

1,000 Carrier Aircraft Strike Tokyo

Nimitz Lists 26 of Ships Participating

Admiral Announces Raiders Achieve Complete Surprise

GUAM, Tuesday (AP)—The mighty Third fleet carriers of Admiral William F. (Bull) Halsey are hurling more than 1,000 planes at the crumbling aerial and ground defenses of Tokyo today.

The gigantic blow achieved complete surprise, Admiral Chester W. Nimitz announced in a precedent-shattering communique which named 26 of the ships and ten of their commanding admirals and was issued while the strike was in progress.

Nimitz identified only four of the carriers — obviously only a fraction of the flattops required to launch a thousand planes — together with four battleships, four cruisers and 14 destroyers.

With 1,000 or more planes in the striking force, presumably at least 700 were actually over their targets simultaneously at the moment Nimitz issued his communique describing the daring strike. The assault still is in progress, Nimitz made clear.

The Tokyo radio, acknowledging assaults by "some 500" American carrier planes in successive waves, asserted Japanese fighter planes and anti-aircraft guns were battling the continuing strikes.

(However, a American broadcaster from the Third fleet itself said the strike had been in progress eight hours without Japanese planes appearing.)

The first 200-plane wave swept in at 5:10 a. m., Japanese time, the Domei agency broadcast related. Three waves were described, plus "later . . . sporadic attacks on a number of points in the Kanto district, with a number of heavy bombers taking part also.

No mention was made of damage inflicted by the carrier planes. Complete surprise was effected, Nimitz said, although the Japanese have been predicting just such a strike at some part of their home islands for days past.

Ships participating in the operation include the carriers Lexington, Essex, Independence and San Jacinto, the battleships Indiana, Massachusetts, South Dakota and Iowa, the cruisers Chicago, San Juan, Springfield and Atlanta.

The force also includes the destroyers Dehaven, Samuel N. Moore, John Rodgers, Schroeder, Cogswell, Herrman, Southern, Ault, John W. Weeks, Colahan, Wedderburn, Rowe, Caperton and Frank Knox.

Navy Tells of New Improved Corsair

WASHINGTON (AP)—A new and improved Corsair fighter-bomber, capable of terrific speed, climbing ability and offensive punch, is in action and has proved its mettle against the Japanese, the navy revealed yesterday.

The navy's fastest aircraft, it can travel 425 miles an hour and more, carry 2,000 pounds of bombs or rockets if desired, and can climb nearly 1,000 feet a minute faster than its predecessors.

The first Japanese pilot to get a glimpse of the new plane never got home to tell about it. He was shot down in two minutes flat by Lieut. Douglas M. West, Excelsior, Minn., United States marine corps, off the Japanese island of Amami Oshima. Incidentally it was the first Japanese plane that West ever saw.

Army Orders Foreign Jobs for All Qualified

WASHINGTON (AP)—The army ordered yesterday that all personnel who have less than six months overseas service be given foreign assignments if they are qualified and can be replaced in their present tasks.

Returning veterans will step into their places as fast as the program can be carried out. The announcement said that while all physically qualified male military personnel are affected, "special emphasis" will be placed on those under 35.

Officers of 3 Nations to Meet

BERLIN (AP)—Russian, American and British officers responsible for the government of Berlin arranged yesterday to meet Wednesday to discuss problems affecting nearly 3,000,000 German civilian residents.

The Russians retained control of the entire city administration, however, and British and American sources insisted there could be no British and American military government here unless the Russians made food and fuel available for the western allies' occupation zones.

Maj. Gen. L. O. Lyne, commander of British occupation troops in Berlin, issued a sharp denial that negotiations with the Russians had broken down.

Maj. Gen. Floyd L. Parks, military commander in the American sector, also dismissed any idea that the tripartite government in Berlin would not work and stressed that only a short time had elapsed since the occupation began.

He said he felt justified in predicting that the final result would be "highly satisfactory."

Parks, talking to correspondents, denied there was a food shortage in Berlin and said there was no actual hunger. It was indicated, however, that he spoke on the basis of reports furnished American army officers by Russian officers and not an actual first hand checkup as to whether rations authorized on ration cards actually would be purchased.

Both Parks and Lyne are to meet Wednesday with Russian Col. Gen. Gorbатов in an effort to solve the current allied difficulties over food, coal and military government.

"I have found the Russians most cooperative," Parks told newsmen. "I believe that they realize as earnestly as we the delicacy of the situation that obtains in a transitional stage."

Waving aside individual cases of difficulties cited by the correspondents, Parks asserted that all this was due to transition rather than to fundamental differences. "What we'd like to do is establish a city government that is applicable to the entire city" and operate it until a German city administration would emerge capable of running itself under allied control, he said, adding, ordinances and laws should be city-wide.

PARIS (AP)—General De Gaulle's council of ministers yesterday called a national election for Oct. 14 to create a new national assembly and announced that the assembly, when elected, would frame a new constitution and submit it to a national referendum.

If the proposed constitution is rejected by the voters, the council said, the assembly will "elect a chamber of deputies and proceed to the election of a senate conforming with the constitution of 1875," by which France is now governed.

In effect, the announcement meant that the voters will decide what form of government France will have.

The announcement came as a complete surprise to political circles, which had believed that De Gaulle would simply submit to the voters a plan for revision of the existing constitution.

Truman Goes by Ship To Big Three Meeting

Byrnes Accompanies President on Trip To Germany

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Truman yesterday was two days out of Newport News, Va., headed for Europe and the Big Three conference.

Mr. Truman left Saturday aboard ship. He was accompanied by a group of advisers including Secretary of State James F. Byrnes.

He will meet Premier Stalin and Prime Minister Churchill in the Potsdam area near Berlin for their discussion at an unstated date.

In London, a foreign office spokesman said it was "pretty likely" that Mr. Truman would visit that city after the Big Three meeting.

"He will stop on his way back to America, I suppose," the spokesman said.

Although Mr. Truman is absent from the United States, he still functions as president. When a cabinet officer leaves Washington, his second in command becomes acting secretary, but this is not true in the case of the president.

Dispatches from Berlin told of elaborate preparations for Mr. Truman to keep in touch with Washington. Signal experts of the United States army strung a network of cables and wires to the Potsdam area.

In advance of the president's arrival, a number of high diplomats began arriving at the conference scene.

Newspaper Deliverers Ordered to Return To Work by WLB

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS The total number of workers idle in strikes dropped yesterday to 35,987, the lowest in nearly a month.

The labor situation by cities, was: New York The war labor board yesterday warned striking New York City newspaper deliverers that unless they return to work by 10 a. m. Wednesday they will be deprived of closed shop and preferential hiring clauses of their contract and retroactivity of any future wage increases.

The board's stand was made public in a telegram to the officers of the newspaper and Mail Deliverers' union (unaffiliated) which began the strike nine days ago.

Detroit A new walkout at the Dodge truck plant offset a return to work of 824 Graham-Paige Motors corporation plant workers. At Dodge, 1,000 persons were sent home because of a strike of 11 paint sprayers in the body department.

Akron Threats that a third rubber producer might become involved in labor disputes disappeared when normal operations were resumed at the B. F. Goodrich company after a week's shutdown for machinery overhaul.

Unemployment Benefits WASHINGTON (AP)—Legislation to authorize postwar unemployment benefits up to \$25 weekly was introduced yesterday by Chairman Doughton (D., N.C.) of the house ways and means committee.

Five Japanese Cities Blasted By Superforts

Incendiaries Dropped On Four, High Explosives on Fifth

GUAM, Tuesday (AP)—A sky fleet of from 500 to 550 Superfortresses rained fire bombs on four Japanese cities today and rocked a fifth with high explosives on the longest mission of the war.

Thirty-five hundred tons of bombs were dumped on these cities around 200,000 population on the main home island of Honshu:

Sendai, largest city of north-eastern Japan 180 miles north of Tokyo.

Gifu, 18 miles north of Nagoya and one of the principal electric power producing areas of Japan.

Wakayama, industrial city of steel and chemical works south of Osaka.

Yokkaichi, oil refining center east of Osaka and the center of the largest Japanese plant still turning out aviation gasoline.

Sakai, industrial suburb of Osaka, Japan's second city.

Sendai, Gifu, Wakayama and Sakai were hit by incendiary bombs. It was the first fire raid for each.

Yokkaichi has been hit twice by incendiaries and today the Superforts worked it over with high explosives. They previously had burned out 1.23 miles of the city.

The raiders who took on Sendai made the longest mission of the war, a round trip of 3,960 miles from Marianas bases. The farthest north the big bombers previously had traveled was Koriyama, 110 miles north of the Japanese capital.

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Dutch Troops Make Two Borneo Landings

Secure Positions In Inner Limits Of Balikpapan Bay

MANILA, Tuesday (AP)—Dutch colonial troops made two amphibious landings and secured positions in the swampy inner limits of Balikpapan bay in southeastern Dutch Borneo Saturday, Gen. Douglas MacArthur's headquarters disclosed today.

The Dutch forces were mostly Indonesians led by Netherlands officers, but included a force of volunteers from the West Indies.

They met small-arms fire and gunfire from small Japanese boats as they went ashore on the east coast of the Teakembang peninsula but quickly secured their beachhead. Simultaneously another Dutch force crossed the 150-yard mouth of the Soember river and occupied the Kariango peninsula.

These operations, first official word of Dutch troops' participation in the Balikpapan campaign to free the great oil-producing island, extended and solidified allies control of the bay that is Borneo's chief oil outlet.

Australian troops who invaded Balikpapan on July 1 continued to push northward beyond captured Manggar airfield, 13 road miles northeast of Balikpapan.

A Wonderful Day For an Eclipse

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FLAG CEREMONY MAKES CAPTURE OFFICIAL



MARINE LIEUT. GEN. ROY S. GEIGER, new commanding general of the marine fleet forces in the Pacific, salutes as the United States flag is hoisted at official ceremonies marking the capture of Okinawa.

At a Glance—Today's Iowan

More than 1,000 carrier-based planes raid Tokyo.

500-550 B-29's dump fire bombs on four Jap cities, explosives on fifth.

Senate starts hearings on world charter.

Russian, British, U. S. officers to meet to settle question of Berlin government.

Truman on way to Big Three meeting by ship.

Turkey Uneasy Over Balkans

ISTANBUL, July 8—(Delayed)—(AP)—There is much uneasiness in Turkey over the situation along the southern frontiers of the Balkans, especially those of Bulgaria and Yugoslavia adjoining Turkey and Greece.

Istanbul receives reports, some of them apparently authentic, many only rumor, of Russian and Yugoslav military dispositions, of political agitation in Bulgaria and Macedonia.

(Reports from Ankara recently have said that Russia was exerting pressure for a new treaty with Turkey under which the Soviet would obtain a privileged position regarding the Dardanelles and cession of the eastern Turkish districts of Kars and Ardahan.)

(One Ankara broadcast said a Russian demand was reported for "a more democratic" Turkish government and that this was causing "concern in Turkish circles.")

Captured Germans Reveal AP War Correspondent Killed by Nazis

AUSTRIA, July 7—(Delayed)—(AP)—German officials now in custody and former inmates of the Nazis' notorious Mauthausen concentration camp assert that Joseph Morton, Associated Press war correspondent, and 13 American and British companions were shot to death by the Germans last Jan. 24 after their capture in Slovakia.

Morton accompanied the group—nine Americans and four Britons—on a flight into Slovakia to help bring out stranded American aviators.

All 14 were killed in the Mauthausen camp 10 miles east of Linz, and their bodies were cremated, these witnesses said.

(A Rome dispatch said the names of Morton's companions could not yet be disclosed.)

Morton, 34, of St. Joseph, Mo.,

Senate Starts Hearings On Charter

Stettinius Calls Formula Effective Peace Instrument

WASHINGTON (AP)—Senator Vandenberg (R., Mich.) steered the United Nations charter past its first major shoal in the senate foreign relations committee yesterday by assuring the members that the United States could quit the organization at any time.

The committee engaged in a brisk exchange over the withdrawal provisions of the charter soon after the momentous hearings on ratification opened with a plea by Edward R. Stettinius for approval.

Senator Millikin (R., Col.) touched off the debate by contending that the security council set up by the treaty could, in effect, prevent a nation from quitting.

Vandenberg, a signer of the charter, asserted that the United States is free to withdraw "at its own unrestricted option" with only the obligation of saying why.

The penalty, he said, would be "adverse public opinion" if the reasons did not satisfy the "conscience of the world." Then this nation would be in the same position as if it never had joined, subject to the organization's discipline "if we threatened the peace and security of the world."

Millikin insisted though that Dr. Leo Pasovolsky, state department adviser on the treaty, develop for later submission what "rights" the United States would have to quit without suffering for that action.

Pasovolsky was taken over the document line by line in committee questioning after Stettinius guided the charter into the machinery of the senate.

The former secretary of state, designated as this country's chief delegate to the world security agency, presented the charter to the committee as a workable plan for achieving world peace and other high aims of mankind.

His reception, in 50 minutes of prepared testimony in the crowded caucus room, was obviously sympathetic.

Stettinius outlined the general program but left pinpoint detail to his technical advisers.

Soldier Father Cleared of Suspicion In Kidnaping Case

MARION, Ohio (AP)—Tech. Sgt. John L. Creviston, overseas veteran whose six-day-old daughter, Jean Eileen, was snatched from her hospital crib here Sunday night, "is definitely separated from any responsibility in the kidnaping," Police Chief William E. Marks declared last night.

Marks said Creviston was questioned by army airforce and state highway patrol officials at Lockbourne air base, where he is stationed, and his story verified.

The sergeant said he attended a house party in Fostoria, Ohio, during the weekend, traveling there from Columbus by train Friday and returning in an automobile with friends Monday morning.

The police chief said several clues were being followed, but withheld details except to report discovery of a hospital diaper in West Marion. Forty-two boys on bicycles, recruited and directed by police, scoured a 400-acre tract near where the diaper was found, but found no further clues, Marks said.

Admiral Says Yanks 'Can Land Anywhere'

SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—Vice Admiral Daniel E. Barbey, who has directed 56 amphibious landings—more than any other man in the world—said yesterday American forces "can land anywhere in the world" and predicted victory over Japan by the summer of 1946.

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News Behind The News

By Paul Mallon

WASHINGTON—Henry Morgenthau's side of his resignation story told how he had become irritated by constantly recurring rumors of his impending departure...

Mr. Truman offered to deny the rumors. Mr. Morgenthau thought the denial should promise his continuance in office "at least until Japan is defeated."

The other side of the story implies that many of Mr. Truman's highest placed associates were worried about Mr. Morgenthau possibly succeeding to the presidency...

Morgenthau in Line Little note was taken of the situation, but if anything had happened to Mr. Truman during the few days interval after he accepted the resignation of State Secretary Stettinius...

Now Messrs. Truman and Byrnes are going to Berlin for the Big Three conference (but not together, as a precaution.)

Mr. Morgenthau was still clearly next in line—until his squeezed resignation placed him in a position where unquestionably he would have to decline the office.

This situation may not have worried Mr. Truman, but associates working in his interests no doubt were the authors of what Mr. Morgenthau thought to be "irritating rumors."

Around the top of this administration Mr. Morgenthau had been regarded as a man with good New York banking connections, but expendable.

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Yanks Outwit Japanese—Unsinkable Carriers

By JAMES J. STREIBIG AP Aviation Editor

GUAM—Water is so plentiful along the road to Tokyo that land has military value beyond ordinary conception.

The Japanese once boastfully described as "unsinkable aircraft carriers" the islands from which fire and explosives now are being thrown into their empire.

While the enemy called the sorry little huddles of sand, rock and ash carriers, they never learned to use them with the flight and hangar deck efficiency developed by American daring ingenuity.

Better Airfields Airfields have been built where the Japanese never could have built them, and where the Japanese had built them they are being made larger and better.

Most of the islands now have on them more than twice as many aircraft as originally had been believed possible. The rapid increase in the size of B-29 attacks is one of the results.

"Calculated Risk" A high official, responsible for much of the work in making use of the land, said the disregard for customary spacing in aircraft dispersal was part of the "calculated risk" in the plan for hitting Japan with as much as possible as quickly as possible.

Bombers, fighters and search planes are often crowded together, but distance has been a considerable safety factor and the Japanese have had little opportunity to take advantage of what might be lush targets.

The rapid increase scheduled in the Pacific air war may see reactivation of some of the islands which now are so far behind the "front line" they are manned only by security and maintenance forces.

Wake Valuable It may bring an end to the lonely Japanese on Wake Island, which could be used for a shorter ferry and transport route to the Marianas. Another route would take some of the load of the present Hawaii-Johnston-Kwajalein-Guam run.

Greater use probably will be made of floating supply and maintenance centers, not only to save land space but to make available for permanent construction some of the effort which would otherwise be put in temporary establishments.

UNIVERSITY CALENDAR

Tuesday, July 10 2 p. m. Bridge, University club

Wednesday, July 11 3 p. m. Lecture by Dr. Charles R. Keyes on "The Hopewell Phase," chemistry auditorium

Thursday, July 12 3:30-5:30 p. m. Tea, University club

Friday, July 13 4 p. m. Speech and Hearing Rehabilitation conference, senate chamber, Old Capitol

Saturday, July 14 9 a. m. Panel forum led by Col. Jack Major, house chamber, Old Capitol

Sunday, July 15 7:00 a. m. Iowa Mountaineers; All day canoe outing

Monday, July 16 4 p. m. Illustrated lecture on exhibition of contemporary art by Dean Hallie Flanagan Davis, art auditorium

Tuesday, July 17 7:30 p. m. Bridge, University club

Wednesday, July 18 3 p. m. Lecture: "The Mississippi Archeological Pattern—The Oneota, Remains of the Chiwere Siouans," by Professor Charles R. Keyes, chemistry auditorium

Thursday, July 19 4 p. m. Gallery tour of exhibition of contemporary art; meet in gallery of art building

Friday, July 20 8:30 p. m. Summer session lecture by Col. Jack Major, west approach to Old Capitol (Macbride auditorium in case of rain)

Saturday, July 21 9 a. m. Panel forum led by Col. Jack Major, house chamber, Old Capitol

Sunday, July 22 7:00 a. m. Iowa Mountaineers; All day canoe outing

Monday, July 23 4 p. m. Illustrated lecture on exhibition of contemporary art by Dean Hallie Flanagan Davis, art auditorium

Tuesday, July 24 7:30 p. m. Bridge, University club

Wednesday, July 25 3 p. m. Lecture: "The Mississippi Archeological Pattern—The Oneota, Remains of the Chiwere Siouans," by Professor Charles R. Keyes, chemistry auditorium

Thursday, July 26 4 p. m. Gallery tour of exhibition of contemporary art; meet in gallery of art building

Friday, July 27 8:30 p. m. Summer session lecture by Col. Jack Major, west approach to Old Capitol (Macbride auditorium in case of rain)

Saturday, July 28 9 a. m. Panel forum led by Col. Jack Major, house chamber, Old Capitol

Sunday, July 29 7:00 a. m. Iowa Mountaineers; All day canoe outing

Monday, July 30 4 p. m. Illustrated lecture on exhibition of contemporary art by Dean Hallie Flanagan Davis, art auditorium

Tuesday, July 31 7:30 p. m. Bridge, University club

Wednesday, August 1 3 p. m. Lecture: "The Mississippi Archeological Pattern—The Oneota, Remains of the Chiwere Siouans," by Professor Charles R. Keyes, chemistry auditorium

Thursday, August 2 4 p. m. Gallery tour of exhibition of contemporary art; meet in gallery of art building

Friday, August 3 8:30 p. m. Summer session lecture by Col. Jack Major, west approach to Old Capitol (Macbride auditorium in case of rain)

Saturday, August 4 9 a. m. Panel forum led by Col. Jack Major, house chamber, Old Capitol

Sunday, August 5 7:00 a. m. Iowa Mountaineers; All day canoe outing

Monday, August 6 4 p. m. Illustrated lecture on exhibition of contemporary art by Dean Hallie Flanagan Davis, art auditorium

Tuesday, August 7 7:30 p. m. Bridge, University club

HAVING HER FACE LIFTED



Byrnes Is Ideal Man For Secretary of State And as No. 2 in Party

By JACK STINNETT

WASHINGTON—In time there is sure to be a deluge of books and articles on the theme: "The Remarkable Career of James F. Byrnes."

By appointing Byrnes secretary of state, President Truman has done what he wanted and fully intended to do when he supported Byrnes for vice-president in 1944: nominate him for No. 2 place in the Democratic administration.

It is true that the new presidential succession bill as passed by the house of representatives, making speaker of the house third in line of succession of both president and vice-president, would alter all this. But observers are certain the succession bill will strike snags in the senate.

Some doubt that President Truman ever intended his recommendation of such a bill as any more than a gesture to congress—an assurance that in naming a new secretary of state he was not trying to be dictatorial in naming his successor.

Senate Wary As it is, the senate in confirming Byrnes, or anyone else who might be nominated secretary of state when the vice-president has succeeded to the presidency, is, in effect, naming him the nation's No. 2 man.

At any rate, unless the law is changed Byrnes is the No. 2 man in the administrator of our foreign policies—at a time when those foreign policies are probably more vital to the future of the nation and the world than at any other time in our history.

Supported Byrnes In June of last year, the then Sen. Harry S. Truman went to the Democratic national convention with a speech nominating Byrnes for the vice-presidency in his pocket.

Immediately after he had taken the oath of office as president, he dispatched a navy plane to Spartanburg, S. C., to rush Byrnes to Washington. The latter's appearance here on the eve of the San Francisco conference gave rise to so much speculation that he would be appointed secretary of state that the president, Secretary Edward R. Stettinius Jr., and Byrnes all were embarrassed and our effectiveness in the conference threatened.

President Truman hastily sent Byrnes back to Spartanburg, where Byrnes' silence further stimulated the rumor.

Obvious Secretary It was too apparent that being Truman's selection in '44, that having been at the Yalta conference where he took down every word in the court reporter shorthand he learned as a youth, that having the respect of the senate of which he was once a popular member, and having the long experience he has had in all branches of government, he was the man, almost the only man, for secretary of state.

All that is left now is for Byrnes to brightly paint this one more feather in his cap.

Saturation Raids of Japan Well on Way

By KIRKE L. SIMPSON Associated Press News Analyst

The promised American saturation bombing of Japan's home islands in preparation for the next major move against the Asiatic foe is well on its way now even though probably few if any ships or personnel redeployed from Europe have yet gone into action.

Current figures from the 21st bomber command show that its Marianas based Superforts flew 6,500 sorties in the 39 days from June 1st with a loss ratio of substantially one-half-of-one per cent, or 39 ships. That loss figure is convincing evidence of ineffective enemy defenses either in air or from the ground.

During June, the big bombers accounted for 138 enemy planes destroyed, a figure that means that during the whole 30 day June-July period the foe's air losses ran four to one or more.

Heavier Raids Coming Yet as of this date the promised 1,000 superfort blows have been no more than half realized on any particular day. Only twice, in July, did the attacking fleet reach the 600 plane mark.

Not only is full B-29 deployment against Japan yet to be reached, but better weather conditions for long range missions are to be expected after the monsoon bred rains in the China sea region end within the next two months.

Both the bomber command recapitulation and broadcasts from Tokyo stress the recent increasing diversion of Superforts from incendiary and bomb raids to mine planting. Added to naval surface and subsurface and army-navy air patrols ranging all the seas about Japan, aerial mining is tightening up the blockade of Japan another important notch. It tends to make the movement of even coastal and fishing craft in Japanese territorial waters precarious and must gravely increase food shortages.

Weather Is Handicap The wet monsoon season that so greatly hampers major military activities in Burma or elsewhere in the southeastern Asia command battle zone diminishes to just rainy weather in the north; but it does restrict air activity to some extent and increases losses in planes and personnel due to other than enemy action.

Around early September the monsoon will blow itself out in the Indian ocean and the Bay of Bengal, however, and from then on stepped-up allied assault by air, by sea and on the ground can be expected at both

ends of the transpacific battle front. British official commentators note that present activities by the 14th army in Burma are "to a great extent in preparation for what is to come" since the wet monsoon "still dominates operations." They conclude that battered Japanese army remnants in Burma have been trying to set up "a coherent defense line" between the Sittang and Salween rivers "to cover the approaches to Siam and Indo-China."

Overcomes Monsoon The British 14th army, in due course to be joined by the 12th in process of concentration at Rangoon, was not halted by the monsoon season last year. Despite rains that deluge Burma it prepared the way for the subsequent sweep to Rangoon and is repeating this year. According to its commander, General Slim, two-thirds of its "fighting troops" and some 80 per cent of its administrative personnel "are Indian."

"Nothing I can say about them (Indian troops) could be adequate to express my admiration for the part they have played in the (Burma) campaign," their commander added.

Infantile Paralysis Cases Increase

We are now in the midst of the season when the ever-present threat of infantile paralysis becomes even more dangerous. It is during the summer months, from June to September, that polio strikes down most of its victims.

In Iowa and throughout the rest of the nation, public cases have increased at an alarming rate this year. About 50 per cent more cases of infantile paralysis were reported in the first five months of this year, than were reported in 1944.

Although the figures are alarming, the Iowa State Health department cautions against "hysteria" about talk of an epidemic.

EXAGGERATION OR RUMOR ABOUT THE DISEASE WILL ONLY LEAD TO DIFFICULTY IN CONTROLLING IT," THE DEPARTMENT SAID.

The National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis offers these suggestions to help fight the spread of polio:

Avoid overtiring and extreme fatigue from strenuous exercise.

Avoid sudden chilling such as would come from a plunge into extremely cold water on a very hot day.

PAY CAREFUL ATTENTION TO PERSONAL CLEANLINESS, SUCH AS THOROUGH HAND-WASHING BEFORE EATING. HYGIENIC HABITS SHOULD ALWAYS BE OBSERVED.

If possible avoid tonsil and adenoid operations during epidemics. Careful study has shown that such operations, when done during an epidemic, tend to increase the danger of contracting infantile paralysis in its most serious form.

Use the purest milk and water you can. Keep flies away from food. While the exact means of spreading the disease is not known, contaminated water and milk are always dangerous and flies have repeatedly been shown to carry the infantile paralysis virus.

Do not swim in polluted water. Maintain community sanitation at a high level at all times.

Avoid all unnecessary contact with persons with any illness suspicious of infantile paralysis.

Why infantile paralysis is more prevalent in the summer than in any other season can not be explained by miscalculation, largely because communication of the disease still remains an unknown factor. It also is difficult to explain the sharp increase in cases this year.

Iowa had 204 polio cases in 1944. Of that number, 184 were reported between the months of June and October. In the first five months of 1944, no polio cases were reported in the state. This year three were reported.

These figures are a warning that Iowans must be more careful this summer. Continual hygienic practices are the best safeguards.

If he tries to get another Stone or Roberts he will, at best, be able to keep the court bewildering.

They have 65-hour trip ahead STRIPPED TO THE WAIST, overseas war veterans are shown here jammed into a day coach, trying to make themselves as comfortable as possible for a 65-hour trip that lies ahead. They are en route from Camp Shanks, N. Y., to Fort Lewis, Washington and then home. The ODT, to ease the situation, has ordered all trains going less than 450 miles to discontinue Pullman service on such trips. (International)

Swiss Schools Adopt War-Torn Universities BERNE (AP)—Under a plan for aiding the reconstruction of other European universities, Switzerland's University of Neuchâtel has "adopted" the universities of Oslo and Groningen (Holland).

Books and other materials were supplied to the foreign universities, and professors and students needing a rest were brought to Switzerland for holidays.

The University of Fribourg has similarly adopted the Dutch university of Nimeugen, and the University of Basel has become the patron of the University of Utrecht.

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GENERAL NOTICES

SOUND MOTION PICTURES Sound pictures on "Using Visual Aids in Training" and "The Supervisor as a Leader" will be shown Thursday, July 12, at 1 p. m. in room 213, University Hall. GEORGE HITTLER College of Commerce

NEWMAN CLUB Newman club will hold a regular meeting Tuesday, July 10, at 7:30 p. m. at the Catholic student center. The discussion on "Universal Compulsory Military Service" will be reviewed. MAUREEN McGIVERN Secretary

EXHIBITION OF CONTEMPORARY ART June 24-July 31, 1945 Hours for the exhibition of contemporary art are: Iowa Union 8 a. m. to 9 p. m., Monday through Friday, and Sunday. 8 a. m. to 8 p. m., Saturday. Art Building 10 to 12 a. m., 1 to 5 p. m. and 8 to 10 p. m., Monday through Friday. 10 to 12 a. m., 1 to 5 p. m., Saturday. 1 to 5 p. m., Sunday. EARL E. HARPER, Director, School of Fine Arts L. D. LONGMAN, Head, Art Department

SCHOLARSHIPS All undergraduate students who will be eligible for a partial tuition exemption, Carr scholarship or a LaVerne Noyes scholarship during the first semester of 1945-46 should have the application completed and filed in room 9, Old Capitol, by July 16. ROBERT L. BALLANTYNE Secretary Committee on Student Aid

ART EXHIBITION TOURS A series of gallery tours on the art exhibition in Iowa Union and the art building has been arranged for Wednesdays and Sundays at 4 p. m. throughout the remainder of this month. Graduate assistants in the art department will conduct the tours, starting in the main gallery of the art building and proceeding through the art auditorium and the Union lounge. L. D. LONGMAN Head, Art Department

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COMMEMENCEMENT ANNOUNCEMENTS Candidates for degrees at the Aug. 8 Commencement who wish to order announcements should place their order at the alumni office, Old Capitol, not later than noon, July 21. Cash should accompany order. F. G. HIGBEE Director of Convocations

IOWA UNION MUSIC ROOM SCHEDULE Monday—11-2, 4-6, 7-9. Tuesday—11-2, 4-6, 7-9. Wednesday—11-2, 4-6, 7-9. Thursday—11-2, 4-6, 7-9. Friday—11-2, 3-5, 6-8. Saturday—11-2, 3-5. Sunday—1-5, 6-8. The Philharmonic and NBC symphonies may be heard in the music room Sunday afternoon at 2 and 4 o'clock respectively. EARL E. HARPER Director, Iowa Union

SCHEDULE UNIVERSITY LIBRARY HOURS June 13-Aug. 8, 1945 Reading Rooms, Macbride Hall and Library Annex Monday-Thursday 7:50 a. m.-12 M. 1-6 p. m. 7-10 p. m. Friday 7:50 a. m.-12 M. 1-6 p. m. Saturday 7:50 a. m.-12 M. 1-5 p. m. Government Documents Dept., Library Annex Monday-Friday 8 a. m.-12 M. 1-6 p. m. Saturday 8 a. m.-12 M. 1-5 p. m. Education - Philosophy - Psychology Library, East Hall Monday-Friday 7:50 a. m.-10 p. m. Saturday 7:50 a. m.-5 p. m. Schedules of hours for other departmental libraries will be posted on the doors of each library. Reserve books may be withdrawn for overnight use at 5 p. m. on Fridays and at 4 p. m. on Saturdays. E. E. ELLSWORTH Director

FRENCH READING EXAMINATION The Ph. D. French reading examination will be given in room 314, Schaeffer hall Saturday, July 28, from 10 to 12 a. m. Application must be made before Thursday, July 26 by signing the sheet posted on the bulletin board outside room 307, Schaeffer hall. S. H. BUSH Romance Languages Department

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Education Workshop To Begin Initial Discussion Program

First discussion period in the summer workshop in secondary education will be opened today for the teachers and administrators enrolled in the course. Registration and a general organizational meeting took place yesterday.

The general session this afternoon at 1:30 in the library of University high school will concern the use of visual aids in teaching. J. Stanley McIntosh, visual aids specialist with the United States office of education, will speak on "Developments in Visual Aids for Schools"; John Bridges, acting director of visual education in the university, will discuss "Visual Aids Equipment in Schools."

General discussion sessions will follow the presentations with speakers in each afternoon session of the workshop, which will end July 27. All students interested in secondary education are invited to attend the afternoon sessions of the workshop, whether or not they are enrolled.

The program for tomorrow afternoon includes a discussion on "Emerging Developments in High School Social Studies" by Robert Keane, head of social studies at the University of Chicago high school.

A symposium on "Education for All American Youth" will be the Thursday program. Participants in the symposium will be J. Lloyd Trump, superintendent of schools, Waukegan, Ill.; Prof. Paul E. Kamby and Prof. L. A. Van Dyke of the college of education; Ernest Zelot, director of business education in the Des Moines public schools, and Prof. George Hiltner of the college of commerce.

L. H. Wood, director of vocational education in the Iowa state department of public instruction will speak on "Needs and Developments in Vocational Education in Iowa" at the Friday afternoon session. Jay R. Johnson, supervisor of distributive education with the state department of public instruction, will discuss "Looking Ahead in Distributive Education" and Zelot will speak on "Problems and Trends in Business Education."

Third Gym Play Night To Entertain Students Saturday at 7:30

The third playnight of the summer session will be held Saturday night in the women's gymnasium. There will be mixed swimming from 7:30 to 9 p. m. in the women's pool and folk dancing from 9 to 10 p. m. in the large recreational room.

Summer session identification cards must be presented at the door for admittance. Men are required to bring their own bathing suits and women must bring their own bathing caps. Suits will be provided for women.

The activities for playnight are planned by a student class in recreational activities. They are Barbara Benson, A3 of Keams Canyon, Ariz.; Ruby Dickerson, U of Galveston, Tex.; George Elliott, G of St. Louis, Mo.; Edna Johnson, G of Cape Girardeau, Mo.; Helen McFadden, A3 of Prairie City, and Margaret Spoon, of Des Plaines, Ill.

Not Shy—Retiring
CHARLESTON, S. C. (AP)—Retirement with a tidy \$300 fortune after two years on one job is six-year-old John Enter's record. Entering school forced Enter's retirement from his \$3-a-day job as jury boy, pulling names from the panel box.



MISS BROWNING ENGAGED

ANNOUNCEMENT IS MADE of the engagement and approaching marriage of Margaret Browning, daughter of E. S. Browning, 327 Blackhawk street, to Dr. John R. Huey, son of Mr. and Mrs. John O. Huey of Rowan. The wedding will take place August 11. Miss Browning is a graduate of Iowa City high school and is a senior at the University of Iowa, where she is affiliated with Kappa Alpha Theta social sorority and Theta Sigma Phi, honorary fraternity for women in journalism. She is president of Mortar board, was editor of the 1944 Hawkeye, and is a member of the P.E.O. sisterhood. Dr. Huey was graduated from Rowan high school, received his B.A. degree from the University of Iowa, and received his M.D. in the June convocation. He is affiliated with Alpha Kappa Kappa medical fraternity. He is now serving his internship at White Cross hospital in Columbus, Ohio.

Art Undeterminable, Longman Tells Tourists

"No definition of art is specific enough to be able to look at an artist's work and say 'This is art!'" said Prof. L. D. Longman in the first of a series of lectures on the contemporary art exhibit. He explained that art is a formal expression of a possibly imagined conception in terms of the medium used, which may be different in the case of each artist.

Professor Longman said it is possible that abstract designs, as displayed by some of the pictures on exhibit, may become popular with the public and eventually be used for commercial art.

The two main aspects of art, according to the speaker, are expression and technique. Under technique can be listed three main qualities: ability to represent, good craftsmanship and ability to speak your language. The last is the most difficult for the average person to understand because he needs to know not only what the artist is representing but in what aspect he is presenting it and what medium he is using.

Joseph Thompson Reported Missing

Joseph Frank Thompson, seaman first class, USNR, of Iowa City has been reported missing by the navy department. His wife, Mrs. Geraldine M. Thompson, resides at 23 N. Lucas street.

Gordon M. Hall, 39, of St. Paul, Minn., army instructor in the university ROTC unit for nine years, has been promoted from captain to major with an Eighth airforce fighter station in England. He is a squadron ground executive officer with the 55th fighter group. Major Hall has been overseas since September, 1943.

A formal gesture of Egyptian hospitality is the serving of a small cup of coffee.

Church Women Plan Tea for Missionary

In honor of Luella Koether of McGregor, missionary on furlough from China, the Women's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist church will entertain at a silver tea tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 in Fellowship hall. Miss Koether will speak on her experiences in a girls' school in Chungking.

A musical program will be included on the program, during which Shirley Harper, vocalist, and Harriet Montgomery, violinist, will present selections.

Included in the guests will be members of the W. S. C. S. organizations from Lone Tree, North Liberty, Tiffin, Solon and West Branch. Serving as hostesses will be officers and unit leaders of the local organization.

Three Licenses Issued

Three marriage licenses were issued by the clerk of the district court yesterday.

Those issued licenses were Edward Schueler and Faye Myers, Donald R. Santee and Lucille M. Stegall, all of Cedar Rapids; and Fredrick Sandahl, Chicago, Ill., and Hildegard Maroush, Iowa City.

Harvest Intensifies Labor Shortage—1,000,000 Workers Needed

By WILLIAM J. CONWAY
CHICAGO (AP)—American farmers need at least 1,000,000 emergency workers as they head down the long, hot harvest trail. Campaigns to recruit as much of this manpower as possible are enlisting a motley multitude—migratory workers, prisoners of war, Mexicans, Jamaicans, Bahamians, men, women and youthful students from cities and towns, Indians, convicts and conscientious objectors—to pick fruit, gather vegetables and bring in the grain between now and late autumn.

Agriculture's regular force was estimated at 8,400,000 persons, the smallest in 21 years, at the start of the planting season; and the tremendous task ahead was measured by recent forecasts that the total crop volume would be well above average.

A survey by the Associated Press shows that requirements for

Lutheran Ladies Aid Sponsors Lawn Party For Married Couples

A lawn party sponsored by the Ladies Aid of St. Paul's Lutheran church will be held for married couples of the congregation and for servicemen and their wives tonight, immediately after a short business meeting from 8 to 8:15 at the Floyd Wolfe farm at North Liberty.

Members of the committee in charge are Mrs. Walter Goetsch and Mrs. L. C. Wuerffel. Mrs. Wolfe will be in charge of refreshments, and Mrs. Carl Larsen will supervise entertainment.

West Lucas Women's Club
Hazel Swim will discuss the Schick hospital in Clinton at a meeting of the West Lucas Women's club at 2 o'clock this afternoon in the home of Mrs. H. J. Dane, route 4. Mrs. John Meintzer and Mrs. Ira Fiders will be in charge of the program. There will be a miscellaneous sale among members of the group. A short business meeting and a social hour will be included.

Women's Relief Corps
The Women's Relief corps will have a business meeting at 2 o'clock this afternoon in the USO building. Mrs. J. E. Pechman will be in charge of the meeting.

Ladies Aid of Congregational Church
Mrs. S. D. Whiting, 810 Whiting avenue, will be hostess to the Ladies Aid of the Congregational church tomorrow evening at 6 o'clock, at the annual picnic of the group. All members of the congregation are invited. Those who plan to attend are asked to bring a covered dish, sandwiches and their own table service.

University of Iowa Dame's Sewing Club
The University of Iowa Dame's Sewing club will meet tomorrow evening at 7:30 in the home of Mrs. Wayne Severson, 309 N. Capitol street, for a business meeting. Mrs. Severson will be in charge of the meeting.

University Club
The University club will have its last tea of the year at 3:30 p. m. Thursday in the University club-rooms of Iowa Union. Vocal selections will be presented by Katharine La Sheek of the university music department. Mrs. George F. Kay will be chairman for the afternoon, assisted by Mrs. B. J. Lambert, Mrs. E. B. Kurtz, Catherine Mullin and Elizabeth Hunter.

Selection for Summer—

White Blouses Tops

—For Dress or Casual



STRICTLY IN VOGUE are the white blouses worn by Shirley Zeig, A3 of Newton, and Jo Huston, A2 of Columbus Junction. Shirley sports a full rayon crepe blouse which falls loosely from a gathered neckline. The neckline is designed with a low back and ties in front with a drawstring. The puffed sleeves feature narrow cuff bands. Jo favors a white fitted blouse of sharkskin. Outstanding are the loose short sleeves which are split from the shoulder line to the cuff.

University coeds are going all-out for white in the blouse line this summer. Blouses and skirts can be worn to advantage for either dress occasions or casual wear.

Marian Getman, A3 of Davenport, sets off a beautiful summer tan with her white fitted blouse of sharkskin, cut with short sleeves and high rounded neckline. The blouse buttons down the back, and narrow stitched pleats running lengthwise trim the front.

Designed to catch the slightest summer breeze is the white Mexican blouse worn by Virginia Jennings, A4 of Smithshire, Ill. The blouse is cut with a low rounded neckline which falls loosely over the shoulders and is low in back. The neckline and short sleeves are trimmed with Mexican lace.

Helen Pitz, A3 of Amana, feels that perforation is the answer to catching that illusive summer breeze. So her choice in blouses is an eyelet embroidered pique with short sleeves. Ruffles around the V-neck of the fitted blouse continue down to the waistline. The blouse is gathered in the back from the yoke.

Lace trim accents the blouse worn by Dottie Keller, A4 of Davenport. The short puffed sleeves and low rounded neckline are trimmed in lace. The semi-fitted blouse is of white batiste, and falls loosely from the gathered neck to a fitted waistline. Small pearl buttons are set down the front.

Marce Smith, G of Burlington, has chosen a soft white rayon jersey for her semi-fitted summer blouse. It is cut with a rounded neckline, short puffed sleeves with narrow cuffs, and buttons down the front. The blouse ties at the neckline with a drawstring.

Bobbie Russell, G of Kansas City, Mo., favors a white long sleeved silk crepe trimmed with a double bow effect at the collarless neckline. The semi-fitted blouse buttons down the front with tiny pearl buttons. Red stitching on the cuffs of the long full sleeves and on the bows serve as an added accent.

The dressy blouse worn by Ricki Manker, C4 of East St. Louis, Ill., is made more dressy by the jabot trimmed with five rows of lace, which falls from a turned collar band. The blouse of white silk crepe buttons down the front with tiny pearl buttons and the short sleeves are designed with narrow cuffs. Semi-fitted, the blouse is pleated at the waistband.

Three-quarter length sleeves are the choice of Mercedes Horan, A4 of Lakewood, Ohio, when it comes to summer blouses. Her white full rayon crepe blouse is elaborated with stitched pleats down the front and tucked pleats at the inside of the elbow of the sleeves. The high rounded neckline is trimmed with a narrow stitched band. The blouse buttons in back with small white pearl buttons.

Every day 153,000 New Yorkers ride back and forth on the 11 passenger ferry lines across the Hudson.

Registration Ends July 15 for Summer Boy Scout Camp

July 15 is the deadline for registration for Boy Scouts wishing to attend Camp Wo-Pe-Na this summer. Owen B. Theil, scout executive, said yesterday. Registrations numbering 109 have been received so far, filling both the buddy camp and wilderness camp for the first two weeks, Theil said.

Five places in the pioneer camp for the first week, and three for the third week are still open. For the second week, only one scout has registered for the pioneer unit, in which 19 places are available.

Camp Wo-Pe-Na is sponsored financially by the Rotary club and by the money raised from waste paper drives. The camp was recently cleaned and some construction work was done by local men who have volunteered their work. The men who helped are

C. A. Conklin, Dr. James T. Bradbury, Raymond Culp, Harold Tellen, A. J. Pudgil, Howard L. Wilkison, Ralph Tarrant, George P. Thomas, Phil Raber, Wade Russell, Verne Pangborn, M. C. Swailes, Merrit Ewalt, W. A. Zimmerman, D. C. Nolan, E. W. Hall, G. W. Pugsley, Frank Kinney, Elwyn K. Swain, Miles W. Davis, Hugh Carson, Dr. Charles Laughead, Harvey Henderson, George Ebert, E. H. Waller and H. H. Blendarra.

Prof. C. R. Keyes To Continue Lectures On Primitive Cultures

Prof. Charles R. Keyes, nationally known authority on the anthropology and archaeology of this area, will speak tomorrow afternoon on "The Hopewell Phase" in his series of lectures on primitive cultures. The discussion of this specific period of primitive culture in the heart of Iowa will begin at 3 p. m. in the chemistry auditorium.

Few people know that in this state there are hundreds of ceremonial burial places, each elaborately preserved by a mound. From such mounds Professor Keyes has collected thousands of specimens of tools, war materials, trinkets, works of art and other evidences revealing the characteristics and achievements of these people. The lecture will be especially informative to those who are interested in the study of primitive cultures and particularly in the evidences which have been revealed through excavations in Iowa.

New Navy Program To Train Pre-Cadets

A naval program designed to prepare prospective air-cadets before their entrance into the navy has been established according to the local pre-flight base.

The purpose of the program is to provide appropriate college training for aviation cadets prior to their assignment to the standard flight training program and it is designed for the younger and less experienced men who wish to become naval aviators.

Eligibility for the program is limited to unmarried men under 20 years of age on Nov. 1, 1945, who have not advanced beyond the fifth pay grade.

High school graduates who are interested should see Lieut. James Fawcett of the local base prior to July 20.

Hey—Cut That Out!



APPARENTLY patriotism is something alien to goats. Little Muriel Marley stopped off for a while at the Bronx Zoo in New York while on the way to the butcher's with some used fat. No sooner had she taken a seat than the goat began to chew away on the tin can and the fat inside. Guess it didn't know that the fat is used to make munitions to blast the Japs. (International)

Vienna Awaits Yanks; Relief Group Aids U. S. Food Problem

VIENNA (AP)—British colony in Vienna expectantly awaited the first sight of Yank and British uniforms in years as news spread that they would join the Russians in occupying the capital.

While Viennese generally hailed the Anglo-American coming, for the American-British colony it will provide a long-missing link with the outside world.

Viennese with British and American connections are managing to get one square meal daily in a tiny restaurant sponsored by the so-called Relief Association for American Citizens and British Subjects.

The head of the relief association is Dr. Walter Sigrist, who said he considered himself an American since as a child he lived in Port Chester, New York. He returned to study medicine in Berlin and Vienna and remained here.

A written statement of the group said its principal task was to give moral and material help to Americans and British and listed daily lunches for more than 300 without meal tickets.

Six Men Leave For Examinations

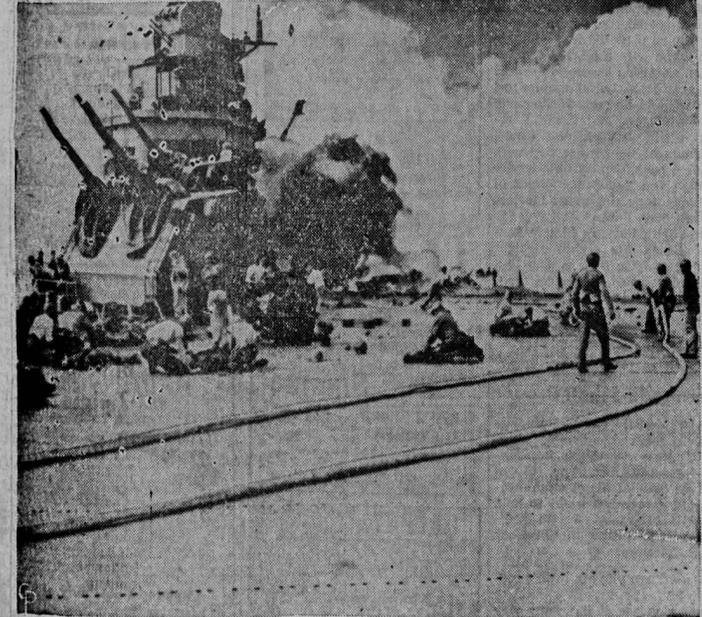
Sunday night six Johnson county men left for physical examinations at Jefferson Barracks, Mo.

Those leaving were John Harold Aicher, Morris Harry Kimmel, Rudolph Joseph Bauer, Richard Dean Wonderly, Thomas Paul Murphy and Willard Kiester Shaw.

Elmer E. Mozee left for final induction.

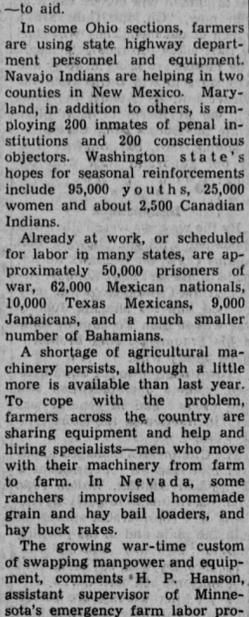
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U. S. BOMB EXPLODES KILLING 51 ON CARRIER



FIFTY-ONE MEN DIED on the flight deck of this unnamed U. S. carrier after a 500-pound bomb from one of its own planes had exploded as the plane landed. Many other crewmen were injured. Above, medical aid men are treating wounded while others fight fire. Photo from Yank. (International)

SON, LIKE FATHER, TO RIDE BARREL OVER FALLS



WILLIAM HILL, JR., poses in the steel barrel in which he plans to ride over Niagara Falls, thus repeating the feat of his father who went over the Falls in the same barrel in 1831 and lived to tell about it. Young William is risking his life to attract attention to a memorial fund for his father. (International)

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Brooklyn Fans Turn Out In Drove to See Bums

Attendance Figures Soar

Greenberg's Already Pulling Them In For Detroit Tigers

NEW YORK (AP)—Now that Brooklyn fans again are knocking down the fences trying to get into Ebbets Field, major league attendance figures are soaring toward pre-war standards with 5,074,775 customers paying their way into the 16 parks in the first half of the 1945 season.

As the majors went into a three-day "vacation," normally reserved for the all-star game but now used for charity tilts, the Dodgers home total of 715,465 was much the best.

Bums Pulling 'Em In

Not since the Larry MacPhail era in Flatbush have the Bums touched the 1,000,000 mark but that figure could be reached this year if Leo Durocher can keep his club in the race. Both the 1944 and 1943 home totals have been passed by the current Brooks, who have been seen by 100,000 more than turned out for the entire season a year ago.

Hank Greenberg already has repaid Detroit for the \$55,000 salary he draws with the Tigers showing the pace in the American league on a home attendance of about 577,238 of which 270,182 was rung up during the latest Briggs Stadium stand.

Despite the Bengals' spurt at the gate, the New York Giants are second in the majors with 589,328, most of which was amassed in the early season days when Mel Ott's gang was in first place.

Poor Yankees

Fourth place goes to the New York Yankees with 363,975, not a true picture because Joe McCarthy's gang is just coming home to open a long stand against the west.

Because the vagaries of the scheduled called for two western tours by the American league eastern representatives and the opposite in the National, the mid-season marks should give the eastern National and western Americans a decided advantage.

Braves Coming Up

Boston reflects the far-sighted spending of the new Braves' owners by turning out 259,704 for the first half, about 15,000 more than the club drew all last year. The Mort Cooper purchase, Tommy Holmes' hitting streak and the run-scoring power of Bob Coleman's lineup appears to be the answer.

Cincinnati attendance is the poorest of the majors, approximately 143,258 to date but that's only 5,000 behind the world champion St. Louis Cardinals. Boston and Philadelphia and Cleveland are the low teams in the American although the Indians just finished a long stay at home.

The approximate home paid attendance of the majors for the first half season was:

National League

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| Brooklyn | 715,465 |
| New York | 589,328 |
| Chicago | 297,485 |
| Pittsburgh | 289,731 |
| Boston | 259,704 |
| Philadelphia | 186,208 |
| St. Louis | 148,725 |
| Cincinnati | 143,258 |

American League

| | |
|--------------|---------|
| Detroit | 577,238 |
| New York | 363,975 |
| Chicago | 312,827 |
| St. Louis | 267,948 |
| Washington | 235,712 |
| Cleveland | 229,896 |
| Philadelphia | 228,839 |
| Boston | 228,436 |

Discharged Veterans To Aid 1945 Football At University of Iowa

Discharged veterans and 4-F athletes will be a big help to University of Iowa football next fall, believes Coach Clem Crowe. A nucleus of 13 men in these classifications already is counted upon for the Hawkeyes.

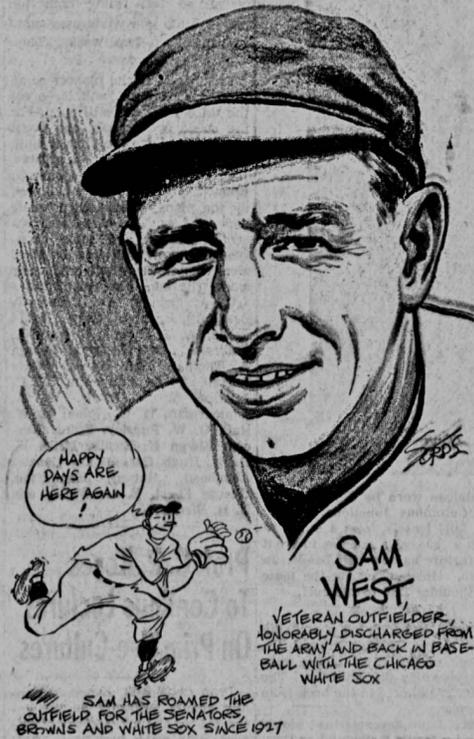
Jack Kelso and Nels Smith Jr. are in the discharged veteran class. Kelso was a regular end on the 1944 team and Smith was the leading scorer at halfback center on the same team.

Jim Harding, back, Andy Novassad, tackle and Bob Wischmeier, end, are also swapping khaki for the black and gold.

Others in this class are Allen McCord and Vince Owens, quarterbacks; Deane Selken, end; and George Moore, halfback.

It looks as though fans for the coming season can expect some football worth watching—and rightly so, too!

RETURNING VET - - - By Jack Sords



SAM WEST, VETERAN OUTFIELDER, HONORABLY DISCHARGED FROM THE ARMY AND BACK IN BASEBALL WITH THE CHICAGO WHITE SOX

SAM HAS ROAMED THE OUTFIELD FOR THE SENATORS, BRUINS AND WHITE SOX SINCE 1917

Bremers Spill Automen, 6-4; Two Teams Tie for League Title

Bremers and Complete Auto, at present, co-champions of the first half of play in the City Softball league, gave a hint of things to come in their coming championship battle Friday night, as they opened the second half of play in the league last night on the Benton street diamond, the Bremers twin winning an unimpressive, 6 to 4 victory.

Bremers moved into a tie with the Automen at 6 wins and 1 loss Saturday when their scheduled game with the University Veterans association was forfeited by the Vets when they failed to field a team.

Complete Auto jumped into a 1-0 lead last night in the first inning but the Bremers came back in the second to tie the score at one all. Once again in the third, the Automen pushed across a run to take over command, but once again the Clothiers came back to tie the score in the fourth at two all.

Bremers exploded with a four run rally in the fifth to push way out in the front, but the Automen, not to be counted out of the contest, staged a two run rally in the sixth that fell two runs short of tying the score.

Bill Barbour on the mound for the Clothiers, pitched superb ball as usual, allowing the Auto ten just four hits, but five errors by his mates contributed heavily to the Automen's scoring.

Bremers nicked C. Schuppert for nine blows, but wasted many of their scoring chances by poor base running and failing to hit in the clutch.

A week ago, it looked like Complete Auto had the first half title all wrapped up, but William's Delta Sigs failed to live up to expectations when they fell to the Clothiers in a postponed tilt last week. The Delta Sigs had previously faded from the title picture when they were forced to forfeit a game for not producing an umpire for a contest. Bremer's so-called victory Saturday automatically gave them a 6-1 record and tie with the Automen for the first half title.

Although the date for the championship battle has not definitely been decided as yet, it is expected that the contest will be played Friday night, vacation night for all league teams.

Line score of last night's game:

| | | | | |
|---------------|-----|-----|-----|---|
| Bremers | 010 | 140 | 0-8 | 9 |
| Complete Auto | 101 | 002 | 0-4 | 2 |

Here are the official first half standings:

| | W | L | Pct. |
|-----------------|---|---|------|
| Bremers | 6 | 1 | .857 |
| Complete Auto | 6 | 1 | .857 |
| Wm. Delta Sigs | 5 | 3 | .725 |
| Navy Enlisted | 4 | 3 | .666 |
| O. K. Tire Shop | 3 | 4 | .428 |
| Veterans | 3 | 4 | .428 |
| Sigma Chi | 1 | 7 | .125 |
| George's | 0 | 7 | .000 |

Pops Harrison Finishes Iowa Court Schedule

The twelve-game conference basketball schedule that faces the University of Iowa Hawkeyes for 1946 was drawn by Coach Pops Harrison at the meeting in Chicago Saturday, but is not ready for release until a couple of tentative dates are clarified.

Coach Harrison said that Iowa's opponents would be about the same as those of last year, with one exception, and that he considers the schedule an excellent one. Six games will be played in the field house and six games on the opponent's floors.

Looking toward the reduction of travel, games were booked with teams which are geographically nearest to Iowa. Harrison emphasized that the Hawkeyes would not travel by pullman on any of the trips.

Coach Harrison is now busy arranging for about six non-conference games to fill out the first semester schedule. The conference schedule does not start until January.

The Big Show

| AMERICAN LEAGUE | | | |
|-----------------|----|----|------|
| | W | L | Pct. |
| Detroit | 43 | 28 | .600 |
| Washington | 38 | 32 | .543 |
| New York | 39 | 33 | .542 |
| Chicago | 39 | 36 | .526 |
| Boston | 37 | 35 | .514 |
| St. Louis | 34 | 35 | .493 |
| Cleveland | 33 | 37 | .471 |
| Philadelphia | 22 | 49 | .310 |
| NATIONAL LEAGUE | | | |
| | W | L | Pct. |
| Chicago | 42 | 28 | .600 |
| Brooklyn | 43 | 31 | .581 |
| St. Louis | 42 | 31 | .575 |
| New York | 41 | 36 | .532 |
| Pittsburgh | 37 | 36 | .507 |
| Boston | 36 | 36 | .471 |
| Cincinnati | 33 | 37 | .471 |
| Philadelphia | 20 | 59 | .253 |

Local Netmen Down Des Moines to Keep Undefeated Record

Iowa City's tennis team, undefeated in team play so far this season, kept its record intact Sunday afternoon by stopping Des Moines 7 to 2 in a Midwest Net association meet at the capital city.

Iowa City took all but one of the singles matches and all but one of the doubles matches. . . . John Ebert losing his match to Wilbur Squier, Iowa high school singles champion, 6-4, 6-3 and Harold Klywma and Bruce Higley falling in defeat to Burton Jerral and Milton Riepe, 6-2, 8-6.

Here are the summaries:

Singles
Ken Cline (IC) defeated Frank Brody, 2-6, 6-0.
Wilbur Squier (DM) defeated John Ebert, 6-4, 6-3.
Lieut. Weddington Kelly (IC) defeated Midshipman Bill Burns, 6-0, 6-4.

Doubles
Dr. Clark Millikan (IC) defeated Bill Yeagin, 6-0, 6-1.
Harold Klywma (IC) defeated Bud Poppel, 6-1, 6-1.
Bruce Higley (IC) defeated Tom Archer Jr., 6-0, 6-1.

Disappointed
By the way, we were rather disappointed with the showing that Johnny Crew, the Seahawk hurler, made in his first start Sunday. Although the Clinton Company only touched him for one hit, Johnny was wicker than Yoakam in some of his arguments. And brother—that's plenty wild!

Yanks Romp to 7-1 Triumph Over Giants in War Bond Tilt
NEW YORK (AP)—Hershel Martin's grand slam homer in a six-run third inning helped the New York Yankees to a 7-1 romp over the New York Giants last night before 41,267 who paid \$50,518.00 to see the Red Cross charity exhibition.

The Yank victory, won in a drizzling rain, tossed the big town city series into a three-way tie as the Brooklyn Dodgers had beaten the Yanks but bowed to the Giants in pre-season exhibitions.

Second Guess



By ROY LUCK, Daily Iowan Sports Editor

WE DON'T LIKE to brag of anything—but the saying, "We told you so," seems appropriate at this point. Let's see—it was just about last week at this time that we went to great lengths to exploit the doings of the Chicago Cubs in this column.

At that time, the Cubs were in the midst of a winning streak and at present moment, they are still in the midst of it. In fact they have won ten straight games—which isn't doing bad for any ball club.

Of course, the Philadelphia Phillies have them beat in the number of games lost in a row, but that is neither here nor there. The point is: the Cubs are coming and coming fast—in fact they are already there!

That is to say that they have reached the top of the National league flag chase. Of course, now the point is to stay there.

The way Hank Wysz, Paul Deringer, Claude Passeau and the rest of the Cub flingers are turning in the wins, and the way the big bats of the Bruins are booming, that shouldn't be too hard to do.

The fact that the Cubs are winning and are in the thick of the race now brings back a little informal dinner a bunch of sports writers had some months ago—in fact just when the majors were getting started.

Dick Yoakam, sports editor of WSUI at that time; Bob Brooks, sports editor of WSUI now and your Second Guesser were discussing the merits of the different National league teams over crumpets and tea.

Yoke, being from the great city of Pittsburgh, was naturally for the Pirates, whereas Brooks and your Second Guesser for some reason or other (probably because we were in knee britches), were for the Cubs.

Anybody knowing Yoke, realizes that he can expound by the hour on the reasons why or why not for anything. Naturally, Bob and your Second Guesser were under the table when the discussion (argument) ended—yes, Yoakam won the argument.

But not until several bets had passed by the boards. It ended up by Yoke leading me on to bet that Paul Deringer wouldn't win 12 games by the fourth of July. Naturally, I lost—but by a close margin.

However, I think the other two bets will cost Yoakam some money. One was that the Cubs would win the pennant, not the Pirates, and the other one was that Deringer wouldn't win 12 games by the end of the season. Old Paul only has three games to go to win 12 by the end of the season and the finish line is some three months away.

Yoke also promised to write a guest column for the Iowan when the Pirates got in first place. Your Second Guesser wrote him a very nice letter advising him to look at the standings and saying in effect that we thought we wouldn't have to look for a guest column from him if we had to wait until the Bucs were in the top spot in the National race.

Yes, we are very happy about it all. For once, we have come out on top in an argument with Yoakam. Of course, we know what his argument will be. We can hear him now, "Oh, the Cubs are a bunch of old men. They will start to fade when the race gets tough. The Pirates are using strategy and will start to win them when the wins count. By August, the Cubs will be in fourth or fifth place while the Bucs will be on top."

Sounds nice, but we will stick by our guns and stick with the Cubs.

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The Cadets are playing in this season. Hope you see it the same way that we do, Carlos. We really think that Walt would make a good starting pitcher.

Seahawks Dump Clinton, 11 to 6 for 10th Victory

Ohio State Has—Football for Ohioans

Ohioans is about \$150 less than that for out-of-state students.

Another reason that our football team is largely an Ohio organization is that although there are several other state universities in Ohio they are largely sectional in character.

And of course the Ohio State for Ohioans idea wasn't hurt any when Paul Brown, Widdoes, Paul Bixler and other members of the coaching staff moved into the Buck picture direct from the Ohio high school ranks.

Aren't Many States
These probably aren't many states where there is such a close relationship between the high school coaches and the men who build the state university teams.

Within the Big Ten Iowa and Minnesota are in somewhat the same situation as Ohio State. But in Illinois and Indiana, for example, the state universities have a lot of competition from schools in their own state for talent.

Three Outsiders
Last fall, for example, when Ohio State had an unbeaten season and won the Big Ten championship, there were only three members of the varsity squad whose homes are outside Ohio. Those three—Russ Thomas of Hunting, W. Va.; Warren Amling of Pana, Ill., and Paul Maltinsky of Wheeling, W. Pa.—will be back this fall—with perhaps not more than two or three others.

Don't get the idea that Ohio State would turn down a Tommy Harmon just because his home happened to be at Gary, Ind., but Widdoes says: "We make very little effort to get boys from other states."

As proof of his statement, he cited that he made only three appearances outside Ohio in his tour of the high school banquet circuit last fall.

Makes It Easy
"Ohio state makes it easy for Ohio boys to come to school," Widdoes said. "The tuition for

Holmes Keeps National Loop Hitting Lead

NEW YORK (AP)—Tommy Holmes' batting streak still is the No. 1 story of the National league today with the Boston outfielder stretching his string to 37 consecutive games with an average of .401.

Rogers Hornsby's 33-game National league record was passed by Holmes Friday but he showed no signs of letting up as he started out after the "ancient" standard of 44 set by Wee Willie Keeler in 1897. Joe DiMaggio's 56-game streak is the next distant goal.

Cavarretta Climbs
While Holmes was stealing the headlines, Phil Cavarretta of the Chicago Cubs was adding 20 points to his average, soaring into second place at .372 while the Bruins exploded into the lead.

Goody Rosen, Brooklyn fly-chaser, checked his downward spin and came up five degrees to .363 for third honors with the rest of the field trailing far behind. Whitey Kurowski of St. Louis is fourth at .330 followed by Luis Olmo of Brooklyn and rookie Vance Dinges of the Phillies, tied at .328. Others in the top 10 are Stan Hack, Chicago, .327; Mel Ott, New York, .325; Nap Reyes, New York, .323, and Don Johnson, Chicago, .309. All figures included Sunday's games.

Other Leaders
Holmes held tight to first place in two individual departments with 77 runs scored, 125 hits and took over the runs batted in leadership from Olmo with a total of 69. The Boston sensation is second to Dixie Walker of Brooklyn in doubles and third with 14 homers. Walker had 24 two-baggers and Ernie Lombardi of New York and Chuck Workman of Boston are tied with 15 home runs. Olmo's nine triples are high and Red Schoendienst of St. Louis tops the bases stealers with an even dozen.

Although Chicago's Claude Passeau earned his eighth straight pitching decision for a season 10-2 mark he had to take second place to Boston's Mort Cooper who has won eight and dropped only one. Hal Gregg of Brooklyn is the strikeout king with 88 victims.

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Tepe Wins First Contest

Cadets Go on Hitting Spree With 13 Blows; Tepe, McGrath Star

The Iowa Seahawks spotted the Clinton Company four runs in the first inning Sunday on the Iowa diamond and then, came from behind to win their tenth contest of the season, 11 to 6.

Johnny Crew, hurling his first game for the Seahawks since he returned from the injured list a week ago, had trouble finding the plate and seemed to be able to hit only the batsmen. Crew walked one, hit three, and uncorked two wild pitches—enough for the Clinton "Kings" to push over three runs, and all in the first inning on only one hit.

Coach Carlos Ratliff rushed Walter Tepe, the reconverted outfielder, to the mound with the bases still loaded. Tepe managed to retire the side with only one more run crossing the plate, and then proceeded to hurl hitless ball until the eighth, when the "Kings" pushed across a run on one hit. They added another tally in the ninth on two hits.

The Seahawks, meanwhile, had jumped on Morgan, starting hurler for Clinton for six runs in the first two innings. He retired in favor of Peterson, the third baseman, who managed to hold the Cadets pretty well in check, except for spasmodic outbursts of home runs.—Tepe and Milt McGrath slamming out round trippers in the sixth frame.

Dietzel, Seahawk third baseman, led the hitting attack with three singles in four trips to the plate, while Tepe was close behind with a homer and a double in three times at bat.

All told, the "Kings" managed to get the small total of only four blows off the combined efforts of Crew and Tepe. Crew was nicked for one blow in the first before he retired to the dugout and Tepe was tagged for three in the eighth and one third innings he hurled.

Seahawks

| | AB | R | H | E |
|----------|----|----|----|---|
| Dietzel | 4 | 3 | 3 | 0 |
| Morgan | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| McGrath | 4 | 2 | 2 | 1 |
| Rochelli | 4 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Ratliff | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Majorki | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Beason | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Franchek | 4 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Crew | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Tepe | 3 | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| Totals | 31 | 11 | 13 | 2 |

Clinton

| | AB | R | H | E |
|-------------|----|---|---|---|
| Burridge | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Peterson | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| O'Bermlille | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Carlsen | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Hyde (Ed) | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Martin | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Hyde (Earl) | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Schneider | 4 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Morgan | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Donella | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 28 | 6 | 4 | 3 |

Line score:

Seahawks 330 202 01X—11 13 2

Clinton 400 000 011—6 4 3

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Man Denies Murder After Admitting Guilt

WATERLOO AP—Lowell E. Squires yesterday flatly denied that he killed Theodore P. Anthony here 16 years ago, after police officers in three cities said he had confessed to the crime on three other occasions. "I wouldn't kill anybody," said Squires to Sheriff H. T. Wagner, Deputy Sheriff H. M. Mitchell and County Attorney Paul Kildee, when they questioned him in the sheriff's office. Squires is charged with the jealous murder of Anthony, a produce company salesman, on July 11, 1929. Sheriff Wagner said Squires told him that he confessed last November at Lake Charles, La., and again last week at Oria, Ill., to the slaying because he wanted to escape charges there. He was accused of attempted rape in Louisiana and of molesting a girl in a Peoria theater. Deputy Sheriff J. P. Jensen of Waterloo said Squires also confessed the Anthony murder to him while en route to Waterloo from Peoria.

CORRESPONDENT—

(Continued from page 1) were not informed as to their fate. An SS doctor was pretending to examine men and the prisoners were told to remove their uniforms and put on prison clothing. Later they were lined up and marched out, accompanied by Zeireiss and four other SS officers. William Ornstein, a Polish Jew who was a prisoner at Mauthausen and whose duty it was to remove the bodies from the execution room, said the 14 were shot about 4 p. m., Jan. 24. He removed the identification tags of two of the Americans (not Morton's) and turned them over to American investigators later. The bodies were cremated. After the shooting, the sadistic and swaggering Zeireiss laughed and said: "I am glad to be rid of them. They were here too long. I need the cells and I need some of their things for my men, especially shoes." Evacuate Fliers Morton flew to Slovakia last Oct. 10 from Italy in one of six

Flving Fortresses sent to evacuate a group of fliers collected at a landing strip in the hands of Czechoslovak partisans near Banská Bystrica. While some fliers were flown out, Morton remained at Banská Bystrica with a number of British and American officers assigned to collect more stranded airmen. The Germans were heavily counter-attacking Czechoslovak partisan forces at that time and Morton's party was forced to move to Brezno, returning to Banská Bystrica a week later. After that place was heavily bombed, the party went to Donau but the German advance was swift and forced the group to head into the lower Tatra mountains and try to reach Russian lines about five miles away. The group battled through rain, sleet and cold. 500 Burned Daily Subsequently Morton and his group escaped when the Germans attacked a mining camp near Dolina Lehota on Nov. 30 and went to Polomna, arriving on Dec. 14. The party remained there to rest in a shack until Dec. 26, when they were taken by German troops. A gas chamber and three in-

erating furnaces were found in the basement where Morton and his companions were executed. Inmates of the camp said more than 500 bodies were burned daily in the last three weeks of the war. The gas room where thousands went to death resembled a shower room with sprays on the ceiling. Persons condemned to death were told they were to take a bath but gas, instead of water, came from the sprays above. Ornstein said the Germans rigged up a dummy camera in the execution room and told 200 prisoners they were to be photographed. After facing the camera, they turned their backs and were shot in the neck by an SS officer. Ornstein said he recalled one prisoner standing before the fake camera angrily protesting, "I am an American officer. Why should I be executed?" After each man was shot, Ornstein, who watched from a small hole in the door, removed the body. Dignitaries Viewed Executions Ornstein said often distinguished Nazi visitors witnessed executions and many times prisoners were turned into a yard where SS men practiced on "moving targets" from the window of a "bunker." Zeireiss said in a deathbed statement to allied officials that 65,000 men and women had been killed at Mauthausen and the nearby camp at Gusen since 1939, but Ornstein said there were hundreds of thousands. Zeireiss' statement said some persons were killed by doctors who removed portions of their brain and others by injecting gasoline into their veins. It added the gas chamber at Mauthausen was built upon orders of Obergruppenfuhrer Glueck because he believed "gassing of human beings is more humane and cultural than shooting." Zeireiss also said that in December, 1943, 6,000 women and children were sent to him in coal trucks without any protection against the cold and without food. These he sent afoot to other points in Austria and all were believed to have died. Zeireiss did not mention execution of Morton and his companions but said they were taken later to Dachau. There was nothing to bear out this assertion, however.

Bring 'Em Back Alive PAGE, W. Va. (AP)—Robert Lee Campbell's mother spied him in a tree and ordered him down—out of danger. Several minutes later the eight-year-old returned with a half-dead rattlesnake. After the snake was killed Bobby told his mother he had held its head down with one rock and hit it with another. He had taken his five-year-old sister along on the hunt. Neither was harmed.

'VINEGAR-JOE' SEES LUZON ACTION



PAYING AN UNEXPECTED VISIT to the battlefield near Marikina, Rizal province, Luzon island in the Philippines, Gen. Joseph Stilwell, left, watches the effect of artillery against held-up Japs. General Stilwell is in the Pacific theater conferring with Gen. Douglas MacArthur. Left to right, above, are General Stilwell, Maj. Gen. William C. Chase, commanding general of the 38th Infantry division and Maj. Gen. Charles P. Hall. (International Soundphoto)

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POPEYE PRITHEE! TELL ME WHY DOTH POPEYE THINKETH PARADISE PEAK IS HAUNTED? WELL, YOU KNOW HOW MEN ARE! I LIKE THEM BUT THEY ARE SO SUPERSTITIOUS! YOU TAKE POPEYE— HE BELIEVES IN GHOSTS HE DOTH? HA! HA! HA! HA! SNIK! SNIK! SNIK! SNIK! GOOD HEAVENS!!! DIDN'T FORGET THE SUGAR FOR YE LEMONADE? POPEYE, I'VE BEEN TALKING TO A STUMP! YA DONT MEAN IT? YA DONT MEAN IT?

BLONDIE CAN I HAVE TWO COOKIES, POP? YOU CAN HAVE ONE COOKIE! CHILDREN ALWAYS ASK FOR MORE THAN THEY CAN EAT... I GIVE THEM JUST ONE HALF OF WHAT THEY ASK FOR. GOOD IDEA! DADDY, CAN I HAVE A THOUSAND COOKIES? NO, DEAR. YOU CAN HAVE FIVE HUNDRED

HENRY AYE—MATEY—I'LL TEACH YE MY FAVORITE KNOT. SWIMMING HOLE

ETTA KETT I WONDER WHO THIS KIND HEARTED PERSON IS WHO'S GOING TO GIVE THIS MONEY? I COULD ACTUALLY KISS HIM!! NOT YOU? WELL, AREN'T YOU GOING TO KISS ME? LET'S MAKE A DEAL ABOUT KEN I MEAN MY STOGES TELL ME YOU CAN'T RAISE THE MONEY TO BUY HIM THAT PLANE. YOU REALLY MUST BE DREAMING! WHERE IN THE WORLD DID YOU GET THAT IDEA I MEAN IT'S ACTUALLY DRIPPY!

ROOM AND BOARD By GENE AHERN THE EARL INVITED US ALL TO BE HIS VACATION GUESTS AT A LAKE CAMP—A PAL OF HIS OWNS IT, AND USED TO RUN THE PLACE AS A TRAINING CAMP FOR FIGHTERS AND WRESTLERS! SOUNDS GREAT! MY VACATION LOOKED LIKE IT WAS GONNA BE SPENT IN GOING OVER MY COLLECTION OF SCENIC POSTCARDS! WHAT ABOUT TH' FOOD PROBLEM... DO WE TAKE IT AWAY FROM CROWS AND CHIPMUNKS? THEY'RE ALL WILLING GUESTS.

OLD HOMETOWN By STANLEY I'VE LEARNED TO LOVE THIS MACHINE AND TO THINK SOMEDAY I'VE GOT TO GO BACK INTO A HOT STUFFY OLD KITCHEN AND COOK FOR SOME BIG HANDSOME LUG! BUY MORE BONDS

THAILAND—Heart of Nippon's crumbling co-prosperity sphere



THAILAND, the heart of Japan's flailing "Co-Prosperity Sphere" (as above map shows) may soon feel the impact of invasion as the Japs advance in Burma and South China. Bangkok, Thailand's capital, and strategically of great value to the Japs for shipping of supplies into Burma via the Bangkok-Rangoon railway, has already been the target of allied planes. Thailand lies at the junction of Burma, Malaya and French Indo-China. (International)

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