One Year Ago Today

U.S. Seventh Army troops stormed into the Belfort Gap, while Third Army forces pushed into the Forêt de Parroy after knocking out 82 German tanks.

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The Weather Today PARIS & VICINITY Cloudy, max. temp.: 64 GERMANY Light rains, max. temp.: 53

Saturday, Sept. 29, 1945

Hirohito the Vanguished Visits MacArthur the Victorious



Emperor Hirohito said he did not mind posing for a picture with Gen. Douglas A. MacArthur during his visit to the General's headquarters, so Lt. Gae Fallace of the Signal Corps snapped this picture.

Order Arrest Of 34 Japs in PW Massacre

TOKYO, Sept. 28 (ANS).—Gen. MacArthur today ordered the U.S. Eighth Army to seize 34 Japanese officers and men suspected of completity in the massacre of Allied prisoners of war at Palawan, in the Philippines, Dec. 11, 1944.

More than 100 prisoners, many of them Americans, were herded into a large air-raid shelter and buckets of gasoline and lighted torches were tossed in upon them. A few escaped, only to be mowed down by machine-guns or hand

down by machine-guns or hand grenades or bayoneted by their

captors.

The Japanese ordered arrested range from a sergeant to Lt. Col. Oie Satoshi, presumably in command of the "murder detail."

Curbs Stock Exchange

The Supreme Allied Commander today forbade re-opening of Japan's stock exchange without his approv-al, but approved re-opening of fac-tories to manufacture some essen-tial goods in limited quantities, presumably to get the Japs clothed and shod before winter.

Leaders of workmen, meanwhile, met to form a new socialist party, and the reported reorganization of several war-defunct labor unions further marked acceleration of Japan's new liberal movement, which thus far has been markedly socialistic. No group thus far chambions capitalistic democracie. pions capitalistic democracy.

One MacArthur directive gave the One MacArthur directive gave the imperial government permission to produce textiles certain metals, leather goods and trucks and to process raw rubber under specific restrictions laid down previously. Manufacture of textiles was approved provided they contained "no raw silk, silk yarn, silk thread or silk mixture woven goods"

silk mixture woven goods.

Nijinsky Will Dance Once More in New York

NEW YORK, Sept. 28 (UP).— Vaslav Nijinsky, famous Russian ballet dancer who has not given a concert performance in 25 years, will come to this country from Austria to dance at the Metropoli-

tan Opera House next month.

Nijinsky will dance the title role
of Stravinsky's ballet, "Petrouchka,"
which he created at its first performance in Paris in 1911.

U.S. Coal for Belgians

BRUSSELS, Sept. 28 (AP).—The American steamer Harry L. Gluckman arrived at Antwerp today with 10,000 tons of coal, the first of 800,000 tons promised to Belgium by the U.S.

Accord Between Reds And Chiang Reported

LONDON, Sept. 28 (AP).-An agreement between Generalis-simo Chiang Kai-shek and Chinese Communist Leader Mao Tse Tung to reform the present Chinese government was reported today by Moscow Radio.

Patton Arrives To See the Boss

FRANKFURT. Sept. 28 (AP).— Gen. George S. Patton arrived here late today in answer to a summons from Gen. Eisenhower to report immediately to explain his much criticized administration of Bavaria. Previously it had been announc-ed that the Eisenhower summons

ed that the Eisenhower summons was for next week. The change was reported to be indicative of the urgency with which Eisenhower is determined to clear up conditions widely criticized by the press.

For more than a week newspapers have charged that Nazis have been retained in jobs of economic influence in Bavaria, over which Patton rules as commander of the zone. The press has raised the point as to whether Patton is temperamentally suited as an administrator, pointing to the variance between his statements and Eisenhower's expressed policy on dehower's expressed policy on de-Nazification.

Well, Let's See

HASTINGS, Neb., Sept. 28 (ANS).—The Hastings Chamber of Commerce was stumped by a Lanesboro, Minn., resident. He wrote: "Please send me all the information you can. Thank you."

Oil Strike Cuts Troop Return, **Ickes Charges**

CHICAGO, Sept. 28 (ANS).—A charge that "the return of troops to this country is being slowed down" by the oil workers' strike was made last night in a telegram to the strikers and major oil companies by the office of Harold L. Ickes, Petroleum Administrator and Secretary of the Interior.

"The very security of our armed forces and our military position is threatened," the telegram added. (Ickes, accompanied by nine petroleum officials, arrived in Paris Thursday night and said he was "going on a little tour of Frankfurt, Berlin and Copenhagen" to study the European fuel situation. He said the recent Anglo-American He said the recent Anglo-American oil agreement was "very satisfactory, not only for them but for us.")

Ickes Signs Telegram

The telegram, signed by Ickes, said: "I have been informed by Army and Navy officials that this nation cannot afford losses in military production anywhere near the magnitude of those presently being experienced as a result of the refinery shutdowns over the nation."

The telegram said Ickes was cot trying to judge the issues of the strike, but urged they be "resolved speedily" and 'in a manner that will insure our national security."

(Lewis B. Schwellenbach, Secre-

tary of Labor, said in Washington that he had ordered the government-sponsored management-labor negotiations on the oil tieup be resumed in Washington tomorrow because "they were not making enough progress in Chicago." He said he would discuss the matter personally with the negotiators.)

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28 (ANS).—Revealing that seven out of eight men in the Army on VE-Day would be out of the service by next July, Secretary of War Robert P. Patterson said yesterday: "We will not keep men in service to give Green Project Shuts Down

Tomorrow

vesterday that all remaining service on the Green Project, through which about 65,000 high-point troops have been flown home from the ETO, would end tomorrow.,

Since Sept. 11, when Green Project service from Marseille was discontinued, all flights have been from Orly Field, near Paris, and from Prestwick, Scotland. These two services have transported about 25,000 men since June 16, Almost 40,000 flew home by way of Marseille.

Planes to Go to Pacific

Planes used in the Green Project will be transferred to the Pacific to bring home troops stationed there. One of the reasons for the transfer, it was said, is that flying conditions in the Pacific in winter are much better than weather over the Atlantic.

The ATC will continue to operate its regular trans-Atlantic flights, however, even though there no longer will be any more flights for hugh-point trans-

while the special service officially ends tomorrow, Green Project flights scheduled to depart during the day but delayed for any reason will depart Monday.

Berlin Jews Get **Break on Food**

By Joseph B. Fleming
Stars and Stripes Staff Writer
BERLIN, Sept. 28.—The Allies
took the first concrete steps yesterday to give special aid to the
prime victims of Hitlerism by
granting Jews special food ration
privileges

granting Jews special food ration privileges.

The Kommandantura, the Allied Military Council which governs Berlin, ruled that this city's estimated Jewish population of 6,000 and "other authentic victims of ex-Nazi persecutions" would receive ration cards one category higher than that to which their work entitles them. work entitles them.

No person oppressed by Nazis will receive less than 1,600 calories daily—group 3 rations. The lowest ration group is 5.

Michael Marking o." He worder applies to all who suffered under the Nazi yoke, military government officials explained that it was issued mainly to aid Jews.

Officer Ambitions Won't Retard GIs' Release—Patterson

jobs or ranks to higher officers or because we want a large Army or because of any long-range policy for the military establish-

> With this pledge, the new War Secretary replied to Congressional and other sources who had criticized demobilization as snail-paced
> —for one reason, because highranking personnel wished to keep
> their war-time rank and authority.

1,650,000 Left in July

Stars and Stripes Staff Writer

The Air Transport Command said esterday that all remaining serice on the Green Project, through which about 65 000 high-point troops will be down to 1,650,000 or fewer,

will be down to 1,650,000 or fewer, Patterson said.

The secretary warned, however, that enough military strength must be maintained to win the peace.

"We must make sure." he told a news conference, "that the victory which has been won at a cost of 1,000,000 casualties does not slip from our grasp."

Meanwhile, the home-front storm over demobilization was beginning to blow itself out and a flood of Congressional oratory and letters from constituents was starting to dwindle before the War Department's array of statistics "no one can quarrel with," according to members of the Senate Military Affairs Committee.

Says Army Is Doing Good Job

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"This doesn't mean we won't continue to urge the War Department to break its own speed records," said Sen. Lister Hill (D-Ala.), "but you've got to admit that the Army is doing almost as good a job now at demobilizing as it did at mobilizing."

izing."

Revealing that men were arriving in the U.S. from Europe at a rate of 350,000 a month and in steadily increasing numbers from the Pacific, Patterson said the flow of veterans was being routed through 178 Army and Air Forces separation centers. International News Service said this figure had swelled from 26, chiefly since demobilization protests began to develop, and that many of the centers were hospitals and other small installations.

Doctors Poor, **BradleyAdmits**

NEW YORK, Sept. 28 (ANS).—Gen. Omar N. Bradley, Administrator, said yesterday the Veterans' Administration had "some pretty poor doctors," but added they were "better than no doctors."

"We know," he said at a news."

"We know," he said at a news conference, "we have some pretty poor doctors, but the question is,

poor doctors, but the question is, aren't they better than no doctors—since they can't be replaced?"

Bradley said the administration now had 2,300 doctors and needed a full staff of 3,600.

Maj. Gen. Paul R. Hawley, acting

surgeon general of the VA, to whom Bradley referred further questions, said an over-all shortage of doctors in the country was reflected in the administration's need.

Kriegies Incorporate To Keep the Memory

SACRAMENTO, Calif., Sept. 28 (ANS).—The Kriegies, a veterans' organization composed solely of Americans who were neld as prisoners of war by enemy nations in World War II, filed articles of incorporation here today.

Purpose of the body, said Delbert

Parker, of Sacramento, who was captured in the Battle of the Bulge and who spent five months in a German prison camp, is to band together for social and fraternal purposes all Americans who spent some time in German, Japanese or other enemy prison camps.

Ex-Wacs Feel 'Naked' in Civvy Duds

That's the comment a Chicago salesgirl in a swank Michigan Avemuse store made about members of the first large group of high-point ETO Wacs, recently discharged at Fort Sheridan, Ill. She has helped almost 50 ex-Wacs wiggle into form fitting bright dresses and shoulder-revealing popular black net numbers.

"There's a greedy sparkle in their eyes—I can spot them every time a Chicago salesgirl in a swank Michigan Avemuse on unreconstructed ex-Wac in one the 3341st Signal Svc. Bn., Paris. One unreconstructed ex-Wac in the Windy city. As the most expeditious way of getting it to the street below, she kicked her duffle bag down the long steps from the "el" platform in Chicago's loop. A pin-stripe-suited civilian, dodging the wildly careening bag shook his fist and roared, "Stop being an eyes—I can spot them every time a Chicago."

By Caroline Camp
Former Stars and Stripes Staff Writer
CHICAGO, Sept 28.—An ex-Wac
on a shopping tour is "a real easy
person to wait on, even though she
says, 'Gee, I feel naked,' with every
new dress she tries on."
That's the comment a Chicago
salesgirl in a swank Michigan Avenue store made about members of last paternal advice the gals will ever have to take from the Army.

Of course, an ex-Wac has to watch her step in civilian life. A former Pfc asked the headwaiter at the Chez Paree the way to the

The gray-haired waiter looked puzzled. "I beg your pardon, Miss?" he said politely.



and I have seen how personal friendship has worked to cut down

French-American friction in every-day affairs. Pfc Payne is right when he says that our present policies will make our Allies strangers and the Germans our "friends." We find everywhere bad feeling growing up between Allied

"friends." We find everywhere bad feeling growing up between Allied troops. The present feelings of GIs here will be taken home and passed on as gospel truth in the States. If a majority carry home an incorrect picture of their Allies here, friendship and co-operation on a higher level can hardly be expected to survive.—Lt., L. S. Co.

In this theater we now have thousands of officers and men who,

because they expect to be discharged, have lost all interest in their work. This has greatly impaired the morale of low-point men who

must work with them.

Thousands of dollars worth of

equipment is carelessly being destroyed and records completely ne-

glected by men whose sole objective is to vacation for the remainder of their Army stay.—100 Pointer, 343 Engr. Regt.

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It should nelp to fill the volunteer quota for the Army of Occupation if arrangements can be made for furloughs to any country in Europe where the soldier may have friends or relatives.

Patients Need Flight

comes in while we are gone we will be removed from the evacuation list it may be months before we leave. Some of the Z.I. pa-

can leave. Some of the Z.I. patients' conditions are progressively getting worse while definitive treatment is being delayed.

The purpose of air evacuation is to provide speedy transportation to the states. This group of patients has been waiting here from eight to 30 days. We do not know everything about transportation, but we

thing about transportation, but we do know it isn't adequate. Why do celebrities have priority over patients?—Officers (16 signatures

Goldbricks

Travel Talk

USFET, Hq.

Favor Draft

Why is it that shipping which has returned hundreds of thousands to their homes, can't, on the return trip, bring an equal number of replacements?

The problem is as much one of satisfying the needs for police forces in conquered territory as it is of determining priority for return to the U.S. The solution of the first would automatically ease the solution of the second.

Last announced figures on occupational deferments indicated

Last announced figures on oc-cupational deferments indicated that there are more than enough men in this category to supply the reinforcements needed to maintain occupational deferments.

The answer is to continue Se-lective Service to draft these men for it will take an indefinite period to secure by voluntary enlist-

to secure by voluntary enlist-ments sufficient men to cover the commitments of the nation, if these commitments can ever be covered by such a method.—Lt. N. E. Hamner, 805 Hosp. Center.

I have read that some members of the House are suggesting that further drafting of men be halted. They say that instead of drafting new men we ought to be trying to get the men already in the

Army—out.
Did the men who proposed this idea ever hear of the Army of Occupation? How do they propose to get the men now in the Army out if they stop drafting men to take their places. The only way their plan would work would be by abolishing the Army of Occupation, which we learned by past experiences cannot be done.—Pfc E. Mazzocco, 36 Div. Mazzocco, 36 Div.

In a recent issue of S and S, Sen. Ferguson said that the continued drafting of 18-year-olds would retard their education. He also said the Occupation Forces in

said the Occupation Forces in Germany and Japan are essentially a police force and he can't see anyone under 20 on a police force. Did he ever think of the boys who spent their 19th birthdays in fox holes and of those who never saw their 19th year—and never will?

If 18 and 19-year-olds are too yourg for an Occupation Army, what are we doing here?—Ten "Kids," 1260 Engrs.

Parade Soldiers

The Prussians were the fore-most believers in drilling and regimentation. Lately it seems that we are trying to impress the Germans with our ability to parade and drill.

Isn't it possible that defeat would be more distasteful to the

Germans because his conqueror is not the dashing, immaculate soldier that his Prussian used to be?

—J. T. R., 104th Inf. (Altdorf).

Change of Mind
Immediatly after VE-Day when
our ASR scores were being computed, all of us were asked to indicate whether or not we would be willing whether or not we would be willing to remain in service, regardless of points, for the duration of the emergency. A number of us, all with well over 85 points, answered in the affirmative, assuming that our answers would mean nothing after the defeat of Japan. We feel now that our answers should be disregarded and that we should be treated the same as other high pointers.—Concerned, 56 Ftr. Gr. Editor's Note: Your letter, with signature deleted, was referred to A-1, USAFE.

ture deleted, was referred to A-1, USAFE. Here is the reply:

"Hq. USFET (Rear) has recently issued to commands the necessary instructions for computing officers' ASR scores as of VJ-Day. In these instructions is information whereby an officer ean now indicate a written negative desire for retention in the service, if he previously had indicated affirmative desire for retention.

* . * More Allied Clubs

Pfc Payne's letter, B-Bag, 19 Sept., on the closing of the Allied Clubs hits the nail on the head. It has been obvious that little or no effort is made by Army or civilian organizations even to allow, much less to encourage, the estabmuch less to encourage, the estab-lishment of clubs or centers to which soldiers of more than one nation are admitted. We all preach sermons about "brotherly love" and "understanding" among the Allies but when it comes down to practically applying this policy, we are woefully neglectful. Friendly and co-operative relations between nations are only the result of nations are only the result of friendships that develop between representatives of these nations, and these friendships best develop in places where people of all 'pes and nationalities can meet on an

even footing.

I have been a member of a club
for Allied officers in a French city

Luneburg Spectator



Maj. Gen. von Lochau, formerly of the Wehrmacht, is attending the war criminals' trial at Luneburg "as an observer of British justice," after receiving permis-sion from British authorities.

AMERICAN FORCES NETWORK PARIS HORMANDY RHEIMS NANCY

TODAY | 1315-Saludos Amigos 2030-G1 Journal | 1330-Cal Saturday 2100-News | 1400-Modern Music 2105-Barn Dance | 1430-Let'sGo to Town2130-Hit Parade | 1500-Beaucoup Music2200-Eight to Bar 1600-Metrop. Opera 2230-Playhouse | 1700-Mildred Bailey 2300-World this Week 1730-Ray McKinley 2135-Lynn Murray 1800-News | 2330-Night Stand | 1810-"Red" Finley | 2400-News | 1815-Bandstand | 0015-Midnight AFN | 1830-All Star Mixture | 10010-News | 1830-News |

TOMORROW

I am very anxious to visit my fiancee in Copenhagen, and think that part of the transportation allowed for furloughs and leaves could easily be used for furloughs of this type when proof is evident that the soldier is welcome and it is necessary for his morale.—Sgt. TOMORROW

0600-News
1500-Sunday Music
0605-DictationNews
1530-Family Hour
0615-Morning Report
1600-Symphony
0730-News
1655-Highlights
0740-"Red" Finley
1700-Duffle Bag
0800-Home Hymns
0815-World in Music
1810-"Red" Finley
0830-Repeat Perform, 1815-Yank Bandstand
0900-World this Week1830-Jerry Wayne
0915-ScienceMagazine1900-Guy Lombardo
0945-First Sergean
1930-Paris Showcase
Reads Funnies
1000-Jills Juke Box
2000-Hour of Charm
1000-Jills Juke Box
2000-Hour of Charm
1100-J. C. Thomas
1100-News
1100-J. C. Thomas
1100-News
1100-World News
2200-Arthur Hopkins
1205-Erancia White
1130-Unit Spottight
2330-Command Perf,
1145-Raymond Scott
2200-Arthur Hopkins
1200-World News
2300-Downbeat
1235-SundaySerenade2815-WO McNiel
1230-Concert Hall
1305-Baseball
1400-Baseball Who put the SNAFU in the air evacuation of patients? Two weeks ago 100 to 200 patients were leaving daily, for the last few days 15 to 30 patients each day. Approximately 500 EMs, Wacs, Nurses and officers are in this holding hospital in Paris. We may have passes, but we are warned that if our flight comes in while we are gone we will

Short Wave 6.080 Meg

Youth Rally Time Changed

The Christian Youth Rally, open to youth of all Allied nations, scheduled for the Wesleyan Methodist Church, 4 Rue Roquépine, Paris, will be held at 7:30 PM today instead of 1:30 PM as previously apportunced.

-Ed.), Gen. Hosp.

By Marty Smith



"I'll bet you could hardly wait to get out of uniform,"

The American Scene:

Ah, Peace—Nylon'Riot' And Polite Conductors

By Sid Schapiro

The Stars and Stripes U.S. Bureau

NEW YORK, Sept. 28. — Here are signs that the war is really

The Boston and Maine Railroad, resuming peacetime operations, has started a campaign against "dumb," "smart-alecky" tions, has started a campaign against "dumb," "smart-alecky" and "boorish" employees. In a message published in the current issue of the B & M Employees' magazine, F. W. Rourke, general manager, warned that wartime exigencies no longer prevailed. The railroads are trying to restore the traditional "minute-man service," publicized widely in pre-war days, he said.

Meanwhile, in San Francisco, the municipal street car lines have started "courtesy classes" for conductors. With the war over, said J. H. Turner, public utilities director, there is no excuse for rudeness from motormen and conductors.

The mere mention of one pair of nylon stockings would hold any gal's attention, but 10,000 pairs of the much-sought hose caused a near riot in downtown New York. Thirty cops and three radio patrols were called out to handle thousands of women who got word that a hosiery company had some. The hose, one pair to a woman, sold at the ceiling of \$1.95 plus two cents tax.

Stage Door Canteen to Close

THE New York University School of Law has an enrollment of 400 students this semester, and almost 150 are World War II vets. The New York Stage Door Canteen, which was opened on March 2, 1942, will close at the end of October... John T. Bertin, 61 who played the role of the rabbi in more than 2,000 performances of "Abie's Irish Rose," is dead in New York.

White Plains, N. Y., has purchased 76,000 square feet of land adjoining the city hall for off-street parking, at a cost of \$66,000.

Frank Hodera, 31, and Herman A. Weber, 34, both employees of the Frank Hodera, 31, and Herman A. Weber, 34, both employees of the Kellogg Switchboard and Supply Co. in Chicago, were killed when a private plane and a TWA airliner collided in mid-air. The private plane, piloted by Hodera, crashed on a suburban golf course. The cargo plane, bound for Burbank, Calif., returned to municipal airport only slightly damaged. Neither the pilot, L. N. Smith, nor the co-pilot, Gerold W. Reier, both of Chicago, was injured.

THE purchase of nine acres of land from the city of Murray, Ky., for construction of a \$600,000 plant by the Tappan Stove Co., of Mansfield, Ohio, has been completed. The Tappan Company will manufacture gas cooking ranges for domestic use and is expected to employ about 500 persons when the plant is built.

Kansas Editor Is Dead at 94

FRANK H. ROBERTS, 94, editor of the Oskaloosa Independent, one of the oldest newspapers in Kansas, is dead. Born in Waynesville, Ohio, he began working in his father's printing shop at the age of eight and was proclaimed the youngest typesetter in the U.S.

A proposal that Sault Sainte Marie, Mich., and Sault Sainte Marie, A proposal that Saint Sainte Marie, Mich., and Sainte Sainte Marie, Ont., be made the site of the world peace capital has been indorsed by the Michigan State Planning Commission. The resolution said the border site had the advantage of 4,000 miles of undefended international boundaries and a background of 130 years of peace.

BAYARD F. ENNIS, a Charleston (W. Va.), Gazette reporter, who sued Kanawha County Sheriff D. Earl Brawley for an alleged assault precipitated by an article he had written, won a \$3,001 verdict. The Kanawha Circuit Court jury, which heard testimony in the \$10,000 damage action, allowed the plaintiff \$1 actual damages and \$3,000 punitive damages.

HIT by a walkout of 43 composing room employees in a dispute over a new contract, The Quincy (Mass.) Patriot-Ledger published a four-page edition made up of typewritten local stories and teletyped wire copy pasted together and photo-engraved as entire pages.

In Houston, Tex., Cpl. Jimmy Raimer, recently returned from the ETO, told Juanita Raimer-Coker that she was still legally his wife, although she is now married to Joseph T. Coker, an 18-year-old discharged soldier. She married Coker five weeks ago, believing she was divorced from the corporal. An attractive brunette, Mrs. Raimer-Coker, thrice married and soon to be 21, said that, no matter what happens, "I'll not go back to Raimer under any circumstances." She has two children by a marriage previous to Raimer's.

ALEXANDER PICONE, of Kansas City, stowed his valuables in his watch-shop safe, locked the front door and went home. The next day he found the front door pried open and the safe, weighing 800 nounds, control away. pounds, carted away.



Paris Area

MOVIES TODAY

MARIGNAN—"George White's Scandais," Joan Davis, Jack Haley.

OLYMPIA—Same as Marignan. Métro Madeleine.

ENSA PARIS—"Blood on the Sun."
James Cagney, Sylvia Sydney. Métro
Marbeuf.

STAGE SHOWS

SARAH BERNHARDT—"It's All Yours."
EMPIRE—"Paris Rendezvous," variety.
OLYMPIA—"Autumn Antics," variety.
ENSA-MARIGNY—Ballet. "Les Sylphies,"
"La Petite Fadette," "Gisèle,"

MISCELLANEOUS
TOWER EIFFEL CLUB—Open 2000 to
0200. Bring civilian date. EMs only, Métro
Trocadéro.

LE PRADO CLUB, 41, Ave. de Wagram

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—Officers and guests only. Métro Etolle.
COLISEUM CLUB—Enlisted men and
guests only. Métro Anvers.
OFFICER-EM CLUB—Lunch and Dinner
by appointment. RIC 64-41. Hotel Louvois,
Louvois Sq. Métro Bourse.
Six-day tour to Lourdes, religious
shrine, and to Southern France as far
as the Pyrenees. Also daily 3-days tours
to Loire Valley. Apply COFBA, 52, Avenue
des Champs-Elysées.

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SCALA—"Hidden Eye," Edward Arnold, Marjorie Reynolds. ROYAL—"The Southerner," Zachary Scott, Lauren Bacall,

Nancy

EMPIRE—"Our Vines Have Tender Grapes," Margaret O'Brien, Jackie Jen-kins. SHOWTIME—"That's the Spirit," Jack SHOWTIME— The Oakie, Peggy Ryan.

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DARCY-"Gypsy Wildcat." Troyes

THEATER-"The Corn Is Green," Bette Davis, John Dall.

Soissons

CASINO—"The Woman in Green," Basil Rathbone, Nigel Bruce.

Reims

PARAMOUNT—"In the Meantime Darling," Jeane Crain, Frank Latimore.

MODERN—"Guest Wife," C. Colbert, Don Ameche.

Le Havre

SELECT—"Swing Out Sisters." NORMANDY—"The Valley of Decision" GANGPLANK—"Junior Miss."

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WASHINGTON, Sept. 28 (ANS)

-One-third of the increasing meat supply will be ration-free beginning

Sunday, the Office of Price Admi-

lower grades of beef, veal and lamb.

Points are being eliminated, too,

on all canned meats, sausage frank-furters, luncheon varieties and all

other products made from lower grades of meat.

it had not been for "the accident of their speedy departure" follow-ing Japan's collapse, many and perhaps most of the men in the

Separation Centers for Wacs

—Fort Des Moines, Iowa, which served as the first Wac training center, has been designated as a separation center for Wacs, the

War Department announced. Others are Fort Dix, N.J., Sam Houston, Tex., and Camp Beale, Calif.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28 (ANS).

nistration announced yesterday. From Sunday through Oct. 27 no ration points will be required for

U.S.-British Talks Point to 5-Billion Loan

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28.-Financial discussions between American and British representatives here are expected to culminate in a U.S. suggestion for a long-term no-interest loan of about \$5,000,000,000 to Britain, according to high au-

However, the talks are progressing slowly, and it seems unlikely that there will be any action on large-scale financial aid until early 1946, with the probability that Britain will accept interim aid of possibly several hundred million dollars on a 30-year basis at two and three-

eighths percent interest.

Officials doubt now that the discussions can be completed by Oct. 15. as planned, and expect the Sen-ate and House to debate proposals for two or three months. Neither the American public nor Congress will approve an outright grant, experts believe, but will possibly favor a loan similar to the one already made to China, giving Britain a period of five or ten years before repayment begins.

U.S. Reds Hail **Soviet Policy**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28 (ANS).

—Communist Party leaders told a Congressional committee yesterday that the Soviet Union was "the greatest champion of freedom" among the world's nations.

This description was given in testimony before the House Committee Investigating Un-American Activities. The witnesses declared, however, that Premier Stalin and Russia were "not running" American Communists.

Russia were "not running" American Communists.
Earl Browder, former Communist Party chief, wouldn't tell why he was replaced as party leader last July by William Z. Foster. He refused to concede reports that the change occurred because he co-operated with the capitalistic system.

Bad Checks Trap Awol GIs, Wives

STAMFORD, Conn., Sept. 28 (ANS).—Two soldiers and their wives accused of leaving a trail of worthless checks across the country in the last ten weeks were

The soldiers both Awol from Camp Maxie, Tex., were Pyts. Melvin L. Meinsten, 22, and Charles A. Williams, 21, both of Kansas City Mo

A Williams, 21, both of Kansas City, Mo.

Their wives, Doris Meinsten, 18, and Dorothy Williams, 16, were taken into custody as they attempted to cash a check in a Stamford jewelry store. They led officers to a theater where the soldiers were arrested.

Bill Would Retire 20-Yr. Navy Men

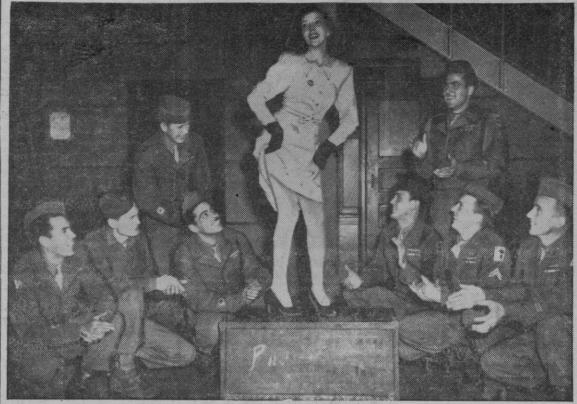
WASHINGTON, Sept. 28 (ANS).

—Chairman David I. Walsh (D-Mass.), of the Senate Naval Committee, introduced legislation yes-terday for optional retirement of Navy personnel on part pay after 16 years' service instead of 20. He

Senate OKs Atom Board

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28 (ANS). -The Senate unanimously approved and sent to the House yesterday a resolution to set up a joint committee to study development, control and use of atomic energy.

Stripper Margie Hart Gets Out on a Limb to Welcome Vets Home



Sight for the sore eyes of any ETO-happy GI is shapely Margie Hart, one of burlesque's better-known bump-and-grind babes. Margie found an appreciative audience among vets landing in New York aboard the Queen Elizabeth. Left to right: Pfc William McGee, Canton, Ohio; T/5 Lawrence L. Young, Sorum, S.D.; Pfc Henry Riley, Aitkin, Minn.; Pfc James V. Prestle, the Bronx; T/5 Donald H. Spicher, Cedar Rapids, Iowa; Cpl. Rufus Pilford, Valentine, Neb., and S/Sgt. Clifford Sparks, Clearwater, Ga.

Old Outlaw Sues Lone Ranger, Meat Rationing Says He Was No Mere Punk Cut by Third

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 28 (ANS).

—Al Jennings, 82, whose six-guns and fast riding outlaw band terrorized Oklahoma years ago, told a jury yesterday that his "fightin' blood" was aroused when the Lone Ranger caught him "like a common criminal" in a radio play.

Jennings was the star witness in the trial of his \$100,000 defamation suit.

An evangelist and "crime does not pay" lecturer since a Presidential pardon freed him of a train robbery charge in 1907, he named the Don Lee Broadcasting Co. and the Weber Baking Co, local sponsors of Lone Ranger, as defendants.

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The play referred to him as a burglar and depicted him as having "I regret to tell you," he said, "I killed three of those men. I also killed a storekeeper in the fight and robbed his place of sanditry. I admit my error, but I was high tempered in those days."

The defendants, who have yet to present their case, contend that Jennings has no right to damages because it is well known that he was a train robber and head of a bandit gang.

2 Pacific Divs.' Recall Sought WASHINGTON, Sept. 28 (ANS). —The controversy over redeployment of the 86th and 97th Inf.

NEW YORK, Sept. 28 (ANS).

an album of Brazilian stamps and covers and an old marine print—were stolen last night from a \$10,000,000 art and antique exhibit at the 71st Regt. Armory.

More than 1,000 persons were searched in vain. Detectives also began to search the huge armory in belief that the stolen articles may have been hidden there.

The stamps were presented to President Roosevelt in 1940 by President Getulio Vargas of Brazil and were autographed by both

and were autographed by both men. The print was one entitled: "U.S. Frigate Macedonian in Dis-tress." The stamps were in a show-

The items were among 37 lent by the Franklin D. Roosevelt Me-morial Library at Hyde Park, N.Y.

Partial Tax Pay For Vets Urged

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28 (ANS).

Urging that veterans be given 'every possible break" in clearing up back taxes, Joseph D. Nunan Jr internal revenue commissioner, said today that partial payments may be accepted from servicemen in cases of deferred taxes where the six-month period allowed by law seems insufficient.

Nunan pointed out that most discharged servicemen owe no back taxes, since a tax is incurred on service pay only if it exceeds \$2,000

Truman to Attend Fair

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28 (ANS). exercise as required, at thought a suffered at the time from muscular rupture as the result of childbirth," the motherly English-born one time beauty contest winner told John C. Familing, master in chancery, who for me. I put him on his feet."

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28 (ANS).

—President Truman on Saturday, Oct. 6, will attend the Country Fair at Caruthersville, Mo., an event he has not missed in 12 years, the White House announced yesterday.

ATC Launches Round-World Air Shuttle

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28 (ANS).

—A giant C54 roars eastward today over the Atlantic on the first regular round-the-world air schedule.

It will carry seven men and one woman all the way. They will be guinea pigs as well as observers on the 23,147-mile flight.

Taking off at 5 PM EWT from Washington National Airport, the Douglas' Skymaster of the ATC heads first for Bermuda. Then it wings to the Azores, North Africa, Egypt, India, China and home by way of the Philippines, tiny Pacific islands and Honolulu.

Before leaving, passengers were

effic islands and Honoldiu.

Before leaving, passengers were given thorough examinations, and on completion of the trip Thursday they will be given further physicals.

En route they will observe and be observed daily for fatigue, airsickness and reaction to altitude. The tests are expected to result in improvements for future passenger comfort and convenience.

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Crews will be changed at intervals, while itinerant passengers will disembark at various stops and be replaced by others. A passenger load of 20 is being carried across Atlantic.

the Atlantic.

Those who are making the complete trip are Col. M. S. White, Col. C. B. Allen and Maj. James Spear of ATC HQ; Capt. Philip R. Warth. public relations officer; Quentin Porter, civilian photographer for the War Department; Inez Robb, of International News Service; Frederick Othman, of United Press; and Paul Miller, of Associated Press.

California Fire **Hazard Mounts**

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 28 (ANS).—Dangerous new fire hazards were created in Northern California today by increasing north winds and relatively low humidity, after weary fire fighters had battled yesterday to control scores of forest,

Also ration free will be hamburger, lamb and veal patties and all cheaper cuts of all grades of meat. These include such cuts as short ribs, brisket of beef, breast and flank of lamb and shank of veal ranch-land and city blazes.

A 3,000-acre rangeland fire in Solano County destroyed 15 homes and 15 barns and killed 500 sheep near Fairfield Army Air Base. The loss was estimated at \$200.000.

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In San Francisco, two large fires and scores of smaller blazes caused Fire Chief Albert J. Sullivan to describe the situation as "one of the worst hazards in a long time."

After his crew had subdued flames that left 18 families homeless and destroyed two industrial plants, Sullivan called all firemen to duty.

Sullivan called all firemen to duty, ordering 650 placed on the night shift to cope with continuing outbreaks.

A three-alarm fire in Oakland caused \$50,000 damage to the Hopkins Theater. Divs. to the Pacific was revived yesterday as two Pennsylvania Republican Congressmen issued statements demanding that the troops return to this country.

Rep. Robert Corbett said that if the development of the configuration of the configur

Filmtown Canteen Sets Up Trust Fund

HOLLYWOOD, Sept. 28 (ANS).

—Hollywood Canteen, which provided a touch of glamor for many a visiting serviceman during the war years, will close Thanksgiving Day after three years of entertaining but its services will continue. ing—but its services will continue in another form.

perhaps most of the men in the two divisions would not now have to go to the Pacific because of revised point regulations.

Rep. James Fulton added that it was a mistake for the War Department in the first place to redeploy any European combat veterans to the Pacific after VJ-Day. Canteen directors today announced formation of the Hollywood Canteen Foundation to administer a trust fund of more than \$500,000. The director said they would "consider applications for worthy causes which will reflect the spirit for which the Canteen was created."

The fund was accumulated from percentages of profits from the films "Hollywood Canteen" and "Stage Door Canteen," and performers' donations of fees for professional appearances.

The 'Valiant' Makes Its Debut



Oldsmobile's 1946 "Valiant" model, which features gadgets to simplify driving for veterans who are disabled, draws the attention of Jane.

Benedict at the Drake Hotel's motor show in Chicago.

Trolley Runs Wild Roosevelt Album With Tyro at Helm, And Print Stolen; 1 Killed, 35 Hurt

CINCINNATI, Sept. 28 (ANS).— A runaway streetcar with a begina runaway streetcar with a begin-ner motorman in charge struck an automobile today, sandwiched it against another trolley and then burst into flames, resulting in death to one person and injury to 35 others.

Passengers fought their way out of windows to escape the fire.

Morris Rosenthal of Cincinnati, driver of the automobile, was dead when his body was pried from the wreckage more than an hour after the accident.

the accident.
Fire Department Lt. Vincent Grosser, passenger on the streetcar, said he discovered it was out of also proposed increasing retirement pay.

Optional retirement after 20 years for Army men is provided in legislation approved by the Senate Wednesday.

said he discovered it was out of control when it started down a hill. He and another passenger tried to stop it, but Grosser said the hand brake did not hold. The motorman was identified as Annon Dezarm, 34.

Confederacy Vets Meet

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., Sept. 28 (ANS).—Gathering again a year after their "last reunion," seven soldiers of the Old South yesterday elected Gen. William Banks of Houston, Tex.. commander-in-chief of the United Confederate Veterans.

MacFadden's Price on His Love: 200 Knee Bends, Wife Asserts

MIAMI, Sept. 28 (ANS).—Mrs. Is hearing the divorce action.

Mary MacFadden, estranged wife of 77-year-old physical culturist Bernard MacFadden, testified yesterday that her husband once injoy." began from an idea she

sisted that she do 200 deep knee bends or forfeit his love.

"I went through the strenuous exercise as required, although I

1,000 Searched

Two valuable items from the Franklin D. Roosevelt collection— an album of Brazilian stamps and

case and the print had been hung

Big 5 Discuss Balkans as End Of Talks Nears

LONDON, Sept. 28.—While wide-spread but unofficial reports said the Big Five Council of Foreign Ministers would close its session the Big Five Council of Foreign Ministers would close its session this weekend, the delegates tonight were reported holding eleventh hour conferences in an effort to reach agreement on Balkan peace treaties.

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The delegates were not expected to make any final decisions, but were believed trying to establish a basis for further negotiations by their deputies and at a later foreign ministers' meeting.

U.S. and British overtures toward recognition of the Hungarian regime of Bela Mikolas have somewhat narrowed the rift between the Russian and Western viewpoints. However, Russia still was reported strongly opposed to French participation in Balkan discussions.

Discuss French Memo

This morning's session of the ministers was devoted to discussion of a French memorandum urging international control of the Ruhr and Rhineland and demanding restitution by Germany of property stolen from France and other nations during the war.

nations during the war.

(A French official told the United Press that France wanted "no part" in the occupation of Japan, saying France's sole interest in the Far East was Indo-China.)

As the conference approached its close, a long list of unfinished pusiness remained to be discussed by international subcommittees or at the next foreign ministers' conference, tentatively set for late in November

'Blocs' Unsettled

Besides Balkan peace treaties, the agenda included a settlement of the entire question of "blocs." In essence these involve zones of influence, dominated by the great power most immediately concerned. Russia, which has denied its agreements with eastern European naments with eastern European nations constitute an "Eastern bloc," has charged that Anglo-French control of western Germany would mean a "Western bloc," threatening both the Soviet Union and the U.S.

The possibility of a "smaller nations" or "British dominions" bloc has been raised by Herbert Evatt, Australian Minister of External Af-

Australian Minister of External Alfairs, who demanded a greater voice for small nations.

Other items of unfinished business are occupation policies for Japan and the Italo-Yugoslav border dispute.

Vatican Paper Says Reds Seek Zones of Influence

VATICAN CITY, Sept. 28 (AP).—Commenting on the Council of Foreign Ministers, the forthcoming Sunday edition of the Vatican City newspaper, L'Osservatore Romano, asserts that Russia is unco-operative and wants to resume a policy of strategic frontiers.

Skepticism felt by the Soviet Union concerning the United Na-tions organization, the newspaper declares, is the reason for the USSR determination to resume its tradideclares, is the reason for the USSR determination to resume its traditional game of strategic frontiers and zones of influence.

Packages Opened by GIs
Themselves in Inspection

The trio continued the party into the following day, at which time Martin found that his second wallet and remaining \$1,600 were gone.

The cops and the accusing MP found Martin at Marie's apartment. The three girls were charged with robbery.

BERLIN, Sept. 28.—Packages sent to U.S. troops in the Berlin District Command during the recent postal

command during the recent postal inspection campaign were opened by the men themselves before a witnessing officer and not by the Army postal authorities.

In reference to registered mail and regular letters, the Adjutant General's office denied that it had authority to open any letters for inspection. As proof, it cited section 701 of the Postal Laws and Regulations, which says that no person in tions, which says that no person in the postal service, except those employed for that purpose in the Dead Letter section, is permitted to unseal any letters.

100th Div. Commander Takes Over VI Corps

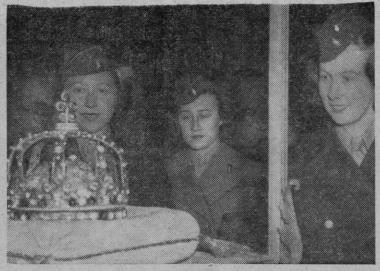
ESSLINGEN, Germany, Sept. 28.

—Maj. Gen. Withers A. Burress,
CG of the 100th Div. since its
activation, has assumed command
of VI Corps, under which Burress,
division sorved in the Verses division served in the Vosges Mountains campaign and the battle for Heilbronn. Burress relieved Maj. Gen. William H.H. Morris Jr.,

who has returned to the U.S.

As a tribute to Burress, units
from the 100th Div. will parade tomorrow at Stuttgart.

Louvre's Treasures Attract Army Nurses



Three U.S. Army Nurses on leave in Pavis admire the jewel-studded crown of Louis XV in the Gallery Apollon of the Louvre Museum.

House-Hunting Vets Forbidden To Pitch Tents in Central Park

NEW YORK, Sept. 28 (ANS).— Army and Navy store and ordered About 100 veterans, unable to find 25 second-hand pup tents at \$3.98 apartments in housing-scarce New York City, were ready yesterday to pitch tents in Central Park, but Park Commissioner Robert Moses immediately issued an anti-bivouac order.

order.

The housing division of the Officers' Service Committee, whose chairman is Mrs. Herbert L. Carlebach, came up with the tent idea after it had been swamped by returning Army and Navy men who were seeking places to live so they could go back to work.

In desperation, Mrs. Carlebach began asking veterans: "If I had tents to pitch in the park, would you live in them?" "Yes, indeed," said the veterans, and one of them told her: "It's cleaner than a foxhole."

Spree and 3 Girls

Awol, Out \$2,800

NEW YORK, Sept. 28 (ANS).— Pvt. Hobart D. Martin, drawling military policeman from Big Stone Gap, Va., glumly related in Felony

cabbie asked him, after his return from France, whether he would like

a couple of girls. The answer being in the affirmative, the cabbie picked up Irma Anderson, 20, and Marie O'Connor, 32, and all four spent the night at Marie's apartment.

Next day, in a bar with Marie and Irma, Martin discovered one of his two wallets, containing \$1,200, was missing. About the same time, Irma vanished, but Marie and Ma

robbery.

Leave ETO Vet

a tent, but when she called Moses to find out if the park would be available, his secretary, relaying a message, said that use of the park as a tenting ground would be "impossible."

Dossible."

Lt. Joseph Troxel just back from Okinawa, said he was "going to stay in the Army if it gets any rougher in civilian life."

Mrs. Carlebach said, "The tents are out because it's a question of wives and families," but Mrs. Sylvia Tennan countered, "Til sleep in a tent." She expects a haby in five tent." She expects a baby in five weeks, and her husband, an Army dentist, is on his way from Oki-

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Mayor LaGuardia and Joseph Platzker, head of the Mayor's Housing Committee, were criticized by Mrs. Carlebach, who said they had not taken any action.

'Tallyho' Raids Bagged Arms

By a Stars and Stripes Staff Writer By a Stars and Stripes Staff Writer WIESBADEN, Sept. 28.—Operation Tallyho, the big "foxhunt" of U.S. forces conducted in Germany in July, yielded large quantities of small arms and ammunition and revealed the existence of scattered black market activities, USFET announced yesterday.

The co-ordinated security control check resulted in arrests of 85,149 Germans on charges ranging from Court yesterday how his post-de-barkation romancing with three girls cost him \$2,800—and left him in the hands of another MP for being Awol from Camp Shanks. Martin's troubles began when a

Germans on charges ranging from black-market operations to having concealed weapons and ammunition and radio transmitters. Also picked up without proper passes and identification were 1,249 U.S. and Allied soldiers lied soldiers.
On the basis of raids conducted

On the basis of raids conducted swiftly and quietly from July 21 to 23, Theater G-2 concludes that no large scale black market exists in the U.S. zone, but that there are numerous isolated cases of blackmarket activities.

Two German medical officers and two interpreters were arrested while taking food from a German hospital in Red Cross trucks for sale on the black market. At one farm in the Third Army area raiders found 1,000 pounds of flour, 75 pounds of coffee and 50 pounds of salt.

According to the G-2 report, 100 gallons of gaseline were found in

gallons of gasoline were found in possession of two black-market suspects in the Corps area. Six hundred pounds of flour and five tons of cheese were found cached in a church at Passau, while 1,200

in a church at Passau, while 1,200 new airplane tires were uncovered in a warehouse in Vilshofen.

Investigators also found 138 civilian automobile tires at Waldeck in the XXIII Corps area, 75 gallons of U.S. gasoline in possession of a trucking firm at Kassel, 3,000 pairs of civilian shoes at Bensheim in the Seventh Army area, and a quantity of U.S. Army rations in a civilian home in the same area. civilian home in the same area.

Yanks Are Cut In On Goering's Game

FRANKFURT, Sept. 28 (AP). American soldiers who like to hunt will get a chance to do so at Hermann Goering's luxurious hunting lodge in Bavaria, US-FET Military Government officials announced today.

To provide recreation for soldiers and also to reduce the game population (so plentiful that farmers complained it was destroying their crops), hunters will be furnished guides and blinds for stalking deer and small game throughout the German forests.

Farmers who complained about the over-abundant game wanted to do the hunting themselves, but the Army preferred to put GIs behind the guns.

Stilwell Army Will Disband

TOKYO, Sept. 28 (ANS).—The War Department has ordered deac-

War Department has ordered deactivation of the U.S. Tenth Army, conqueror of Okinawa, on recommendation of Gen. MacArthur, Allied Headquarters said today. The Army has remained on duty in the Ryukyu island chain, commanded by Gen. Joseph W. Stilwell, who succeeded the late Lt. Gen. Simon Bolivar Buckner Jr., killed in action near the close of the Okinawa battle.

the Okinawa battle.
Stilwell and Brig. Gen. Frank
W. Merrill, leader of the famed
Merrill's Marauders in the Burma Road campaign and former military attache in Tokyo, visited MacArthur today. Headquarters officers said both would return soon to the U.S. for assignments not yet announced.
The command formerly occupied
by the Tenth Army will be passed
to Army forces of the Western
Pacific. Regular Army and lowpoint personnel of the Tenth will be
assigned other duties in the Pacific

Subasic Improving

LONDON, Sept. 28 (UP).—Jugoslav Foreign Minister Ivan Subasic is improving steadily following his recent stroke and is now able to get out for short periods, Belgrade Radio reported today.

assigned other duties in the Pacific.

Peron Widens Repression; More Seized

BUENOS AIRES, Sept. 28 (ANS). -A wave of official represssion, touched off by the re-establishment of a state of military seige, spread to the provinces yesterday as Ar-gentina's military government con-tinued its roundup of opposition

leaders.

A United Press dispatch reported that the latest prominent figure seized in the "purge" was Dr. Alberto Gainza Paz, director of the pro-democratic newspaper La Prensa. Dr. Paz visited the U.S. in the spring of 1943 and was received by President Roosevelt.

It also was reported that Adolfo Lanus, one of the editors of La Prensa, which is a leading exponent of a return to constitutional government in Argentina, has becauted by the government of Gen. Edelmiro Farrell and Col. Juan Peron, Vice-President and "Strong"

Gen. Edelmiro Farrell and Col. Juan Peron, Vice-President and "Strong Man" of the regime.

Quoting a "trustworthy source," U.P. said the government had imprisoned two foreign ministers and 72 other prominent persons.

Jorge Mitre. brother of Luis Mitre. director of the newspaper La Nacion, and Gabriel Oddone, chairman of the Radical party, were reported among those detained as were three university presidents.

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The number of arrests in the last 24 hours was estimated at from 100 to several hundred, including some of the most prominent figures in the diplomatic, political, financial, juridical, educational and journalistic fields. listic fields.

Washington to Review Its Policy on Argentina

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28 (ANS).

—The State Department disclosed yesterday that a general review of U.S. policy on Argentina is imminent because of recent political developments in that country.

The disclosure came in response to a request for comment from Acting Secretary Dean Acheson on a talk made by former Ambassador to Argentina Spruille Braden.

Braden, returning to the U.S. from Argentina, said at a stop-over in Puerto Rico that the American watch the course of events in Argentina.

GI Church Services

PROTESTANT

Sunday services at Holy Trinity Cathedral, 29 Avenue George V. Sundays, weekdays. 0700. Sunday, 0800. Dufayel Barracks, Boulevard Barbès, 1030: American Union Church, 65 Quai d'Orsay, 1100 hours. Communion (Sunday and weekdays) Holy Trinity Church, 0700 and 0800 hours. Saturday music and services at Wesley Methodist Church, 4 Rue Roquepine, 1930.

CATHOLIC

Sunday mass at Madeleine Church, place de la Madeleine, 1800: Chapel (Com Z), 5 Avenue Kleber, 1145 and 1645 hours. St. Pierre de Chaillot, 43 Avenue Marceau. 1015 hours. Daily mass. Madeleine Church, 0700 hours: Chapel, 5 Avenue Kleber, 1145 and 1745 hours. Confessions at Madeleine Church Saturdays, 1700 and 1930 hours, and before masses, and at 5 Avenue Kleber before masses.

Friday, 1930 hours, Synagogue 24 Rue Copernic; Saturday, 1030, Marignan Theater, Champs Elysées; Sunday, 1030, Synagogue, 44 Rue de la Victoire. Saturday memorial services 1030, regular services 1930; Sunday services 1030 and 1930. 24 Rue Copernic. Sunday reception, 44 Rue de la Victoire.

SOCIETY OF FRIENDS. (Ouclean)

SOCIETY OF FRIENDS (Quaker)
17 Rue Notre-Dame-des-Champs (Métro
Notre-Dame-des-Champs), Thursday at
1800, Sunday at 1015.

BAPTIST

Ave. du Maine Church. 48 Rue de Lille (Metro du Bac), 1900 hours. Fellowship meeting, 2000 hours, Thursday, 2015 Sunday. Sunday. CHRIST CHURCH

Neuilly.—Sunday, 1000; Evening, 2000. Wednesday, Hymn-sing. 1930. Corner Victor Hugo and Bineau (Métro Champerret, Sablons).

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE
First Church of Christ, Scientist, 10
Avenue d'Iéna, 16e. Sunday, 1115; Wednesday, 1900.

Boulevard Flandrin, 16e. Sunday, 1115 and 2015 Wednesday, 1900. Third Church of Christ, Scientist, 45 Rue La Boétie, 8e. Sunday, 1115; Wednes-

day, 1930.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

7 Rue St. Guillaume (Métro Sèvres-Babylone), 1930 hours. Sunday, Bible study and Communion.

Service Center, 105 Rue de l'Abbé-Groult (Métro Vaugirard). Communion Services, 1100 hours. Vesper Communion, 1930; Fellowship meeting, 2000 hours. Sunday services, Lutheran Service Center, 10 Rue de Duras, 1100 and 1930.

LATTER DAY SAINTS (Mormon)
Hotel Jubilee, 125 Champs-Elysées. Métro
Etoile. Sunday School, 1030; Sacrament
meeting, 1930.

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST 130 Bld. de l'Hopital, Saturday: 0915, lesson; 1100, sermon. (Métro Place d'Ita-

Versailles

CATHOLIC Sunday Mass at Notre-Dame Church, 1530.

Reims Area

PROTESTANT
Sunday: 0900 Protestant Temple, 13 B9
Lundy: 1000, Maison de Retraite; 103
Christian Science, 89 Rue de Vesle; Latte
Day Saints (Mormon) Sunday 1400. Sacrament Service, Tuesday 1900. Activity
Meeting at the Protestant Temple. Wednesday: Chritian Science, 89 Rue de
Vesle, 2000 hours.

CATHOLIC

Sunday mass: Cathedral, 0900 and 1600.
Daily mass: Cathedral, 0700. Novena:
Tuesday, 1900. Confessions: Saturday,
Cathedral, 1600-1930. Sunday 0800-0900.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, 10
Avenue d'Iéna, 16e. Sunday, 1115; Wednesday, 1990.
Second Church of Christ. Scientist, 58

Saturday: 1990. 1945. Ethics class: 1930, 2000, Music class; 2100, Vespers, Sunday: 1030.

Terry and The Pirates

Reconstruction Finance Corp.

Crowley Quits; FEA

'Split' by Other Units

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28 (ANS).
- President Truman yesterday ac-

cepted the resignation of Foreign Economic Administrator Leo T.

Crowley and simultaneously ordered FEA abolished, with its functions divided among the State, Commerce and Agriculture Departments and

By Courtesy of News Syndicate

By Milton Caniff







Witness Says **Belsen Inmates** Ate Each Other

LUNEBURG, Sept. 28 (UP).— Nazi victims in the Belsen concen-

Nazi victims in the Belsen concentration camp were forced to cannibalism to keep alive, a German doctor, himself a camp inmate, testified today at the British military trial for prison camp atrocities.

Dr. Fritz Leo, who was interned in the camp by the Nazis from 1935 on, described in detail how inmates, forced by starvation, ate the bodies of fellow inmates. With a quiet, studious air, Dr. Leo said he had seen 200 or 300 cases of cannibalism at Belsen.

Persons caught practicing cannibalism were either hanged or beaten to death, he said.

The wife of Joseph Kramer.

"Beast of Belsen," will be called to the stand next week as a star witness for the defense.

witness for the defense.
Plumpish, blonde Frau Kramer,
mother of three, is expected to
tell the court of a letter in which
her husband wrote that the situation at Belsen was "getting out of hand."

She came to Luneburg after hearing a radio account of the trial, which might result in a death sentence for Kramer and the other 44 defendants.

Testmony Continues

The first prosecution witness to-day was Maj. Saville Geoffrey Champion, who began taking testi-mony from inmates immediately after the British overran Belsen, where Kramer was commandant. To guarantee that testimony was To guarantee that testimony was taken only from legitimate atrocity victims, Champion said, the witnesses were taken into a room filled with pictures of both SS men and Allied personnel, including Field Marshal Sir Bernard L. Montgomery. They were to identify perpetrators of atrocities.

"I must say this picture of Montgomery was identified frequently," Champion said. "Persons who picked him were discarded as witnesses."

Lydia Sonszain, a Polish inmate

Lydia Sonszain, a Polish inmate of the camp, charged: "Kramer was responsible for sending my family to the gas chamber. . . Once he caught some Russian girls attempting to steal bread and made them kneel in a heavy rain all day long. Several died."

Trial Disrupted

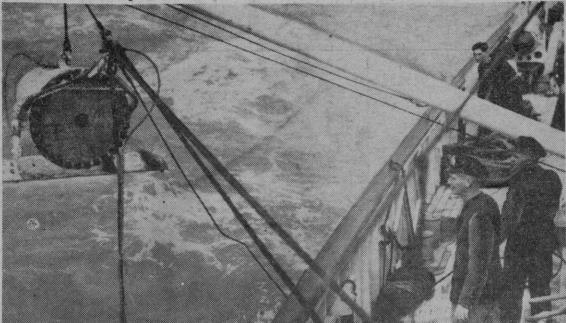
She testified that another defendant, identified in the indictment only as Hoessler, had sent all the women in one block to the gas

chamber because one of them was caught with a pair of pajamas.

Yesterday the solemn dignity of the trial was disrupted when Helena Kopper, one of 12 women defendants, leaped to her feet without warning and screened in out warning and screamed in Polish, "Why does the soldier beat

me?"
The trial was interrupted ten minutes while attendants tried to quiet the woman's sobbing. Her outburst was made after Hanka Rosenzweig, a Polish Jewess who had been in three concentration camps, identified the Kopper woman as one of those responsible for gas-chamber murders.

Minesweepers Clear the Lanes for Britain's Fishing Fleets



A sonic apparatus which detects mines and explodes them at a safe distance is lowered into the sea from one of the hundreds of small Royal Navy vessels now clearing the British coast. Fishing craft soon will be able to put to sea again without endangering the ship and crew.

Laval Defense May Walk Out

Pierre Laval, Vichy collaborator, may face trial next week without benefit of defense counsel.

Laval's attorneys yesterday threatened to quit unless granted more time to prepare their case. The prosecution is insisting the trial open Oct. 4, as scheduled.

Laval's attorneys contended they had not been given access to all important documents in the case. These documents, they said, were locked in a safe, the key to which is in the possession of a magistrate who is on vacation.

who is on vacation.

The court contends all important information has been given out.

U.S. War Casualties Recomputed, 1,070,672

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28 (ANS).—U.S. casualties in World War II were computed yesterday at 1,070,-

This was a reduction of 594 from the total computed a week ago, due chiefly to adjustments in the "missing" category. The total included 260,386 dead, 651,954 wounded, 34,050 missing and 124,272 prisoners.

Generals to Address VFW

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28 (ANS).

—The Veterans of Foreign Wars announced today that Gen. Omar Bradley and Lt. Gen. Jimmy Doolittle would open their annual encampment in Chicago next week. They will address a Tuesday morning meeting in Chicago Stadium.

Why Reds Missed 'Little Olympics': Athletes on Detail

By a Stars and Stripes Staff Writer By a stars and stripes Staff Writer BERLIN, Sept. 28.—The Russians came up yesterday with an official explanation for Sunday's last-minute withdrawal from Berlin's "Little Olympics," and promised that in the future they would play, "even with Americans."

The reason for the failure of the Russian athletes to take part in the track and field meet scheduled by the four powers occupying the

by the four powers occupying the city was simplicity itself, as given by Col. Gen. Alexander Gorbatov to his colleagues on the Kommandantura, the Allied Military Council

antura, the Allied Military Council which governs Berlin. Soviet soldiers, he said, didn't participate because they had other assignments that day.

Presumably in answer to reports that the Reds "forfeited" because they feared a sweeping U.S. victory in events which are not familiar to Russians, Gorbatov stressed that Soviet athletes desired to meet Americans "in friendly competition."

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He promised that the Russian garrison would play other powers in all meets scheduled in the future, and said twice that the Soviet would "even" compete with the United States.

Gorbatov expressed hope that a football match between the Russians and the Americans could be arranged until told that American and Russian football were quite different.

Canada's Chief Insists On Big Voice in Peace

OTTAWA, Sept. 28 (AP).-Prime Minister Mackenzie King told the House of Commons yesterday that Canada would demand "clear recog-nition and effective participation," not merely consultation, in major decisions to be made in drafting peace settlements.

The Prime Minister's address was

made to announce his departure next week for an extended visit in Britain and western Europe. King fold Parliament that he has notified the Big Five Council that there should be adequate opportunity for Canada to be heard in peace discus-

Weidemann Arrives in U.S. HAMILTON FIELD, Calif., Sept.

28 (UP).—Fritz Weidemann, of time German Consul General San Francisco, arrived yesterday Army transport en route to Washington under armed guard. Weidemann was captured in Nanking,

Troop Movies Will Continue

Three large troop theaters, the Marignan, Olympia and Ensa-Paris, will not be returned to their French owners on or about Nov. 15, as was reported in the Paris Post, Capt. E. J. Jeroski, entertainment director, Seine Section Special Service, said last night.

He said that the Ensa-Paris and the Marignan would continue their normal operation, but that the Olympia, under a new policy brought about by a curtailment of funds for entertainment in the Paris leave center, would charge admission prices for stage shows but continue presenting movies free of charge.

Beginning Oct. 1, the Olympia will have we as a cent for sol-

but continue presenting movies free of charge.

Beginning Oct. 1, the Olympia will charge 25 cents each for soldiers attending stage shows. Three hundred tickets will be sold to soldiers' guests at each stage performance at the same price. However, the midnight movie performance at the Olympia, which begins at 11:30 PM, will be free of charge.

The Empire Theater, now featuring stage shows, will convert into a motion picture house Sunday. Admission will be free, limited to uniformed personnel.

In announcing the new policy, it was revealed that the Madeleine Theater had been turned back to the French, effective Thursday. The Sarah Bernhardt Theater, the Salle Pleyel and the Palais de Chaillot, will cease to be used for the performance of special stage shows and events, effective Oct. 1.

Ex-Plant for 88s Now a GI School

HEIDENHEIM, Sept. 28.—A huge

British Seize Poacher Ship

LONDON, Sept. 28 (Reuter).-A LONDON, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—At third French trawler poaching on fishing grounds in Rye Bay last night was seized by British gunboats and taken into Clatody End. Two other trawlers apprehended yesterday were escorted to Boulogne to be dealt with by French authorities.

1,000 Germans On 14th List of **War Criminals**

LONDON, Sept. 28 (UP).—More than 1,000 Germans charged with war crimes were named today by the Allied War Crimes Commission in its 14th list of Nazi war criminals.

The secret list has been sent to military authorities on the Continent and "elsewhere," and they have been ordered to arrest and hold the suspects.

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The commission also announced that documents in its possession proved that in March, 1942, the Nazls began making altitude and cold-water tests on inmates of the Dachau concentration camp. This was done with the knowledge and approval of Heinrich Himmler, the commission added.

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It quoted a letter in which Himm-ler said experiments "on prolonged coolings of the human body in cold water, and similar problems which are especially important to the Luftwaffe, were performed with particular efficiency and success because I. personally, assumed responsibility or supplying individuals from concentration camps for these experiments."

The commission said the experiments were conducted by one Dr. Rascher, who sent out periodic reports on experiments conducted on persons submerged naked for 14 hours in water 12 degrees below freezing freezing

"Fatalities usually occurred," Rascher wrote. He said autopsies made the experiments complete except for tests in reviving victims by "animal heat." He asked for four gypsy women to be used in these tests.

The commission said Himmler praised Rascher, telling him he would receive due credit for his

British Discuss Palestine Security

JERUSALEM, Sept. 28 (UP).— Security measures for Palestine, which has been wracked by disorder arising from the Jewish immigra-tion problem, were discussed today in a meeting between Capt. J. M. Rymer-Jones, Inspector General, and Lord Gort, High Commissioner. A consultation of all district police superintendents for Palestine was superintendents for Palestine was

also held.

Until Parliament convenes on
Oct. 9, no statement on British
policy is expected, according to

policy is expected, according to Jewish sources.
(Associated Press reported that a protest against maintaining the British White Paper of 1939, which grants only 1,500 immigration certificates monthly to Jews in Palestine, is expected when the General Federation of Jewish Labor holds a special session Oct. 1.)

Red Cross to Vacate Hotel Crillon on Oct. 3

The Hotel Crillon, for many months a Red Cross officers' club, will revert to the French Oct. 3, ARC headquarters German factory that once turned out 88-mm. guns here for the Wehrmacht is serving now as the Seventh Army Ordnance Technical School, where GIs in the Occupation Zone are brushing up on civilian trades and fitting themselves for new peace-time technical jobs. Instructors in the school, which is open to all American soldiers interested in any of nine phases of technical training, are 50 enlisted specialists selected from Seventh Army ordnance units.

The Hotel Crillon, for many months a Red Cross officers' club, are to the French Oct. 3, ARC headquarters announced yesterday. The Army has assigned the Hotel Wagram to the Red Cross to serve as an annex of the Lafayette officers' club after the October deadline.

The Fenelon and Prima Hotel annexes of the Pavilion Red Cross club will be returned to the Army Oct. 10 for billeting troops assigned to the education program.

Bomb Fuse May Put Radio Set in Match Box

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28 (ANS) —A radio set the size of a penny match box is a definite possibility, Harry Diamond, U.S. Bureau of Standards radio engineer, said to-

day.
Diamond said that at least two radio firms see such palm-sized sets for the future as the result of the development of the radio proximity fuse which was used with devastating effect against both the Germans and Japanese.

U.S. May Carry On Chinese Soldier Training

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28 (ANS).

—The U.S. is considering continuance of its program of training and equipping Chinese troops, Lt Gen. Albert C. Wedemeyer said teday on his return from China. Wedemeyer said the question of continuing the use of American troops to man garrisons in China would also be discussed with the War Department.

Iceland Glacier Bubbles Fire, Sulphur Fumes Blacken Food

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bling through ice cracks and ready to erupt within the next few days. The glacier is Vatnajoekull, one of the few in the world which rests atop a volcano. The flames have not yet burst above the surface of the ice, but Danish and Swedish geologists are hurrying to the scene while others are flying above the phenomenon in planes, waiting for the eruption which is expected in two or three days.

Tremendous flows of sulphur-laden glacier water are pouring into the Skeidara River, clogging it with

REYKJAVIK, Iceland, Sept. 28 | great icebergs. The air overhang-(AP).—One of Iceland's largest glaciers is "on fire," with volcanic flames and sulphurous water bub-

that they are ice melted by the volcanic heat. However, scientists are studying a possibility that they consist of vulcan water, discharged from the bowels of the earth.

The Vatnajoekull phenomenon reports itself at regular five or ten-

peats itself at regular five-or ten-year intervals. It is the only place where a glacial volcano is known to erupt with such regular-

ity.

If the volcano erupts it will form a species of volcanic rock known as tufa, or tuff, found in great quantit-







Cubs Beat Reds Twice to Clinch Tie for Flag

Signs New Pact



Giants Sign Ott To Five-Year Contract

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—Mel Ott, completing his 20th season with he New York Giants and his ourth as manager, signed a conract today to pilot the club for he next five years.

The 36-year-old native of Louisiana, only five feet nine inches tall and never weighing more than 170, has hit 510 homers, including 21 his year, to trail only Babe Ruth and Jimmy Foxx in this department. In addition, he sets a loop nark with every walk, extra base lit, run scored, or run driven in.

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the joined the Glants in 1925 as a catcher during the managerial egime of the late John McGraw. McGraw converted him into an autifielder the following year.

Ott was appointed manager Dec. 1, 1941, succeeding Bill Terry.

MacMitchell Plans To Return to Track

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—Lt. Leslie MacMitchell, champion miler of 1941 and 1942 and winner of the 1941 Sullivan award, was discharged yesterday after 38 months of Navy service. He said he planned to begin training immediately for the fall cross country campaign. cross country campaign.

MacMitchell served on the cruiser

Philadelphia in the North Africa, Sicily, and Salerno invasions and was aboard the cruiser Houston when it was torpedoed.

3 More Players Join Missouri Grid Squad

COLUMBIA, Mo., Sept. 28.— Three new candidates were welcomed to the Missouri football squad today in the persons of halfback Bob Pierce, fullback Art Gates and Mike Condrillo.

Piece and Gates are war veterans

while Condrillo is stationed here with the Navy's ROTC unit.

Polio Halts Football

MICHIGAN CITY, Ind., Sept. 28.—The Michigan City Board of Education today canceled football schedules of all senior and junior high schools after a player was stricken with infantile paralysis.



American League New York 8, Philadelphia 1 Cleveland at St. Louis postponed

Only games scheduled

National League Chicago 3-7, Cincinnati 1-4

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| Pittsburgh | 82 | 69 | .543 | 13 |
| New York | 77 | 73 | .513 | 171/2 |
| Boston | 66 | 84 | .440 | 281/2 |
| Cincinnati | 61 | 90 | .404 | 34 |
| Philadelphia | 46 | 106 | .303 | 491/2 |
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Trucks to Join Tigers for **Brown Series**

DETROIT, Sept. 28.—Virgil Trucks and Hal Newhouser—in that order-were the Tigers' likely pitching choices today for the two-game weekend series at the two-game weekend series at St. Louis, following word from Trucks that the 26-year-old right-hander had received his Navy dis-charge at Norman, Okla., and was en route to rejoin the club for which he won a total of 30 games in 1942 and 1943.

Manager Steve O'Neill said Trucks informed him he would he in St.

informed him he would be in St. Louis tomorrow "ready to work." Whether the star hurler of the 1944 Great Lakes nine actually would pitch, said O'Neill, depends upon his condition. his condition.

Batting Drills for Tigers

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The welcome reinforcement to the Tiger mound corps, however, gave O'Neill an opportunity to hold Newhouser, his ace lefthander, until Sunday if the Tigers don't clinch the American League flag tomorrow. O'Neill gave his tired men a day of rest yesterday, but called a batting practice workout today before boarding a train for St. Louis. With single games against the Browns tomorrow and Sunday, Detroit must win one or be rained

Browns tomorrow and Sunday, Detroit must win one or be rained out of Sunday's contest to sew up the flag. Second-place Washington, which closed its season last Sunday, would tie the Tigers if St. Louis won both games, making a playoff necessary here Monday.

Trout Unlikely to Get Call

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Ironically enough, Detroit is called on to cinch the pennant on the road, where the Tigers have won fewer than half the games they have played, taking 37 of 75 games. Against the Browns, however, they have a big bulge on the season's play, winning six games at St. Louis and eight here for 14 victories in 20 meetings.

Unless he is counting on the law of averages, O'Neill probably won't call on Dizzy Trout in the Brown series, for Dizzy has been charged with four of the Tigers' six setbacks at St. Louis' hands and still is bothered with a back ailment.

Seine 11s Play Today

The Seine Section football season will get under way this afternoon at 2:30 when the Ordnance All-Stars meet the 442nd Troop Carrier Command of Villacoublay airfield at Pershing Stadium (Mêtro: Château de Vincennes).

Big Guns in Chanor Eleven's Defense



Three former members of the National Professional Football League, (left to right) guard Stan Dalsando, former Detroit Lion; center Pat Martinelli and Ralph Emerson, who played with the Philadelphia Eagles, form the backbone of the Chanor Base football team's line.

Seine Eleven to Open Quest For TSF Crown Tomorrow

By Jim Eathorne Stars and Stripe

Football will come to Paris tomorrow afternoon when the Seine Section Clowns lift the lid off their Theater Service Forces Football League competition, taking on the powerful Chanor

Hotels to Give Vets Army-Navy Priority

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 28.-Servicemen will get top priority until Nov. 19 on room reservations for the Army-Navy football game at Municipal Stadium Dec. 1, according to Daniel Crawford, junior chairman of the Philadelphia Hotel Association. Crawford explained that many servicemen are returning from overseas and have had no opportunity to make reserva-

Jannazzo Upset by Sherrer NEW YORK, Sept. 28—Izzy Jan-nazzo, veteran middleweight, was upset last night by Jim Sherrer in a ten-round bout at the Garden.

Chandler Lists Conditions, Eligible Players for Series

CHICAGO, Sept. 28.—The office of Baseball Commissioner Happy Chandler announced today a complete schedule and playing conditions for the 1945 World Series.

If the series is between Detroit and the Cubs or Cards, the first three games will be at Detroit Oct.

3. 4 and 5. The last four games will take place at Wrigley Field, Chicago, or Sportsman's Park, St. Louis, Oct. 6, 7, 8 and 10.

If Washington edges out Detroit, the first three games will be at Griffith Stadium Oct. 3, 4 and 5, and the final games will be held in the National League park.

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If Detroit wins, no travel day will be allowed after the third game, but if the Nats win, one travel day will be permitted. In any event a day's rest will be given after the sixth game if the series goes that

Play will begin at 1:30 PM East-ern time at Detroit or Washington and Central time at Chicago or St. Louis. (The nation will return from war time to standard Sunday, but Chicago will continue thereafter on Daylight Saving Time throughout October unless the City Council changes an existing or-

Leslie O'Connor, Chandler's spe-Leslie O'Connor, Chandler's special assistant, said a game postponed or called before regulation length would be played on the grounds for which it was scheduled before the next scheduled game. A regulation tie game would not affect the schedule but would be played off if necessary a day after the scheduled seventh game and at that park.

president, secretary, business manager, or other official of the home

Players eligible for the Series are: Players eligible for the Series are:

AMERICAN LEAGUE — Detroit — Man
ger, Steve O'Neill, Coach, Art Mills,
Players, Al Benton, Ed Borom, Tommy
Bridges, George Caster, Doc Cramer, Roy
Cullenbine, Zeb Eaton, Hank Greenberg,
Joe Hoover, Chuck Hosteller, Art Houtteman, Bob Maier, Ed Mayo, John McHale,
Ed Mierkowicz, Jim Miller, Les Mueller,
Hal Newhouser, Frank Overmire, Jim
Outlaw, Walter, Pierce, Paul Richards, Outlaw, Walter Pierce, Paul Richards, Bob Swift, Jim Tobin, Paul Trout, Harvey Walker, Jimmy Webb, Walter Wilson, and Rudy York.

Washington—Manager, Ossie Bluege, Coaches, Nick Altrock, Joe Judge, Clyde Milan, Bert Shepart. Players, Pete Appleton, George Binks, Harlond, Clift, Alex Carrasquel, George Case, Al Evans, Rick Ferrell, Fermin Guerra, Milt Haefner, Wally Holborow, Dick Kimble, Joe Kuhel, Mie Kreevlch, Hillis Layne, Dutch Leonard, Buddy Lewis, Walt Masterson, Howard McFarland, George Myatt, John Niggeling, Marine Pleretti, Rich Stone, Gil Torres, Cecil Travis, Santiago Ullrich, Fred Vaughn, Roger Wolff and Jose Zardon.

NATIONAL LEAGUE—Chicago—Manager, NATIONAL LEAGUE—Chicago—Manager,
Milt Stock, Dick Smith. Players, Heinz
Becker, Hi Bithorn, Hank Borowy, Phil
Cavarretta, Bob Chipman, Paul Derringer,
Paul Erikson, Paul Gillespie, Stan Hack,
Ed Hanyzewski, Roy, Hughes, Don Johnson, Mickey Livingston, Harry Lowry,
Len Merullo, Bill Nicholson, Andy Pafko,
Claude Passeau, Ray Prim, Len Rice, Ed
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Determination of whether a game should not be played because of wet grounds, darkness, rain, or inclement weather shall be by Chandler after consultation with the

Sports Editor

Base eleven at Buffalo Stadium.
Halfback Joe Silovich, who starred for the Minnesota football
teams of 1941 and 1942 and won a
place on the 1942 College All-Stars
team, spearheads the Clowns' attack.
Vince Bartolomeo, former Pennsylvania Military Academy halfback vania Military Academy halfback, and Ned Butcher, who called signals for the University of Richmond for four years, are other backfield

standouts.

In the forward wall the Clowns boast Lynn "Buck" Compton, former UCLA tackle now coaching the Seine eleven; Guard Bill Davis, who put his 215 pounds to good use for Duke, and End Bob Gerometta, who snagged passes in 1940, 1941 and 1942 for the University of Illinois

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But the Clowns will have their hands full, for the Chanor team will field a line averaging 200 pounds and built around a trio of former National Football League players—Stan Dalsando, who filled a guard spot for the Detroit Lions, and Pat Martinelli and Ralph Emerson, center and guard, respectively, for the Philadelphia Eagles.

When it comes to Chanor offense, a pair of shifty-hipped halfbacks, Ben Bulvin, Georgetown University star of 1941 and 1942, and Nat Boyd, who carried the mail for South Carolina State College, will be the men the Clowns will have to watch.

The game, first of four TSFFL Contests scheduled for Ruffalo

to watch.

The game, first of four TSFFL Contests scheduled for Buffalo Stadium, will get under way at 2 PM. To reach Buffalo Stadium take the Metro to Porte d'Orléans. Then take the autobus to the stadium, which is located on Avenue du Fort at Rue Carnes. There will be no admission charge and will be no admission charge and GIs will be permitted to bring civi-lian guests.

Packers Swap Linemen For Spadaccini Rights

GREEN BAY, Wis., Sept. 28.—Coach Curley Lambeau of the Green Bay Packers today traded two guards to the Cleveland Rams for the rights to Vic Spadaccini, former Wisconservers. former Minnesota ace now in the service. The Rams received Bob Cope, former Arkansas star, and Ray Monaco, who was with the Washington Redskins last year. Lambeau also announced the sale of Sid Tinsley, rookie halfback, to the Pittsburgh Steelers.

524,206 See Cardinals Play Home Contests

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 28.—More fans paid to see the Cardinals play at home this year than in any other season when the Red Birds won the National League title.

The Cards announced yesterday that 594,206 paid admissions were recorded for 77 games at Sportsman's Park, the second highest total in 14 years. The top all-time high for St. Louis was 778,147 in 1928, while only 486,851 paid to see the 1944 Cardinals.

Bruins Sweep 19th Twin Bill; **Cardinals Bow**

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.-Chicago's latest invasion of the "Rhineland" resulted in a linkup with the National League pennant yesterday when the Bruins assured themselves of a tie

Bruins assured themselves of a tie for the championship by sweeping a twin bill in Cincinnati while St. Louis was gasping its last pennant breath in a 5-2 upset by the Pirates. Each of the rivals now has three games remaining on its schedule and one Cardinal defeat or Cub victory will completely erase St. Louis off the books.

The Cubs rolled to the recordwrecking afternoon on the wings of Hank Wyse's three-hitter that gave them a 3-1 opener and Paul Derringer's eight-hit effort that took the nightcap, 7-4. The sweep gave the Bruins a record of 21 victories and one loss against the Reds in their season's play, equalling a mark they set back in 1909 against Boston and tied in 1927 by the Yankees against St. Louis and again ten years later by Pittsburgh against the Reds.

Sweep 19th Twin Bill

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In the process the Cubs accounted for their 19th double victory of the year to eclipse their own standard of 18 established recently.

The Cubs wrapped up Wyse's 22nd victory in the sixth inning of the opener when Roy Hughes walked, Don Johnson doubled and Peanuts Lowry smashed one over the left field wall.

The Cubs never trailed in the finale after Phil Cavarretta cracked a two-run homer in the first inning. They illustrated their spell over the Reds in the sixth when two runs scored without a hit, a walk, a nit batsman and a two-base error by starter Vern Kennedy producing the tallies.

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the tallies.

The only incident to spoil the cheerful Cub day was an injury to Johnson. The second baseman crashed into Ump Babe Pinelli going for a grounder and had to be carried from the field. At the hospital, examination revealed he had pulled a muscle in his neck.

Roe Handcuffs Cards

The Cardinal bubble burst in the first inning when the Pirates rushed three runs over. George Dockins was chased with three hits and Al Jurisich came in to do fairly well thereafter. But it was too late. Meanwhile, Preacher Roe was stifling the Cards with a three-hitter that clinched fourth place for the Pirates.

for the Pirates.

In the only game played in the American League. Charley Ruffing closed out his brief 1945 career yesterday in old Yankee style, pitching and batting the Yanks to an 8-1 victory over the Athletics. It marked Big Red's seventh triumph since his Army discharge and the 265th of his major league career.

He clinched his own game with a three-run homer against Bobo Newsom in the seventh inning. The defeat marked the third time in Bobo's lengthy career that he has lost 20 games in one season.

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| sen, Brooklyn | 143 | 599 | 126 | 195 | .326 | |
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| ack, Chicago | 149 | 592 | 109 | 191 | .323 | |
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Homerun Leaders

National-Holmes, Boston, 28; Workman, Boston, 24. American-Stephens, St. Louis, 24; York.

Stolen Bases Stolen Bases
National — Schoendienst, St. Louis, 25;
Barrett, Pittsburgh, 23.
American — Stirnweiss, New York, 32;
Myatt, Washington, 31.

Leading Pitchers
National — Brecheen, St. Louis, 14-4;
Wyse, Chicago, 22-10.
American — Muncrief, St. Louis, 13-4;
Newhouser, 24-9.

To Pace Coast Open

PORTLAND, Ore., Sept. 28.—Ben Hogan, golfdom's biggest money before going into the Army three years ago, took the lead in the first round of the \$14,330 Portland Open yesterday with a record-breaking seven-under-

par card of 65.

The Hershey, Pa., pro left behind him such big-name stars as 3yron Nelson, Sammy Snead and Jug Mc-Neison, Saminy Shead and Jug McSpaden as he cracked the competitive record for the Portland Golf Course. His booming shots and smart recoveries gave him four consecutive birdies on the first nine and three more on the back run.

Nelson, Snead Tied at 71

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Nelson, who came out of an agonizing slump last week when he won the Esmeralda Open with a PGA record aggregate of 266, "faltered" yesterday with a 71 that was only good for a fourth-place tie with Sammy Snead and six others.

Lord Byron's famed irons weren't behaving like the set that clipped 22 strokes off Spokane par and gave the Toledo links luminary his 18th major tourney of the year.

Snead, who had taken the Nashville and Dallas Opens prior to the Esmeralda firing, did remarkably well yesterday considering the number of incidents that could have led to a complete blowup.

Sammy Has Trouble

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Slammin' Sam's troubles started on the fourth hole when a bee stung him on the right hand. On the seventh, the West Virginian, who is defending his title in this tourney, lost his ball in a water hazard and on the second nine he had to chip out of several sand-trans.

Harry Bassler, Ray Mangrum and Harry Bassier, Kay Mangrum and McSpaden were grouped behind Hogan with 69s, while Newt Bassler nailed a 70 for third place. Tied with Nelson and Snead were Jimmy Thomson, Ted Longworth, Ky Laffoon, Jimmy Hines, Art Doering and Joe Mozel.

Newark Noses Out Montreal, 4-3, With Ninth-Inning Rally

MONTREAL, Sept. Newark Bears put on a rousing three-run finish in the last inning last night to gain their second straight victory over the Montreal Royals, 4-3, in the final round of the International League playoff series

It was an uphill fight all the way for the Bears, who finished in second place behind the Royals in the regular season play. Montreal scored on Karl Drews, the starting hurler, once in the third inning and increased the lead to 3-0 with two more in the sixth. The veteran Frank Makosky took over for Newark at that point and hurled score-

ark at that point and hurled score-less ball thereafter.

Newark got its first run in the seventh before staging its garrison finish in the ninth.

Minor Playoff Finals (All four out of seven games) International League American Association Louisville at St. Paul postponed, rain W L Louisville Albany at Wilkes-Barre postponed, rain Wilkes-Barre 3 3
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Nebraska Cage Ace Transfers to Kansas

LAWRENCE, Kan., Sept. 28.— Arthur Gene Peterson, star center of Nebraska's 1944 basketball team. enrolled at the University of Kansas yesterday, officials an-nounced.

The six-foot six-and-one-half-inch Peterson, a resident of Millard, Neb., was second high scorer in the Big Six last year. University offi-cials said that under present conference regulations he will be eligible to compete for the Jayhawks this coming season.

Klier to Return to Irish

SOUTH BEND, Ind., Sept. 28.— Leo Klier, Notre Dame's crack basketball forward, drew his Navy discharge yesterday and said he would return to the Irish campus for another cage season.

Hogan Breaks Mark Penn Highly Rated in Ivy League

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—Forgetting the football powerhouses of Army and Navy, as most of the service teams' opposing coaches would like to be able to do, Penn is the experts' choice as the power team of the 1945 Ivy League, with Yale, and Columbia close behind. Cornell, with Ed McKeever as its new head coach, may furnish considerable argument.

At Penn, George Munger is field—Heading the squad is center Frank Sniadack. Cal Whipple and Harry Klender at ends, Joe Cummino and Tony Ventuolo at guards, eight promising frosh tackles and plenty of line reserves give Line Mentor Tad Wieman sufficient material.

Freshmen Lou Kosserow and Gene Rossides will do the bulk of Drakos, a passing threat, team with him, but fullback is yet an open

At Penn, George Munger is field-ing an outfit that has only four or five veterans but a bevy of large frosh. The Red and Blue line will

frosh. The Red and Blue line will average 200 pounds, with 260-pound George Savitsky at left tackle leading the way. Center Bob Mostertz and Left Guard Joe Dickerson are other lettermen in the line.

The newcomers will be Frank Jenkins at left end, Bob Sponaugle on the other flank, Doug Reichenbach playing the opposite tackle from Savitsky and Rod Adams teaming with Dickerson at guard. In the backfield Wingback Johnny Martin is the only holdover. With him will be three freshmen—Farquhar Jones at fullback; Carmen Falcone, blocker and signal caller, and Bob Evans, tailback.

Furnishing quiet opposition to

Furnishing quiet opposition to Penn's claims as Ivy League champion is Columbia. Coach Lou Little has finally solved his manpower shortage, although his crew is largely inexperienced.



Les Horvath

Lou Little

the backfield work, with other yearlings rounding out the secondary.

Yale, playing a light schedule last year, went undefeated, but Old Eli has steepped up the quality and quantity of opposition this season, so things will be rougher, but Howie Odell isn't exactly crying the blues.

With All-America End Paul Walker returning to the squad, Odell has an anchor for a pretty

Behind the forward wall 145-pound Buzzy Gher is the standout ball carrier. Billy Penn and Art Drakos, a passing threat, team with him, but fullback is yet an open

spot.

The surprise outfit is Cornell where McKeever has put together a squad that opened with a fancy victory over highly regarded Syracuse. McKeever took Al Dekdebrun one of the East's better runners last year, and converted him into a T-formation quarterback and passing specialist that left Syracuse running around in circles. And Dekdebrun has plenty of help with speedy Don Souchek and Tony Jasieniecki at the halves and Julie Woznicki, ex-Marine, at fullback.

Ex-NL Stars Beat AL Aces In Navy's Own 'World Series'

PEARL HARBOR, Sept. 28.—The ter tally in their half of the inning. Navy opened its own "World Series" The National attack was led by here yesterday when the National Stan Musial, former league batting here yesterday when the National League All-Stars beat the American League Stars, 6-5, in the inaugural before a crowd of 26,000 GIs and

here yesterday when the National League All-Stars beat the American League Stars, 6-5, in the inaugural before a crowd of 26,000 GIs and sailors.

The National League entry came from behind to knot the game in the eighth and added another pair in the ninth that was enough to offset the American League's coun-

Steeplechase Planned

The Société des Steeple-Chases de France is organizing a steeplechase open to officers of the Allied armies to be held on the Auteuil race-course Sunday. Nov. 11. The first prize will be 300,000 francs for the winning horse. The rider will get an art souvenir worth 25,000 francs.

PRE-SENTING TWO O' BRR!!
TH' MOST SAVAGE
FIGHTING MACHINES
OF THE CENTURY!!BEASTS

CUT-THROAT GOONIGAN

Braves Buy 3 Hurlers

36th Div. 11 Meets 82d AB

BERLIN, Sept. 28. — The 36th Div., veterans of many campaigns from Salerno to Austria, will appear on the field of battle nere again tomorrow—only this time it will face the 82nd AB Div. on the gridiron and hurl footballs instead of grandes.

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With former college and prostars sparking the team, the 36th eleven will pack plenty of speed and punch for their opener. "Big George" Gonda, Duquesne and Pittsburgh Steeler ace, is the big noise in the backfield.

The forward wall is built around 255-pound tackles Stan Rosen and Sidney Cohen. Rosen was a standout with Illinois. One guard slot will be filled by Pete Pascavage of Fordham while Cliff Reheimarh, ex-California ace, will start at end

of salaries.

The coaches, who are regular teachers, had demanded pay for their after-school athletic duties, ranging from \$100 a season for minor sports to \$600 for football.

Wade told the coaches he would recommend payment from unexpended school lunchroom and general organization funds for this season and would try to persuade the School Board to include regular pay in next year's budget. Li'l Abner

MADISON SQUARE GARDEN

PERHAPS THE SIGHT OF MEN SLAUGHTERING EACH OTHER WILL SOOTH MY NERVES.

of salaries.

N.Y. Coaches

End Walkout

NEW YORK, Sept. 28. — Coaches of New York City high schools returned to their duties yesterday following a temporary truce on pay worked out with Dr. John E. Wade, superintendent of schools. The coaches and members of the Board of Education will confer next week to arrange a more definite system of salaries.

By Courtesy of United Features



By Al Capp



A PERFECT STRANGER LAST NIGHT
LEAPED INTO THE RING AT MADISON
SOLLARE GARDEN AND POUNDED THE LIVING
PAYLIGHTS OUT OF BOTH CHAMPION AND
CHALLENGER, THE RETEREE AND SIX
POLICEMEN, AND THEN BATTERED A
BLOODY PATH THROUGH THOUSANDS
OF SCREAMING SPECTATORS,
FISTIC AUTHORITIES NOW INSIST
THAT THE STRANGER HAS EARNED
THE FEATHERWEIGHT TITLE EXCEPT
THAT HE IS 200 OR 300 POUNDS
OVERWEIGHT. THE CASE IS NOW
BEING CONSIDERED BY THE
BOXING COMMISSION.

Dick Tracy

By Courtesy of Chicago Tribune Syndicate, Inc.



By Chester Gould







PAT AND I WILL GO TO THE CITY EASY. HE COULDN'T STAY AWAY FROM AND QUESTION THOSE BOYS. THAT FARM OF HIS IF HE TRIED MEANWHILE , SHERIFF, GET BO PLENTY BACK HERE. HE'S LIVED THERE FOR 50 YEARS

Joe Palooka

By Courtesy of McNaught Syndicate Inc

By Ham Fisher







500,000 Idle Feared in N.J. **Textile Strike**

CHICAGO, Sept. 28 (ANS). New storm warnings were hoisted along the country's labor front today as a fresh major dispute threatened to force more than 500,000 off their jobs. The newest controversy centered on a walkout of 6,000 textile work-

on a warkout of 6,000 textile workers, seeking a wage increase, in
the Paterson (N.J.) area, which
closed 70 plants. A CIO official
said the walkout would mean that
within 24 hours 68,000 additional
workers would be forced from their
jobs in 214 plants in nine Eastern
and Southern states. He further
predicted that the shutdowns would
make 500,000 garment workers idle make 500,000 garment workers idle. This would bring the number of

workers idle because of strikes and shutdowns over labor disputes past the 2,000,000 mark, including 1,500,000 affected indirectly by the New York City building service strike.

Oil Strike Spread Delayed

Meanwhile, a threatened nation-wide strike of 250,000 CIO oil workers was delayed. After meeting three days in Chicago, the principals in the conciliation conference moved to Washington to resume their efforts to effect a settlement in a dispute over wage demands and to end a 13-day strike of 35,000 workers in eight states.

In the Pacific Northwest, a threatened strike of some 37,000 CIO lumber workers was postponed at least until Wednesday, but the area's wood-fuel supply was steadily shrinking as a strike by 60,000 AFL workers for wage increases entered its sixth day.

A sitdown strike at the New York Shipkuilding Corporation

A sitdown strike at the New York Shipbuilding Corporation in Cam-den, N.J., was settled, enabling 20,000 workers to go back to their jobs on Monday jobs on Monday.

Arbitration May Break N.Y. Elevator Strike

NEW YORK, Sept. 28 (UP) .-Prospects of an early break in the four-day-old Manhattan office and loft building elevator strike, which has worked hardships on an estimated 1.600,000 persons, were seen today when it was indicated the wage dispute may be submitted to

arbitration.

Discussion of possible arbitration was undertaken at a conference of the Regional War Labor Board and employer and union representatives after union officials assured the WLB that the strike would not be avisored during the would not be extended during the period of discussions.

Later, Arthur S. Meyer, chairman of the New York State Mediation Board, announced that he had invited both union and employer groups to meet with him tomorrow afternoon to discuss the stoppage. Both sides accepted.

Women's Howls Reunite GI, Stowaway Bride

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 28 (ANS).—Mrs. Marjorie Weyland, pretty Australian war bride who stowed away on the liner Lurline. was paroled yesterday to the custody of her husband, Sgt. Lon Wey-

land of Hot Springs, Ark. Her release came after Irving F Wixon, director of immigration and naturalization here, received scores of telephone calls from San Fran-cisco women protesting her deten-

Wixon said a special board of inquiry decreed that Mrs. Weyland be paroled with the understanding husband home she go to Canada

Wife of GI Held Insane In Baby Theft Trial

MARION, Ohio, Sept. 28 (ANS). —A Common Pleas Court jury late yesterday found Mrs. Phyllis Ann Webster, 30, not guilty by reason of insanity of stealing baby Jean Eileen Creviston from a hospital crib last July crib last July.

Mrs Webster burst into tears on

Mrs Webster burst into tears on hearing the verdict. Then she and her husband, Sgt. Ernest Webster, who was granted a furlough to testify in her behalf, embraced,
Prosecuting Attorney James E. Reed said he would ask the court to have Mrs Webster committed to a state hospital for criminally insane

Bigger Parcels for Civilians

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28 (ANS) —Washing restrictions on size of mail, including parcel post, addressed to civilians overseas have been lifted by the Postoffice Department. Bulky items such as overcoats and blankets are now

Ready for a Barrelful of Adventure



Mark Charlton of Toronto, Canadian Army vet, believes some day some one will try to cross the Atlantic in a barrel—and he wants to do it first. Charlton has an oak barrel ready for the try. He expects to make the trip in 40 days with luck and favorable weather.

GIs Hopped Up at Prospect Of Learning to Brew Their Own

(AP).-The newest wrinkle in the Army education program has GIs of the Third Army intoxicated with excitement. It's a course in brewing to be taught with the help of Germany's greatest master brewers, in what is believed to be the oldest

in what is believed to be the oldest brewery in the world.

'GIs and officers who attend the brewing course, which opens in the next couple of weeks at the Weihenstephan Agriculture and Technical School in this Bavarian city, are "going to learn the science of brewing from braumeisters." said Maj. Bartley Cardon, of Tucson, Ariz., educational director at Weihenstephan. Cardon said plans called for a limited class for a threemonth course for soldiers who want to get into that industry as a postto get into that industry as a postwar career.

If the beer the students eventually produce is as good as what is coming out of the school-owned brewery now, it's going to be plenty good. Formerly known as the Bavarian State Brewery, it now pro-

FREISING, Germany, Sept. 28 duces only for the U.S. Army units stationed here, and they call its prevention program has GIs

Weihenstephan, which means "consecrated to St. Stephan" was chartered in 1146 by the Bavarian government to sell beer to civilians. When the Americans came to Wer-henstephan they found the un-bombed campus to which had fled many instructors from blitzed Munich University along with much of their equipment.

So the Americans moved in and today nearly 400 students are work-

ing on courses offered on an eight-week basis. The school is organ-ized as much as possible on a ci-vilian basis, with class work of four

Vilian basis, with class work of four to six hours daily.

Instructors come from military units, and all have had civilian teaching experience. Teaching by the Germans has been suspended, but the staff of 35 German professors who hold the highest degree in brewing is used to aid American teachers. Brewing has been taught teachers. Brewing has been taught as a high-school course here for 25

Stick to Switzerland, U.S. Investors Advised

LONDON, Sept. 28 (AP).—The most lucrative opportunities for U.S. investors in Europe today are in Switzerland, Arthur Wiesenberger, New York Stock Exchange member, said today after a two-month survey of Britain and the Continent.

Existing exchange controls, short-age of dollars and British incometax laws restrict dealings in American stocks, he said, and discourage investment in British shares. He added that sizable activity in American shares would develop in Switzerland as soon as the U.S. Treasury lifted restrictions on trading.

Ex-Flier Gets 5 Years For DealingWith Enemy

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—A former French flier, Paul Jean Marie Cavaillez, 42, was sentenced to five years in Federal prison yesterday by the U.S. District Court after he pleaded guilty to three violations of trading with the enemy.

When arrested last May, Cavaillez, who assertedly was sent to the U.S. as a Nazi agent had \$1,500 hidden on his person. An espionage charge was dismissed by the court on his guilty plea to lesser offenses

Hangar Fire Destroys 40 Planes at Wichita

WICHITA, Kan., Sept. 28 (ANS) —Fire of undetermined origin punctuated by explosions destroyed the hangar and 40 airplanes at Municipal Airport early yesterday. Loss was estimated at \$500,000.

Airport officials said that about half of the planes belonged to the Army and the rest were privately owned.

Mom Dying, GI Hitches Plane Ride From China

MALDEN, Mass., Sept. 28 (ANS).

—Cpl. George Rauseo arrived at the bedside of his dying mother yesterday after a 10,000-mile race against time from China, where he hitch-hiked a plane ride with U.S. Ambassador Patrick J. Hurley.

Mrs. Rauseo has been in a critical condition for several weeks since she was struck by an automobile. It took the corporal four days 19 hours and 45 minutes to make the trip from Chungking after the Red Cross had arranged for his furlaugh.

'Send Us More Japs'-It Was Filed After All

SAN DIEGO, Calif., Sept. 28 (ANS) .- A Wake Island communications officer, acting without his commander's knowledge. filed the "Send us more Japs" message for which Marine Lt. Col. James Devereux disclaimed credit, a freed prisoner revealed today.

Comdr. Campbell Keene, Wake veteran home on leave after release from prison, said Ens. Bernard J. Lauf, 26, elated because island defenders had sunk cruiser and fired a destroyer that day, sent the message Dec. 11, 1941,

Until Devereux was freed from a Japanese prison, the message had been attributed to him, but he denied sending it and said: "We had more Japs than we could handle as it was.'

1,075 Combat **ShipsAskedfor** Peace Fleet

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28 (ANS). —A post-war aircraft carrier fleet 16 times the size of America's flattop forces at the time of the Pearl Harbor attack was urged yesterday by the House Naval Affairs Com-mittee, which unanimously adopted a resolution favoring a Navy of 1,079 combat ships.

This force would include 116 carriers, compared to seven on Dec. 7,

Committee findings, which were in accord with recommendations of James V. Forrestal, Secretary of the Navy, suggested that the force be divided into three groups. One-third would be fully manned, ready to go anywhere. The second group would be tied up, but would be ready for any emergency, while the third would be decommissioned.

Greatest Peace-Time Fleet

Such a fleet would be the greatest in peace-time history, being only 220 ships fewer than the present armada, and would contain the newest ships with devastating fire-

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Rep. Carl Vinson (D-Ga.) committee chairman, estimated that the annual cost of maintaining the proposed fleet would be between \$2.500.-000.000 and \$4,000.000.000.

To man this fleet. Forrestal said, would require 500,000 sailors, plus 100.000 marines. Action on manpower will be requested in a bill to be presented later

Of the 116 carriers, three would be 45.000-tonners of the Midway class, 24 of the 27.000-ton Essex type, ten light carriers of 11,000 tons, and 79 baby flattops..

Other ships would include 18 battleships, all of the 45.000-ton Missouri class, three extra-large cruisers, 31 heavy cruisers, 48 light cruisers, 67 destroyers, 296 destroyer escorts and 200 submarines. In addition there would be hundreds of auxiliaries—oilers, mine layers, patrol ships and landing craft.

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Current naval figures list three large carriers, 27 medium and 10 light and 79 escort carriers, 24 battleships, three large cruisers, 33 heavy cruisers, 57 light cruisers, 450 destroyers, 350 destroyer escorts and 263 submarines.

Begins Tractor Trek to Texas



The first AAA-sanctioned test run since 1941 began in Detroit Friday when W. B. Burns, Weimar, Tex., auto dealer, took off for his home town, 1,574 miles away, driving a stock tractor with mower attached.

Records Faked In Murder of **Doolittle Fliers**

SHANGHAI, Sept. 28 (ANS).—
The Japanese deliberately tried to cover up disposition of the bodies of three Doolittle fliers, executed by a firing squad on trumped-up charges Oct. 15, 1942.
Wooden boxes containing the cremated bodies were turned over secretively to a civilian mortuary, the Associated Press said, rather than to the International Red Cross.

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Falsified records listed the three as having "died on different dates.—Sept. 1, Sept. 8 and Oct. 2, 1942." All three were shot while tied to crosses in a Chinese cemetery Oct. 15 of that year.
False names were given. A box marked H. E. Gande, age 23, in reality contained the ashes of 2/Lt. William Grover Farrow, 23, of Darlington, S.C. The box of J. Smith, age 27, was that of 2/Lt. Dean Edward Hallmark, Dallas, Tex., while that of E. L. Brister, age 22, was that of Sergeant Harold A. Spat, Lebo, Kan.
The boxes were discovered yesterday, and an official list just recovered established the correct identities.

Allies Plan To Feed Reich

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28 (ANS).
—Plans for a large-scale food program for Germany this winter are being made by the U.S. with Allied help, Army officials disclosed today.

Similar plans may have to be made for Japan also, the officials said. The basic policy of the Army administration in Germany and Japan and for other defeated Army administration in Germany and Japan and for other defeated enemy peoples has been "work or starve," but it was pointed out that there will not be enough jobs to keep all people busy, nor will there be enough food on hand to feed

The Army's reported policy is to take measures to prevent political unrest and incidents which would jeopardize the health and safety of troops, and in line with this policy. Britain and the U.S. have set up a 1100 000 program to allegiate \$100,000.000 program to alleviate food shortages in Western Germany and Austrian occupation zones,

'Dead' GI Forgives Remarried Wife

KANSAS CITY, Sept. 28 (ANS).

—Mrs. Ann Birdwell said today
that her husband had forgiven her for marrying his uncle after he was reported killed in action last October and that she has "nothing to worry about now."

She said her huband, Sgt. Gene Birdwell, 21, who was liberated from a Japanese prison camp last month only 12 days after she had married his Uncle Jack. 41-year-old father of four, had written her from Manile and assured her from Manila and assured her everything would come out all

"We'll put everything else behind us, just as Gene wants," the pretty 18-year-old Mrs. Birdwell said. "It sure makes things easier now."

Two Held in Hold-up Of Bank Messengers

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 28 (ANS).

-Two men were held in \$25,000 tail today pending grand jury action as a climax to a nationwide manhunt following the \$111,000 robbery of two Hollywood State Bank mes-

of two Hollywood state Bank mes-sengers two months ago.

Under arrest are John Joseph
Uckele, 26, of Camden, N.J., former
Lockheed Aircraft Corp. employee,
and Stanley Matysek, 23. They were
nabbed a few hours after they returned to Los Angeles from Port-

Civilian Tire Ration Unchanged in October

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28 (ANS). —Inventories of passenger car tires are now at rock bottom and the civilian quota for October must remain at 2,500,000, the same as for each of the last four months, OPA and the War Production Board analyses of the same as for expensed yesterday. nounced yesterday.

Last Russians Quit Norway

OSLO, Sept. 28 (UP).—The last Red flag was lowered Tuesday night as the last Russian troops left Norway. Col. Lukin Griege, Russian commander, lowered the flag and led nine cheers for Nor-way.