This Government's policy toward refugee groups claiming to represent the countries from which they come is based on determination to let peoples choose their own leaders when they can do so freely, Adolf A. Berle, Jr., Assistant Secretary of State, said last night.

Replying to an inquiry of the American Council on Public Affairs, Mr. Berle said in a letter made public by the State Department that Europeans organized outside their native countries could not be judged merely on the basis of the political names they call each other.

"Conservatives who have consistently and vigorously fought Fascism," he said, "are often attacked by groups who also are fighting Fascism, but who are pleading for particular reforms, and these in turn are commonly accused of being reactionary or even Fascist by the more radical groups."

**Reactionary Attitude Charged.**

The Council of Public Affairs, through its secretary, M. B. Schnapper, had inquired about assertions it said were recently made "that the Department of State has pursued a policy of refusing and ignoring exiled leaders who look to a democratic revitalization of Europe and that, on the other hand, it has been favorably disposed toward highly conservative and reactionary persons who are desirous of retaining the evils of prewar Europe."

The council said that such charges have been particularly emphatic of late in connection with the department's policy with regard to Italy. Mr. Schnapper said he did not believe them, but asked clarification.

In his reply, Mr. Berle called such charges "amazing" and said that refugees from Europe had been admitted to safety in this country and had here stated their views freely through American free speech and press "to an extent not permitted by any other country on earth."

"Leaders and groups of all shades of thought have sought here the refuge which we have gladly offered," he said. "Many of them have asked to be recognized or accepted or dealt with as representing the country from which they came. Their claims \* \* \* are often disputed by other leaders and groups of the same nationality. \* \* \* These claims properly ought to be settled by the people of their own country, not by the State Department."

**Decisions Rest With Peoples.**

"The Government of the United States has been glad to receive the suggestions, the ideas, the plans, of all these 'free' movements and their leaders, but decision upon their claims rests not in the hands of this Government, but in the hands of their own people."

Mr. Berle said that "many wild yarns, hardly worth the trouble of denying," had apparently been circulated by some foreign political personages—he did not name them—enjoying American hospitality.

One such, he said, was a rumor that Italian Count Ciano was in the United States; another, that a plan for a "Catholic axis" was being elaborated in Washington; a third, that some kind of fascist federation of Eastern Europe was being aimed against Soviet Russia.

"They merit no attention," he concluded.

**Horse Draws a Tax As Well as a Taxi**

By The Associated Press.

HUGO, Okla.—Taxicab companies, forced to quit hauling fares to night spots because of gasoline restrictions, instituted horse-drawn hacks and buggies to care for amusement seekers.

City councilmen went back to the horse and buggy era, too. They placed an annual tax of \$5 a horse and \$15 a vehicle on the taxi companies.

**Charles School Openings**

LA PLATA, Md., Aug. 30.—F. B. Gwynn, Charles County school superintendent, announced today that County public schools will open at 9 a. m. September 10. Public schools in St. Marys County will open September 15, Miss Lettie M. Dent, superintendent, said.

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Sportswear—Second Floor

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Misses' Dresses—Second Floor

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## Navy Secretary and Mrs. Knox At Newport News for Launching

The Secretary of the Navy and Mrs. Frank C. Knox are spending a day or so at Newport News, where they went yesterday for the christening today of the Hornet II, for which Mrs. Knox is sponsor.

The Secretary and Mrs. Knox were accompanied by friends from Chicago, the Assistant Secretary and Mrs. Ralph O. Bard and Mr. and Mrs. Raleigh Warner. Mrs. Bard and Mrs. Warner are matrons of honor for Mrs. Knox, who will break the traditional bottle of champagne on the prow of the new Navy aircraft carrier. Mrs. Knox was the sponsor for the Hornet, which was lost with the smallest number of lives of any ship its size since the United States entered the war.

When the party returns the middle of the week Mr. and Mrs. Bard will resume their search for a house, the one they are occupying at 2810 Forty-fourth street having recently been sold. Mr. and Mrs. Bard had an apartment at 2101 Connecticut avenue for a year or more and last spring leased the house on Forty-fourth street from Miss Alice Langley Cushing, now living in California. Miss Cushing has sold the house to Mr. and Mrs. John Kinly Bion, who in turn have been obliged to move from 3326 Newark street because that house has been sold.

Mr. and Mrs. Bacon are occupying the home of Mrs. Irving L. Lenroot, wife of Judge Lenroot, who before their marriage in February was Miss Eleanor von Eltz. Judge and Mrs. Lenroot are traveling in the West through this month and on their return will take an apartment for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland R. MacKenzie last year occupied the house on Forty-fourth street where Mr. and Mrs. Bard are living, and early in the spring moved into their new home on the Norwood pike near Sandy Spring.

Another of the ships to be christened today is the John H. Hatton, which will take its place in the fleet of Liberty ships. Mrs. Harold D. Pangborn will be the sponsor, the ceremony to take place in Baltimore. The ship is named in honor of the late Mr. Hatton, who died last year after a very long service in the United States Forest Service. He was one of the country's earliest advocates of national range management and wild-life conservation and for a long time was assistant United States regional forester in California and Colorado. He retired from active service in 1941.



MRS. ALEXANDER H. LEATHERWOOD, JR.  
—Woltz-Haig Photo.

## Miss Crocker Wed to Corp. Leatherwood

The marriage of Miss Jacqueline Crocker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Davy Crocker of Arlington, to Corp. Alexander H. Leatherwood, Jr., Army Air Forces, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Leatherwood, also of Arlington, took place Sunday afternoon, August 22. The ceremony was performed in the Westover Baptist Church, the pastor, the Rev. Mr. Hardison, officiating at 4 o'clock, and the reception was held at the Hotel Sheraton. Miss Anna Lee Timmons sang and Mr. Richard Bell played the organ.

The bride was given in marriage by her father and wore white satin tight-fitting bodice, with a full long skirt of tulle trimmed with small satin bows. Her tulle veil was held by a satin crown studded with pearls.

Miss Jean Moberley was maid of honor, wearing pale blue taffeta brocade with full tulle skirt and having pale pink roses in her hair and bouquet.

Mr. Glenn Smith of Arlington was best man, and the ushers included Staff Sgt. George Skonce and Sgt. Hois Jaiack.

Corp. and Mrs. Leatherwood left later for a short wedding trip, the bride wearing a red costume with white accessories. She will remain with her parents in Arlington while Corp. Leatherwood resumes his duty on the West Coast.

Mr. James A. Crocker of Denver came for the wedding of his granddaughter.

## Mark Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe S. Aull were hosts at home August 19 when they celebrated the 25th anniversary of their wedding. A large number of relatives and friends attended, but their only son, Mr. Roscoe S. Aull, Jr., was unable to be present as he is on duty with the Navy in the Pacific.

## Jenkins-Barnes Wedding in South

Miss Edna Barnes became the bride of Ensign Hugh Powell Jenkins, Jr., Saturday, August 21, the double ring ceremony taking place in the Baptist Church at Chapel Hill, N. C. The Rev. D. K. Barnett officiated and Ensign and Mrs. Jenkins are spending their honeymoon in North Carolina and will be at home after Friday at 4425 Forty-ninth street.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Nettie Davies Barnes and attended the North Carolina College for Women at Greensboro and the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.

Ensign Jenkins is a son of Mr. Jenkins, an examiner with the Reconstruction Finance Corp., and Mrs. Jenkins. He attended the University of North Carolina, where he was graduated in June with the degree of bachelor of science in chemistry. Following his graduation he reported for active service at Fort Schuyler, N. Y. Ensign Jenkins is a member of Alpha Chi Sigma Fraternity.

## Margaret Thurston To Wed Lt. Smedley

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Searle Thurston of Riverdale announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Margaret Jane Thurston, to Lt. William Michael Smedley, U. S. N. R., son of the late Mrs. Henry John Smedley of Evanston, Ill. The wedding will take place next month.

Miss Thurston is a graduate of the University of Maryland and a member of Alpha Xi Delta Sorority. Lt. Smedley did both undergraduate and graduate work at Northwestern University and now is stationed at the Naval Academy in Annapolis.

## Miss Doris Curtin To Wed Next Month

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Curtin announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Doris Jane Curtin, to Lt. Sanford Rodgers, U. S. M. C., of San Bernardino, Calif.

The wedding will take place in the Chevy Chase Presbyterian Church Saturday evening, September 4 at 8 o'clock. The reception will be held in the home of the bride's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Milton O. Clark in Chevy Chase.

Lt. Rodgers now is on duty at Quantico.

## Borgmanns Home

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin E. Borgmann have returned to their suburban home in Maryland after a visit in New York City with the latter's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Clarke, Jr.

Mrs. Borgmann and Mrs. Clarke formerly were the Misses Dorothy and Elsie Hesselgeser.

## Col. Haight Here

Col. and Mrs. Edward Haight and their daughter, Miss Joan Haight, have arrived from Guatemala and are the guests for an indefinite time of Mrs. Haight's mother, Mrs. Mary Walton, at her home in Silver Spring.

## Musician Visitor

Mr. and Mrs. Victor M. Clark have as their guest the former's mother, Mrs. Edith Lillian Clark of Los Angeles. Mrs. Clark, sr., will be here a short time and will go on to New York to make recordings of her piano playing. She is a well-known musician in the West.

## Society and Clubs

### By the Way—

BETH BLAINE

If you're about to tear out all your hair over the problem of planning meals, what with food rationing and shortages, think of Mrs. Donald Tewksbury who plans the menus and orders the food for 350 servicemen and women at the YWCA-USO Penthouse every Sunday night! And they're all hungry, too, she told us!

But once you're in the swing of it, Mrs. Tewksbury says, it's great fun and almost like having a party in your own home, but only on a larger scale. In fact, there's an atmosphere of home about the whole place and the way these suppers are run, and that is perhaps one reason why they are so successful.

The Penthouse is open to servicemen and women all day long. Sometimes the boys drop in between trains, just for a cool drink or to write letters home or read a magazine. It's Mrs. Tewksbury's job to make them feel at home; to see that those magazines are on hand, that there are games, writing supplies, plenty of soft drinks and cookies at the "snack bar" and that the place is cool and clean and neat. She herself arranges all the freshly cut flowers, sets the comfortable furniture is kept in order; in short, does just what any woman does in her own home, only, as you can imagine, on a much larger scale.

She came to the YWCA first as a volunteer, Mrs. Tewksbury told us, and since April has been on the staff. Her husband, now on leave from Columbia University (where he is professor of education), is associate director of the preinduction war training branch. They have one son, aged 14. Just last week the Tewksbury family moved into a house on Yuma street—a house with a garden—and they are all thrilled over it. Their own home is in Bronxville, N. Y.

Mrs. Tewksbury is not new to social work. When she lived in New York she did settlement work with the Brick Church there for two years. She was with the YWCA in Ridgewood, N. J., for a little more than a year and when she and her husband lived in China for five years it was this same able lady who organized a group of young Chinese women (all wives of returned Chinese students) to meet and discuss their problems.

This was done under the auspices of the YWCA and was much like the mother's clubs we have here. It was entirely new to the Chinese, they had never had this sort of "get-together" meeting before and they loved it. Mrs. Tewksbury did, too. She admires the Chinese tremendously and got to know them in those five years. She speaks Chinese only moderately well, she says, but added proudly, that her husband speaks it beautifully.

### Sorority Entertains

Active and alumnae members of Sigma Kappa Sorority entertained prospective college women at a party yesterday at the home of Dr. and Mrs. E. S. Hendry in Arlington. The affair was one of a series being given by the sorority. Mary Louise Lansdale of Zeta chapter and Jeanne Spaulding of the alumnae group were in charge of arrangements.

## Full Citizenship Foreseen in Amendment

Declaring that the woman suffrage amendment partially equipped women for the obligation of citizenship, Representative Dewey, Republican, of Illinois declared last night that the proposed equal rights amendment would complete that equipment and make women full American citizens, enjoying the constitutional guarantee of "equality under law."

Representative Dewey spoke at Alva Belmont House, headquarters of the National Woman's Party, at a reception concluding a celebration of the 23d anniversary of the woman suffrage amendment.

Katherine Devereux Blake, educator and writer, whose biography of her mother, Lillie Devereux Blake, is just off the press, also was a speaker, illustrating some of her points with references to her mother's experiences as a suffrage leader.

Miss Blake contended that, although women are glad to have the vote as a tool to work with, "it would be absurd for us to behave as if women had gained equality under the law." They have not achieved this nationally," she said. "They have not secured it in a single State.

"Never forget that the laws giving equality with men in New York, under the leadership of Elizabeth Cady Stanton, were passed between 1848 and 1860, were repealed during and immediately after the Civil War. My mother, when she became president of the New York State Woman Suffrage Association, tried to go over the same old ground and get those laws re-enacted.

"That could not have happened if the equal rights amendment had been part of the Constitution."

Mary E. Downey, chairman of the District Branch of the National Woman's Party, presided over the program, which included suffrage songs sung by Marcella Hendricks. Announcement was made that a bequest of \$500 from the estate of the late Emma Maddox Funk of Baltimore was being sent to the National Woman's Party with the approval of the Maryland Branch. The news was contained in a letter from Helen Elizabeth Brown, president of the Women's Bar Association of Baltimore and trustee of the estate. Thanks were extended to Mrs. Alma Harrison Ambrose, chairman of the Maryland Branch.

Mrs. Harvey W. Wiley called attention to a number of letters she has received praising recent action of the Board of Directors of the General Federation of Women's Clubs in endorsing the equal rights amendment.

## Ensign in WAVES Engaged to Marry

Mr. and Mrs. Willis H. Young of Riverdale announce the engagement of their daughter, Ensign Elizabeth Susan Young, WAVES, to Lt. James Clyde Fickes, U. S. A., son of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde P. Fickes of Missoula, Mont.

Ensign Young is a graduate of Wesley College and completed her training at the Midshipmen's School at Northampton in January. She is on duty in Washington.

Lt. Fickes was a student at the Montana State University at the time of his enlistment in the Engineer Corps, United States Army, and in January he received his commission at the Officers' Candidate School at Fort Belvoir. He recently has been stationed overseas.

## Party to Honor Alpha Chi Omega New President

Mrs. Harry H. Powers of Austin, Tex., newly elected president of Alpha Chi Omega, women's fraternity, will be a special guest at a buffet supper to be held Friday night at the Kennedy-Warren. She will share honors with Mrs. William Cravens of Edgemoor, Md., newly elected national treasurer.

Mrs. Powers will bring active and alumnae chapters news of the Alpha Chi Omega nursery project started this summer in Detroit in conjunction with the Work Projects Administration.



MRS. WILLIAM CRAVENS,  
—Harris-Ewing Photo.

The women's fraternity has raised \$1,500 for the nursery which cares for 50 children of war-working mothers. The WPA supplies personnel, while Alpha Chi Omega takes care of furnishing, rentals and toys.

Mrs. Powers visited the nursery in July after attending the Alpha Chi Omega convention in Chicago, which elected new officers.

An earlier war project of the women's group was the care of 20 children for a year at a hostel in Great Britain for bomb-shocked children. A total of \$2,000 was raised for this work.

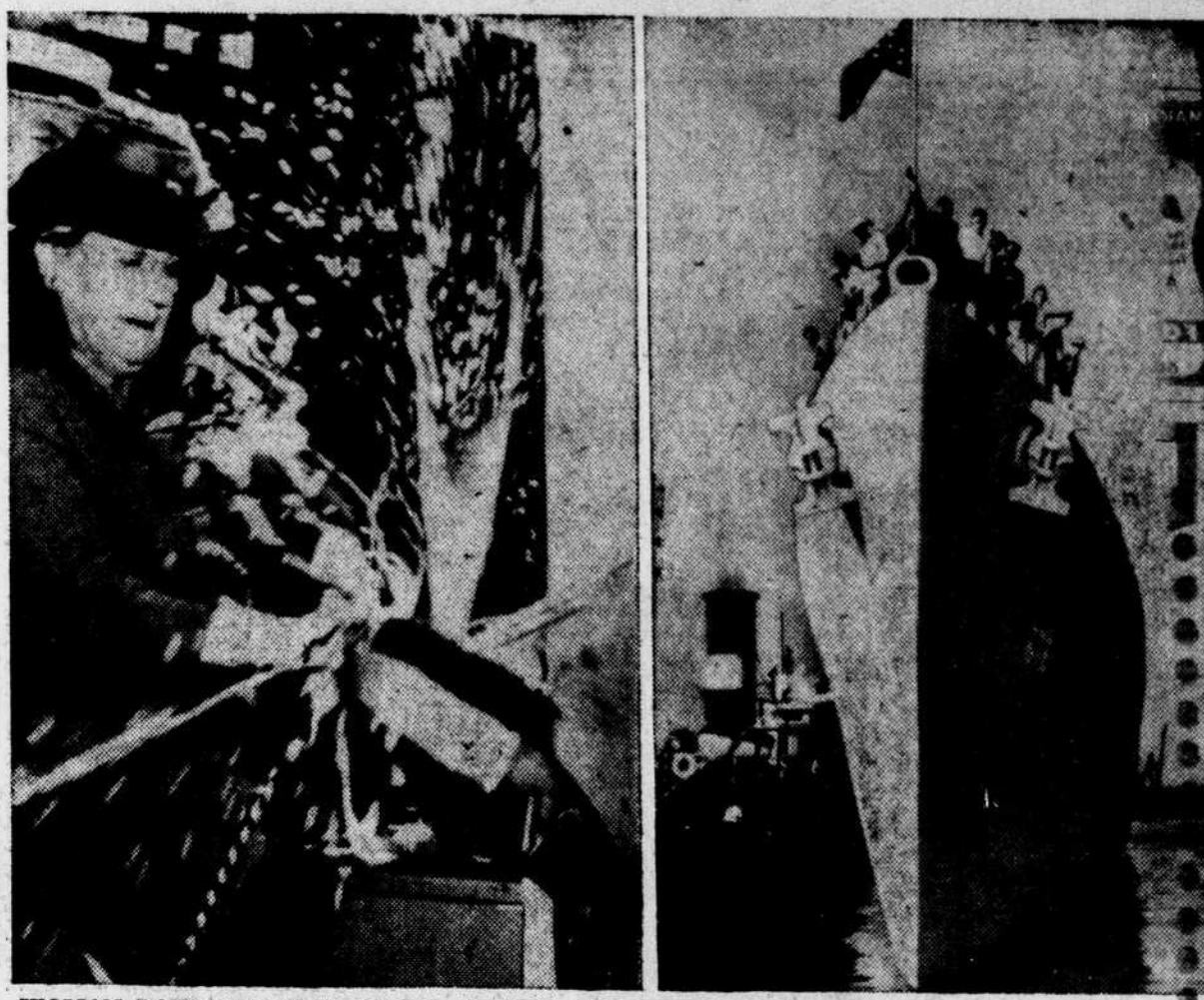
Mrs. Powers, who is to be at the Statler Hotel, this week, will visit other chapters in the East after leaving Washington.

Among those receiving at the supper for her Friday will be Miss Mildred Anderson of Chevy Chase, president of Beta Rho, the active chapter at American University; Mrs. Charles Gale of Takoma Park, State alumnae chairman; Mrs. Leon Hugh Warren of Woodside Park, president of the alumnae chapter; Ensign Elizabeth Budd, now of the WAVES, former national publications chairman, and Mrs. Vincent Carrel.

## Chinese Students Are Entertained

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Clarendon Smith gave the first of a series of midday breakfasts yesterday in honor of Chinese students in Washington. Their guests yesterday included Miss Keng-E Chuen, now at George Washington University; Mr. Po-Kao Lee of the Chinese Embassy, and Mr. and Mrs. William H. Dennis.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith have planned this series of Sunday fetes for the late summer season for young men and young women who are here from China to complete their education.



WOMAN LAUNCHES DESTROYER NAMED FOR HER SON—Mrs. Thomas Worth Marshall, 1707 Holly street N.W., (left), cracks a bottle of champagne against the destroyer Marshall in launching ceremonies yesterday in Kearny, N. J. The ship was named for her son, Lt. Comdr. Thomas Worth Marshall, who was lost in the torpedoing of the destroyer Jacob Jones last year. The new destroyer, (right) is shown standing in the Hackensack River immediately after the launching. —A. P. Photo.

## WITH D.C. FIGHTING MEN

CAMP CLABORNE, La.—Second Lt. George Frederick Nash, formerly of 1817 F street N.W., has been promoted to first lieutenant.

Lt. Nash went to Washington from Waterville, Me., to work in the Information Division of the Civil Service Commission. He completed his officer candidate course at Fort Bragg, N. C. He completed his officer candidate course at Fort Sill, Okla.

Pvt. Richard Thomas West, son of Martin R. West, 3206 Klinge road N.W., and Theodore L. Weber, son of Mrs. Lucille C. Weber, 921 Butternut street N.W., recently reported at Georgetown University for reclassification in the Army Specialized Training Program.

Pvt. West, who received his basic training at Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md., was educated at Episcopal High School, Alexandria, Va., and Princeton University. Pvt. Weber came from basic training at Camp Lee, Va., and attended Messick High School, Memphis, Tenn., and Memphis State College.

Tech. Sgt. Millard Quarles, 24, of 1726 Lamont street N.W., has been promoted to master technical sergeant here. The son of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Quarles of Jasper, Tenn. Sgt. Quarles attended Chattanooga (Tenn.) High School and was a five mile runner for the



PFC. HELEN D. SCHUYLER,  
—Star Staff Photo.

## Girl Marine Ordered To D. C. for Course

After more than three months' duty in Iowa on recruiting service, Pfc. Helen Douglas Schuyler, U. S. M. C. R., has been ordered to Washington for a special course in public relations.

A member of the continuity department of Station WOL before the service, Pfc. Schuyler was in charge of the marines' public relations office in Des Moines during a recruiting drive for women. The task of her group not only included preparing newspaper copy and appearing on radio programs, but also making personal appearances at theaters and civic gatherings.

Pfc. Schuyler entered the service in April and went through "boot" camp at Hunter College, New York. She was sent to Des Moines from Hunter.

Pfc. Schuyler has two brothers, both of whom enlisted, serving in the Navy.

the Army Air Forces Technical Training Command School here, where he took the weather observation course.

GREENSBORO, N. C. — Maj. Joseph G. Mayton, 4716 Harrison street N.W., is stationed here at the basic training center, Army Air Forces Training Command, where he is assigned to the Training Service Examining Board. A member of the AEF during the World War and a reserve officer since 1925, Maj. Mayton entered active service in November, 1940. Formerly he was a consulting economist and training officer with the Social Security Board. Mrs. Mayton and their daughter, Patricia Ann, now live at Baton Rouge, La.

CHANUTE FIELD, Ill. — Pfc. Clyde Wendelken, jr., son of Mr. Clyde Wendelken, 5912 Nevada avenue N.W., has been graduated from

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**29-Year-Old Colonel, Veteran Combat Flyer, Returns to District**

By NELSON M. SHEPARD.  
Col. Gordon H. Austin, a 29-year-old Washington Army Air Forces commander who escaped with his planes from the Pearl Harbor attack and now has returned home from North Africa, today told of leading his bomber squadron in the two raids on Rome, the climax of 51 personal combat missions.

The young flyer first commanded a P-40 fighter group and later a B-26 medium bomber group in nearly eight months of hard fighting in North Africa and the Mediterranean theater. He is home on a staff mission and will spend his 30th birthday on September 1 with his mother, Mrs. Fred T. Austin, of 2126 Connecticut avenue. He comes from an Army family, his father being the late Maj. Gen. Austin.

Was Unwounded.

A sturdily-built man with short cropped black hair and dark eyes, Col. Austin was with the Northwest African Strategic Air Force in most of its earlier fighting and in the attacks on Sicily and Sardinia. He has come through without a scratch. Although born in Davenport, Iowa, Col. Austin spent his youth in Washington. He attended the Friends School and Columbia Preparatory School. Cut out for an Army career he entered West Point and was graduated from the Military Academy in 1936.

As a fighter pilot he flew 37 combat

missions, totaling 100 hours, and is credited with two personal victories over enemy planes. Transferring in July to the command of a flight of Martin medium bombers, he flew 14 missions of 68 hours.

For his services at the front he has been awarded the Silver Star for gallantry, the Distinguished Flying Cross and the Air Medal with 10 Oak Leaf clusters.

Describes Pearl Harbor.

Col. Austin's stories of his air career in Hawaii and North Africa are punctuated with pungent descriptive words.

When our Air Forces at Pearl Harbor were "caught with our pants in the breeze and lost them," he said, he was in command of a small fighter group on one of the Hawaiian Islands. He was flying back from a reconnaissance mission when he encountered American flak and Jap fighter planes over Pearl Harbor where he saw "battleships resting at the bottom."

Col. Austin's small command saved four of its planes. "We had taken it on the chin and I wanted to dish it out," he remarked on explaining how eventually he returned to this country and was given a new fighter command. In January he took his group to North Africa and there had many hair-raising experiences.

Col. Austin swears by the P-40 Warhawks. "We all love them because they bring us back home every time no matter how hard they are hit," he said.

Downed 21 Nazis in One Fight.

During raids on enemy convoys, airbases and other installations in the Mediterranean area he said his command became known as the "Lighthouse Boys" because light-

houses on the island coasts seemed to be their favorite targets.

Referring to the capabilities of the Warhawks, Col. Austin said a group of 24 of his planes had knocked down 21 Messerschmitts during a battle over Sicily and had lost only one American plane.

In 80 missions in which the entire group had taken part, he said, 16 planes had been lost. It later developed, he explained, that four of the pilots had been taken prisoner after bailing out and were recaptured by American forces in Sicily.

Describing the first Rome raid, Col. Austin said everybody was eager for it because "we realized its world importance and had been wanting to give Mussolini the hot foot for a long while."

**Allied Air Squadrons Spend Quiet Week End**  
By the Associated Press.  
LONDON, Aug. 30.—Allied air squadrons spent a quiet week end with fighter activity over France and Northwest Germany the only action reported.

Planes taking part in the sweeps hammered at railway lines and canals, the British Air Ministry said today. One Allied plane was reported missing while an RCAF Mustang shot down a German fighter.



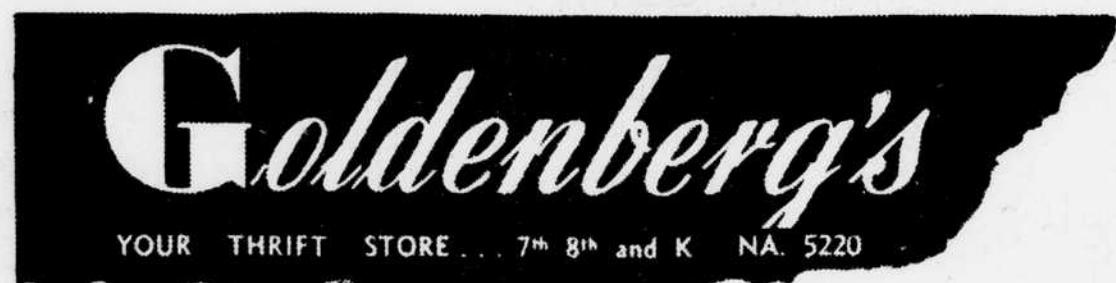
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**Scout Training Saved Platoon at Guadalcanal**

By the Associated Press.  
NEW YORK, Aug. 30.—His Boy Scout training saved his outfit on Guadalcanal from what might have been annihilation. 22-year-old Marine Sgt. Walter J. Bodt of Bucklyn says.  
Sgt. Bodt, who was awarded the Navy Cross for extraordinary heroism, recently was discharged from the service because of injuries he received on that occasion.  
Sgt. Bodt was a corporal at the

time his platoon became separated from another with which it was advancing up a Guadalcanal hill. Japs were "all over the place—it was lousy with them," he said. No signal man was with the group and there seemed to be no way to communicate their predicament to other units. Sgt. Bodt told the lieutenant in charge he could signal because he used to be a Boy Scout.  
Taking two bayonets and tying handkerchiefs on them for semaphore flags, he stood alone up on the hill and got enough of his message across before a Jap bullet hit him.

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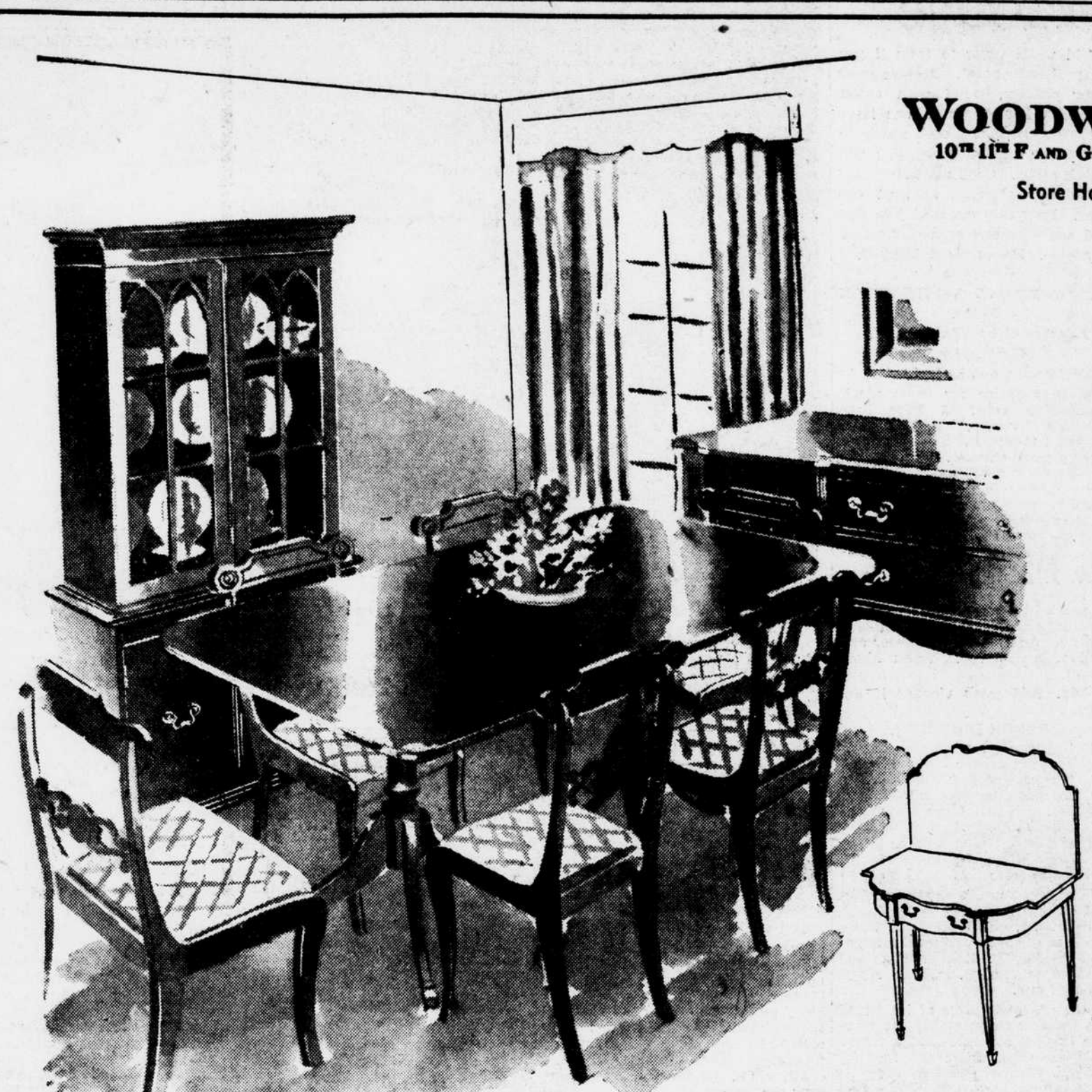


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Back From the Wars

Trans-Atlantic Prison Ship M. P. Finds Army Work He Likes

Pfc. Jack Asselta Was District's First Horse Meat Purveyor

The haircut Pfc. Jack Asselta of the Military Police got the other day in a Washington barber shop ran a poor second to the last one he had had—at the hands of an Italian prisoner of war.



PFC. JACK ASSELTA. —Star Staff Photo.

Standing there, unspoken because he was not allowed to converse with the prisoners, he would listen to the men in the compartment, sing in their native language or engaged in their gambling games. He would watch the Italians, openly delighted that their losing battle was over, and the Germans, grim and reserved.

The Italians had laughed, he recalled, when teasingly told they were bound for Russia. "No," they had insisted in confident tones, "we are going to America."

They could not be turned from the belief that "Russia was through" and that the United States had been bombed. It was the propaganda that had been drilled into them.

Dutchman Makes Dice Talk. This constant guard duty was tough on sleep. One thing, though, he reflected with a grin, there was no reville. His companions, off duty, were either catching up on their sleep or shooting craps. Once he and some of the others had taught a Dutch sailor on board the American game—and then watched

with dismay as the Dutchman pulled in the winnings. At the regular intervals each compartment of prisoners was led up on deck for a smoke. Then the Americans gave them cigarettes and candy. The prisoners also had their turn at K. P. duty—a chore for which the Italians clamored because of the extra food dividends afforded. The Italians liked American food, especially the bread.

Gifts Substitute for Pay. Interpreters would transmit the haircut preferences of the American M. P.'s to the Italians, pressed summarily into service when their talents came to light. Not allowed to give the prisoners money, the soldiers would make them presents of candy and cigarettes for their trouble.

Reappear in Odd Form. During their brief stay in Africa, the soldier said, the Americans' duffle bags frequently would disappear mysteriously, only to turn up later as part of the garb of one of

Stories of Veterans Wanted by Star For Publication

This is another of a series of interviews with men from the Washington area who have returned from overseas duty. Friends and relatives of servicemen returning from battle zones are urged to write or telephone the city editor of The Star at National 5000. The Star wants to give these men of the armed forces a chance to tell their stories to the thousands of interested Washingtonians.

the Arabs. The natives would fashion a sort of brief trousers by cutting holes in two corners of the bag and wearing the straps over their shoulders. Boldly across the seat of the garment in white stamp would

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appear the name of some duffle-bagless American. The former butcher is not sorry to return to a Southern camp, where he is under orders to be "packed and ready to go at all times," but his "biggest thrill" of the trip is the landing back in the United States. He is the son of Mrs. Mae Asselta, and attended Eastern High School.

War Captives Harvest South Georgia Peanuts By the Associated Press. SPENCE FIELD, Ga., Aug. 30.—Col. L. H. Roddeck, post commander,

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fields in South Georgia to aid in relieving farm labor shortages. Col. Roddeck said the prisoners are Germans.

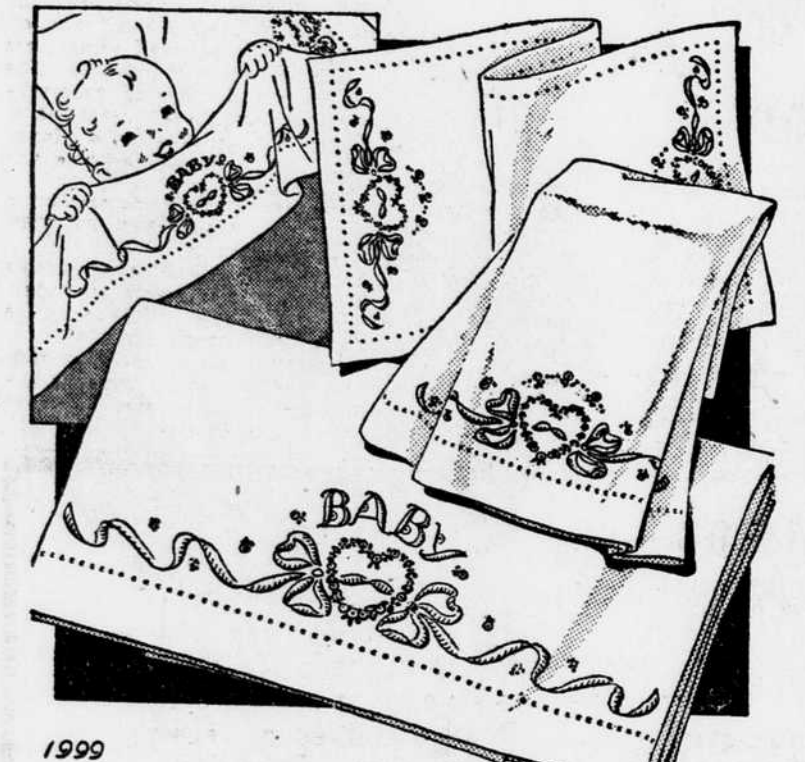
F. M. Poole, Colquitt County farm demonstration agent, conferred with the commanding officer yesterday to determine where war prisoners are most needed for farm work.

Place a stamp in that vacant space in your War savings stamp book; it will help put the Axis on the spot.

MODERNIZE WITH LISTEN LOOK INSURANCE. Many persons suffer unnecessary losses. Why? Because they fail to secure proper insurance coverage. Are you covered for fire, burglary, theft, windstorm, furs, jewelry, automobile or other forms of personal insurance? Are you covered for just one of all these items? Insurance rates in D. C., Va. and nearby Md. are so very low that every one should be adequately insured at all times.

Mr. Foster's Stationery Shop. Letters are always welcome, but how much more so when written on fine stationery! We offer this extra thin paper for regular overseas mailing... 96 sheets and 36 envelopes of beautiful ivory-white paper.

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Baby things have to be simple, unless you count on saving them for use by the next arrival. You can embroider this set of crib linen between bottles. Or, if it isn't your baby, and you've wanted to see whether pink or blue ribbon is in order, you can fill the bill quickly with this pattern and be sure that your gift will be very welcome.

Our 60-page multicolored Book of Needle Arts contains many other suggestions for dressing up your home and yourself, including five free patterns. Send your request for this book to the address listed below, inclosing 20 cents in coins to cover the cost and mailing charges.

Winking 821 14th Street. END-OF-SEASON Clearance. All remaining Spring and Summer Coats, Suits, Sportswear now reduced to 1/2 off for immediate clearance Tomorrow Only!

What we have, in season ends and surpluses, goes tomorrow in our Jelleff's HALF-PRICE DAY (Average half price)

A few additional items besides those listed today! Sorry we cannot have as much as usual for this extremely popular one-day-a-month clearance of ours, but it cannot be done now. However we suggest you check the items, come down as usual—the things you want may be here. It's a day you will not wish to miss!

Please remember—conditions of sale! No returns for credit, exchange or refund—No mail orders, no telephone orders, no C. O. D.'s, no deliveries at any promised time or outside war-time delivery restrictions. We shall do our best as to service—All the fitters and salespeople we can secure. Store opens at 9:30 as usual!

- WOMEN'S, MISSES', JUNIORS' COATS—Third Floor. Women's \$39.75 Dress Coats—brown, blue wools in fitted and box styles. Sizes 36 and 38. \$19.88. Women's \$29.75 Rayon Fallie Summer Box Coats—brown with rayon velvet collars; sizes 33 1/2 to 39 1/2. \$12.50. Women's \$29.75 Casual Coats—Stroock herringbone mixtures, novelty tweeds in beige, blue, green, brown, grey, heather. Sizes 35 1/2 to 41 1/2, 36 to 42. \$14.88.

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**'Immediate Rescue' Of Jews in Nazi Europe Urged by Conference**

By the Associated Press.  
 NEW YORK, Aug. 30.—The American Jewish Conference opened a five-day session here yesterday, with Henry Monsky of Omaha, Neb., national president of B'nai B'rith, calling for "the immediate rescue of the remnants of our people" in the Nazi-occupied countries.

He addressed a gathering of 2,000 persons, 500 of them delegates from many sections of the United States, representing more than 60 national Jewish organizations.

Declaring that there had been a "lack of practical measures for the relief of millions who have been persecuted, pillaged, pilloried and devastated," Mr. Monsky said: "Many statements of sympathy and compassion have been issued by our Government and its Allies. . . . Such statements are reassuring, but distressingly ineffective insofar as the plight of the victims is concerned."

"Expressions of sympathy and compassion will not save one human life," he added. "Concrete measures, promptly planned and expeditiously executed, are the indispensable imperatives."

Dr. Stephen S. Wise, president of the American Jewish Congress, proposed the conference send a delegation to President Roosevelt with a request that he take immediate action to rescue the remnants of European Jewry.

Dr. Wise said that the number of Jews in Europe had been reduced from 8,000,000 to 3,000,000 and that further delays would mean that there would be no Jews left to save.

**Union Urges U. S. Workers To Aid Nearby Harvesting**

Stressing the tremendous need of Maryland and Virginia farmers for help in harvesting their crops, United Federal Workers of America Secretary-treasurer Eleanor Nelson in a letter to all District of Columbia locals has urged all Federal employees taking leave in the next two months to aid these farmers.

The letter urged each local "to inform its membership of the need for farm help and urge members taking annual leave in the next two months to spend a week of it at one of the four camps operated at New Market, Va.; Boyce, Va.; Staunton, Va., and Hancock, Md."

Farm workers will be put up at camps and paid 30 cents an hour, plus a piece rate on crops harvested.

Application blanks may be secured from Robert Sherman, Louise Gerard or Helen Shonick at 1407 L street N.W. or by calling Executive 0340.

**2,000 Volunteers Packing Gifts for War Prisoners**

Christmas gift packages for prisoners of war in the European theater will require three months to reach their recipients and the Red Cross has been assembling these gifts at packing centers in Philadelphia, New York and Chicago for three weeks.

About 2,000 volunteers are preparing 400,000 standard gift boxes. In addition, the New York center will pack an extra 10,000 boxes for United States military and civilian prisoners.

The 10,000 packages will be paid for by the Army and Navy and private orders can not be accepted, the Red Cross announced.

The newest Red Cross packaging center at St. Louis, where 700 workers are preparing the boxes, recently completed its first week of operation with an average of 8,000 boxes packaged daily.

**Canceled Convention Sends Soldiers Smokes**

By the Associated Press.  
 FALLS CITY, Neb.—Because the Volunteer Fire Department postponed the district firemen's convention planned here September 21, Uncle Sam's fighting men will benefit.

The firemen, figuring they would lose \$25 in sponsoring the convention, decided to send that amount to the Smokes-for-Soldiers funds for Yanks in hospitals.

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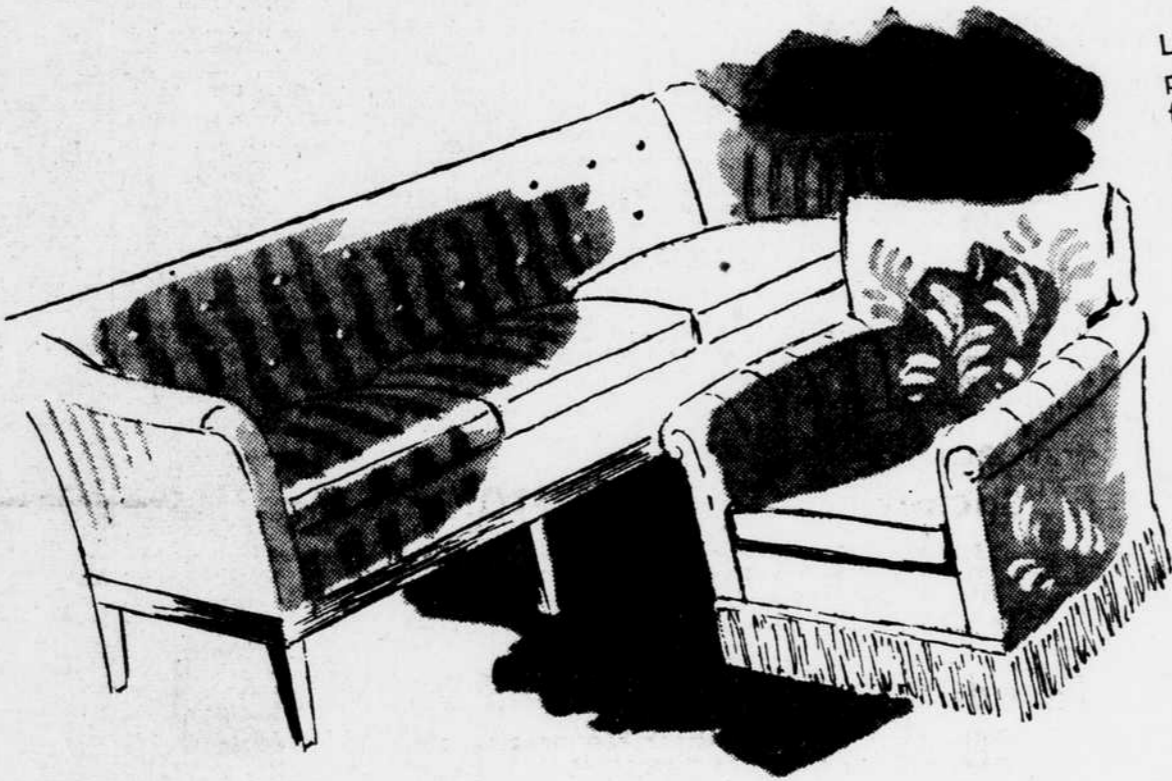


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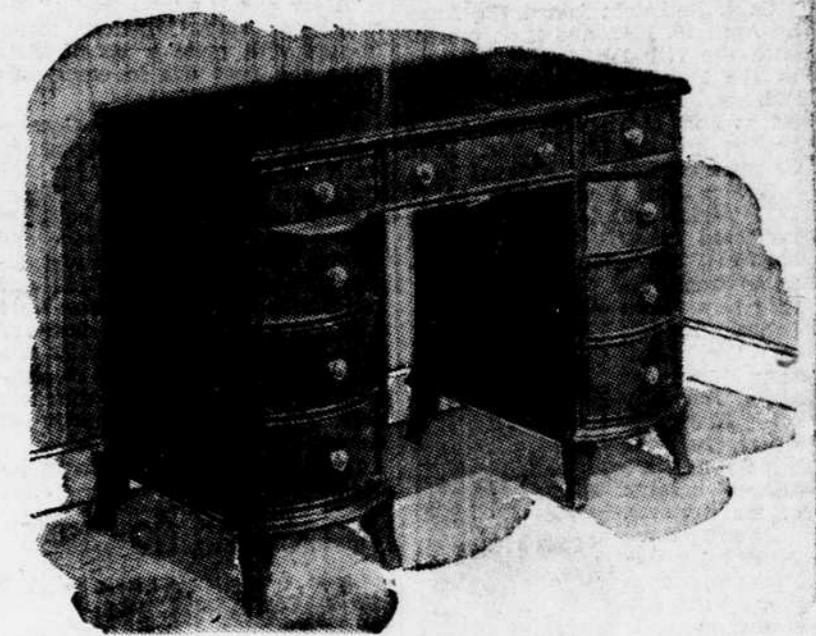
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Army Promotes 2 D. C. Officers to Captain, 4 To First Lieutenant

Six District area officers were notified by the War Department that they had received temporary promotions, it was announced today. Two first lieutenants were raised to captains and four second lieutenants were promoted to first lieutenants.

Basel Harlow Mishtow of 4522 Stanford street, Chevy Chase, Md., who was promoted to captain, was born in Washington in 1919. He was graduated from Chevy Chase High School in 1937 and studied accountancy for three years.

John Mishtow, was naval attaché of the Russian Embassy at Washington before the 1917 revolution. Both have been American citizens for many years.

Irving M. Rothstein of 1432 Montague street N.W., was the other promotion to captain. He was born in Washington 25 years ago and went to Central High School, where he was a captain in the Cadet Corps.

Robert Jean Montgomery, 22, of 1207 Taylor street, N.E., was promoted to first lieutenant. He was born in Washington and was graduated from McKinley High School.

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John Sager, 27, of 3828 Columbia road, N.W., was raised to first lieutenant. He was active in the Cadet Corps during his four years at Westover High School.

Gene Epsilon Douglas of 2601 Sixteenth street N.W., also was raised to first lieutenant. He was active in the Cadet Corps during his four years at Westover High School.

Marcus Deskin, 27, of 4700 Riverdale road, Riverdale, Md., who was advanced to first lieutenant, went to Hyattsville High School and the University of Maryland. He was a member of Tau Epsilon Phi fraternity.

Woman Keeps Apartment Oasis In Building Taken Over by U. S.



Mrs. Pallas Parma shown on the porch of the Dupont Circle Apartments, now occupied by the Government.—Star Staff Photo.

Flanked by offices of the OGD which open into a small entrance hall on the twelfth floor of the Dupont Circle Apartments, former fashionable apartment-hotel, is a small sign which reads, "Private Apartment of Mrs. Pallas Parma."

It identifies sunny, two-room apartment overlooking the park where the sole remaining tenant of the apartment lives with her companion, Miss Mary Bendelari. Their neighbors are the 900 to 1,200 (the number fluctuates) Government employees of the OGD.

"Every one is very friendly," she continued. "Miss Bendelari makes friends with quite a lot of them when she goes out to empty the trash."

Mrs. Parma says that the Government, in addition to emptying her trash and garbage, delivers her mail and heats her apartment. Whenever her apartment is too cold, she simply picks up the telephone and notifies the engineer.

"The guards are particularly interested by the fact that I am the only tenant in the building and it has aroused their interest," she observed.

Mrs. Parma describes her apartment, which is filled with pictures and furnishings which she brought back from France where she studied art under Rodin before the last world war, as a "penthouse." It is bordered on both sides by sun decks where she grows parsley, chives, mint and morning-glories.

Unlike the rental agreements of the other tenants of the Dupont Circle Apartments, Mrs. Parma held a continuing lease, with no fixed termination date. When the Government order came through for the building to vacate the building, Mrs. Parma, taking advantage of that provision, took the case to court and was permitted to remain. Miss Bendelari, who had been forced to vacate one of the other apartments, decided to join her.

**SPECIAL NOTICES.**  
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**British Children Help.**  
British school children, who were given a target of \$12,000,000 in a war bond drive, passed the \$40,000,000 mark.

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RADIO SERVICE—Two openings for benchwork; experience necessary; good pay and working conditions. Call Union 5823. Capitol Radio Service, 1319 1/2 St. N.W.

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PVT. BREGER ABROAD —By Lt. Dave Breger



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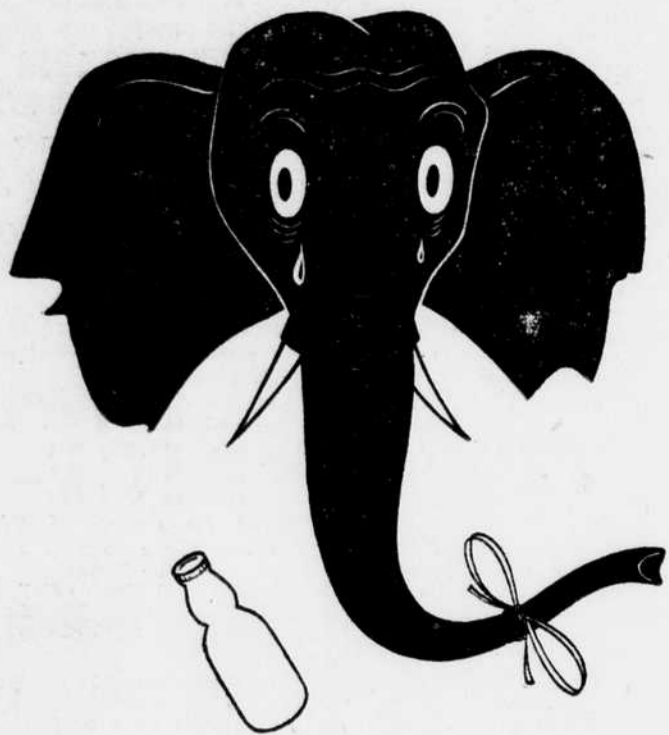
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Comic strip panels with dialogue: ABOARD AN ATC PASSENGER PLANE HEADING TOWARD THE ORIENT... WHERE ARE WE GOING TO LAND?...

Comic strip panels with dialogue: HERE'S YOUR BARS AND RIBBONS NINETY CENTS, PLEASE... TELL YOUR GRIEF TO THE CHAPLAIN, BUT BREAK OUT NINETY CENTAMOS OR NO RIBBONS...

Comic strip panels with dialogue: I WILL MEN OOOBR WRITE? YES!... THIS BABE IS EITHER POWERFUL THIRSTY OR ELSE SHE'S NUTS 'BOUT PENNANS-SHIP!

Comic strip panels with dialogue: 'GWAN! BEAT IT THIS IS NO PLACE FER BIRDS!... TH' IDEA! THEM FEATHERED CHISELERS MAKIN' THEIR HOMES ON A FIRST-CLASS BATTLESHIP!

Nature's Children LESSER FLYING PHALANGER (Petaurus brevicauda). Another native animal of Australia our boys found interesting and amusing is the handsome flying phalanger.

Uncle Ray's Corner One of the many "plain facts" in this world is that wood will float on water. Another such fact is that a stone will sink when it is dropped on water.

Illustration of a phalanger and text: come to find food. On moonlight lights they resemble swift shadows passing through the trees.

Illustration of a phalanger and text: As pets these animals are most satisfactory. They are very fastidious, keeping their fur clean and glossy.

Illustration of a phalanger and text: Answer to Yesterday's Puzzle. PRA WHEEL BBA RY WHEEL RAP ZEBES INDUOP MAY CLAIM AMIR UR FARE RAAD LEAR LEO RY SUNAPE NO ATT PAMS LOST SART EE ADES

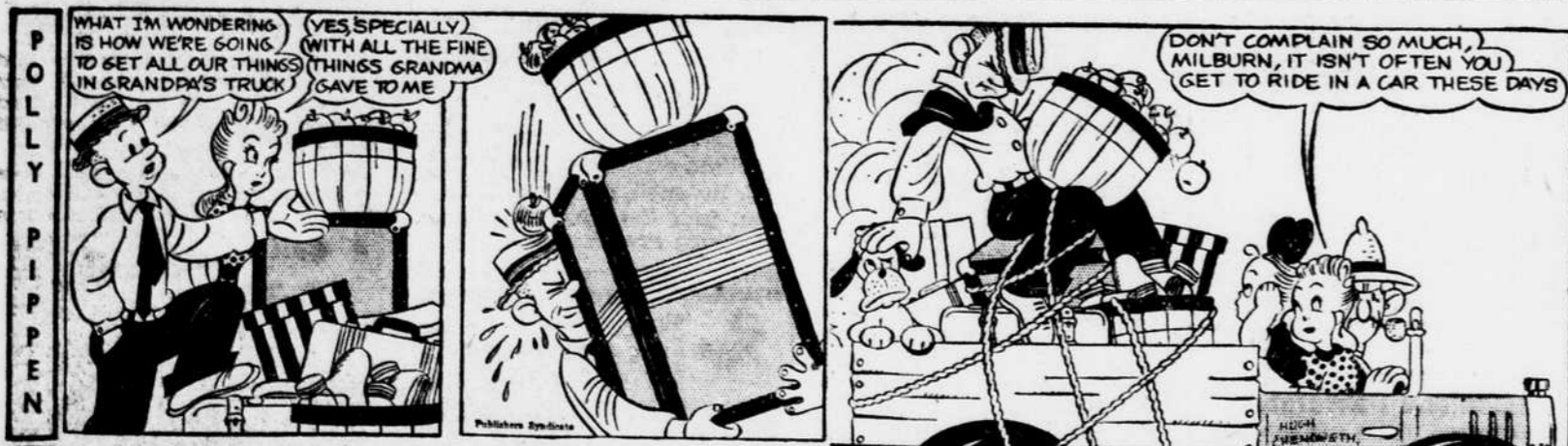
Uncle Ray's Place a stamp in that vacant space in your War Savings stamp book! It will help put the Axis on the spot.

LETTER-OUT 1 CHORTLES Letter-Out and light up. 2 RESHAPING Letter-Out and he was a well-known figure in the last war.

CROSS-WORD PUZZLE HORIZONTAL 1 Fabulous bird 18 Lean 31 Continued story 45 Storage pits

LETTER-OUT Answer to Saturday's LETTER-OUT. (F) FOLDERS—RESOLD (it's a transfer). (O) PAROLES—PEARLS (have a necklace).

CROSS-WORD PUZZLE VERTICAL 1 To free of 9 Poker stake 26 Despotism 38 Stuffs



RADIO PROGRAM

Table of radio programs for Monday, August 30, 1943. Columns include station call letters, time, and program name. Stations listed include WMAL, WRC, WOL, WJLA, WDCB, and WTOP.

ON THE AIR TODAY. Star Flashes: Latest news, WMAL at 8:30 a.m. daily. WRC, 7:00—Waring's Dr.: Musical salute to Navy aviation on its 30th anniversary.

Table of radio programs for Tuesday, August 31, 1943. Columns include station call letters, time, and program name. Stations listed include WMAL, WRC, WOL, WJLA, WDCB, and WTOP.

Table of radio programs for Wednesday, September 1, 1943. Columns include station call letters, time, and program name. Stations listed include WMAL, WRC, WOL, WJLA, WDCB, and WTOP.

SPECIAL THIS WEEK. Offer expires Sept. 6 and requires that this advertisement be presented when C.O.G. is made. Every American Home Should Display a United States Flag. Complete outfit for indoor use includes 23"x36" bunting flag and gold colored spread eagle decoration. Price 89¢.

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TONIGHT "THE TELEPHONE HOUR" presents JASCHA HEIFETZ and the Bell Symphonic Orchestra. 9 p.m. E.W.T. WRC.

Winning Contract By THE FOUR ACES. One of the most amusing "safety plays" that we have seen came up on this deal. South dealer. East-West vulnerable.

Safety Play. After North had shown that the heart suit was not a danger point, South chose to make sure he would be declarer at a final no-trump contract, so that a diamond lead would have to come up to his hand, even though this choice caused him to abandon showing the spade suit entirely.

Suburban Heights —By Gluyas Williams. THE YIELDS FROM THE VICTORY GARDENS IN TOWN IS SHROUDED IN MYSTERY BECAUSE EVERYONE IS SO BUSY TELLING HOW MUCH HIS OWN GARDEN PRODUCED HE CAN'T HEAR HIS NEIGHBOR TELL HOW MUCH HIS GARDEN YIELDED.

spede trick, he cannot be beaten. West continues spades, and South wins this but when he does he has no spades to return. West's spade suit cannot be established in time, and all the defenders take is one spade, two clubs and a heart.

Question No. 1,476. Today you hold the same hand and the bidding continues: You, Jacoby. Schenken. Lightner. 1A Pass 2V Pass (2) What do you bid? (Answer tomorrow.)

So Peter headed for the Smiling Pool once more. When he got there he sat down behind the Big Hickory Tree where Grandfather Frog could not see him. Somehow he didn't want Grandfather Frog to see him. He knew that Grandfather Frog was sharp enough to guess just why he was there, and after what Grandfather Frog had said about minding his own business, Peter didn't feel just like being seen.

Points for Parents —By EDYTH THOMAS WALLACE. Remove the cause of thumb sucking rather than resorting to cures which may set up emotional disturbances that are more harmful than the behavior they attempt to correct.

Bedtime Stories By THORNTON W. BURGESS. What you don't think of, others may. So lend a helpful ear. The thing that most perplexes you may thus be made quite clear.

from behind the Big Hickory Tree and there swallowing the little fish, as Peter so often had seen him do, he turned and flew back down the Laughing Brook with it. Peter scratched his head thoughtfully. "I wonder," thought he, "if that means that he has some babies at home and is taking that little fish to them. I wonder."

Take My Word for It By FRANK COLBY. Vienna. (Sixth of a new series. Clip for reference.) Vienna, once the gayest and one of the most cultured and romantic capitals of Europe, is not known by that name in Austria or Germany.

Curious word origins. Because English is a composite language, made up of gleanings from almost every known tongue, the origins of the most familiar words are often so extraordinary, so strange as to be incredible. Did you know that glamour is a corruption of grammar, that a scrupulous man has pebbles in his shoe, that a pedigree is a crane's foot?

Back from the Fighting Fronts. Tonight RAYMOND CLAPPER TELLS... "WHAT AMERICAN FIGHTING MEN THINK OF THE GERMAN SOLDIER". During four months covering the news spots of Europe, Raymond Clapper discussed strategy and politics with United Nations leaders.

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## Churchwomen Here To Vote on World Peace Organization

Washington churchwomen will join with women of 24 Protestant denominations throughout the Nation on Armistice Day, November 11, in a special ballot to determine the churchwomen's attitude towards a world organization of nations and towards continuance of wartime restrictions for a period after the peace.

This was disclosed today by the Washington Council of Churchwomen, which will participate during November in the Christian Mission on World Order, sponsored by the Federal Council of Churches, central body of American Protestantism. The Federal Council represents 25 million Christians.

In connection with the Christian Mission on World Order, dedicated to a study of future American participation with other nations in establishing and maintaining world order, the 10 million women in the United Council of Churchwomen will hold a World Community Day on November 11. The theme of the day will be, "Price of an Enduring Peace."

During the day each of the women will be asked to go on record as to whether she favors instructing her Representative and Senator to work for America joining a world organization "for maintaining a just peace." On the same ballot the women will indicate whether they desire continuance of rationing, travel restrictions and other wartime measures "for a period after the war, if such were necessary to relieve distress, restore order and to help other nations recover from war damages."

The observance of the special day in Washington will be supervised by Mrs. Elmer Morgan, president of the Washington Council of Churchwomen, and Mrs. Theodore O. Wedel, chairman of the occasion.

As a participant with 92 other cities in the Christian Mission on World Order, Washington will be visited sometime between November 1 and 20 by a special preaching mis-

sion on world problems, one of numerous similar groups which will tour the Nation. Approximately 200 local churches will participate in the American church movement to assure a lasting peace.

Among agencies participating in the program of study and action will be the Federal Council of Churches, the Foreign Missions Conference and the Home Missions Council of North America, the International Council of Religious Education, the Missionary Education Movement and the Council of Churchwomen.

### New Zealand Dehydrates

New Zealand's first and only large meat-dehydration plant is turning out 5,000 tons annually.

Give up that vacation drive cheerfully: we need gasoline to take the enemy for a one-way ride.

### Four Army Flyers Killed In Cargo-Type Plane Crash

By The Associated Press.

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C., Aug. 30.—Four men were killed in the crash of an Army cargo-type plane near Garland, N. C., Friday, Pope Field (Fort Bragg) authorities announced last night.

The plane, based at Pope Field, was on a routine training mission and ran into a heavy storm which apparently caused the crash, officials said.

The dead: Second Lt. Richard G. Shipley, pilot, Scarsdale, N. Y.; Second Lt. Howard R. Johnson, co-pilot, Fayetteville, N. C.; Sgt. Robert M. Anderson, San Ysidro, Calif.; and Sgt. Roger H. Knowlton, Rochester, N. Y.

### Sweetheart of Sioux

SEATTLE, Wash. (AP)—As a part of a War Bond sales promotion rally, Chief Yellowhawk of the Sioux Indians made Mrs. Anna Roosevelt Boettiger, daughter of President and Mrs. Roosevelt, an honorary tribesman, with the name "Contiskuita"—meaning sweetheart.

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