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As War Tension Grows in Far East, Britain Rushes—

NAVAL, AIR POWER TO SINGAPORE

'Momentous Conference' Of Allied, U.S. Chieftains Hinted

Associate F.R. Mystery Sail With Meeting

Churchill Disappears From London; Officials Deny Conclave Rumor

By J. C. STARK
WASHINGTON (AP)—The capital buzzed with rumor and speculation yesterday that President Roosevelt, Prime Minister Winston Churchill of Great Britain, Prime Minister Mackenzie King of Canada, and Harry L. Hopkins, lease-lend administrator, were about to engage in a momentous conference, possibly in Canada or somewhere in the Atlantic ocean.

The reports that the four would get together to discuss problems arising from the war and American aid to nations battling the axis lacked any substantiation whatever, and their origin was dubious. The rumors persisted, however, despite the fact that high officials here and elsewhere disclaimed any knowledge of such a meeting.

Mystery Cruise
The reports apparently sprang chiefly from the unusual secrecy surrounding President Roosevelt's cruise aboard the presidential yacht Potomac in northern waters. Linked with this was the announcement in the British house of commons that Prime Minister Churchill would not participate in the forth-coming debate on the conduct of the war before the parliament recesses for the summer.

Clement Attlee, lord privy seal and British party leader, explained that the prime minister was preoccupied "with urgent matters connected with the war."

Some persons here immediately drew the conclusion that Churchill might be flying to Canada for a secret rendezvous with the president and that Hopkins might accompany him.

At Ottawa, the office of Prime Minister Mackenzie King said it had heard nothing of the rumored flying visit by Churchill and termed it "most unlikely."

Malcolm MacDonald, high commissioner to Canada from the United Kingdom, said it was "very improbable" that Churchill would come to the western hemisphere.

From the Potomac came word (See CONFERENCE page 6)

U.S. Cruisers Arrive in Far Eastern Waters

WASHINGTON (AP)—Perhaps to emphasize upon Japan the seriousness of the American opposition to the drive southward, two American heavy cruisers appeared unexpectedly yesterday in Australian waters.

The navy called it a "training cruise," but that bit of diplomatic understatement deceived no one. It is a familiar practice for the nations to reinforce their diplomacy with strategic naval or troop movements for officially stated innocuous purposes.

Far away in the Atlantic, meanwhile, President Roosevelt was conferring with Admiral Ernest J. King, commander of the Atlantic fleet on board the presidential yacht, the U. S. S. Potomac.

To the south of their watery meeting place, the coast guard cutter Carabasset encountered a disabled British merchant ship earlier in the day and took her in tow for Lynhaven Inlet. Her ultimate destination is Newport News, Va., where she will undergo repairs.

The arrival of the two cruisers at Brisbane, Australia, was announced by the navy department and meanwhile reports were received that Great Britain also was strengthening its naval forces in that area.

Leaves on Secrecy-Cloaked Vacation Cruise



President Roosevelt, vacationing "somewhere in the Atlantic" aboard the presidential yacht Potomac, is pictured above riding to the New London, Conn., submarine base with Capt. Elwin F. Cutts, base commandant, and Gov. Robert A. Hurley of Connecticut, to greet.

To Join S. U. I. Faculty

L. Van Dyke Will Succeed H. K. Newburn

Missouri Educator Joins Education Staff, To Direct High School

Lauren A. Van Dyke of Jefferson City, Mo., director of high school supervision in the Missouri State Department of Education, has been named assistant professor of education and director of University high school at Iowa.

He will fill the position held by Prof. Harry K. Newburn, who will become dean of the college of liberal arts Sept. 1.

Van Dyke will teach courses in secondary education in the college of education here and will be in charge of the undergraduate teacher training program in secondary education.

A graduate of Morningside college in Sioux City, Van Dyke received his M.A. in secondary administration from the University of Missouri in 1939. He will receive his Ph.D. there this month.

Experienced as a teacher and school administrator, Van Dyke was a teacher in the Lohrville, Ia., high school in 1928-29. The following year he became superintendent of schools at Monroe City, Mo., a post he held until 1935.

He served as principal of the high school at Sedalia, Mo., from 1935 to 1938, spent the following year with the University of Missouri as a high school visitor, traveling among the high schools of the state, and since 1939 has been director of high school supervision in the Missouri State Department of Education at Jefferson City.

The 34-year-old Van Dyke is married and has an eight-year-old son.

Locate Lost Youth
MAQUOKETA (AP)—Robert Genung, 17-year-old Sabula youth who disappeared after a minor auto accident near his home Sunday evening, was located at Corwith yesterday. He was at the home of his uncle, A. R. Gardner.

Senate Battles on Extended Service for Men in Army

WASHINGTON (AP)—With a majority of the senate apparently favoring an extension of service for all men now in army uniforms, a dispute developed yesterday as to whether this additional duty should be 12 or 18 months.

Both Majority Leader Barkley (D-Ky) and Senator Thomas (D-Utah) told an attentive senate, crowded with gallery visitors, that they expected passage of the bill permitting the president to keep the men in service 18 months after their original one year of training.

Earlier the administration forces had beaten the attempt of Senator Taft (R-Ohio) to limit the additional service for drafted men to six months, and for army reserves and the national guard to one year. The vote was 50 to 27.

The proposal to limit service to 12 months came from Senator

Sees Jump In Cost of Living

Henderson Tells House Unit Nation Needs Price Control Law

WASHINGTON (AP)—An assertion that a "most pronounced increase in the cost of living" was inevitable even if the administration's price-control bill were enacted immediately was made to congress yesterday by Leon Henderson, head of the office of price administration.

Opening hearings on the measure before the house banking committee, Henderson declared that a backlog of increased wholesale prices had been built up which had not yet been reflected in retail prices but which made it certain that American consumers soon would have to pay more for many commodities.

For instance, he said, the wholesale price of butter had increased 50 per cent since the European war began but its retail price thus far had risen only 36 per cent. Coffee presented a much more glaring discrepancy, he said, having jumped 52 per cent wholesale but only 27 per cent retail.

Declaring that the nation is on the "brink of inflation," Henderson urged passage of the price control bill. He told the committee that we could very easily ignore what is going on at present and take the risk of tragic deflation later, or "we can do what other countries are doing, and take steps to control it."

Touching only lightly on the question of wages, which the bill would not regulate, Henderson said it was significant that Britain and Canada were resorting to subsidies to producers in an effort to keep prices down and thus, indirectly, minimizing the need for wage increases.

Japanese Increase Indo-China Forces

MANILLA, Philippine Islands (AP)—Formidable land, air and naval reinforcements reached the mighty British base of Singapore yesterday and belief spread in the Far East that Britain might be preparing a swift occupation of key points in Thailand to head off the Japanese.

Dispatches from Thailand—which adjoins French Indo-China, scene of the recent diplomatic victory that gave Japan bases within relatively easy striking distance of Singapore, Hongkong and Manila—said plainly that the government was conscious that a grave and perhaps fateful decision must be made as to relations with Japan on the one hand and Britain on the other.

A possible indication that this decision might be to resist any Japanese invasion was given in an official announcement at Bangkok that a tank headquarters for Thailand's eastern forces had been established at Battambang, Cambodia, 35 miles from Siemreap, Indo-China, which the Japanese occupied Sunday.

Troops Go To Frontier
Contingents of mechanized troops were dispatched to Battambang along with large numbers of police and civil officers. The town is in the area recently ceded to Thailand from French Indo-China.

Thailand, it was generally agreed, might at any time become the Poland or Syria of the Far East—a theater in which Britain would draw the line against any further Japanese expansion or infiltration.

That Japan was pressing certain demands in effect acknowledged by that official. Broadcast Japanese reports that Thailand had recognized the Japanese puppet government of Manchouko were confirmed last night by the Bangkok government.

Must Stop Japanese
The size of new British and imperial troops arriving during the day in Singapore, which already had been heavily strengthened was of course not disclosed.

A British decision to move ahead of any Japanese encroachment in Thailand was represented by informed persons as a determination, backed by the United States, to halt the Japanese advance which already has put the whole of French Indo-China under Japan's control.

These additional reports, all pointing to a crisis in the orient, were distributed through the far east.

That a big Chinese army is concentrated on the China border with British Burma, ready to aid the British in defense of the Burma military supply road.

That Thailand armies were standing on the country's southern borders with British Malaya.

That Japanese troops were arriving in large numbers in Dair-en, the port of entry to Manchoukuo, presumably to reinforce Japanese forces standing along the Siberian border with Russia.

(In Washington, the U.S. navy disclosed that two heavy United States cruisers had arrived at Brisbane, Australia, on what was described as a training cruise.)

So Jerry Got a Diploma



While Harry Witzel, Jr., above, of Verona, Pa., attended a high-school summer course, his 6-year-old pet dog, Jerry, sat alongside his desk right up until graduation day. Because of his good behavior, Jerry was awarded a signed and sealed diploma along with the rest of the graduates.

Dentist Killed In 12 Floor Fall In New York

NEW YORK (AP)—Dr. F. Justin Lynch, 38, who formerly practiced dentistry at Cleveland, Ohio, was injured fatally yesterday when he fell or jumped from the 12th floor of the Hotel Taft with an eight-inch pair of scissors embedded in his side.

In full sight of teeming midtown crowds, he landed on the marquee of the adjacent Roxy theater and was still alive when police reached him by climbing a ladder.

"My name is Lynch," he mumbled. "I am a Catholic. Get me a priest."

A priest from St. Malachy's rectory, passing by, administered the rites of the church to the dying man.

Lynch, clad only in shorts, died en route to a hospital.

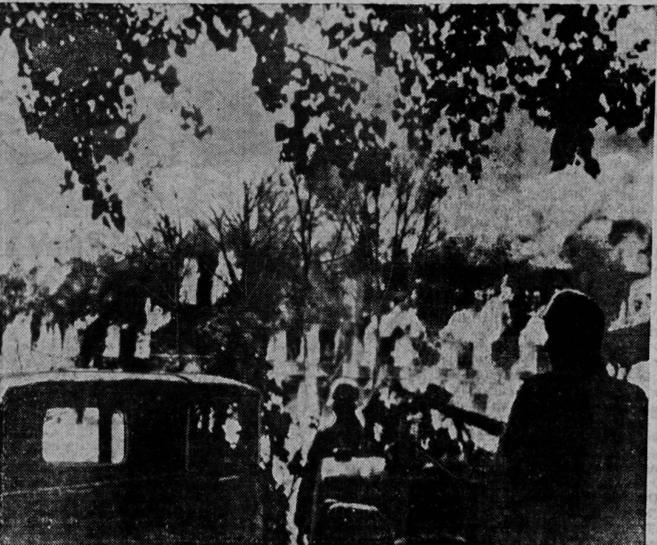
House Passes Property Grab Legislation

WASHINGTON (AP)—Legislation authorizing the president to requisition military or naval equipment, supplies, munitions or machinery considered necessary for national defense was passed by the house and returned to the senate for action on amendments. The vote was 241 to 136.

Just compensation would have to be paid before any property could be acquired. Opponents contended that the bill was another version of plant seizure authorization twice voted down overwhelmingly by the house when it was included in legislation to defer men of 28 from the draft.

(See SEIZURE page 6)

Germans Claim This Is Smolensk in Flames



German soldiers stand beside automobiles to watch a burning building in what Berlin claims is the Russian city of Smolensk. However, both the Russians and claiming that they hold the important railroad.

Moscow Tells of Resistance at Kiev—

Nazis Losing Heavily in Men

MOSCOW (AP)—A bloody German bid to encircle the Ukraine capital of Kiev from the north and south met furious resistance by Soviet troops for the fourth straight day yesterday and the nazis lost heavily in men and material, the Russian communique reported today.

At the same time, red army lines held firmly in the central Smolensk sector before Moscow and along the Estonian border below Leningrad, the Soviets indicated.

A red counter-attack at Korosten, 80 miles northwest of Kiev, was said to have smashed a German infantry regiment. More than 300 Germans were reported killed and wounded and many prisoners taken.

Heavy Fighting
Heavy fighting also was in progress in the Bel Tserkov area, 50 miles south of the Ukraine capital.

On the Leningrad front, the Russians said, repeated attacks by the German 16th motorized division were hurled back with German losses running to at least 1,500 dead and wounded.

The Russians were employing a variety of stubborn tactics to hold back the invaders, these ranging from stalking in American Indian fashion to more orthodox maneuvers such as the one by which the army newspaper Red Star reported the Soviet "N" division was holding a river bank, unnamed.

Moscow heard that the Soviet lines in the Bel Tserkov sector below Kiev were especially strong, lying along the Rossi river which flows into the Dnieper from the west. In the Korosten sector the

Russian defenses use another Dnieper tributary, the Uzh.

Situation Obscure

The battle also rolled along in the Smolensk area before Moscow, on the Estonian front before Leningrad and further north along Finland to round out an 1,800-mile front.

The situation around Kholm, in Leningrad and Moscow, was obscure. The region was not mentioned in the noon communique after having been cited for the first time in the mid-night statement, suggesting the nazis had driven a wedge between the Leningrad and Smolensk fronts.

Pravda published a comprehensive review of the war under the heading "Collapse of the German Blitzkrieg," giving new estimates of the forces involved.

Nine Former Iowa University Students Announce Marriages

Announcement has been made of the marriages of nine University of Iowa alumni.

Carney-Ainsworth
The marriage of Elizabeth Marie Carney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Alderman Carney of Rock Island, to Calvin Ainsworth, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd C. Ainsworth of Moline, has been announced. The ceremony took place July 5 in Canton, Mo.

The bride was graduated from Rock Island high school and attended Augustana college in Davenport.

Mr. Ainsworth was graduated from Moline high school and attended the University of Iowa. He was graduated from Augustana college.

Ellis-McBurney
Irene Ellis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ellis of Central, became the bride of Ray McBurney, son of Mr. and Mrs. James McBurney of Oskaloosa, June 29.

Mrs. McBurney was graduated from Iowa State Teachers college in Cedar Falls and the University of California in Los Angeles. Mr. McBurney, a graduate of Iowa State Teachers college, took graduate work at the University of Iowa.

The couple will make their home in Guthrie Center where Mr. McBurney is educational adviser at the CCC camp.

Montz-Pyle
Mrs. J. Montz of Tipton announces the marriage of her daughter, Warda, to Arnold Pyle, son of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Pyle of Cedar Rapids. The wedding took place June 23 in Decorah.

The bride was graduated from the school of journalism at the University of Iowa and has been employed by the Cedar Rapids Gazette.

Mr. Pyle is advertising manager of a radio firm in Cedar Rapids where the couple will reside.

Fleishman-Houghton
June 25 Genevieve Fleishman, daughter of Mrs. John Fleishman of Davenport, became the bride of Dr. Earl J. Houghton, son of Mrs. Amanda Houghton, also of Davenport.

Mrs. Houghton attended Immaculate Conception academy in Davenport. Doctor Houghton was graduated from St. Ambrose academy in Davenport and the University of Iowa college of medicine. He was affiliated with Phi Rho Sigma, medical fraternity.

The couple will reside in Peoria, where Doctor Houghton will serve his internship at St. Francis hospital.

Conrad-Glann
Announcement has been made of the marriage of Vivian Faye Conrad, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fay Conrad of Creston, to Dr. George Glann of Sioux City. The wedding occurred April 13 in Princeton, Mo.

Mrs. Glann was graduated from Creston high school and attended Creston junior college. She was graduated from the Broadlawn School of nursing in Des Moines. She is now stationed at Camp Joseph T. Robinson in Little Rock, Ark., as a Red Cross nurse.

Doctor Glann was graduated from the college of dentistry at the university here. He is stationed at Camp Robinson as a lieutenant in the dental corps. The couple will make their home in Little Rock.

Jay-Carstensen
Lenore Jay, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. L. D. Jay of Waverly, became the bride of Dr. Vincent H. Carstensen, son of Mrs. Caroline Carstensen, also of Waverly, July 3.

The bride was graduated from Iowa State Teachers college in Cedar Falls. Dr. Carstensen was graduated from the University of Iowa College of medicine, and is a member of Phi Beta Phi and Alpha Omega Alpha, honorary medical fraternities.

Following his graduation from the Charity hospital in New Orleans, La., Doctor Carstensen has been serving as assistant surgeon at the United States marine hospital in Detroit, Mich. He is now a first lieutenant in the medical corps and will be stationed at Ellington Field in Houston, Tex., after July 21.

Cronkrite-Kopp
The marriage of Mildred Cronkrite and Lester G. Kopp, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred C. Kopp of Oswein, has been announced. The ceremony was performed June 21 in Rossville, Ill.

Mrs. Kopp attended MacMurray college in Chicago, the Art Institute of Chicago, and was graduated from the University of Illinois in Urbana. The bridegroom was graduated from the University of Iowa in 1939. He is employed as design engineer for Bradley Implement

Married Here Saturday



Mr. and Mrs. Thomas D. Horn were married Saturday by the Rev. Richard E. McEvoy in the Trinity Episcopal church. Mrs. Horn is the former Grace Adams, daughter of Mrs. C. Lovell Adams, 603 College. Mr. Horn is the son

Legion Installs George Dohrer As Commander

George J. Dohrer was installed as commander of the Roy L. Chopek post No. 17, American Legion at the regular meeting held in the community building last night.

Other officers installed were Noel Harrison, vice-commander; Clem J. Shay, adjutant; Delmar Sample, finance officer; L. E. Clark, historian, and William G. Hughes, chaplain.

Executive committee members are Robert J. Barry and A. Dallas Hagan. Delegates to attend the state convention at Des Moines, Aug. 11 to 13 are Clark, H. D. Evans, Barry, James J. Lacinia Jr., Clair Hamilton, J. Kennedy and Mrs. V. Winslow.

Dorothy Welt To Be Honored At Breakfast

Dorothy Welt, bride-elect, will be honored at a breakfast and handkerchief shower by Mrs. Paul Shaw, 528 E. College, this morning at 9 o'clock.

Aug. 16 Miss Welt will become the bride of John Haefner.

Guests at the shower will be Mrs. Addison Alspach, Mrs. H. M. Howard, Mrs. A. A. Welt, Mrs. Robert Gibson, Mrs. Emory Lane, Mrs. John McGeoch, Joan Hady, Mrs. Dwight Hughes, Mrs. Charles Bowman, Mrs. W. B. Packman, Mrs. Bartholow Crawford, Mrs. J. F. Spavott, Georgia Adams, Mrs. C. Lovell Adams, Mrs. Fredrick Kent, Mary Ellen Coast, Mrs. W. O. Coast and Mrs. Helen Gay of Houston, Tex.

PERSONALS

Mrs. William Musser and daughter, Dorothy, 715 E. College, have returned from a visit in Chicago. Bess Portwood of Memphis, Tenn., is now visiting at the Musser home.

County Clerk R. Neilson Miller yesterday granted a marriage license to Robert Beggling, 21, and Betty Jane Carter, 18, both of Muscatine.

Ladies Aid . . . society of the First Christian church will meet at 1:30 in the church parlors.

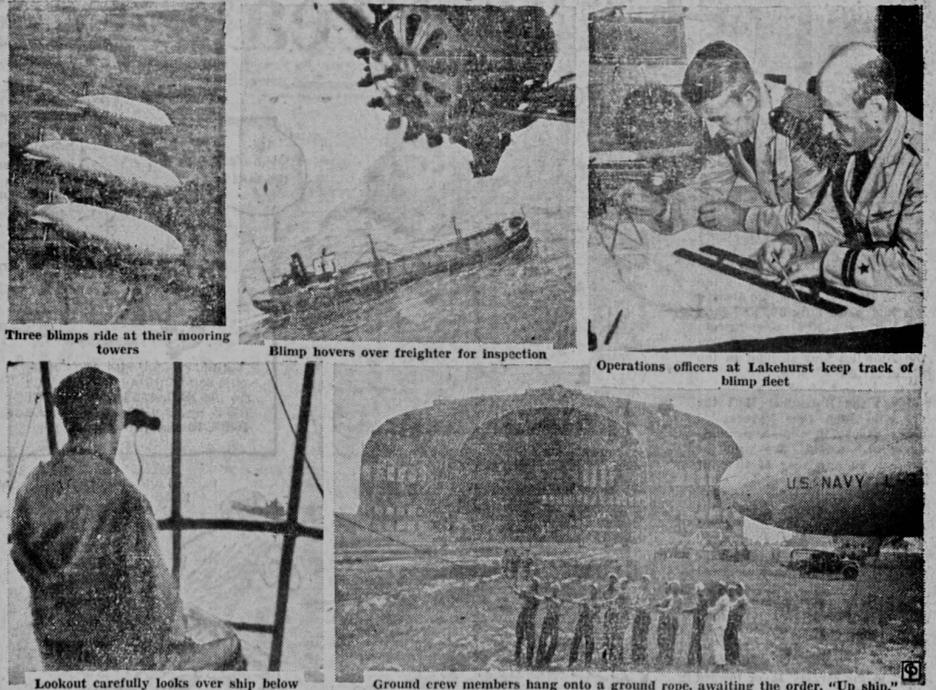
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Lighter-Than-Air Craft Help U. S. Navy Patrol Atlantic



The United States navy now is employing a fleet of lighter-than-air craft in its Atlantic patrol, and more are on order. Such craft are once again in favor after virtual eclipse due to the tragedies of the giant dirigibles—the Shenandoah, Akron, Macon and Hindenburg. The navy's blimps, shown on duty in the pictures above, have many advantages over air-planes. They furnish a steadier platform from a hovering plane, than from a speeding plane, and they can hover for hours over a surface ship. Scores of officers and men are undergoing training at the blimp base, Lakehurst, N.J., for duty in the new blimps that have been ordered.

Demonstration Parade Will Preview Band Contest Today

Eldora training school's marching band will give a "preview performance" at 4 o'clock this afternoon as they parade through downtown streets before the annual "Battle of Champions" starts at 8 o'clock tonight on Shrader field.

The afternoon parade will begin at Moose hall, go north on Clinton to Washington, east on Washington to Linn, south on Linn to College, west on College to Dubuque, north on Dubuque to Iowa, west on Iowa to Clinton and south on Clinton to the Moose hall.

In the evening program, about 400 young musicians from six cities will compete. Besides the Iowa City Grenadiers Drum and Bugle corps, competing organizations are Boone Spanish Musketees, Cedar Rapids Musketees, Des Moines Sons of Legionnaires, Ft. Madison Post Junior Drum corps and the Eldora marching band.

The Moose drill team, under the direction of Charles Smith, will give an exhibition march during the evening program.

The way the judges, who are Ralph Hartwig of Cedar Rapids, Ralph Thompson of Muscatine, and S. D. Gratke, Capt. Irving Bormer, Sergt. John Lemons, Sergt. Palmer Peterson and Lieut. Frank Person, all of Iowa City, decide which is

the champion drill corps is as follows: Each unit is judged on a basis of 100 points, 10 for inspection, 10 for cadence, 30 for marching and maneuvering, 26 for bugling, 20 for drumming and 10 for general effect.

While in action on the field each corps is allotted 15 minutes, 10 in motion and five standing in formation while playing. At least 13 of the 15 minutes must be used. At the end of that time a warning gun will be sounded and the first playing member of the group must be across the finish line at the end of the 15 minutes.

The groups are required to march in a cadence of between 128 and 132 steps per minute. They are penalized from one-one hundredth of a point to a full point for dropping equipment or other mistakes.

In charge of the program is Earl Gilpin, Ward Coulter, Mrs. Dan Roth, William Shay, Mrs. Helen McMahon, Mrs. John Ludwig, Mr. and Mrs. George Thomas, Estel R. Williams, Jacob Parker, Marcus H. Sutton, Frank Strub and Dr. J. A. Swisher.

Mrs. Don Ashby



Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Coulson of Grundy Center announces the marriage of their daughter, Margaret, 119 S. Linn, to Don Ashby, son of Mr. and Mrs. Nell R. Ashby of Wellsburg. The ceremony took place Saturday afternoon in the home of W. A. Chapman in Chicago. Mr. Chapman and Maisie Laugel attended the couple. The bride was graduated from the university here in 1939 and has completed a graduate course in the division of social administration. She will begin her duties as psychiatric social worker in the psychopathic hospital here Aug. 20. Mr. Ashby is a 1941 graduate of the University of Iowa. He is a member of the order of Artus and Phi Beta Kappa, honor societies. He is now engaged in the publishing business.

Recent Bride



Mrs. J. Harold Simmen is the former Irene Wengert, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Wengert, 108 S. Linn. She became the bride of J. Harold Simmen, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Simmen of Center Point, in a 4 o'clock ceremony Saturday. The Rev. Richard E. McEvoy officiated at the service in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben S. Summerwill, 601 Oakland. Mrs. Summerwill is the bride's sister. Mr. and Mrs. Roy J. Koza attended the couple. After a trip to northern Minnesota, Mr. and Mrs. Simmen will be at home in Ottumwa where Mr. Simmen is sales engineer for the Ottumwa Gas company.

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The National league service bureau, bearing in mind the current hot streak of the Pittsburgh Pirates, recalls to mind a similar pennant race in 1914, won by the Boston Braves.

Since the Buccaneers left the cellar in June, they have rolled along at a .742 clip—a percentage which would have won the pennant in any year of the last 55 except 1906, when the Cubs set the all-time high for wins with 116, and for percentage with .763.

That Frisch is out to win the championship this year goes without saying, but without an outstanding player on the team list, it's hard to tell how he keeps pulling them out of the hat.

The amazing part of Frisch's baseball philosophy is revealed in two items on this year's team. Debs Garm, the 1940 league batting champion, had been a utility man all spring and far into the summer.

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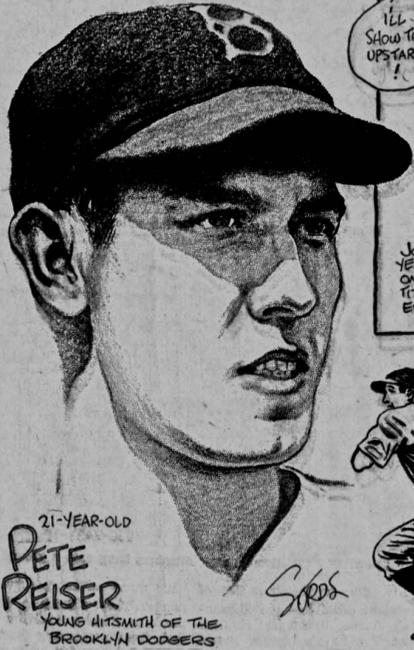
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Cubs Break Losing String, Clip Cards

YOUNGEST CHAMP?

By Jack Sords

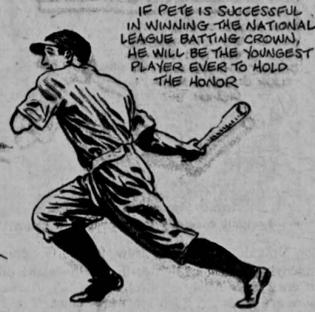


21-YEAR-OLD PETE REISER

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Lowly Nats Chase Yankees' Russo, 4-3

Score Runs In First 2 Innings

Carrasquel, In First Start of Season, Gives Nine Scattered Hits

WASHINGTON (AP)—A faltering start by Marius Russo, coupled with three errors, gave the Washington Senators four runs in the first two innings yesterday and a 4 to 3 victory over the New York Yankees, pace-setters in the American league.

The Yankee southpaw gave the last place Senators only eight hits altogether, but four of these came in the opening frame.

Russo was in control the remainder of the way, but the Yankees were unable to get him enough runs to cancel the early lead. Carrasquel, making his first start of the season, allowed nine scattered hits.

Selkirk substituted for Charley Keller, who bruised a bone in his left foot Monday, but made a pinchhitting appearance yesterday.

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Hainline Loses in National Culver, Ind. (AP)—Ted Hainline of Rock Island, Ill., Iowa boys' singles tennis champion, lost his third round match in the national boys' and juniors' tournament yesterday to Emil Martinez of San Antonio, Tex., 6-2, 6-2.

Chapman Not Confident, But 1940 Amateur Champ's Game Straighter, More Consistent, Less Work

MONTGOMERY, Ala. (AP)—Dick Chapman tells you who is very likely to remove the U.S. amateur golf crown from the Chapman brow this year—then he tells you about the Chapman game, and you wonder if the crown will move at all.

Dick Chapman isn't on Dick Chapman's list of probable successors to Dick Chapman but the 30-year-old, dark and handsome golfer conceded "My game is more consistent, straighter and a lot less work" than it was a year ago.

This week-end he expects to limber up his game at Highlands, N.C., with none other than Bobby Jones as a partner, and he'll leave Aug. 17 for Omaha and a week's practice there.

University of Illinois Names Doug Mills Athletic Director

Basketball Coach Gets One-Year Contract, Succeeding Wilson

By EARL HILLIGAN CHICAGO (AP)—The University of Illinois made a final change in its oft-revised 1941 football "lineup" yesterday, naming Douglas R. Mills its acting athletic director for one year.

Bringing stability to a muddled and controversial situation on the very eve of the 1941 gridiron campaign, the Illinois' board of trustees unanimously named the 33-year-old Iliini head basketball coach to succeed Wendell S. Wilson, dismissed three weeks ago.

Described by Chester Davis of Chicago, chairman of the trustee's athletic committee, "as the most active member of the university's athletic department," Mills will continue as head basketball coach and as assistant to Bob Zuppke, 62-year-old mentor who was given another year of service when Wilson was dismissed.

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Red Sox Sweep Athletics Series With 6-5 Victory

BOSTON (AP)—After kicking away a three-run lead, the Boston Red Sox bounced back yesterday to take a 6-5 decision from the Philadelphia Athletics and sweep their two-game series with the Mackmen.

Pete Fox, who combed the offerings of Jack Knott and Luman Harris for three solid doubles, showed the way to the Sox batters. One of his doubles in the sixth inning was converted into the winning tally when Manager Joe Cronin followed with a single into the left-field corner to chase Pete across the plate.

In the A's fourth Wally Moses homered into the right field stands after Al Brancato had singled.

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TOTALS 36 6 13 27 11 0 Philadelphia 210 200 000-5 Boston 500 001 00x-6

Runs batted in—Moses 2, Johnson 2, Siebert, Williams 2, Fox, Cronin, Foxx, Dobson. Two-base hits—Moses, Fox, 3, Williams. Home runs—Moses. Double plays—Doerr and Foxx. Left on bases—Philadelphia 7, Boston 9. Bases on balls—Off Knott 3, off Dobson 5. Struck out—By Knott 2, by C. Harris 1, by Dobson 3, by C. Mize, 1b, 4 0 0 8 1 0, Slaughter, rf, 4 0 1 2 0 0, Brown, 3b, 4 0 0 2 4 0, W. Cooper, c, 4 0 0 6 0 0, Marion, ss, 3 1 0 0 5 0, Lanier, p, 2 0 0 0 2 0, Krist, p, 0 0 0 0 0 0, Shoun, p, 0 0 0 0 0 0, Crabtree, x, 0 0 0 0 0 0, Gumbert, p, 0 0 0 0 0 0, Padgett, xx, 0 0 0 0 0 0

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Bill Gallon Favored in Hambletonian Tiff

GOSHEN, N.Y. (AP)—It's Hambletonian time again and that means upward of 25,000 will pour into this village today to watch nine picked three-year-old trotters battle over Good Time park's triangular course in the 16th "corn-tassel" derby.

The lineup for the \$38,729 race was completed this morning when the owners and trainers of the five colts and four fillies posted the starting fee of \$500—final payment of the \$960 necessary to qualify a trotter for the richest of all light harness horse racing stakes.

Harry McKenney, starting his first Hambletonian, will get the field away for the first of the best two out of three heats at 2 p.m. eastern standard time. The weather is promised to be fair and the track fast.

Although Bill Gallon has won only one of his five heats in two races this season, the son of Sancy Flash from R. H. Johnston's Charlotte, N.C., stable, figures to go postward the 3 to 2 favorite to take the winner's share of the purse, amounting to \$20,365.

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Pirates Defeat Cincinnati, 7-5

CINCINNATI (AP)—The Pittsburgh Pirates put together two big innings yesterday to beat the stumbling Cincinnati Reds, 7 to 5, for the world champions' fifth straight defeat.

Vince DiMaggio, who struck out too many times to make the grade with the Reds last year, fanned twice yesterday but also hit his 13th homer of the season in the fourth with two men on.

Handley, 3b, 5 1 1 1 2 0, Vaughan, ss, 5 0 1 3 3 1, Elliott, rf, 4 1 1 2 0 1, Steward, cf, 0 0 0 0 0 0, Fletcher, 1b, 3 1 2 9 3 0, Van Robays, lf, 4 1 2 3 0 0, DiMaggio, cf, 4 1 1 3 0 0, Martin, 2b, 4 1 2 4 5 0, Lopez, c, 3 0 0 2 0 0, Butcher, p, 3 1 1 0 0 0, Klingler, p, 1 0 0 0 0 0

TOTALS 36 7 11 27 13 2 Cincinnati ABRHOAE

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TOTALS 41 5 13 27 15 0 z—Batted for Beggs in 8th. x—Batted for Sisti in 7th.

Runs batted in—Handley, Elliott 2, Fletcher, DiMaggio 3, Koy, F. McCormick 2. Two-base hits—Van Robays, West, Mattick. Three-base hits—Elliott, Koy. Home run—DiMaggio. Sacrifices—Lopez, M. McCormick. Left on bases—Pittsburgh 4, Cincinnati 12. Bases on balls—Off Butcher 2, off Turner 1. Struck out—By Butcher 1, by Klingler 1, by Turner 2, by Pearson 1. Hits—Off Butcher 12 in 7 innings (none out in 8th), Klingler 1 in 2, Turner 10 in 6, 2-3, Beggs 1 in 1-3, off Pearson 0 in 1. Wild pitch—Klingler. Winning pitcher—Butcher. Losing pitcher—Turner.

Umpires—Magerkurth, Dunn and Stewart. Time—2:13. Attendance 2,039 paid, 2,949 boys.

Cleveland Edges Detroit, 2 to 1

CLEVELAND (AP)—Southpaw Al Smith outpitched big Buck Newsom here last night and the Cleveland Indians edged Detroit, 2 to 1, before 30,000 fans. Jeff Heath's triple in the sixth scored the Redskin's two runs after the Bengals had taken a lead in the third on a walk, a sacrifice and Barney McCook's single.

Newsom struck out nine men and gave up only five hits in suffering his 15th defeat against eight victories.

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Boston Erases Early Phil Lead; Wins Tilt, 10-9

PHILADELPHIA (AP)—The first five men up for Phillies smashed out three singles and two doubles good for four runs yesterday, but it didn't mean a thing as the Boston Braves exploded six runs in the seventh to win, 10 to 9.

A home run by Eddie Miller off Tom Hughes with two on was the wallop that climaxed the big seventh which saw the Braves come from behind a 9-4 score to turn defeat into victory.

The Phils threatened in the seventh and eighth, but good relief pitching by Tom Earley, the fifth Boston pitcher, prevented any further scoring.

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TOTALS 39 9 14 27 9 1 z—Batted for Hughes in 7th. xx—Batted for Warren in 7th.

Runs batted in—Waner 3, Rowell 2, Etten 1, Litwhiler 2, May 1. Two-base hits—Etten, Litwhiler, Masi, Waner, Warren, Rowell. Three-base hit—West. Home run—Miller. Stolen bases—Murtaugh, Benjamin. Sacrifices—Benjamin, Marty 2. Double plays—Murtaugh and Etten 2. Left on base—Boston 8, Philadelphia 8. Base on balls—Off Podgajny 2, Beck 5, Javery 1, Pearson 1. Struck out—By Javery 4, Earley 1, Podgajny 3, Beck 1, Pearson 1. Hits—Off Erickson 3 in 6 innings (pitched to 3 men), off Javery 6 in 2-3 innings, off Lamanna 3 in 2-3 innings, off Earley 1 in 2-3 innings, off Podgajny 1 in 2-3 innings, off Beck 3 in 3-2-3 innings, off Hughes 3 in 2-3 innings, off Pearson 2 in 2 innings. Balk—Lamanna. Winning pitcher—Lamanna. Losing pitcher—Hughes.

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Germans Ask Safe Return Of Transmitter

BUENOS AIRES (AP) — Germany asked Argentina's permission yesterday to fly to Europe a 500-pound short wave radio transmitter which was seized by Argentine authorities but restored to its owners after the Nazi embassy vigorously protested.

Simultaneously, the apparatus figured in another action when a federal prosecutor asked the courts to start proceedings against the German embassy for bringing it into the country in the first place.

The transmitter had been flown from Argentina to Peru—at a dollar a pound—as "diplomatic baggage" and brought back again because of a Peruvian ban restricting such baggage to 44 pounds.

It was on the return trip that it was seized by an Argentine congressional committee investigating anti-Argentine activities.

July 1. The measure also provides that, consistent with national defense requirements, the secretary of war shall release men 28 years old and above who already are in training.

Senator Tydings (D-Md) told the senate that the war department planned release of national guardsmen 28 years and older on the same basis as selectees.

Originally the senate had attached plant seizure provisions to this measure, in an effort to end national defense stoppages arising from strikes, but these provisions were eliminated from the bill finally sent to the White House for expected approval of President Roosevelt.

30 Troopers Help Capture Insane Man

PAWLING, N.Y. (AP) — An escaped mental patient, who state police said had threatened the life of District Attorney Thomas E. Dewey, was arrested by approximately 30 New York and Connecticut troopers yesterday a short distance from the Manhattan prosecutor's summer estate.

Lieut. Walter F. Riley identified the prisoner as Louis Padgett, a former investigator for Dewey's office. He escaped from a Washington hospital for the insane, July 29, Riley said.

"The man closely resembled Dewey in appearance," the lieutenant declared, "and was obsessed with belief that if Dewey were

Fisher Service Scheduled For Tomorrow

Funeral service for Mrs. Bessie G. Fisher, 48, 412 N. Linn, who died yesterday morning in a local hospital, will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Hohenschuh mortuary. The Rev. R. M. Kreuzer will be in charge. Burial will be in Oakland cemetery.

Born in Penn township, Sept. 29, 1892, she attended Iowa City schools and later married Cornelius Fisher of Muscatine in 1912. She has lived in Iowa City for the past five years.

Surviving are one daughter, Vivian Fisher, of Iowa City; one son, Richard, of Davenport; one sister, Florence Gilliland, of Iowa City, and one granddaughter.

Two Wounded In Gun Battle With Police

SOUTH BOSTON, Va. (AP) — Officer G. R. Nolan of the South Boston police force said two men were wounded near Wooddale, N.C., yesterday in a gun battle with a posse which sought them on a charge of criminally attacking a 17-year-old Boydton, Va., girl.

The two, whose identities were unknown to Nolan, were said to have been taken first to a Roxboro, N.C., hospital and from there transferred to a Richmond, Va., hospital.

Nolan said the pair had been sought since 11 p.m. Monday when they brought the girl back to a point near her home, and fled. She had been reported missing several hours. Their trail was lost by police Monday night, but picked up again yesterday morning when a wrecked car was found near Denniston's Store, Va., on the Virginia - North Carolina border.

From there, bloodhounds followed a trail to a Carolina farmhouse where the gun battle occurred.

Farmers Receive Payments for Losses In 1940 Wheat Crop

Joe G. Raim, county AAA chairman, yesterday announced that seven Johnson county farmers who invested in wheat crop insurance and who had complete wheat losses on their farms last year have been paid a total of \$917.40 in indemnities.

Farmers paid are Raymond Lorack, Ed M. Eckrich, Charles B. Rice, B. F. Keller, James J. Barta, Charles Unick and J. E. McCallister.

Raim also said that adjustments on several other farms were being made.

Meeting Four Local Groups Will Gather

Wednesday, Aug. 6
Lions Club—Reich's pine room, 12 noon.
Sea Scout Ship—Legion hall, 7:30 p.m.
Boy Scout Troop No. 15 — St. Wenceslaus church, 7:30 p.m.
Elks Lodge No. 590—Elks club, 325 E. Washington, 8 p.m.

Daylight Holdup Nets 4 Gunmen \$76,000 in East

STROUBSBURG, Pa. (AP) — Two bank messengers were robbed of \$76,000 yesterday in a street holdup carried out with split second timing by four gunmen who escaped into the wooded hills of northern New Jersey.

Holding a sub-machine gun and pistols, three of the men forced the bank employees to give up a pouch containing the currency, then fled in a sedan driven by their companion. Five miles away they changed to a second car after threatening a camper who saw them.

The money, mostly in five, ten and 20 dollar bills, was surplus being taken from the first national bank to the post office a block away for transfer to Philadelphia and deposit in the federal reserve bank.

Baby Beef Auction To Follow 4-H Club Show August 13-15

On Saturday, August 16, following the county 4-H club show, August 13-15 an auction of baby beefs exhibited during the show will be held at 1 o'clock in the Iowa City sales barn, according to County Agent Emmett C. Gardner.

It is hoped that interested businessmen will attend the auction, Gardner said, since last year several businessmen bought some of the beefs.

Paying \$20 a hundred, Harry Bremer bought the highest priced beef last year, an Angus owned by John Griffiths.

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the proposed 18-month extension would make possible the 30-month training.

Late in the afternoon the senate interrupted debate to complete congressional action on legislation granting mandatory deferment to draftees who were 28 years old on or prior to last

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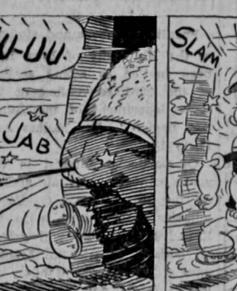
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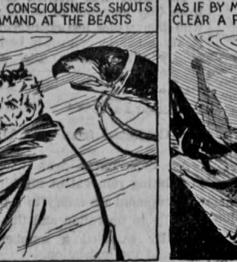
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Measures Taken to Conserve—

GASOLINE SHORTAGE

—Fuel on the Eastern Seaboard

By DAVID J. WILKIE

DETROIT (The Iowan Special News Service)—Secretary Ickes' drive to conserve gasoline on the eastern seaboard—highlighted by the 7 p.m. closing of service stations—has revived the motor industry's argument that the average driver wastes 25 to 30 per cent of his motor fuel.

Last year American motorists bought 24,167,190,000 gallons of gasoline. They wasted more than 6,100,000,000 gallons of that total.

To increase the mileage potentialities of a gallon of gasoline, the oil companies and the automotive engineers have stepped up the quality of gasoline and improved carburetion.

They have been able to accomplish relatively little, however, in correcting uneconomical driving habits of millions of car drivers, most of whom can ill-afford what amounts to a 25 to 30 per cent surtax on their gasoline purchases.

Exhaustive tests show that between 25 and 30 per cent of all the gasoline that goes into automobile fuel tanks produces no mileage whatever, solely because of carelessness in the maintenance or operation of the vehicle.

The car manufacturers and merchandisers have little hope that they can bring about a major saving of automotive fuel on short notice, but they point out that maximum mileage per gallon will become a matter of individual concern if the requirements of national defense ultimately bring about a rationing of gasoline.

How can the motorist get the most out of his tankful of gasoline?

To begin with, try to drive so that you catch most of the green traffic lights without stopping; don't keep "pumping" the accelerator while waiting for a green light; getting away, don't run at high speeds in first or second gear before shifting into high; don't weave in and out of traffic, necessitating frequent changes of speed and excessive use of brakes; keep tires properly inflated.

Check Automobile Virtually every motorist knows that fuel economy declines as the speed of operation increases; he knows also, but probably has given it less thought, that anything that puts a drag on the vehicle increases the consumption of fuel. In the latter category are driving the car with under-inflated tires or with the parking brake not fully released; similarly, fouled or improperly spaced spark plug points, a poorly-adjusted carburetor and too high a rate of idling speed contribute to unproductive fuel consumption.

Tests made by one leading car manufacturer show that fuel economy has declined as much as 20 per cent when the speed of operation was increased from 20 to 40 miles an hour, and that at 70 miles an hour it is only about half as good as it was at 30.

Slow Down Aside recommending avoidance of the "jack rabbit" start, unnecessary use of the brakes and frequently-fluctuating speeds, the men who make motor cars urge the motorist to get into high gear as quickly as possible; to anticipate stops and slow-downs in advance; to warm the engine slowly rather than by racing it and to adopt and try to maintain a reasonable "cruising" speed in country driving.

And as one final bit of advice, the car makers suggest there is no more complete waste of gasoline than that incurred by keeping the motor running while some other member of the family doing the grocery or meat market shopping.

'Pass The Biscuits, Jack'



Jack Wrather passes the breakfast biscuits to his bride, the former Molly O'Daniel, whose father, W. Lee O'Daniel, now a United States senator, was elected gover-

Beating The Eastern Gas Curfew



Here's one of the reasons the 7 p.m. to 7 a.m. gasoline curfew put in effect in the eastern seaboard states by Secretary of the Interior Harold Ickes is not cutting consumption as planned. So many motorists stocked-up with reserve gas on the first curfew day, as this gentleman is doing in New York, that it is believed more gasoline was sold than if the stations had remained open all night.

'Pie Is Symbol of Americanism'

Expert Declares Pies Have 'Sex Appeal'; Urges Entries in Local Contest

"There is a lot of sex appeal in a good pie.

"It is the favorite food of the male sex and the climax of accomplishment for the female.

"A pie is the symbol of Americanism. It was invented here; nowhere else on earth can you get a really good pie. To many of us, such things as the bill of rights are rather hazy, but we will all fight for the right to eat pie."

The preceding group of statements are quoted from a letter written by C. V. Gregory, associate publisher of Wallaces' Farmer and Iowa Homestead, in which he, as a sort of pie contest sponsor, tells of the great virtues of pies and pie baking contests.

The letter was written to the Iowa City chamber of commerce, who themselves are sponsoring a local pie baking contest to be held Friday afternoon in the community building under the direction of the Johnson county farm bureau.

In his letter Mr. Gregory expressed the thought that baking pies for a contest is fun, and incidentally he put over the idea that eating them was too.

The sponsors of the local contest believe that baking pies is fun and expressed the hope, both verbally and by means of posters in store windows and other like places, that women of both city and country have some fun by baking and entering pies in the forthcoming contest.

To enter the contest, all that is necessary is that pies be two-crust, made with lard, baked in a tin nine inches or larger, be entered by 10 a.m. Friday and be of one of the following classes: Apple, cherry, any berry, peach or apricot, and raisin or mince.

means of obtaining the use of such property for the defense of the United States upon fair and reasonable terms have been exhausted, he is authorized to requisition such property for the defense of the United States upon the payment of fair and just compensation, which shall not be less than the fair market value thereof.

Provision is made for court appeals, just as in eminent domain suits, if owners of property requisitioned are not satisfied with the value fixed by the president.

Railroads--

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according to unions, rules and classifications but the lowest wage listed was \$5.06 for switch tenders.

The 14 non-operating unions—composed of approximately 850,000 clerks, telegraphers, machinists and similar personnel—asked raises of 30 to 34 cents an hour. Their average wage was listed as 67.4 cents an hour.

If the mediation board does not intervene, President Roosevelt could postpone or avert a walk-out by appointing an emergency fact-finding board to review problems and recommend solutions.

During negotiations unionists contended that the rail business was improving, living costs were rising and they were not making as much as men of comparable skill and responsibility in some other industries.

Management representatives replied that the adjustments—if made—would approximate \$900,000,000 a year, and asserted that amount was more than the net income of the railroads in any one year. They maintained too, that rail workers' earnings now were at their all-time peak.

Conference--

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through the navy department that the president had talked over naval matters with Rear Admiral Ernest J. King, commander of the Atlantic fleet, as the yacht moved through north Atlantic waters to an undisclosed destination.

The London Daily Mail published a dispatch from Washington quoting reports in official circles here that in addition to the duke of Kent, now in Canada, another high British personage might fly to meet President Roosevelt. Mentioned in this connection were both Churchill and Lord Beaverbrook, British supply minister.

5,299 Pupils Attended County Schools Last Year, Superintendent Reports

Frank J. Snider, county superintendent of schools in a report to the state department of public instruction yesterday, stated that 5,299 pupils attended city and rural schools during the 1940-41 period.

Rural schools with an enrollment of 1,796 had an average daily attendance of 1,494.1 and city schools with an enrollment of 3,503 had an average of 3,211.8. There are 151 schools in the county, 36 city and 115 rural.

There were 278 teachers employed during the year to fill 262 positions. Of the group 122 taught in rural schools and 156 in city schools.

School buildings in the county were valued at \$1,704,675, which was divided at \$182,900 for the rural and \$1,521,775 for city schools.

Total receipts for the year were \$50,801.90 and total expenditures were \$41,022.62.

American Legion

Faculty Members Invited to Attend State Convention

Faculty members and students of the University of Iowa have been invited to attend sessions of the 23rd convention of the Iowa department of the American Legion in Des Moines Aug. 11 to 13.

Of particular interest in this year's convention is an address by the Hon. Richard O. Casey, minister from Australia to the United States, who will deliver an address of national importance at 8 p.m. next Monday, unless international complications

ENLISTMENTS OPEN IN U.S. MARINES

Applications for enlistment in the U.S. Marine Corps will be accepted immediately in the U.S. Marine Corps Recruiting station, room 6, Severa building, 106 1/2 Second Avenue, South East, Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

To be eligible for enlistment applicants must be between the ages of 17 and 30 years, be able to furnish at least two references as to good character, and have no criminal or juvenile record whatsoever. Those accepted will be sent to San Diego, California, for training.

should make his trip from Washington impossible.

President Virgil M. Hancher has been invited to be a platform representative from the university at that event.

A national broadcast of the address by Mr. Casey is being arranged.

Panzer Spearhead Breaks Soviet Line

Violent Fighting Continues Near Kiev; Nazis Report New Gains

KIRKE L. SIMPSON

Another German spearhead has stabbed deep into Russian defenses midway between the main Leningrad and Moscow battle fronts; but it is southeast of Kiev that the most ominous threat to Red armies still is discernible.

Berlin advices say the nazis have overrun 43 Russian defensive "bunkers" or field fortifications in that area. Presumably this refers to the fighting in the region of Byelaya Tserkov, 50 miles or so south of Kiev. Nazi strategy in this movement is not clear, since information is lacking as to whether the reported new gains were in the direction of Kiev or southeastward, along the railroads meeting at the important Byelaya Tserkov junctions.

There is a warrant now, however, for the assumption that stubborn Russian defense on the Leningrad, Moscow and Kiev fronts has led to a revision of nazi battle plans. Pressure on all three is being continued; but it seems possible that encirclement

and destruction piecemeal of Russian armies still holding the Dnieper front in the southwestern Ukraine is being attempted.

That appeared possible with the first report of a German advance to Byelaya Tserkov. It looked like a deflection southward from the attempt to reach Kiev itself. If the course of new forward thrusts proved to be still southward down the west side of the Dnieper, there will remain little doubt that the nazi high command has changed its immediate objectives to concentrate on an effort to sweep the southern Ukraine clear of Russian resistance.

It has always seemed possible that a revised German plan of that nature would develop if Red resistance in front of Moscow proved too stubborn. Nazi spokesmen, including persons at Hitler's headquarters, have insisted that destruction of Russian armies, not capture of particular cities or territories, was the purpose of the attack.

It is in the Ukraine, however, that food stocks and the routes to Russian oil fields, both essential to the German war effort, are located. It is behind that southern flank of the long bottle line, also, that the most important Russian industrial centers in the west lie.

Except for the fact that capture of Leningrad might open a route via the Baltic for a sea-borne flank attack on Moscow, there seemed no great strategic objective involved on that front. Leningrad itself was abandoned as Russia's capital because it was too exposed.

There is no evidence that Soviet war industries of any considerable scope are located in the Leningrad area. The fact that nazi bombers have visited it only sporadically as compared to attacks on Moscow proves there are no vital military targets of that nature in or close to Leningrad.

Appoint Superior For St. Patrick's School

Sister Mary Honorius of St. Joseph's academy in Des Moines yesterday was appointed to be superior of St. Patrick's school here, succeeding Sister Mary Frances, it was announced by the Sisters of Charity, B.V.M., at the mother house in Dubuque.

It was also announced that Sis-

ter Mary Josita of the Immaculate high school at Chicago, sister of L. T. Baschnagel, 1314 1/2 E. Church, has been promoted to provincial of the Holy Family province with headquarters in Wichita, Kan.

Judge J. P. Gaffney Admits Two Wills To Probate Here

Judge James P. Gaffney yes-

terday admitted two wills to probate in Johnson county district court and appointed executors for both.

The will of Rose Ramsey, who died July 14 in Iowa City, was admitted to probate with George F. Ramsey appointed executor without bond.

Elizabeth Collins was appointed executrix without bond for the will of D. W. Collins, who died July 8 in Iowa City.

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