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ONE YEAR AGO TODAY  
Lt. Gen. Simon Bolivar Buckner demands Okinawa Japs quit.  
TWO YEARS AGO TODAY  
Allied forces penetrate 13 miles. U. S. troops capture Lison, France.

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NORTH & WEST: Continued overcast with rain and cool temperatures; Max. 64, Min. 54; SOUTH & EAST: Partly cloudy to overcast with showers; no change in temperature; Max. 67, Min. 55; BERLIN: Partly cloudy to cloudy with showers; cooler; Max. 68, Min. 58; BREMEN: Continued overcast; rain and cool.

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# C-54 Crash in Canal Zone Kills 23

## Army to Get GI Views on Occupation

By EDWIN E. DOWELL  
Staff Writer

FRANKFURT, June 10—Gen. Joseph T. McNarney, theater commander, today ordered an exhaustive and special inspection of all company-size military units by the Inspectors General's office. The office has been expanded temporarily in the theater with the addition of field grade officers, USFET headquarters announced today.

The inspection will be conducted to determine the state of discipline among troops; to study company punishments and the workings of the court martial system; to examine training and recreational facilities; to determine the soldiers' opinion of the occupation mission; to inspect the living conditions of EM and officers, and to make an inquiry into the fraternization, venereal disease and AWOL problems.

### Full Reports Due

The USFET directive provides that a representative cross-section of EM be questioned.

Full reports will be submitted by all commanders not later than June 15. Under the directive, unit commanders are being asked for sworn replies to 33 questions covering conditions of discipline, fraternization, arms, training, I & E, recreation, mess, inspections, complaints, other unit officers, dependents and other general subjects.

The questions, many of which have from five to seven parts, are designed to yield a complete picture of duty and off-duty activities, together with information on personal habits of both EM and officers.

The question is asked whether a unit participates in any organized educational or recreational program for German youth.

Another question inquires how many officers and EM are married and how many have asked to have dependents brought over.

## Fleet to Visit North Europe

LONDON, June 10 (AP)—Headquarters of the U. S. Naval Forces in Europe announced today that units of the 12th Fleet will soon engage in a series of training cruises and good-will visits to northern European ports, including Norway, Sweden, Denmark, Holland and Belgium.

The force will be composed of the cruisers Houston and Little Rock and the destroyers Warrington, Perry, Cone and Glennon. The task group will be divided into two smaller units for the various visits in the countries named.

## Plan Would Draft Teen Agers For Stateside Duty Only

WASHINGTON, June 10 (AP)—A plan to permit the induction of 18-year-olds, but to prohibit their use by the Army overseas, was offered by Rep. John J. Sparkman (D.-Ala.) as a compromise to break the Senate-House deadlock over extension of the draft law.

## CID Still Probing Passau Murder Case

The Stars and Stripes Bureau FRANKFURT, June 10—The Criminal Investigation Department still has 10 men assigned to the five-months-old Passau murder case, a provost marshal official said today.

More than 55 leads have been tracked down since the three American MG officers were murdered and burned on Jan. 7, he said, and the investigation is still considered "hot."



Prof. Harold J. Laski  
... would share secrets

## Laski Salutes Soviet, Britain As Peace Hope

BOURNEMOUTH, England, June 10 (AP)—Prof. Harold J. Laski declared today that Socialist governments, "like the Russian and our own, are the surest hope of peace," if they combine their strength.

Laski, in a keynote address at the 45th annual conference of the Labor Party which he is executive committee chairman, attributed a large part of Russian suspicion of western democracies to secrecy about atomic bomb information.

"Those who possess the special technological knowledge about atomic energy seem bent on postponing as long as they can that international control so urgent for international confidence," he asserted.

### More Trust from Russia

Laski urged Russia, "having experimented with distrust," to "experiment in friendship" with Britain.

"Russian leaders and British leaders alike have the inescapable obligation to make their socialism not narrowly nationalist but generously international," Laski said. "On any other terms, their failure to understand one another endangers the survival of our civilization."

He applauded the decision to evacuate Egypt as a means of proving to the world "the absence in a Socialist government of the old and evil lust for dominion."

Laski attacked the three-power Potsdam agreement as "economic" (Continued on Page 8)

## New WAC Shipment Is Due in Le Havre

The Stars and Stripes Bureau LE HAVRE, June 10—The second shipment of Wacs to this theater since V-J Day was expected to arrive here late today aboard the ship Algonquin.

The group of 120 Wacs will be processed at Camp Philip Morris, then proceed via Paris to Germany. The first shipment, comprising 265 Wacs, docked here in mid-May.

A third group of 226 is expected to arrive on the Bridgeport later this month, completing the quota of 609 Wacs allotted to units in the ET.

## Sen. Bankhead Improves

WASHINGTON, June 10 (INS)—The Naval Hospital said today that Senator John Bankhead (D.-Ala.) was maintaining the improvement in condition shown yesterday. The 74-year-old senator has been a patient at the hospital since May 24, when he collapsed at the Capitol from "nervous exhaustion."

## Low-Point Fathers Leave Berlin for U. S. Thursday

By NADEANE WALKER, Staff Writer

BERLIN, June 10—Within the next week 1,688 fathers from all Berlin commands will be States-ward bound under the June 4 directive ordering the return of low-point fathers to the U. S. for reassignment, Berlin District public relations revealed today.

The first shipment of 1,000 will leave Thursday from Wannsee RTO for Marburg, in the largest group to be redeployed from Berlin in several months.

The second shipment will be on its way June 16 to sail from Bremerhaven.

Soldier fathers affected by the reassignment ruling represent about 10 per cent of the total troop strength in Berlin, according to latest strength figures.

## Shooting of Siam's King In Palace Called Accident

BANGKOK, June 10 (AP)—King Ananda Mahidol, 20-year-old monarch of Siam was found shot dead last night in his palace. He succeeded to the throne today by his brother, the 18-year-old Prince Phumiphon Adulbet.

The new king was unanimously chosen at an emergency session of the Siamese legislature. The legislature also appointed a three-man regency council to guide king Phumiphon.

The new king was born in Boston, when his father, Prince Songkla, was studying at Harvard University.

A servant found Ananda Mahidol dead in a bedroom at the Barompinan Palace with a bullet wound in his head.

The Siamese police director general, and the director of the Chulalong Korn Hospital, who were called immediately to the palace, listed the death as accidental.

Palace officials said the king had been indisposed for the past two days. He arose at 6 a. m. and took medicine, but his later actions were not disclosed.

The entire nation was plunged into sorrow by the announcement of his death.

Premier Nai Pridi Phanomyong, who was reappointed on Friday, told the legislature that it would be at liberty to recommend a new premier to the king regents. Authority (Continued on Page 8)

## Yanks Escape Shots in China

TIENTSIN, June 10 (AP)—Chinese government dispatches from Tsingtao said that several U. S. Marine vehicles were fired on by unknown persons last night as they returned to the Tsingtao airport. There were no reports of Marine casualties.

Meanwhile, in Nanking, Gen. George C. Marshall, and Communist Gen. Chou En-lai discussed conditions for a permanent peace in China today, while the government charged that the Communists had violated the truce by attacking several cities.

The government's Central News Agency said that 200 Nationalist officers and men were killed or wounded when 12 Communist brigades made attacks at the Lafa and Kiu railway stations east of Yungki.

## Italian Republic Is Now Official

ROME, June 10 (AP)—The republic's victory in last week's Italian plebiscite was officially confirmed today.

In a brief ceremony in the Montecitorio palace's "Hall of the Wolf," Chief Justice Giuseppe Pagano announced that the nation's highest tribunal had officially determined last week's plebiscite voted out the Savoy monarchy.

LISBON, June 10 (AP)—Portugal expects Umberto of Italy to arrive in Lisbon from Rome by air tonight. He will join his family in exile here.

## More Arrests Due In Kronberg Case; Smuggling Traced

By ROBERT R. RODGERS  
Staff Writer

FRANKFURT, June 10—The Kronberg jewelry case is "definitely not closed" and further arrests in Germany are anticipated, the Theater Provost Marshal said today.

Meanwhile it was confirmed that Col. Jack W. Durant, who was picked up with his wife in Chicago for complicity in the crown treasure disappearance, was formerly executive officer of the G-1 personnel division, USFET. His executive officer was Major David F. Watson, who was arrested Friday and placed in confinement here.

Charges preferred against Watson, whose name plate was missing from his I. G. Farben building desk this morning, were not disclosed today by Army officials, although it was understood that one of them was "conspiracy to defraud the government."

CID agents here believe that the case will be closed by the end of the week. They said that full details of the jewel smuggling by ship and plane to the States could be expected at that time.

The list of suspects tracked down by War Department police in the (Continued on Page 8)

## 900,000 Invade Coney Island

NEW YORK, June 10 (AP)—The year's greatest crowd, numbering 900,000 persons, swarmed out to Coney Island on Sunday fearing repetition of Saturday's 86 degree weather, but the mercury only climbed to 76 degrees.

## Witness Compares Lichfield With Concentration Camps

The Stars and Stripes regrets that it printed underlines to a page one picture yesterday which described seven witnesses in the Lichfield trial as "Former Lichfield Reinforcement Depot Guards." The error had the effect of making their defendants when in truth they are witnesses against the defendants.

The error resulted from taking incorrect data from the caption furnished by International News Photos, commercial distributors of Keystone Photos. In short, the photo service made the error and The Stars and Stripes slipped in not catching it.

The soldier-witnesses are William F. Pond, Mike Kobliński, Ed Baker, Albert Beach, Robert Cox, Leon Richie and Otto Holt.

## Plane Rams Mountain on Panama Hop

WEST PALM BEACH, Fla., June 10 (INS)—Twenty-three persons were killed today when an Army transport plane crashed in the Panama Canal zone.

Officials at Morrison Field, West Palm Beach, where the flight originated, said 19 bodies had been recovered before the search was abandoned because of darkness.

The plane was reported to have crashed into a mountain off Taboga Island, near the Panama Canal. The C-54 plane was carrying six crew members and 17 passengers. One passenger was a civilian and the rest were military personnel.

The flight took off from Morrison Field at daylight today on a regularly-scheduled run to Panama. The crash occurred around noon.

According to reports received at Morrison Field, the plane crashed about 150 feet from the top of the mountain, then exploded. It was as though the crash occurred as the plane was approaching for a landing.

Search for other bodies was to be resumed tomorrow. Names of personnel aboard the plane will be released later, Army officers said.

## Shipping Union Rejects Offer

WASHINGTON, June 10 (INS)—The National Maritime Union today turned down a proposal by the East Coast ship operators to work out a settlement of the controversial hours problem in time to avert a threatened strike of CIO marine unions at midnight Friday.

The Sunday night meeting between the operators and officials broke up at 12.30 a. m. (EST) when the union rejected an offer of one day off in port for every 14 days at sea. Federal conciliation director Edgar D. Warren said the union branded the proposal as "impractical" and in turn called for "exploration of other ways of meeting its demands."

Another meeting between ship-owners and NMU president Joseph Curran was scheduled later today. Curran, Harry Bridges and other maritime leaders were also scheduled to meet during the day with CIO president Philip Murray to report on the status of negotiations and hold a war council on the forthcoming strike.

BAD NAUHEIM, June 10 (AP)—A soldier testifying in the Lichfield trial today cried, "Why fight about other countries' concentration camps—they've got concentration camps right in the U. S. Army."

The witness, Mike Kobliński, of Saginaw, Mich., told a military court he had been beaten unconscious and kicked by soldier guards while confined at the Army guardhouse in Lichfield, in 1944 and 1945.

He was testifying in the trial of Lt. Granville Cubage, of Oklahoma City, one of 16 soldiers who have been accused of brutality to prisoners. Three have been convicted.

Kobliński said Cubage called him into his office on his third visit to the guardhouse and told him, "I guess the only way to keep you away from here is to beat you all over" (Continued on Page 8)

# 'Will to Live' Kept 4,000 GIs Alive in Jap Prisons

WASHINGTON, June 10 (INS)—Survival of 4,000 American soldiers subjected to horrors of Japanese prison camps that killed their comrades was attributed by Army psychiatrists to a "tremendous will to live."

This conclusion was reached in a report released by the War Department on findings of medical specialists who met the liberated prisoners when they landed at various times and places in the United States. Lt. Col. Norman O. Brill, chief examiner, declared:

### Fight Never Stopped

"They never stopped in their struggle for survival. They ate anything available, including cats, dogs, silkworms and other things repulsive to normal beings."

"When struck with dysentery and malaria, they would nevertheless attempt to carry on. This strength and courage had no connection with social background or education."

The psychiatrists were interested in factors that were responsible for the survival of the heroic men when so many of their comrades, in about the same physical condition when captured, had succumbed.

However, the nearest they came to finding a common factor was what is described in the report as a "tremendous will to live."

### Unexplainable

Brill's report declared that "all of them lived only for the day." It added:

"When those of lesser spiritual strength became ill they were likely to give up, quit eating entirely and frequently would die within a few days. One failed to find a scientific reason or an adequate term to explain survival."

It seemed to some of these examiners that "courage" was the best word, as courage seemingly was the only common factor among the imprisoned Americans.

Brill observed that when one of the men would fail to concentrate on or begin to hoard food or gave way to morbid thoughts concerning the seemingly hopeless situation, he was earmarked by his companions as quite likely to die shortly.

### Readjustment Easy

A prisoner who would hoard his rice allowance for several meals in order to enjoy the sensation of one large meal assertedly was referred to as "rice happy." This generally was an indication of the beginning of deterioration and early demise.

The colonel said further that the men themselves expressed no concern about their ability to readjust to life in the United States. After three years in Japanese prison camps, most of the time on starvation rations while subjected to frequent beatings, they could take anything.

Considerable importance was attached to early medical contact with the released soldiers because never before in American history had such a large group been exposed to starvation, torture, and humiliation.

It was noted that these circumstances had surprisingly little effect on the minds of the survivors.

## Britain Maps Drive For 1947 Tourists

LONDON, June 10 (INS)—Britain will spend nearly \$5,000,000 in foreign countries, principally America, this year to draw a hoped-for \$200,000,000 worth of tourist traffic in 1947.

Plans are being drawn up by the government-sponsored travel association of Great Britain and Ireland and the commercial travel agencies in London.

No effort is being made this year to attract visitors from abroad, as hotels, most of them very recently derequisitioned, cannot get labor or materials to complete repairs or redecorate.

Food, transportation and entertainment are also considered to be still too restricted to induce visitors to come to Britain.



WAR PRISONERS of the Japs had little more than a strong will to keep them alive, according to medical authorities. Left, a group of Americans and Filipinos after being freed from a prison in the Philippines by a U. S. Ranger raid. Right, medics give first aid to an emaciated victim of 3 1/2 years' horror.

## 5 Years Needed For Recovery of European Farms

WASHINGTON, June 10 (INS)—The Agriculture Department has reported that a minimum of five years will be required to restore prewar agricultural production in Europe.

The department also stated that the cutting down of the German economic potential, land reforms, and food black markets in some countries would retard the recovery of European agriculture.

The European agricultural situation was outlined in a report prepared by the department's office of foreign agricultural relations.

### Food Experts Agree

Federal farm experts presented the analysis of European agriculture as the United Nations Food and Agriculture Conference urged creation of a multi-national emergency food council to replace the Combined Food Board.

This recommendation was in line with proposals by Herbert Hoover, Secretary of Agriculture Clinton P. Anderson, and UNRRA Director Fiorello H. LaGuardia.

Further food-saving steps such as increasing the extraction rate for flour, the dilution of wheat in flour by other grains, bread rationing and domestic control of flour distribution were also advocated.

Meanwhile, the Agriculture Department issued an order prohibiting bakers from making bread or rolls weighing more than 90 per cent of the weight produced on March 15, 1946.

In its report on the European situation, the Agriculture Department expressed belief that recovery of European agriculture would be faster than following World War I. The report said:

### Science to Help

"Technical developments since the first war, especially those pertaining to machinery and fertilizer, will permit agricultural recovery to proceed more speedily."

The department warned that elimination of Germany from "its former economic role in Europe" would necessarily have an "adverse effect on the recovery of agriculture." It pointed out that before World War II, nearly every country in continental Europe depended heavily on Germany as either a seller or buyer.

The report also stated that "the negative effects that the breaking up of large estates are likely to have on agricultural recovery in Eastern Europe will certainly be considerable."

It charged that black market operations in such countries as Italy and France "have reached such large proportions that not only are urban food supplies most inefficiently distributed, but the sums extracted from the consumers... are by no means fully used to restore the productive capacity of farms."

### PWs to Aid Farmers

DENVER, June 10 (UP)—Colorado sugar beet farmers will be aided in thinning the 1946 crop by 5,000 prisoners of war.

## German Policewomen May Halt 'Fraulein Trouble' in Berlin

By Inez Robb

BERLIN, June 10 (INS)—Fraulein trouble throughout all sectors of Berlin is as pressing a problem to German police today as it is to the Allied military occupation authorities.

In an attempt to check the delinquency of 'teen-age frauleins, plainclothes policewomen soon will do duty in the American, British, French and Russian sectors of Berlin.

The policewomen will be attached to the criminal police division, Franz Erdmann, now head of the division, said recently in an exclusive interview.

### 'Easiest Way'

He talked with this correspondent in the office of Maj. Charles Bond, who is in charge of police activities in the American zone.

At the mention of the word fraulein, Erdmann, a member of the Berlin police force for 25 years, threw up his hands in despair.

He revealed that prostitution among 'teen-age girls had increased "tremendously" in all sectors of Berlin.

He said the girls were influenced toward this "easiest way" of procuring funds after seeing their friends receive large sums of money and gifts from soldier friends. The

girls don't want to work for a few marks daily when they see one of their crowd casually given 50 marks by a soldier sweetheart.

The policewomen also are to work closely to check Berlin's astounding black market which attracts a "dangerous group of boys 16 to 18," according to Erdmann.

He said a 16-year-old boy was arrested with 168,000 marks hidden in his clothing.

Boys refuse to go to work when they see the tremendous sums made by others in the black market.

### Black Mart Influence

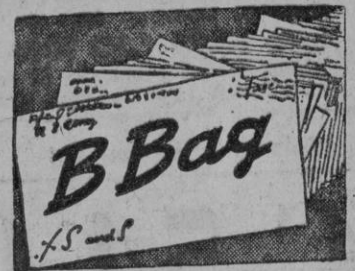
Erdmann said that most of the burglaries and thefts in Berlin are committed by juvenile delinquents. They are responsible for armed assaults to a lesser degree.

If the black market were destroyed, Erdmann said, much juvenile crime would be wiped out along with it.

He said that 28 potential policewomen, all between the ages of 25 and 30, have already been chosen. They will receive the same pay as male police.

The corps eventually will number 105, with 25 to 30 assigned to the American sector.

Some of the plainclothes women, after receiving training in the use of firearms, will carry efficient revolvers in their innocent-looking handbags.



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### Food Removal

There are several rackets in this theater that I think should be brought to light and corrected. One I have noticed is the great quantity of food being taken from the messes by officers and both American and Allied personnel. This is not only true here in the Casino and Carlton messes in Frankfurt, but also in messes and snack bars in Berlin and other places in Germany. The food is taken out with the cooperation of the German help.

I watched an Allied girl the other day. She brought a newspaper into the mess hall, and gave it to one of the waitresses along with a cigarette. In a little while, the waitress came back with a bundle of sandwiches. This is one example of what I have seen. The food is being taken for one of three reasons: 1. To feed the German girl friend and family; 2. To feed a dog; 3. To use at a drunken party.

It is only logical to assume that the Germans working in these messes can easily smuggle food out, and this is being done at the expense of the U. S. Government. If a person were placed in the messes to catch these people, it would save the Government a lot of food, and would get rid of a lot of rackets and undesirable personnel.

—Lt. G-I, USFET.

EDITOR'S NOTE: The content of this letter was referred to the Headquarters Commandant, USFET, who replied: "The Mess Section, Hq. Comd., recognizes the problem, and is attempting in every way possible to prevent unauthorized removal of food from the various mess halls."

"The following steps have been taken: (a) Prominent signs forbidding removal of food are posted in the messes; (b) The guards at the door have instructions to prevent the removal of food from the mess halls; (c) Employees have been warned not to assist in the removal of food, and they will be discharged if apprehended."

### Wants Transfer

I am RA, with four MOS's calling for work on the flight line—starting from central fire control to airplane armament.

Today I was told I cannot get transferred from my present job of security guard, MOS 521, with no chance for ratings. Why does a person with my past experience and ability on the line have to stay an SG when outfits in the Pacific are begging for men with line experience. Is there a method of arranging a transfer, even to the Pacific?

—Pfc Carl Goldsworthy

### 'Top Kick' Is Tops

We would like to express our appreciation toward a great guy. The name "Top Kick" really fits him to a "T". He is tops. We haven't seen, or heard, of one better.

We haven't been under him very long, but during that time he has gone the limit to do his very best for us. Not only this company thinks highly of him, but the entire 223rd Bn.

If you have ever been in the 223rd Bn. area, you would know we are referring to the first sergeant of the 3103rd QM Serv. Co. —W. & W.

### Salutes Aren't Returned

What is the matter with the officers in Bad Nauheim? They want the GIs to salute them, but they don't want to return the salute. Are they afraid of breaking their arms?

The commanding general salutes. Why can't the other officers? —Eager.

## TALES By Hoffman



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# Rebuilding, Replanting Are Chief Occupations in Germany Today ...



MUNICH contractors salvage bricks to be used in the reconstruction of bombed areas. Other German cities are in a similar stage of initial rebuilding. Materials used are German, with contractors being licensed by the economic division, military government.



ABOVE, Berliners plant potatoes in the Tiergarten, once the city's loveliest park. It has been converted into a farming area to help alleviate the food shortage. The conversion was made by the English government, after the park had been destroyed by the war.

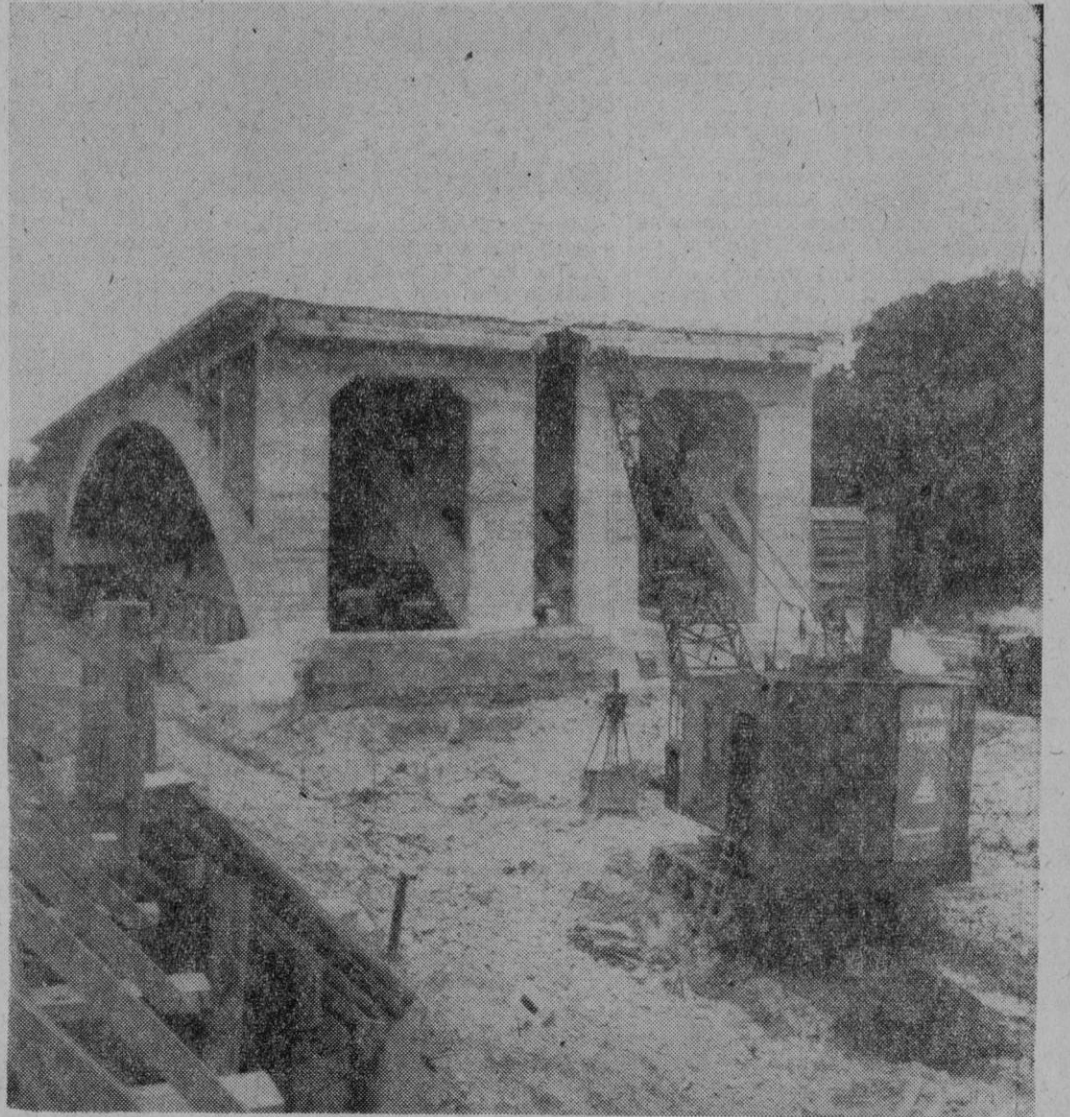


DISPLACED German children from areas given to Poland eat dinner in a Berlin air-raid shelter. These refugees are living in the shelters until permanent homes are found. Thus, part of Germany's war preparations finds a peaceful use.

## ...As Germans Salvage, Skimp to Overcome Their War's Aftermath



THESE Munich women are chipping bricks, along with male workers. Bombed German cities offer more than enough work for all Germans, regardless of sex. One estimate was that reconstruction in Berlin alone could keep 1,000,000 men busy five years.



ON A ROAD near Stuttgart, German laborers are working night and day to rebuild the bridge shown here. Transportation in Germany is getting a lift through similar projects under military government.

U. S. Signal Corps Photos

# Collaboration Trial of Mihailovich Opens

## UN May Alter Plan to Break With Franco

NEW YORK, June 10 (AP)—A compromise proposal on the issue of Franco Spain is expected to be put to the United Nations Security Council when it renews debate on the question, probably tomorrow, according to sources close to the investigating subcommittee.

It has already been recommended that if Generalissimo Francisco Franco remains in power in September, the General Assembly should call upon its entire membership to break relations with the Spanish Government.

The compromise proposal, according to a source close to the committee, would provide:

**ADOPTION** of the report by the council with modifications.

**REMOVAL** of a time limit on the break in relations, with the decision on the date left up to the assembly.

**MINOR REVISIONS** which would tend to make the recommendations to the assembly more flexible.

In explanation of the compromise, the source added that some nations felt they did not want to commit themselves now as to what should be done in September. Their attitude, it was felt, was almost certain to draw strong opposition from the Russian delegation.

## SPANISH REPUBLICAN LEADER TO QUIT MEXICO FOR FRANCE

MEXICO CITY, June 10 (AP)—Senor Jose Giral, premier of the Spanish Republican Government in exile, announced today that he is leaving Mexico to establish residence in France.

Senor Giral's departure is scheduled for Sunday next and it will virtually transfer the entire exile government to France with only the minister of justice and education remaining in Mexico.

The premier said he would stop briefly in New York to discuss the Franco question with the United Nations Security Council members.

## Britain Awaits Palestine Data

LONDON, June 10 (AP)—A British foreign office spokesman discounted today reports from Cairo that the British government had told King Farouk of Egypt it would not approve the recommendations of the Anglo-American Palestine inquiry committee.

It was extremely doubtful, the spokesman said, that Britain would commit herself on this proposal before receiving the official views of both Jews and Arabs. These opinions are expected in about 10 days.

### Grand Mufti Returns

The British government is inquiring into circumstances under which the exiled grand mufti of Jerusalem left France to return to the Middle-East, a foreign office spokesman said today.

The French government, he added, was aware of Britain's decision that the mufti should not return to the Middle-East.

Though the foreign office has received no official confirmation of the grand mufti's reported arrival at Damascus, the spokesman declared it was safe to assume he had arrived at the Syrian capital.

Meantime in Syria, the powerful Arab League council will consider on Tuesday methods by which to bring the controversial Palestine problem before the United Nations, it was reported reliably.

## Two GIs and a Wac Take Mates Overseas



First wedding of a Wac officer and a Frenchman took place in Paris, when Capt. Dorothy Smith, of Staten Island, N. Y., an investigator with the 6801 Military Intelligence Det., was married to Major Pierre Hentic, who was a leader in the underground of Brittany.



Among weddings of American soldiers on German soil was that of T/5 Christ Dimitriades, of New York City, to Inge Watts, an American. The ceremony, in Bremerhaven, was performed by a German magistrate at the behest of military government.



Another Bremerhaven civil ceremony was that of M/Sgt. Isaac A. Dennis, of Columbia, S. C., and Patricia Horwood Barratt, a civil servant with the British military government. — Signal Corps Photos

## Berlin Crash Dead Identified by Army

BERLIN, June 10 (UP)—The identities of the three American soldiers killed in the crash of an Army jeep and truck Thursday night were disclosed today by the Provost Marshal's office.

They were Pfc George Davies, of Greenford, Middlesex, Eng., Sgt. Ichiro J. Takeuchi, of Rivers, Ariz., and Pvt. Alfred Y. Nakata, of Ontario, Ore.

In the same collision in the U. S. sector of Berlin, 17 GIs were injured.

## Dutch, British Confident of Indonesian Amity

BATAVIA, June 10 (AP)—Although certain signs apparently indicate that the Indonesian government is making military preparations for a possible breakdown in negotiations, authoritative Dutch and British circles are maintaining that recent Indonesian measures such as the institution of a national defense council are aimed more at obtaining greater internal unity and law and order.

A high Dutch spokesman pointed out that the present government was losing its grip over the masses because of the recent large-scale Chinese murders at Tangerang, the discontinuation of the evacuation of Dutch internees from the interior and the failure to implement the agreement to deliver rice to the Allied-occupied area.

### CHINESE SHOPS IN BATAVIA TO CLOSE IN MOURNING

BATAVIA, June 10 (AP)—Chinese societies of the central union of Batavia today voted to shut all Chinese shops, restaurants and schools, and call all Chinese from their jobs tomorrow as a gesture of mourning for Chinese recently massacred at Tangerang.

### DUTCH RECAPTURE SHIP TAKEN BY INDONESIANS

BATAVIA, June 10 (AP)—Less than 24 hours after Indonesians had seized a former Japanese repatriation ship from the Dutch, a Netherlands gunboat recaptured it, together with 37 prisoners, it was officially announced here today.

Earlier, Dutch ships and aircraft had been warned that the vessel, "a pirate ship," was to be found and destroyed if it could not be recaptured.

## Aussies Hold V-Day Parade

SYDNEY, June 10 (AP)—Australia celebrated victory day with a national holiday and big processions in the principal cities but underlying the celebration was a feeling of concern at what I. B. Chifley, the prime minister, called "the uneasy peace."

Speaking in Canberra after a parade, the prime minister declared: "It will require from the people of the world and Australia every effort to see that the peace is preserved."

He added that "the magnificent part" Britain played in the war "will go down in history as the greatest epic of all time."

In Sydney 400,000 persons watched as 20,000 men and women of World War II marched through the streets.

The United States was represented by a color guard of three, France by 46 soldiers and sailors, Greece by four soldiers in national costume, Holland by 66 men from the destroyer Piet Hein, the leaking warship that Australian trade unionists have refused to repair.

## DP Students at Heidelberg Give Painting to Keyes

The Stars and Stripes Bureau HEIDELBERG, June 10—An oil painting of the view from Lt. Gen. Geoffrey Keyes' garden villa was presented to the 3rd Army commander yesterday by 11 students, representing 350 DPs now attending the University of Heidelberg.

Janis Gailis, Latvian artist, painted the picture and actually made the presentation in appreciation for U. S. Army benefits to DPs.

## Bidault Says MRP Is Ready to Rule

PARIS, June 10 (AP)—France's Popular Republican Movement Party—one of whose leaders is Foreign Minister Georges Bidault—indicated today its willingness to take the presidency of the new interim government.

Bidault told a meeting of party chiefs that MRP had decided to take all responsibilities conferred on it by the people.

## Seyss-Inquart Says Hitler Broke Pledge

NURNBERG, June 10 (AP)—Declaring he told Adolf Hitler that "I'm no Trojan horse," tall, scholarly-looking Arthur Seyss-Inquart defended himself before the International Military Tribunal here today by saying that his one-time hero had double-crossed him.

Charged with betraying his native Austria to the Third Reich, and with participating in the Nazi outrages against Holland, the myopic manipulator of the anschluss insisted that he had told Hitler Austrian ideals had to be maintained as a prerequisite of a peaceful union with Germany.

Hitler had agreed, he asserted, and had stated that the fulfillment of the Nazi program should remain a secondary consideration.

### Says Hitler Changed Stand

But after the wehrmacht had marched into Austria in 1938, the Fuehrer, relegating Inquart, completely changed his stand.

Offering his transcript notes of a subsequent Berchtesgaden conference as evidence, Inquart told the tribunal that he had said to Hitler: "I cannot offer myself as a Trojan horse leader."

Records were also introduced to show the tribunal that he had been promptly superceded in the position of highest authority by Hans Buerckel, who was made responsible only to Hitler.

### WRIGHT PREDICTS TRIAL OF FEW WAR CRIMINALS

HONOLULU, June 10 (AP)—Lord Robert Alderson Wright, chairman of the United Nations war crimes commission, predicted less than 10 per cent of the world's war criminals would face trial.

Wright said the important thing was to bring a sufficient number of cases to trial to develop and define international law to make it plain warmaking was a crime. Such definition can be expected to act as a restraint on statesmen and military leaders in future international crises, said he.

## IRA Hunger Striker Faces Transfusion

BELFAST, June 10 (UP)—David Fleming, the former IRA leader who abandoned his hunger strike after 77 days, has a "good chance for recovery," but a blood transfusion may be necessary, according to his prison doctors.

Noticeably brighter today, Fleming was eating fruit, glucose, tea and brandy. Warden Stewart admitted that he had been making funeral arrangements when Fleming capitulated.

Friends of Fleming believe that prison chaplain Patrick McAllister, who conferred frequently with the prisoner during the past week, had influenced his decision to end the hunger strike.

## Chetnik Leader Faces Belgrade Military Court

BELGRADE, June 10 (AP)—The trial of Draja Mihailovich, Chetnik leader accused of having collaborated with the enemy during the war, began in the Jamme Infantry School auditorium here today.

The defendant appeared in a plain brown uniform, wearing heavy army boots.

During preliminary questioning, which is routine in Yugoslav courts, the principal defendant was asked his occupation.

"General of the army," Mihailovich said loudly. He said he was born April 27, 1883.

The president of the court to try Mihailovich and 23 co-defendants is Col. Mihailo Djordjevic, who is president of the supreme court of Serbia and a former Partisan army fighter.

With him as judges will be Lt. Col. Milia Lakovich and Col. Mihail Jankovich.

Lakovich is a member of the Yugoslav supreme court and a prewar district court judge in Montenegro. Jankovich, a regular officer, was captured by the Germans in 1941. He is a former member of the supreme army court and now a member of the Yugoslav supreme court.

The case for the prosecution will be presented by the public prosecutor, Col. Milos Minich. An expert, he is also a Serbian.

Approximately 1,000 spectators heard the president of the court open the proceedings with the words: "The trial of the accused, Draja Mihailovich, begins today."

The flood-lighted courtroom swarmed with photographers and journalists, with about 100 foreign and Yugoslav newspapers and agencies being represented.

### 11 DANES CHARGED WITH COLLABORATION GO ON TRIAL

COPENHAGEN, June 10 (INS)—Eleven members of Denmark's most notorious collaborationist organization, the "Peter Group," went on trial with the prosecution demanding the death penalty for 10 of them.

The organization was set up in 1943 on a special order from Hitler, who was angered because of conditions in the country. The 66-page indictment against the 11 persons covers 94 murders, 25 attempted murders, 157 explosions which caused damage in excess of 100,000,000 kroner, eight train derailments causing 26 deaths and other explosions causing 24 deaths.

## U.S. Captain's Dog Climbs Alpspitze

Special to The Stars and Stripes

GARMISCH, June 10 —Blitz, an eight-month-old police dog, is believed to be the first American-owned canine to climb the 8,540-foot Alpspitze mountain near here.

The dog, owned by Capt. Jack Voskamp, 489th AAA Bn. surgeon, slipped and slid, but refused to quit in a three-hour trek up the snow-covered Alpine peak, third highest in Germany.

He accompanied one of the regular classes of the 3rd Army's mountain climbing school located on the Kreuzeck mountain just outside Garmisch.

Except for two occasions, when he had to be carried over a series of metal steps built into the side of the mountain, Blitz mastered the strenuous ascent alone.

Capt. Voskamp said that Blitz is getting ready to tackle next the Little Waxenstein, one of Germany's most difficult climbs.

## Soviet Movement Across Czechoslovakia Completed

PRAGUE, June 10 (AP)—The transfer of Russian troops from the South Danube across Czechoslovakia into the northern Russian zone has been completed smoothly, it was announced last night.

The Russian commander thanked the Czech chief of staff for his assistance and said the Red Army men had received a warm greeting from the populace.

### Terry and The Pirates

(By Courtesy of News Syndicate)

### By Milton Caniff



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# Bilbo Gears for Fight With Ex-S&S Editor

GREENVILLE, Miss., June 10 (AP)—The loudest fireworks yet in Mississippi's explosive Senatorial race were expected this week when Sen. Theodore G. Bilbo, Democrat, turns his pyrotechnic oratory against a Pulitzer Prize-winning editor.

Bilbo, whose old war cry of "white supremacy" was echoed throughout his campaign for Democratic renomination, was scheduled to speak Tuesday against Hodding Carter, 39, editor of Greenville's Delta Democrat Times, who received the Pulitzer Prize in May for editorials urging racial and religious tolerance.

"I'm going to skin him alive," Bilbo declared. During the war Carter, a reserve officer, served as Middle East editor of both Yank and The Stars and Stripes.

Bilbo is not the only candidate stressing the race issue. One of his adversaries, former Rep. Ross Collins, spent much of his stump time complaining Bilbo had been lax in his championship of white supremacy.

## EDUCATOR LEAVES MARINES, WILL SHUN POLITICS

CHICAGO, June 10 (AP)—Maj. Paul H. Douglas, 54, who in 1943 gave up teaching at the University of Chicago and an Aldermanic job to enlist as a private in the Marines, says he intends to return to teaching and "stay out of politics."

He said his wife, Rep.-at-large Emily Taft Douglas, is going to stay in politics at his urging.

## Colonel Shot In Camp Mishap

COLUMBUS, Ohio, June 10 (AP)—The wounding of Col. Ernest A. Bixby, commandant of Camp Atterbury, Ind., by a 22-caliber bullet was described as an accident by Col. John C. McMahon, chief of staff, 5th Service Command.

Bixby was admitted to the post hospital last Wednesday with bullet wounds in his arm and leg.

McMahon said only one shot was fired and the bullet ricocheted and caused the second wound. He added that he had no details of how the shooting occurred.

The chief of staff said Mrs. Bixby had been admitted to the post hospital suffering from "nervous shock" due to the accident.

## Elmira Asks Help Of N. Y. to Clear Wind, Flood Debris

ELMIRA, N. Y., June 10 (AP)—Elmira, struggling to recover from the flood which devastated the city May 28, appealed for state assistance Saturday night as a wind and electrical storm toppled about 400 trees in the downtown area and pitched the city into darkness.

City Manager Ralph Klebes asked the state department public works to return its workers to Elmira to help clean up debris deposited by the storm and flood.

## Cupid Carries On Even After Death

PHILADELPHIA, June 10 (UP)—The late John Litras, Philadelphia merchant, apparently enjoyed the role of Dan Cupid so well that he arranged to carry on his match-making activities even after his death.

In his will, Litras left his \$21,537 estate to provide a dowry fund for the poor and orphaned girls in Kantsiko, Greece, his birthplace.

The fund will provide enough money for two or three girls each year and will be administered by a committee representing nine villages.

## Canada Releases Foster On Illegal Entry Charge

TORONTO, June 10 (AP)—William Z. Foster, head of the Communist party in the U. S., was en route to New York after a weekend in Toronto during which he was arrested on a charge of illegal entry into Canada, where he addressed the Canadian Labor Progressive party's first national convention.

Foster was arrested early Sunday by police acting on a stop order issued several years ago barring Foster from Canada under wartime regulations. He was released in \$500 bond after promising a specially convened immigration board he would return to the U. S.

## Good Ol' Brooklyn 300 Years Young

BROOKLYN, June 10 (INS)—Brooklyn was to celebrate the 300th anniversary of its existence as an established community in a three-day observance starting today. Originally called Breucklen (marshy land), the community obtained a grant of limited self-government from the New Netherlands province of the West India Co. in 1646.



Flatbush Goes to Okinawa

Brooklyn borough president John Cashmore, in a response to a homesick GI's request for a touch of Brooklyn, hands the Flatbush Ave. streets signs to Mrs. Richard J. Grace who will send them to her son S/Sgt. Edward J. Grace, stationed on Okinawa.

## Georgia Seeks Federal Help Against Klan

ATLANTA, June 10 (INS)—Georgia will seek the aid of the U. S. Department of Justice in its battle to bring about dissolution of Ku Klux Klan.

At the same time State Attorney General Eugene Cook announced that the state now possesses enough evidence to file legal proceedings to revoke the charter of the hooded organization. Cook added that after the state's civil action is filed, evidence "dealing with alleged flagrant illegal activities of certain members" of the Klan would be turned over to the county solicitor general for possible criminal prosecutions.

Assistant Attorney General Daniel Duke and his staff previously confirmed participation of Klan members in the flogging of a Negro bellhop in Atlanta. The Georgia bureau of investigation meanwhile probed the possibility of Klan connection with the murder last August of a taxi driver in Dekalb County.

While proceedings in Atlanta will be directed primarily against the organization within the state, indications were that legal action would implicate Klan activities in other parts of the country. The organization is particularly active throughout the South. Attacks on Negroes and members of the Jewish race in Tennessee, Alabama and Florida, have been reported recently.

## CIO CHARGES KLAN ATTACK ON UNION LABOR IN SOUTH

ROME, Ga., June 10 (INS)—Van A. Bittner, CIO southern organizer, said today that the Ku Klux Klan is attempting to drive the labor organization out of the South.

He said: "There aren't enough of them to try to run us out. We have just begun to fight. Our job won't be over until every working man in the south is organized."

## Italian War Bride Ends Life in Illinois

CALUMET CITY, Ill., June 10 (AP)—Police reported today that Mrs. Newton Branson, 22-year-old war bride, committed suicide. They said her body was found hanging from a clothesline in her apartment here.

Mrs. Branson formerly was Clare Ceccarelli of Grosseto, Italy. She was married in Florence last November and joined her husband two months ago. Friends said she had been homesick.

## Captain's Bride Home After Solo Honeymoon

COLUMBUS Ga., June 10 (INS)—Mrs. Laurence R. Skelton returned to her Columbus home from her solo honeymoon today. The bride, the former Dorothy Powell, was married by proxy in Kansas City, Mo., to Captain Skelton, who is in Germany.

The proxy wedding was held in order that the 22-year-old bride might qualify to be sent overseas to join her husband.

## Mojave Prospector Found Dead In Desert 7 Miles From Help

SAN BERNADINO, Calif., June 10 (AP)—Face down in parched sands and an empty canteen by his side, the body of a 78-year-old Los Angeles prospector, missing three weeks, was found on the Mojave Desert. His son and companion, who began the search for the prospector, was reported missing also.

Coroner R. E. Williams said Peter Wolder, who set out from the mining community of Trona May 18 to walk 30 miles to his stalled automobile, was found seven miles short of his goal. He apparently had fallen victim to torturing desert heat.

He was found by Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Eller, who were traveling the little-used road on a vacation prospecting trip. They saw footsteps

wandering off across a small dry lake bed and investigated.

Los Angeles police said Wolder's son, Detective Sgt. Harold W. Wolder, and his friend, Detective E. W. Christensen, who left to search for the prospector three days ago, could not be located.

A sheriff's posse, who had been searching for the elder Wolder, continued hunting for the missing policemen.

## Dublin-Paris Hops Open Soon

DUBLIN, June 10 (AP)—The new air service between Dublin and Paris will start operation on June 17, with two round trips weekly, it was announced by Irish Airways.

## Educators Censure Texas U. Regents

CHICAGO, June 10 (AP)—The Council of the American Association of University Professors voted today to place the University of Texas on its list of "censured administrations" because of "attempts by a politically dominant group to impose its social and educational views on the university."

Dr. Ralph Himstead, general-secretary of the Association, said that the action was an outgrowth of the dismissal of Dr. Homer P. Rainey as president in 1944, and the dismissal of three members of the economics staff.

The action was recommended by the Committee on Academic Freedom and Tenure and was adopted by a unanimous vote of the 50-man council.

## TEXAS U. PROFESSOR QUILTS IN PROTEST OF FLAGRANT ACADEMIC VIOLATIONS

AUSTIN, June 10 (AP)—Dr. Henshel C. Baker has resigned as assistant professor of English at the University of Texas in protest against what he described as "flagrant and repeated violations of the amenities and basic decencies of good academic practice" by the board of regents.

## Strong Nation Needed To Back UN, Ike Says

NORTH FIELD, Vt., June 10 (AP)—Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower told graduates of Norwich University, "there is an obvious limit to our unilateral disarmament," in an address at the University's 127th commencement exercises yesterday.

Eisenhower, who appeared with Sen. Warren R. Austin (R-Vt.) newly-appointed U. S. representative on the UN Security Council, said:

"To support the United Nations effectively it is clear America can contribute her full share only if she is strong, strong in right and in her power to defend the right. The strength of a leader is in the will and spirit of his followers."

Austin said America could still lose the war "if she became so weak that she cannot support those who represent her in negotiations for final peace."

Austin declared that the war was not over until America's "goals have been achieved. We can lose it if we become weak and inept," he said.

## Congress Facing Loss Of Prestige, White Says

WASHINGTON, June 10 (UP)—Congress must either bring its organization and procedure up to date or face the continuing decline in prestige that will threaten the foundations of the democratic government, charged Sen. Wallace H. White (R-Me.) on behalf of the pending bill to streamline the national legislature.

"Opponents of this measure argue trivialities when the world is on fire," declared White. "The time has come when we must assert ourselves in behalf of the dignity, integrity and efficiency of the Senate today."

The bill, which was prepared by a special Senate committee headed by Sen. Robert M. LaFollette (Prog.-Wis.), provides more than 30 basic changes in congressional machinery and includes the following revisions:

- 1—Reduction in the number of Senate committees from 33 to 16.
- 2—A pay boost from \$10,000 to \$15,000 yearly and a retirement plan for congressmen.
- 3—Increased staffs of experts for committees.
- 4—An administrative assistant for each congressman to deal with the problems of constituents.
- 5—A stenographic pool to help with the mail.

## 200 Pints of Blood Offered Burned Boy

DETROIT, June 10 (AP)—Offers of 200 pints of blood will make it a happy birthday Monday for little Raymond Koteras, who will be 10.

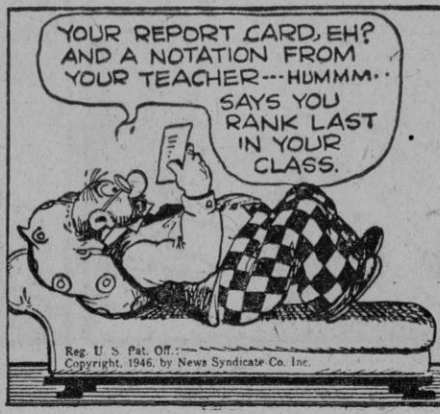
That's twice as much as doctors believe is necessary to bring Raymond back to health from the third degree body burns suffered last Labor Day when a bed sheet he playfully wrapped about himself became ignited.

Volunteers began telephoning the boy's mother as soon as they learned that the numerous skin grafting operations will consume more than two pints of blood a week. More than 150 calls were received, one from a wounded soldier at an Army hospital.

## Moon Mullins

(By Courtesy of News Syndicate Co., Inc.)

By Willard



# Worsham Ties With Barron In Inquirer

PHILADELPHIA, June 10 (AP)—Herman Barron, of White Plains, N. Y., a veteran, and Lew Worsham, of Bethesda, Md., a darkhorse, were tied for the first prize of \$2,500 in the final round of the 72-hole Philadelphia Inquirer \$15,000 Invitation golf tournament. They had four round totals of 277—three under par for the distance. The 18-hole playoff is on Monday.

Barron shot his final round in 69, one under par, and was the only finalist to better par, while the 28-year-old Worsham carded 71.

In a dramatic finish, each missed victory by the slimmest of margins on the 18th hole. Worsham missed a long putt on the apron by a matter of two inches. After Lew holed it for a par four, Barron was faced with a dropping eight-footer that could win for him.

The ball curled past the cup and nestled a foot away. He then holed it to send the match into an 18-hole playoff.

Worsham held the lead in the tourney throughout the first and second rounds, but slipped in the third round and fell to a third-place tie with Mike Turnesa.

Barron moved into a tie for the lead from a fourth-place tie after the third round. At the end of the third round, Vic Ghezzi, former PGA champion, and Harry Todd, former Western Open title holder, were deadlocked for first-place, but both fell off the pace during the final round.

Most of the big-name players in the tourney will make their next appearance in the National Open, which will be held in Cleveland, starting on June 14. Ben Hogan, leading money winner of the year who fell off miserably during the Inquirer meet, and Byron Nelson will again be rated the favorites to battle it out for golfdom's highest title.

# French Advance In Cup Match

PARIS, June 10 (AP)—The French Davis Cup team won its first two singles matches against Yugoslavia today in long overtime deuce-set matches.

The victory put them well on the road toward the European zone finals. Winner of semi-finals here will meet the winner of the Sweden-Belgium semi-finals to be played in Stockholm on Wednesday.

Yvon Petra defeated Yugoslavia's top-ranking Dragutin Mitic 2-6, 8-6, 6-4, 3-6, 8-6.

Marcel Bernard wore down Franka Punced 2-6, 6-1, 0-6, 7-5, 6-4.

# RIGGS DEFEATS KOVACS IN TENNESSEE TOURNAY

CHATTANOOGA, June 10 (AP)—Bobby Riggs won his first Tennessee Valley professional tournament, defeating Frank Kovacs 6-3, 4-6, 6-0, 6-3.

Kovacs teamed with Fred Perry, winner of third place in the consolation match with Welby Van Horn, to win the doubles championship from Riggs and Van Horn 6-4, 6-4.

# Jorge Pasquel Buys Mexican Newspaper

MEXICO CITY, June 10 (INS)—Jorge Pasquel, the man who made sports history by raiding American baseball clubs' talent for his Mexican League, assumed control today of "Novedades," Mexico's influential morning newspaper.

Pasquel's first act as majority stockholder was to raise all wages five per cent. He also allocated 5,000 pesos to the newspaper union for furniture for its headquarters.

# The Dust Flies As Myatt Slides

George Myatt, Washington infielder, slides safely into home as Red Sox catcher Hal Wagner dives on the ground to block a bad throw from the outfield. The speedy Myatt raced across the plate on Cecil Travis' single to center.



# Webber's Wild Pitch Gives Cubs 7-6 Win Over Dodgers in 10th

CHICAGO, June 10 (AP)—A wild pitch by Brooklyn's Les Webber gave the Cubs a 7-6 victory over the Dodgers and further tightened the pennant race.

The Cubs pulled to within three and a half games of Brooklyn, winning their seventh straight and the third in as many days from the Brooks. Charley Gilbert scored the winning run in the tenth for Chicago after Brooklyn fought back for a 6-6 tie in the ninth.

Phil Cavarretta launched the winning Cub spurt in the tenth by tripling. While Dixie Walker was hunting for the ball, it dropped within a few feet of the charging Walker and he momentarily lost sight of it.

Intentional passes to Gilbert and Eddie Waitkus filled the bases. Clyde McCullough forced Cavarretta at the plate, Johnny Ostrowski batted for Wyse, but Webber's first pitch hit the dirt in front of the plate, permitting Gilbert to score.

# Schmitz Chased

Brooklyn got away to a 3-0 lead in the first by chasing Johnny Schmitz, before Emil Kush arrived to put out the fire. Two hits were good for another run in the second as Brooklyn made it 4-0 before four Chicago hits off starter Vic Lombardi enabled the Cubs to score twice in the third.

Brooklyn added another in the fourth for a 5-2 advantage. This lead stood up until the Cubs kayoed Lombardi and continued their attack against Art Herring, Lombardi's immediate successor, with four runs in the seventh.

# Braves 14-0, Reds 3-1

CINCINNATI, June 10 (AP)—The Reds retained fourth place as they divided a twin bill with the Braves, the Redlegs winning the second game, 1-0, after being swamped in the opener, 14-3.

Ewell Blackwell pitched four-hit ball in the nightcap to win a mound duel from old Si Johnson, who



Blackwell . . . notches 4th win

allowed five safeties. It was Blackwell's fourth consecutive triumph. Previously he lost two.

The Redlegs' winning run came in the fourth. Eddie Lukon singled and, after Bobby Adams was hit by a pitched ball, moved to third on a fly to center. Al Libke's single counted him.

# Pirates 2-5, Giants 1-1

PITTSBURGH, June 10 (AP)—The Pirates swept both ends of a double-header with the Giants, 2-1 and 5-1, as Mel Ott was chased twice and nine of his players ordered from the bench for disputing and heckling two decisions by the umpires.

Fred Ostermueller racked up his fifth victory of the year against two defeats as he shaded Monte Kennedy in a sharp pitching duel in the opener. Frankie Gustine slammed out a 400-foot triple in the seventh to tie the score at 1-1 and trotted across the plate a moment later on pinch-hitter Burgess Whitehead's single.

# Cards 9-1, Phils 1-3

ST. LOUIS, June 10 (AP)—The Cardinals slugged out a 9-1 opening victory over Philadelphia with 13 hits, including three homers in one inning, but lost the second, 3-1, succumbing to effective pitching by Schoolboy Rowe, their own errors, and a ninth-inning double play.

Del Rice, Terry Moore, and Stan Musial each homered in the second of the opener. Murry Dickson, a relief hurler by trade, let the Phils down with seven hits in his first starting assignment of the season.

Rowe yielded only three hits in eight innings, but was pulled in the ninth to rest after scoring the third Phil run. Two of the Philly runs were unearned.

# Ferriss Cops 10th in Row As Red Sox Take Twin Bill

BOSTON, June 10 (AP)—The Red Sox took both ends of a double-header from the Tigers by scores of 7-1 and 11-6.

Dave (Boo) Ferriss racked up his 10th victory without a defeat in the second, in which the Sox banged out 14 hits, six doubles, two triples, and two homers. The Tigers also turned

The lustiest blow of the free-hitting afternoon was Ted Williams' 12th homer of the season, 450 feet. Ted socked his 11th homer in the first.

Hank Greenberg kept pace with Williams by blasting his 12th four-ply wallop into the Detroit bullpen in right center.

The other homers were hit by George (Cat) Metkovich, his third, in the first game; Dick Wakefield, his third, in the nightcap; and Dom DiMaggio, his third, in the after-piece. DiMag also tripled in the closer and added two more in both the sixth and seventh.

They started off quickly in the nightcap as Williams delivered a titanic swat on a two and one pitch, scoring Metkovich, who had beaten out a drag bunt.

From then until the end, they held the upper hand, even though Ferriss allowed 10 hits.

# Browns 6-4, A's 2-8

PHILADELPHIA, June 10 (AP)—After winning the first game, 6-2, behind the steady seven-hit pitching of Denny Galehouse, the Browns bowed to the Athletics, 8-4, in the second when Phil Marchildon allowed them only five safeties.

In the initial tilt, the Browns socked Bob Savage and Lum Harris for 11 safeties, including Vern Stephens' fourth homer of the year, but in the second the Athletics turned their artillery on three Brownie hurlers for 13 hits. Johnny Berardino hit his fourth homer in the second.

The Athletics took the series, 3-1, and lead the Browns in the season, 7-3.

# Senators 7-1, White Sox 1-8

WASHINGTON, June 10 (AP)—After nine straight defeats, the White Sox won a game, taking the second half of a doubleheader, 8-1, on Ed Lopat's fine pitching after the Senators won the opener, 7-1.

Manager Ted Lyons' men derived no end of satisfaction from Chicago's victory for it not only snapped a

long losing string, but also ended these streaks:

Six victories in a row by the Senators.

Eight straight wins by the Senators over the White Sox.

Pitcher Dutch Leonard has a personal record of five victories without a defeat this year and seven consecutive triumphs over Chicago, dating back through the 1945 season.

Southpaw Lopat yielded only four hits and the lone Washington run was scored on Buddy Lewis' inside park homerun in the seventh.

Mickey Haefner, also a southpaw, had it easy in the first game as the Senators pounded out 16 hits, topped by four out of five by Billy Hitchcock.

# Indians 9-4, Yanks 5-7

NEW YORK, June 10 (AP)—With a huge throng looking on, clouting Charley Keller smashed out his 13th homer of the year with two on in the ninth to give the Yankees a 7-4 victory over Cleveland in the second game of a twin bill after the Indians captured the opener, 9-5.

Keller's homer was the climax of a five-run rally that enabled the Yanks to come from behind a 4-2 count. Allie Reynolds had the better of Spud Chandler in the nightcap until the Yankee outburst drove him to cover with the score tied, 4-4. Reynolds was blasted from the mound by three straight hits, and Joe Krakauskas took over in time to serve up the payoff wallop to Keller.

New York's Aaron Robinson hit a homer with two on in the opener to knot the score at 5-4. The Indians put on late-inning rallies to score four times in the last three frames and clinch the game.

Seven pitchers were used in the opener, the Yankees using four and the Indians three. Bob Lemon, a converted infielder and outfielder, gained his first victory as Frank Hiller, one of the Yankee quartet, became the loser.

# Murphy Takes Pirates' Strike Case to NLRB

PITTSBURGH, June 10 (AP)—Robert Murphy of the American Baseball Guild announced he would prefer charges of unfair labor practices with the National Labor Relations Board against the Pirates.

The charges would allege that the Pittsburgh baseball club, through its officials, "attempted to dissuade players from dealing through the American Baseball Guild, their chosen representative for purposes of collective bargaining."

He added the charges would also allege Pittsburgh officials urged players to deal individually with them regarding their grievances.

William E. Benschwanger, club president, declined comment except to state "The boys are playing ball, and that's all we can ask them to do."

# Will Go to New York

Murphy announced that the charges would be filed in the Pittsburgh regional office of the NLRB. The Boston lawyer added that he had decided to go to New York Monday, instead of Philadelphia, as originally planned.

Murphy still contends that the team's refusal to go ahead with a strike was "simply an action against a strike that particular night, and does not imply a strike would never be called again."

Some players reported that they were saying goodbye to the guild, but not to some of its principles.

Murphy says the no-strike vote of players was 20 for, and 16 against, but that a two-thirds majority was needed to effect a walkout.

As one repercussion to the guild dispute, manager Frankie Frisch clamped a lock on the clubhouse door, and ordered reporters, photographers and other outsiders to be kept out.

# Bartolo Undergoes Operation

NEW YORK, June 10 (UP)—Sal Bartolo, of Boston, underwent a jaw operation because of injuries received when he was knocked out by Willie Pep. Dr. Vincent Nardiello, attending physician, described his condition as "good."

# Li'l Abner

(By Courtesy of United Features)

By Al Capp





Table showing tennis results for the American League, listing teams like Boston, New York, Washington, Detroit, Cleveland, St. Louis, and Philadelphia with their respective wins, losses, and percentages.

Results for American League tennis matches, including Boston 7-11, Detroit 1-6, Cleveland 9-4, New York 5-7, Washington 7-1, Chicago 1-8, St. Louis 6-4, Philadelphia 2-3.

Table showing tennis results for the National League, listing teams like Brooklyn, St. Louis, Chicago, Cincinnati, Boston, Pittsburgh, New York, and Philadelphia with their respective wins, losses, and percentages.

Results for National League tennis matches, including Chicago 7, Brooklyn 6, Boston 14-0, Cincinnati 3-1, Pittsburgh 2-5, New York 1-1, St. Louis 9-1, Philadelphia 1-3.

Table showing tennis results for the International League, listing teams like Montreal, Syracuse, Newark, Baltimore, Buffalo, Rochester, Toronto, and Jersey City with their respective wins, losses, and percentages.

Results for International League tennis matches, including Montreal 26-6, Jersey City 8-1, Syracuse 10-8, Rochester 6-9, Baltimore 8-6, Buffalo 2-0, Newark 4, Toronto 3.

Table showing tennis results for the American Association, listing teams like St. Paul, Indianapolis, Louisville, Kansas City, Minneapolis, Milwaukee, Columbus, and Toledo with their respective wins, losses, and percentages.

Results for American Association tennis matches, including Kansas City 9-2, Columbus 3-12, Milwaukee 4-4, Indianapolis 1-7, Minneapolis 4-6, Toledo 4-6, St. Paul 3-6, Louisville 1-5.

Table showing tennis results for the Southern Association, listing teams like Atlanta, Nashville, Chattanooga, Memphis, New Orleans, Mobile, Little Rock, and Birmingham with their respective wins, losses, and percentages.

Results for Southern Association tennis matches, including Atlanta 7-4, Little Rock 5-8, Memphis 5-2, Birmingham 4-0, Mobile 8-5, Chattanooga 0-10, Nashville 15-8, New Orleans 5-7.

Table showing tennis results for the Pacific Coast, listing teams like Oakland, San Francisco, Los Angeles, San Diego, Sacramento, Hollywood, Portland, and Seattle with their respective wins, losses, and percentages.

Results for Pacific Coast tennis matches, including San Diego 7-6, Seattle 5-4, Oakland 5-1, San Francisco 0-2, Los Angeles 5-8, Hollywood 3-5, Sacramento 1-5, Portland 2-3.

Table showing tennis results for the South Atlantic League, listing teams like Augusta, Greenville, Savannah, Columbia, Columbus, Jacksonville, Macon, and Charleston with their respective wins, losses, and percentages.

Results for South Atlantic League tennis matches, including Columbus 10, Charleston 2, Jacksonville 5, Columbia 4, Savannah 12-2, Greenville 0-7, Macon 7, Augusta 6.

Table showing Major League Leaders in various categories such as National American, National Home Runs, and National Runs Batted In, listing players like Vernon, Senators, Walker, Dodgers, Hopp, Braves, Williams, Red Sox, Ennis, Phils, Pesky, Red Sox, etc.

Article titled 'Parker Downs Talbert For Tennis Title' reporting on Parker's victory over Talbert in the Heart of America tennis singles title match in Kansas City.

Baseball Box Scores

National League

Box score for the first game of the National League between New York and Pittsburgh, listing player statistics for both teams.

Box score for the second game of the National League between New York and Pittsburgh, listing player statistics for both teams.

Results for National League games, including New York 100-000-000-1 9 3, Pittsburgh 200-030-000-5 6 2, Batteries-Joyce, Trinkle (7) and Lombardi, Heintzelman, Lanning (2) and Salkeid.

American League

Box score for the first game of the American League between Chicago and Washington, listing player statistics for both teams.

Box score for the second game of the American League between Chicago and Washington, listing player statistics for both teams.

Results for American League games, including Chicago 000-001-000-1 5 0, Washington 000-042-01x-7 16 3, Batteries-Haynes, Hollingsworth (5), Perme (3) and Tresh, Fernandes (8); Haefner and Evans.

Box score for the first game of the American League between Detroit and Boston, listing player statistics for both teams.

Box score for the second game of the American League between Detroit and Boston, listing player statistics for both teams.

Results for American League games, including Detroit 000-010-1 9 3, Boston 000-032-20x-7 11 1, Batteries-Troun, Bridges (7) and Richards, Swift (7); Harris and Wagner.

Box score for the first game of the American League between Philadelphia and St. Louis, listing player statistics for both teams.

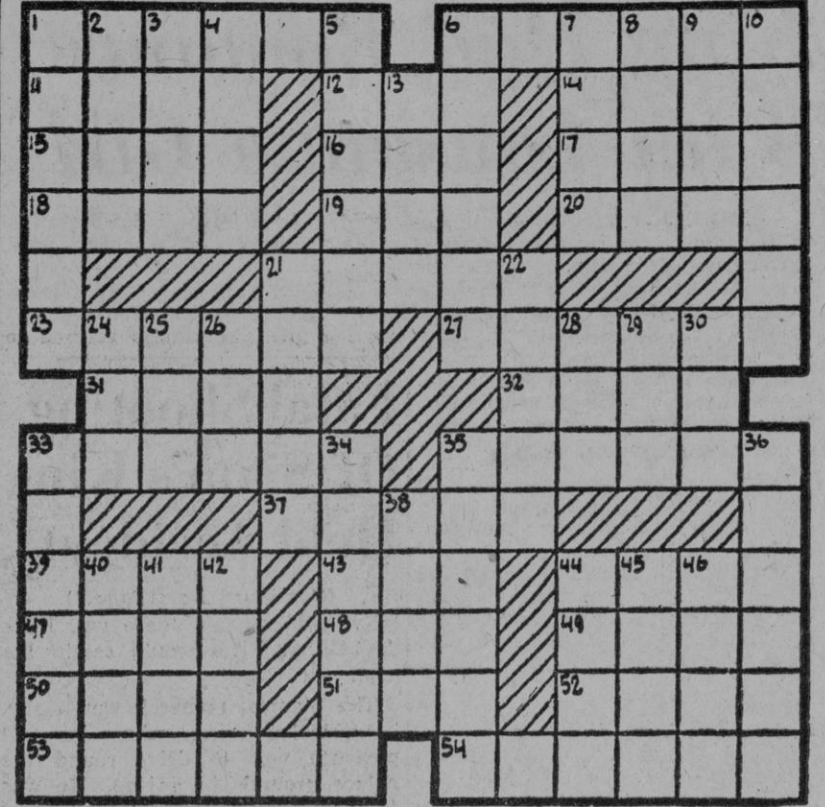
Box score for the second game of the American League between Philadelphia and St. Louis, listing player statistics for both teams.

Results for American League games, including Philadelphia 000-100-100-1 7 1, St. Louis 050-100-00x-9 13 0, Batteries-Judd, Humphries (2), Ripple (3) and Seminick, Spindel (3); Dickson and Rice.

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Results for American League games, including Philadelphia 000-100-002-3 8 0, St. Louis 000-000-010-1 5 4, Batteries-Rowe, Karl (9), Raffensberger (9) and Seminick; Brazie and Garagiola.



ACROSS and DOWN clues for the crossword puzzle, including '1-Farmer', '16-Born', '23-Lives', '44-Steal', '6-Games', '17-Part of torso', '27-Errors', '47-Drink', etc.

Box score for the first game of the American League between Cleveland and New York, listing player statistics for both teams.

Box score for the second game of the American League between Cleveland and New York, listing player statistics for both teams.

Results for American League games, including Cleveland 000-040-121-9 11 1, New York 000-104-000-5 9 2, Batteries-Black, Lemon (6), Ferrick (8) and Lollar; Page, Hiller (5), Wade (8), Byrne (9) and Robinson, Miarhos (9).

Box score for the first game of the American League between St. Louis and Philadelphia, listing player statistics for both teams.

Box score for the second game of the American League between St. Louis and Philadelphia, listing player statistics for both teams.

Results for American League games, including St. Louis 302 001-000-6 11 0, Philadelphia 101-000-000-2 7 1, Batteries-Galehouse and Helf; Savage, Harris (4), Fagan (3) and Rosar, DeSautels (4).

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Box score for the second game of the American League between St. Louis and Philadelphia, listing player statistics for both teams.

Results for American League games, including St. Louis 001-020-100-4 5 1, Philadelphia 200-303-00x-8 13 1, Batteries-Potter, Miller (3), Fannin (4), Kinder (8) and Helf; Marchildon and Rosar.

Chess Tourney Planned: THE HAGUE, June 10 (AP)—An International Chess Tournament will be held in Groningen, Holland, from August 13, until September 7, the Dutch Chess Association announced today.

Giants, Yanks to Play Series for Charity: NEW YORK, June 10 (AP)—The Giants and Yankees have agreed to play a best two-out-of-three exhibition series, with the winner to receive the Mayor William O'Dwyer Trophy. A substantial portion of the receipts will go to charity.

The games are to be played on July 1, Aug. 5, and, if necessary, a date will be determined for the third game. All will be night games.

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# King Had Romance With Lausanne Girl

BERNE, June 10 (AP)—King Ananda Mahidol of Siam had a flirtation in Lausanne, the king's former Greek secretary and teacher, Cleon Seraidaris, said today.

But Seraidaris declared he did not believe the king committed suicide. The king told him before his departure from Lausanne that he was aware of the impossibility of marrying the girl. Seraidaris refused to disclose the girl's name.

He said it was not a serious affair and that the king's great spiritual strength would oppose suicide.

### Left Fortune to Mother

Before leaving Lausanne, the king made a will leaving his fortune to his mother, the former secretary said.

Elsewhere in Berne a close girl friend of 21-year-old Marilene Ferrari, daughter of a Lausanne clergyman, said today that Marilene had been friendly with the late king of Siam.

But she always said it was not serious and knew it could not last, the girl friend said. Marilene did not appear sad when the king left Lausanne, her friend said.

The king went to the same school with her and later drove her often to the university where they both studied law.

# Fatal Shooting Of Siam's King Held Accident

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tative sources, said there was little doubt that Pridi would retain his post.

The Siamese monarch was a shy, bespectacled youth, whose greatest pleasure was to drive round the palace grounds in a jeep. He was fond of playing his saxophone.

The days of royal autocracy described in the best-seller, "Anna and the King of Siam," ended 14 years ago, but the king was still held in extreme veneration by his 18,000,000 subjects.

The palace walls confined the king's personal life, and he was permitted none of the informal social expeditions made by his royal counterparts in the western world. He was never permitted to receive the press.

### Planned U. S. Trip

According to Bangkok gossip, his mother, an attractive, youthful-looking woman in her forties, exerted a strong influence on him.

King Ananda Mahidol was to have left for the United States on Thursday, and then, at the beginning of July, was to have gone to London and Switzerland.

At Bern, Paul Rey, the director of the Ecole Nouvelle de la Suisse, where the Siamese king studied, said the royal retinue had been worried before his departure by the possibility of assassination.

Asked about reports that the king was depressed because he was unable to marry a girl fellow-student, Rey said the monarch had had one or two flirtations which were not serious.

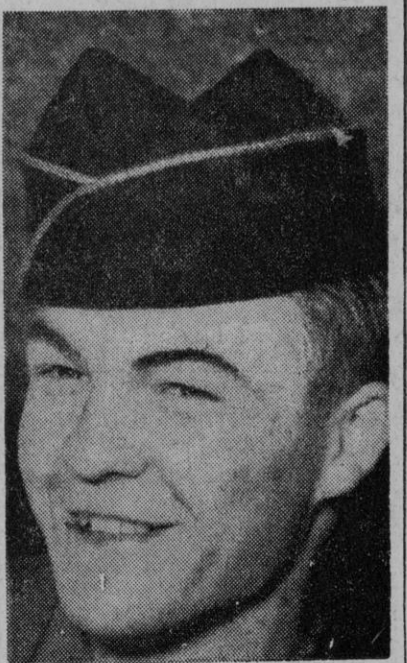
# Hesse Vote Charges Unfounded, Says MG

The Stars and Stripes Bureau

WIESBADEN, June 10—Exaggerated campaign statements by German politicians that the recent city elections contained great "irregularities" failed to materialize, Greater Hesse military government officers reported today, summarizing the electoral count.

The charges by political orators that "tens of thousands" of citizens were prevented from voting, particularly in Frankfurt, have been determined to include less than 300 voters, MG said, and "whole streets" which were supposedly left out of the voters' register turned out to be a bombed block.

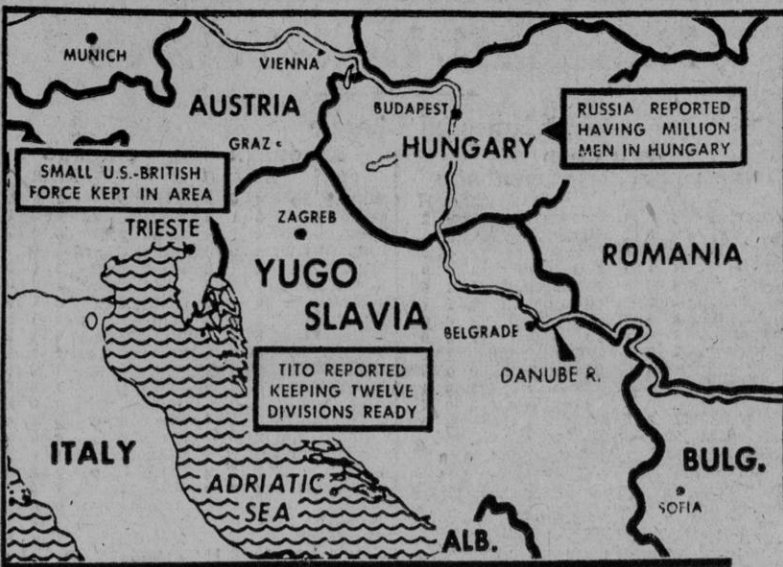
It was almost certain, MG said, that none of Greater Hesse elections would be invalidated.



—Signal Corps Photo

### West Point Bound

Pfc George Cole, stationed with the 17th Major Post in Bremerhaven, who has just received an appointment to attend West Point.



The Trieste-Venezia-Giulia question is one of the knotty problems the council of foreign ministers must solve when it reconvenes in Paris June 15. Internationalization of the Trieste area, which for months has been a tense spot on Europe's map, is being considered as a means of compromising Italian and Yugoslavian claims.

# Regime in Cochinchina Draws Ire of Viet Nam

PARIS, June 10 (AP)—The foreign affairs ministry of the Viet Nam republic protested today against the recently-announced constitution of a provisional government in French Cochinchina, calling it a violation of the convention of March 6 between France and the Viet Nam republic, the French news agency said in a Hanoi dispatch.

Formation of the government, said a Viet Nam announcement quoted by the French agency, "was nothing less than the formation of a governmental and administrative apparatus armed with sufficient powers of coercion on the population to direct the plebiscite, agreed on in the March 6 convention, along the lines of an autonomy fixed in advance."

The communique continued, "Our government considers as null and void all acts of the provisional government of the republic of Cochinchina, a government constituted by the French occupation authorities with no popular participation and in violation of the March 6 convention."

# Lichfield...

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the place. I guarantee you won't be back here after tonight."

Koblinsky, now serving a court martial sentence, is one of 12 prosecution witnesses who last Saturday ended an 11-day silence strike by agreeing to talk after twice refusing to testify in protest against alleged injustices.

Five of them were recalled to the stand today in the trials of Cubage and of Lt. Leonard W. Ennis, of Peekskill, N. Y. Two testified they were struck in Cubage's presence. "Then a blanket was thrown over my head and I was beaten until I passed out," said Pvt. Theodore Taylor, of New York City.

Pvt. Louis L. Kardon, of Philadelphia, said he was hit with a club while Cubage stood five feet away. Neither accused Cubage of personally striking them.

Aubrey L. Richey, of Birmingham, Ala., said after he had been beaten on the head with a club by a guard, "Ennis came up and saw me bleeding and asked, 'How did you fall down the stairs?' But he knew I had been beaten. Then he grabbed my collar, twisted it and pulled me up. He put me in solitary confinement for 11 days without any medical treatment."

Ennis once told him "I hope you do try to escape because I want to shoot you anyway," said Richey.

# Care In Officer Selection Will End Gripes, Sultan Says

MURRAY BAY, Canada, June 10 (AP)—Lt. Gen. Daniel I. Sultan, U. S. Army Inspector General, said universal military training would do much to eliminate complaints over the so-called officer "caste system" by permitting careful selection of the group of men "from which eventually all our officers would come."

"The so-called caste system is not really one of officers versus enlisted men—it is one of careful selection of the right kind of men to be officers," Sultan said, before the annual meeting of the National Association of Chain Drug Stores.

### Snyder OK'd by Committee

WASHINGTON, June 10 (AP)—The Senate Finance Committee today approved President Truman's nomination of John W. Snyder to Secretary of the Treasury to succeed Fred M. Vinson, who has been nominated for Chief Justice of the Supreme Court.

# 15 Found Dead, 25 Missing in Dubuque Fire

DUBUQUE, Iowa, June 10 (AP)—With 15 persons known dead, 21 hurt and 25 unaccounted for, workmen began today to search the fire-ravaged Canfield Hotel to find more bodies.

Meantime, officials started an investigation into the cause of the fire, which destroyed the building yesterday, just four days after the disastrous La Salle Hotel fire in Chicago, which took 61 lives.

The 25 missing were reported after the names of the 125 guests staying in the hotel had been checked with the lists of dead and injured and those known to have escaped, a Red Cross official said.

Fifty-seven of the guests were rescued; 27 of them jumped into nets and 30 were brought down by firemen. Three or four of the dead were killed when they jumped and missed the nets.

### LA SALLE HOTEL FIRE BLAMED ON SHORT CIRCUIT

CHICAGO, June 10 (AP)—City investigators of the La Salle Hotel fire that took 61 lives tentatively blamed it on "crossed wires" behind a false ceiling in the Silver Lounge.

They also announced they were tracking down \$20,000 in jewelry, money and clothing lost by the victims.

### 3 HURT, 100 IMPERILED IN N. Y. HOTEL FIRE

NEW YORK, June 10 (UP)—A fire in the Hotel Aristo yesterday resulted in the injury of three persons and the endangering of about 100 occupants.

Guests clad in nightclothes fled to the street down ladders, stairways and fire escapes of the four-story brick building. Firemen credited the few casualties to the quick action of an employee who noticed smoke curling up the elevator shaft and turned in an alarm.

# Laski Scores Atom Secrecy

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fully" and said lack of a formal peace "threatens that remarkable resurgence of the democratic spirit in Italy" and "creates the danger that a defeated Germany may become a festering sore in the life of civilization."

Laski urged Britain to follow the recommendations of the Anglo-American Committee on Palestine for immediate admission of 100,000 Jews, but said the situation in Palestine "is too complex for so simple a formula" as establishment of a Jewish state.

Also he said, "We must regard it as a tragedy, in which our responsibility is grave, that Spain is still crushed beneath the ugly tyranny of Franco; and nothing would persuade us to regard a revival of the monarchist traditions embodied in a Vatican-sponsored Bourbon as relevant to the liberation of a tortured people."

"What is true of Spain is true also of Greece," he said. "The return of the king would be a sorry end to the brave struggle of a nation which first taught the world the significance of freedom."

### U. S. Repatriates 354 Germans

BILBAO, June 10 (AP)—The U. S. repatriation ship Marine Perch left for Bremerhaven last night with 354 Germans on board.

# Net Still Out In Jewel Hunt

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U. S. was provided by agents in Germany. Army investigators, working closely with Washington, explored the possibility that a small number of gems still unrecovered in the \$1,500,000 theft might be hidden in Germany.

USFET headquarters officers closely associated with the case said that Watson had made a long statement to CID agents and that "the possibility that some gems may be hidden in Germany is not being overlooked."

Watson, who told military policemen "I am having trouble" when he was routed from bed by members

WASHINGTON, June 10 (UP)—The Army put the Kronberg jewels on display in the Pentagon Building today under the watchful eyes of military police whose holsters bulged with ominous revolvers. Heaps of jewels were spread out on a long table. The gems sparkled brilliantly under the sunlight that knifed through a closely-guarded window.

of a patrol car sent to pick him up, today was in confinement in Frankfurt.

Until a couple of months ago, Watson was Durant's assistant in the personnel division.

When Durant returned to the United States, Watson stayed in his job as assistant executive officer of the division.

On his arrest, it was understood that he had been taken before the European chief of staff, Maj. Gen. Harold R. Bull, to give a personal accounting. After he was picked up by military policemen, Watson, 36, asked permission to wire his folks "so I can break the news to them first," officers said.

### Eden Going to Bermuda

NEW YORK, June 10 (AP)—Anthony Eden was scheduled to leave New York today by plane for Bermuda after an overnight visit here.

# MG Returns Nazi Properties To German Administrators

BERLIN, June 10 (AP)—The American Military Government announced today that it was turning over to German agencies for safeguarding and administering approximately \$700,000,000 worth of property which had been taken into custody by MG in the American occupation areas.

It was explained that this action was in accordance with Military Government's policy of giving the German authorities greater responsibilities in handling internal affairs. Transfer of the properties has already begun and it is expected that the German property control authority will have assumed full administration by July 1. The pro-

erties concerned are approximately 43,000 units in the U. S. occupation areas taken into custody since the start of the occupation. They include properties of the former German government, the Nazi party and its affiliates, Allied and neutral nationals and persecuted persons.

They have been held for safeguarding until their final dispositions are decided by occupational authorities. About 70 per cent of the properties were formerly owned by the German state and the Nazi party. The bulk is real estate and the greatest value is represented in confiscated factories including some I. G. Farben plants.

# Truman Target Of Rail Union

CHICAGO, June 10 (INS)—The president of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, A. F. Whitney, today officially opened the \$47,000,000 treasury of his organization to a campaign against the President Truman administration.

Whitney instituted a nation-wide advertising campaign blaming both Congress and President Truman for failure to remedy conditions which he said cause American workers to strike.

The railroad brotherhood president said that close to \$2,500,000 will be spent on this and similar campaigns. He added, "We are determined to fight anti-labor laws with all our strength. The President and Congress have the power necessary to prevent strikes. Legislation to deny or abridge the fundamental right of a man to withhold his labor will provoke more strikes than it will stop."

Whitney outlined "must" or immediate duties for congressmen, which include recreation of OPA as an adequate barrier against inflation, passage of the Wagner-Murray-Dingell health insurance bill for medical care, and establishment of low-cost housing.

His program calls also for passage of a bill to abolish the poll tax, another measure for a minimum hourly wage of 56 cents and inclusive legislation which would care for all needs of war veterans.

# Paraguayan Revolt Reported Foiled

BUENOS AIRES, June 10 (AP)—An apparently unsuccessful attempt to overthrow President Higinio Morinigo's government, resulted in the death of at least five members of the Paraguayan army, Paraguayan sources disclosed today.

Two brief communiques penetrating the censorship said that Morinigo had resumed command of the army and that order had been restored following the death of two officers and three other ranks.

Dr. Morinigo assumed office in September, 1940, on the death of President Estigarribia and was reelected president in February, 1943.

# Pauley Again Protests Red 'Curtain' in Korea

NEW SEOUL, June 10 (AP)—Edwin W. Pauley, U. S. Reparations Commissioner, today told newsmen "again I register my protest" because his reparations commission was "not allowed to cover two areas" on its recent inspection of Russian-occupied Northern Korea.

He did not specify whether he was protesting to Russia or through the press.

# Bergen Gets Father Award For Charlie as U. S. 'Novelty'

HOLLYWOOD, June 10 (AP)—This will probably bring a squawk from Charlie McCarthy:

Edgar Bergen received a certificate from the National Fathers Day Committee for "fathering America's outstanding entertainment novelty."