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Finland to Withdraw From War With Russia

Ends Relations With Germany

About Seven German Divisions May Quit Country

LONDON, Sunday (AP)—Finland is getting out of the war and the Germans have agreed to withdraw from the country, Premier Hantti Hackzell announced last night.

"We do not know what terms the Soviets will impose, but they have not demanded unconditional surrender," he said in disclosing that Russia already has been asked to grant an armistice.

Later a Helsinki dispatch which passed through the stringent Finnish censorship to Stockholm said "Finland broke completely with Nazi Germany tonight as the first step toward withdrawal from the disastrous war with Russia, amid indications that seven or so German divisions would quit northern Finland immediately."

Speaking on the radio after a meeting of the Finnish parliament, Hackzell declared:

Solution Necessary

"The military and political situation made it necessary for us to try to find a solution. In April the situation was not so bad, but as a result of the Soviet offensive in June our forces had to be withdrawn."

It was in April that Finland rejected Russian peace terms as too stern. President Risto Ryti and his government resigned early in August and Finland's famous old Field Marshal Baron Carl Gustav Mannerheim became president and named Hackzell premier Aug. 8. Ever since then, Finland has been reported seeking some way of escaping from the war.

Speaking directly to his countrymen last night, Hackzell said "The military situation also has become worse for Germany, which now has to use all her available forces for the defense of her homeland."

"Many German forces no longer believe in victory. Therefore, a new phase has begun in German-Finnish relations... it is not possible for Germany to give us sufficient help to stay in the war."

U. S. Informed

He said Finland had approached Russia for an armistice after "the United States was informed and had no objections."

He concluded, "We have shown our desire for peace and taken the first step... today's decision means a sacrifice to an extent which we don't yet know, but no sacrifice is too great for our country. We must stand unanimously behind Marshal Mannerheim and the government."

French Police Execute Six Vichy Youths For Treason

GRENOBLE, France (AP)—Six young Vichy French were executed for treason yesterday after the first purge trial in the liberated area of south France. Thousands of Grenoble citizens stood in a cold, wind-driven rain to watch the executions.

The six members of Joseph Darnand's militia, ranging in age from 17 to 22, were among ten who faced court martials in Grenoble's medieval court of justice only a few hours earlier. Two were sentenced to life, two were given five-year terms.

A frenzy gripped the throng as the condemned were brought from police cars to a vacant lot beside a factory where less than two months ago the Gestapo executed 22 members of the Maquis.

Shouts and shrieks filled the air as each was led to an iron stake in front of a stone wall. Several spectators broke from the police cordon and spat in the faces of the condemned men. Guards fired shots in the air to drive the crowd back.

General Giraud Shot

LONDON (AP)—Gen. Henri Giraud, formerly commander of the fighting French army, was shot through the cheek a few days ago by a drunken Senegalese sentry outside his villa near Oran, Algeria, the News Chronicle reported yesterday. It said the bullet broke a few teeth, but did not seriously injure the general.

Ike's Advisor



ROBERT D. MURPHY, veteran-American diplomatic trouble shooter, has been appointed political advisor to Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower in connection with the military occupation of Germany, the state department has disclosed.

Yank Planes Raid Davao, Palau Islands

Destroy 38 Jap Planes, Lose Two To Nip Ack-Ack

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—American Liberators loosed a 110-ton bombard on Davao in the southern Philippines Friday and destroyed 38 Japanese planes in the process.

It was heaviest American raid on any Philippines target.

So suddenly did the Americans strike that the Japanese were able to mount only nine fighter interceptors. One of these was shot down. The other 37 were caught on the ground.

Two American planes were lost to Japanese ack-ack.

Installations and the excellent air field at Davao were the principal targets of the bombers.

Gen. Douglas MacArthur, in announcing the Davao strike, revealed that an even heavier raid—a 137-ton attack—was staged at the same time on Palau island, which lies along the sea route his forces may use when they invade the Philippines.

Gen. Joseph W. Stilwell's headquarters at Chungking struck Takao harbor in southwestern Formosa Thursday night, destroying and damaging several ships. Kaitak airfield at Hongkong and Tienho and White Cloud airfields at Canton also were bombed.

The Chinese high command announced advances against determined Japanese resistance in the center of Tengchung.

Nazi Officers Flee

ISTANBUL (AP)—Nine German officers and 200 men were reported yesterday to have fled over the Turkish frontier from Greek Thrace after Greek guerrillas seized the area. All were disarmed and interned.

Former Senator George W. Norris, Veteran Of 40 Years in Congress, Dies in Nebraska

MCCOOK, Neb. (AP)—Former Senator George W. Norris, 83, one of the nation's foremost liberals and a veteran of 40 years in congress, died at his home yesterday afternoon.

Norris, "father" of the Tennessee valley authority and author of the "Lame Duck" amendment, had not regained full consciousness since suffering a cerebral hemorrhage at his home Aug. 29. He was partially paralyzed by the hemorrhage.

Besides Mrs. Norris, his three daughters were at his home when he died.

The white-haired lawmaker, known as an insurgent because of his disregard for party lines in fighting for his beliefs, had only recently accepted the honorary chairmanship of the national citizens' political action committee with the declaration "I intend to do as much as I can."

He recently had declared it would be a "tragedy" if President Roosevelt were denied a fourth term.

Fifth Army Explodes Italian Front With New Offensive

Troops Cross Arno, Seize Pisa, Head For Po Valley

ROME (AP)—The American Fifth army lashed out in a new offensive yesterday, burst across the Arno on a wide front, seized Pisa and stormed dominating heights on the east in concert with a new drive by the famed British Eighth army through a 20-mile hole in the Gothic line.

As the whole Italian front flamed into action, the vaunted Gothic line—which Field Marshal Gen. Albert Kesselring had ordered held for three more weeks to hold open a route of escape through the Brenner pass—appeared crumbling on both the east and west.

Flank at Arno Taking advantage of German preoccupation with the smashing offensive of the British, Canadians and Poles at the Adriatic end of the line, the Americans first launched a flanking movement across the Arno.

The special announcement of Pisa's fall said Americans had driven four miles beyond to the Serchio river.

The twin offensives landed in the enemy camp with unexpected violence, but the Germans reacted quickly and hurled fresh troops into the struggle, which threatens to roll them back to the Po river, their last good natural defense line in northern Italy.

Negro Troops Negro troops of the 92nd United States division, making their first appearance in the battle line, stormed up the southeast slopes of Monte Pisano, from whose heights the enemy has lobbed shells into the American lines during the long stalemate on this front.

Lieut. Gen. Sir Oliver Leese was sending the Eighth army ahead with all its old-time skill. The battle began Aug. 26 after the bulk of the Eighth was transferred secretly over the Apennines to the Adriatic coast in a maneuver reminiscent of the one that broke the German lines at El Alamein.

Bob Hope's Son Extends Farewell On Father's Return

HOLLYWOOD (AP)—Comedian Bob Hope, burdened with Jap swords, a chieftain's cane and other souvenirs, returned yesterday from an eight-week, 30,000-mile entertainment tour of southwest Pacific military installations, his fourth wartime overseas trip.

As he alighted with singer Francis Langford, funnyman Jerry Colonna and other members of the troupe from a plane at nearby Burbank, his young son, Tony Hope, rushed forward crying: "Goodbye, Daddy!"

Explained Mrs. Dolores Hope, the comedian's wife: "Tony is so used to seeing Bob go away that he doesn't know how to welcome him home."

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'Pillar of State' Has Fallen—FDR

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Roosevelt said last night that a "pillar of state has fallen" with the death of former Senator George W. Norris of Nebraska.

"A tower of strength has been laid low, and a grand old champion of popular rights has made his journey," the chief executive said in a statement.

At a Glance— Today's Iowan

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Germans report Yanks only 11 miles from border of Reich. Allied spearheads push into Belgium.

Finland announces imminent withdrawal of German troops from her homeland, asks peace terms of Russia.

Fifth army launches new offensive, plunging through Gothic line and heading for Po valley to block retreating Germans.

University of Iowa induction ceremony at 7:45 tomorrow morning.

Moscow Reports Reds Poised on 150-Mile Bulgarian Frontier

Soviets Hurl Nazis Across Danube South of Bucharest

LONDON, Sunday (AP)—The Red army hurled the Germans across the Danube river on a 65-mile front southeast of Bucharest yesterday and reached the Bulgarian frontier on a winding 150-mile front extending inland from the Black sea coast to the big river port of Giurgiu, Moscow announced last night.

In a Balkan disaster surpassing that suffered by the axis at Stalingrad, the Germans and former pro-axis Romanians lost 418,600 men killed or captured between Aug. 20 and Aug. 31, a special Moscow communique announced. Of those captured in that period, 97,100 were Germans.

Gen. Rodion L. Malinovsky's Second Ukrainian army captured 20 towns and villages in clearing the north bank of the Danube between Oltenia and Festei, the communique said.

Farther east, beyond the curving Danube, Gen. Feodor I. Tolbukhin's Third Ukrainian army captured 60 localities, reaching the Bulgarian frontier on the plains of Drobruja between the river and the Black sea.

Bulgaria was in a critical position, trying to ease out of the war with a declaration of "complete neutrality" but told by Moscow that she must declare war on Germany and fight the axis. There were no indications yet that Red army troops had crossed into the country.

Dispatches said the Russians were within 150 miles of the Yugoslav frontier, driving toward a junction with Marshal Tito's Partisan forces and toward the "Iron Gate" pass leading into Hungary and southern Germany.

Both Budapest and Bucharest reports agreed, moreover, that Romanian troops had penetrated into northern Transylvania, beyond the Carpathian mountains.

A Polish statement issued here in behalf of General Bor's guerrillas fighting in Warsaw told of heavy German air and mortar bombardments which it said were killing women and children indiscriminately and destroying large parts of the Polish capital.

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On the Road to Berlin

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
1—Russian front: 322 miles (from Warsaw's eastern suburbs).
2—Northern France: 410 miles (from Sedan).
3—Southern France: 595 miles (from Volron).
4—Italian front: 590 miles (from Pesaro).

Germans Report Yanks Only 11 Miles From Reich



STANDING ON THE BANK OF THE River Seine in Paris which they fought to liberate, three American soldiers view a replica of a favorite girl back home, the statue of Liberty, which stands in the middle of a bridge spanning the river.

War Correspondent Moves Into Belgium

Reports Welcome Given Americans By Natives

By DON WHITEHEAD
SELOIGNES, Belgium (AP)—The American troops crossed the French-Belgium border at 11 a.m. They had captured Maubege, France, five miles from the border. To the west an armored column seized Tournai, about 45 miles from Brussels.

Laughing, cheering and weeping natives decked American tanks, trucks and jeeps with garlands of flowers.

1940 in Reverse As I write this I have before me a copy of the New York Sun of May 28, 1940, with the headline "King of Belgians Surrenders Army" and an Associated Press story datelined Paris which said:

"The Belgian army surrendered today on orders of King Leopold, Third, leaving the armies of Great Britain and France in an ominously weaker position."

The swift push of the American columns has completely disorganized the enemy.

I crossed the border with Harry Harris and Pete Carroll, Associated Press photographers, at noon and our jeep looked like a rolling flower garden after the first few miles.

Natives Celebrate At a crossroads hamlet the doughboys were congregated on a side road with the natives crowded about them laughing and cheering and giving the boys flowers, eggs, cognac and wine.

"This is the greatest welcome I have received since I came across," laughed Corp. Robert Rinehart, Bradford, Penn., with a garland of flowers dangling from his helmet.

The last of the Germans had pulled out just two hours before these Yanks came up the road. Then the Belgians broke out with their hidden flags of black, gold and red along with homemade American emblems and flags of France and Britain.

Driving toward the border we passed long columns of tanks, and trucks rolling through the rich green countryside with no sound of battle ahead. A chill wind swept the fields as a reminder that winter was not far distant.

The road wound through dark wet groups of trees in the forest of Michele and it was like taking a pleasure drive at home in that quiet, untouched woodland. The birds sang in the thick foliage.

German—'Secret Weapon'

LONDON (AP)—The Germans steered two explosive-packed aircraft against England Friday night in their first known blow at this country with a new freak terror weapon controlled by a pickaback pilot plane.

The general opinion was that this was not the highly advertised "vengeance weapon No. 2," but possibly a substitute.

The air and home security ministries, identifying the queer machines as probably "lower components of composite aircraft," said they did little damage and caused no casualties.

The new weapon aroused no fears here, and there even was some faint hope that resort to so unwieldy and costly a device might be a tacit admission by the Germans that their "V-2" had failed as a successor to the robot bombs.

With the robot bomb-launching coast being rapidly overrun by allied armies in France, the robot attack on London ceased for many hours.

None of the bombs fell in Britain Saturday and the last flying bomb reported was a solitary one which fell in a country district of southern England Friday afternoon.

Joan Blondell's Daughter Bitten by Dog

HOLLYWOOD (AP)—Ellen Blondell, 6, daughter of screen actress Joan Blondell, was bitten so severely on the face by a police dog today that 17 stitches were necessary to close the wounds her mother said.

Ellen's father, actor Dick Powell, from whom Miss Blondell was divorced in July, was enroute here from Balboa, Calif.

Probability of Germany's Piecemeal Collapse Poses Problem for FDR, Churchill

WASHINGTON (AP)—Allied leaders now consider it probable that Germany will fall apart piecemeal, army by army, rather than stop fighting in a single surrender, it was learned yesterday.

Armistice terms have been fully agreed on by Russia, the United States and Britain and are ready for use in either case. Starting with unconditional surrender, they provide in effect that the defeated Reich must become a prisoner nation for an indefinite period of strict military occupation.

The fate of the country after that period—there has been consideration of placing it on trial for several years—its relation to the rest of Europe and its place in an organized world may provide one of the principal topics for President Roosevelt and Prime Minister

Bulgaria Resumes Armistice Efforts

Framework for Peace Of Southeast Europe Takes Shape

LONDON (AP)—Amid indications that the German armies have begun a mass flight out of the Balkans, Bulgaria yesterday gave up her brief dreams of edging out of the war through a "neutrality" back door and resumed her efforts to make a definite peace with Britain and the United States.

American heavy bombers from Italy were busy pounding rail communications in Yugoslavia while fighters strafed Nazi transport that jammed the highways and railroads between Belgrade and Nis.

The Mediterranean air forces said that the routes attacked were handling enemy troops and supplies moving from Romania, Bulgaria and Greece through Yugoslavia, and that the Germans sent up some fighters to try to protect the lines of retreat.

Peace delegates from Romania, which quit Hitler ten days ago and then declared war on Germany, waited in Moscow to sign formal armistice terms with Russia.

The delegation was headed by Lucretiu Patescanu, communist who is minister of state in the new Romanian government.

Formal capitulation of Bulgaria, which tried vainly to dive into a "neutrality" foxhole when the Romanian bombshell burst, was held up temporarily by fall of the Bagrianov government Friday, leaving its peace delegation in Cairo without authority.

The German DNB agency, however, reported today formation of a new government under Constantine Muraviev, saying that he and his new foreign minister, Petko Stainov, were both known leftists.

Rumors continued to circulate that Hungary was asking the allies for an armistice. These were without confirmation, but Moscow reported that popular unrest was increasing.

Churchill in their imminent conference. The problem is complicated by the fact that if Germany is defeated piecemeal it will end up in a state of political chaos out of which the allies will have to build a new structure of government virtually from the ground up.

Some authorities here would not be surprised to see the collapse of Germany within its own borders get fully underway while the president and the prime minister are in session, at a place and time yet to be disclosed.

But in the absence of Premier Stalin arrangements for European affairs can only be tentatively laid out.

Final decisions are expected, however, on the place of British forces in the closing stages of war against Japan.

Allies Press Into Belgium

Capture Seven-Way Transportation Hub At Tournai

SUPREME HEADQUARTERS, AEF, Sunday (AP)—Two American columns rolled swiftly into Belgium yesterday, capturing the seven-way road hub of Tournai within 46 miles of the capital at Brussels, and other United States armored forces to the southeast rolled almost to the German frontier in a weekend of sensational gains virtually ending the battle of France.

As the Germans fled Brussels, the war thundered near to the Reich and already the din of battle may be echoing in the Saar, for the Germans said strong American forces had knifed through Nazi-annexed Lorraine to within 11 miles of the border.

(Radio Atlantic, a clandestine German-language station whose location has never been disclosed, said American tanks had crossed the Reich border at two places and the German civilian population was in mass flight along jammed highways as in the days when France fell.)

Abandon Robots Pilots raked the enemy line of retreat reported that the 15th German army was abandoning the robot bomb row along the channel coast all the way to Pas-de-Calais and beyond as British patrols popped up in the village of Pernes, 38 miles south of Dunkerque.

Dispatches from Lieut. Gen. George S. Patton's Third army driving on the Siegfried line to the east of Verdun said American patrols were up to the Moselle river and a bag of 1,200 prisoners indicated resistance was rising.

It was considered possible that American patrols already had speared into Luxembourg, and there was no news from Sedan, where it was believed advanced elements had crossed into Belgium on the road to Prussia.

Seventh Army In southern France hard-driving American Seventh army troops drove on Lyon last night after capturing the Rhone valley town of Vienne, 14 miles to the south.

Earlier Lieut. Gen. Alexander M. Patch's Americans had thrust quickly through the village of Beaupreire, 30 miles south of Lyon.

The official announcement of the latest gains declared "Action has been linked largely to enemy defense of road blocks and patrol clashes."

Nowhere in southern France was any German unit still attempting a determined stand, and even the rearwards were losing heart as the threat of being cut off from escape to the Reich grew steadily with the advance of other American forces towards the German and Swiss frontiers.

House, Senate Come to Agreement On Surplus Bill

WASHINGTON (AP)—One legislative jam over legislation to cushion the nation's economic structure against the impact of a sudden German surrender broke yesterday when senate and house conferees compromised their biggest difference over a bill to govern disposal of upwards of \$100,000,000 of the war's leftover goods.

They wrote into the bill a provision setting up a four-member policy making board, but authorizing presidential appointment of a surplus property administrator with authority over actual sales.

The agreement reconciled differences between senate-approved legislation setting up an eight-member board with authority to appoint its own director and to supervise disposal, and house insistence upon one-man control.

While many other points of conflict remain to be settled, both Senator Thomas (D, Utah), speaking for the senate group, and Chairman Manasco (D, Ala.) of the house conferees, meeting for the fourth eight-hour day, expressed optimism over prospects for ironing them out next week.

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Interpreting the War News—

By KIRKE L. SIMPSON

Hitler's dream of world conquest was fast shriveling into a hopeless fight to hold the Reich itself, this first weekend of a fateful September in Europe.

Utter chaos marked the German rout in France. There were credible intimations of Nazi retreat also from Italy, the Balkan peninsula, Denmark and Norway which could mean that everywhere but in the east, from the Carpathians to East Prussia, German and Austrian armies were being called back to defend their own home frontiers.

And by every sign the retreat order again had come too late as it did at Stalingrad, in Africa, in Sicily and in northern Russia and the lost Baltic states. The inner walls of Nazidom's citadel, all that is left of the boasted fortress Europe, were quaking if not already breached in the west and rumbling with symptoms of impending internal explosions as well as actual revolt in Slovakia.

The portents for Germany everywhere were so sinister that Nazi radio spokesmen hardly sought to conceal them from home front hearers. They pointed in only one direction, due east, to claim a negative victory. Between East Prussia and the Carpathians, they said, the vast Russian steam roller had been stemmed.

Whether that was true or not events in Poland seemed apt to disclose within the next week. The mere fact that the claim was made by the Nazis at the very moment that allied forces in France were rolling practically unopposed into Belgium and to the gates of Germany itself is significant. It might furnish a clue to the desperate expedients to which German leadership, with or without Hitler approval, is preparing to resort to evade paying the full price for the nation's war crimes.

It will be recalled that in the wake of the army effort to eliminate Hitler and his own top-flight military advisers, the new Nazi regime he set up scrapped the German home-front manpower barrel to reinforce the eastern front against the Russians. It was done in the face of a warning by General Dittmar, spokesman of the German military high command,

Battle of Germany—

By JAMES M. LONG

SUPREME HEADQUARTERS, AEF (AP)—In these last hours of the fight for France an allied avalanche that has thundered 400 miles from Brest to Belgium in a month is deploying for the battle of Germany, the imminent and final phase of the war in Europe.

From British tommies and American doughboys up to the highest generals in command there is a quiet-spoken confidence that neither Germany's vaunted border defenses nor the hurried German army can stop this next great blow.

Staff officers for weeks in the early stages of the invasion insisted over and over again that the German army of the west could be defeated in Normandy. It was—in one of the few fully decisive victories in the history of warfare.

Within ten days the allies stood poised on the Belgian border and in the Argonne within 50 miles of the German frontier.

In a flight which equalled or surpassed the withdrawal after the defeat at Stalingrad, it was obvious that the German army could not muster another really organized stand on the soil of France.

But the full import of the defeat of the German armies in France went even beyond that. From General Eisenhower himself came the significant comment that no defense line was better than the troops who defended it—a statement to which he added that the German army could never recover from its wounds of the past three months.

General Eisenhower professed that he could not even remember the name of that German line—"or whatever they call it." In those words he dismissed the Nazis' vaunted Siegfried fort chain.

How the Maginot line, really the mightier defense system of the two, would figure in the next phase of the fight was not immediately clear for two reasons.

First, the Americans at Sedan already were skirting its northern flank into the Adrenie invasion route through Belgium and Luxembourg.

Second, even if the Maginot line is smashed in a head-on assault

Need for WPB Lessening

Washington Girls Go to Alaska For Diamonds

By HELEN ESSARY

WASHINGTON — When the commotion over the letter "Dear Charlie—I hate to see you go," which the president wrote to Vice Chairman Wilson of the War Production Board, shall have died down over the air and in printer's ink, and the echo of WPB Donald Nelson's "Don't hurry home trip" to China shall have faded over the North American continent, somebody will spring up and say: "Why don't you know the answer to all this rumpus? The War Production Board has finished its job. It isn't needed any more. Not really. War plants in every part of the country are slowing up. It's time for both Donald and Charlie to lay down their shovel and their hoe. Like 'Old Uncle Ned,' there 'ain't no mow work' for them to do. They better go where the good dollar a year men go—back to the outfits they came from."

Actually, conversion has been under way a long time, so the experts tell me. You may not have seen it with the naked eye. But behind the scenes industry has been oiling up its machinery for post-war production. There's no point in concealing the fact any longer.

Heard a funny story which is typical of Washington. A certain hostess phoned some prospective dinner guests on that 102-degree-in-the-shade day, before the hot wave broke, and said to each telephone: "I hate to ask you—but we're having an ambassador and his wife with us. Do you mind wearing a long skirted dress and digging out your husband's black tie and things? We've got to be formal for the sake of protocol." After much digging out accompanied by excusable profanity, the guests male and female did dig out the formal paraphernalia. And put same on over running perspiration.

Since the dinner was to be something of an occasion, the guests, including several senators and such important people, arrived quite promptly. The host was done up in a damp tuxedo and the hostess was in flowing satin down to her hip toes. At last the ambassador and his wife arrived. And what were they wearing? One guest for you—

The ambassador was in a business suit not too recently pressed. And madame the ambassador—she had on a little short sport number of figure diction. As I said at the beginning: "Sic semper Washington!"

Some Washington maidens are galloping off to Alaska to find likely husbands. Horace Greeley said, "Young man, go west." In tuition, or is it instinct when speaking to many modern unmarried women, advises the neighborhood of the Bering sea as the most likely hunting ground.

Diamonds seem to grow as large as baby seals up in those Arctic regions. Anyhow, I've seen several engagement stones captured in northern latitudes which at first glance I thought were hunks of native ice.

Life for a woman war correspondent in London is not too, too divine. Exciting? Yes. But here's a confidential excerpt from May Craig's recent notes.

She was last year's president of the Women's National Press club. When she is home in Washington working for her New England papers and asking sharp questions at Mr. Roosevelt's press conferences, she is called "The President's Loyal Opposition."

"You'd never bear up under this robot-escaping life. We go out of London to get away from the flying bombs and sleep on the greatest variety of beds, cots, canvas hammocks and what have you. Maybe alone. Maybe with Red Cross workers, WACS, nurses. We sleep anyplace!

"You lug your own stuff and shiver of mornings while you wash. Thank heaven there is always hot water. The American hot water that is the astonishment of the British!

"One of my worst troubles is people who snore. I'm a light sleeper—or used to be. I'm getting so tired I can sleep anywhere. Wouldn't mind a lion in the next cot. Have been seeing old Washington friends but briefly. People just pass like ships in the night. You never know where they go. They just disappear."



News Behind the News

By PAUL MALLON

WASHINGTON — War department, American Legion, and others, seeing how our nation was recently near destruction because of its military deficiencies, are pushing compulsory military training.

Bills have been introduced in congress to require each American youth, like the Europeans for many generations past, to serve a year or so in the army.

The women leaders, who have always killed such proposals, are promoting a new substitute this time. I heard a woman organization leader advocate it on the radio. Mrs. Roosevelt, I believe, has spoken and written in favor of it, as have some other feminine public counselors.

They want to train the youth in a non-military way under federal auspices with the money of the state, to make them "good democratic citizens." I do not believe these women have lent much thought to their proposal which springs from their natural love of peace and revulsion against things military.

We need a military force—so we train one in "citizenship." Can they really believe the nation could have been saved against the Nazis if the youth had just been "good democratic citizens" and "not good soldiers? What could good citizenship have done at Pearl Harbor?

Any soldier will tell his mother that the best trained soldier has the best expectancy of life. It is the poorly trained citizen soldier who is least able to protect himself in a fight.

Everyone seems agreed we need military training of a larger section of our youth than formerly. We need it for love of our country and its ideals, and the protection of both in this world, such as it is, we need it more than ever because protection rests upon mastery of mechanical devices such as planes and tanks.

The proposal of the ladies would defeat the purpose of what we agree we need. It is much worse than that, because it proposes to have the federal government take over the minds and bodies of the youth in their formative period, not for defense of the country which is their common obligation to the state, but for political education.

Is this not Democratic Hitlerism? What is the real difference in method, between drafting youth for camp education in citizenship, and the Hitler and Mussolini youth movements and youth camps?

The war department, Legion, et al, have a similar weakness in their proposal. They want the sleeper—or used to be. I'm getting so tired I can sleep anywhere. Wouldn't mind a lion in the next cot. Have been seeing old Washington friends but briefly. People just pass like ships in the night. You never know where they go. They just disappear."

Looking Ahead in Washington--

WASHINGTON (A P) — Although it gets prompt official denial, the suggestion that War Production Chief Donald Nelson may try to help China and Russia iron out mutual suspicions is strengthening by Nelson's appearance at Moscow en route to Chungking.

A beginning is believed to have been made by Vice-President Wallace on his recent trip to China and Russian Siberia. American concern is based on a conviction that there can be no peace in the Pacific—or possibly in the world—unless these two largest countries, who share the world's longest frontier, can live in friendship.

Nelson might be able to help smooth the way between Chungking and Moscow. He made a good impression on the Russians last year and his advice to the Chinese as a war production expert is being warmly welcomed.

Actually the Chinese already have made a substantial beginning toward friendship. They have just replaced anti-Soviet Governor Shengshih-Tsai of Sinkiang province with a stalwart Kuomintang party official, Wu Chung-Hsin, an expert on frontier affairs.

Sino-Soviet differences date chiefly from 1927, when Chiang Kai-Chek, who rode to power on Soviet aid, formed a government oriented against communism.

Inspection tour—members of the senate's war investigating committee are doing little talking about an extensive trip they plan to start the middle of this month. The trip's purpose is to check up on how army and navy depots are handling surplus military goods. The committee is eager to determine whether depot officers have any standard procedure for determining when blankets (for example) may be considered surplus, and whether adequate instructions have been sent out for their transfer to other services or for disposal.

Rationing job—appointment of one of OPA's top field administrators as chief of rationing indicates that OPA head man Bowles feels there still is a big job to be done. He has brought in Max McCullough, veteran boss of the OPA regional office at Dallas.

Bowles' associates say this is the tip-off that, while some commodities will be removed from the list soon after Germany's defeat, there will be rationing beyond that time.

X-day precautions—some war manufacturers, particularly in aircraft, want to shut down their plants for at least 24 hours after surrender of Germany is announced.

One reason is that absenteeism would be too great for normal operations. Another is that impromptu celebrations might damage machinery needed to continue production for the war in the Pacific.

Yank Humor Finds Odd Backgrounds

Army Men In Battle Zones Find Laughs

By ROGER GREENE (Substituting for Kenneth L. Dixon)

FRANCE (AP)—A American humor often sparkles against a strange background—like a star shell above the grim panorama of war.

I never shall forget Pvt. Bill Rosenberg of (92 Second Avenue) Des Moines, Iowa, as I saw him this afternoon in a battle-gutted French town.

Bill was bored stiff. With a bunch of other GI's, he was sprawled in the back of a big, open United States army truck which was jammed in the middle of a miles-long convoy that moved about 20 feet, stood 20 minutes, then moved again.

Bill and his outfit had been down the line all afternoon burying Germans. He slapped flies, yawned and, intermittently, dozed. Suddenly, I saw him jerk awake and inspiration seized him.

"Hey, soldier!" he roared. "Down the road!"

Disconcertedly, on the stone doorstep of a cottage which had been crazily tipped and shattered by bombs, stood another GI. For this area, the cottage was in fair shape—with its vacant-eyed window looking out from a part of the wall which still stood. Compared with the rest of the town, upon which some 2,000 allied bombers had dropped about 8,000 tons of bombs, it was practically a modern home.

So, there was Bill Rosenberg, calling in a bassoon bellow to the other soldier on the doorstep:

"Hey, why'n'tcha try a loan on it!"

"Nuts!" came the retort.

"Oh, wait a minute, chum," exclaimed Bill. "Don't give up like that. If you can show you're connected with war work in some way, they might even give you a priority on it!"

Hours later, we jumped back through the town's ruins, where the reek of death still was strong. The long line of transport moved slowly as night approached. At night, the Germans venture forth. Nobody said much because you keep quiet when you're caught in a slow, creeping convoy of ammunition trucks in a ghost town at night with black clouds rolling overhead to hide enemy bombers.

In that hushed atmosphere, I heard some GI's talking to a pretty blonde USO entertainer, Norma Browne of Chicago. They spoke softly, kidding a bit and whistling a little.

Strikes May Cripple Bituminous Mines

PITTSBURGH (AP)—The possibility of a crippling strike faced the bituminous coal industry last night with 16 mines already idle, walkouts threatened at 14 others and strike polls by supervisory employes on schedule for next week at 47 pits in Pennsylvania, West Virginia and Kentucky.

Only government control of the mining properties appeared likely to head off further work stoppages.

The supervisors—firemen, fire bosses, weight bosses and others—seek recognition of their newly-organized union, the united clerical, technical and supervisory union of the mining industry, district 50, united mine workers.

Although only a few supervisory employes are involved, their refusal to work has already closed 16 Pennsylvania mines since, without safety inspections for which they are responsible, production miners do not enter the pits.

questions wish to compromise with ways they should despise.

Let them turn their thoughts toward bulwarking the methods of this republic, toward making its methods efficient, and away from sly compulsions to do the very things Hitler did, and thus profaning the name of democracy.

OFFICIAL DAILY BULLETIN

Items in the UNIVERSITY CALENDAR are scheduled in the President's Office, Old Capitol. 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 4:30 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.

UNIVERSITY CALENDAR

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Sunday, Sept. 3
3 p. m. Student orientation program for freshmen, Macbride auditorium.
3 p. m. Student orientation program for transfer students, 221A Schaeffer hall.
8 p. m. Inter-faith university vesper service, Macbride auditorium.

Monday, Sept. 4
7:45 a. m. Induction ceremony, west approach, Old Capitol.
8 a. m. Classes begin.

Tuesday, Sept. 5
7:45 p. m. Meeting of Iowa Dames, room 110 Schaeffer hall.

Tuesday, Sept. 12
4 p. m. Orientation meeting, Macbride auditorium.

(For information regarding dates beyond this schedule, see reservations in the office of the President, Old Capitol.)

GENERAL NOTICES

FINKBINE GOLF COURSE
Due to cooperation of the Iowa Navy Pre-Flight school executives, all of the first nine holes of Finkbine golf course will be available for play Saturdays and Sundays. Players are requested not to use holes 4, 5, 6 and 7 any other day of the week.

C. KENNETH GOLF INSTRUCTOR

IOWA UNION MUSIC ROOM SCHEDULE
Monday—11-2 and 4-6.
Tuesday 11-2 and 4-6.
Wednesday 11-2 and 4-6.
Thursday 11-2 and 4-6.
Friday 11-2 and 4-6.
Saturday 11-3.
Sunday 12-7.

HIGHLANDER'S REHEARSAL SCHEDULE
Sept. 5, 4 p. m.: All pipe members will report to draw uniforms and equipment. Room 15, armory.
Sept. 6, 4 p. m.: All drummer members will report to draw uniforms and equipment. Room 15, armory.
Sept. 7, 7 p. m.: Tryouts for all who seek membership in the Highlanders. Room 15, armory.
Schedule of rehearsals for pipers from Sept. 13 to 29, inclusive—Wednesdays and Fridays at 4 p. m., armory.
Schedule of rehearsals for drummers from Sept. 12 to 29, inclusive—Tuesdays and Fridays at 4 p. m., armory.
Schedule of rehearsals for accepted tryouts from Sept. 11 to 29, inclusive—Pipers, Mondays and Fridays at 4 p. m., armory.
Drummers, Thursdays and Fridays at 4 p. m., armory.
Schedule of rehearsals for all from Oct. 3 to Nov. 24, inclusive—Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays at 4 p. m., armory.

W. L. ADAMSON Pipe Major

TERM II GRADES
Final grades for term II of the 1944 summer session are now available in the office of the registrar to students in the colleges of liberal arts, commerce, education and the graduate college. Students should bring their identification cards.

Grades for professional college students are distributed from the offices of the deans of the colleges.

HARRY G. BARNES Registrar

DAILY IOWAN ADVERTISING

Persons interested in positions on advertising staff of The Daily Iowan may apply now. Application and interviews are to be made in person to advertising manager in basement of East hall.

MARILYN CARPENTER Advertising Manager

UNIVERSITY VESPERS
The first university vespers of the year will be held tonight at 8 o'clock in Macbride auditorium. It will be an inter-faith service in which Jews, Catholics and Protestants will participate. President Hancher will preside. Prof. Herald Stark of the music department will be soloist and song leader. Prof. M. Willard Lampe, director of the school of religion, will deliver the address. No tickets are required for admission.

University Board of Vespers

UNIVERSITY BAND
Students who have played in high school or college bands are urged to make immediate application for membership in the university band. A public appearance is scheduled for Monday morning. Pass players are urgently needed.

C. B. RIGTER Director

HAWKEYE STAFF

All persons interested in positions and work on the Hawkeye yearbook's editorial or business staffs are asked to attend a meeting tomorrow, Sept. 4, at 4 o'clock in Room 1102, East hall.

MARILYN CARPENTER Business Manager

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF UNIVERSITY WOMEN

At a noon luncheon Sept. 23, the American Association of University Women will begin its year's work. The local chapter urges all new graduate women and residents of Iowa who are eligible for membership to affiliate. If anyone wishes to join this chapter or desires to check her eligibility for membership she may call Mrs. Homer Dill, the membership chairman, phone 5187, Mrs. Fred Fehling, 3208, or Prof. Luella M. Wright, extension 641 or 5154.

PROF. LUELLA M. WRIGHT Publicity Chairman

Republicans Open Campaign Skirmishes By Governors' Talks

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Republicans fired the second big gun of their election drive Friday night in broadcasts by three more party governors as political skirmishes broke out all over the nation with the start of the next-to-last full month of campaigning.

The broadcasts, by Governors Edward Martin of Pennsylvania from Harrisburg, Andrew F. Schoepel of Kansas from Kansas City, and Edward J. Thye of Minnesota from Minneapolis, were arranged for 10:30 p. m. eastern war time on the NBC chain.

Meanwhile the first such shot from Republican artillery, last Tuesday night, got a working-over in the house where Rep. Priest (D-Tenn) said it demonstrated that "The Republican governors are nothing but the Charley McCarthys of the hidden smear artists employed by the Republican national committee."

Priest referred to the withdrawal of advance texts put out by the national committee on addresses by Governors Earl Warren of California, Dwight H. Green of Illinois, and Raymond E. Baldwin of Connecticut. Warren said he made changes in "a suggested speech" and Green said he wrote his own after receiving subject matter suggestions from Republican national headquarters.

The new discussion of Republican radio speeches arose from a denial by Rep. Dirksen (R-Ill.) that he had charged in a speech at Old Orchard, Me., that President Roosevelt's campaign is being conducted "under false pretenses."

He said he reworded the speech, as issued by the national committee, to relate the circumstances of Mr. Roosevelt's journey to the Pacific, and to say that no man

Senator Chandler Replies to Denials Of Phillips' Recall

WASHINGTON (AP)—Senator Chandler (D-Ky.), replying to denials that any request had been made for the recall of Ambassador William Phillips from India, made public yesterday what he described as an official British telegram from New Delhi to London, saying Phillips was unwelcome in India.

The senator also gave reporters what he said was a copy of a letter from Phillips to President Roosevelt, asserting that the United States has a military stake in what happens in India and declaring "It is high time they (the British) should make an effort to improve conditions and reestablish confidence among the Indian people that their future independence is to be granted."

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Freshman Women Move Into SUI Fraternity Houses

135 Utilize New Dorms

Move Helps Solve 1944 Fall Housing Problems

A university alumnus stood back yesterday and looked at the Beta Theta Pi house shaking his head. "I never thought I'd see this!" He pointed to a pair of silk hose dangling from a coat hanger in a third floor window. He was moving his daughter into a fraternity house.

She is one of 135 girls which the university is housing in three fraternity houses on N. Dubuque street this year to meet the housing problem caused by increased enrollment at Iowa.

Crowded Houses
Even the three new houses are crowded, but as Lois Weng, freshman from Daggett, Mich., remarked, "I'm so glad to have a place with other students, I don't know what to do. I applied for a room so late, I was sure I'd have to wait 'til second semester to enroll." Lois has moved into the Phi Delta Theta house. She has a study and dressing room with two other girls, and sleeps in a long dormitory made up of double decker beds, with lots of windows overlooking the river.

Clean Parlor
Where many a pledge has worked all day Saturday, at the Sigma Nu house, the girls were cleaning the front parlors. "They told us someone would be here to do it Monday, but we're all moved in, and we want it nice for tomorrow," said a sophomore transfer.

Two freshmen were carrying a small dresser up from the basement. "I guess the former occupants didn't need as much space for clothes as we do," she commented. "There are only two closets for three of us."

Home Life
One of the girls moving into the Beta house found an old program in one of the drawers for the "Beta Bowery Brawl." "They had nothing on us," she quipped, glancing around at her comrades, in blue jeans and barefeet, with their hair up in pin curls.

The one disadvantage seems to be that no board is offered, but Lucille Smith, freshman from Blairsburg, said that compared to her recent experiences as a secretary in Washington, D. C., where "we waited sometimes over an hour just to get in a restaurant, this is simple."

So, in true Iowa spirit, these new students are accepting the "emergency dormitories," and though the fraternity men grimace to think of the dainty curtains, spreads and rugs in their masculine rooms, even they admit that the houses will be kept in good condition until they can come back and once again assume their rightful places on the Iowa campus.

University Club To Open Activities With Tea Thursday

Activities of the University club will open Thursday with a tea in the University club rooms from 3:30 to 5:30 p. m. Chairman for the September activities is Mrs. H. A. Greene and chairman of the tea is Mrs. A. C. Trowbridge.

Serving on the committee are Mrs. Jacob Cornog, Mrs. Kirk H. Porter, Mrs. O. E. Schlanbusch.

The receiving line for the affair will include Mrs. Franklin Kowner, president; Mrs. W. J. Peterson, vice-president; Mrs. I. J. Barron, secretary; Mrs. Eric Wilson, treasurer; Mrs. Jacob Cornog, historian, and Mrs. Virgil M. Hancher.

Parlor hostesses will be Mrs. A. W. Bryan, Mrs. F. M. Dawson, Mrs. George Glockler, Mrs. George Kay, Mrs. R. A. Kuever, Mrs. Mason Ladd, Mrs. Louise Lawyer, Mrs. E. M. MacEwen, Mrs. Harry K. Newburn, Mrs. E. T. Peterson, Mrs. C. A. Phillips, Mrs. Carl Seashore, Mrs. Edward Weber and Mrs. Iver Opstad.

Presiding at the tea table will be Ada Hutchinson, Mrs. F. C. Ensign and Mrs. E. A. Gilmore. Garden flowers will serve as decorations for the table.

Navy wives, new faculty wives and graduates of the university are especially invited to attend, even though they have not been contacted by the committee.

The tea will be preceded by a surgical dressing meeting from 9 a. m. to 12 M. and from 1 to 3:30 p. m.

Tokyo Broadcast
NEW YORK (AP)—A Tokyo English-language broadcast monitored by the federal communications commission said yesterday that "Americans are using many women pilots in the Pacific battles." The theme of the propaganda offering was that "America is getting short of pilots."

'I THINK WE'RE LUCKY'



LUCILLE SMITH, A2 of Blairsburg, living on third floor of the Phi Delta Theta house, compares this with living conditions in Washington, D. C., and hastily assures all freshmen that, "we're lucky."

'AND THERE WAS LIGHT'



SCREWING LIGHTBULBS in the Beta house chandelier are Grace Bigen, A1 of Sioux City; Betty and Jeanette Slothower, sisters from Wichita, Kan.; and Jean Jorstad, A3 of Sioux City.

'OH, BUT FOR A MAGIC WAND'



MARILYN GOULD, A1 of Conrad, and Mildred Fischer, A1 of Wellsburg, wish a former Sigma Nu member would magically appear to help carry the dresser they found in the basement up to their second floor room.

TO MAKE IT MORE LIKE HOME



RUTH QUINLAN, A2 of La Grange, Ill., relaxes in an easy chair as Alice Dehn, A2 of Burlington, puts up a picture and Ann Clark, A1 of Hamilton, Mo., chooses a dress. The girls live on second floor of the Sigma Nu house.

HOW LONG WILL IT BE?



GRACE BIGEN and Jean Jorstad wonder how long it will be before the war is over and the Beta pledges are once again taking care of the record player.

REPRESENTING THREE STATES



TAKING TIME OUT are Shirley Grosz, A1 of Ft. Dodge; Lavonne Gaffney, A1 of Mason City; Mary Meixner, G of Milwaukee, and Lorraine Carrington, A1 of Carbondale, Ill. Miss Meixner is the adviser for the group living in the Beta Theta Pi house.

SUI Induction Ceremony Tomorrow

All Students Meet On West Approach To Old Capitol

Classes convene at the University of Iowa tomorrow morning for the 89th consecutive fall semester. At 7:45 a. m. all Iowa students and faculty members will gather on the west approach to Old Capitol for the traditional and impressive induction ceremony of the university. Entering with the board of deans and directors in academic robes, President Virgil M. Hancher will administer the oath of fealty. The University band will play, and classes will meet immediately after the ceremony.

Registration of upperclassmen was completed here yesterday. Freshmen registered Thursday, took part in freshman week activities and took qualifying examinations Friday and Saturday. The university set a new record in early opening this year, in keeping with the accelerated schedule adopted since Pearl Harbor. This is the last year the accelerated schedule will be in operation at SUI.

Allied Airforces Break All Records

Heavy Bombers Drop 155,775 Tons of Destruction

LONDON (AP)—British-based allied heavy bombers broke all records in August, dropping 155,775 tons of destruction on the German army, the Reich and occupied countries, supreme headquarters announced last night, disclosing also that the sweep through northern France had put 65 German air fields in allied hands.

The recaptulation came as British planes took advantage of the bright moonlight night and pounced on an almost continuous stream of German vessels leaving French channel ports. The rough sea retarded the ships and made them easy targets for allied airmen.

"The Germans used everything from E-boats and R-boats to larger sized trawlers and merchant vessels converted into flank ships," the announcement said.

Four British aircraft were missing from the operation.

The biggest previous month for bomb tonnage was last July when the United States strategic airforces hurled down 73,000 tons and the RAF dumped more than 64,000 tons for a total of 137,400.

The unprecedented August figure did not embrace the tonnage of other allied air outfits including the British Second and United States Ninth tactical commands.

The captured fields include the great bases in the Paris region as well as Juvinicourt, St. Dizier and Montdidier in the Laon-Amiens-Reims area which has just fallen to the allies. In addition, more than 25 German fields in the Marseille-Toulon area in southern France have either fallen to the allies or been made untenable to the Germans.

The recaptulation came as bad weather limited the day's air activities.

The report did not say how many of the captured German fields were now in allied use. It gave this recaptulation of the work of fighter planes alone during August:

Two thousand, two hundred twenty-five locomotives hit; 14,750 railroad cars damaged or destroyed; 1,770 trucks and other vehicles destroyed, 1,280 damaged; 767 oil cars damaged or destroyed; 82 tanks knocked out; 94 ammunition carriers hit; 270 canal barges strafed; 58 bridges attacked.

The strategic airforces definitely destroyed 572 German planes in the air and 319 on the ground during the month, plus "several hundred more in attacks on nearly 100 air fields," the report said.

Cheese Ceilings

WASHINGTON (AP)—The office of price administration yesterday fixed dollars-and-cents price ceilings for packaged portions of blue and gorgonzola cheese, effective Sept. 7.

Highest retail prices in most parts of the country will be four cents for 3/4-ounce portions, six cents for 1 1/4-ounce portions, and 15 cents for 3-ounce portions.

Tantalum, a rare metal, melts at 5,162 degrees Fahrenheit, more than 2,300 degrees above the melting point of iron. It is three times as heavy as iron, as hard as cold-rolled steel, but can be worked easily.

Rubber Director Assures Enough Essential Tires

WASHINGTON (AP)—In his final statement as rubber director, Col. Bradley Dewey predicted yesterday that enough tires, including heavy-duty castings, will be available in the fourth quarter of the year to meet essential demands, provided only that increasing man-power is made available. Dewey has liquidated his office and turned its functions back to the war production board.

Dewey said indications are for improvement in passenger car tire production so that the demands of all B and C car drivers can be satisfied during the fall and winter.

Liquor Law Reports

DES MOINES (AP)—Convictions under the Iowa liquor law for driving while intoxicated numbered less than two a day during the fiscal year ended June 30, liquor commission figures showed yesterday.

The 649 convictions for the 1943-44 year made the lowest total since the state liquor store system was set up in 1934. The low figure was attributed to reduced traffic on the highways, liquor rationing and shortage of law enforcement personnel.

In the 1942-43 fiscal year, 759 drivers were convicted for operating a motor vehicle while intoxicated and in the previous year the total was 1,431.

University of Omaha To Hold Audio-Visual Aids Institute

OMAHA (AP)—The University of Omaha will sponsor a 3-day institute Oct. 12-14 on audio-visual aids to teaching for teachers and community leaders from Iowa and Nebraska.

Lecturers from the University of Wisconsin, Northwestern and Columbia universities and speakers representing the navy, private business and war industries will participate.

Two-thirds of the mushrooms produced in this country are grown in West Chester and Kinnett Square, Pa.

British Issue Casualty Reports

LONDON (AP)—Five years of war have cost the British empire at least 1,091,628 casualties in dead, missing, wounded, prisoners of war and internees, it was announced yesterday.

The figure includes 925,963 casualties in the armed forces, 33,573 in the merchant marine and 132,092 civilian air raid victims. The total will increase when lists of additional casualties for merchant seamen and civilians up to July 31 are completed.

The death and injury toll from August buzz bombings also is not included.

Iowa Bankers To Hold 58th Annual Convention

DES MOINES (AP)—The Iowa Bankers association will hold its 58th annual state convention in Des Moines today and tomorrow with more than 1,100 persons expected to attend.

The two-day meeting will feature speeches by four men who have served in public offices. Stephen M. Foster, economic adviser to the New York Life Insurance company, New York, will address the conference today with a speech entitled "The Future of Interest Rates—What Are They to Be?"

Other speakers include Sena-

tor Owen Brewster (R., Me.); Monsier Camille Chautemps, who has served four times as premier of France; and Rear Admiral W. B. Young, paymaster general of the navy from Washington.

Bankers and their employees from every section of the state will attend the general convention plus a "shop-talk" meeting and two meetings of younger organizations within the Iowa Bankers association.

It will be the seventh annual meeting of both the "Iowa Association of Bank Auditors and Comptrollers" and "Iowa Junior Bankers association."

The average price of an army pack or riding mule is \$209.32

Brownies Drop Third Game To Detroit Rivals; Lose 6 to 3

Maintain Slim League Lead Over Tigers

ST. LOUIS (AP)—The St. Louis Browns dropped their third straight game to the Detroit Tigers last night, 6-3, leaving them with a one-game lead over the Tigers and the Yankees who are tied for second.

Detroit	
AB	R H E
Cramer, cf	4 3 2 0
Mayo, 2b	5 0 1 0
Higgins, 3b	4 0 1 0
York, 1b	5 0 0 0
Wakefield, lf	5 0 1 0
Outlaw, rf	1 1 0 0
Swift, c	4 0 1 0
Hoover, ss	4 1 1 0
Gentry, p	2 0 1 0
Henshaw, p	0 0 0 0
Gorsica, p	0 0 0 0
Hostetter, p	0 1 0 0
Beck, p	0 0 0 0
Overmire, p	0 0 0 0
Totals	36 4 8 0

St. Louis	
AB	R H E
Gutteridge, 2b	3 0 0 0
Kreevich, cf	5 0 0 0
Zarilla, lf	4 1 3 0
Stephens, ss	4 2 2 0
McQuinn, 1b	3 0 0 0
Byrnes, rf	3 0 1 0
Laabs***	1 0 0 0
Christman, 3b	5 0 2 1
Hayworth, c	1 0 0 0
Chartak*	1 0 0 0
Turner, c	1 0 0 0
Galehouse, p	2 0 0 0
Moore**	1 0 0 0
Caster, p	0 0 0 0
Zoldak, p	0 0 0 0
Totals	34 3 8 1

*Batted for Hayworth in 6th.
**Batted for Galehouse in 8th.
***Batted for Byrnes.

Bob Elliott's Single Gives Pirates Second Win Over Cards, 5-4

PITTSBURGH (AP)—Bob Elliott's single in the ninth inning yesterday gave the Pirates a 5-4 victory over the Cardinals for their second triumph in succession over the league leaders.

The Cardinals put over single runs the first three innings and scored one more in the fifth. The Buccos counted their fourth in the seventh to knot the game.

St. Louis	
AB	R H E
Verban, 2b	5 1 2 0
Hopp, cf	4 0 1 0
Musial, rf	3 1 1 0
W. Cooper, c	4 0 1 1
Sanders, 1b	4 0 2 0
Kurowski, 3b	4 1 0 0
Litwhiler, lf	1 0 0 0
Bergamo, lf	2 0 1 0
Marion, ss	4 0 1 0
Schmidt, p	3 1 1 0
Wilks, p	1 0 0 0
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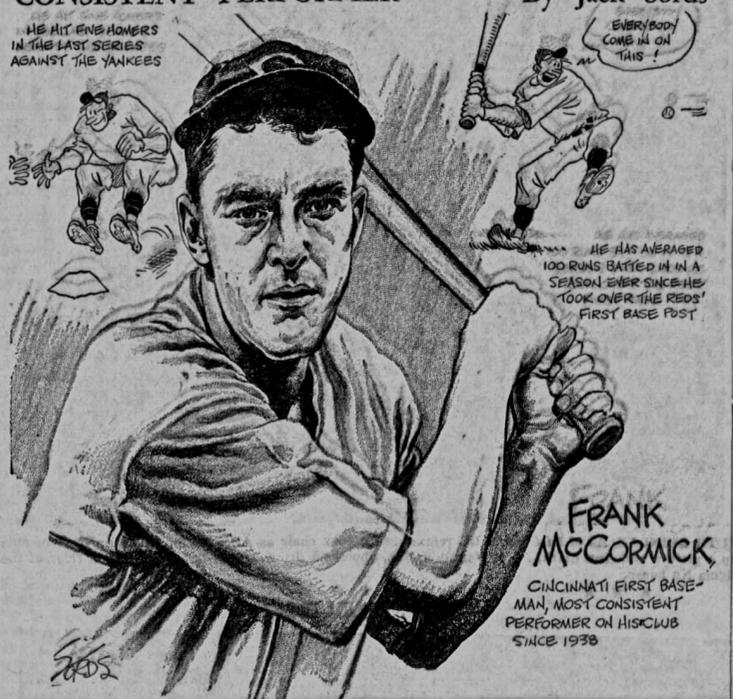
* One out when winning run was scored.

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Barrett, rf	4 0 0 0
Elliott, 3b	5 2 4 0
DIMaggio, cf	3 0 1 0
Dahlgren, 1b	3 0 0 0
Gustine, ss	3 0 1 0
Zak, ss	0 1 0 0
Colman**	1 0 0 0
Handley, 2b	0 0 0 0
Camelli, c	1 0 0 0
Rubeling*	1 0 0 0
Lopez, c	0 0 0 0
Roe, p	1 0 0 0
Starr, p	1 0 1 0
O'Brien**	1 0 0 0
Rescigno, p	0 0 0 0
Davis***	1 0 0 0
Butcher, p	0 0 0 0
Totals	35 5 12 0

* Batted for Camelli in 7th.
** Batted for Starr in 7th.
*** Batted for Zak in 8th.

A government-sponsored steel plant nearing completion in Brazil will raise that country's annual output to 570,000 tons.

CONSISTENT PERFORMER



FRANK MCCORMICK CINCINNATI FIRST BASEMAN, MOST CONSISTENT PERFORMER ON HIS CLUB SINCE 1938

Seahawk Grid Squad Cut

Iowa Pre-Flight school's football roster, puffed up to 115 earlier in the week by the arrival of a bi-monthly battalion, was back to its normal size yesterday with an even dozen post high school players and several ranking prep stars remaining to represent the group.

Heading the list is Warren Smith, 205 pound tackle from Southern Methodist. Another tackle, of equal proportions but with slightly less experience, is Joe Kozlowski of West Orange, N. J., who performed last year with the Jacksonville, Fla., Flyers.

At guard, where reinforcements are need most there came Howard Reed of Washburn university and Carl Belt of Red Oak, one of two representatives from Indiana State. The other is Bjorn Ingebrisen, 175 pound fullback.

The ends, already the most heavily fortified position, also received some aid in James Buck, 180 pound Washburn college product, Carl Copp, 197 pounder from Ohio Wesleyan, and John Thompson of Minnesota, one of two freshman numeral winners at Big Ten schools. The other Western conference contribution is 190 pound Leopold Peter Aramovich of Rockford, Ill., who played yearling ball at Purdue.

Among the backs with college experience are Lewis Walton of Florence, Kan., who competed at Kansas, Milton Miller of Racine, Wis., who played at Stout institute, and Charles Jones of Rhode Island State.

Included in the more prominent prep contributions are two members of Champaign, Ill., high, quarterback John Pety and guard James O'Byrne. William Sprang, 6 feet 3 inches tall and weighing

193, was an All-State center from St. Xavier high of Louisville, Ky., while Gilbert Baehner of Mokenca, Ill., received an all-state listing as a halfback. Another outstanding candidate is Stanley Shaws, who appended his high school career in Virginia, Minn., with junior college play.

Others who already have gained a preferred rating are: Dan Babcock, Lincoln, Neb., fullback; Herman Brumme, Cincinnati, Ohio, tackle; John Burnett, Pleasanton, Kan., center; Henry Counihan, St. Paul, Wis., high guard; James Hedberg, St. Louis Park, Minn., quarterback; Terrance Keenan, Doylestown, Pa., guard; Wallace MacMillan, San Mateo, Calif., guard; Gerald Michaelson, Dawson, Minn., end; Bob Miner, Cincinnati, St. Francis high and; Clair Nicholson, Grand Rapids, Mich., end; Wesley Shope, Grinnell, Ind., guard; James Stuber, Flint, Mich., tackle; and Leonard Wolpert, Union, N. J., guard.

The balance of the new candidates includes: Fred Bailey, Marshall, Minn.; Oliver Brash, Muskegon Heights, Mich.; Donald Bruce, Rancho, Wyo.; Elmer Galland, Columbus, Ohio, North; Thomas Cutshall, Corvallis, Ore.

Free for All Wins Washington Futurity For Fifth Victory

CHICAGO (AP)—John Marsch's Free for All, one of the nation's two leading contenders for the two year old championship of 1944 registered his fifth consecutive victory yesterday in capturing the \$60,750 Washington park futurity by a length and a quarter.

Icangett, owned by Henry Tikulski of Chicago, finished second, with Free for All's stablemate, Errard, third. Sir Bin, owned by actor Don Ameche, was fourth with Gertrude Donovan's Fighting Don, fifth and last.

There were many in the throng of 21,000 who believed that, for one day at least, another Marsch colt, Errard, may have been the better of the two.

Errard set the pace and, on the back stretch, had two and one-half lengths lead. Entering the stretch, Errard still had a length and a half to spare with Free for All coming fast on the outside. Icangett's challenge, too, developed down the stretch.

Ridden by Otto Grohs, Free for All flashed by the judges stand a length and a quarter ahead of Icangett which had ahead margin over Errard.

Running the six furlongs over a good track in 1:13 1/5, Free for All added \$47,850 to his earnings which now have reached \$709,575. It was the ninth futurity triumph for Marsch, a retired Chicago contractor, over the nation in the last three years, starting with Occupation Cadet Bobby Falkenburg of Merced, Calif., the national junior champion.

Parker's upset triumph overshadowed the women's semifinals in which defending champion Pauline Betz of Los Angeles turned in her most decisive victory over her long-standing rival, Louise Brough of Beverly Hills, Calif., and Margaret Osborne of San Francisco rallied to defeat Dorothy Bundy of Santa Monica.

Red Sox Beat Athletics, 6-5

BOSTON (AP)—The Boston Red Sox took the Philadelphia Athletics 6 to 5 yesterday as catcher Roy Partee's ninth-inning single with the bases loaded and one out brought in Tom McBride with the winning run.

The Sox hit Rus Christopher hard in the first inning to collect five runs on singles by Lou Finney and George Metkovich, a triple by Bobby Doerr and a double by Ed Lake.

The Philadelphia pitcher allowed but three hits from the second through the eighth inning. Mike Ryba took over the Sox pitching assignment for the last two innings and was credited with his 11th win.

Philadelphia	
AB	R H E
Hall, 2b	4 1 0 0
Epps, rf	4 1 3 0
Estaiella, cf	4 0 2 0
Haves, c	1 0 0 0
Garbark, c	2 0 1 0
Siebert, lf	2 0 1 0
Rosenthal, lf	2 0 1 0
McGhee, 1b	4 0 0 0
Kell, 3b	4 0 1 1
Busch, ss	2 2 0 0
Christopher, p	4 1 1 0
Totals	33 5 10 1

* One out when winning run scored.

Boston	
AB	R H E
Finney, 1b	3 1 1 0
Metkovich, cf	5 1 1 0
McBride, rf	5 1 2 0
Johnson, lf	4 1 0 0
Doerr, 2b	5 1 2 0
Tabor, 3b	3 1 1 0
Partee, c	3 0 2 0
Lake, ss	3 0 1 1
Woods, p	2 0 0 0
Ryba, p	1 0 0 0
Totals	34 6 10 1

The shortest tenure of the presidency was that of William Henry Harrison, who died one month after taking office.

McCormick Homers To Defeat Cubs, 6-1

Paul Derringer Hurls Invincible Ball Game Until Seventh Inning

CINCINNATI (AP)—For 6 2/3 innings Paul Derringer, one-time ace of the Cincinnati pitching staff, held his old team-mates hitless. Then he blew up and the Reds defeated the Chicago Cubs, 6 to 1.

Derringer was invincible until, with two out in the seventh, he pitched a home run ball to Frank McCormick, McCormick's 16th. Ray Mueller, Woodie Williams, Steve Messner, and Eddie Miller followed with singles for two more runs.

Chicago	
AB	R H E
Hack, 1b	4 0 1 0
Hughes, 3b	4 0 0 1
Cavarretta, cf	4 0 1 0
Nicholson, rf	4 0 1 0
Secory, lf	3 0 0 0
Johnson, 2b	3 0 1 1
Merullo, ss	3 0 0 0
D. Williams, c	3 1 1 0
Derringer, p	2 0 1 0
Novikoff *	1 0 1 0
Lynn, p	0 0 0 0
Stewart, p	0 0 0 0
Totals	31 1 7 2

* Batted for Derringer in 8th.

Cincinnati	
AB	R H E
White, cf	3 1 0 0
Tipton, lf	4 1 1 0
Walker, rf	4 0 0 0
McCormick, 1b	4 1 1 0
Mueller, c	4 2 2 0
W. Williams, 2b	4 1 2 0
Mesner, 3b	4 0 1 0
Miller, ss	2 0 1 0
Shoup, p	3 0 0 0
Totals	32 6 8 0

Chicago.....000 001 000-1
Cincinnati.....000 000 33x-6

Yanks Defeat Senators, 3-1

NEW YORK (AP)—The New York Yankees remained in the thick of the American league pennant race by defeating the lowly Washington Senators 3-1 yesterday.

Nick Etten singled home two runs in the first inning and Johnny Lindell bated in another in the third, with a fly.

Stan Spence saved the Nats from a shutout by hitting his 12th homer of the year, in the sixth. Each team made nine hits, but Ernie Bonham, Yankee forkball expert, was tight in the pinches, leaving 11 Senators stranded on the basepaths.

Washington	
AB	R H E
Myatt, 2b	4 0 2 0
Kuhel, 1b	5 0 1 0
Torres, 3b	5 0 0 0
Spence, cf	3 1 2 0
Montague, rf	4 0 1 0
Ortiz, lf	4 0 1 1
Ferrell, c	4 0 0 0
Sullivan, ss	4 0 1 0
Lefebvre, p	3 0 1 0
Totals	36 1 9 1

New York	
AB	R H E
Stirnweiss, 2b	4 0 2 0
Crossetti, ss	4 0 0 1
Martin, lf	4 2 2 0
Lindell, cf	4 1 1 0
Etten, 1b	4 0 2 0
Stainback, rf	4 0 1 0
Grimes, 3b	3 0 1 0
Garbark, c	3 0 0 0
Bonham, p	3 0 0 0
Totals	33 3 9 1

Washington.....000 001 000-1
New York.....201 000 00x-3

Byron Nelson Leads Nashville Tourney

NASHVILLE (AP)—Byron Nelson, the nerveless tee titan of Toledo, fashioned a seven-under-par 64 at Richland club yesterday to take the first round lead in the \$10,000 Nashville invitational golf tournament.

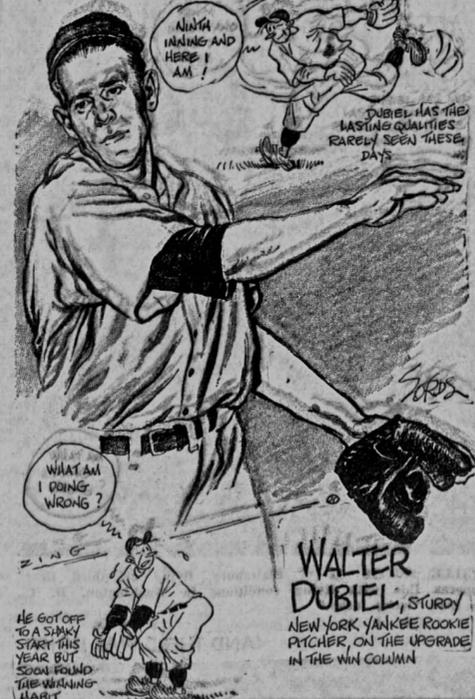
Grooving his shots in intermittent wind and rain, the big, blond "mechanical man" slipped three strokes off regulation figures on the front side and four off coming back for a course record 34-30 that approached a perfect game of golf.

Except for a cantankerous putter that four times failed him on assignments of less than six feet, Nelson might have come in with a 60.

In close pursuit of the game's leading money winner came husky Bob Hamilton of Evansville, Ind., the P.G.A. champion, with a 35-31-66.

Humphries Scores All Runs For Cleveland Victory, 5 to 2

DURABLE DUBIEL By Jack Sords



WALTER DUBIEL, STURDY NEW YORK YANKEE ROOKIE PITCHER, ON THE UPGRADE IN THE WIN COLUMN

Hawks Hold Second Dress Scrimmage

Coach Slip Madigan said his 1944 football team is "improving" after the second full-dress game scrimmage of the season held yesterday. "But our attack still needs precision and speed," he added.

The Blue squad was squeezed out by the White team 20-19 in a game devoted largely to offensive tactics and marked by frequent gains by both sides.

Jim Hansen, 210-pound fullback from Omaha, Neb., provided the scoring punch for one of the White's touchdowns and added another point by an after score placekick. Hansen plunged from the three-yard-line for a touchdown on a fake pass play after Dick Woodard had gained 20 yards on the previous pass play. Later in the same period Hansen smashed off tackle and booted the extra point. A Blue punt blocked by Woodard and scooped up by a White player who crossed the goal line completed the White scoring.

Two Blue sustained drives sparked by a 48-yard run gained them an initial advantage of 14-13. A White fumble then was converted into a Blue score.

Madigan singled out Bob Liddy and Stan Mohrbacher, guards; Don Winslow of Iowa City, Bill Benskin of Des Moines, and Jim Lagomarcino of Keokuk, tackles; John Stewart, quarterback from last year, and Dick Woodard of Ft. Dodge, halfback, for special mention.

Don Hutson to Play For Grid Packers

CHICAGO (AP)—For the third straight season, the Green Bay Packers of the National professional football league have coaxed Don Hutson, the peerless pass-snatcher, out of announced retirement.

Hutson's decision to return for his 10th pro season was disclosed yesterday when Coach Curly Lambeau requested Commissioner Elmer Layden to reinstate the phenomenal end on the Packers active list.

Hutson, contracted as an assistant packer coach after winning all-league honors at end of seven out of nine seasons, has been under doctor's care for treatment of an eye infection the last five

Beats Chisox In Twelfth

CHICAGO (AP)—First baseman Mickey Rocco, who hit a two-run homer off Johnny Humphries to tie the score in the eighth inning, hit a three-run homer off reliever Gordon Maltzberger in the 12th inning last night to account for all Cleveland's runs in a 5 to 2 victory over the Chicago White Sox.

The triumph upped the Indians to fifth place and evened the series, the Chicagoans having won in a similar 12 inning game last night.

Joe Heving was credited with his eighth victory against two defeats. Maltzberger, the major league's winningest relief pitcher who made his first appearance after a month in sick bay succeeded Humphries in the ninth. The defeat was his fourth against ten victories.

Cleveland	
AB	R H E
Rocco, cf	6 2 3 1
Hong, cf	5 0 0 0
Seery, lf	6 0 0 0
Boudreau, ss	4 0 1 0
Challenberg, rf	5 0 1 0
Kellner, 3b	5 0 2 0
Bosar, c	4 0 0 0
Mack, 2b	2 0 1 0
Grant*	3 1 0 1
Peters, 2b	2 1 1 0
Bagby, p	2 0 0 0
O'Dea**	0 1 0 0
Heving, p	2 1 1 0
Totals	44 5 10 2

*Batted for Mack in 8th.
**Batted for Bagby in 8th.

Chicago	
AB	R H E
Moses, rf	4 0 1 0
Carneth, lf	5 1 1 0
Michales, ss	6 0 2 0
Hodgin, 3b	6 0 2 0
Trosky, 1b	6 1 1 0
Tueker, cf	0 0 2 0
Cashino, c	4 0 1 0
Hubb, 2b	5 0 1 1
Humphries, p	3 0 1 0
Maltzberger, p	2 0 1 0
Totals	46 2 13 1

Cleveland.....000 000 020 003-5
Chicago.....010 000 100 000-2

Brooklyn Triumphs Over Giants, 8 to 4 To Extend Streak

BROOKLYN (AP)—Dixie Walker, the National league's leading batter, hit for the cycle—a single, double, triple and homer—as the Brooklyn Dodgers defeated the New York Giants 8-4 yesterday, for the second straight time, and extended their winning streak to four games.

Curt Davis registered his ninth victory, spacing 14 hits, but fighting in the pinches to leave 12 Giant runners stranded on the bases. Frenchy Bordagaray aided with four blows, all singles.

New York	
AB	R H E
Rucker, cf	5 0 2 0
Hausman, 2b	5 0 0 0
Sloan, lf	5 0 1 0
Ott, rf	4 1 1 0
Weintraub, 1b	2 0 2 0
Luby, 3b	3 1 2 0
Lombardi, c	5 0 0 0
Kerr, ss	4 2 3 0
Jurges, 3b	3 0 0 1
Voiselle, p	1 0 1 1
Brewer, p	0 0 0 0
Jurges *	1 0 1 0
Adams, p	0 0 0 0
Fischer, p	1 0 0 0
Mancuso **	1 0 1 0
Hansen, p	0 0 0 0
Totals	40 4 14 2

** Batted for Brewer in 4th.

Brooklyn	
AB	R H E
Bordagaray, 3b	5 1 4 0
Owen, c	3 1 0 0
Galan, lf	3 1 0 0
Walker, rf	4 2 4 0
Olmo, cf	4 1 2 0
Schultz, 1b	4 0 1 0
Stank, 2b	2 1 0 0
Brown, ss	2 1 0 0
Davis, p	3 0 0 0
Totals	30 8 11 0

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Brooklyn.....112 310 00x-8

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FDR Labor State

WASHINGTON is the target of the Labor Department's new "American Labor" program, which is designed to bring about a new era of labor relations. The program is based on the principle that labor is a national resource and that it is the duty of the government to see that it is used to the benefit of the nation as a whole.

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FDR Issues Labor Day Statement

WASHINGTON (AP)—Following is the text of President Roosevelt's Labor day statement issued yesterday.

"American workers can observe this Labor day in the proud knowledge that in the battle of production their free labor is triumphing over slave labor. It was their determination to safeguard liberty and to preserve their American heritage for coming generations that made possible the greatest production achievement in the world's history.

"Our soldiers, sailors and marines are carrying on an amazing offensive all over the world. They are doing it with the finest weapons in the world—weapons which have been made possible only by the unwavering loyalty and unflinching resolution of the workers and managers of our industries.

"The position of our battle lines in Italy, in France and in the Pacific zone today is greatly dependent on the production miracle which labor and management and farmers have accomplished.

"We now have the enemy on the run. Yet we must face the prospect that the hardest fighting and the biggest job of supply are still ahead of us. Our needs for the products of our industries, mines and farms—weapons, raw materials, transportation and food—are as urgent as ever.

"Our immediate job is victory. To attain it quickly will require the fullest utilization of our man power and woman power in the production of the necessary weapons of war. American labor can be depended on, I know, to continue to devote itself primarily to that task.

"Once the forces of tyranny have been overcome, we shall be faced with difficult problems of transition from war to peace. There will be matters of international arrangements as well as questions of internal economic policy. What we do in both spheres will affect our success in attaining a durable world peace—a peace which will contribute to the progress of mankind, and will give to all who work and produce, an opportunity constantly to better their own lives.

"In the solution of these problems we will need the cooperation of free American workers, free American employers and free American farmers. I am confident it we shall have it in days of peace as we have had it in days of war."

Eight-Year-Old Prays for Life Of Father

HARLAN (AP)—Eight-year-old Jimmy Kilcoin knelt beside his injured father and prayed that his life be spared; then rushed to a nearby farm to summon aid to the scene of an accident.

The father, Philip Kilcoin, 38, died Friday night a few hours after he had told his wife and four other children, ranging in age from 4 to 10, about Jimmy's prayer.

The father and Jimmy were driving home with a truck load of

TO PARIS! VIVE LA FRANCE!



A TOAST WITH RARE OLD WINE is drunk by Pvt. John Simms of Pittsburgh, Pa., and M. Louis Lehaut of Cherbourg, France, when they hear the news that Paris is free. (International)

troubles when the truck developed trouble and the elder Kilcoin

Welcome to Paris!



SERG. KENNETH AVERILL of Hazel Park, Mich., discovers what they mean by Gay Paree as a local belle welcomes him personally in the main section of the city. Signal corps photo.

Nazis Give— Radio Farewell

LONDON (AP)—In a dramatic farewell broadcast over the Brussels radio, the Germans Thursday night conceded that loss of the Belgian capital was near but threatened "One day we shall come back."

With allied armies at the Belgian border—and perhaps already across—a Nazi announcer made a last appeal for Hitler's cause, and cautioned the Belgians "not to show hatred against us or against those in your country who worked for us."

"We shall do no harm to anybody," he said.

The broadcast—one of the most startling ever made by the Germans—was followed by a second announcer who asserted frankly: "You who stay here remain calm. We Germans will always remain correct—we shall never rob you and we shall never pillage you."

Then SS leader Hans Friedrich said "I know you are eagerly awaiting the British and American forces.

"Within a short while you will fill the streets of Brussels and shout 'at last, at long last, they are here, the liberators.'"

"You will acclaim the allied troops.

"We Nationalist-Socialists, however, will face any situation. We shall have means to watch you, for we shall never give up our principles.

"One day we shall come back." Then the Brussels radio went dead.

Tax Exemptions High For Iowa Veterans

Near Million Saving May Shortly Triple, Tax Director Says

DES MOINES (AP)—Military service exemptions are saving Iowa veterans of past wars and their eligible survivors nearly \$1,000,000 a year in taxes, Director Ben H. Hall of the Iowa property tax division of the state tax commission estimated yesterday.

Proposals for doubling the exemption for World War I veterans and for extending exemptions to World War II fighters were adopted, the total saving might reach \$3,500,000 annually, a decade after this war ends, he said.

A survey made by Hall at the request of the state post-war rehabilitation commission showed 55,956 Iowa property owners benefited by the military tax exemption statute under the World War I provision this year. Spanish-American war exemptions totaled 2,362 and the Civil war veteran figure was 827.

The later figure consisted mostly of widows of civil war men.

After Hall applied the net average millage levies to the soldiers exemption valuation in each county, he said he concluded that the system was saving \$982,380 in

veterans' taxes this year. Total soldiers valuation exemptions for the state was \$28,312,109 he reported. The highest it has been in recent years was \$29,784,021 in 1941.

The American Legion in its recent state convention at Sioux City passed a resolution calling for a boost in the World War I exemption to \$1,000 a year. Adoption of such a measure by the Iowa legislature would double the military exemption tax saving for veterans of that conflict.

The law grants now tax exemption up to \$500 valuation for World War I veterans. For Spanish-American war veterans the exemption is \$1,800 and for the Civil war group the exemption is \$3,000. The \$1,800 exemptions also applies to veterans of the Indian wars, the China relief expedition, the Philippine insurrection and the Colorado volunteers who served in the Civil war.

Besides the veterans themselves those eligible for exemption include unmarried widows and minor children and dependent widowed mothers.

The exemption is in addition to homestead tax credits.

Dulles Recovers

NEW HAVEN, Conn. (AP)—John Foster Dulles, Gov. Thomas E. Dewey's representative in recent talks with Secretary of State Hull on international affairs, who was admitted to the hospital a week ago for a foot ailment and underwent a minor operation, was discharged yesterday.

MEET BERGEN'S 'EFFIE KLINKER'



THOSE TWO BLOCKHEADS, "Charlie McCarthy" and "Mortimer Snerd" of radio fame, now have a pal. She is "Effie Klinker," ventriloquist-comedian Edgar Bergen's latest creation. Bergen, shown holding "Effie," returns to the air today.

stepped to the running board to see what the matter. The weaving truck pitched the father to the ground and the rear wheels pinned him down just as the front wheels turned and stopped against a bank.

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PARISIANS SEE FIRST "DUCK"



FAMED EIFFEL TOWER forms a background as Parisians see their first inflated "duck" and greet free French occupants on the Trocadero. This is a United States Army Signal Corps photo. (International)

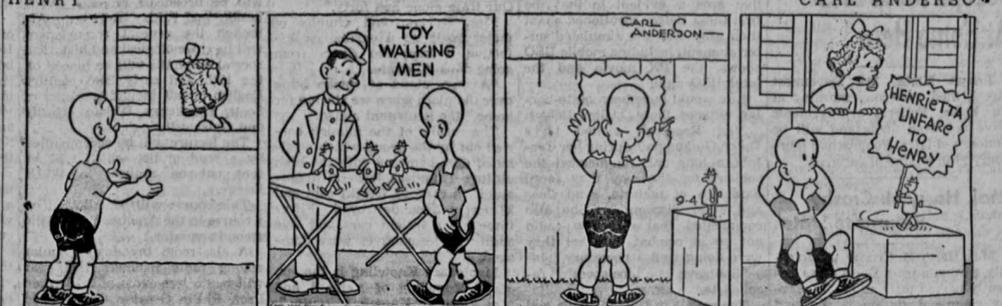
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OLD HOME TOWN



Engineering Course Promoted in England

London Newspaper Explains SUI Management Work

The university's college of engineering was publicized recently in a weekly London newspaper, "Mechanical World and Engineering Record."

The paper, "published every Friday in London and Manchester," carried a story June 30, 1944, with the headline "An American Management Course: Iowa University Training Aims."

Prior to that date the newspaper had received from the university a copy of "a well-produced brochure giving details of the summer management course conducted by Prof. Ralph M. Barnes" of the college of engineering, "with the aid of some eminent visiting lecturers in addition to the regular staff."

The course was conducted for the sixth time this summer for men in industry and those interested in progress in plant layout. Wage incentives and planning phases of industry were considered.

Its purposes are to show how production planning can be coordinated with the various activities of an organization in wartime to provide full understanding of the fundamentals of motion and time study, to present opportunities for counselled application of the principles of production to individual industrial problems. The publishers of the Manchester paper sent the tear sheets containing the article to the university and it was brought to the attention of Dean F. M. Dawson of the college of engineering.

Mrs. Herman Amish Rites Tomorrow

Funeral services for Mrs. Herman Amish, 58, who died at a local hospital Friday will be held tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock at St. Mary's church. Burial will be in St. Joseph's cemetery.

Members of the Women's Relief corps will attend the services. Born in Sharon, Nov. 15, 1885, she was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Price. She was a member of St. Mary's church, the Catholic Daughters of America, the Legion of Mary, and the Women's Relief corps.

She is survived by her husband, who lives at 325 N. Linn street; one son, LeRoy, Iowa City and one foster son, John, who is serving in the army overseas; two grandchildren, Norma Jean and William Amish, one sister, Mrs. Margaret Patterson, all of Iowa City, and one brother, Charles Price.

Joseph Klein Dies At Home Here

Joseph Klein, 319 Davenport street, died yesterday morning at his home. Funeral arrangements have not been made and will be announced later. Hohenschuh mortuary is in charge of services.

Maj. Harry H. Crosby Returns to States

Maj. Harry H. Crosby, a university graduate from Des Moines, recently passed through an air service command station in England on his way to a well-earned rest in the states after 34 missions as a navigator on a Flying Fortress.

There, air service command officers "briefed" him on the necessity of safeguarding certain vital information he gained as a result of his combat experience.

Before his return to the states, Major Crosby was awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross with two clusters and the Air Medal with three clusters.

In Australia



AN SUI GRADUATE, Jeannette Elizabeth Lloyd, formerly of 11 1/2 N. Van Buren street, Freeport, Ill., has arrived in Australia to serve the armed forces as an American Red Cross assistant program director. Before her Red Cross appointment, Miss Lloyd taught at Freeport high school. She is a graduate of Boone high school, Frances Shimer school for girls and the University of Iowa.

TRANSFER ORIENTATION GROUP



KAY KATSKOWSKY, A4 of Elkader, transfer orientation chairman, leads through the 1945 Hawkeye with Virginia Peirce, A3 of La Grange, Ill., transfer from Bradford, Mass., junior college, and (left) Joan Sayers, A3 of Aurora, Mo., transfer from Gulf Park college, Gulf Fort, Miss. These girls will participate in the orientation open-house scheduled for this afternoon.

Veteran Returns From—

Dutch Guiana

Square nickels and 20 Puerto Rican wives of American soldiers were among the most unique items brought to the states by a homeward bound ship recently boarded by Raymond J. Belger, technician fifth grade, returning from 24 months overseas in Dutch Guiana and Puerto Rico.

The Dutch are the only people in the world who trade with square nickels, claims Belger. He comments on the number of American soldiers marrying Puerto Rican girls, who, he says, are dark, attractive and intelligent.

Belger, son of Mr. and Mrs. Len Belger, 420 E. Market street, arrived in Iowa City Wednesday night for a 21-day furlough and will go from here to Hot Springs, Ark. for reassignment.

"A lot of the fellows didn't like it very well down there," Belger regretted, "but I enjoyed it very much, simply because it was different."

Working in a jungle Dutch Guiana army hospital, Belger cared for many American soldiers stricken with malaria. However, he said, "No one died from malaria during the two years I was there."

"That life isn't just naturally interesting for soldiers serving in that area is evident in that the first thing Belger mentioned about their stay was the simulated entertainment, including mobile USO shows, the PX movie and the local USO club.

Life would have been quite boring without those, claims Belger.

Mrs. Roosevelt visited this Dutch Guiana post during her Caribbean tour and commended the soldiers for the way they faced hardships of malaria, sand fleas and other discomforts. She also commented that everyone could not be in combat but that they were doing well a necessary job.

"She gave us a nice speech," recalled the veteran.

The people in Dutch Guiana and Puerto Rico treated the soldiers well, according to Belger.

That Dutch Guiana might be a brother melting pot is evident in that the country is inhabited with Chinese, Javanese, bush Negroes, Hindus, Indians, and white persons.

In Paramaribo, capital of Dutch Guiana and the nearest town to Belger's camp, only 2,000 of the 60,000 population are white.

It was interesting to note, said Belger, the number of people who speak English in that country. Quite a few persons, particularly the Javanese, have learned the English language.

All the soldiers in that area are paid in Dutch money and all business transactions, of course, are with the foreign bills.

Iowans may be watermelon eaters but they have nothing on Dutch Guiana natives for that is one of their main dishes. Bananas, coconuts and rice also are grown there in abundance.

Although this army medical technician had no fresh milk during his 21 month stay there he "had good food including steak, pie and ice cream." The ice cream was made of powdered milk.

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Dutch Guiana

When Belger was moved to Puerto Rico he was transferred from medical duty and placed on the mail staff. He believes Puerto Rico is comparatively modern because it is under the United States flag.

Veteran Belger entered the service five months to the day after Pearl Harbor. He was graduated from the college of commerce at the university in 1930 and attended St. Mary's school.

He hopes to be assigned to a United States army postoffice.

Iowa City Pilot Participates in Paris Bomb Attack

Second Lieut. William P. Knowling, an Iowa City Thunderbolt pilot, recently flew with a flight of fighter bombers in a dive bombing attack on a Nazi marshalling yard near Paris, and shared in the destruction of an ammunition train.

"We really hit the jack-pot," Lieutenant Knowling declared on returning to his base. "The yard was packed with trains. We dived, dropped our bombs, and suddenly all hell broke loose. Cars kept blowing up one after the other. Our train alone had forty."

Fire, tracers, and chunks of metal made up a barrage so effective it kept the flyers from going down to strafing.

"A huge cloud of smoke hung over the place when we started for home," the lieutenant added.

The results of the mission carried out by the group which originated dive bombing with the high altitude Thunderbolt were: 75 ammunition cars, 53 freight cars and 23 locomotives destroyed. Fifty-three other freight cars and five additional locomotives were damaged.

Lieutenant Knowling is the son of D. Knowling of route 3 and Mrs. Dorothy Knowling, route 7.

Pre-Flight Chapel Hour Changed

Worship services at the Iowa Navy Pre-Flight school will be held at 10 o'clock this morning instead of at 11 o'clock. The public relations officer announced yesterday that this change is only temporary.

Peru is constructing a steel plant with an annual capacity of 140,000 tons of steel ingots and 110,000 tons of pig iron.

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Classroom Broadcast Programs Will Begin At WSUI Tomorrow

Three classroom broadcasts direct from university classrooms, will be renewed over station WSUI tomorrow and will continue each Monday, Wednesday and Friday during the fall term. They include Roman literature, English novel and late 19th century music.

Roman literature will be broadcast three times weekly beginning tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock with Prof. Dorance S. White of the classical language department. He will survey the eight fields of Roman literature: comedy, tragedy, epic, satire, lyric, story-telling, letter-writing and epigram, most of which will be in verse form. The course includes consideration of the thought and religion of Roman life as reflected in the literature. No knowledge of Latin is necessary for enrollment.

Texts to be used are those in the famous Loeb Classical Library. Among the commentaries to be given are Gayley's "Classic Myths in English Literature"; Johnston's "Private Life of the Romans"; Showerman's "Rome and the Romans"; and Fowler's "Religious Experience of the Roman People."

Prof. B. V. Crawford of the English department will feature in his English novel broadcast, authors familiar to Americans. It will be broadcast Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 11 a.m. Although the general arrangement will be chronological and historical special emphasis will be placed on the 19th and early 20th century English novels including works of Scott, Thackeray, Dickens, Hardy and Galsworthy.

The lecture will be accompanied by a reading list which will be sent out on request to WSUI listeners.

This course will be followed by a course in the American novel the second semester.

A classroom broadcast popular among radio listeners last year will begin tomorrow at 2:10 when Prof. Philip Greeley Clapp, head of the music department resumes late 19th century music.

This course, presented Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 2:10 p.m., will include classroom lectures on composers after Wagner, including Brahms and Strauss down to modern and contemporary composers who will be studied the second semester. The lectures will be illustrated with programs of solo and chamber music by Professor Clapp, assisted by staff members and great artists.

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Eli Bravermans To Entertain At Open House

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Braverman, 1116 Muscatine avenue, will entertain friends and relatives at an open-house from 2:30 until 5 o'clock this afternoon, and from 7 until 10:30 tonight in honor of the confirmation of their son, Marvin.

Out-of-town guests will be Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Snyder and daughters, formerly of Iowa City and Cedar Rapids, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Snyder and sons, Mrs. H. Cargerman, Mr. W. Ashkanazie and Mrs. F. Cargerman, all of Chicago.

A bouquet of mixed flowers will form the centerpiece for the serving table, which will be decorated in blue and white.

Son, Daughter Here
A/C Elwyn W. Spencer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Spencer, 1220 Sheridan avenue, will arrive home today from the army air base at Santa Ana, Calif., to spend a ten-day furlough.

Arriving last night was the Spencers' daughter, Mrs. John B. Drexel of Washington, D. C.

Joins Staff
Mr. and Mrs. Roger Goeb and son have arrived from Tulsa, Okla., and Mr. Goeb has joined the staff of the music department as an instructor in music theory. He will also work on his Ph.D. in the department this year. The family will reside at 112 E. Davenport street.

Visit Allsup
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Utterback of Oskaloosa arrived yesterday to spend a few days with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Allsup, 918 E. Burlington street.

Relatives Visit
Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dean Jones, 721 Grant street, for the next few days will be Mrs. Jones' brother and sister-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. Carl B. Cone and son, Carl Timothy, of Baton Rouge, La., and Mrs. Jones' sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Manselle Martin of Des Moines.

Prof. Marcus Bach To Open Religious Broadcasts Tuesday

Returning to broadcast his "Little-Known Religious Groups" course this fall, Prof. Marcus Bach will be heard each Tuesday and Thursday morning at 11 o'clock over station WSUI.

The course, broadcast directly from the classroom, includes the study of various religious groups whose music and liturgies are an integral part of the nation's religious heritage.

As in the past many recordings of hymns of religious groups in Iowa will be played. These have been made by the school of religion. This year, planned recordings of certain groups in states adjoining Iowa such as the Moravians in Wisconsin, the Hutterites in South Dakota and recordings of the Canadian Doukhobars.

Professor Bach spent his summer working with the Doukhobars, a Russian-Canadian group, and will begin the fall course with discussions of this group.

"In two years experience with this course," Professor Bach said, "I find it creates in the student a desire for deeper study and greater appreciation of his own faith."

Representatives of the Moslem, Bahai and primitive Methodist churches have been asked to appear during the year.

The actual contact with these religious groups and the confidence the instructor has gained with these several exclusive sects has made the course popular among students and radio listeners.

SEPTEMBER BRIDE-ELECT



DR. AND MRS. Ned Smith, 1024 Bowery street, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Ruth Eleanor, to Pfc. George Andrew Miller, son of Mrs. Ada L. Miller, 418 Rocky Shore drive, and Prof. Sidney L. Miller of Washington, D. C. The wedding will take place Sept. 28 in the Methodist church. A graduate of Iowa City high school, the bride-elect received her B.S. degree from the college of commerce at the University of Iowa, where she was a member of Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority and Mortar Board. She also was appointed honorary Lieut. Col. of the Military Ball in 1943. Since her graduation she has been employed as system service woman for International Business machines in Rockford, Ill. Private Miller, who was graduated from University high school, is now a senior in the college of medicine here, where he is affiliated with Phi Gamma Delta social fraternity, and Phi Beta Kappa, national honorary fraternity.

WSUI Programs, Network Highlights—

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TOMORROW'S PROGRAMS
7:45 Induction Ceremony
8:00 Morning Chapel
8:15 Musical Miniatures
8:30 News, The Daily Iowan
8:45 Program Calendar
8:55 Service Reports
9:00 Roman Literature
9:40 Music Magic
9:55 News, The Daily Iowan
10:00 Norway Fights On
10:15 Yesterday's Musical Favorites
10:30 The Bookshelf
11:00 Musical Interlude
11:05 American Novel
11:50 Farm Flashes
12:00 Rhythm Rambles
12:30 News, The Daily Iowan
12:45 Views and Interviews
1:00 Musical Chats

NETWORK HIGHLIGHTS
6:00 Old Fashioned Revival Hour (WMT)
All Time Hit Parade (WHO)
Drew Pearson (KXEL)
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Monday Morning Headlines (KXEL)
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7:00 Blondie (WMT)
Edgar Bergen (WHO)
Greenfield Village Chapel Service (KXEL)
7:15 Blondie (WMT)
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Edward Tomlinson, Commentator (KXEL)
7:30 Crime Doctor (WMT)
One Man's Family (WHO)
Keepsakes (KXEL)
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8:00 Radio Reader's Digest (WMT)

Manhattan Merry-Go-Round (WHO)
Chamber Music Society of Lower Basin Street (KXEL)
8:45 Texaco Star Theater (WMT)
American Album of Familiar Music (WHO)
Jimmie Fidler (KXEL)
9:00 Take It or Leave It (WMT)
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10:00 News (WMT)
Evening Serenade (WHO)
It Happened During the Week (KXEL)
10:15 Cedric Foster (WMT)
News, M. L. Nelsen (WHO)
Old Fashioned Revival Hour (KXEL)
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11:00 News (WMT)
News, Music (WHO)
It Happened During the Week (KXEL)
11:15 We Deliver the Goods (WMT)
Casino Gardens Orchestra (WHO)
Rev. Pietsch's Hour (KXEL)

University Vespers To Be Tonight

Original Hymn By Prof. M. W. Lampe Will Be Sung

Tonight the school year of 1944-45 opens at the University of Iowa with the first vesper service in Macbride auditorium at 8 o'clock with religious groups and leaders present to be introduced to townspeople, students and faculty.

An original hymn, written by Prof. M. Willard Lampe, director of the school of religion, will be sung near the end of tonight's program. The hymn was sung for the first time only a couple of months ago at the Iowa Navy Pre-Flight school chapel.

President Virgil M. Hancher will preside over the vespers and will introduce campus religious leaders. Representatives of all student religion groups, ministers and groups of service organizations will be in attendance.

The program will open with the audience singing "America the Beautiful." The invocation by the Rev. J. Ryan Beiser and scripture by Dr. David C. Shipley will be followed by the main address by Prof. M. Willard Lampe, whose topic is "The Breadth and Narrowness of an Educated Person."

Prof. Herald Stark of the school of music will sing "Comfort Ye" and "Every Valley Shall Be Exalted" from Handel's Messiah.

Rabbi Gilbert Klaperman of the school of religion will give the closing benediction concluding the first university vespers of the fall session.

Students Interested In Work on Hawkeye To Meet Tomorrow

Putting out a yearbook isn't just writing copy, Hawkeye staff members contend and the first meeting tomorrow night will be devoted to telling interesting individuals about the Hawkeye yearbook for this year. The meeting, to be held at 4 o'clock in room N104 of East hall, is for all those interested in the editorial or business staffs.

Sports writers to report the football and basketball events, feature writers for party section and informal stories are requested to attend.

Contract manager and sales manager positions are open to persons on the business and sales side of the Hawkeye personnel. Also students are desired who are interested in selling the books and in earning commissions. Formerly salesmen and women have made as high as .60 in commissions.

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