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**Cloudy, Cool**  
IOWA—Partly cloudy and cooler  
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# NEW NAZI TACTICS TAKE BIG TOLL

## Senate Kills 'Draft Money with Men' Clause

### 'Can't Dodge Issue,' Says Senator Clark

#### House Group Raises Army Pay, Defers Draft

WASHINGTON, Aug. 21 (AP)—On a constitutional point of order, the senate squelched an effort today to make the conscription bill draft money as well as men, whereupon Senator Clark (D-Mo) stormily asserted that the chamber might "dodge" the issue now but would be forced to vote upon it later.

The question was raised in an amendment by Senator Lee (D-Okla) proposing that in time of war the president have power to compel citizens to purchase, in accordance with their means, government bonds bearing low interest rates. Senator Ellender (D-La) challenged the proposal because the constitution prescribed that revenue-raising legislation must originate in the house. The senate, after two hours of spirited debate, sustained Ellender, 54 to 23.

**Action in House**  
The house military committee, working on its version of the manpower conscription bill, voted to increase the basic pay of army enlisted men from \$21 to \$30. The action was taken over the opposition of Chairman May (D-Ky), who said it would cost \$400,000,000 and that the White House was opposed to it. The committee defeated an amendment to defer the draft until the United States went to war. It also deleted a provision under which men who were not called into the arms could be formed into home defense units. Instead, it stipulated that the units could not be created until congress passed legislation ordering such action.

(The bill before the senate (See DRAFT, Page 6)

### Egypt Stands Pat Pending Developments

CAIRO, Egypt, Aug. 21 (AP)—Egypt clung tonight to her determination to keep out of war with Italy unless directly attacked or invaded.

After a four-hour debate on war policies in the chamber of deputies, Premier Hassen Sabry Pasha told the press that Egypt "harbors no ill will against anybody," but added that she will "declare war if her territory or her army is the object of an attack."

Marshal Rodolfo Graziani shifted concentrations of Italian troops today around the Barbia base, thirty miles from the Egyptian-Libyan frontier, again threatening a drive into Egypt. Recent movements observed by British patrols were believed intended to refill gaps ripped in supply bases and communications lines by the British naval shelling of Aug. 17 and to reinforce and reform Italian lines before undertaking the assault. The RAF heavily bombed enemy bases in Ethiopia. French fliers in British service made reconnaissance flights over British Somaliland.

### British Abandon Somaliland



Access from the south to the vital Suez canal has been blocked, at least partially, by the British evacuation of British Somaliland before advancing Italian forces which had a heavy numerical superiority over the defending

### British Air Minister Promises Offensive in Months to Come

#### Warns 'Only Fraction' Of Enemy Bombers Have Been Engaged

LONDON, Aug. 21 (AP)—Sir Archibald Sinclair, British air minister, declared in a broadcast tonight that Britain will throw all her resources into an offensive "in the months to come" in order to "cleanse the continent of Europe of the stain and horror of German rule."

He said the people of Britain had a right to be encouraged by British air force activities, but he warned them they must not think that the danger "of invasion or of massed attacks from the air is past."

The move to "sally forth from our fortress" in an offensive, he said, would require a stepped-up war effort. "We have every good reason for abundant gratitude to our friends in America for their moral sympathy and material support," he added, "but it is on ourselves that we must rely."

### 'Liberty Tree' Chopped Down By Germans

BERLIN, Aug. 21, (AP)—France's "tree of liberty" in the Alsatian town of Zabern was chopped down today amid cries of "sieg heil" to Adolf Hitler and the roll of drums.

Nazi leader Wilde told the group of Hitler youth and other participating Nazi organizations: "This tree was planted as a symbol of freedom—freedom as understood by the French. For Germany this tree is symbol of slavery and oppression. Now the tree must fall and the roots be torn out because everything foreign must be torn out of the homeland."

## Leon Trotsky, Leader of Bolsheviks, Dead from Wounds of Assailant

### British Cabinet Will Undergo Changes Soon

#### Chamberlain, Halifax, Wood Draw Disfavor in Planned Shakeup

LONDON, Aug. 21 (AP)—A new shifting of the British cabinet that will eliminate Neville Chamberlain and others under increasing fire for the past year's "catastrophe of disasters" was predicted in well-informed political quarters tonight, on the eve of a two weeks' adjournment of parliament.

These are the men upon whom there is speculation: Chamberlain, now lord president of the council, because he was wrong about appeasement and is accused increasingly of failure to prepare adequately while he was prime minister for the total war which burst upon Europe this spring.

Foreign secretary Lord Halifax, because Britain virtually is isolated diplomatically, except for the United States, and is making no observable progress toward rapprochement with Soviet Russia. Chancellor of the exchequer, Sir Kingsley Wood, criticized for making a "timid" war budget when the Britons were demanding that every resource be utilized.

Alfred Duff-Cooper, minister of information, under criticism for weak propaganda activity in Spain. Herbert Morrison, minister of supply. Today, in the house of (See SHAKUP, Page 6)

### French Envoy to U. S.



Henri Haye

Probably the most delicate diplomatic job of all is that now held by Henri Haye, above, who has been appointed ambassador to the United States by the new French government. Because the French government is regarded as little more than a German puppet, Haye's policy in the United States will be watched with interest from both sides of the Atlantic.

### Blamed Soviet Secret Police For Attack

#### 36-Year-Old Attacker Held; Trotsky Was Lenin's Powerful Aide

MEXICO CITY, Aug. 21 (AP)—Leon Trotsky died tonight after whispering an accusation that his pickax assailant "most likely" was a member of the OGPU, Soviet secret police.

A savage attack by a confident felled the 60-year-old guiding genius of the Russian revolution in his home late yesterday. An emergency operation and administration of oxygen were futile. He died at 7:25 p.m. (CST) before brain surgeons from the United States could reach him by chartered plane.

**Attacker Identified**  
The attacker was identified by police as Jacques Mortan Vandendriessche, 36-year-old native of Iran. Body guards beat him off from the assault but not until he had driven the ax into the exiled revolutionist's skull.

Only hours before he died, the old Bolshevik was quoted as murmuring to his secretary that "this time it is the end" and that he was sure his assailant "was a member of the OGPU or a fascist—most likely the OGPU."

**Wife at Bedside**  
Mrs. Trotsky was at her husband's side at the end, together with attending physicians—some of Mexico's most noted surgeons. The exile died just 5 minutes before Dr. Walter Dandy, noted Baltimore brain surgeon, was to have left Washington, D. C., by plane to operate on him.

In the same hospital with Trotsky was his assailant, under treatment for minor injuries suffered at the hands of the Russian's bodyguards.

Joseph Hansen, Trotsky's secretary, told of the wounded man's declarations. Hansen said the genius of the Bolshevik revolution also gave him this political testament:

"Please say to our friends that I am sure of the success of the fourth international. Go forward!"

(Hansen, in a telephone call to New York, was quoted by James P. Cannon, secretary of the socialist workers' party, as saying that Trotsky told him: "I will not survive this attack. Stalin has finally accomplished the task he attempted unsuccessfully before.")

While this was going on, police questioned a Brooklyn, N. Y., girl about her knowledge of the man who attacked Trotsky yesterday. The girl is Sylvia Agaloff, whom police identified as a sister of Ruth Agaloff, a former Trotsky secretary. She was being questioned along with the assailant, an Iranian-born-Belgian who goes by the name of Frank Jackson.

**Barkley Gets 'Facts'**  
Barkley said he had obtained the "facts" from the state department and had learned that the route selected was deemed the safest by experts from the war, state and navy departments. "Determination of the route was left to the navy department, although the boat was under operation and control of the war department," Barkley explained.

Chairman Bloom (D-NY) of the house foreign affairs committee (See U. S. SHIP, Page 6)

### Barkley Says Refugee Ship Now in Safety

#### Senator Claims Ship Took Route Selected by War Department

WASHINGTON, Aug. 21, (AP)—Speaking for the state department, democratic leader Barkley (Ky) told the senate late today that the government's refugee transport, American Legion, had selected the "safest possible course" through European war zones in returning a group of refugees to this country.

Barkley said that the state department informed him today that the refugee ship was "some 900 miles west of the English coast and now out of danger."

**No 'Threat of War'**  
At the same time, the administration spokesman disputed statements made on the senate floor that the route through mine and submarine zones off England risked involving the United States in war through possible disaster to the refugee ship.

Yesterday Senator Bone (D-Wash) protested that the "stubbornness of one man" had risked the lives of 900 persons aboard the ship and possible involvement in war. The senator said this man was either the president or some other high official.

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### Stratoclipper Flies to Brazil in Three Days

MIAMI, Fla., Aug. 21 (AP)—Pan American's stratoclipper composite flew into Rio de Janeiro today along an oversea and overland route that brings the Brazilian capital to within three days of the United States.

### It's Sir Neville, in Training



Even dignified statesmen who are seldom photographed save in frock coat and silk hat can get down on their hands and knees for the good of their country, as Sir Ne-

ville Henderson, former British ambassador to Germany, here proves. Sir Neville, undergoing military training in a camp near London, is supposedly sighting an enemy position.

## Lone German 'Hit-and-Run' Fliers Drop Aerial Torpedoes, Smash 'Houses by the Row'

### 'Uncounted Victims' Buried in Ruins of English Towns; British Air Force Hammers Away At German Bases on Channel Coast

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS  
LONDON, Aug. 21—Aerial torpedoes—propeller-stemmed cylinders of destruction—were loosed by Nazi bombers tonight in attacks which smashed houses by the row and buried uncounted victims in the ruins.

The torpedoes were hurled, along with shriek bombs, at one southeast town after a day of ceaseless hit-and-run attacks by lone Nazi raiders while the royal air force kept up its steady counter-punching at German bases.

A whole row of eight little worker cottages was smashed into a tangle of debris where the torpedoes were launched horizontally. Numerous other residences were wrecked. One old woman just put to bed by her son was in a house ripped to splinters by the explosion. The son alone crawled from the wreckage.

Not one brick was left upon another where the adjoining house had stood.

Late into the night firemen and rescue squads dug into the ruins for bodies. Beneath other homes voices were heard faintly and rescuers believed they might find some still alive who had sought shelter in basements and were trapped.

"I saw a bomber sweep down from the clouds," one witness related. "It had its engines shut off and as it dived I saw a huge black bomb shaped like a torpedo leave the plane. As the torpedo dropped the plane seemed to shoot up into the air as though after releasing a heavy load."

**Whole Town Shaken**  
The witness said the explosion "shook the whole town." Its crater measured more than 30 feet long. Customarily aerial torpedoes are launched at sea from planes diving close to their targets.

Another raider splattered a southwestern town with six bombs which killed one man in a garden, smashed a row of stores, and wrecked an empty school air raid shelter.

The Nazi aerial invasion brought a change in tactics—darting attacks by individual planes where only a few days ago they had come in compact, roaring hundreds.

**'Corner of Hell'**  
Solitary raiders appeared here and there along that "corner of hell," the southeast coast; over the industrial midlands, over Wales and northeast England.

There were civilian dead and many civilian wounded, but as always their number was not stated.

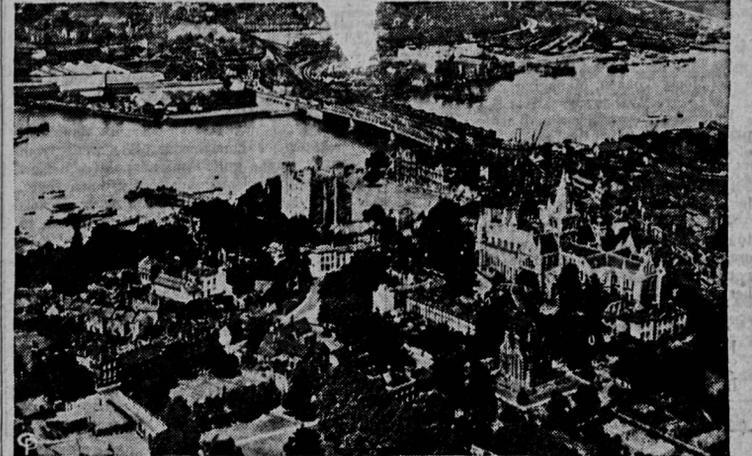
The air and home security ministries said inhabitants of one town were machine-gunned.

Late in the day the British declared that the new Nazi campaign had failed in its apparent aim of avoiding losses by not using big concentrations of raiding planes.

Up to that time, it was said unofficially, 15 German planes had been shot down during the day. Officially, 13 were claimed for certain.

**Tin Hats for Good**  
LONDON, (AP)—London police were ordered yesterday to abandon their customary high helmets and wear war-time tin helmets. Heretofore when air raid sirens screamed they changed into tin hats.

### Rochester Taking Brunt of Nazi London Drive



The city of Rochester, located on the Thames river, is reported to be suffering heavy damage from German bombers who are softening up the areas surrounding London.

### A Round-Up of Latest Threats of War in the Mediterranean—

# Bombs Rain on Fortress of Gibraltar

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS  
LA LINEA, Spain, Aug. 21—The British fortress of Gibraltar was twice bombed today, in attacks apparently intended to underline explosively Italy's "total, unconditional" blockade of all the vast British African areas, and the Mediterranean was alive with the threat of a broadened war.

From here, flames could be seen racing down the crest of the great rock—the site of long-range anti-aircraft batteries—toward the

town of Gibraltar itself. But the British command there declared the fire was brought quickly under control and that the damage was only "slight." One of the attacking planes was reported brought down.

Actual and threatened warfare saw these developments, as reported in dispatches from the Mediterranean area:

1. Italy's declaration that her blockade—similar to that which Germany proclaimed about the

British Isles—was intended to bring a "total interruption" of all commerce between England and all her colonies and protectorates in the Mediterranean, the Red sea and the Gulf of Aden.

2. Greece's cancellation of all army leaves, while the officially-inspired Italian press continued to attack the little pro-British kingdom. "We will not be caught by surprise," said a responsible Greek spokesman, "if Greece should be invaded."

Italian troops were reported massing on Greece's western frontier. Virginia Gayda, the authoritative fascist journalistic spokesman, asserted Italy and Albania were ready to defend Italian Albania against "the Greco-British plan of offense."

Without giving the time or place, Stefani, the official Italian news agency, announced that seven British planes had been shot down in an air and naval battle in the

Mediterranean. British warships were declared to have been bombed with "considerable" effect. Bombardments of the British air bases on the Mediterranean island of Malta were reported to have fired buildings and smashed runways.

The British themselves reported from Cairo that their fliers had bombed airbases and railway facilities in Italian-held African territory, including Ethiopia.

# Industry

## GUMS THE WORKS

Progress on the navy's procurement of materials for ship-building has been stopped, Rear Admiral W. R. Furlong reported to a senate committee Tuesday. The reasons: tax uncertainties, limitation on profits and competitive buying.

In other words, while America pines for a two-ocean navy it will take years to build and prays for Britain, vital progress is brought to a halt because industry seeks to lift restrictions on profits on naval orders and to force defense plant construction costs to be deducted from taxable profits over a five-year period.

### Has Industry the Right?

Which looks suspiciously like paving the way for the clean-up of additional "war millions."

Let's examine the facts. President Roosevelt told the nation on May 26, 1940, that the all-important need of this nation was the building up of our armed defense. The administration had not been asleep during the past seven years, he said, and he cited the progress of the military during that period.

But defenses cost money, he said—"a lot of it," and he cited specific costs:

- A four-engine, long-range bomber—\$350,000;
- A three-inch anti-aircraft gun—\$40,000, "without any of the fire-control equipment that goes with it;
- One of the heavier tanks—\$46,000.

### Industry Won't Sacrifice

Those figures speak for themselves. The cost of defense items, built during the past seven years by American industry, included profit to industry.

Now, at a time when the nation in its entirety faces sacrifices for the common good, industry bogs down, because industry is unwilling to sacrifice, unwilling to face the prospect of no profit on orders for the navy. This unwillingness comes in the face of another statement by the chief executive on May 26:

"I know that private business cannot be expected to make all the capital investment required for expansions of plants and factories and personnel which this program calls for at once. It would be unfair to expect industrial corporations to do this, when there is a chance that a change in international affairs may stop future orders."

### Government Extends Aid

"Therefore, the government of the United States stands ready to advance the necessary money to help provide for the enlargement of factories, the establishment of new plants, the employment of thousands of necessary workers, the development of new sources of supply, the development of quick mass transportation of supplies . . ."

"Private industry will have the responsibility of providing the best, speediest and most efficient mass production of which it is capable. The functions of the businessmen whose assistance we are calling upon will be to coordinate this program—to see to it that all of the plants continue to operate at maximum speed and efficiency."

### Industry Fails to Respond

But industry, apparently, is unwilling to be met just half-way. Perhaps we are naive in seemingly overlooking the vastness of the present and future effects of stimulated defense production upon industry—the very bigness of the job.

But the profit of one of the leading steel corporations during the first three-month period of 1940 was \$17,114,000.

### The Inconsistency of Industry

These are inconsistent days, for individuals and for nations. We declare ourselves for one course and follow another.

And American industry's hesitancy to make its own sacrifices halts a program designed, among other things, to protect the very right of industry to be in a position to exercise the power it exercises today over the congress of the nation.

Pretty inconsistent, isn't it? Until the corporate individuals of this nation, like the single individuals, recognize the gravity of the situation, America marks time that daily becomes more precious.

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### The President's Temper

The unpleasant streak of stubbornness that the president is apt to exhibit every now and then was revealed again this week when he disclosed in a press conference that Publisher Roy W. Howard had been the only private businessman to refuse his request to cooperate on national defense.

The president did not openly chastise Mr. Howard, but he indicated pretty clearly that he was annoyed by the refusal to make a 40-day survey of South America to investigate fifth column activity there.

Mr. Howard refused to make the trip because he had not been in South America in 20 years and had lost contact with persons of influence there. He was no longer qualified to make such an investigation, he said.

The request was not an unreasonable one to make of one who is as familiar with personalities of importance throughout the world as is Mr. Howard. Nor was the refusal to fulfill the mission asked of him unreasonable in view of the explanation given. The president should have accepted this explanation in a sportsmanlike manner. The fact that he did not is of no great consequence, but it leaves the unpleasant feeling that petty politics is lowering the dignity of the presidential office at a time when fair play and understanding are most urgently required.

### 'School-Drive Slowly'

When Iowa's 509,200 school children start back to school in a few days, they won't be carrying gas masks and learning air raid rules like the suffering children of Europe.

But here, too, they will be exposed to danger, the Iowa department of public safety warns. Their danger will be traffic.

Motorists, the sign that says "School-Drive Slowly" means what it says. Children do their best to be careful, but sometimes they forget. It's up to drivers to watch out for them, and to drive so their cars will stop in time.

## A Man About MANHATTAN

### A Red Letter Day For Peter E. Siskind—

BY GEORGE TUCKER

NEW YORK—It was a red letter day for Peter E. Siskind, though his office personnel, understandably, didn't quite understand what was going off. Peter E. Siskind is what you might call the Caricua King of the Puerto Rico rum industry. He is vice president of American Spirits, Inc. An inspection of any Manhattan directory will reveal that his offices are on the 17th floor of the National Broadcasting building, Rockefeller Center.

Peter Siskind was in his office when we dropped in with Chick Olsen. Olsen is a good friend of Siskind's. Olsen, in case you've forgotten—but how could anybody forget—is the Olsen of Olsen and Johnson, the vaudeville Katzenjammers who parlayed a collection of five-a-day acts into Hellzapoppin and a fortune.

"Peter," said Chick, "we're going up to Connecticut and have some fun. We're going fishing. Get your hat."

The V. P. shook his head. Just then his secretary thrust her head into the office and said, "Mr. Kessler's calling." Kessler is Peter Siskind's brother-in-law and business associate. He was calling from San Juan. "Tell him," said Siskind, oddly, "that I won't be down this week. Tell him I'm going to Connecticut with Olsen to go fishing. Tell him anything."

A dreamy look came into his eyes. "And now, boys," he said, "excuse me a moment." He planted his feet, which were in \$27 shoes, on top of his desk. He hauled out a piece of paper with a number on it. He put in a telephone call. That call was for New Orleans. Then he hung up, and put in another call. This one was for the airport. He had some luck here. They found passage for him.

"Boys," said Peter E. Siskind, "I've been at this desk for eight years. I never take a vacation. I work all day and sometimes I work all night. I'm a manufacturer. I make and sell rum. Kessler and I, we work hard. He wanted me to talk to him just now. From Puerto Rico. For the first time in my life I denied a call. If I had picked up that telephone, he would have told me something about a cargo of cane syrup. Or about something that had happened to one of the new labels. It would have been something, I know, and then I would have had to get a train for Chicago, or maybe a plane for San Juan. Any other day I would have done it."

"But not this day. This is a special day. This is a day that will never come again. And for once in my life I'm going to neglect business. I'm going to turn my back on New York and get out of here. I'm going south. I'm going to New Orleans. Because this is a special day for me. It concerns my daughter. She's on her honeymoon. She went from Canada to the gulf. And now she's in New Orleans. And I'm going to fly down there. And surprise her, because she never dreams that she will see me until she gets back to New York. It's something I've planned ever since she was a little girl. And if the world has to tumble in my absence, it will have to tumble. This is Rosalind Anita's wedding trip. And her old pappy is going to go to New Orleans and see her—business or no business, rum or no rum. Gentlemen, good day."

"Well," said Chick, two hours later, "I thought I knew Peter Siskind. But I guess he isn't such a dyed-in-the-wool fisherman after all."



### What's on the Fire In Hollywood—

BY ROBBIN COONS  
HOLLYWOOD—It's "Maid of Havana" on the slate for Ann Sheridan-George Raft, linking their "They Drive by Night" hit with the current Latin American movie bows. . . . 20th-Fox may junket stars for the Buenos Aires opening of their "Down Argentine Way," with Don Ameche raring to go. . . . Don't know if it's been mentioned before but Ameche, star of "Four Sons," is papa of four sons. So is Bing Crosby. . . . Chick Chandler, the comic, still is a keeper of the bees but turns over the hive-handling to somebody else. Chick says bees may have put the "B" on his career. . . . Nice hot-weather job for Wesley Ruggles: chopping 400,000 feet of "Arizona" down to two-hour, 10,000-foot release length. . . . Just as a reflection of how fast things move nowadays, the scripters of "Jennie" have put off writing the prologue, which is current and topical, until after the body of the picture, which is set a generation or two back, is filmed. They're afraid the "modern" stuff will be dated before the picture is finished.

Hope Virginia Bruce gets a chance to sing in that musical "Riviera." . . . Blonde Ginny really sang in "Born to Dance" but nobody believed it. . . . Since then she's been practicing up. . . . Jane Withers' mama turned down a \$40,000 job for Jane involving "personals" after "Youth Will Be Served." . . . Said Jane needed a vacation, so they're off to Arrowhead Springs until September. . . . Wonder what Jane's mama would have said to \$40,000 back in the days when Jane was trying so hard to get "in." Jane's mama wonders too. . . . Nice person, this Mrs. Withers—the only movie mama on record to whom a studio crew threw a surprise birthday party. . . .

Tex Ritter, the singing cowboy, staked a pal on some mining properties in California and Nevada. The news is that unlike most similar movie star investors, Tex has hit it rich. His pal, Curly Fletcher, cowboy balladeer and poet, knew what he was talking about. They've sold two of the mines (tungsten and manganese) for a total of \$600,000. . . . Now Tex is "hot" on screening, with his profits, the stage play "Green Grows the Lilacs" in which he started his acting career. . . .

Warner Bros. are not keeping quiet the Ann Sheridan-George Brent off-screen handholding. . . . They're even letting it be known that "Honeymoon for Three," which they're making despite the romance, shows George and Annie loving and spitting just as they might do if they really get married. . . . The flagpole competition out San Fernando Valley way is getting terrific. They're not sitting on 'em, they're lifting 'em higher. . . . Hugh Herbert put a 15-foot

# NEWS BEHIND THE NEWS

By PAUL MALLON

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### France Struggles For New Unity—

WASHINGTON—The fantasia of the Riom war guilt trial is made plain and understandable in a report of the well-woven scheme behind it, brought here by a competent official authority. The British have likened it to the melodramatic propaganda blurb of the famed Russian trials of Moscow fifth columnists. Some American observers scent the same Hitler mouse that inspired der fuhrer to burn down the reichstag and then try the communists for it. But the less prejudiced version acquired by officials here, lays bare the whole inside story in an entirely different and more authentic way.

### SOME OF THE EVIDENCE—

The prosecution will present such evidence as this: A sub-cabinet officer in the French treasury was head of a very large clique of government officials who speculated in the fall of the franc after the outbreak of war. They used their knowledge that the franc would decline, to make small private profits for themselves.

A government leader was seized at the Spanish frontier with two secretaries carrying suitcases stuffed with 20 million francs (about \$500,000 at that time) and a horde of jewels belonging to his mistress. (He is slated to get about 20 years.)

An heroic educational official in the government was caught running away from the front in a stolen car long before anyone else started to run. (He will get a long sentence for desertion.)

The distrust of French officials for each other was so great that M. Reynaud, the premier, did not even trust his own foreign minister, M. Daladier, to deliver his intimate personal messages to the British in the last days. He gave them to a personal friend, a woman, and she failed to get most of them through.

### NO TREASON—

No evidence of actual treason extension on his 25-footer, raising the flag to view from several directions. . . . The Lanes, Priscilla and Rosemary (two of the "Four Mothers"), promptly raised theirs 40 feet above their housetop. . . . George M. Cohan hasn't been heard from. . . .

Director of the new Fred Astaire-Paulette Goddard picture, "Second Chorus," will be Henry C. Potter. . . . Potter's claim to fame, aside from the pictures and plays he's directed, is that he came from Broadway and listened a long time (as a cutter, drawing a director's pay) instead of telling Hollywood how to do things. . . . He's just been invited back to Broadway to do a play.

has been discovered or is expected. The real reason was done by the French communists, although the nazis now are getting credit for it. The French communists had long secretly occupied key positions in every government department and acted eagerly as spies for the few French nazi leaders.

### HONEST PETAIN—

Petaín is an honest and engaging old character who is trying to hold his country together. He is not a Hitler stooge. He is not pulled by wires from Berlin. He is not fascist or totalitarian, but rather realistic and religious.

He is faced with a wholly disillusioned nation. The French people demand a goaf before they will believe in anything else. The populace must have an adequate explanation of how the dreams of security which they had been fed for decades evaporated almost instantaneously in the face of the trial blow.

The trials were conceived by Petaín to provide them with quieting answers in order that confidence in a new regime may be built up.

### NO DEATH PENALTY—

The key to his scheme was furnished in the first decision of his well chosen court. The death penalty was excluded at the outset from possible verdicts. No one is going to get killed.

The court likewise announced it proposed to investigate everyone who has been in the government for the past 10 years, which means that this judicial antidote for disillusionment will continue to be fed to the people not for months but for years, until the necessity for it is ended.

### A FAIR COURT—

No matter what the Italians have just said in an attempt to spoof the tribunal, the court is fair. Men able to sway the greatest confidence of the people were chosen. That may sound surprising but the whole movement would have failed of its only purpose if this course had not been followed.

A well known Frenchman in this country, upon reading the personnel of the trial board, exclaimed in amazement: "Why these men are honest!" and wired Petaín immediately of his willingness to return to France to appear before them at any time.

### ROMAN LAW—

The initial procedure may have seemed to Americans (and will continue to seem) absurd legally. This is due to the fact that the court is following old Roman law rather than English common law such as ours. Under Roman law the judges first conduct extensive investigations of the case, and then after assuming who is guilty, act as prosecutors to develop the public evidence to sustain their judgment.

## MAY BE ON JOINT DEFENSE BOARD



These four high-ranking United States army and navy officers may be appointed by President Roosevelt as members of the Joint Board of North American Defense. The 10 members of the board are to be equally divided between the United States and Canada. Pictured above are: General George Marshall, army chief of staff, upper left; Admiral Harold Stark, chief of naval operations, upper right; Major General H. H. Arnold, chief of army air corps, lower left, and Rear Admiral John Towers, chief of the navy's bureau of aeronautics, lower right.

### Toy Submarines for Christmas



Toy manufacturers predict that the Christmas time toy boom will be studded with miniature versions of military equipment such as tanks, air defense games, gas masks, etc. The scene above shows toy submarines which are being produced by the thousands at a Pittsburgh factory.

## HANDS ACROSS THE RIVER



**WSUI**  
At 880 on Your Radio Dial

**TODAY'S HIGHLIGHTS**

The Evening Musicale tonight will be presented by Mrs. Maude Whedon Smith, who will play Ludwig von Beethoven's Opus 10, No. 1.	10:30—The book shelf.
	11:00—Concert hall selections.
	11:15—The little red schoolhouse of the air.
	11:30—Melody time.
	11:50—Farm flashes.
	12:00—Rhythm rambles.
	12:30—Service reports.
	12:50—Gems from light operas.
	5:45—Organ melodies.
	5:50—Daily Iowan of the Air.
	6:00—Dinner-hour program.
	7:00—Children's hour, The Land of the Story Book.
	7:30—Sportstime.
	7:45—Evening musicale.
	8:00—Science news of the week.
	8:15—Album of artists.
	8:45—Daily Iowan of the Air.

## OFFICIAL DAILY BULLETIN

Items in the UNIVERSITY CALENDAR are scheduled in the Summer Session Office, W-9 East Hall. Items for the GENERAL NOTICES are deposited with the campus editor of The Daily Iowan or may be placed in the box provided for their deposit in the office of The Daily Iowan. GENERAL NOTICES must be at the Daily Iowan by 3:30 p. m. the day preceding first publication; notices will NOT be accepted by telephone, and must be TYPED OR LEGIBLY WRITTEN and SIGNED by a responsible person.

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**University Calendar**

Monday, August 5, to Friday, August 23	(For information regarding dates beyond this schedule, see reservations in the Summer Session Office, W-9 East Hall.)
Independent Study Unit for Graduate Students.	

**General Notices**

Men's Swimming: The men's swimming pool in the fieldhouse will be open during the three-week session from 2 to 6 p. m. daily.

D. A. ARMBRUSTER

Employment: Men and women, students or non-students, inclusive of those having other employment, who may be available for board jobs at any time from the present to Sept. 18, are urged to report to the Employment Bureau (Old Dental building).

In order that we may retain the maximum number of student jobs during the school year, these open-

ings must be filled now. We urge men and women students, non-students and others available for this work to report at once.

LEE KANN, MANAGER.

**Library Hours**

From Saturday, Aug. 3, through Wednesday, Sept. 25, the reading rooms in Macbride hall and the library annex will be open the following hours:

Monday through Friday, 8:30 a. m. to 12 noon; 1 to 5 p. m.; Saturday, 8:30 a. m. to 12 noon.

Special hours for departmental libraries will be posted on the doors.

GRACE VAN WORMER

A 'Stormy Petrel,' Almost Always in Trouble—

TROTSKY --- His Was a Career Marred by Revolution and Danger

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
Leon Trotsky was Nikolai Lenin's most powerful assistant and confidante when the bolsheviks seized power in Russia in 1917 in World war days, following the collapse of the czarist regime and the bloody days thereafter.

upon the latter's death in 1924. But Joseph Stalin, "present head of the union of socialist Soviet republics, wrested power from him. They became sworn enemies. Trotsky was stripped of his offices and banished. He became a wanderer—driven from country to country—until 1937, when Mexico gave him refuge. Below the Rio Grande this stormy petrel was almost always

in trouble. He wrote voluminously; called Stalin and his followers "an unprincipled gang of wreckers"; declared the comintern was doomed and charged that he was being hounded by the Russian secret police. He was often in personal danger. Shortly after his arrival in Mexico a guard at his home was shot by unknown assailants. He was guarded after anti-Jewish disturbances in Mexico City in

1939. He had a row with Diego Rivera, the famous Mexican painter, at whose home he first lived in Mexico, and moved to Mexico City's suburbs in a house that was described as a fortress. He narrowly escaped death on May 24, 1940, when a salvo of machine gun bullets swept through his bedroom. He and his wife were unharmed, but his guard, Robert Sheldon Harte of New York City, was kidnaped and later

found dead. Police arrested 20 Mexicans but were unable to fix blame on any one. Trotsky asserted that Stalin instigated the plot through the Mexican communist party. On Aug. 20, he was savagely attacked in his home with a pickaxe by a man who posed as an admirer. Police arrested Jacques M. Vandereischd, a native of Iran, who became a Belgian subject. He confessed, police said,

that he struck him during a violent argument. Trotsky, whose real name was Lev Davydovich Bronstein, was a native of the Ukraine, where his father was a prosperous Jewish farmer. He embraced socialism when he was 17 and left home. Two years later he was arrested in a police round-up and thereafter was frequently in trouble with authorities. He wandered

in various countries and met Lenin in Finland. During the World war he was shipped from one country to another and was living in New York, writing for various papers, when the czar abdicated. He sailed for Europe where he met Lenin and others in St. Petersburg and engineered the coup that resulted in the overthrow of the Kerensky regime.

Indiana Area Is Willkie Headquarters

G. O. P. Presidential Candidate Takes Plane For Visit to New York

RUSHVILLE, Ind., Aug. 21 (AP)—This southeastern Indiana farming community—which likes to call Wendell L. Willkie an "adopted son"—will become his personal headquarters for at least part of his presidential campaign. Before leaving by plane for New York for a week-end visit, Willkie announced tonight that he would reside here for at least a month. While he is in New York, Mrs. Willkie, remaining behind, will look for a house to rent.

The candidate and his party drove to Indianapolis this afternoon and left the Municipal airport there at 6:07 (CST). It was expected the flight to New York would take about 3 1-2 hours.

Willkie has not disclosed his plans beyond the formal opening of his speaking campaign in Coffeyville, Kas., about mid-September. His decision to make Rushville his first base of operations, however, gave rise to belief that he would return here frequently throughout the campaign.

In Conference Willkie conferred during the day with John Hamilton, executive director of the republican national committee, and James H. Douglas, chairman of the Illinois Willkie-for-president club. Earlier, he criticized the administration's defense program in a statement proposing that President Roosevelt debate the question with him on one of the chief executive's defense inspection trips.

"I think I can show conclusively that the administration defense program is hopelessly inadequate, delayed and improperly organized," Willkie said. "I think it would be an appropriate thing for Mr. Roosevelt and me to engage in a joint debate on defense during one of his visits to defense projects."

Asks Check-Up Willkie added that the president should tell the people how much military equipment is on hand and on order.

Will Marry This Morning

Laura Huddleston, John Galbraith to Wed At Livingston Home

At 8:30 this morning Laura Huddleston, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Huddleston of Corvallis, Ore., and John Galbraith, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Galbraith of Hamilton, Ohio, will be married in the home of Prof. and Mrs. Ross Livingston, 1025 Woodlawn. The Rev. E. A. Worthy will officiate in the single ring ceremony.

The bride, who will be given in marriage by Professor Livingston, will wear a teal blue afternoon suit with black accessories. Her flowers will be orchids. The flowergirl, Irene Livingston, will wear a frock of brown voile. Yvonne Livingston, pianist, will play the wedding march.

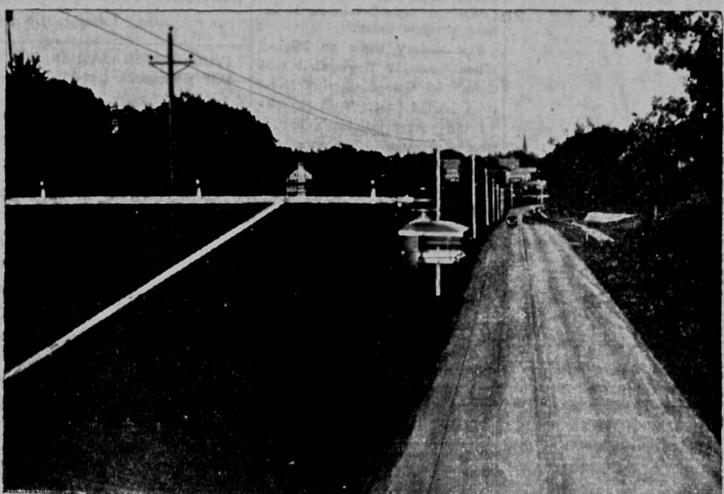
A wedding breakfast will be served in the Livingston home after the ceremony. The couple will leave for a short wedding trip and will be at home after Sept. 1 in Osceola, where Mr. Galbraith is teaching in the junior college.

Guests at the wedding will include Mrs. James Galbraith of Hamilton, Ohio, Mrs. Lawrence Reynolds, also of Hamilton, Ruth Updegraff of Iowa City and Alfred Martin of Three Tuns, Pa.

Miss Huddleston is a graduate of Corvallis high school and Oregon State college in Corvallis. She is affiliated with Alpha Chi Omega sorority. For two years she has served as assistant pre-school teacher in the university child welfare station here.

Mr. Galbraith was graduated from Hamilton high school and Miami university, Oxford, Ohio.

New Sodium Vapor Highway Lights Installed On U. S. Highway 6 Leading West From City



This view of the new sodium vapor highway lights recently installed on U. S. highway No. 6 west of Iowa City was taken looking east from the Woolf avenue bridge over the highway and in-

terurban tracks. The lights, 10 of which were installed 400 feet apart on the highway between Westlawn nurses home and the west city limits, are more efficient in operation and cast nearly

With the completion of installation of 10 new sodium vapor highway lights on U. S. highway No. 6 west of Iowa City the first part of Iowa City's \$20,000 street light improvement project is another step nearer completion.

Officials of the Iowa City Light and Power company, which is installing the fixtures, said that \$10,000 worth of new fixtures will be installed by the end of this year and the remainder of the project will be completed by Sept. 1, 1942.

Included in this year's work are prospects for lighting all highways leading out of Iowa City. The old type street lights are being replaced by modern, brighter street lights. On north Dubuque street and on all of Burlington street and Muscatine avenue the

new lights have been installed, two to a block. Eventually all street lights in Iowa City will be replaced by the new type lamps—a total of some 570, 100 more than now are in use. The additional number is brought about by the double spacing of lights on the highways and the installation of lights in many new locations in the outlying sections of the city.

Sodium vapor lamps, in addition to being placed on the highway for the mile length west of Iowa City, have been installed at the top of Melrose avenue hill, on Muscatine avenue at Third street and at the Market street and Rochester avenue curve.

The lights were installed at these points because the deep yellow light tends to act as a warn-

ing signal at dangerous points. Light and Power company officials said yesterday that sodium vapor lights are economical and efficient in operation and give from two and one-half to three times as much light as other street lights. They have been installed on the highway leading out of Iowa City because they are strictly a highway lamp and are not usable to good advantage in residential districts through which other highways pass.

When the street lighting project is completed in the fall of 1942, officials said, Iowa City will have the best-lighted streets of any city in Iowa. This fact has been determined by an investigation of street lighting facilities in all other Iowa cities of equal size or larger than Iowa City.

AMONG IOWA CITY PEOPLE

Fernand Richard, son of Dr. Christian Richard, former member of the faculty of the university school of religion, visited friends on the campus yesterday. He left last night for Berkeley Hills, Cal., where he will go to school this fall, to join his father there.

Mrs. Sidwell Smith of Muscatine is recovering from an appendectomy in the hospital there. Her daughter, Judith Ann, is visiting with her grandparents, Dr. and Mrs. A. H. Joehnk, 2301 Muscatine, and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Smith, 1412 E. Court.

Dr. and Mrs. L. R. Anderson and daughter, Jean, of Monroe visited Dr. and Mrs. O. E. Schlanbusch, 350 Magowan, yesterday. Dr. Anderson will join the faculty of the university college of dentistry this fall.

Dean Emeritus and Mrs. Carl E. Seashore, 815 N. Linn, are expecting their son and daughter-in-law, Prof. and Mrs. Robert Seashore and their two sons, who will arrive in Iowa City tomorrow. They will come from their home in Evanston, Ill., and will be accompanied by Howard Cutler, also of Evanston.

Mrs. R. C. Darrough of Huston, Tex., has arrived in Iowa City to visit her son-in-law and daughter, Prof. and Mrs. Ernest Horn, 832 Kirkwood. She will remain with them until Christmas.

Dean and Mrs. Rudolf Kuever, 5 Melrose court, returned Tuesday night from a two-week vacation in Leland, Mich. They have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. James O. Roberts there.

Sam Karchomsky of Council Bluffs, visited friends in Iowa City yesterday.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Glaser, 516 Bowery, is their daughter, Mrs. I. Bilensky of Milwaukee. She will spend six weeks with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wehrle, 705 E. Church, became the parents of a son at Mercy hospital Tuesday. The child weighed seven pounds, nine ounces.

Dr. and Mrs. Arthur Steindler, 103 Melrose, have gone on a trip through the west. They will return to Iowa City Sept. 8.

Winifred Scully of Waterloo is an Iowa City visitor today.

A wedding license was granted yesterday to Wallace Brown, 22, of Central City, and Pearl Anderson, 19, also of Central City, by R. Neilson Miller, clerk of court.

Raymond Hotka, 27, of Pocatello, Idaho, and Alice Lang, 23, of Iowa City, received a wedding license yesterday from R. Neilson Miller, clerk of court.

A wedding license was issued yesterday to William Newell Bingham, 23, and Vera Mae Nichols, 19, both of Des Moines, by R. Neilson Miller, clerk of court.

Today Five Organizations Will Meet

CORALVILLE HEIGHTS... club will meet in the home of Mrs. A. J. Roberson, 311 Chapman, at 2:30 this afternoon.

ST. PATRICK'S... church women will sponsor a card party at 2:15 in the basement auditorium of the school.

IOWA CITY... Rebekah lodge, No. 416, will meet at 8 o'clock in the I. O. O. F. hall.

WYLLIE GUILD... of the Presbyterian church will have a picnic supper at 6 o'clock in the home of Pearl Spanswick, 824 Rider.

PAST PRESIDENTS... of the Women's Relief corps will be entertained at a luncheon at 1 o'clock in Meredith's tea room.

The youngest vice president of the United States at the date of his inauguration was John C. Breckenridge of Kentucky, who was 36 years old at the time.

Alice Lang, Raymond Hotka To Be Married This Morning

In a single ring ceremony Alice Lang, daughter of Mrs. Anna Lang, 711 E. Bloomington, and Raymond Hotka, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Hotka, Prairie du Chien road, will be married at 8 o'clock this morning.

The wedding will take place in St. Wenceslaus with the Rev. Edward Neuzil celebrating the wedding mass.

The bride will wear a floor-length gown of white moire, fashioned with long sleeves pointed at the wrists. The low neckline will be trimmed with two seed pearls clips. Miss Lang will wear a fingertip length veil gathered on her head with white gladioli; a gold cross will be worn at her throat, and she will carry an arm bouquet of lilies.

Kathryn Neuzil, who will be her maid-of-honor, will wear a gown of rose moire, styled with short-puffed sleeves and shirred bodice. Her small matching veil will also be fastened with white gladioli and she will carry gladioli.

Wesley Hotka will be the best man. Schubert's "Ave Maria," "Oh Lord, I Am Not Worthy," and "Panis Angelicus" will be the special music. Mrs. James Schmidt will sing, accompanied by Mrs. Phillip Englert, organist.

Immediately after the ceremony, members of the immediate families of the couple will be entertained at a wedding breakfast in the pine room of Reich's cafe. Rose and white will be the decorative colors and garden flowers and tapers will be used on

Rev. Edward Neuzil To Officiate Ceremony At St. Wenceslaus

The couple will take a 10-day trip through the Black Hills and Yellowstone national park before going to Pocatello, Idaho, to live. Mr. Hotka is a science instructor in the Pocatello junior high school.

Miss Lang was graduated from Iowa City high school and completed her third year in the university. Mr. Hotka is also a graduate of Iowa City high school and received his B.A. degree from the University of Idaho in Moscow and is now working toward his master's degree in the university here.

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The youth offered no resistance, and was unarmed, Crites said. A .32 calibre revolver was found in his room, the sheriff added.

Women of Moose Honor Hilda Bennett

Hilda Bennett was the only candidate receiving obligations at a meeting of the Women of the Moose Tuesday night in Moose hall. Mrs. Charles Black was in charge of the social hour.

J. Mocha Entertains Friends Yesterday

VerJene Peterson, Bonita Lansing and Susan Showers were entertained by Jean Mocha in her home, 322 N. Van Buren, yesterday afternoon. Monopoly was played during the afternoon.

Varsity Now! Ends Friday

30c ANYTIME CHARLES LAUGHTON TROTTED IN VIVIAN LEIGH Sidewalks of London A Paramount Release

Pastime 25c TO 530 ENDS TONITE

"KID FROM KOKOMO" Pat O'Brien—Joan Blondell Plus "PRIVATE DETECTIVE" Jane Wyman—Dick Foran

Youth Held In Robbery

CENTRAL CITY, Neb., Aug. 21 (AP)—Merrick county Sheriff D. E. Crites said tonight he was holding a youth who gave his name as James Besharas, 18, San Francisco, Cal., as a suspect in the \$500 robbery of the Chapman Co-operative Credit association this afternoon.

Crites said the money was recovered in a room Besharas occupied in Central City.

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Rebekah Lodge 376 Meets Tomorrow

Mrs. Harold Westcott will be in charge of the social hour held by Carnation Rebekah lodge, No. 376, at 8 p.m. tomorrow in the I.O.O.F. hall.

A regular business meeting will be held.

ENGLERY ENDS TODAY

GARSON OLIVIER PRIDE AND PREJUDICE Mary BOLAND - Edna MAY OLIVER - Marjorie O'SULLIVAN - Ann BUTTERFORD - Frieda PRESCOTT

STARTS FRIDAY

Nature in the Raw! Paramount presents Ray Milland - Patricia Morison - Akim Tamiroff "UNTAMED" A TECHNICOLOR

United States Civil Service Announces Competitive Exams

The United States civil service commission has announced open competitive examinations for the positions listed below. Applications must be on file with the commission's Washington office not later than the closing dates mentioned in each case. All salaries given are subject to a retirement deduction of three and a half per cent.

Closing dates for the first four examinations are Sept. 16 if received from states east of Colorado, and Sept. 19, 1940, if received from Colorado and states westward. Applicants must not have passed their 53rd birthday.

Statistical draftsman, \$1,800 a year; also chief, \$2,600; principal, \$2,300; senior, \$2,000; assistant, \$1,620 a year. Applicants must have had high school education and elementary drafting training or experience, including statistical drafting.

Freight-rate clerk (land grant), \$2,300 a year; passenger-rate clerk, \$2,000; express-rate clerk, \$1,800; pullman-rate clerk, \$1,800 a year. Applicants must have had certain experience which enabled them to become familiar with various freight, express, or passenger classifications, and rules of the interstate commerce commission.

Assistant curator (ethnology), \$3,200 a year, national museum, Smithsonian institution. Applicants must have completed a four-year college course in anthropology and must have had museum experience in ethnology, or appropriate graduate study.

Motion picture photographer, \$1,800 a year; also head, \$2,600; principal, \$2,300; senior, \$2,000; assistant, \$1,620; junior, \$1,440 a year. Head aerial motion picture photographer, \$2,600 a year; also principal, \$2,300; senior, \$2,000 a year. Motion-picture technician, \$1,800 a year; also head, \$2,600; principal, \$2,300; senior, \$2,000; assistant, \$1,620; junior, \$1,440 a year. The experience necessary varies according to the grade of the position.

For the following two examinations, applications will be rated as received until June 30, 1941. Applicants must not have reached their 70th birthday.

Principal marine engineer, \$5,600 a year; senior marine engineer, \$4,600 a year. Optional branches, for the senior grade only, are: power-plant layout and piping, turbines, boilers, Diesel engines, deck machinery, and general.

Principal naval architect, \$5,600 a year; senior naval architect, \$4,600 a year. Optional branches, for the senior grade only, are: ship piping and ventilation, hull structures and arrangements, scientific ship calculations, small boats, and general.

Full information as to the requirements for these examinations, and application forms, may be obtained from the Iowa City post office.

Announce Recent Weddings Of Former Iowa Students

Anne Larson Weds Dale M. Peterson In Laurens Ceremony

The announcements have been received here recently of the weddings of several former university students and alumni.

Larson-Peterson

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Larson of Laurens have announced the wedding of their daughter, Anne, and Dale M. Peterson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Peterson, also of Laurens. The ceremony took place Aug. 9 in the Church of Christ there with the Rev. N. A. Underwood officiating.

Mrs. Peterson was graduated from the Laurens high school and attended Cole college in Cedar Rapids, where she was affiliated with Alpha Xi Delta sorority.

Mr. Peterson attended the university here and is associated with his father in the Peterson Contracting company in Laurens. The couple is at home in the Dubert apartments there.

Williams-Pratt

Monday was the date of the wedding of Mildred Williams of Aledo, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Williams of Perryton, and George Pratt also of Aledo, son of Mrs. Harriett Pratt of Erie. They were married in the Grace Lutheran church in Muscatine.

The bride is a graduate of the Aledo high school and has been employed there. Mr. Pratt was graduated from the Erie high school and Carthage college in Carthage, Ill. He received his M.A. degree from the university here. For several years he has been science teacher and assistant coach in Aledo high school and the couple will live there.

Inman-Scott

In a noon ceremony Charlotte Inman, daughter of Jasper Inman of Rockwell City, and Dr. R. L. Scott, son of Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Scott of Seymour, were married Aug. 8 in the Methodist church in Thompson.

A graduate of the university here Mrs. Scott has taught in the Bellevue public school for two years. Dr. Scott was graduated from the university college of dentistry and is a member of Psi Omega dental fraternity. He is associated with his father in Seymour.

Swan-Matthias

The wedding of Rosetta Swan of Cedar Rapids, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Swan of Creston, and A. Frederic Matthias of Chicago, son of the Rev. and Mrs.

Nathaniel Matthias of Holstein, took place Sunday in the Westminster Presbyterian church in Cedar Rapids.

After a wedding trip through Minnesota, the couple will live at 6214 N. Winthrop street in Chicago.

Mrs. Matthias is a graduate of the university college of pharmacy and was a member of Kappa Epsilon, Methodist church sorority, here. Mr. Matthias was graduated from the university college of law and is affiliated with Delta Theta Phi legal fraternity.

Williams-Novak

In an old-fashioned garden setting, Doteen Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Williams of Schleswig, and Ralph Novak, son of Matt Novak of Protivin, were married Aug. 14 at the home of the bride's parents.

The bride attended Iowa State Teachers college in Cedar Falls. Mr. Novak was graduated from Iowa State Teachers college and received his master's degree from the university here. He has been teaching in the Ida Grove public schools for the past two years. His affiliations include Chi Pi Theta, social fraternity and Pi Omega Pi, honorary commercial teacher's fraternity.

Page-Neveln

Two university students, Alberta Page of Sioux City, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Page of Newton, and Norris C. Neveln, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Neveln of Mason City, were married Sunday in the Methodist church in Newton.

They will live in Davenport, where Mr. Neveln is a junior accountant with McGladrey, Hansen Dunn and company.

Smith Reunion Will Be Held

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Smith are planning to entertain members of Mr. Smith's family at a reunion in their home, 1412 E. Court, this week end. Arriving this morning are Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Hutchins of Portland, Ore., Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Smith of Newberg, Ore., Mrs. Harry Tarrell of Syracuse, Kan., and Mr. and Mrs. Allen Tarrell of Atlantic.

Mrs. Hutchins and Mrs. Harry Tarrell are sisters of Mr. Smith and Harlan Smith is his brother. This is their first meeting in 33 years. The group will spend 10 days in Iowa City.

Other visitors are expected later in the week.

Visits Here



A visitor in Iowa City this week is Jacqueline Allaben of Chicago, pictured above, right, who is a house guest of Tacie Knease, 1022 E. College. Miss Knease is seen above, left. Miss Allaben is the daughter of the former Celine Stumianska, who was an instructor in the university romance language department here. Miss Knease is now an instructor in that department. The visitor has been entertained at several small courtesies since her arrival here recently.

—Daily Iowan Photo, Engraving

Advertisement for 'THE BOYS FROM SYRACUSE' featuring Allan Jones, Martha Raye, Joe Penner, Rosemary Lane, Irene Hervey, and C.A. Butterworth. Also mentions 'ROAD BACK' and 'DISNEY CARTOON PLUTO THE DOG'.

Advertisement for 'ALL QUIET ON THE WESTERN FRONT' featuring Erich Maria Remarque's Great Novel. Also mentions 'THEY FORGOT DREARY PATROLS IN GAY, LAUGHING ESCAPEDES!' and 'ROAD BACK'.

Advertisement for 'ENGLERY' featuring Garson and Olivier. Also mentions 'PRIDE AND PREJUDICE' and 'STARTS FRIDAY'.

Advertisement for 'PASTIME' featuring Charles Laughton and Vivian Leigh. Also mentions 'SIDEWALKS OF LONDON' and 'BIG CO-HIT'.

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# Aliens Living in Iowa to be Registered, Fingerprinted Beginning Next Tuesday

DES MOINES, Aug. 21 (AP)—Aliens living in Iowa will be required to report at designated postoffices in the state for registration and fingerprinting beginning next Tuesday, Postmaster L. S. Hill of Des Moines announced tonight.

The aliens will be asked to report at one of the 154 post-offices prepared to register them. Des Moines will be the central

accounting office for the state. Hill said preparations have been made for the registration of 22,000 aliens. On the basis of 1930 census figures, however, only about 18,000 are expected to register.

The registering and fingerprinting will be done at 33 first class post offices and 121 second class and county seat post offices. An

alien is not required to register at the postoffice nearest his home, but may go to any post office in the state.

Hill said, "We want to emphasize that there is no charge of any kind connected with this. We don't want anybody trying to victimize these aliens by charging a fee to get them registered."

This, briefly, is the procedure

which aliens will follow at Iowa registration points.

The alien will be given a form called "AR-1," which he will fill out himself. It contains questions pertaining to his citizenship, work record and personal life.

On this form, the alien is asked whether during the past five years, he has been connected with any organization "devoted in whole or in part to influencing

or furthering the political activities, public relations or public policy of a foreign government."

Answers to questions on "AR-1" are transferred to form "AR-2" by a typist. The alien signs "AR-2," swears he has answered all questions truthfully, and the print of his right index finger is put on it.

The alien is required to answer

every question, even if he has to answer "I don't know."

Form "AR-3" is attached to "AR-2," and is torn off and given to the alien as his receipt. It certifies he has presented himself for registration and has answered the necessary questions. The print of his right index finger is also put on this form.

The alien is then fingerprinted

on "AR-4." Prints are taken on all fingers of both hands.

Some time after this registration, after the central accounting office has checked all papers, the alien is mailed an identification card showing he has complied with the registration law.

For failure to register and be fingerprinted, an alien may be fined \$1,000 or imprisoned for six months—or both. The same

penalty may be imposed for untruthful answers, and the alien may be deported if the false statements are made during his first five years in this country.

Answers to registration questions are kept secret—as in the case of census or income tax questions—and are available only to certain officials designated by the attorney general.

## National Guard Gets Rebuked By General

### Finds Men in Poor Condition; Predicts Year of Training Soon

CAMP BEAUREGARD, La., Aug. 21 (AP)—Bluntly told they could not "take it" in the war maneuvers, 50,000 national guardsmen sped homeward tonight while a high officer flatly stated they would be back in a month for a year's training.

Pointing out that good soldiers should be able to walk 20 miles a day, Major General Walter Kreuger, commander of the "reds" in the third army's 21-day maneuvers that included 20,000 regular troops, said "ours can't walk at all."

Even the horses—rented ones—were criticized by General Albert Blanding, Florida national guardsman, who declared they had been unable to carry cavalry troops through the last four days of intensive mock battle that ended yesterday.

General Herbert J. Brees,

## It's No Use Boll Weevils Leave South Nothing

ROCHELLE, Ga., Aug. 21 (AP)—Miss Velma Robinson, employe in the county agent's office, was helping a farmer prepare an application for subsidy payments, when a boll weevil flew in the window and perched on the paper.

"Gosh," said the farmer, "they've eaten up my cotton crop and now here's a weevil to collect my subsidy check."

eight corps area commander, stated plainly the guardsmen would be called out in September for a year's training, but that allowances granted them now for their shortcomings would not be made in the future.

Although praised for their willingness to learn and good spirit, the guardsmen were told:

"You are out of training, your physical condition is poor, you drink too much water, you don't eat regularly and you fail to follow instructions."

## Senator Clark Demands Bullitt Speech Probe

WASHINGTON, Aug. 21 (AP)—Asserting that the state department may have violated the law by distributing an "inflammatory" speech by Ambassador William C. Bullitt, Senator Clark (D-Mo) today demanded an investigation by the justice department.

Senator Holt (D-WVa) followed this up with a charge that Bullitt, envoy to France, was brought back to the United States "to get this country into war."

Senator Lee (D-Okla) defended Bullitt, saying he had made a "magnificent address." The diplomat, he said, would have been "derelict in his duty, knowing what happened in France, if he had not come back and warned the American people of what happened there."

In the address, Bullitt predicted that if Hitler defeated England, the nazis would invade the United States. He called for assistance to England and advocated compulsory military training.

Taking the whole world and distributing the population evenly, there would be 38.4 persons to each square mile.

## Kansas U. Chancellor Emeritus Dies at Sea

LAWRENCE, Kas., Aug. 21 (AP)—Ernest Hiram Lindley, 71-year-old chancellor emeritus of the University of Kansas, died today aboard the Japanese liner Asama Maru as it steamed toward the United States and the Mount

Oread campus he ruled 18 years. Friends were informed of his death in a cablegram from Mrs. Lindley aboard the ship some-where between Shanghai and Honolulu. It read: "His journey ended peacefully this morning. Burial at sea."

The population of Newell is 812.

## Trapeze Artist Loses Circus; Police Find It

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 21 (AP)—Mildred Acree, 26, daring young woman on a flying trapeze, lost her circus. She found it today

with the help of the police from two states.

Miss Acree left the circus at Florence, Ore., a week ago, intending to rejoin it at St. Helens. When she reported at St. Helens it had disappeared.

She asked Oregon state police to help her find it. Their search was fruitless. They asked the Washington state patrol for help.

After nearly two days at police headquarters here, the disconsolate performer left to rejoin the troupe—at Chinook, Wash.

To Build Factory  
NEW YORK, (AP)—The Curtiss-Wright Corp. announced yesterday plans for a huge airplane engine factory at Lockland, Ohio.

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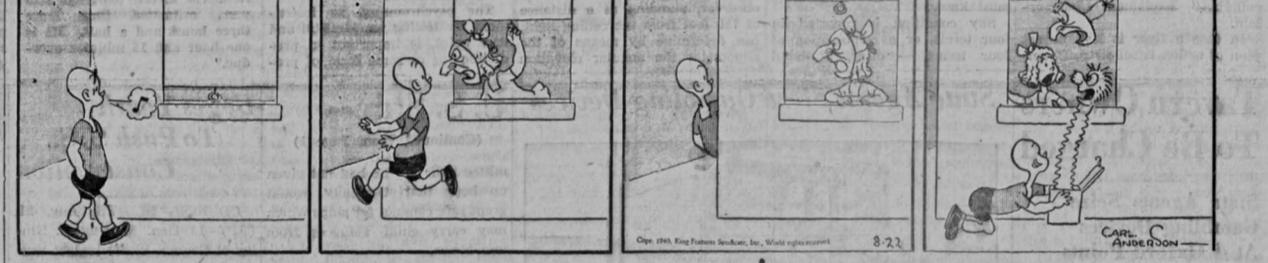
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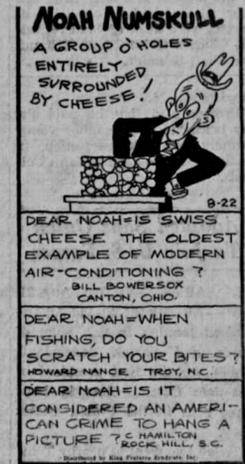
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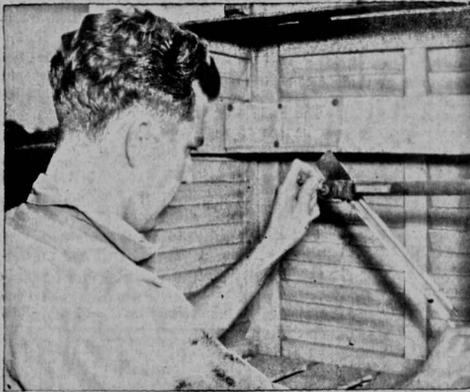
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### OLD HOME TOWN



# U.S. Weather Bureau Airways Observers Here Aid Pilots



Reading the wet and dry thermometers in the temperature box



Attendant using clinometer to determine ceiling. Used only at night, this picture demonstrates the position in which it is used.



Hourly reports are sent to other weather bureau stations along the air route giving a summary of all weather conditions. Similar reports are received from other stations at regular intervals.

If you were flying from Iowa City to Des Moines tomorrow, before you took off you would stop at the United States weather bureau aeronautical station, a small white house situated on the parking area of the municipal airport just south of the large United Air lines hangar.

Here you would contact Robert Chamberlain, George Stanton, or Charles McCannon, airways observers, and leave with one of them your "flight plan." The flight plan is a free service offered by the United States weather bureau station, a branch of the department of agriculture.

Under this plan the pilot leaves with the airways observer his name, departure time, lapse of time, kind of ship, and his ship's identification or number. This plan is designed to protect the safety of the pilot and to route traffic so that no accidents will occur. Many ships are flying the airways between here and Des Moines, for example, and it is to the pilot's advantage to know of the pertinent traffic in his area.

"In bad weather the flight plan is practically a necessity because a low ceiling limits flying space and there is more danger of ships colliding," explained Chamberlain.

In case a flyer is lost, no set plan of action is followed, Cham-

berlain said, but usually a searching party and a group of planes are sent out over the route. If a pilot changes his destination, it is important that he notify both the city from which he left and the city he indicated as his destination. Failure to do this might result in a searching party being sent out to look for him. Should the pilot fail to report, any expense entailed through his neglect to telephone and notify the nearest station must be paid by him.

According to Mr. Chamberlain, this free governmental service is of great value to the pilot, for by stopping at one of these weather bureau observation stations it is possible for him to obtain information concerning the weather conditions between his starting point and his destination and thereby know what kind of weather he will encounter.

An important service of the United States weather bureau aeronautical station is the reporting of weather. Sky condition, ceiling, visibility, weather condition and obstruction to vision, temperature and dew point, wind velocity, direction, and pressure are all things that a pilot must know.

Sky condition is reported in four terms, or a combination of four terms — clear, scattered

clouds, broken clouds, and overcast. If the sky is reported as clear, less than one-tenth of it is covered with clouds. Scattered clouds indicate that from one-tenth to five-tenths inclusive of the sky is covered; broken clouds, more than five-tenths to nine-tenths inclusive, and overcast, over nine-tenths of the sky is covered.

Under the two conditions, clear and scattered clouds, the ceiling is reported as unlimited. When over five-tenths of the sky is covered with clouds, and the clouds are below an elevation of 10,000 feet, ceiling must be computed.

During the day, if the clouds are low enough, ceiling is measured by balloons filled with helium. The attendant fills the balloon until it lifts a weight of 45 grams. Thus weighted it will ascend at the rate of 480 feet per minute. By timing the balloon until it disappears from sight into the clouds it is possible to calculate the height of the clouds.

At night a clinometer, an instrument for measuring ceiling, is brought into use. Then a spot of light is projected from a ceiling light onto the clouds. The observer, standing at a distance of 750 feet from the ceiling light, can determine by means of the clinometer the angular elevation

of the spot and from this determine the height of the clouds.

"Most ceilings in the daytime are estimations," however, states Stanton. If the ceiling is over 2,000 feet it is almost impossible to check the rising of balloons and the observer must rely upon his observation of the shapes of the clouds, the kinds of clouds, the speed of their movement, and his previous knowledge of similar situations to make his calculations.

Visibility, which Stanton describes as "the mean greatest distance that you can see in all directions," is reported in terms of miles. If it is impossible for the observer to see as far as seven miles, he must report the visibility in miles and give the restriction.

Under such circumstances his report will read something like this, "six miles, light haze," or "three-fourths mile, blowing dust," or "one-eighth mile, dense fog." If the observer can see seven, eight, or nine miles he merely indicates the visibility in miles, and if it is possible for him to see farther than nine miles the report comes in "visibility unrestricted."

The psychrometer, an instrument for testing temperature and dew point, is important in predicting fog or some form of pre-

cipitation. By comparing the spread between a dry and a wet thermometer, dew point, also a temperature, may be calculated.

Dew point is in reality the saturation point, the point beyond which no more moisture can be absorbed by the air, and the closer the dew point is to the temperature the more likelihood there is of some form of precipitation.

Other important instruments used by this weather bureau station are the wind indicator, which gives wind direction and velocity; the barograph, an instrument for measuring pressure; the transmitter, an instrument which sends out weather reports at the rate of 60 words a minute, and a teletype machine on which weather reports come in from other stations, and weather reports are sent out from this station.

Here's an S. S. S. Emergency Warning

S. S. S. Emergency Warning from Lowery Field, Omaha, Kansas City, Cheyenne. "Please guard 4495 kilocycles for Army A17. Peterson, who was bound for Lowery field to Fairfax field via direct, departed 1:15 p.m., estimated time lapse three hours and a half. He is one hour and 15 minutes overdue."

Until the report, "There is a correction on the flight plan. Peterson is bound for Fairfax field at 3:15 p.m. instead of 1:15," all radio and teletype reception was postponed. When the trouble was cleared up the signal, "S. S. S. traffic cleared. Resume normal operation," came over the teletype.

Flight plan as illustrated here is a free service offered by the United States weather bureau station as a means of keeping air traffic down and of informing flyers of the pertinent traffic in their area. "In bad weather the flight plan is practically a necessity because low ceiling limits flying space and there is more danger of ships colliding," states Robert Chamberlain, airways observer.

## Draft--

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would require all men 21 to 30 years old, inclusive, to register and become liable for a year's military training. The house committee bill calls for registration of all between 18 and 64, inclusive, with those between 21 and 45 liable for the draft.)

**Naval Bases**

Downtown, a group of high officials and army and navy officers discussed with Attorney General Jackson the legal aspects of acquiring offshore air and naval base sites from Great Britain. Speculation was to the effect that, acting on the precedent of Theodore Roosevelt's establishment of a naval base at Guantanamo, Cuba, in 1903, the president might obtain the sites by executive action, without a formal treaty which would require senate approval.

**The congressional debates on conscription were accompanied by a noisy demonstration outside the capitol, in which a group of women, denouncing themselves the "congress of mothers of the United States," hanged a dummy, bearing the label "Claude Benedict Arnold Pepper," on a tree, and cut it down when capitol police intervened. Senator Pepper (D-Fla) has been one of the more insistent advocates of all possible assistance to Great Britain.**

Pepper tonight issued the following statement:

"Knowing these women, like all other Americans, are sincere in their patriotism, placing America first and Hitler last, I feel that their hanging me in effigy is a splendid demonstration of what we all desire — freedom of speech and freedom of action in the American way of doing things.

"My only hope is that the spectators and those who hear about this business will feel that I also love America and that I am sincere in my daily efforts to defend the United States in liberty, the right of free speech and free action."

**Industry Delays Plans**

The Lee proposal evoked numerous charges that business and industry has been delaying the defense program, because profits were not satisfactorily high. Chairman Walsh (D-Mass), for one, asserted that businessmen were delaying the acceptance of government orders for warplanes because they were receiving a profit as high as 18 per cent on foreign orders. Meanwhile, he said, they were endeavoring to have the present 7 per cent limit on United States contract profits eliminated.

"Businessmen have folded their arms," Walsh shouted, "and said 'we are out for profit and our profits are 18 per cent and we are the manufacturers of airplanes and ships, and insist that they should have the same profit as in peace time.'"

**"Unpatriotic"**

Lee made the same accusation, saying he could not "imagine a more unpatriotic attitude than has been taken by the leaders of industry in this country." He read testimony by ranking army and navy officers to support his contention that defense contracts were being delayed in part because of industrial objections to

profit restrictions and the present tax laws.

"They have put their patriotism on a cash, dollars and cents basis," he said, "yet they are expecting congress to draft manpower to protect their wealth."

After Senator Ashurst (D-Ariz) had expressed his approval of the Lee amendment, but had asked that only income be "drafted," Senator Tydings (D-Md) bluntly denounced the proposal as a preliminary to dictatorship.

"When you conscript property," he added, "it won't be long until you are conscripting labor."

**No "Point of Order"**

Senator Norris (Ind-Neb) backed up Ellender's point of order, and Senator McNary of Oregon, the republican floor leader, agreed with him. Lee, however, contended that a vote to sustain the point of order could only be construed as a vote against his amendment. Several senators disagreed, and then Clark came in with his charge of "dodging" the issue and a warning that when the revenue bill now pending in the house ways and means committee comes before the senate the proposal would be presented again and the senate would have to vote on it.

Senator Barkley (D-Ky) angrily retorted that he was "not afraid" of such a vote.

With the Lee amendment disposed of, the senate proceeded to discuss an amendment by Senator Lodge (R-Mass) which would limit the number of conscripts under the bill to 800,000. Lodge said such a provision would assure the nation that the measure does "not contemplate the regimentation of the entire American people."

## LEGAL NOTICE

### NOTICE OF RESOLUTION ORDERING CONNECTIONS TO BE MADE

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

All property owners interested are hereby notified that on the 12th day of August, 1940, the City Council of Iowa City, Iowa, adopted a resolution ordering that the connections from gas, water and steam heating pipes, sewers and underground electric connections to the curb line of the property adjacent to the proposed permanent improvement by paving, which said improvements were ordered by this council on the 12th day of August, 1940, on the following streets and parts of streets in the City of Iowa City, to-wit:

LEE STREET—from the north line of River Street to the north line of Greenwood Street.

HIGHWOOD STREET—from the west line of Lee Street to the east line of Blackhawk street.

be made within 12 days from the 20th of August, 1940, said connections to be made in accordance with the ordinances of said city relating thereto.

Said resolution further provides that in case such connections be not made within said time by the property owners, then the Engineer of the City of Iowa City shall cause the same to be made, and the cost and expense thereof will be assessed against the property in front of which they are made, as a special tax.

Dated this 19th day of August, 1940.

Grover C. Watson  
City Clerk of the City of Iowa City, Iowa

## Tavern Owners To Be Charged

### State Agents Seize Gambling Devices At 4 Oxford Points

County Attorney Harold W. Vestermark yesterday said that charges of illegal possession of gambling devices will be preferred at a later date against the owners of the four Oxford taverns from which state agents seized slot machines and punchboards Tuesday night.

The county attorney held conferences yesterday with the state agents who staged the raid late Tuesday night. The four places raided, all in Oxford, according to officials, were those of James Hradek, Charles Gillam, Ivan Schmidt and Fred Schmidt.

Twelve slot machines, one of which was a dice game, and one punchboard game were seized in the raid. The gambling devices were brought to the Johnson county court house in Iowa City following the seizures.

According to reports of the raid, a 25-cent, 10-cent and a five-cent slot machine and a "kazoo" dice game were seized at the Gillam place; a five-cent and 10-cent machine were taken from the Hradek tavern; a 10-cent and 25-cent machine were seized at the Ivan Schmidt place, and three similar devices were picked up at the Fred Schmidt place.

## State Agents Seize Gambling Devices



Shown here are the slot machines and punchboard games seized by state agents Tuesday night in raids on four Oxford taverns. The confiscated machines were brought to the Johnson county court house in Iowa City by the agents following the raid. County Attorney Harold W. Vestermark said yesterday that charges of illegal possession of gambling devices will be preferred against the owners of the taverns at a later date. The four places raided, officials reported, were those of James Hradek, Charles Gillam, Ivan Schmidt and Fred Schmidt.

## Alliance--

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for her own defense instead of letting Britain have them.

**Close Ties**

The unofficial talk of a military alliance came one day after Prime Minister Churchill stirred cheers in the house of commons by pointing to the close ties between the British empire and the United States.

In that connection, British foreign office sources cited a British-American agreement for the joint control of Canton and Enderbury islands in the Pacific ocean as an illustration of Prime Minister Churchill's statement that the "association of interests for common purposes" between the two countries had developed before the war.

On Aug. 11, 1938, the islands were placed under joint control for use of British and American civil aviation companies. On April 15, 1939, Great Britain and the United States agreed to extend the arrangement for 50 years, with the possibility of continuing it indefinitely.

## 'Ruben' Moose Lodge Buys Angus Steer

"Ruben," the Angus steer for which Harry Bremer of Iowa City paid \$20 per hundredweight at the 4-H club auction sale last Saturday at the Iowa City Sales company barn, was sold to the local Moose lodge yesterday.

The lodge, in turn, returned the calf to John Griffith, its original owner, who will feed it in preparation for entrance into competition at the International Livestock exposition in Chicago in December.

Bremer paid the top price for the calf at the sale where 28 county boys' 4-H club calves were sold at a price averaging \$13 per

hundredweight.

Bremer said that he paid the top price "to inspire other young farmers to seek perfection in raising cattle and other farm animals."

## Adopted Sons Quick To Join U. S. Forces

MASARYKTOWN, Fla., Aug. 21, (AP)—Already the 40-odd Americanized families in this town of Czech and Slovak descendants named for the first president of one-time Czecho-Slovakia have three sons in the United States navy.

Today two went to nearby Tampa and signed up with the army. That leaves only three in town eligible for voluntary enlistment.

## U. S. Ship--

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mittee indicated he had not given up hope that Germany would grant safe conduct for ships which may carry child refugees from war zones.

**We Haven't Asked**

Commenting on an assertion today by DNE, German news agency, that the reich was unable to guarantee safe conduct, Bloom said:

"I really don't believe that could be taken officially because we haven't asked them for anything yet. When they find out what we are asking the reply might be different. In asking 'safe conduct' for these vessels we will merely request their guarantee that their warships and planes will not molest these craft."

## Shakeup--

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commons, the sale of Iranian oil to Japan by a British company was under fire.

There is, however, general approval of prime minister Winston Churchill; indeed, his war review of yesterday gave the nation a surge of confidence.

## Urges Youth To Push U. S. Conscription

COUNCIL BLUFFS, Aug. 21, (AP)—Lt. Gen. Mathew A. Tingley of Council Bluffs tonight urged the youth of America to back a program of military conscription.

Speaking at the banquet that closed the two-day convention of the League of Iowa Municipalities, he declared that "when America needs men, it is not for me to say no. And it is not for the youth of America to deny their service when the nation needs them."

**More Infantile Paralysis**

DES MOINES, (AP)—State health department officials said yesterday there have been 67 new cases of infantile paralysis reported in Iowa in the last ten days.

The August total, up to yesterday, was 84 cases, as compared with six cases for the entire month of August last year.

The name of Paris, France, was once Letitia, Caesar, Roman conqueror, mentions it in his commentaries as being burnt during the first Gallic war, 52 B. C.

## Succeeds Wallace



Claude Wickard

Named secretary of agriculture, succeeding Henry A. Wallace, who has resigned to campaign as Democratic vice presidential candidate, is Claude Wickard, above, a "dirt farmer" of Camden, Ind.

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